

VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION
(INC.)

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
FOR MOTHERS AND BABIES

ANNUAL REPORT 1978

Aims and Objects of the Association

1. To safeguard the health of mothers and babies.
2. To encourage the breast feeding of infants.
3. To equip and maintain a Hospital for Mothers and Babies, and Infant Welfare and ~~Mothercraft~~ Training School, with Model Baby Health Centre for:
 - (a) The special training of Infant Welfare Sisters and ~~Mothercraft Nurses~~
 - (b) The provision of education for mothers with a view to enabling them to bring up their children in accordance with modern health principles.
 - (c) The provision of accommodation for the education and care of mothers and babies, especially nursing mothers, and for difficult, delicate or premature babies who may require special investigation and expert care in regard to their rearing and to provide temporary emergency care for mothers and babies or temporary care for children in time of family crisis.
4. To establish and operate a Day Care Centre for the care and education of children.
5. To arrange for organised teaching to women in the care of the —
 - (a) expectant mother,
 - (b) the mother, and
 - (c) the childrenand to disseminate such knowledge by every available means.
6. To co-operate with all present or future organisations working for the same object.

60th ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

WITH STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS, LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS

AND DONORS AND STATISTICAL RETURNS

FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1978

Office Bearers and Committee

For the Twelve Months Ended 30th June, 1978

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Director of Nursing Matron: Miss L. Richardson, S.R.N.T.C., Dip.N.Admin., F.C.N.A.

Solicitors: Messrs. Moule, Hamilton & Derham

Auditor: Mr. I. L. Murray, F.C.A., B.Comm., A.C.I.S.

ing authorities, however, remain hopeful that the present Hospital based education programme will be superseded by a twelve month College based Diploma Course.

Applications for training in Infant Welfare at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital continue and graduates from the course, who number 33 yearly, continue to fill a large number of positions in Health Centres throughout the State of Victoria.

Educational programme undergoes constant revision, upgrading and expansion, to fit the students, as adequately as possible in the 17 weeks available, to fill the role of the Infant Welfare Sister and meet the variety of infant and maternal needs presenting in the society of today.

NURSING STAFF

Sister A. McElroy resigned from the Hospital during October 1977 to take up an appointment as Director of the new Child Care Centre in Camberwell. Sister McElroy has been with the Hospital for nine years and held the position of Assistant Matron for several years. During this time she proved herself to be a most capable and conscientious member of staff, and the Committee has pleasure in extending to her every best wish in her new appointment.

AWARDS

The Margaret White Prize given to the Infant Welfare Trainee considered the "Best in the Year" was awarded to Sister Antoinette.

The Sir Herbert and Lady Olney Prize awarded to the Trainee considered "Most suitable for Baby Health Centre work" in each term — to Sister I. Howie, Sister Antoinette, the third term shared by Sister S. Carmichael and Sister S. Dean.

MEDICAL STAFF

Dr. C. McKinnon, M.B., B.S., D.C.H., F.R.A.C.P. and Dr. J. Linnane, M.B., B.S., M.A.N.Z.C.P., resigned from the Committee during the year and Dr. F. Len, M.B., B.S., D.P.M., M.R.A.N.Z.C.P. was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Dr. Linnane. The Committee's appreciation of their valued service is recorded.

FINANCE

Expenses this year totalled \$615,794, an increase of \$55,955 over the previous year. Salaries and Wages, including the National Wage rises, increased from \$418,346 to \$455,878, equal to 9%. As National Wage rises affect all the community, this increases costs in commodities and services.

Commonwealth, State Government and Municipal Grants received, totalled \$405,899 compared with the previous year's figure of \$395,693.

There was a greater demand for private accommodation this year, resulting in an increase of income from patients' fees.

The end of the year showed a surplus of \$22,780 in the Operating Account.

Capital Grants from the Hospitals & Charities Commission amounted to \$1,685. Apart from the Appeal, donations of \$3,667 were received from various Trustees and Benefactors. Appeal donations, listed later in this report, include pledges, amounting to \$26,061 from the Businessmen's Committee, which was ably chaired by Mr. D. Trescowthick.

