

This Service is one which involves an amount of work out of all proportion to the money involved, but those members who undertake this work are rewarded by the knowledge that it is one of "the little things which make all the difference" to the health of the babies under their care.

The popularity of the Club can be judged by the fact that some 80 parcels of vegetables are sold every clinic day. Margarine sales of 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. each week indicate that here also a definite need is being met.

The weekly purchases of vegetables over the past year have been augmented by the generosity of the New Muckleneuk Market Gardens who have each week donated an amount of 3/6d. worth of vegetables to the Club.

The cost of this Club to the Association at the end of the year under report was averaging approximately 15/- a month -- a small expenditure for such a great good.

Sales of the Vegetable and Margarine Club for 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ months amounted to £ 3- 6- 8.

Sales of Infant Foods for the 12 months of the financial year amounted to £15- 8- 8.

THE CRECHE.

Joint Conveners of Sub-Committees:	Mrs. M. Philip, Mrs. E. Rodseth.
Vice Convener of Sub-Committees:	Mrs. M. Prozesky.
Sub-Committees:	Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. D. Pocock, Mrs. A. W. Stead.
Staff:	
Head Mistress:	Mrs. W. Chuene.
Assistant Mistresses:	Miss G. B. Sibanyoni, Miss M. Mgole, Miss M. N. Magoba.
Cook:	Mrs. S. Malebye.
Assistant Cook and Domestic Assistant:	Mrs. R. Monareng.

There have been few changes in the personnel of the Creche Staff during the year. Mrs. Sannie Malebye was appointed Cook in November to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation, for domestic reasons, of Mrs. T. Ditshego. In her culinary arts as well as the cleanliness and neatness of the kitchen premises Mrs. Malebye has come fully up to the exacting standards required from the incumbent of this important position in the everyday life of the Creche. In November also Miss Minette N. Magoba joined the Staff as an additional Assistant Mistress, assuming duty under somewhat

difficult circumstances due to the absence on leave of two of the regular Staff Mistresses. Her success with the children was immediate and as a permanent member of the team she has since continued to fit in and to pull her full weight.

During the absence of the Head Mistress on two months accumulated leave in December and January Miss Mgole carried out the duties of that position efficiently and to the full satisfaction of your Committee.

At the end of the previous year the number of children on the roll was officially 144. When, however, deduction is made of those children whose names continued to figure on the roll pending payment of arrears of fees after they had left, the actual number on the roll and in attendance at 1st July, 1952 was 109. During the year under report new admissions numbered 63 and those who left numbered 46, this making the number on the roll at 30th June, 1953 126.

Details of this overall increase in the Roll are:

Roll at 1st July, 1952.	109	(boys 53, girls 56)
Admissions during the year	<u>63</u>	(boys 29, girls 34)
	172	
Number left during the year	<u>46</u>	(boys 22, girls 24)
Roll at 30th June, 1953	126	(boys 60, girls 66)

Analysis of the records shows the various causes of children leaving during the year to be as follows:-

- 26 Children graduated into Primary School on reaching the age limit of 7 years.
- 11 Children left on the removal of their parents from the district.
- 8 Children left because their parents could no longer continue to afford the fees.
- 1 Child died as the result of an infection contracted outside the Creche while recovering from an attack of measles.
- 46 Children in all.

Last year the figures under the first three categories were, respectively, 12, 27, and 28, and these figures were, in proportion to each other, also representative of the years which preceeded them. This year there was an increase of more than 100% in the number of children who only left on graduating into Primary School at the age of 7, a decrease of more than 50% in the number who left on removal of their parents from the district, and a decrease of approximately 70% in the number of those who left because their parents could no longer continue to afford the fees. These figures have a very considerable significance, indicating, as they do, a much higher percentage of "stable population" and a much lower percentage of "floating population". Children who enter the Creche when one year old and remain until they reach school going age must, of course, in the nature of things, benefit more than

those, less fortunate, whose sojourn with us covers only a portion of this six years span.

During the period under report the Creche was open for 302 days and the total attendances over that period numbered 24,115. This gives an average of 79.85 children in attendance each day. The discrepancy between this daily average attendance and the numbers in attendance during each month, as shown in the following table, is largely accounted for by the very much reduced attendances on Saturday mornings when most working mothers are at home and therefore able to look after their children themselves.

