

Victorian Baby Health Centres  
Association

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of

CENTRAL  
COUNCIL

1952-53



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## Aims and Objects of the Association

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- (1) To safeguard the health of mothers and babies.
  - (2) To encourage the breast-feeding of infants.
  - (3) To train double certificated Nurses in Mothercraft and Infant Welfare.
  - (4) To employ these trained Nurses, who shall—
    - (a) Attend certain Centres, where not only mothers with their babies can come, but also expectant mothers.
    - (b) Visit mothers at their homes, and help them carry out simple hygienic rules.
  - (5) To hold meetings and give organised teaching to women, as opportunity shall arise, and to disseminate such knowledge by every available agency.
  - (6) To co-operate with all present or future organisations working for the same objects.
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The object of the Association being to keep infants healthy, sick children are not treated at Centres, but are always referred to their own doctor or to a hospital.

## VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION

1952-53

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VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES  
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THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

Ladies and Gentlemen,

In presenting the Thirty-Fifth Annual Report the Council draws attention to the fact that, while its report gives a general survey of the Association's work, each Health Centre publishes its own Annual Report and Balance Sheet, manages its own affairs, and extends the work in its own district, the Association acting as the co-ordinating link between the various Centres.

The Balance Sheet at the end of this Report relates only to the Central Council, The Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre, and Travelling Baby Health Centre.

ADMINISTRATION

The Council has met every month. The Executive Committee, consisting of the office-bearers and ten members of Council, of whom two at least must be representatives of Municipal Councils, two at least representatives of country Centres, and one a member of the British Medical Association, is elected by the Council at the first meeting after the Annual Meeting. This Committee, which co-ordinates the work, has met every month. The Queen Elizabeth Training School Committee and Medical Sub-Committee deal with all technical matters in connection with the training of the nurses and the conduct of Baby Health Centres generally. Finance is controlled by a separate Sub-Committee.

OBITUARY

The Council records with great regret the death during the year of Sister J. Colvin. Sister Colvin was the Association's full-time Lecturing Sister in Mothercraft to Girls' Schools from 1930 to 1942 and was one of our pioneer Baby Health Centre Sisters.

The popularity of "Mothercraft," and its inclusion in the curriculum of so many girls' schools, can very largely be attributed to Sister Colvin, who gave so many years of excellent work to building up this service to the Schools and to interesting the girls in this subject.

Her personality and charm endeared her not only to the girls she taught, but to all who worked with her.

The Council also records with regret the death of Sister Helen Metcalfe, which occurred after a brief illness on August 10th, 1953. Sister Metcalfe trained in Infant Welfare at the Association's Queen

Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre, remaining, on completion of her training, as Staff Sister for some months. She left to gain other Centre experience, but periodically returned to do Staff relieving at the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre. She also relieved on the Staff of the Association's Travelling Baby Health Centre for a month last year.

The Council and members of the Staff at the Queen Elizabeth Centre feel it is tragic that such a promising young life should have ended so suddenly.

A Memorial Service to Sister Metcalfe was held in the Chapel of the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre on Sunday, August 23rd, 1953.

GENERAL PROGRESS

The Association, as the major Voluntary Infant Welfare Organisation in the State of Victoria, continues its work of establishing new Baby Health Centres and extending the scope of existing ones.

The Association also continues its interest in promoting legislative reform necessary for safeguarding the health of women and children, and stresses the definite need for increased funds for the development of all maternal and child welfare work, with its valuable objectives of saving infant life, the prevention of ill-health amongst young children and encouraging mothers to have, and rear, the healthy children so much needed by the nation.

The Association, as a representative organisation, affords the vital link-up of municipal and public interest in infant welfare work throughout the State that is so essential to the movement and its progress.

The Council of the Association is formed of representatives from the Municipal and Shire Councils, their Baby Health Centre Committees, and from other kindred societies interested in the welfare of women and children, and actively concerned with its actual promotion. Unity is strength, and such a link-up with a central organisation gives strength to this movement, since it creates the organised public opinion and interest that all progressive movements need in a democratic community.

Many Councils and Baby Health Centre Committees are interested and effective in promoting infant welfare work in their own districts, but it is only when they are linked up by representation in this Association that they can combine to form the necessary public opinion for promoting all measures for safeguarding the health of the mothers and babies, and their sphere of influence in this work is widened by contact with others similarly engaged.

One trusts that as the Baby Health Centre movement develops in this State, and Commonwealth as a whole, that nothing will



be allowed to militate against the strength and unity of the Voluntary Infant Welfare Organisations, which have been responsible not only for playing the vital part of pioneering this movement, but in maintaining its general progressiveness during the many years of its development, facts which are frequently forgotten.

The tremendous value to this movement of the work and interest of the Ladies' Baby Health Centre Committees formed to assist Councils in the domestic management of their Centres cannot be too strongly stressed.

Not only has the work of these committees been responsible in the first place for the establishment of the Centres in their district, and for stimulating the interests of their Councils in the project but they have been largely responsible for the subsequent development of the work, and for obtaining for the sister the necessary equipment.

The best results in Centre work and their general running eventuates when Councils have such Ladies' Committees with whom they work in close co-operation.

#### YEAR'S ACTIVITIES

There are 326 Centres affiliated with the Association, 226 being in country districts. With 42 townships served by the Travelling Baby Health Centres there are 368 districts linked up with the Association.

New Centres have been established at Alvie, Bellfield, Chiltern, Cressy, Moe North, Newborough, The Sisters, Florence Road, Surrey Hills, Wickliffe.

New Centre buildings have been opened during the year at Ballarat (Midlands), E. Doncaster, Meeniyah, Kerang, Bayswater, Eltham, Moorabbin, E. Sandringham, W. Geelong, Alphington, Bellfield and E. Ivanhoe. At Eltham, Moorabbin and Geelong West the Centre buildings were built as "War Memorial" Centres. At Bayswater the Centre building incorporates a clock-tower which is a War Memorial.

The Annual Conference of Presidents and Secretaries of Baby Health Centre Committees and delegates to the Association's Central Council, was held at the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre in Carlton on Friday, June 26th. There were approximately 130 delegates present, and many distant country centres were represented. The President, Sir Leslie McConnan, was in the Chair.

At the conclusion of the Conference delegates were entertained to afternoon tea at the Queen Elizabeth Centre.

Guest Speaker at the October meeting of the Council was Dr. Jean Mackintosh, Senior Assistant Medical Officer of Health for Maternal and Child Welfare, City of Birmingham. Dr. Mackin-

tosh's visit to Victoria was sponsored by the Vera Scantlebury Brown Trust in conjunction with the Nuffield Trust.

Dr. Mackintosh spoke to the Council on "Voluntary Work in Britain," and stressed its importance. She also spoke of the value of the work carried out by women in Britain, who served so extensively on Councils, Hospital Boards, Housing Estates, etc.

Mrs. J. M. Gardiner attended the Ballarat Annual Meeting during the year.

Mrs. L. T. Kellaway attended Annual Meetings at Port Fairy and Caulfield.

The Hon. Secretary, Dr. Doris Officer, attended Annual Meetings at Sandringham, Camberwell, Geelong West, Belgrave Heights, Box Hill, Benalla and Lilydale Pre-School Association.

The Hon. Secretary also attended meetings of the Presbyterian Free Kindergarten, Richmond; Collingwood Creche; Coburg Community Aid Society, to speak on the "Emergency Home Help Service"; and to the St. George's Church of England Ladies' Guild and the Camberwell Methodist Ladies' Guild to speak on the "Work of the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre."

A talk on "Accident Prevention and First Aid treatment of minor injuries" was given by the Hon. Secretary to the Mooroolbark Mothers' Club. A talk on "Sweden's Housing and Social Services," illustrated by film-strips, was given by Dr. Doris Officer to the members of the Council and Baby Health Centre Committees at Richmond and Essendon.

The President, Sir Leslie McConnan, and the Hon. Secretary, Dr. Doris Officer, attended the opening by Lady Brooks of the new Nursery School building at Croydon, which is run in connection with the Croydon Baby Health Centre.

Two broadcasts were given for the Rural Session of A.B.C. by the Hon. Secretary on the work of the Travelling Baby Health Centre in the Mallee and the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre.

During a visit in January to South Australia the Hon. Secretary visited "Torrens House" and the headquarters of the Mothers and Babies' Health Association, and was much interested in the work being carried on by our sister organisation in that State.

Sir Alan Daley, former Chief Medical Officer of Health for the London County Council, visited the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre during his visit to Victoria in February.

Sir Alan spent 1½ hours at the Queen Elizabeth Centre and was very interested in its training facilities for Baby Health Centre Sisters and Mothercraft Nurses. He was also very impressed by the set-up of the whole institution for its work in the care of mothers



and babies, and in its general attractiveness. It was encouraging to hear Sir Alan Daley's praise of the transformation of a 92-year old building into such a highly modern and attractive institution.

Councillor A. J. G. Sinclair, Hon. Treasurer, represented the Association at the "Good Neighbour Council's" Conference held in May.

In March, 1953, the Hon. Secretary was Guest Speaker at the Annual Meeting of the "Catholic Women's Social Guild," at which His Grace Archbishop Mannix was present. Subject of the address was "Child Welfare from the Mother's angle—and the importance of the family as nature's device for fostering the care of children."

The Council records with regret the illness of Miss Grace Turner, Chairman of the Queen Elizabeth Centre Committee of Management. Miss Turner has been in Hospital since June and is still very ill.

### WORK OF THE BABY HEALTH CENTRES

The work being carried out by the Baby Health Centres continues to increase and more demands than ever are being made on the Sisters' time and services to the community. This fact is becoming increasingly recognised by Councils and their Committees, and consequently additional Infant Welfare Sisters are being appointed to their Centres to cope with the extra work.

Many Councils also contemplate providing better transport facilities for their Sisters to help them to attend new Sub-Centres and to assist the mothers in their homes. This will conserve the Sisters' valuable time for the actual work of advising mothers, instead of much of it being wasted through inconvenient methods of transport.

The Baby Health Centre movement provides the most extensive system of parent education at very reasonable cost to the community. Of all services provided for the mothers it is one that comes most intimately in contact with them, both through the mothers' regular attendances at the Centres and by the extensive system of home visiting, which is part of the Sisters' work.

The work carried out at the Centres by the Sisters is not only invaluable in its preservation of precious infant life and its prevention of avoidable illness, but it helps the mother in the establishment of sound family life, which is the only foundation for national happiness and security, and its promotion the only real remedy for the industrial unrest and social problems present in the community.

**Dental Examinations.**—The need for the extension of dental examination and treatment for children attending Centres is urgent, especially in country districts. Advice at the Centres covers that

given to expectant mothers, and the baby from 0-5 years of age, (i.e., up to school age).

Colac provides dental inspection for the children attending the Centre. This has been in operation for some years, and has been possible through the co-operation and help of the local dentists.

Albert Park Baby Health Centre has a beautifully equipped dental clinic at its Centre.

Mobile vans for dental inspection and treatment is an urgent need in such outback country districts as those served by the Association's Travelling Baby Health Centre. Local dentists are few in these districts, and their attendance at some country townships are irregular and with long intervals. This makes it impracticable for mothers to take their children of pre-school age for advice and treatment. The incidence of dental caries amongst children of this age, and in these districts, is far too high.

In conjunction with the Preventive Sub-Committee of the Australian Dental Association, lectures on Preventive Dentistry at both city and country Centres have been sponsored by the Association. Names of dentists in different districts who have agreed to give such lectures to groups of parents have been printed in "Baby Health," and circulated to Centres.

**Ante-Natal Care.**—Care of the Expectant Mother and advice to her on all points of general hygiene and diet has always been a feature of Baby Health Centre work. Extension of such care has been carried out of recent years by the establishment of ante-natal clinics in connection with Baby Health Centres under special medical supervision.

Such clinics have been established at the Collingwood, Fairfield, Fitzroy, Hawthorn, Moonee Ponds, North Essendon, Port Melbourne, Prahran, Ringwood, Sandringham, Belgrave and South Melbourne Centres.

An extension of this work is particularly desirable since it saves the mother both time and fatigue in travelling and the over-crowding of the ante-natal clinics at the hospitals, with whom the Centre ante-natal clinics work in close co-operation.

**Pre-School Facilities.**—Many new Baby Health Centres incorporate in their plans provision for indoor and outdoor playing spaces for toddlers. Suitable toys and equipment also provide demonstrations to parents of what is required for the development of children at different age levels.

Croydon has a Nursery School established at its Centre. Play groups have also been established in connection with many other Centres—e.g., Belgrave, Lilydale, Warragul and Casterton, and others contemplate forming them. These play groups often function in suitable halls made available for the purpose.



**Parent Clubs.**—Parent Clubs have been established in connection with some Baby Health Centres. Such clubs are primarily educational in object and form a valuable means of furthering the knowledge of parents in all matters connected with the upbringing of their children.

Clubs are established at Albert Park, Bendigo, Northcote, and Ascot Vale. Maryborough for some years has had a very progressive Mothers' Club, which has arranged many educational lectures for the mothers in the district.

It is hoped that other Councils and their Committees will consider the establishment of Parent Clubs, or the arrangement of special lectures for parents.

**Libraries.**—Many Centres are incorporating libraries of suitable books for the use of the mothers; a lead that other Centres could follow with advantage. Lists of suitable books and where to obtain them may be had on application to the Head Office of the Association.