Capital expenditure, included replacement of an Air Conditioner Compressor and a copper tank, and amounted to \$3,388.

COMMITTEE

DR. A. E. WILMOT, O.B.E., M.B., B.S., D.C.H., M.P.H., F.A.C.M.A., B.Sc., Dip.Diet

Congratulations are offered to Dr. Wilmot on the honour bestowed on her by Her Majesty the Queen in the Birthday Honours, for services to Maternal and Child Health. Dr. Wilmot was appointed Director of Maternal, Infant and Pre-School Welfare in November 1960, Assistant Chief Health Officer — Maternal and Child Health in February 1976 and retired later that year. She has given devoted years of service to all aspects of health care and richly deserves this award.

DR. B. BRODRICK, M.B., B.S., D.C.H., B.Sc.

The Committee of Management congratulates Dr. Brodrick on her appointment in April 1978 as Medical Officer of Health — City of Melbourne. Dr. Brodrick has been a Member of Committee for several years.

DR. A. CLEMENTS, Director of Maternal & Infant Health was elected to the Committee during the year and a warm welcome is extended to him for his valued assistance.

The resignation of Mrs. G. K. Fowler, was received with regret. Mrs. Fowler joined the Committee in February 1971 and during her stay in office gave most valued assistance.

Our thanks are extended to Miss G. Stott for her calling so regularly at the Hospital to sign the cheques. She gives of her personal time, and this is appreciated very much. Miss Stott has been closely associated with the Hospital for many years as Assistant Matron and later Matron, and retired in November, 1974.

LIFE GOVERNORS

The following contributors were appointed as Life Governors to the Association for their generosity in contributing to the funds of the Association on their own behalf, a sum of not less than \$100.00 in one donation.

Mrs. M. Davidson—Mrs. A. K. Stewart—Mr. N. Turner.

Mr Sinclair OBE JP 1944-1978
Mrs Breen OBE JP 1942-1978
Mrs Davidson 1963-1978
Mrs Doolan 1978
VICE PRESIDENT
Comm. Infant Care 1970
Dr Wadds 25th April 1979

LIFE MEMBER
MRS D. JONES

OBITUARY

It is with deep regret that the Committee records the death of Mrs. M. L. Mason a supporter of the Association for many years. Her devoted service is recorded with appreciation.

ISABEL YOUNGER ROSS HALL

Bookings for the larger hall continue to increase and during the year Monday Conference was televised in the Hall. A programme of this nature is of great interest, and we would wish to encourage this type of utilisation. Unfortunately, prospective bookings must be carefully monitored.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Committee of Management records appreciation of the assistance given by the Hospitals and Charities Commission during the past year, the Government of Victoria, in particular for the assistance given to the building of the Day Nursery, and the Commonwealth Government. The Melbourne City Council, Municipal and Shire Councils, The Wastepaper and Cardboard Committee, the many Trusts for their continued support, and all the Contributors who continue to give so readily to the Hospital.

Finally, I sincerely and personally thank all members of staff for their service to the Hospital during the year.

Whilst, primarily, we are here to serve the patients, we could not accept our patients but for the devoted medical and nursing care, and the expert services of our administrative and general staff.

I record my appreciation also, of the support of the Committee members, and of the Auxiliaries and friends of the Hospital who work so hard for the welfare of the mothers and babies of our community.



ELVIE CURTIS
President

Annual Report of the President of the Medical Committee

During the year six business meetings were held, at which matters of mutual concern between the representatives of the Committee of Management, the Nursing Staff, and the Medical Staff were discussed. Many of these problems are related to the changing circumstances of the care of mothers and babies, especially the underprivileged among those for whom we care in our Hospital.

The Medical Staff find it a constant battle to try to ensure that the best standards of medical care and provision are not eroded in the current climate of change, and that those with least voice in these matters have their best interests and benefit protected. The Committee is very aware of the practical end results of political and administrative decisions, and find it heartening to see that some present changes will turn to the advantage of the mothers and babies we see. May I make a plea that the published "Aims and Objects of the Association" be the starting point and guide in all discussions relating to the Hospital? These aims are direct, simple and relevant in these days of burgeoning inhumanity.

