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## STAMELEN A Very Successful Year For The Ross Hospital

THE YEAR CLOSES WITH A SMALL SURPLUS - EXCOURAGING RE-PORTS FROM ALL DEPARTMENTS-PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING.

The annuanl meeting of the Ross | kept open for the exercise of the good-Council chamber Thursay with Mr. maintenance has again been made by J. D. Flavelle, chairman of the Board the Ladies' Hospital Association, of Governors, presiding. Among those amounting to \$105.34, for which thanks in attendance were: Mr. John Carew, ar heartily recorded. Flavelle, Mr. Robt. Ross, Rev. Mr. acceptable gift. Marsh, Mr. J. M. McLennan, Mrs. | Court Kinmount No. 703, I. O. F. Ross hospital.

Mr. J. R. McNeillie, the secretary- prciated. treasurer, read the minutes of the The usual liberal grants were made

The Secertary-Treasurer's annual re- The number of patients under treatport was then presented. This was a ment for the year was 232. The expenclear and interesting history of the hos- ture for maintenance was \$8,284.91, pital and its affairs for the year. The which, divided by 5,195, the total report was adopted without any dis- number of days' stay of patients cussion, except that of congratula- shows the cost per patient per day lation for the excellent condition of to be \$1.59. The cost per day in the

Secretary-Treasurer's Report.

The Board of Governors beg to submit their report for the year commencing October 1st, 1907, and ending September 30th, 1908.

A hospital that has been in active operation for six years has passed fro mthe initial stage and has en-Office over Canadian Bank of Com- tered upon a steady and assured merce, corner Kent and William-sts. course in the service of the interests Entrance on William-st Phone 272 .- the needs of which led to its eing established. The remark applies with force to the work of the Ross Memorial Hospital which from year to year has been efficient in an increasing degree, and has proved to be so great a factor as to fasten its claims upon the community as an indispensable institution.

In consequence of the removal of Mr. Robert Bryans to the Province of Alberta his position as a Governor became vacant. His resignation was accepted with sincere regret. Mr. Bryans was appointed under the Act tion against the assaults of of Incorporation. During the five Old Boreas and his ally, Jack years in which he occuiped the position he was constant in attendance at the meetings of the Board and devoted himself earnestly and cheerfully to the promotion of the interests of the hospital. The vacancy has been filled by the appointment of Mr, John Carew, whom the remaining members of the Board were pleased to find willing to take upon himself the duties of the office.

The Board place on record with times a winter coat should great regret the removal by death of have. The proof of this lies in the two senior members of the Medthe fact that young men, as ical Staff, Dr. P. P. Burrows and Dr. well as old, are placing theit W. L. Herriman, both of whom ren-

In the course of the year there was prices. Try us-we aim to received a bequest of one hundred dollars made by the late John Kennedy, esq. The amount has been placed in the Endowment Fund. It by so estimable a citizen,

creased by the bequest mentioned, and the payment of subscriptions to Lindsay, 115, Cunty of Victoria 89, the sum of \$17,875.85. For the year other countries in Ontario 26. United now closed the income of the Fund yielded the sum of \$841.06 towards the cost of maintenance.

The total of receipts for mainten-The best goods are always the ance in 1907-8 was \$8,326.69; the total cheapest, particularly when you get of expenditure for maintenance was them at the same price as low grade \$8,284.91, showing a surplus for the the number was 14. goods. Now, our customers are all of deducted the deficit on October let