**Immunisation and Vaccination.**—Many Councils continue to carry out immunising against diphtheria for children attending the Centre or living in their districts. Vaccination against smallpox and immunisation against diphtheria and whooping cough are safeguards to the children's health which the Sisters-in-Charge of Centres should encourage all their mothers to have carried out.

### PROBLEMS AFFECTING MOTHERS

**Lack of Housing.**—A separate home for each family is the most urgent need in this country for the health of the community.

No maternity homes, health centres, however well equipped, no schools with up-to-date buildings and apparatus, no free milk or meals can compensate for the evils of an over-crowded home, for it is impossible to teach health where people are herded together in insanitary conditions, as so many are these days. Relieving the acute housing shortage therefore remains a No. 1 Health necessity—inadequate housing outweighs all other problems in its adverse effect on the rearing of a family, and for stimulating an increase in our birth rate.

**Municipal Home Help Schemes.**—The Councils, such as Kew, Hawthorn, South Melbourne, Camberwell, Ringwood and Prahran, who have established Home Help Schemes in their districts, are making a valuable contribution to the health of women and children.

To relieve the constant dread which hangs over the mother of a young family, as to who will care for the children should she fall ill, or even during her confinement, we need an extension of all existing Home Help Schemes and the provision of properly staffed hostels where the children can reside during her absence.

"Personnel" for staffing "Home Help" services is our prime necessity.

### INFANT MORTALITY RATE

Vital statistics for 1952 show that the infant mortality rate for Victoria remains at 22 per 1,000 births. Though low it is an increase on the low rate recorded in 1950 of 20.09 per 1,000, and indicates the necessity for constant watchfulness in connection with the standards and further improvements needed in our Maternal and Child Welfare Services, and in conditions which militate against the health of women and children.

### TELEVISION AND HEALTH

The Hon. Secretary, Dr. Doris Officer, at the request of the Victorian Women's Graduates' Association prepared a report on "Television and its effect on Health." This was presented at the April meeting of the V.W.G. Association, and also at the Council Meeting of the Association in May.

The report has also been given at meetings of the South Melbourne Parents' Association, and to the Business and Professional Women's Club.

The full report on Television, including its health aspects, has been printed in the magazine "Baby Health" (June issue) by courtesy of the Victorian Women Graduates' Association.

Television is something that every woman, particularly mothers, should be interested in, and we trust that there will be an adequate and proper representation of women on any control board appointed to determine the standards of programmes presented for family consumption, when television is actually introduced to this country.

### "BABY HEALTH" QUARTERLY MAGAZINE

The Association has continued the production of this magazine during the year despite some anxiety in regard to the rising costs of printing and production.

The Association values the interests of the firms who support production of the magazine by the insertion of advertisements. The Council is grateful to all its regular subscribers, and those Committees who guarantee to sell a certain number of copies each issue.

An increase in the number of regular subscribers, and of sales of individual copies is the support needed to ensure the financial stability of the magazine and its continued production.

The magazine has now been in production for over five years.





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## VOLUNTARY HELPERS

The Council thanks the Voluntary Helpers of the many Baby Health Centres for the regular time they give each week to help the Sisters-in-Charge of Centres. This help is very greatly appreciated; it would be extremely difficult for the Sisters-in-Charge of busy Centres to give adequate time in advising mothers without this assistance of weighing the babies and carrying out other helpful Centre duties.

## LECTURING SISTER

The "Baby Health Centre of the Air" session, which has been sponsored by Pro-Vita Products through 3UZ Broadcasting Station, concluded on 24th April, 1953. This session was commenced in February, 1949, and 219 broadcasts were given during that period. Many letters have been received expressing interest and gratitude of these weekly broadcasts.

The Mothercraft classes in the schools have been very satisfactory and the head-mistresses and head-teachers of the schools are most appreciative of this course of lectures to the girls. There is no doubt whatsoever that this subject is of great interest to the girls. The project books compiled by the students during the course of lectures is indicative of their enthusiasm for Mothercraft.

Efforts have been made to eliminate travelling by having as many schools as possible in the same area on the same day, but this has not yet been entirely successful, although some improvement has been made.

The classes in some of the schools are very large but this is unavoidable.

Where excursions have been made to the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre, great interest has been shown in the babies and the equipment.

The State Film Centre has again made available the film—"Care of the New-born Baby," which has been shown at several schools.

There has been a considerable increase in the number of girls receiving Mothercraft tuition this year.

Number of schools visited—44. (A number of the larger schools have two, three and four classes). A total of 2,548 girls received tuition in Mothercraft during the year.

Certificates ..... 1948

Passed ..... 320

Failed ..... 280



The following schools were visited during the year: —

Convent F.C.J., Vacluse, Richmond.  
St. Columba's College, Essendon.  
Convent of Mercy, Fitzroy.  
Emily McPherson, College of Domestic Economy.  
J. H. Boyd College of Domestic Economy.  
Swinburne Technical College.  
Box Hill Girls' Technical School.  
Brighton Girls' Technical School.  
Ivanhoe Girls' Grammar School.  
Methodist Ladies' College.  
Fintona Girls' School.  
Shelford (C. of E.) Girls' Grammar School.  
Firbank (C. of E.) Girls' Grammar School.  
Camberwell (C. of E.) Girls' Grammar School.  
Stratherne Girls' School.  
St. Margaret Mary's School, Brunswick.

**High Schools**—Coburg, Essendon, University, Williamstown,  
MacRobertson Girls'.

**Girls' Secondary Schools**—Richmond, Williamstown, Preston,  
East Camberwell, Collingwood, Fitzroy, Footscray, Flem-  
ington, Brunswick, Malvern.

**Central Schools**—North Fitzroy, Toorak, Gardiner, East Mal-  
vern, Auburn, Hawthorn West, Middle Park, Mont  
Albert, Westgarth, East Kew, Moonee Ponds.

**State Schools**—Northcote Modern and Glenferrie.

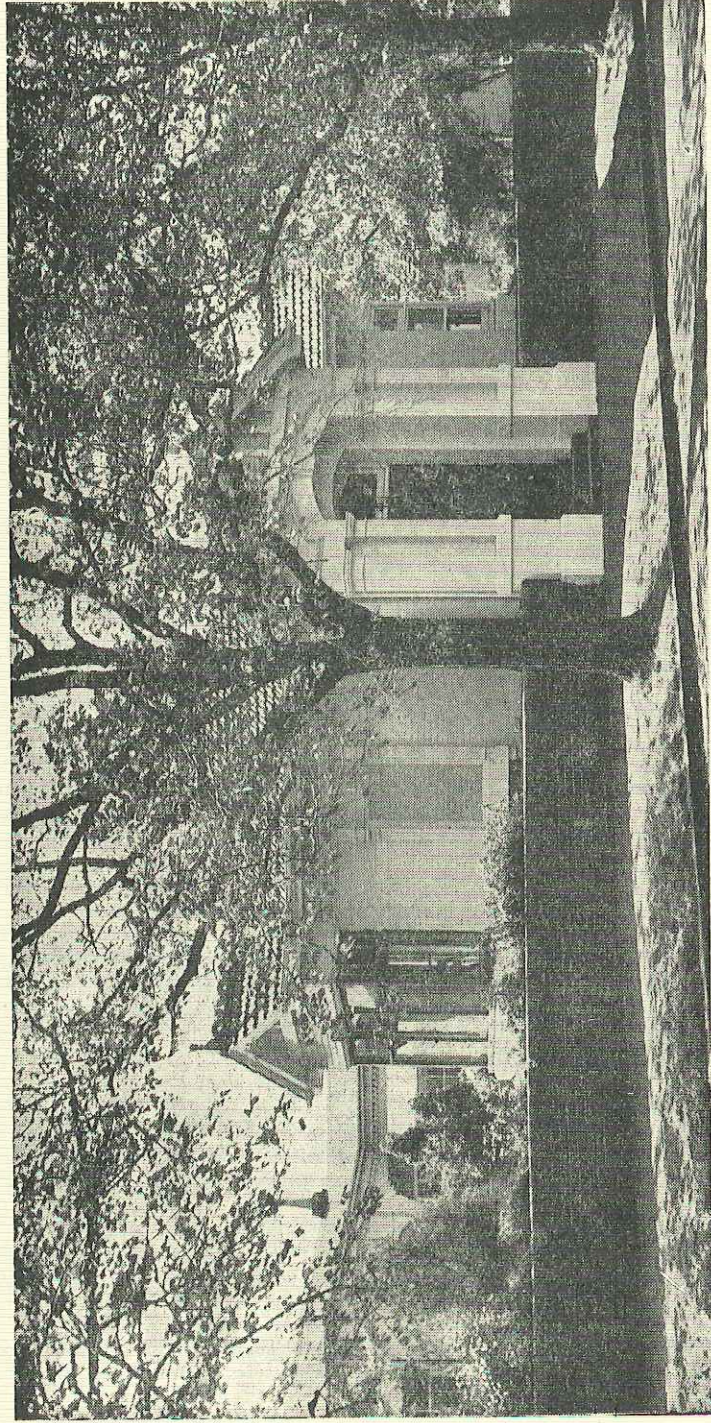
The Grail, Tay Craggen, Hawthorn.

Individual Lectures have been given to North Balwyn Presby-  
terian Briar Club and Home makers' Class at Emily McPherson  
College.

The Council of the Association pioneered the giving of Mother-  
craft Lectures to Schools in 1922, and has carried on this work ever  
since with a full-time Sister. The Service is financed from the  
Voluntary Funds of the Association.

The Council values Sister G. Mole's work as Lecturing Sister,  
and the many letters in appreciation of her work and personality  
are a testimony of the wonderful work she is carrying out in the  
Schools.





The Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre.



## THE QUEEN ELIZABETH MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH CENTRE

The year has been a particularly busy one. In this new building it has been possible to double our former training functions in Infant Welfare and Mothercraft and to almost quadruple the residential care given to Nursing Mothers, and to the many delicate frail little infants, including premature ones, who are referred to this institution from all parts of the State.

### ADMISSIONS TO THE NURSING MOTHERS' WING AND INFANTS' HOSPITAL

Breast-fed babies .....	207
Nursing Mothers .....	205
Artificially fed babies .....	73
Premature Babies .....	32
Total number of babies admitted .....	280
Total admission of mothers and babies .....	485

**Nursing Mothers' Wing.**—In this wing mothers not only receive help if experiencing difficulty with natural feeding, but are taught the care and management of their infants.

Many mothers are transferred to the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre for extra rest and care from the Maternity Hospitals. All mothers that have been in residence have expressed their appreciation of the wonderful help given to them, and their delight that there is such a place for them to come to for rest, care and alleviation of their difficulties.

Highly successful results with breast feeding are being achieved through the work of this section of the institution.

**Infants' Hospital Section.**—In this section skilled attention is being given to premature, frail and delicate babies—little babies who would rapidly go downhill if they did not receive this expert care often required for long periods. They leave the hospital as bright, bonny babies with a firm hold on life.

**Training Functions.**—Training of Baby Health Centre Sisters and Mothercraft Nurses is an important work of the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre. These highly trained Nurses take skilled advice to countless mothers all over the State.

**Infant Welfare Trainees.**—Thirty-four (34) Sisters were trained in Infant Welfare during the year. A total of 818 Infant Welfare Sisters have been trained since the inception of the movement.

Twenty-one (21) Infant Welfare Sisters have been given special Refresher Courses in Infant Welfare during the year.

The following prizes have been awarded during the year:

“The Sir Herbert and Lady Olney” prizes, given to the trainee in each Term considered most suitable for Baby Health Centre work:—

First Term—Sister Judy Richardson.

Second Term—Sister Beryl Murray.

Third Term—Sister Myrtle Brien.

“The Margaret White” prize awarded to the trainee considered best in the year has been awarded to Sister Beryl Murray.

The Council is grateful to the donors of these prizes, and congratulates the winners on their success.

Fifty (50) Medical Students attended during the year special lectures and demonstrations in Infant Feeding and Management.

Eight (8) Mothercraft Trainees are in residence for the fifteen months' course in Mothercraft.

Dr. Campbell continues her work as Senior Medical Officer to the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre.

Dr. Elizabeth Turner continues her work of lecturing to the Infant Welfare and Mothercraft trainees.

Dr. Norrene Nicholson assists as Assistant Paediatrician to the institution.

Dr. Mary Fraser conducts the weekly clinic to trainees in the “Baby Health Centre.” Infant Welfare trainees from the Tweedie Baby Hospital have been granted leave to attend these special teaching clinics of Dr. Fraser's.

Dr. Fraser is also medical officer in charge of the Nursing Mothers' Wing, and the Council is especially grateful to her for the time she devotes to the successful establishment of breast-feeding, amongst the mothers in residence—and for the co-operation she receives from the members of the nursing staff.

Dr. Winifred Kennan continues her lectures on “Ante-Natal Care” to Infant Welfare trainees.

Dr. T. Seward gives monthly lectures on “Preventive Dental Care” to the Trainees and to the mothers in residence and attending the Baby Health Centre.

Special lectures on the Pre-school Child have been given by Miss Stubbs of the Public Health Department, and visits to the “Lady Gowrie Centre” have been paid by the Trainees.

The Council greatly appreciates the work of Dr. Alan McCutcheon in so generously giving his time to look after any sick members of the staff.