The Committee has been saddened by the ill-health of Dame Kate Campbell and we have largely had to suffer the absence of her cheerful grace and humane concern for the welfare of mothers and babies, and the training and inspiration of those who care for them.

We welcome to our staff Dr. F. Len, and hope her stay with us will be happy, and the work interesting for her.

We thank the Senior Staff for their continued dedication to teaching and their endeavours to ensure smooth running of the Hospital, and to the continued selfless support of our well-trained Infant Welfare Trainees.

Dr. HOWARD WALKER
President

Matron's Report

The past year has been busy and rewarding as we see mothers and children happily leave after receiving Mothercraft Care and instruction, and much needed rest.

Teaching of students continues to be an important part of our work. Mothercraft training has been phasing out smoothly and will be completed by mid November 1978. The Melbourne University Family Bush Day Nursery and St. George's Hospital have for many years provided experience for our Mothercraft Students, and we thank them for the good relations that have existed over the years.

No further direction has been received regarding the phasing out of the Infant Welfare Course. The provision of practical experience for these students is increasingly difficult to obtain.

The Mercy and St. George's Hospitals, the Uniting Church Babies Home, The Royal District Nursing Service, Kindergartens, Day Nurseries and Infant Welfare Centres have been most helpful in assisting our students gain experience.

Negotiations are in progress as to future acceptance here of students for experience from Technical Institutes and Colleges, meanwhile Trained Mothercraft Nurses are now employed in place of trainees.

Sister A. McElroy, Assistant Matron, resigned in September and this position has not yet been filled.

As most staff choose to live away from the Hospital, the need for Nurses home accommodation is now greatly reduced.

Gifts of toys, milk powders & clothes have been most acceptable. The donation from the "Wings Away" Committee of a heated fish tank has provided many happy hours for the toddlers. Both Hospital units appreciate the new Weylux Scales which have a greater accuracy.

The interest and support of the Committee of Management and the Medical Committee has assisted us to maintain good patient care and standard of education.

LORNA M. RICHARDSON
Matron

Health Centre Report

Figures for this year show an increase in attendances and a slight increase in birth notifications.

A large part of the work is centred around the high rise flats, where there is such a great movement of families to and from the area.

We rely on Kindergartens, Social Workers and others working in the area, also the mothers already attending the Infant Welfare Centre to tell us of new young families but I would welcome some surer way of finding those who may need help.

A play group is held weekly for mothers and their first mobile babies and is an opportunity for discussion and learning and friendships.

The Infant Welfare Students spend three weeks in this Infant Welfare Centre and share in all activities including developmental observations and hearing and sight tests. Dr. Murnane continues to provide clinics within the Infant Welfare Centre.