	Days in Month.	Number of Children in Attendance	Total Number of Attendances.
<u>1952</u>			
July	27	108	1,904
August	26	105	2,021
September	25	107	2,109
October	26	106	2,153
November	25	102	1,924
December	24	91	1,738
Let $\frac{1}{2}$ Year	<u>153</u>	Average <u>103.1</u>	Total <u>11,849</u>
<u>1953</u>			
January	26	100	2,048
February	24	107	2,002
March	26	112	2,283
April	23	113	1,999
May	26	103	1,936
June	24	106	2,038
2nd $\frac{1}{2}$ Year	<u>149</u>	Average <u>106.8</u>	Total <u>12,306</u>
Full Year	<u>302</u>	Average <u>105</u>	Total <u>24,155</u>

The corresponding figures for last year were:

301 103.16 23,500

From the foregoing tabulation it will be seen that the increase in the number of children attending the Creche, while it has slowed down over the past year, has not stopped altogether.

The following details of income from month to month throughout the year under report serve to indicate the financial responsibilities of your Committee in respect of the Creche.

	Parents' Fees.	Subsidy claimed from Department of Social Welfare.	TOTAL.
July	17-13- 7	69- 9- 9	87- 3- 4
August	26-11- 3	75-15- 9	102- 7- 0
September	23-12- 4	51-19- 6	75-11-10
October	21- 8-10	79- 1- 9	100-10- 7
November	23-18-11	72- 3- 0	96- 1-11
December	14-18- 3	64- 5- 6	79- 3- 9
January	21-16- 8	76-10-99	98- 7- 5
February	25-16- 5	75- 1- 6	100-17-11
March	23- 7- 6	84- 6- 0	107-13- 6
April	23- 8-10	75- 8- 3	98-17- 1
May	20-13-10	73-18- 3	94-12- 1
June	23- 8-11	76- 8- 6	99-17- 5
	£ 226-15- 4	£ 874- 8- 6	£ 1,141- 3-10
Add payment of disputed Claims		90- 3- 9	90- 3- 9
		£ <u>964-12- 3</u>	£ <u>1,231- 7- 7</u>

Corresponding totals for last year were:

£ 251- 9- 0 £ 880-16- 0 £ 1,132- 5- 0

(The comparatively small amount of £51-19-6 received from the Department of Social Welfare in September is due to a deduction of £27-2-3 for claims disallowed. This was subsequently recovered and is included in the amount shown as payment of disputed claims.)

In view of the comparatively slight increase in the attendances, the increase of £15-6-4 in the amount of fees paid by parents has considerable significance. Last year your Committee had to report an amount of £38-6-5 outstanding for fees overdue at the end of that financial year. This year, for the first time since the Creche began to operate, a reduction in the amount outstanding can be recorded: fees overdue at the end of the financial year now under report stood at £35-5-1, a reduction of £3-1-4 over the previous twelve months. It is, moreover, worthy of note that out of this £35-5-1 only £11-5-7 is owed by parents with children at present attending the Creche, the balance of £23-19-6 standing against parents whose children have left the creche over the past five years. For this happy state of affairs the Headmistress, Mrs. Chuene, and her deputy, Miss Mgole, are to be thanked and congratulated.

Last year the Creche feeding costs worked out at 6.47 pence per child per day. In the calculation of these costs cooks' salaries were included together with the cost of all foodstuffs, fuel, water purchased, etc., and the salary of an assistant cook for seven months accounted for .17 pence of this amount.

This year, calculated on the same basis, the cost of feeding the children in the Creche works out at 7.08 pence per child per day, of which the Assistant cook's salary for twelve months represents .36 of a penny. Increase in the cost of feeding the children has therefore gone up by .61 pence over the previous year, .25 pence of which (or $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per child per day) is attributable to the increased cost of foodstuffs.

Notwithstanding these increasing costs, no change has been made in the menu of the Creche and the children have continued throughout the year to receive three good meals a day which constitute a balanced diet with adequate calorie value and crude protein content for each child according to age and with ample surplus to meet all metabolic idiosyncrasies. Each day's menu includes Milk, Margarine and Fruit with Meat Fish or Eggs.