Nursing lectures and demonstrations are carried out by the Matron and her Nursing Staff, and Dr. Doris Officer continues to give the lectures on "Public Speaking" to the Trainees.

The Council appreciates the work carried out by the medical officers and lecturers, and the time they devote to this work.

Miss M. C. Grant resigned in December last as Matron and Mrs. B. C. Winter-Irving was appointed Matron, and took up this position the beginning of March, 1953.

The Council greatly appreciates the excellent work carried out by the Assistant Matron, Miss E. M. Buxton, and Sister G. Stott, who carried on the work at the Queen Elizabeth so ably pending the new Matron being free to take up her appointment.

The Council appreciates the excellent work carried out at the institution by Matron and her Nursing Staff. They have been untiring in their efforts to promote the happiness and well-being of the mothers and infants in residence, and in maintaining a high standard of training for the Trainees.

Prizes were donated by the Hon. Secretary, Dr. Doris officer, for the Mothercraft Trainees making the best "Baby's Layette," during her course. The first prize was awarded to Nurse Gillian Mackeddie and the second prize to Nurse Mavis McCandlish.

All layettes were of a very good standard.

A visit was paid to the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre by members of the Obstetric Section of the Royal Victorian College of Nursing.

The Council appreciates the appointment of Mr. George Winwood, a member of the Business Men's Committee, to the Committee of Management of the Queen Elizabeth Centre. Mr. Winwood's help has been invaluable to the Committee in regard to maintenance and other problems connected with the running of the institution. The Council appreciates the time he gives so generously to this work.

The Annual Re-union of Sisters in Charge of Centres and past trainees of the Association was held on December 20th, at the Queen Elizabeth Centre. A large gathering of Sisters were present and had the opportunity of meeting the Association's new President, Sir Leslie McConnan, and Lady McConnan.

The Council deeply appreciates the generosity of "Tongala Milk Products," Manufacturers of "Mont Blanc" sweetened and unsweetened condensed milk. This firm supplies all the institution's requirements for these products free of charge. A gift that is much valued.

The Council expresses its appreciation to all members of the domestic staff for their loyal and efficient work during the year. The smooth running of this side of the institution is so important for the successful work of the Queen Elizabeth Centre.

### QUEEN ELIZABETH BABY HEALTH CENTRE

This Centre gives daily advice to many mothers living in the vicinity, and visits are also paid to the homes of the mothers.

The Sister in charge, Sister Mesley, is not only responsible for the routine running of the Centre itself, but also for the practical training of the Infant Welfare Trainees in Centre work. The Council is grateful to Sister Mesley for her excellent work in this connection during the year, and has also appreciated the interest she has taken in developing the garden around the Centre building, which has added so much to its attractiveness.

### CENTRE ATTENDANCES

Total attendances for the year .....	4,444
New Entries on roll .....	277
Total attendances babies (under two years) .....	3,864
Total attendances of Children (over two years) .....	447
Number of individual babies (under two years) .....	398
Number of individual children (over two years) .....	119
Callers up to six years .....	133
Number of consultations to expectant mothers .....	119
Number of visits to homes .....	1,268
Number of letters for advice received and answered .....	35
Group demonstrations .....	12
Telephone consultations .....	471

These figures are all higher than those for the preceding year.

Sister Mesley and her staff have given co-operation to the Melbourne City Council in its campaign for diphtheria immunisation, and have organised the smooth running of the monthly immunisation sessions, carried out by the Council's medical officer. Assistance is also given to Dr. Broderick, Child Welfare Medical Officer, for the City of Melbourne, at her medical clinics at the Queen Elizabeth Baby Health Centre.

Many visits have been paid to the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre by overseas visitors during the year. All have been deeply interested in its work and impressed by its attractiveness.



## SPECIAL GIFTS TO MOTHERCRAFT HOME,

July, 1952, to June, 1953

- Camberwell Baby Health Centre Committee—Jams and Preserves.  
Miss Flockhart—3 Baby Rugs.  
Mrs. Metcalfe—Jumper.  
Mrs. Birch—Clothes Wringer.  
Mr. McDermott (Football Club)—Provisions.  
Dr. Elizabeth Turner—Project Book by Sister Frances M. Smith.  
Sister E. Tregenza—Book, "Baby and Child Care" (for Mothercraft Nurses.)  
Mr. Marsh—Pram.  
Tongala Milk Products—1 case unsweetened milk, 1 case sweetened milk.  
Carnation Milk Co.—1 case unsweetened milk, 1 case sweetened milk.  
Past Girls' Association (Ivanhoe Girls' Grammar School)—Christmas Toys.  
Art School—Christmas Toys.  
Mr. Saunders—Christmas Toys.  
"Anon"—Christmas Toys.  
"Gran"—Christmas Toys.  
Sister G. Stott—Basket of Plums.  
Nursing Staff, Queen Elizabeth Centre—Curtains for Chapel and Ironing Board.  
Queen's College—Flowers.  
S. Rosenfield—Pineapples and Bananas.  
Mrs. Keith—10/-.  
Tinambra Infant Welfare Centre—10/-.  
Mrs. Leymann—£2/19/-.  
Sister Gwyther—Woollies.  
Miss Olive Egerton—Woollies.  
Mrs. Baker—Woollies.  
Woollies Appeal—Woollies.

## "MOTHERS AND FATHERS' WORKING BEE"

Through the interest and keenness of Sisters Mesley, Stott, Tregenza and Dent, a group of mothers and fathers have become interested in the Queen Elizabeth Centre, and with some of their friends, have formed a "Working Bee" to help put the grounds in order around the Centre and Mothers' Wing. They have worked on Saturday afternoon periodically and have already effected a great improvement in the grounds. The fathers have worked on preparing the lawns whilst the mothers have re-painted some of the garden furniture.

The Council greatly values this wonderful assistance in getting the grounds of the institution in better order. To have "Friends of the Queen Elizabeth Centre" like these mothers and fathers is most encouraging, and what we greatly need.

## ARMADALE SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Young Jewish Men's Society formed the Armadale Square Dance Club during the year to raise funds for the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre. The Club meets weekly on Monday nights at the Prahran Town Hall.

The Council deeply appreciates the interest and help that this Square Dance Club is giving to the Queen Elizabeth Centre. Dr. Doris Officer, Hon. Secretary, has visited the Club on two occasions, one being "Coronation Eve," when a gala night was held.

Members of the Young Jewish Men's Society visited the Queen Elizabeth Centre during the year to see its work for the mothers and babies.

## BUSINESS MEN'S COMMITTEE OF THE QUEEN ELIZABETH MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CENTRE

The Council greatly valued the formation at the beginning of the year of a Business Men's Committee, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Bruce S. Leahey, M.B.E., to raise funds for the maintenance and development of the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre.

The Business Men's Committee have already organised a highly successful "Coronation Doll Pageant" held at the Myer Emporium for 3 weeks in May and early June. The Business Men's Committee handed to the Council £1,500 from this effort.

The Council is also deeply grateful to the Directors of the Myer Emporium for sponsoring this "Coronation Doll Pageant" and for allotting the necessary space for it, and for all their efforts to ensure its success.





V.B.H.C.A. Travelling Baby Health Centre



The Council appreciated the publicity afforded this special by the "Sun News Pictorial," and by the "Argus" and "Age" newspapers. It is wonderfully encouraging to the Association's Council to feel it has such a kindly interested and helpful Business Men's Committee behind it in its work for the Mothers and Babies, and especially to assist in furtherance of the work carried out at the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre.

**TRAVELLING BABY HEALTH CENTRE  
(MALLEE DISTRICT)**

This service has been on the road sixteen years, and was the pioneer Travelling Baby Health Service in Australia.

A successful year's work is reported.

**ATTENDANCES FOR THE YEAR**

New entries on roll .....	312
Individual babies (under 2 years) .....	542
Individual children (over 2 years) .....	174
Total number of individual babies and children .....	716
Total attendances numbered .....	3,954
Total attendances babies (under 2 years) .....	3,421
Total attendances children (over 2 years) .....	500

Callers up to 6 years .....	33
Number of consultations expectant mothers .....	40
Telephone consultations .....	9
Visits to homes .....	147

Attendances have been good, though slightly less than last year's figures. The general health of the babies has been good.

Various changes in staff have occurred during the year. Sister Hewish and Sister Zeuschner were in charge of the Centre the latter part of last year and Sister Metcalfe relieved for a month in December.

Present Sisters in Charge are Sister H. Harney and Sister W. Zeuschner.

The Council deeply appreciates the wonderful work that the Sisters in Charge of the Travelling Baby Health Centre are carrying out for the Mothers and Babies in the Mallee, often under difficult travelling conditions.



### SWAN HILL MOBILE UNIT

New entries on the roll .....	141
Individual babies (under 2 years) .....	239
Individual children (over 2 years) .....	27
Total number of individual babies and children .....	296
Total attendances numbered .....	1,684
Total attendances babies (under 2 years) .....	1,531
Total attendances children (over 2 years) .....	84
Callers up to 6 years .....	69
Number of consultations expectant mothers .....	15
Telephone consultations .....	9
Visits to homes .....	73

This service is in charge of Sister D. J. Wilkinson, whose headquarters are at Manangatang.

### LECTURES IN MOTHERCRAFT—COUNTRY DISTRICTS

In addition to the Lectures in Mothercraft supplied to Schools in the Metropolitan area, many Sisters in Charge of Baby Health Centres in the country have given lectures in their districts to senior school girls.

Infant Welfare Sisters in country areas are giving these lectures at schools in their districts at:—Warrnambool, Casterton, Maryborough, Numurkah, Colac, Swan Hill, Tatura, Donald, Birchip, Werrimull, Manangatang and Daylesford.

The Association congratulates these Sisters on carrying out this splendid educational work in addition to their routine Centre work.

### CO-OPERATION

The Council wishes to express its appreciation for the interest, help and co-operation received from Dr. Meredith, Director of Maternal, Infant, and Pre-School Welfare (Victoria), and members of the Maternal and Child Hygiene Branch of the Public Health Department, during the year. The Council also expresses its appreciation of the interest and help received from Dr. Phillip Gilbert, Medical Officer of Health, City of Melbourne, and Dr. Broderick, Child Welfare Medical Officer, Melbourne City Council.

The Council thanks the Editors of the "Argus," "Age," "Herald" and "Sun" newspapers for their valuable publicity afforded during the year in regard to the Association's work.

The Council also appreciates the space given by the Editors of many country and suburban newspapers to this work.

The help of the press and broadcasting sections has been deeply appreciated by the Association.

### STATE GOVERNMENT

The Government subsidy paid to Municipalities with Baby Health Centres amounts to £350 per annum for each full-time Sister employed, and proportionately for each part-time Sister.

The subsidy towards the erection of Baby Health Centre buildings, which has recently been increased, is helpful and encouraging to local effort in raising funds for such buildings. The subsidy is now on a 2·1 basis up to £2,250.

The Association appreciates the increasing State Government interest in Maternal and Child Welfare work, evidenced by its increasing subsidies for this work.

The Council values the Government's continuance of the special grants to its Queen Elizabeth Mothercraft and Infant Welfare Training School. In view of increased costs occasioned by rises in salary rates and award conditions, over which the Committees responsible for running such institutions have no control, a high rate of subsidy is imperative if these institutions are to continue to function with any measure of freedom from financial anxiety.

The subsidy towards purchase of cars for Sisters in country districts, and the allotment of a grant towards their maintenance and depreciation is a very valuable contribution towards the success of Baby Health Centre work.

The Council appreciates the Government's interest in the Travelling Baby Health Centre service, and the subsidy allotted to assist its maintenance. This has been on the basis of half the salary for full-time Sisters appointed to this work. All other expenses are borne by the Association from funds voluntarily made available for the purpose.

The increased Government Grant to Shire Councils in respect to payment to Travelling Baby Health Centre Services in their districts provided the Councils increase their Grant by 100 per cent. is very much appreciated. This increase dates from July, 1949, and is of the greatest assistance to the maintenance of the Travelling Centre service.

### MUNICIPAL AND SHIRE COUNCILS

Municipal and Shire Councils continue to take an active interest in the Centres and in the extension of this Service in their districts. The Councils have been responsible for the erection of many fine buildings. Further ones are contemplated in many districts as soon



as funds and the Government subsidy are available. Councils are frequently helped by funds raised by their Baby Health Centre Committees in erecting their buildings, and many Committees have quite large sums in hand for this purpose. Their funds will be greatly assisted by the Government subsidy when such is obtainable.

Councils bear all the maintenance costs of their Centres, and the cost of the Sister's salary, aided by the Government subsidy of £350 for each full-time Sister employed, or proportionately for those employed part-time. The award rate for Infant Welfare Sisters is now £14/3/- with an additional payment of 15/- per week if required to use any certificate or certificates other than—

- (a) General Nursing Certificate.
- (b) Infant Welfare Certificate.

A uniform allowance of 3/6 per week is also payable under the award.

Some Councils provide cars for their Sisters' use in visiting and travelling between sub-Centres.

In many country districts, especially those unserved or sparsely served by train or bus services, a car is a necessity for the Sister to facilitate her transport from one Centre to another to carry on her work in part-time Centres, or to save her time when visiting the mothers in their homes.

The Council is grateful to those Municipal Councils who support the work of the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre with regular donations each year.