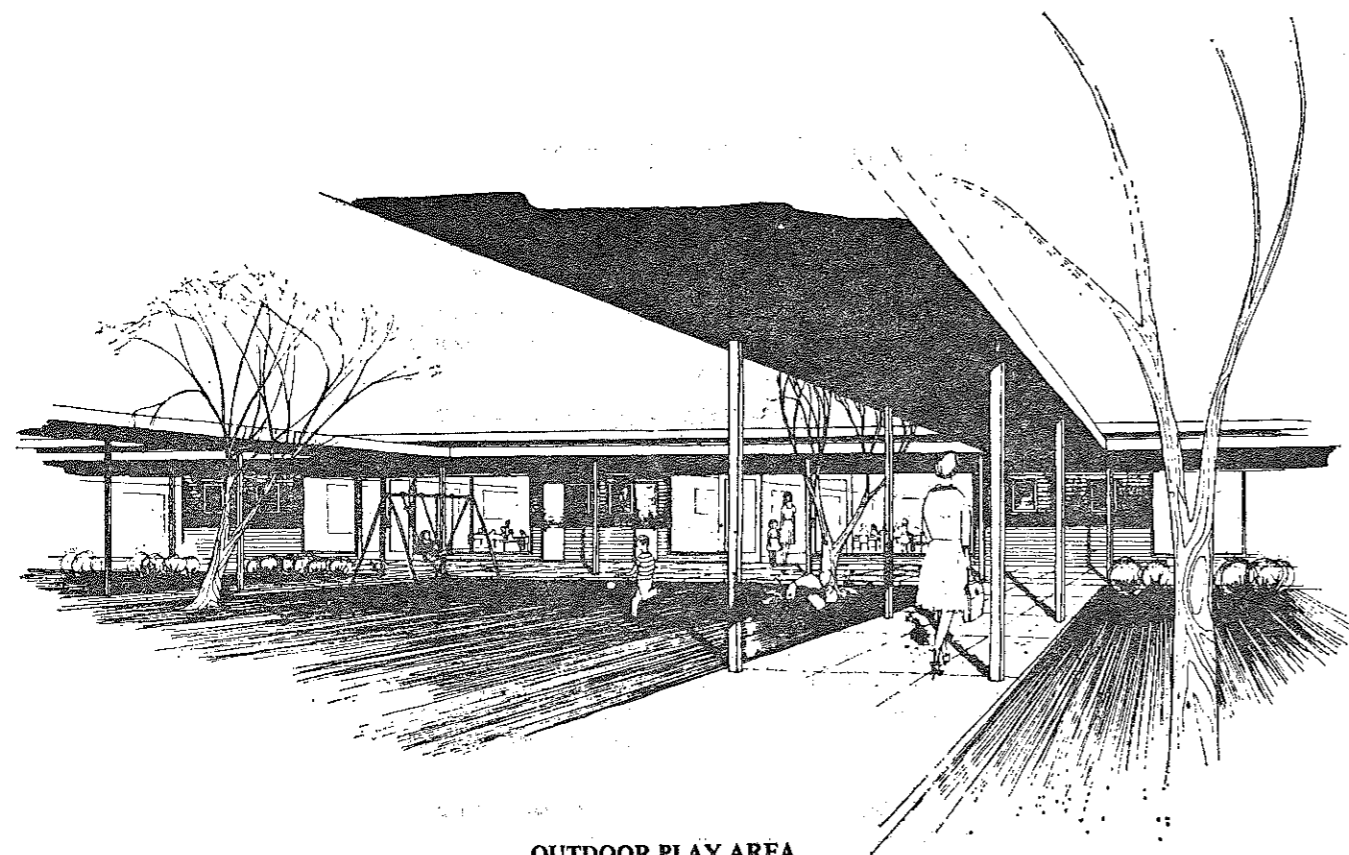
The Family Planning Clinic is held every Tuesday afternoon and is always well attended.

The Infant Welfare Centre is looking attractive with carpeted floors and freshly painted walls.

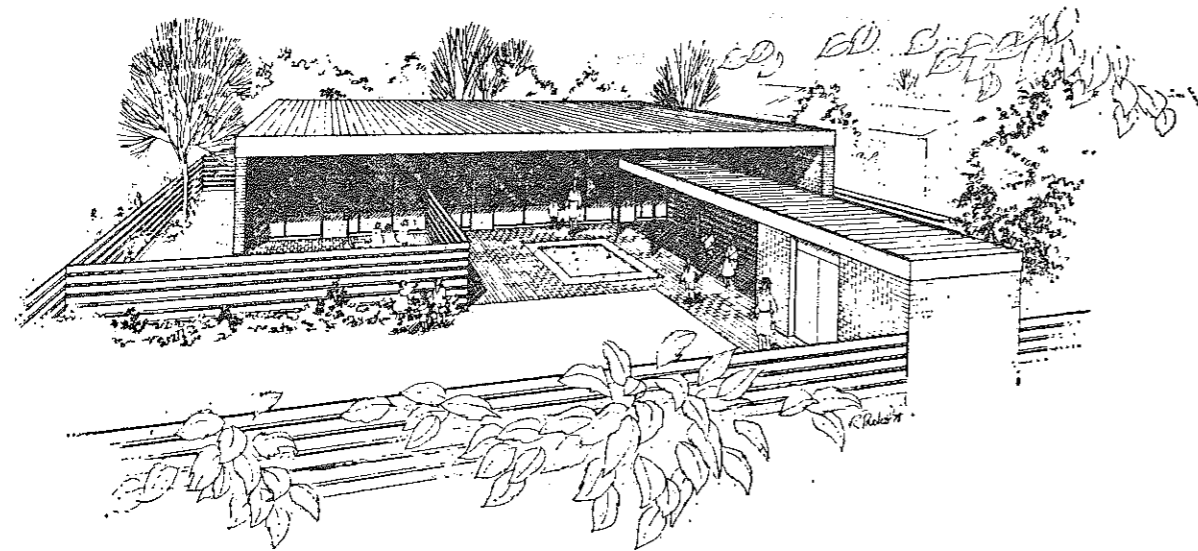
Attendances:

Under 12 months	1424
1 - 2 years	187
2 - 3 years	95
3 - 4 years	98
4 - 5 years	95
5 - 6 years	15
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	1914
Callers	15
Birth Notifications	99
New Enrolments	185
Home Visits	727
Telephone consultations	456

Sister B. Smith
Sister In Charge



OUTDOOR PLAY AREA



NORTHERN ASPECT OF NEW DAY NURSERY

QUEEN ELIZABETH DAY NURSERY

It is said that lucky is the deprived child who finds his way into the Queen Elizabeth Hospital.

No deprived child can ever be considered lucky, but it is true that those who pass through the Queen Elizabeth have their burden vastly lessened. It would be hard to find another place where children are so well cared for, so much loved and made to feel so important as individuals than those at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital.

Since its inception in 1917, the Queen Elizabeth Hospital has won respect for the work it has done with mothers and babies mothers who experience difficulty feeding their infants children with feeding and behavioural difficulties and as a temporary home for children deprived of normal home life through social or health circumstances.

Carlton, where the Queen Elizabeth Hospital is located, is the centre of a high-density residential area, and to the people involved with the hospital the problems are all too obvious.

Just opposite the hospital are many high-rise Housing Commission flats. Carlton and other inner-suburban locations are areas where many mothers are forced to work. There are vast numbers of children in need of day care, but there are insufficient day nurseries to cater for their needs. Many children are simply left to their own devices whilst their parents go out to work, and it is this situation that the Queen Elizabeth Hospital hopes to ease with a day nursery.

Additionally, the day nursery will meet an important training need. The Queen Elizabeth Hospital is a training centre for infant welfare nurses, but currently the nurses have to go outside the hospital for training in a day nursery situation. Once the day nursery is established, every aspect of their training will be available on the spot at Queen Elizabeth.

We expect this Nursery to be operating in October, 1978.

**VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION
INCORPORATING
THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL FOR MOTHERS AND BABIES**

STATEMENT OF BALANCES AS AT 30th JUNE, 1978

1977			
CAPITAL FUNDS			
\$598,347	Hospital Capital		\$611,640
1,721	Isabel Younger Ross Memorial Fund		1,721
11,039	Mary and Grace Turner Fund		11,039
26,688	Edith and Biddy Allen Bequest		26,688
121,818	Day Nursery Project		229,124
			880,212
759,613	TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDS		
6,345	MAINTENANCE FUND		6,345
OPERATING FUND			
	Balance at 1/7/1977	10,242	
	Add Surplus for year transferred from Receipts and Payments Account	22,780	
	Adjustment for Patients and Other Debtors at 30/6/1978	1,190	
	Reimbursement of 1977 Deficit	9,900	44,112
	Deduct Superannuation Adjustment at 30/6/78	435	
10,242	Adjustment for reduction in stock	583	1,018
			43,094
776,200	TOTAL HOSPITAL FUNDS		929,651
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
10,402	Bank Overdraft — Operating Fund		—
786,602			929,651
SPECIFIC PURPOSE FUNDS			
852	Olney Prize	862	
1,190	Margaret E. White Trust	1,190	
581	Playroom Equipment	636	
—	Day Nursery Equipment	2,629	
370	Special Fund for Babies Fees	370	
2,993			5,687
			\$789,595