Mr. F. E. B. Struben has continued throughout the year to donate one gallon of milk per day to the Creche, and our Chairman has given numerous contributions of fresh vegetables. To Mrs. Pollock and other ladies on the Committee who have acted as depots, transport and purchasing agents for our fish and margarine supplies respectively our thanks are due and must be recorded,

When the Association first started operating the Creche in 1848 the fees payable by parents were fixed by the Committee at 5/- per month for each single child and 3/8 per month each for two or more children in the same family. In 1949, when the payment of the Creche Staff salaries became the responsibility of the Association, the boarding fee for Staff members was fixed at £2 per month. Since 1948 the Cost of Living Index has, according to official figures, risen from 146.7 to 190.6. Notwithstanding this steep rise in the cost of living, no increase whatsoever has been made by the Association in its fees charged for children in the Creche and no increase has been made in the Staff boarding fees although all staff members in receipt of Cost of Living Allowances have received the statutory increases in these allowances from time to time. So far as your Committee can gather this position is unique among creches qualifying for the Government per caput per diem subsidy.

One further fact in this connection has particular significance: During the whole of this period the Government subsidy per child has remained stationary — i.e. without any increase, proportionate or otherwise, to the increase in the cost of living.

The implications of cost of living index figures cannot always be appreciated in terms of these figures per se. The statement that with a rise of only 3.43% in the attendances at the Creche, the cost of foodstuffs for the year has gone up by 18.73% over the previous year may have significance for those statistically inclined. Translated into terms of £. S. D., which everyone can understand, these figures and percentages represent an increase of £114-12-2 (previous year £614-11-8, this year £729-3-10) for an increase of only 806 in a total of 24,306 attendances. A proportionate increase would be in the vicinity of £20.

The Christmas Party, this year organised by Mrs. Prozesky, was the usual gastronomical success which all have come to expect. It was, however, rendered outstanding on this occasion by the gift to each child from the Creche and the Infant Welfare Clinic of a toy to take home as its own individual, personal possession. This gift was made possible only by the generosity of Mrs. Isa Murray's Committee and some six other donors who gave the toys for distribution. The cost of the party — to the Association — was this year £4-6-6, which low figure can be attributed only to the generosity of those many donors who each year contribute the bulk of the refreshments, solid and liquid, from their own resources.

No report on the Creche activities in this Coronation Year would be complete without reference to the fervid and enthusiastic rendering of the National Anthem by the children on 27th June. With less than 10 days preparation they were word and note perfect — to an extent which defied competition and inspired emulation.

THE PADDLING POOL



A STUDY IN CONCENTRATION

HEALTH VISITING.

Sub-Committee: Mrs. M. de Vaal.

The Home Health Visiting Service has not only continued to maintain the high standard reached during the previous year but has been able to add thereto. Some 706 separate individual homes were visited during the course of the year under report as against 659 for the previous year. Repeat visits to these homes numbered 178, thus slightly bettering last year's figure of 160 and bringing the total number of visits during the year up to 884. Last year's total was 819.

While these visits have continued to feature the usual talks and guidance on cleanliness in the home and its surroundings, nutrition and other subjects, talks on child care and demonstrations of various procedures in the care and nurture of infants are more in evidence than ever before. This practical follow up of the work of the Infant Welfare Clinic in the homes of these babies is one of the most valuable and encouraging features of this Service. Analysis of the figures show a remarkable steadiness in the number of visits made each month throughout the year.

VEGETABLE CLUB.

Sub-Committee: Mrs. M. Philip,
Mrs. M. Prozesky.

The Vegetable Club which started by filling a very definite need of the community at Eastwood died in the first week of August, 1952 with a turnover of £3-10/- for the last five weeks of its existence. With the membership reduced to the Association's own Staff members, who in any case can always purchase their requirements from the Association's contractor supplying the Creche, need for any organisation ceased.

Reasons for this demise were not far to seek. So long as any mobile market organisation is prepared to exploit temporary shortages in other necessary foodstuffs as a means of selling its vegetable produce no organisation selling vegetables alone for their own intrinsic properties can expect to stand up to such loaded competition. If, however, such coercive action succeeds in its apparent object of increasing the consumption of health giving vegetables by the community at large, the attainment of that greatly to be desired objective may be considered to be one case where the end justifies the means. In such a campaign those casualties which fall by the wayside (among which may be counted this Vegetable Club) must be reckoned as part of the ultimate price of victory.