The Council appreciates the action of the Shires of Walpeup, Wycheproof, Karkaroc, Swan Hill and Kerang in increasing the subsidies made to keep the Travelling Baby Health Centre in the Mallee in operation. This has been of great value in assisting the Association to maintain this service with its greatly increased maintenance costs these days.

### WASTE PAPER

The Association has continued to benefit each month by contributions received from the sale of Waste Paper, the collection of waste paper being carried out by the Hospitals and Charities Waste Paper Appeal Committee.

The Association asks all those interested in helping its work to collect paper and make it available to the "Hospitals and Charities Waste Paper Appeal," in which the Association shares.

### HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES COMMISSION

The Council records its thanks to the Hospitals and Charities Commission for their helpful grants during the year; they have been of great assistance in maintaining the work of the Queen

Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre. The sums received under the Hospital Benefits Act are also of great value. The Council would like to record its warm appreciation of the interest and always helpful advice given during the year by Mr. C. N. McVilly, Chairman of the Commission. The Association looks forward to a close co-operation with the new members of the Commission in the future development of the new Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre in Carlton.

### FINANCE

The Council desires to thank all those who have so generously contributed financial support for its many Maternal and Child Welfare activities during the year. These donations have been of great benefit to the Association's work.

The Council specially thanks the Trustees of the Alfred Felton Estate, Alfred Edments' Estate, Edward Wilson Estate, Henry Gyles Turner Estate, T. J. Sumner Estate, C. R. S. Ogg Estate, Thomas Baker (Kodak), Alice Baker and Eleanor Shaw Benefactions, the David Syme Charitable Trust, the H. V. McKay Charitable Trust, the Walter & Eliza Hall Trust, for their very generous grants towards the funds of the Association.

Donations are gratefully acknowledged from Australian Bank Officials Association, State Savings Bank Officers' Association, Merbein Baby Health Centre, Camberwell Girls' Secondary School, Nursing Staff Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre, Kraft Walker Cheese Company, Pro-Vita Products, Messrs. John Danks & Son Pty. Ltd., Messrs. Murray More Pty. Ltd., Messrs. Joe White Maltings Ltd., Sea Lake Little Theatre Group, Woome-lang Senior Young Farmers' Group, Sea Lake Tennis Club, Hope-toun Fire Brigade Social Club, Torrita Mothers' Club, Vacuum Oil Co., Mr. & Mrs. Carson, Messrs. Frankenberg, Goldsworthy & Schumann, Mesdames McCutcheon, Strong, Swinburne & Wood, Cr. D. Ellen Weeks, Dr. D. Officer, Miss Grace Turner.

Donations received through the Lord Mayor's Fund:—Victoria Palace Ltd., City of Box Hill, Mr. & Mrs. L. Moran, Mr. H. J. Moss, Swallow & Ariell Ltd., Haigh Bros., Gippsland & Northern Co-op. Company, Michaelis, Hallestein & Co., Melbourne Textile Knitting Co. Pty. Ltd.

Donations received from Municipal Councils:—Colac, Collingwood, Dimboola, Moorabbin, Mount Rouse, Otway Shire, Port Melbourne, Sandringham, South Melbourne, St. Kilda, are gratefully acknowledged.

Country Women's Association Branches at Hopetoun, Patchewollock, Culgoa, Heidelberg, Sea Lake, Ultima, Daylesford, are sincerely thanked for their donations.

The following Schools have kindly sent donations in appreciation of Lectures on "Mothercraft," Box Hill Girls' School, Bruns-



wick Girls' School, Camberwell Church of England Girls' Grammar School, Convent F.C.J. Vacluse, Emily MacPherson College of Domestic Economy, Footscray Girls' School, Preston Girls' School, Williamstown Girls' Secondary School.

## REPORT OF BUSINESS MEN'S COMMITTEE OF THE QUEEN ELIZABETH MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CENTRE

The Business Men's Committee formed early this year by Mr. Bruce S. Leahey, M.B.E. (Chairman of last year's Appeal), to help the Association with the maintenance of the Queen Elizabeth Maternal and Child Health Centre, has now got nicely under way.

Through the kindness of Mr. R. E. Hodgkinson, the Manager—Mr. Brian N. Strachan and his Secretary—Miss Faye Doughton, have the use of an office in Mr. Hodgkinson's suite on the first floor, Room 8, of the Block, Collins Street, Melbourne. Phone No. Cent. 1766.

Although the direct giving angle has not been neglected, more concentration has been put upon the organisation of special functions of a profitable nature. The Doll Parade held in May-June last at The Myer Emporium proved a great success. We know lots thought we were wasting our time on dolls, but over 30,000 people passed through the Pageant, and we have Mr. Norman Myer's assurance to hold it annually and in a bigger and better location. This can and will be made one of Melbourne's biggest annual charitable events. From the experience of our first effort it would seem that many of the Baby Health Centres did not realise the great possibilities of winning the Special Baby Health Centre Prize of £100. Only eighteen entries were received sponsored by Baby Health Centres, and a lot of these (evidently thinking the prize went on the judging) did not raise any monies (Votes) for their entry. Of course it was the Centre that raised the greatest amount of money, in other words, votes, that won the £100. The Maffra Centre won this prize by raising £26/18/6, which meant 2,154 votes at 3d. each. Next year it is hoped that the entries from the Centres throughout the State will be worthy of the prize offered, and that they will work for the doll they sponsor. As shown by Maffra's effort a small amount collected in anyway you may desire and forwarded in Votes for your doll can win your Centre the big prize.

The Business Men's Committee wish to thank the ladies of the various Centres, who by their efforts helped to make the Pageant such a success.

The Committee in conjunction with St. John Ambulance Brigade and the South Melbourne Community Chest, have been working for some time arranging Motor Cycle and Car Races at the Fishermen's Bend Aerodrome on October 3rd and 4th next, when the Victorian Championships will be raced for. Dates have also been fixed for a similar Meeting in March of 1954.

Application has been made to the Trotting Control Board for an allocation from their charity meetings for the Queen Elizabeth, and the Secretary—Mr. Alan Dunn, has now generously indicated that the Business Men's Committee will participate in a charity meeting distribution early in 1954.

The Committee was successful in obtaining a share in the Sun No. 4 "Find the Football" Competition, and a cheque for £844/3/4 has been forwarded to the Queen Elizabeth. Our thanks to the Sun News-Pictorial once again for their help.

The Jewish Young Men's Society have through the Armadale Square Dance Club helped the Business Men's Committee and the Queen Elizabeth considerably over the past six months. Our thanks to these great workers for charity.

The "Better Food Exhibition" to be held at the Exhibition Buildings in Jan.-Feb., 1955, is being organised by the Business Men's Committee and the Food Technology Association of Victoria, in association with the Chamber of Manufacturers. Proceeds from the Exhibition to go to the Queen Elizabeth. This promises to be one of the biggest Exhibitions of the year and will be held annually. A great deal of organisation will be required, and although the Exhibition is some eighteen months ahead a great amount of ground work has already been done, and it will require steady and hard work from now on.

A cheque for £1,500 has already been paid by the Business Men's Committee to the Queen Elizabeth, and with the cheque forwarded for £844/3/4 from the Sun Ball, will make a total of £2,344/3/4 for the Institution from the Business Men's Committee in less than eight months.

As previously stated the inaugural period of any organisation is always the most difficult, and we are looking forward to a very successful and lucrative future.

BRUCE S. LEAHEY, Chairman.

BRIAN N. STRACHAN, Manager.

## CONCLUSION

In conclusion the Council sincerely thanks the Sisters of the Association for their loyal and faithful service, which means so much to the welfare of the mothers and babies in Victoria.



The Council especially thanks the Secretary, Miss M. G. Lummis, for the work she has undertaken during the year.

The future of medicine lies in the prevention of sickness and ill-health. The foundations of health are laid in infancy and early childhood, and in safeguarding the health of our mothers. Increased funds are urgently needed to further our preventive medical services. The "price of health" is what we need, it is infinitely less for the community to pay than the cost of sickness.

LESLIE S. McCONNAN, President.

DORIS L. OFFICER, Hon. Secretary.



## Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

### ANNUAL RETURNS, YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1952

Individual Babies attended Centres under 2 years 67,480  
 Individual Children over 2 years 21,671  
 Individual Expectant Mothers advised 4,133

Total Attendances of Babies at Centres under 2 years 685,120  
 Total Attendances of Children over 2 years 92,519  
 Total Attendances of Callers up to 6 years 8,681  
 Total No. of Visits paid by Sisters to Homes 76,549

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Municipality	Centres	Individual Babies at Centres Under 2 years.	Individual Children at Centres over 2 years.	Total Attendances Babies under 2 years	Total Attendances Children over 2 years.	Callers up to 6 years	Visits to Homes	Individual Expectant Mothers Advised
Alexandra	Alexandra	200	28	1609	168	39	996	52
	Ararat	327	39	3719	39	51	700	—
	Lake Bolac	26	3	267	20	2	19	—
	Pomonal	5	9	53	10	—	14	—
	Streatham	25	—	285	—	3	10	—
	Wickliffe	18	—	174	—	3	43	—
	Willaura	47	—	333	—	2	10	—
	Yalla-y-poorra	15	5	147	32	13	79	3
	Avoca	76	32	722	180	1	32	13
	Tatyoan	18	2	104	2	3	86	19
Avoca	Avoca	18	49	602	127	27	392	39
	Landsborough	74	—	1496	361	59	271	1
	Stratford	143	111	2746	279	16	115	18
	Bacchus Marsh	237	62	341	126	102	644	28
	Bairnsdale	39	27	6205	363	19	1072	5
	Ballan	590	54	4987	1277	32	260	—
	Ballarat	568	386	2050	606	—	—	—
	Ballarat East	148	122	—	—	—	—	—
	Ballarat North	—	—	—	—	—	—	—



Ballarat	Buninyong	28	17	170	59	—	45	2
	Creswick	80	31	557	103	7	82	—
Bass	Sebastopol	118	45	1527	304	14	123	7
	Wonthaggi North	24	9	323	47	1	87	—
Beechworth	Beechworth	103	25	1195	70	17	40	—
Bellarine	Drysdale	20	—	136	—	—	—	—
	Ocean Grove	31	11	395	53	30	32	6
Belfast	Portarlington	37	7	380	21	12	18	—
	Yambuk	16	10	163	45	5	24	—
Benalla	Benalla	443	107	4093	655	10	535	5
Bendigo	Bendigo	1124	258	10382	699	177	1073	43
	Golden Square	113	58	1536	343	10	143	3
Berwick	Hallam Street	157	80	1766	492	61	263	3
	Berwick	64	42	395	229	4	56	1
Birchip	Bunyip	143	68	539	241	8	67	1
	Garfield	42	6	317	44	17	39	1
Box Hill	Gembrook	25	5	186	9	—	10	—
	Nar-Nar-Goon	37	16	232	51	6	39	—
Brighton	Officer	15	2	120	3	7	11	—
	Pakenham East	106	60	975	380	35	157	1
Broadmeadows	Tynong	25	2	149	11	3	59	1
	Birchip	59	21	791	392	17	140	18
Box Hill	Box Hill	847	148	9919	1915	39	656	210
	Box Hill South	439	131	4294	702	60	330	36
Brighton	Florence Road, Surrey Hills	164	112	2289	551	66	156	15
	Friend Street, Box Hill	104	55	1038	190	29	181	13
Brighton	Brighton Beach	218	40	2342	82	21	330	13
	Brighton East	498	64	5664	544	24	243	30
Broadmeadows	Brighton North	501	54	4952	265	8	347	28
	Brighton, Cross Street	169	32	1918	93	8	156	4
Broadmeadows	Broadmeadows East	27	6	198	46	22	39	3
	Glenroy	152	35	1532	181	12	127	5
Broadmeadows	Pascoe Vale	131	41	1213	143	8	232	6
	Strathmore	136	42	1291	188	6	242	1

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Brunswick	Brunswick (Town Hall)	463	242	5404	1056	45	454	24
	Brunswick East	777	254	8541	1134	4	293	45
Buln Buln	Brunswick West	670	339	7616	1878	225	416	30
	Drouin	163	73	1377	399	17	311	23
Camberwell	Longwarry	54	30	462	97	12	96	2
	Neerim Junction	20	9	114	35	1	62	1
Camberwell	Neerim South	27	9	184	30	2	43	2
	Noojee	49	29	463	107	6	55	2
Camberwell	Balwyn	573	80	5628	559	41	206	21
	Burwood	561	72	5990	423	15	289	27
Castlemaine	Camberwell	487	232	5834	546	75	207	94
	Camberwell South	179	62	2178	320	36	177	22
Caulfield	Canterbury	375	76	3524	197	22	192	22
	Glen Iris	598	179	6612	576	59	289	24
Caulfield	Surrey Hills (The Gardens)	236	72	2620	195	19	105	19
	Town Hall	384	113	3625	364	46	1049	28
Charlton	Carnegie	256	30	4294	474	—	278	19
	Caulfield	2216	654	8182	385	69	737	115
Chelsea	Murrumbeena	450	68	4858	423	43	161	31
	Ormond	440	114	5186	541	53	331	43
Chiltern	Charlton	138	79	1585	296	59	81	3
	Aspendale	101	20	1260	64	9	88	8
Cohuna	Carrum	130	10	1398	108	5	98	7
	Chiltern	523	51	6605	201	30	500	14
Colac	Chiltern	62	23	579	128	17	—	2
	Cohuna	150	94	1596	346	46	855	22
Colac	Gunbower	35	18	322	86	10	19	2
	Leitchville	48	27	352	125	14	—	5
Colac	Alvie	16	9	108	34	2	16	—
	Beeac	23	16	209	75	5	34	3
Cororooke	Colac	626	283	5254	994	144	892	14
	Cororooke	43	32	405	86	9	44	4
Cressy	Cressy	20	8	197	19	4	11	1
	Pirron Yallock	8	4	35	6	8	14	—