1977			
FIXED ASSETS			
\$504,707	Buildings at Cost		504,122
42,187	Plant and Equipment at Cost		44,581
—	Day Nursery Building and Equipment at Cost to date		165,785
			714,488
546,894			
CURRENT ASSETS			
1,264	Stock on Hand	681	
18,580	Debtors — Patient Fees	20,340	
745	Other Debtors	175	
55	Cash in Hand	60	
6,345	Cash at Bank — Maintenance Fund	6,345	
—	Cash at Bank — Operating Fund	21,838	
			49,439
26,989			
CAPITAL FUND INVESTMENTS AT COST			
106,403	Investments at Cost	100,133	
22,316	Cash at Bank	22,855	
84,000	National Savings Bank Investment Accounts	42,736	
			165,724
212,719			
			929,651
786,602			
SPECIFIC PURPOSE FUNDS			
1,599	Investments at Cost	1,599	
1,394	Cash at Bank	4,088	
			5,687
2,993			
			\$935,338

**VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION
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THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL FOR MOTHERS AND BABIES**

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS STATEMENT

1977	PAYMENTS	
\$418,346	Salaries and Wages	455,878
2,207	Visiting Medical Officers	1,305
2,677	Superannuation	2,828
70,716	Food Supplies	69,124
3,087	Medical and Surgical	2,542
13,365	Fuel, Light and Power	15,735
22,012	Domestic Charges	29,655
8,054	Maintenance	17,771
19,375	Administrative	20,956
	Surplus for the year — transferred to Operating Funds	22,780
<u>559,839</u>		<u>\$638,574</u>

CAPITAL FUND

598,347	Balance Carried forward 30th June, 1978	611,640
<u>598,347</u>		<u>\$611,640</u>

CAPITAL FUND DAY NURSERY

121,818	Balance Carried forward 30th June, 1978	229,124
<u>\$121,818</u>		<u>\$229,124</u>

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I report that I have examined the Accounts of The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Mothers and Babies for the year ended 30th June, 1978.

These Accounts comprise Statements of Receipts and Payments for the Operating Account from 1st July, 1977, to 30th June, 1978, and for other funds for the year ended 30th June, 1978, the Statement of Balances and supplementary information at 30th June, 1978.

In my opinion, the Statement of Receipts and Payments are properly drawn up in accordance

28th July, 1978.

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1978

1977	RECEIPTS	
\$20,546	Meals and Accommodation	18,708
12,668	Donations	12,596
520	Child Endowment	38
384,242	Commonwealth/State Government Grants	385,479
10,931	Municipal Grants	65
118,270	Patients' Fees	196,940
693	Trainees' Fees	693
5,655	Boarders	7,090
282	Isabel Younger Ross Memorial Hall — net income	2,032
6,032	Deficit for the year — transferred to Operating Fund	—
—	Cost Recoveries	14,933
<u>559,839</u>		<u>\$638,574</u>

588,378	Balance brought forward 1st July, 1977	598,347
1,920	Government Grants	—
217	Donations	3,668
7,832	Interest Received	9,625
<u>598,347</u>		<u>\$611,640</u>

29,412	Balance brought forward 1st July, 1977	121,818
—	Government Grants	70,730
92,406	Donations	29,883
—	Interest Received	6,693
<u>\$121,818</u>		<u>\$229,124</u>

with the accounting instructions issued by the Hospitals and Charities Commission so as to give a true and fair view of the cash situation of the Institution at 30th June, 1978, and of the Receipts and Payments for the period ended on that date. In accordance with these accounting instructions provisions have not been made for Long Service Leave and other accrued liabilities or for depreciation of Buildings, Plant and Equipment.

The accounting and other records examined by me have been properly maintained.

I. L. MURRAY,
Chartered Accountant.

Contributors

VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION

	\$
Australian Paper Manufacturers	3,500.00
Estate of E. G. Batchelor	432.39
Thomas Baker (Kodak) Alice Baker and E. Shaw (Benefactors)	300.00
Percy Baxter Charitable Fund	300.00
Dr. A. Correll	5.00
Estate of the Late Alfred Edmets	250.00
Estate of the Late Alfred Felton	1,400.00
Miss M. C. Johnson	100.00
Kraft Foods	30.00
Estate of the Late Sir Walter Leitch	279.12
Sun News Pictorial "Sunball"	100.00
Estate of the Late Henry Giles Turner	100.00
Walter & Eliza Hall Trust	250.00
Joe White Bequest	200.00
Estate of The Late Edward Wilson	200.00
Lord Mayor's Fund	115.00
	<u>\$7,561.51</u>