There will be no cause for regret if the demand for fresh vegetables thus created is maintained and continues to be supplied at reasonable prices through the same channel. It has always been necessary for private enterprise to pioneer the paths for Government and other official action in any Welfare Work.

MINOR AILMENTS AND FIRST AID CLINIC.

Sub-Committee: Mrs. M. de Vaal.

This Daily Clinic, open from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. has maintained its services throughout the year on the same scope and scale as during the previous **eighteen** months.

There is no doubt that the employment of two Staff Nurses by the Association, which ensures that one nurse at least is always in attendance at the Clinic during these hours, has been directly responsible for the increased attendances which date from the time of the second nurse's appointment.

Figures of cases and attendances and also those of Income from Medicines and Dressings sold at this Clinic are given below.

	Cases.	Number of Attendances.	Income from Medicines and Dressings Sold.
July	140	177	2- 5- 6
August	119	157	1- 4- 9
September	108	170	1- 3- 9
October	111	165	1-11-10
November	83	121	1- 1-10
December	127	195	1- 6- 8
January	124	166	1- 0- 5
February	127	178	-17- 2
March	148	173	1-17- 3
April	129	170	1- 9- 9
May	125	201	1-11- 1
June	116	144	1- 3- 8
TOTALS	<u>1,457</u>	<u>2,117</u>	£ <u>16- 3- 5</u>

Corresponding figures for the previous year were:-

1,567 2,037 £ 22- 9- 5

MEDICAL CLINIC.

Convener of Sub-Committee: Mrs. C. E. Saul.

Honorary Staff: Dr. W. F. N'komo.

Miss R. Baber,
Mrs. E. M. Beumer,
Mrs. M. Fair,
Mrs. C. E. Saul

Permanent Staff: Nurse S. Chiloane,
Nurse S. Mokgatle.

During the year the Clinic Membership has covered some 175 non-European families in the township and the surrounding district. This figure shows an increase of 39 member families over last year's membership of 136, thus more than wiping out the previous year's drop of 20 member families.

Cases treated in this Clinic by the Honorary Medical Officer during the year under report numbered 1,393, the number of treatments given

being 1,735 — an increase in the latter of 101 over the previous year. It should be mentioned, however, that these figures do not include those cases visited by the Honorary Medical Officer in their own homes when their state of health precluded their attendance at the Clinic.

The sale of medicines to patients attending this Clinic amounted to £123-19-11, as against £146-0-9 which accrued from this source during the previous year.

The month to month figures which make up these totals are shown in the following table.

	Number of Cases.	Number of Treatments.	Income.
July	91	110	£ 10-16- 4
August	119	127	9-19- 3
September	99	123	10- 2- 1
October	59	77	6-15- 9
November	87	98	6-14- 8
December	<u>138</u>	<u>172</u>	<u>7- 2- 3</u>
1st Half Year	<u>603</u>	<u>707</u>	£ <u>51-10- 4</u>
January	103	125	6- 2- 0
February	127	154	12- 8- 8
March	144	201	15-15- 3
April	148	190	13-14- 6
May	142	193	13-13- 5
June	<u>126</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>10-15- 9</u>
2nd Half Year	<u>790</u>	<u>1,028</u>	£ <u>72- 9- 7</u>
TOTAL for Year	<u>1,393</u>	<u>1,735</u>	£ <u>123-19-11</u>

Corresponding figures for the previous year were:-

1,394 1,634 £ 146- 0- 0

No explanation is put forward for the reduced attendances and more than proportionate drop in income from sales of medicines during the summer months from October to January. This is one of these phenomena which occur from time to time for which analysis refuses to yield any reasonable or logical explanation.

BILHARZIA TREATMENT:

During the year under report 95 cases of bilharzia came under the notice of the Clinic but the record of 190 injections given during the year is indicative of continued reluctance on the part of infected children to undergo treatment voluntarily.

BLOOD TESTS.

The taking of blood specimens and the forwarding of these to the South African Institute for Medical Research for testing for Wassermann reaction has continued to be undertaken by the Medical Clinic. This service is undertaken for pregnant women and in all cases of suspected syphilitic infection.