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	Swan Marsh .. . . .	9	5	34	21	3	10	—
Collingwood .. . . .	Collingwood .. . . .	534	175	4979	522	6	491	7
	Clifton Hill .. . . .	197	124	2759	289	22	351	—
Corio .. . . .	Geelong North .. . . .	43	24	779	219	3	63	—
	Lara Lake .. . . .	20	—	165	—	—	7	—
	Norlane .. . . .	146	10	2094	22	20	339	2
Cranbourne .. . . .	Carrum Downs .. . . .	12	8	131	19	6	25	2
	Clyde .. . . .	15	12	107	28	4	30	2
	Cranbourne .. . . .	39	27	372	48	9	129	10
	Koo-Wee-Rup .. . . .	75	41	762	154	14	103	9
	Lang Lang .. . . .	48	48	345	260	15	31	4
	Pearcedale .. . . .	12	11	86	26	3	52	2
	Tooradin .. . . .	22	11	234	47	7	42	3
Daylesford .. . . .	Daylesford .. . . .	162	33	1652	70	34	257	13
Dimboola .. . . .	Dimboola Circuit .. . . .	308	176	3222	757	23	317	26
Donald .. . . .	Donald .. . . .	56	50	947	448	31	139	7
	Watchem .. . . .	19	11	360	158	8	30	3
Doncaster and Templestowe .. . . .	Doncaster East .. . . .	78	16	782	122	7	11	12
	Templestowe .. . . .	39	7	433	72	3	13	4
	Warrandyte .. . . .	86	33	1008	291	15	100	14
Dookie .. . . .	Dookie .. . . .	31	12	193	78	3	—	—
Eaglehawk .. . . .	Eaglehawk .. . . .	157	75	2272	451	26	236	7
Echuca .. . . .	Echuca .. . . .	335	113	2669	313	153	793	15
Eltham .. . . .	Eltham .. . . .	163	47	1675	273	6	—	12
	Hurstbridge .. . . .	61	29	410	101	5	—	7
	Yarra Glen .. . . .	21	7	134	22	2	77	—
Essendon .. . . .	Aberfeldie .. . . .	252	10	2509	23	8	90	3
	Ascot Vale .. . . .	555	175	5801	329	24	229	16
	Essendon North .. . . .	825	269	8258	717	39	488	21
	Moonee Ponds .. . . .	692	180	4400	319	13	371	5
Euroa .. . . .	Euroa .. . . .	184	173	2184	726	50	509	38
Ferntree Gully .. . . .	Bayswater .. . . .	97	55	1221	223	19	271	24
	Belgrave .. . . .	225	43	2028	248	78	86	21
	Belgrave Heights .. . . .	40	14	391	107	3	30	6

	Boronia .. . . .	208	58	2126	240	31	581	17
	Emerald .. . . .	70	18	593	79	9	38	3
	Ferntree Gully .. . . .	171	20	1572	168	7	97	14
	Monbulk .. . . .	61	31	701	147	27	101	1
	Sassafras .. . . .	52	21	440	77	27	106	4
	The Basin .. . . .	39	44	657	110	17	112	3
	Ferntree Gully Upper .. . . .	76	7	612	27	1	50	3
	Upwey .. . . .	105	33	849	131	2	46	5
Fitzroy .. . . .	Fitzroy .. . . .	508	56	5946	749	37	432	37
	Fitzroy North .. . . .	423	150	5159	604	40	272	11
Frankston .. . . .	Seaford .. . . .	123	22	1478	80	15	141	6
Geelong .. . . .	Geelong (McKillop Street) .. . . .	471	65	4497	355	42	541	18
	Geelong (St. Albans Road) .. . . .	173	12	1649	26	12	119	3
Geelong West .. . . .	Geelong West .. . . .	373	156	4659	576	81	378	30
	Manifold Heights .. . . .	185	33	2271	98	8	35	5
Gisborne .. . . .	Gisborne .. . . .	37	9	361	26	13	117	—
Glenelg .. . . .	Casterton Circuit .. . . .	198	103	2119	456	13	224	8
	Merino .. . . .	31	35	315	144	4	12	4
Glenlyon .. . . .	Hepburn Springs .. . . .	36	5	322	6	8	109	1
Gordon .. . . .	Boort .. . . .	88	48	925	165	23	66	2
Grenville .. . . .	Linton .. . . .	22	17	182	67	7	8	2
Hamilton .. . . .	Hamilton .. . . .	550	216	4243	836	213	1064	30
Hampden .. . . .	Camperdown .. . . .	216	114	2075	632	38	528	8
	Derrinalum .. . . .	24	12	174	45	3	26	—
	Lismore .. . . .	48	22	253	71	4	33	—
	Terang .. . . .	221	110	1875	528	11	310	6
Hawthorn .. . . .	Auburn .. . . .	905	158	4789	475	50	500	29
	Hawthorn .. . . .	450	100	4719	272	129	322	—
Healesville .. . . .	Healesville .. . . .	133	45	1275	285	16	149	11
	Marysville .. . . .	60	20	513	38	7	156	10
	Toolangi .. . . .	14	10	114	43	—	96	3
Heidelberg .. . . .	Alphington .. . . .	143	116	2159	442	12	429	31
	Diamond Creek .. . . .	38	15	369	96	1	29	3
	Fairfield .. . . .	430	187	5525	589	101	740	43



	Greensborough .. . . .	356	132	3033	597	10	444	41
	Heidelberg .. . . .	436	26	3505	168	7	441	28
	Heidelberg West .. . . .	348	55	3016	253	4	398	21
	Ivanhoe .. . . .	599	190	5512	1240	—	727	70
	Ivanhoe East .. . . .	180	99	2267	399	15	432	42
Heytesbury .. . . .	Cobden .. . . .	112	21	1070	61	9	44	—
	Timboon .. . . .	58	2	530	5	—	—	—
Huntly .. . . .	Elmore .. . . .	46	20	459	36	5	—	—
	Goornong .. . . .	12	—	136	—	2	3	2
Kara Kara .. . . .	St. Arnaud .. . . .	206	232	2495	723	77	520	20
Karkarooc .. . . .	Beulah .. . . .	55	10	508	65	16	66	9
Keilor .. . . .	Keilor .. . . .	15	2	154	25	1	75	—
Kerang .. . . .	Barham (N.S.W.) .. . . .	58	—	409	—	27	—	1
	Kerang .. . . .	301	74	2860	200	128	444	12
	Koondrook .. . . .	26	—	146	—	5	—	—
	Quambatook .. . . .	38	13	279	26	4	—	5
	Murrabit .. . . .	24	8	184	42	8	—	—
Kew .. . . .	Kew .. . . .	574	149	6604	633	14	295	59
	Kew East .. . . .	632	132	7051	1574	40	207	9
	Kew North .. . . .	158	109	2089	772	24	201	15
Koroit .. . . .	Koroit .. . . .	66	21	616	156	22	129	—
Korong .. . . .	Korong Vale .. . . .	33	18	265	32	6	19	1
	Wedderburn .. . . .	64	47	686	170	42	48	2
Korumburra .. . . .	Kongwak .. . . .	19	2	152	9	2	33	3
	Korumburra .. . . .	197	20	2328	195	62	423	6
	Loch .. . . .	36	8	516	64	11	35	2
	Nyora .. . . .	12	2	152	25	12	41	1
	Poowong .. . . .	39	2	488	15	11	69	2
	Strezlecki .. . . .	11	2	108	9	1	18	—
Lexton .. . . .	Lexton .. . . .	9	8	79	29	6	2	—
	Waubra .. . . .	26	10	219	48	1	2	—
Lilydale .. . . .	Croydon .. . . .	348	143	4322	477	—	251	18
	Lilydale .. . . .	120	64	1249	228	—	114	10
	Mt. Dandenong .. . . .	16	10	128	31	—	3	1

	Mt. Evelyn .. . . .	77	26	535	123	—	41	3
	Montrose .. . . .	40	15	286	46	—	32	8
	Seville .. . . .	18	8	137	27	—	20	1
	Silvan .. . . .	28	20	228	52	—	16	—
Maffra .. . . .	Wandin Yallock .. . . .	20	6	168	21	—	21	4
	Boisdale .. . . .	7	5	67	12	8	11	2
	Briagalong .. . . .	24	13	237	30	6	17	1
	Heyfield .. . . .	147	46	1456	195	9	106	9
	Maffra .. . . .	189	57	1742	234	25	149	7
	Newry .. . . .	17	4	123	17	1	18	1
	Tinamba .. . . .	10	7	102	16	—	11	1
Malvern .. . . .	Malvern (Barkly Avenue) .. . . .	820	182	5153	360	22	503	56
	Malvern East .. . . .	428	170	5437	808	54	404	47
	Malvern South .. . . .	515	131	5255	479	19	400	35
	Tooronga .. . . .	447	346	4672	1306	14	1190	117
Mansfield .. . . .	Mansfield .. . . .	163	54	1833	180	51	1137	35
Maryborough .. . . .	Maryborough .. . . .	433	133	3434	506	7	601	24
Melbourne .. . . .	Carlton North (Newry St.) .. . . .	430	347	5541	412	537	391	10
	Carlton North (Pigdon St.) .. . . .	225	149	2728	532	12	220	19
	Kensington-Flemington .. . . .	609	507	7464	1711	9	1146	31
	Melbourne North (Errol St.) .. . . .	477	474	4054	2268	—	916	9
	Melbourne North (Abbotsford St.) .. . . .	273	251	2525	917	8	521	10
Melton .. . . .	South Yarra .. . . .	355	203	4410	672	20	471	47
	Melton .. . . .	31	22	273	86	3	52	2
Mildura .. . . .	Cardross .. . . .	24	10	357	69	26	26	—
	Irymple .. . . .	60	18	649	81	48	116	3
	Merbein .. . . .	150	112	1806	505	91	422	13
	Merbein South .. . . .	20	7	211	40	28	68	3
	Meringur .. . . .	6	3	32	8	—	16	—
	Mildura .. . . .	574	146	5239	1438	92	648	30
	Red Cliffs .. . . .	219	104	2740	469	62	480	—
	Werrimal .. . . .	12	6	53	23	1	12	—
Minhamite .. . . .	Bessiebelle .. . . .	13	8	119	31	6	29	—



	Hawkesdale	15	4	113	29	9	24	2
	Macarthur	42	9	418	87	20	46	2
	Orford	10	3	41	12	1	69	—
Mirboo North	Mirboo North	85	44	749	149	3	69	10
Moorabbin	Bentleigh	704	106	7919	1078	27	725	56
	Cheltenham	472	68	5054	170	13	250	10
	Highbett	342	22	3524	34	6	230	7
	McKinnon	416	119	5836	1147	32	717	30
	Moorabbin	539	78	6434	832	46	304	32
Mortlake	Dundonnell	10	4	74	11	6	8	—
	Ellerslie	1	—	2	—	2	—	—
	Mortlake	91	26	805	64	74	203	—
	The Sisters	11	2	33	3	—	9	—
	Woorndoo	14	2	161	3	3	7	—
Mount Rouse	Dunkeld	42	21	473	52	23	13	—
	Glen Thompson	18	9	145	22	11	7	—
	Penshurst	45	21	371	50	40	20	—
	Woodhouse	12	9	120	19	4	10	—
Mulgrave	Clayton	242	113	2270	879	23	7	4
	Glen Waverley	94	39	763	156	7	8	—
Narracan	Erica	30	27	197	65	3	33	—
	Moe	407	54	3473	99	90	377	—
	Moe North	83	16	641	6	6	66	—
	Newborough	37	11	239	39	4	33	—
	Thorpdale	33	18	281	105	7	28	8
	Trafalgar	134	44	1199	106	15	114	6
	Yarragon	53	29	625	99	5	44	4
Newtown and Chilwell	Russell Street	215	64	3094	696	6	175	32
	Ruthven Street	202	76	3246	718	—	216	34
Northcote	Northcote	437	103	4082	325	32	211	10
	Thornbury	605	97	8162	560	45	189	30
	Thornbury East	190	17	2789	132	2	74	4
	Northcote, Westgarth St.	121	35	1118	145	9	—	7
	Croxton	205	46	3041	174	3	106	4
Numurkah	Nathalia	88	51	793	207	27	356	5