MUNICIPALITIES

	\$
City of Malvern (Q.E.H.)	25.00
City of Northcote (Q.E.H.)	30.00
City of South Melbourne (V.B.H.C.A.)	10.00
	<u>\$65.00</u>

COMMITTEE DUES \$42.00

SPECIFIC PURPOSES

	\$
Mrs. D. Anderson	20.00
Caulfield Baby Health Centres Ladies Committee	429.00
Collier Charitable Fund	2,000.00
Mr. E. Hunter	40.00
Infant Welfare Students	11.00
Mrs. A. Sanderson — Birralee Committee	70.00
"Wings Away"	100.00
	<u>\$2,670.00</u>

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL

	\$
Misses A. Curtis, N. Hicks, N. Metzner, V. Metzner	19.68
Fred J. Cato Charitable Fund	20.00
Loreto Convent	25.00
Hospitals and Charities Race Meeting	25.00
Hospital and Charities Sunday Committee	1,420.00
Estate of The Late Mrs. M. E. R. Martin	405.84
Mr. N. J. McMurtrie	5.00
Pethard Tarax Charitable Trust	300.00
R. & L. B. Rapke	10.00
Misses M. Rice & S. Ralph	33.75
Riverside Auxiliary Card Group	100.00
Riverside Auxiliary Card Group (In Memory Mrs. L. Steele)	16.00
Mr. A. J. G. Sinclair, O.B.E., J.P.	20.00
Mrs. N. Stephens	20.00
Mrs. J. D. Wharrie	5.00
J. B. Were & Son	200.00
Lord Mayor's Fund	5,035.00
Lord Mayor's Fund	
The William Angliss (Victoria) Charitable Fund	1,000.00
	<u>\$8,660.27</u>

DONATIONS TO BUILDING FUND

	\$
A.C.I. Fibreglass	10.00
A.N.Z. Banking Group Ltd.	891.86
Archer Edney Travel Pty. Ltd.	250.00
Armstrong Audio/Video Pty. Ltd.	333.00
Art Show	10.50
Barrett Burston (Aust.) Ltd.	50.00
Mrs. M. Breen, O.B.E.	50.00
The Wlm Buckland Foundation Managers & Agents Pty. Ltd.	8,500.00
Campbell Edwards Trust	200.00
City of Melbourne	1,000.00
The Commercial Bank of Aust. Ltd. C.R.A. Services Ltd.	250.00
(Conzinc Riotinto of Aust. Ltd.)	1,000.00
The Danks Trust	500.00
G. S. & P. Darragh	20.00
Mrs. M. Davidson	100.00
Miss A. Dodd	10.00
Dutch Auction	40.00
Estate of the late Alfred Edmets	400.00
N. A. Edwards	500.00
Ego Pharmaceuticals	167.00
Market Fair	21.60
J. Gadsden Pty. Ltd.	333.00
Hallmark Industries	250.00
Estate of the late W. Heath Trust	1,000.00
The Ian Potter Foundation	500.00
I.C.I. Australia Limited	250.00
Jennings Industries Ltd.	500.00
John & Lyng Pty. Ltd.	333.00
Just Jeans Pty. Ltd.	250.00
Linfox Transport Group	666.00
Estate of the late Louisa Henty	250.00
Matthews Timber Pty. Ltd.	250.00
McKay Charitable Trust	1,000.00
Mythin Homes Pty. Ltd.	2,000.00
N.K.S. (Holdings) Limited	200.00
Petersville Australia Ltd.	500.00
Philip Morris Limited	200.00
Estate of the Late George Ramsay	500.00
M. Rice & S. Ralph	141.66
Estate of Daniel Scott	1,000.00
Sheridan-Tennyson	250.00
Mrs. S. Smorgon Trustee for the Smorgon Family Charitable Foundation (Ascartea Pty. Ltd.)	1,500.00
A. K. Stewart	100.00
Estate of the Late T. J. Sumner	150.00
Swann Electrics Pty. Ltd.	333.00
Swann Insurance Limited	833.33
Mrs. A. Latham	3.00
Estate of the Late C. F. N. Taylor Public Charitable Bequest	200.00
Thomas Warburton Pty. Ltd.	20.00