The Medical Clinic is the original and therefore the oldest of all the Services supplied to Eastwood by this Association. It is, therefore, gratifying

to be able to record that, notwithstanding the many other services, started initially as subsidiaries of the Medical Clinic, which have grown, developed and "hived off" and attained to the full status of Services in their own right, this Clinic continues to serve well the purpose for which it was first established — the cure of the sick and diseased.

MEDICAL CLINIC PATIENTS' WINTER SOUP KITCHEN.

Sub-Committee: Miss R. Baber.

Continuing as an adjunct of the Medical Clinic this Soup Kitchen has, during the winter months of July and August, 1952 and June, 1953, continued to supply hot soup at one penny per tin to patients attending the Medical Clinic. Expenditure on ingredients during the period under report amounted to £2-3-6 while the income amounted to 14/5. While the loss of £1-9-1 on the year's working is, in itself, negligible it must be a matter for consideration by the incoming Committee whether the continuation of the self-sacrificing work of this Sub-Committee is justified by the response which it receives. It would appear that little more than one third of the patients attending the Clinic take advantage of the opportunity to purchase the soup on sale. To alter the age-old food habits of a race, is something which cannot be accomplished in the course of a year, or even ten, and before attempting a long campaign for this purpose it might be advisable fully to investigate the fundamental question: "Is the change desirable?"

DISTRICT NURSING.

Sub-Committee: Mrs. M. de Vaal.

The service of Home Nursing, which last year showed an increase of 18% in the number of cases nursed and of almost 50% in the number of visits involved, once again records a recession both in the number of cases nursed and in the number of visits made to patients in their homes.

It is necessary, however, when assessing the value of this Service, to take into consideration its relation to the other Services rendered by the Association and by its District Nurses.

Essentially, it must be borne in mind that the principal source of cases for this Service is the Medical Clinic where the Honorary Medical Officer refers these cases which, in his opinion, are in need of nursing in their own homes. When the number of cases so referred drops, so must the number of cases nursed also fall.

The work of the District Nurses moreover is not confined to District Nursing only. Apart from the various Clinics at which their attendance is required, their outside work covers also the Midwifery and Health Visiting Services. When the calls for one Service fall the extra time thus made available is at once filled by the calls of the others — and Home Health Visiting can always be expanded; almost indefinitely.

The following table gives the statistical figures for the year under report.

	Cases.	Number of Visits.	Income from Medicines and Dressings Sold.
July	21	30	5- 9
August	21	59	15- 0
September	14	32	1- 1- 3
October	10	21	-12- 6
November	24	59	1- 3- 0
December	10	30	- 8- 9
January	39	60	-11- 3
February	27	54	- 6- 0
March	20	37	- 5- 3
April	22	40	- 4- 9
May	14	37	- 5- 9
June	35	47	- 2- 9
	<u>257</u>	<u>506</u>	£ <u>6- 2- 0</u>

Corresponding figures for last year were:

362 724 £ 10- 3-11

VENEREAL DISEASE TREATMENT.

Sub-Committee; Mrs. M. de Vaal.

The organisational and administrative changes effected in the Association's preventive and curative services in November, 1952 have nowhere had more far-reaching and beneficial results than in the treatment of venereal disease cases.

Prior to the 20th of that month cases of syphilis were treated in the Medical Clinic with arsenical drugs. On that date new treatment with penicillin in aluminium stearate medium was introduced and has since been continued.

The old treatment involved weekly injections covering a lengthy and indefinite period before patients could be pronounced cured and given a clean bill of health, and this period was frequently made even longer by lapses from regular weekly attendance on the part of the patients. A lengthy, wearisome and dreary experience for anyone having to undergo it.

In contrast, the new treatment involves only 10 injections, considerably heavier, but at daily intervals. This new treatment, moreover, has the inestimable advantage that when given to pregnant mothers, even a short time before their confinement, it ensures a baby born free of congenital syphilitic infection.

The administration of daily injections could, obviously, not be undertaken at a weekly clinic and this Service was therefore transferred to the daily Minor Ailments Clinic where treatment is given in a room separate and apart from other cases. Diagnosis is still undertaken by the Medical Clinic but the treatment of cases is thereafter carried out by the Staff Nurses. Under the new treatment lapses in attendance, at first followed up by domiciliary

visits by the nurses, have now become a thing of the past.