Owing to the existing conditions in connection with the purchase of coal good for the best people, so the best under which the lowest price prevails meetings upon the first Monday of under which the lowest price prevails advice I can give you is to try your in the months of April and May, the each month, with the exception of best to be with that crowd of the best supply for the ensuing twelve months June, July, August, and September. people and buy your goods at the best has to be purchased in one of the months named. This was done in ecutive and one special meeting. store in town, the Oak Front Grocery. 1907 an dagain in 1908. At the end P.S.—Give our Boston Luxury Cof- of the institutional year in 1907 the taken place. The resignation of Miss fee a trial. Its heavy, rich flavor will value of the coal purchased and not Steers, as corresponding secretary was delivered was deducted from the received and accepted on account of amount paid and only the net ocst her leaving Lindsay and the office fuel for the year was shown in the was filled by Mrs. Dundas. accounts. The Board deem it in-ad- At the beginning of this year's work visable to continue the practice of it was thought advisable to ask ladies takin stock of fuel, The amount ap- living in the villages in the county ward for the precedin gyear and the by the President. The following ing the hospital work successful. payments for the fuel needed until ladies were written to, and some of TUIIUU May, 1909, and is therefore abnormal- them expressed their willingness to ly large, That element will not be become members: Mrs. Nie, Feneand settle right now is, "Where shall present in ensuing years. The excess lon Falls; Mrs, Stewart, Bobcaygeon; delighted to be connected with the Ro I buy my Winter Suit or Overcoat?" of expenditure for fuel thus caused Mrs. Clark, Omemee; Mrs. Dix. and Do you want a superb fit, style be- is, however, partially set off by the Mrs, Rogers, Little Britain. the test, weaves the best in the old plies purchased in September was not land? The plies purchased in September was the paid within the month, as was the Hospital and its great appreciation of sc excellent an institution. When paid within the monun, as was Hospital, and its great appreciation plished he felt that all that he could practice in former years, the accounts in Little Britain and vicinity.

not being apssed and apid until Oc- in Little Britain and vicinity. tober. The effect of the changes in accounting will be that in future years the total of expenditures for son, to make twelve children's bed-

Memorial Hospital Board of Govern-, will of the people of of the County. ors and Associates took place in the A contribution to the equipment and

in New Autumn Mr. Thomas Stewart, Mrs. J. C. The Baseball League of the town Grace, Mr. J. R. McNeillie, Mr. Wm. made a contribution of \$10.30, a very

J. M. McLennan, Miss Dunsford, has earned a further expression of Mrs. A. B. McIntyre, Mrs. Geo. Mills. thanks by making a donation of \$5.00. Mrs. G. G. Edwards, Dr. A. E. Vroo- A visitor to the town, Mr. Silas man, Miss Millar, superintendent, and Ray, who found it necessary to take Miss Vida Barker head nurse in the treatment in the Hospital, made a donation of \$20.00, a gift much ap-

last meeting, which were adopted as by the County of Victoria and the Town of Lindsay.

previous. year was \$1.45, and the average for six years was \$1.56.

A classification of the patients by wards and days is as follows:

Free, 743; paying 50 cents per day, 2,029, total, 2,772; semi-private, 2,076; private, 347; ttal days, 5,195. By wards the receipts by the Secre-

tary-Treasurer from patients were as Public wards, 2,011 days, \$1,005,58; semi-private wards, 2,099 days, \$2,-099,50; private wards, 352 days,

\$616,00; total, 4,462 days, \$3,721,08-

The graduation of nurses took place on June 9th. The ceremonies were held in the Academy of Music, and the event attracted much interest. Addresses were given by the resident clergymen, by Dr, F, A, Blanchard, representing the medical staff and by Dr. G. A. Bingham, of Toronto, Diplmas and badges were conferred upon the following ladies, as having completed the three years' course of training. viz: Miss Sarah E. Garbutt. Miss Dora E. Wallace. Miss Robina I Beatty. Miss Estella H, Hickson and Miss Mary I. Costello. Apart from any formal commendation of the ladies who have graduated, the Board desire to express earnest appreciation of their high personal qualities and

their skill and ability. The Board have pleasure in expressing the assurance that the work of the hospital has been carried on throughout the year with great effi-

Statistics.