Estate of the late Henry Gyles Turner & Helen Gyles Turner Samaritan Fund	150.00
Mr. N. E. Turner	1,000.00
Vaughan Constructions Pty. Ltd.	333.00
West Footscray Engineering Works Pty. Ltd.	50.00
Estate of the Late Mr. A. M. White	1,000.00
The Truby & Florence Williams Charitable Trust	300.00
Windsor Function	120.00
	<u>\$30,769.95</u>

COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

June 1978.9

The following Table shows the Cash Receipts and Payments in connection with the operating for 3 years to June, 1978, together with statistics relating to patients.

RECEIPTS	1976	1977	1978	1979
Meals and Accommodation	22,858	20,546	18,708	12,576
Donations	10,480	12,668	12,596	15,490
Child Endowment	—	520	38	642
Commonwealth Grants/ State Government Grants	73,808	—	—	8,825
Municipal Grants	276,107	384,242	385,479	14,750
Patients' Fees	3,425	10,931	65	438,124
Trainees' Fees	121,337	118,270	196,940	12,628
Boarders	705	693	693	160,720
Isabel Younger Ross Memorial Hall — net income	5,872	5,655	7,090	609
Deficit for the year	571	282	2,032	5,965
Cost Recoveries	—	6,032	—	808
	—	—	14,933	—
	\$515,163	\$559,839	\$638,574	5,430

PAYMENTS	1976	1977	1978	1979
Salaries and Wages	357,602	418,346	455,878	488,937
Visiting Medical Officers	2,449	2,207	1,305	2,522
Superannuation	3,156	2,677	2,828	2,784
Food Supplies	64,050	70,716	69,124	68,124
Medical and Surgical	2,924	3,087	2,542	3,213
Fuel, Light and Power	12,357	13,365	15,735	18,495
Domestic Charges	21,846	22,012	29,655	30,730
Maintenance	7,995	8,054	17,771	15,537
Administrative	17,517	19,375	20,956	24,285
Surplus for the year — transferred to Operating Funds	25,267	—	22,780	21,940
	\$515,163	\$559,839	\$638,574	676,567

STATISTICAL	
Total Bed Capacity for Nursing Mothers	8
Total Cot Capacity for Infants 0-1	14
Toddlers 1-2	4
Pre-School 2-3	4
Pre-School over 3 years	4 and 2 beds
DAILY AVERAGE of occupied beds and cots during the year:	
Mothers	2.29 1.8
Nursing Mothers	2.80 3.2
Breast fed babies	2.90 3.38
Artificial fed babies (Under 12 months)	
Premature	0.43 0.35
Delicate	
Normal	6.51 7.2
Toddlers	1-2 years 3.73 3.49
Pre-School	2-3 years 2.22 3.09
Pre-School	Over 3 years .85 0.47

ADMISSION TO HOSPITAL	
Mothers	256 248
Babies	508 450
	<u>764 698</u>
Number of Lectures given in each course of Infant Welfare training:	
Ante-natal	8
Post-natal	42
Posture Work	2
Public Speaking	2
Demonstrations	8
Observation of Demonstrations	13
Clinics	10
Theory	85 Hours
	averaging 5 hours per week

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110 Keppel Street, Carlton

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Form of Bequest Clause
Which may be included in a Will

I,.....bequeath
to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Mothers and Babies, 110
Keppel Street, Carlton, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria
.....(here state bequest)
and I direct that the said bequest be applied to*.....
.....Fund. I further direct that the said bequest
shall be paid free of duty, and that the receipt of the Treasurer
for the time being of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Mothers
and Babies shall be sufficient discharge for the payment thereof.

*Here insert one of the following funds — Building or Equipment.
Maintenance.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Mothers and Babies invites you
to assist its work by —

Contributing to Building or Equipment funds.

Gifts of eggs, flowers, fruit, linen, babies' clothing, etc.

Joining or forming an Auxiliary.

All gifts will be gratefully acknowledged.

Donations of \$2.00 or more to the Hospital are allowable
as deductions for income tax purposes.