

HOSPITAL NOTES

MONTHLY donations, eight dollars.

THE HOSPITAL is greatly in need of repainting and freshening up, but the funds are lacking.

THROUGH the generosity of a friend the pantry has been supplied with a dumb waiter.

DR. LLOYD POLLOCK, who so ably filled the position of resident physician in our hospital for the past year, has gone to his home, Fort Worth, Texas, where he will assist his father in looking after one of the largest practices in that city.

WE WOULD like to have a pound party every month. A full larder maketh a glad hospital.

THE TOTAL hospital receipts last month were \$670.50; of this, eight dollars represented the aid received from outside.

THIS IS A good time of the year to pay off coal bills, as they have stopped growing. Won't you help us to square up ours, so we can make better terms for next season's supply.

THE MAN who painted the front steps the first time decamped, probably to save lynching.

ALL DONATIONS to the hospital are acknowledged in the Record; no private notes of receipt are sent, unless the donation is made to the Woman's Auxiliary, through its secretary.

THERE ARE four cases at present in the Maternity Annex, and five applications for accommodation for this month.

THE NUMBER of patients treated in the hospital from Nov. 1, 1900, to May 3, 1901, was 94, and from Nov. 1, 1901, to May 3, 1902, 142, a fair showing of gain for the half year.

AS A NUMBER of complaints have reached the committee of management about people not knowing where or to whom to send subscriptions; we would say try addressing the treasurer, Dr. E. M. Morgan, care of the hospital, and he will see that all such complaints are remedied.

SEVERAL NOTICES have been received from the post office authorities, indicating that some of our subscribers have failed to notify us of their change of address.

LAST YEAR'S subscriptions were \$300.00 less than those of the previous year and this year's bid fair to show a greater falling off.

THE next monthly meeting of the Committee of Management will be held on Monday, May 19, instead of May 26.

THE LADY SUPERINTENDENT says, in her report to the Committee of Management, "April has been a very busy month and the nurses have been a credit to the school."

OWING TO the illness of the treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary, no financial report has been prepared this month.

THE LIST of acknowledgments published in this issue may not be complete, owing to parcels and donors' names getting separated. We will remedy this in next month's Record.

DON'T YOU think it would be well to send in now a portion of the subscription you mean to give later on. It will save you from worrying about the whole of it during the summer holidays.

WE WOULD like to celebrate the coronation by a distribution of money among our creditors. Do you think we can manage it?

THE DISPENSARY is open every week day from 11.30 a. m. to 1 p. m. for the free advice and treatment of the deserving poor, a fee of 10 cents for medicine being charged those who can pay. If you know of any poor people in need of medical services tell them about our outdoor department.

DON'T YOU think you could afford to give the hospital, say twenty-five dollars on condition that it raises a like amount, in a reasonable time; if it cannot, you get your money back, so you may not have to part with it after all. Try it.

ELDERLY CENTENARIANS.

A despatch from Athens records the death at Khuti, Albania, of Ismael Hudjo, said to have been the oldest man in the world. It is said that he was 160 years old. He leaves 200 descendants. Mrs. Ann Taylor, one of the historical characters of the city of St. Joseph, Mo., died there recently aged 110 years. For more than a century she had been addicted to the use of tobacco and liquor.