	Numurkah	278	108	2991	710	31	1126	6
	Strathmerton	35	17	519	94	2	132	2
Nunawading	Blackburn	292	124	3429	247	25	299	8
	Mitcham	301	103	3309	163	24	223	11
	Nunawading	135	64	1439	142	12	119	4
Oakleigh	Oakleigh	1266	512	14156	1534	133	1073	78
	Oakleigh South	251	156	2403	544	6	530	26
Phillip Island	Cowes	40	12	294	57	5	22	3
Port Fairy	Port Fairy	122	82	1702	391	55	348	—
Portland	Branxholme	27	12	329	160	16	285	—
	Dartmoor	35	30	685	208	14	272	—
	Digby	9	15	75	65	1	7	—
	Heywood	94	38	1031	227	34	431	—
	Portland	245	56	2323	268	72	776	14
Port Melbourne	Liardet Street	362	25	3895	236	10	569	13
	Fishermans Bend	104	25	1433	73	8	321	7
	Lorimer Street	23	3	273	5	3	49	2
Prahran	Armadale	212	—	2267	—	1	16	—
	Prahran	1352	89	14371	398	10	895	—
Queenscliff	Queenscliff	68	10	1132	47	40	4	—
Richmond	Burnley	179	12	1893	41	11	160	—
	Richmond North	610	125	6114	308	146	732	1
	Richmond South	326	53	3362	95	14	277	—
Ringwood	Ringwood	592	144	5772	379	50	296	72
Ripon	Beaufort	105	43	1014	146	6	91	3
	Skipton	48	24	387	81	8	21	3
	Snake Valley	16	9	224	48	—	22	—
Rochester	Lockington	57	22	594	64	—	38	6
	Rochester	182	84	2168	259	36	204	17
Sale	Sale	391	142	3235	452	23	483	52
Sandringham	Black Rock	410	86	4669	291	12	328	9
	Hampton	492	196	4157	588	20	293	38
	Sandringham	388	126	4932	446	51	330	35
Shepparton	Shepparton	719	200	7045	1148	47	1420	18



South Barwon . . .	Barwon Heads . . . . .	48	18	313	98	26	41	—
	Belmont . . . . .	299	50	3782	570	64	867	13
	Torquay . . . . .	32	17	385	101	33	21	3
South Melbourne .	Albert Park . . . . .	626	214	7360	1980	52	671	37
	Montague . . . . .	92	—	1030	—	5	88	—
	South Melbourne . . . . .	506	61	6150	169	22	633	8
St. Kilda . . . . .	Elwood . . . . .	408	88	5178	750	26	540	34
	St. Kilda . . . . .	1263	230	14140	2008	84	1091	74
Stawell Borough and Shire . . . . .	Callawadda . . . . .	8	—	74	—	1	73	—
	Glenorchy . . . . .	11	2	86	6	—	8	—
	Great Western . . . . .	12	1	147	19	2	23	—
	Halls Gap . . . . .	14	1	179	22	2	71	—
	Marnoo . . . . .	15	6	148	12	4	7	—
	Navarre . . . . .	7	3	61	21	—	5	—
	Stawell . . . . .	219	59	1782	209	137	266	3
Talbot . . . . .	Talbot . . . . .	21	12	302	56	—	9	—
Tallarook . . . . .	Carisbrook . . . . .	21	5	104	24	1	30	—
Violet Town . . . . .	Violet Town . . . . .	35	39	463	125	15	383	12
Wannon . . . . .	Coleraine . . . . .	130	86	1409	191	24	—	—
Warracknabeal . . .	Brim . . . . .	24	5	148	15	14	59	4
	Warracknabeal . . . . .	189	35	1300	99	64	526	32
Warragul . . . . .	Warragul . . . . .	425	215	4281	428	314	633	50
Warrnambool . . . .	Warrnambool . . . . .	733	183	6176	917	87	1479	70
Winchelsea . . . . .	Birregurra . . . . .	42	41	453	199	13	28	4
	Winchelsea . . . . .	55	13	694	80	7	—	2
Wodonga . . . . .	Wodonga . . . . .	259	88	2826	335	102	110	17
Wonthaggi . . . . .	Wonthaggi . . . . .	218	59	2146	230	8	203	11
Woorayl . . . . .	Inverloch . . . . .	25	13	161	53	3	23	—
	Leongatha . . . . .	262	123	2755	565	36	473	40
	Lower Tarwin . . . . .	14	8	138	41	—	4	3
	Meeniyan . . . . .	81	64	660	306	6	61	16
Wycheproof . . . . .	Wycheproof . . . . .	99	51	1164	174	40	110	—
Yarrawonga . . . . .	Yarrawonga . . . . .	199	84	2193	240	41	607	12
Yea . . . . .	Yea . . . . .	114	20	1202	42	10	368	23

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V.B.H.C.A. . . . .	Queen Elizabeth Centre (Carlton) . . . . .	398	119	3864	447	133	1268	41
V.B.H.C.A. . . . .	Travelling Centre (Upper Mallee) . . . . .	542	174	3421	500	33	147	20
Swan Hill . . . . .	Mobile Circuit . . . . .	239	57	1531	84	69	73	11

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### LIST OF CENTRES

- ABERFELDIE.—St. Andrew's Church Hall, St. Kinnord Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30; Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- ALBERT PARK.—18 Dundas Place. Monday, 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.
- ALEXANDRA.—Perkins Street. Monday and Friday, 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- ALPHINGTON.—Wingrove Street. Monday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.
- ALVIE.—Second Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.
- ARARAT.—Town Hall. Monday, Thursday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- ARMADALE.—54 Orrong Road, Monday, 1.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 11.45 a.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- ASCOT VALE.—147 Maribyrnong Road. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- ASPENDALE.—Life Saving Hall. Friday 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.
- AUBURN.—241 Auburn Road. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- AVOCA.—Shire Hall. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.
- BACCHUS MARSH.—Public Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4.30 p.m.
- BAIRNSDALE.—Nicholson Street. Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BALLAN.—Shire Hall. Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 5 p.m.
- BALLARAT.—702 Mair Street. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1 to 5 p.m.
- BALLARAT NORTH.—Cr. Armstrong and Landsborough Streets, Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4.30 p.m.
- BALLARAT EAST.—Barkly Street. Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4.30 p.m.
- BALWYN.—Cherry Street (off Whitehorse Road) Monday 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 to 12 noon.
- BARHAM (N.S.W.).—School of Arts. Thursday (alternate), 2 to 4.30 p.m.
- BARWON HEADS.—Hitchcock Avenue. Alternate Tuesdays, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.
- BAYSWATER.—B.H.C. Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- BEAUFORT.—C.W.A. Hall. Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 5 p.m.
- BEAUMARIS.—Cr. Martin and Bodley Streets. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BEEAC.—R.S.L. Hall. Wednesday, 2 to 4 p.m.
- BEECHWORTH.—Shire Hall. Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BELGRAVE.—Main Road. Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BELGRAVE HEIGHTS.—Mechanics' Hall. Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.
- BELLFIELD.—Oriel Road. Monday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.
- BELMONT.—Mr. Pleasant Road. Thursday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.
- BENALLA.—Bridge Street. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BENDIGO.—Charing Cross. Monday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BENDIGO.—Hallam Street. Wednesday, 9 to 11.30 a.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; third Tuesday in the month, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BENTLEIGH.—542 Centre Road. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.
- BERWICK.—Cr. Wheeler and Wilson Streets. Wednesday, 9.30 to 12.30 p.m. Every alternate Wednesday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.
- BESSIEBELLE.—Every alternate Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.
- BEULAH.—Memorial Hall. Alternate Wednesdays 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BIRCHIP.—Shire Office Building. Alternate Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Fridays 1.30 to 5 p.m.
- BIRREGURRA.—C.W.A. Rooms. Friday 2 to 4 p.m.
- BLACKBURN.—Morton Park. Tuesday and Thursday 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.
- BLACK ROCK.—Cr. Bluff Road and Gordon Crescent. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Monday and Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BOISSDALE.—Shire Office. Alternate Thursdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BOORT.—Godfrey Street. Friday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4.30 p.m.
- BORONIA.—R.S.L. Hall. Monday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BOX HILL.—The Oval, Whitehorse Road. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Monday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.
- BOX HILL NORTH.—Friend Street. Tuesday, 9.30 to 12, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Monday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.
- BOX HILL SOUTH.—Cr. Riversdale Road and Thomas Street. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.
- BRANXHOLME.—Mechanics' Hall. Tuesday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.
- BRIAGALONG.—Alternate Thursdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BRIGHTON NORTH.—Parliament Street, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BRIGHTON EAST.—Hurlingham Park. Monday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 9.30 to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BRIGHTON.—Arrow Lodge, Cross Street, Elsternwick. Monday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BRIGHTON BEACH.—Were Street. Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BRIM.—Memorial Hall, Swan Street. 3rd and 4th Tuesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BROADMEADOWS.—Shire Hall. Second Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.
- BRUNSWICK.—Town Hall. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.0 p.m.; Friday 1.30 to 4 p.m.
- BRUNSWICK EAST.—Lygon Street. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4 p.m.
- BRUNSWICK WEST.—Victoria Street. Monday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4 p.m.
- BUNINYONG.—Shire Hall. Alternate Tuesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BUNYIP.—High Street. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- BURNLEY.—Cr. Burnley and Boyd Streets. Monday and Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.
- BURWOOD.—Trent Street (off Toorak Road). Monday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
- CALLAWADDA.—Route visit, alternate Mondays.
- CAMBERWELL.—Inglesby Road (rear Town Hall). Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9.30 to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.



CAMBERWELL SOUTH.—Bowen Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CAMPERDOWN.—Scott Street. Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CANTERBURY.—Kendall Street (rear of Gardens). Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CARDROSS.—Cardross Hall. Wednesday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

CARISBROOK.—Shire Hall. Alternate Thursdays, 2 to 4 p.m.

CARLTON.—96 Keppell Street. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.

CARLTON (Melbourne City Council).—Erskine Hall, Cr. Gratton and Rathdown Street, Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

CARNEGIE.—15 Truganini Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CARRUM.—Methodist School Hall, McLeod Road, Carrum. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

CARRUM DOWNS.—Frankston Road. Wednesday, 2 to 4 p.m.

CASTERTON.—Jackson Street, Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.

CASTLEMAINE.—Town Hall. Monday and Thursday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m., and 1 to 4.30 p.m.

CAULFIELD.—Hawthorn Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CHARLTON.—Mechanics Institute, High Street. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.

CHELSEA.—Municipal Buildings, Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9.30 to 12.30 p.m.

CHELTENHAM.—Charman Road. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.

CLAYTON.—Clayton Road. Monday and Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

CLIFTON HILL.—Mayor's Park. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CLYDE.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

COBDEN.—Court House, Tuesday and Friday, 1 to 5 p.m.

COHUNA.—Shire Hall. Monday and Tuesday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

COLAC.—Queen Street. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30 to 12.30 p.m.; and 1.30 to 5 p.m.

COLERAINE.—Whyte Street. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 2 to 4 p.m.

COLLINGWOOD.—Gahan Reserve. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

COROROKE.—Main Road. Tuesday, 2 to 4 p.m.

COWES.—Main Street. Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.

CRANBOURNE.—Sladen Street. Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CRESWICK.—Town Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 11 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 3.45 p.m.

CROXTON.—Methodist Kindergarten Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.

CROYDON.—Haig Avenue. Monday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

DARTMOOR.—B.H.C. Friday, 11.30 to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

DAYLESFORD.—Town Hall. Alternate Mondays, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 2.45 p.m.

DERRINALLUM.—Main Street. Second and fourth Friday in the month, a.m., and First and third Friday in the month, p.m.

DIAMOND CREEK.—Church of England Hall. Thursday, 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.

DIGBY.—Memorial Hall. Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 5 p.m.

DONALD.—McCulloch Street. Every Second Week, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.

DONCASTER EAST.—George Street. Monday, 10.45 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.

DOOKIE.—Mary Street. Second and Fourth Monday in each month, 2.30 to 5 p.m.

DROUIN.—Shire Hall. Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

DRYSDALE.—Shire Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.

DUNDONNELL.—Public Hall. Alternate, Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

DUNKELD.—Public Hall. Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

EAGLEHAWK.—Town Hall. Tuesday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.; Thursday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

EAST MELBOURNE.—Powlett Street. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.

ECHUCA.—Hare Street. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 2 to 4.30 p.m.

ELLERSLIE.—Public Hall. Alternate Thursdays, 2 to 4 p.m.

ELMORE.—Hervey Street. Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

ELTHAM.—Main Road. Wednesday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 5 p.m.

ELWOOD.—Broadway. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

EMERALD.—Main Road. Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.

ERICA.—Tuesday, 2 to 4 p.m.

ESSENDON.—Cor. Pascoe Vale Road and Thomas Street, Moonee Ponds. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

ESSENDON NORTH.—129 Lincoln Road. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

EUROA.—Shire Hall. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.

FAIRFIELD.—84 Arthur Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.; Thursday, 10 to 12.30 p.m.

FERNTREE GULLY.—Main Road. Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

FITZROY NORTH.—Edinburgh Gardens. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.

FITZROY SOUTH.—Young Street. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday 1 to 4 p.m.

GARFIELD.—B.H.C. Thursday, 10.30 to 12.30 p.m.; every alternate Thursday open 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

GEELONG.—McKillop Street. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

GEELONG NORTH.—Osborne House. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

GEELONG WEST.—Pakington Street. Monday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2 to 4.30 p.m.

GEELONG.—St. Alban's Road (Fenwick Memorial Baptist Church Hall).—Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.



