

FEMALE INFIRMARY

FOR THE

SICK AND DESTITUTE

OF

ALL DENOMINATIONS.

Patronesses :

MRS. KENNEDY, | LADY DOUGLAS.

President :

MRS. HILLS.

MANAGING COMMITTEE :

MRS. CRIDGE	MRS. PEARSE,
MRS. HILLS	MRS. FIDWELL,
MRS. HARRIS	MRS. WOOD,
MRS. M'DONALD,	MRS. B. WOODS.

GENERAL COMMITTEE :

The Managing Committee and ~~the~~ the Collectors. *dele*

MEDICAL ATTENDANTS :

DR. ASH.	DR. HIGGIN,
DR. DAVIE.	DR. POWELL,
DR. DICKSON,	DR. TRIMBLE.

The Female Infirmary is supported by monthly subscribers, whose contributions are received by Ladies, who visit from house to house in the districts respectively assigned to them for that purpose.

The medical attendants render their services gratuitously in monthly rotation; each also conducting to its termination the case which he first attended.

The internal duties of the Infirmary are wholly performed by one person, Mrs Ford as Matron, Nurse, and Housekeeper, who receives for her services \$25 per month wages, and \$5 per week for board, together with fuel and lights. *dele*

The Ladies of the Managing Committee visit the Infirmary in monthly rotation.

PATIENTS *dele*

Patients have been admitted into the Infirmary during the past year (most) of which have been cases of great severity. Of these, three have died, and ~~three~~ *several* have been discharged convalescent. ~~The Infirmary~~ *many* has been a blessing in time of need to the suffering women. *All since*

During the past year, Mrs Harris resigned the office of President, and received the unanimous thanks of the Association for her energetic discharge of its duties. By a unanimous vote of the Association, Mrs Hills was elected President. *dele*

The refusal of the House of Assembly to assist the Infirmary may justify a few words of explanation. Before the Ladies' Association was formed, no provision was made for the sick of the female sex. The Royal Hospital being designed only for men, the surgery, the kitchen, the clothes room, became in turn, in case of emergency, the extempore female ward. The promoters of the Female Infirmary provided for their first patients in private houses. Afterwards, the Managers of the Royal Hospital, having acquired additional accommodation, appropriated a Ward to the use of the Ladies' Committee, who fitted it up at their own expense, paying the Managers \$8 a week for each patient, and \$5 a week for their nurse's board.

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