The average stay of patients in the hospital was 22,39, Dormitory capacity in bed, 23, Num-

ber of beds made up, 23, ing the year was 232, Of these, 197 erintendent and her assistants, were Prtestant and 35 Roman Catho- During the year we have furnished In reply Mr. Flavelle said that the was gratifying to receive so substantial and symbol to hospital: Sateen, towelling, flan towelling, flan to hospital: Sateen, towelling, flan to hospital: Sateen, towelling, flan to hospital: Sateen, towelling, flan tow male patients, in nationalities the patients, and fruit, The fruit inpatients classed as follows: Canada, wheel chairs, and fruit, The fruit inpatients classed as follows: Canada, cluded 129 jars from Lindsay, 10 from
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> States 1, other countries 1. There were 202 patients discharged during the year. 16 deaths and

Th number of patients on Oct, 1st, 1907, was 18, and on Sept, 30th, 1908,

Report of Ladies' Auxiliary Board. Mrs. A. B. McIntyre read the fourth annual report of the Ladies' Auxiliary Board, which was adopted as follows: During the past year this Auxiliary

Board has held its regular monthly There was one meeting of the ex-

One change in the membership has

pearing in the present accounts is to become members of this Board to made up of the balance brought for- assist in any work when called upon

> In March there was a "sewing bee" held at the home of Mrs Fred Knowl-

The appeal made to the churches of Board, and the sum of \$21,00 was

s, the Board will entinue to hope and store of \$102.41. These two teas were en- of Governors. Their work had been for Brooks.



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fidence have prevailed between the and the older members of the Board and he moved a very hearty vote of Medical Staff and the Lady Superin- have been relieved of any hard work thanks to them, Mr, Marsh also during the past year.

House Committee and their report al- noticed in the staff there. ways speaks of the cheerful way with Mr, Robt, Ross seconded this ex-The number of patients treated dur- which they are received by the Sup- pression of appreciation, and it was

Treasurer's Report.

Ladies' Auxiliary Board, read the very broader and kinder. gratifying financial report of that helpful organization, After a busy and profitable year, in which much help had been given the hospital, the report showed a balance of over \$480 on hand.

Work of the Ladies Appreciated, Mr, J, D. Flavelle, chairman of the Board, expressed the deep gratitude of the Governors and the people in general for the splendid assistance given ent, and the excellent staff of the hosby the Ladies' Auxiliary. He also pital. thanked the ladies of the town generally for their generous support, and the same good word was given to the Board on the excellent progress made local newspaper for their kindness, by the hospital. He also referred to tinent he found two pure bred polled During the year the work of the Board | the good work that would be accom- | Hereford calves, and purchased them. of Governors had gone along smothly plished for the general health if the It is found that a polled animal matand successfully, and on behalf of the ozone method of treatment of Governors he expressed very sincere town water proved as beneficial as it thanks to all who had helped to this promised to do. He touched on the good end. He thanked the Town and medical qualities of ozone and quoted the County for financial and general medical authorities as showing that pure breds. The advantage of the assistance, and had a special word in conclusion for the ladies and the medical men of town, who had so generously and ably assisted in mak-

Mr, John Carew, one of the new members on the Board, said he was he was only too pleased to do any-At the January meeting Mrs, Dix thing he could to further the interests that the time used in such a cause was exceedingly well spent.

Mr, Thomas Stewart endorsed fully maintenace will be the holling amount for a full period of twelve ly gave a benefit for this Auxiliary what had been said, He felt that nothing could be added to better exwhat had been said, He felt that position and prestige of the hospital,

ciency, and that harmony and con- tirely in the hands of the young ladies faithful, diligent, and conscientious, The work of visiting the Hospital spoke of the kindness he had always each month has been done faithfully received at the hospital, and the by Mr. Mills or some member of the sympathetic co-operation always to be

carried heartily. lic position in town. To assist in this firm. Mr. Boyd had tried cross-Mrs, McLennan, the treasurer of the such good work makes a man better, ing with polled Angus, but in this way

Mr. J. McLennan. Mr. McLennan briefly expressed the general opinion as to the work accomplished by the Ross Memorial Hospital. The thanks of the people went out to all who had assisted in this work. Mr. McLennan also made reference to the able and kindly service of Miss Miller ,the superintend-

Dr. A. E. Vrooman.