GEMBROOK.—Pakenham Road. Alternate Fridays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 GISBORNE.—Shire Office. Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 GLEN IRIS.—113 High Street. Monday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 GLENORCHY.—Police Station. Alternate Mondays 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.  
 GLENROY.—Church of England Hall. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.  
 GLENTHOMPSON.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.  
 GLEN WAVERLEY.—Mechanic's Hall, Springvale Road. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.  
 GOLDEN SQUARE.—Laurel Street. Monday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 GOORNONG.—Memorial Hall. Fridays (alternate), 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 GREAT WESTERN.—Route visit. Second Thursday in month, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 GREFNSBOROUGH.—Main Road. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.  
 GUNBOWER.—Main Street. Friday, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
 HALL'S GAP.—Second Wednesday in the month, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 HAMILTON.—117 Brown Street. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.  
 HAMPTON.—Hampton Street. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 HAWKESDALE.—Shire Hall. Alternate Tuesdays, 1 to 4 p.m.  
 HAWTHORN.—Burwood Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 HEALESVILLE.—Shire Hall. Monday and Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.  
 HEATHCOTE.—High Street. Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 HEIDELBERG.—Barkly Place. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.  
 HEIDELBERG WEST.—Altona Street. Monday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.  
 HEYFIELD.—Shire Office, Maffra. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 HEYWOOD.—Hunter Street. Monday and Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 HIGHETT.—Highett Road. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 HURSTBRIDGE.—Public Hall. Monday 1 to 4 p.m.  
 INVERLOCH.—Methodist Church Hall. First and third Thursday of each month, 1.30 to 3.45 p.m.  
 IVANHOE.—Waterdale Road. Monday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.  
 IVANHOE EAST.—King Street. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.  
 IRYMPLE.—15th Street. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 KEILOR.—Shire Hall. Alternate Tuesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.  
 KENSINGTON-FLEMINGTON.—Bellair Street. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 KERANG.—B.H.C. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 KEW.—Denmark Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

KEW EAST.—19 Strathalbyn Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 KEW NORTH.—Peel Street. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 KOONDROOK.—Memorial Hall. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.  
 KONGWAK.—Public Hall. Alternate Tuesdays, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 KOO-WEE-RUP.—Memorial Hall. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
 KOROIT.—Commercial Road. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.  
 KORONG VALE.—Main Street. Alternate Thursdays, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 KORUMBURRA.—Station Street. Monday and Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; alternate Fridays, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 LAKE BOLAC.—B.H.C. Alternate Wednesdays, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 LARA LAKE.—Mechanics' Hall. Alternate Thursdays, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 LANDSBOROUGH.—Public Hall. First Wednesday in the month, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 LANG LANG.—Presbyterian Hall. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
 LEITCHVILLE.—Memorial Hall. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 4.15 p.m.  
 LEONGATHA.—Memorial Hall. Wednesday, 2.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 LEXTON.—Shire Hall. Alternate Tuesdays, 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.  
 LINTON.—Shire Hall. Thursday, 2 to 4 p.m.  
 LILYDALE.—Melba Park. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 LISMORE.—Mechanics' Hall. First and Third Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; Second and Fourth Friday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 LOCH.—Victoria Street. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 LOCKINGTON.—Memorial Hall. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 LONGWARRY.—Princess Avenue. Friday, 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MAFFRA.—Shire Office. Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 MALDON.—High Street. Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 MALVERN.—Barkly Avenue. Monday and Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 MALVERN.—Tooronga, McArthur Street. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 9.45 to 11.45 p.m., and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 MALVERN SOUTH.—Waverley and Dandenong Roads. Monday, Thursday and Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 9.45 a.m. to 12.45 p.m., and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 MALVERN EAST.—Nirvana Avenue. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 9.45 to 11.45 a.m., and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 Tuesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MANIFOLD HEIGHTS.—Bostock Avenue. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4 p.m.  
 MANSFIELD.—High Street. Tuesday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.15 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 5 p.m.  
 MARNOO.—Masonic Hall. Alternate Mondays, 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.  
 MARYBOROUGH.—Clarendon Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Alternate Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.;  
 MARYSVILLE.—Main Street. Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
 MEENIYAN.—Whitelaw Street. Monday, 10.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.  
 MELTON.—Public Hall. Thursday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.  
 MERBEIN.—Box Street. Monday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MERBEIN SOUTH. Scout Hall. Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.



MERINO.—Court House. Wednesday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MERINGUR.—B.H.C. First Tuesday in the month, 10.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.  
 MERRIGUM.—Shire Hall. Monday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
 MILDURA.—Deakin Avenue. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 MIRBOO NORTH.—Shire Hall. Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MITCHAM.—Memorial Hall. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 10 to 12.30 p.m.  
 MOE.—Albert Street. Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 MONBULK.—Muriel Peck Cottage. Second and Fourth Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MONTROSE.—Public Hall. Wednesday, 9.30 to 11.15 a.m.  
 MONTAGUE.—Buckhurst Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 MONT ALBERT.—Friend Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 MOORABBIN.—B.H.C., Nepean Highway. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 MORTLAKE.—Shaw Street. Alternate Thursdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MOUNT DANDENONG.—Falls Road. Fourth Wednesdays, 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.  
 MOUNT EVELYN.—Church of England Hall. First and third Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 MURRABIT.—B.H.C. Every alternate Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
 MURRUMBEENA.—89 Murrumbeena Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 MACARTHUR.—Parish Hall. Wednesday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 MCKINNON.—Cor. Claire Street and McKinnon Road. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 NAR NAR GOON.—Public Hall. Alternate Thursdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 NATHALIA.—Pearce Street. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 NAVARRE.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays 2 to 4 p.m.  
 NEERIM SOUTH.—Main Street. Every alternate Wednesday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 NEERIM JUNCTION.—Public Hall. Wednesday (fortnightly), 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 NEWRY.—Mechanic's Hall. Alternate Mondays, 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 NEWTOWN-CHILWELL.—Russell Street. Monday and Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2 to 4 p.m.  
 NEWTOWN-CHILWELL.—Ruthven Street, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2 to 4 p.m.  
 NOOJEE.—Henty Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 NORLANE.—Methodist Church, Wendover Avenue. Monday and Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 NORTH CARLTON.—Newry Street. Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon (dental), and 1 to 4 p.m. (dental and babies); Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon (children over 2 years).  
 NORTH CARLTON.—Pigdon Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 NORTHCOTE.—Cor. Oldis Avenue and Bastings Street. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 NORTH MELBOURNE.—265 Abbotsford Street. Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.

NORTH MELBOURNE.—Town Hall, Errol Street. Monday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.20 p.m.; Friday, 10 to 11.30 a.m.; and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 NUMURKAH.—Shire Hall Building. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 NUNAWADING.—Town Hall. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 NYORA.—Public Hall. Alternate Fridays, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 OAKLEIGH.—Warrawee Park, Atherton Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9.30 to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 OAKLEIGH SOUTH.—Cr. North Road and Guest Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4 p.m. (New babies, Special appointment); Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 OCEAN GROVE.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 OFFICER.—B.H.C. Alternate Wednesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 ORFORD.—B.H.C. Alternate Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 ORMOND.—Oakleigh Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 PAKENHAM.—Main Street. Monday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 PASCOE VALE.—Progress Hall, Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.  
 PEARCEDALE.—Queen's Road. Alternate Mondays, 2 to 4.30 p.m.  
 PENSHURST.—Public Hall. Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 PIRRON YALLOCK.—First and third Wednesdays, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 POMONAL.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays 2 to 4 p.m.  
 POOWONG.—Public Hall. Alternate Thursdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; alternate Fridays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 PORTARLINGTON.—Library, Newcombe Street. Alternate Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.  
 PORT FAIRY.—Bank Street. Monday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.45 to 5 p.m.  
 PORTLAND.—Bentick Street. Tuesday and Wednesday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.  
 PORT MELBOURNE.—Liardet Street. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 PORT MELBOURNE (Fisherman's Bend).—Batman Avenue. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 PORT MELBOURNE.—Lorimer Street. Tuesday, 2 to 4 p.m.  
 PRAHRAN.—240 Malvern Road. Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. to 11.45 a.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 QUAMBATOOK.—Guthrie Street. Alternate Thursdays, 11 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.  
 QUEENSCLIFF.—King Street. Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; and 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.  
 RED CLIFFS.—Heath Street. Monday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; second, fourth and fifth Tuesdays, 9.15 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.15 to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.  
 RICHMOND NORTH.—Church Street. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.; Thursday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m., and 1 to 4 p.m.  
 RICHMOND SOUTH.—516 Church Street. Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.  
 RINGWOOD.—Melbourne Street. Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.



ROCHESTER.—Mackay Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 to 11 a.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

SALE.—McAlister Street. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

SANDRINGHAM.—Abbott Street. Monday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

SASSAFRAS.—Main Road. Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon.

SEBASTOPOL.—Town Hall. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

SEVILLE.—Main Road. Second and fourth Thursday in each month, 1 to 4 p.m.

SHEPPARTON.—Welsford Street. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

SILVAN.—Main Road. First and third Thursday in each month, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.

SKIPTON.—Mechanic's Hall. Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.

SNAKE VALLEY.—Mechanic's Hall. Friday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.

SOUTH MELBOURNE.—Town Hall. Monday and Friday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m.

SOUTH YARRA.—Fawkner Park, Toorak Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

SEAFORD.—Public Hall. Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

ST. ARNAUD.—114 Napier Street, St. Arnaud. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m.

ST. KILDA.—Chapel Street. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

STAWELL.—Town Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

STRATFORD.—Tyers Street. Monday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

STRATHMERTON.—Public Hall. Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

STRATHMORE.—St. Aidan's Hall. Wednesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.

STREATHAM.—Main Street. Alternate Wednesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

STREZLECKIE.—Public Hall. Alternate Tuesdays, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

SURREY HILLS.—In Gardens, Union Road. Tuesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

SURREY HILLS.—Florence Road. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday a.m. advice to mothers, and p.m.—Demonstrations.

SWAN MARSH.—B.H.C. Second and fourth Wednesdays, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon.

TALBOT.—Shire Hall. Tuesday, 2 to 4 p.m.

TARWIN LOWER.—Memorial Hall. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

TEMPLESTOWE.—The Hall. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

TERANG.—High Street. Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

THE BASIN.—Progress Hall. Thursday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 3 p.m.

THORNBURY.—Clarendon Street. Monday and Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 9.30 to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 to 12 noon.

THORNBURY EAST.—Baptist Church Hall, Speight Street. Wednesday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

THORPDALE.—Mechanics' Hall. Friday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.

TINAMBA.—B.H.C. Alternate Mondays, 1.30 to 4 p.m.

TIMBOON.—C/o Mrs. Hansen. Wednesday, 1.40 p.m. to 4 p.m.

TOOLANGI.—B.H.C. Wednesdays, 2 to 5 p.m.

TOORADIN.—Station Road. Wednesday, 10.30 to 12.30 p.m.

TORQUAY.—Public Hall. Second Tuesday. 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.

TRAFALGAR.—Memorial Hall. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

TYNONG.—Tynong Hall. Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.

UPPER FERN TREE GULLY.—Fire Brigade Hall, Monday, 9.30 to 12 noon.

UPWEY.—Progress Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

VIOLET TOWN.—Lily Street. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 5 p.m.

WANDIN YALLOCK.—Hunter Road. First and third Thursdays, 1 to 4 p.m.

WARRACKNABEAL.—Scott Street. Monday (except first in month), 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday (first, third and fifth), 9.30 to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday (second and fourth), 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WARRAGUL.—Queen Street. Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WARRANTYTE.—Yarra Street. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.

WARRNAMBOOL.—Liebig Street. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.

WATCHEM.—Mechanics' Institute. Wednesday, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

WEDDERBURN.—Mechanic's Institute. Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WERRIMULL.—C.W.A. Rest Room. Third Tuesday in each month, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

WESTGARTH.—Football Pavilion. Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

WILLAURA.—Town Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WINCHELSEA.—Library Building. Friday, 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WODONGA.—High Street. Monday, 2 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday and Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 2 to 5 p.m.

WONTHAGGI.—McBride Avenue. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WONTHAGGI NORTH.—Methodist Church. Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon.

WOORNDOO.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.

WYCHEPROOF.—Shire Hall. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

YALLA-Y-POORA.—Main Road. Alternate Wednesdays, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

YAMBUK.—B.H.C. Alternate Tuesdays, 10 to 11.30 a.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

YARRA GLEN.—Bell Street. Friday, 11.30 to 4 p.m.

YARRAGON.—Main Street. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

YARRAWONGA.—Belmore Street. Monday and Friday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m.

YEA.—High Street. Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m.



TRAVELLING BABY HEALTH CENTRE

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First Week	Second Week
Berriwillock.—	Linga.—
Culgoa.—	Boinka.—
Nullawil.—	Tutye.—
Lalbert.—	Murrayville.—
Meatian.—	Danyo.—
Ultima.—	Cowangi.—
Sea Lake.—	Underbool.—
Nyarrin.—	Patchewollock.—(Roads permitting).
Nandaly.—	Tempy.—
Mittyack.—	Speed.—
Kulwin.—	Turriff.—
Ouyen.—	Gama.—
Tiega.—	Lascelles.—
Galah.—	Woomelang.—
Walpeup.—	Hopetoun.—
Torrita.—	

SWAN HILL TRAVELLING CENTRE

First Week	Second Week
Boundary Bend.—	Annuello.—
Robinvale.—	Robinvale.—
Chinkapook.—	Euston.—
Car to Swan Hill.	Balranald.—
Woorinen South.—	Kyalite.—
Chillingollah.—	Goodnight.—
Nyah.—	Tooleybuc.—
Manangatang.—	Piangil.—
	Wood Wood.—
	Nyah West.—
	Manangatang.—

VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION

GRANTS AND DONATIONS, 1952-53.