Dr. Vrooman congratulated the ture. ozone was helpful in curing certain diseases as well as preventing such troubles as arise from impure water The Nurses' Home.

whether the project of building the It is the intention of the firm to offer most helpful organization of ladies. nurses' home had been dropped. In this lot of young cattle and cows at who have done so much for the adreply Mr. Flavelle said that no deci- Windsor on Monday, No. 30th. They vancement of the hospital will be consion could be made until a conference will leave here about the 20th, so as tinued with increased energy. The had been held with Mr. Ross, the to be on view at the Windsor Driving following are the officers elected for founder of the hospital. Mr. Ross Park Association stables for a week the ensuing year: was away at present, but on his re- before the sale, at which Col. R. E. turn the matter would be taken up.

Mr. Flavelle, Chairman. Mr. J. D. Flavelle was again appointed chairman of the Board. Mr. D. A. Eagleson was, on motion, appointed auditor for the year.

## Thoroughbred Herd Of Polled Herefords

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pital board than hold any other pub- Herefords, a new type originated by there was the difficulty of getting rid of the Angus, and the progress was too slow. Many years ago Mendort made most important discoveries in experimenting with plant life, but his book in some way got shelved and forgotten, until a few years ago some one found it and gave it an address. Since then breeders have been applying the Mendort theories in breeding animals, and with marked results. Mr. Boyd found that on a rare occasion a polled Hereford was produced by what was looked upon as a freak of na-

After a careful search of the coned with a horned animal will produce about half the calves polled. In the breeding of the present herd there has ben no crossing, all the animals being polled animals are immense, in the dangers of the horns being removed. Auxiliary of the Ross Memorial Hos-In a few days a Government inspec- pital was held last week. A very tor is to test the animals for tuber- pleasing annual report was presented, cle, as it is probable that most of and there is every indication that the Mr. J. G. Edwards inquired as to the lot will be purchased for export. excellent work in the past of this Edmonson will preside.

### "WEESE'S BAZAAR."

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place of business in the Bank of Commerce block on William-st., recalls old times to many of our citizens. A Dundas. WILL BE SENTENCED ON 17TH. quarter of a century or so ago the late Geo. A. Weese, of Toronto, conducted Wm. Brooks, charged with the a prosperous business on Kent-st. un. The sweet, sad years, the sun, the pital Sunday has yielded \$175.05, compared with \$303.01 in the previous pared with \$303.01 in the previous Hughes, south ward, and the other at words of praise for the Ladies' Aux. pared with \$303.01 in the previous words of praise for the Ladies' Aux-was remanded for sentence till the townsmen, when looking about for a lorse, pleaded guilty before ton Weese, second son of our former than the fact that fewer was remanded for sentence till the townsmen, when looking about for a lorse, pleaded guilty before ton Weese, second son of our former to the same name, hence Mr. Clay-ton Weese, second son of our former to the ladies' Aux-was remanded for sentence till the townsmen, when looking about for a lorse, pleaded guilty before ton Weese, second son of our former to the ladies' Aux-was remanded for sentence till the townsmen, when looking about for a lorse, pleaded guilty before to a lo year. The reason for the decrease is to quickly did they wane, to be found in the fact that fewer to be found in the fact that fewer to be found in the fact that fewer north ward. These were very success- the general gratitude felt by the public to be found in the fact that fewer north ward. These were very success- the general gratitude felt by the public to be found in the fact that fewer north ward. These were very success- the general gratitude felt by the public to be found in the fact that fewer north ward. These were very success- the general gratitude felt by the public to be found in the fact that fewer north ward. These were very success- the general gratitude felt by the public to t to be found in the fact that responded, but congregations have responded, but morth ward. These were very success- lic for the excellent work of the Board cuted and Mr. I. F. Weldon appeared to add bore; Merchants, if you want business, if you want

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