GRANTS FROM TRUST FUNDS:

Trustees, Alfred Felton Estate .....	£450	0	0
Trustees, Edward Wilson Trust .....	150	0	0
Trustees, Alfred Edments Estate .....	90	0	0
Thomas Baker (Kodak) Alice Baker and Eleanor Shaw Benefactions .....	50	0	0
David Syme Charitable Trust .....	25	0	0
Trustees Henry Gyles Turner Estate .....	20	0	0
Trustees, T. J. Sumner Estate .....	10	0	0
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		£795	0 0

DONATIONS—General:

Mrs. Swinburne (towards Adding Machine)	£45	9	0
State Savings Bank Officers' Association	10	0	0
Dr. Doris Officer (for prizes, Mothercraft Nurses) .....	3	3	0
Merbein Baby Health Centre Committee	1	1	6
Councillor D. Ellen Weeks, J.P. ....	1	0	0
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		£60	13 6

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS:

Port Melbourne .....	£6	6	0
St. Kilda .....	5	5	0
S. Melbourne Community Chest .....	5	0	0
Moorabbin .....	2	2	0
Sandringham .....	2	2	0
Otway Shire .....	1	1	0
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		£21	16 0

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Emily MacPherson College of Domestic Economy .....	£11	1	0
Preston Girls' School .....	5	5	0
Camberwell Church of England Girls' Grammar School .....	6	6	0
Footscray Girls' School .....	3	3	0
Williamstown Girls' Secondary School .....	3	3	0
Brunswick Girls' School .....	2	2	0
Box Hill Girls' Technical School .....	2	2	0
Convent F.C.J. (Vaucluse) .....	1	10	0
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 CENTRE (1952-53)

GRANTS:  
 Victorian Government ..... £700 0 0

GRANTS FROM SHIRE COUNCILS:  
 Walpeup ..... £400 0 0  
 Wycheproof ..... 350 0 0  
 Karkaroc ..... 280 0 0  
 Swan Hill ..... 120 0 0  
 Kerang ..... 90 0 0  
 £1,240 0 0

DONATIONS:  
 Caravan Donation Box ..... £21 17 7

COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION:  
 Hopetoun ..... £11 0 0  
 Patchewollock ..... 5 0 0  
 Ultima ..... 4 4 0  
 Sea Lake ..... 3 3 0  
 Culgoa ..... 2 0 0  
 Heidelberg ..... 2 0 0  
 £27 7 0

GENERAL DONATIONS:  
 H. V. MacKay Charitable Trust ..... £200 0 0  
 Mr. & Mrs. Norman Carson ..... 10 10 0  
 Sea Lake "Little Theatre Group" ..... 10 0 0  
 Woomelang Senior Young Farmers' Club ..... 10 0 0  
 Mr. Schumann ..... 5 5 0  
 Sea Lake Tennis Club ..... 3 5 0  
 "Donations" ..... 3 3 0  
 Mr. R. Goldsworthy ..... 2 2 6  
 Mr. B. R. Frankenberg ..... 2 2 6  
 Vacuum Oil Company ..... 1 1 0  
 Hopetoun Fire Brigade Social Club ..... 1 1 0  
 Torrita Mothers' Club ..... 1 0 0  
 1 0 0  
 £249 10 0

GRANTS AND DONATIONS—QUEEN ELIZABETH MATERNAL  
 AND CHILD HEALTH CENTRE (Year ended 31st March, 1953)

Trustees C.R.S. Ogg Estate ..... £50 0 0  
 Eagle Star Insurance Co. .... 36 15 0  
 Nursing Staff—Queen Elizabeth Centre  
 (material for curtains) ..... 33 0 0  
 Camberwell Girls' Secondary School ..... 10 10 0  
 Joe White Maltings Ltd. .... 10 0 0  
 Donations received at Queen Elizabeth  
 Centre ..... 9 6 4  
 Kraft Walker Cheese Co. .... 5 5 0  
 Messrs. John Danks & Son Pty. Ltd. .... 5 0 0  
 Messrs. Murray More Pty. Ltd. .... 5 0 0  
 Miss Grace Turner ..... 5 0 0  
 Mrs. N. Carson ..... 3 3 0  
 Norman Carson, Esq. .... 3 3 0  
 Daylesford Branch (Country Women's  
 Association) ..... 2 2 0

"Argus" Charitable Trust ..... 1 1 0  
 Mrs. McCutcheon ..... 1 1 0  
 Mrs. S. E. Strong ..... 1 1 0  
 Mrs. T. Wood ..... 1 1 0  
 Australian Bank Officials' Association (Vic.  
 Branch) ..... 1 1 0

£183 9 4

LORD MAYOR'S FUND:

From "General Moneys" of the Fund ..... £74 4 5  
 City of Box Hill ..... 5 5 0  
 Victoria Palace Ltd. .... 3 0 0  
 Mr. & Mrs. L. Moran ..... 2 2 0  
 Mrs. H. J. Moss ..... 2 2 0  
 Swallow & Ariell Ltd. .... 2 2 0  
 Haigh Bros. .... 1 1 0  
 Gippsland & Northern Co. .... 1 1 0  
 Michaelis, Hallestein & Co. .... 1 1 0  
 Melbourne Textile Knitting Co. Pty. Ltd. .... 1 0 0

£92 18 5

MUNICIPAL GRANTS:

Collingwood City Council ..... £5 0 0  
 City of St. Kilda ..... 3 3 0  
 City of Sandringham ..... 3 3 0  
 Shire of Mount Rouse ..... 2 2 0  
 Shire of Colac ..... 2 1 0  
 City of Moorabbin ..... 1 1 0  
 Shire of Dimboola ..... 1 1 0

£17 11 0

GOVERNMENT GRANTS—TRAINING SCHOOL:

Victorian Government ..... £1,000 0 0  
 Hospitals & Charities Commission (Main-  
 tenance) ..... 3,208 0 8  
 Hospitals & Charities Commission (Hospi-  
 tal Benefits Fund) ..... 2,955 0 0

£7,163 0 8



# Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th JUNE, 1953.

LIABILITIES	ASSETS
The National Bank of Australasia Limited .... £358 18 5	Furniture and Equipment at Central Office, valued at ..... £100 0 0
Late Sir George Cuscaden Memorial Balance .... 13 12 0	The State Savings Bank of Victoria—
Creditor ..... £21 0 0	General Account ..... £9 16 11
Creditor — V.B.H.C.A. Travelling Centre ..... 175 0 0	Country Work Account ..... 51 16 7
<u>196 0 0</u>	61 13 6
	Cash in Hand ..... 1 10 5
	General Fund—
	Deficit for the Year ..... £453 10 9
	Less, Balance at 30th June, 1952 48 4 3
	<u>405 6 6</u>
<u>£568 10 5</u>	<u>£568 10 5</u>

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1953.

To Salaries, Secretarial and Lecturing .... £1,539 8 1	By Grants and Donations ..... £859 6 0
" Postages and General Expenses ..... 169 12 8	" Government Grants ..... 350 0 0
" Printing and Stationery ..... 399 5 7	" State Controller of Salvage ..... 537 13 10
" Travelling Expenses—Lecturing Nurse ..... 136 18 0	" Lecture Fees ..... 34 12 0
" Telephone ..... 50 3 7	" Broadcasting Fees ..... 132 6 0
" Electric Light and Heating ..... 8 3 4	" Interest Received ..... 1 6 0
" Rent ..... 85 0 0	" Donations for Materials, Pat- terns, Booklets and Badges £8 1 5
" Audit Fees ..... 10 10 0	Less Expenditure ..... 2 8 11
" Insurance ..... 1 14 6	5 12 6
" Typewriter Maintenance ..... 2 5 0	" Quarterly Magazines—Sales, Subscriptions, Donations and Advertisements ..... £783 11 10
" Interest on Overdraft ..... 89 16 0	Less Expenditure ..... 619 13 2
" Burroughs Adding Machine .... £90 18 0	163 18 8
Less, Specific Donation .... 45 9 0	" Deficit for the Year ..... 453 10 9
<u>45 9 0</u>	
<u>£2,538 5 9</u>	<u>£2,538 5 9</u>



TRAVELLING CENTRE, BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th JUNE, 1953.

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
The National Bank of Australasia Limited .....	£510 4 11	The State Savings Bank of Victoria .....	£9 0 7
		Debtor—V.B.H.C.A. ....	175 0 0
		General Fund—	
		Balance at 30th June, 1952 .....	£668 7 0
		Less Surplus for the year .....	342 2 8
			326 4 4
	£510 4 11		£510 4 11

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1953.

To Salaries .....	£1,330 3 9	By Donations—	
„ Repairs and Replacements .....	480 2 2	Box on Caravan .....	£21 17 7
„ Petrol and Oil .....	241 12 5	General .....	249 10 0
„ Insurance .....	38 2 5	Country Women's Association .....	27 7 0
„ Printing and Stationery .....	10 15 6		298 14 7
„ Postages and General Expenses .....	21 18 8	„ Shire Grants .....	1,240 0 0
„ Uniform Allowances .....	16 10 6	„ Government Grants .....	700 0 0
„ Interest on Overdraft .....	7 10 0	„ Interest Received .....	0 3 6
„ Surplus for the Year .....	342 2 8	„ Sale of "Bedford" Caravan .....	250 0 0
	£2,488 18 1		£2,488 18 1

Melbourne, 29th September, 1953.

Audited and found correct.

BRENTNALL, MEWTON & BUTLER,  
Chartered Accountants (Australia).

A. J. G. SINCLAIR, J.P.,

Hon. Treasurer.

VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION  
THE QUEEN ELIZABETH MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CENTRE  
(INFANT WELFARE TRAINING SCHOOL)  
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH, 1953

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Sundry Creditors .....	£485 6 2	Cash at Banks—	
Cot Endowment .....	129 1 0	Maintenance Account .....	£829 1 6
Sir Herbert and Lady Olney Prize Fund .....	295 18 0	Cot Endowment Account .....	129 1 0
Government Building Trust Fund .....	306 15 1	Prize Fund .....	27 18 0
Reserve Fund .....	1,458 3 10	Government Building Trust Fund .....	306 15 1
Capital Account—		Reserve Fund .....	1,158 3 10
Balance at 31/3/1952 .....	£13,881 0 5		£2,450 19 5
Transfer from New Building Fund .....	72,107 9 8	Cash in Hand .....	6 19 0
	85,988 10 1	Reserve Fund Investments .....	300 0 0
		Prize Fund Investments .....	268 0 0
		Land .....	6,500 0 0
		Buildings—	
		Balance at 31/3/1952 .....	60,076 0 10
		Additions during year .....	623 0 8
			£60,699 1 6
		Less 1% Depreciation for Year .....	600 15 2
			60,098 6 4
		Plant and Equipment—	
		Balance at 31/3/1952 .....	13,294 15 9
		Additions during year .....	911 13 4
			£14,206 9 1
		Less 10% Depreciation for Year .....	1,329 9 7
			12,876 19 6
		Maintenance Fund—	
		Balance at 31/3/1952 .....	7,617 12 9
		Less Surplus for the Year .....	1,455 2 10
			6,162 9 11
	£88,663 14 2		£88,663 14 2



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STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE AS AT 31st MARCH, 1953

<span style="position: absolute; left: -40px; top: 50px;">62</span> To Provisions ..... £3,776 7 5 „ Surgery and Dispensary ..... 541 12 0 „ Domestic ..... 3,243 11 1 „ Salaries and Wages ..... 11,862 7 3 „ Miscellaneous and Administration ..... 898 0 2 „ Establishment Charges ..... 1,930 4 9 „ Interest ..... 56 7 0 „ Surplus for the year transferred to Maintenance Fund ..... 1,455 2 10 <hr/> £23,763 12 6	By Government Grants ..... £7,163 6 8 „ Lord Mayor's Fund ..... 92 18 5 „ Municipal Grants ..... 17 11 0 „ Donations ..... 183 9 4 „ Patients' Fees ..... 2,603 15 1 „ Trainees' Fees ..... 365 8 0 „ Proceeds of Public Appeals ..... 13,337 4 0 <hr/> £23,763 12 6
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VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION  
THE QUEEN ELIZABETH MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH CENTRE APPEAL  
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS TO 31st MARCH, 1953

<span style="position: absolute; left: -40px; top: 50px;">63</span> To Donations ..... £8,920 11 4 „ Proceeds "Popular Baby Quest" ..... 1,220 2 9 „ Proceeds Lord Mayor's Command Performance ..... 250 0 0 „ Proceeds Speed Boat Meeting ..... 107 14 3 „ State Treasury Grant ..... 7,500 0 0 <hr/> £17,998 8 4	By Transfers to Training School ..... £13,517 3 7 „ Transfer to Building Fund ..... 1,616 13 1 „ Salary—Appeal Organizer ..... 560 0 0 „ Printing, Stationery and Badges ..... 212 9 4 „ Speed Boat Meeting Expenses ..... 60 1 0 „ Purchase of Astor Radio ..... 10 7 7 „ Balance at 31st March, 1953— The National Bank of Australasia Limited ..... 2,021 13 9 <hr/> £17,998 8 4
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Melbourne, 15th June, 1953.

Audited and found correct,

BRETNALL, MEWTON & BUTLER,

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A. J. G. SINCLAIR, J.P.,

Hon Treasurer.