The futulity of the old arrangement and the efficacy of the new are clearly apparent in the statistical returns which appear below.

From 1st July to 20th November 9 cases of syphilis were treated.

2 cases of Secondary Infections received, in one case 6 and in the other 9 injections.

7 cases of Tertiary (quiescent) Infections received among them 36 injections.

This total of 51 injections represents less than one third of the number that those patients should have received over the period in question.

On 20th November all the above cases were put on the new treatment, and in the period covered from that date to 30th June the records show

2 cases of Secondary Infection
11 cases of Tertiary, or Quiescent, cases and
1 case of Congenital Infection,

in all, 14 cases, in which the full course has been given and the patients discharged as cured.

1 Tertiary case was still under treatment at 30th June and 3 others had been referred elsewhere on account of the patients inability to maintain regular attendances at this Clinic.

The total number of cases treated is, therefore, 18 and the total number of penicillin injections given up to 30th June was 177.

CO-ORDINATION OF SERVICES.

Co-ordinating Convener: Mrs. M. Philip.

Co-ordinating Vice-Convener: Mrs. M. Prozesky.

With the election to the Association Committee of various people responsible for or engaged in and, therefore, closely connected with, the various activities previously bracketed together under the heading of "District Nursing and Other Health Services" each activity Sub-Committee is now directly represented on the Association Committee.

As a direct result of this the necessity for the onerous work of a Co-ordinating Convener of these services has been largely, if not altogether, eliminated.

No higher tribute can be paid to the work of the Co-ordinating Convener over the past years than to be able to report the integration of these Services in the general administration of the Association Committee. Finis coronat opus.

CALEDONIAN MARKETS.

Joint Conveners of ; Mrs. M. Frozesky,
Sub-Committee ; Mrs. E. Rodseth.

Members : Mrs. G. Brune,
Mrs. M. de Vaal,
Mrs. Meyer,
Mrs. M. Philip,
Mrs. J. Robertson,
Mrs. Stead.

During the year under report the Caledonian Markets Sub-Committee has maintained and increased the popularity of these Markets, both with the inhabitants of Eastwood and with the Association Treasury.

All of the four markets scheduled to take place during this period were held, each one in turn showing sales in excess of its predecessor. With a revenue for the year amounting to £109-16-10 from this source, your Committee can place on record yet another activity showing over 100% increase on the previous year when this item figured as £51-10-7.

By contributing towards reducing the oppressive cost of living of the inhabitants of Eastwood these markets perform a function which is of even greater value than their contribution to the Association's funds. The opportunity afforded them of acquiring good second-hand clothing, utensils, and other household requirements at reasonable prices is one which these people are not slow to avail themselves of.

The thanks of the Committee to all those friends who have given and collected goods for these Markets is here, once again, placed on record.

SALE OF REDUNDANT EQUIPMENT.

Duly authorised thereto by the Association's Trustees, your Committee has, from time to time throughout the year, by private bargain, effected the sale of sundry articles of redundant equipment. The largest of these items consisted of the children's wooden chairs which were replaced towards the end of the previous year by the tubular steel furniture now in use. The servicable chairs realised £17 and are now giving good service in somewhat less robust environments.

Total sales of redundant equipment during the year amounted to £22-5/- and this amount was credited to the Investment Account as part reimbursement of the depleted Creche Equipment Replacement Fund.

It is of interest to note that to date there has been no casualty recorded among the tubular steel furniture brought into use in April, 1952.

GENERAL.

Your Committee has again this year very great pleasure in concluding its Report on a note of warm appreciation for services rendered to the Association by many individuals, both members and friends, and for assistance in money and in kind freely given from many quarters. Some there have been who, through force of circumstances, often beyond their control, have had to drop their active work, but ever the hour has produced the individual and the need has produced the worker. The continued support and interest of members once intimately associated with the work and now scattered throughout the land and beyond the seas has been a source of gratification and encouragement alike to those who have remained to carry on and to those who have shouldered the burdens reluctantly relinquished by those who have gone.

The maintenance of the Association's many Services in smooth and efficient running order is a task which is made possible only by the spirit of cheerful co-operation which animates and inspires the Honorary and Permanent Staffs alike.

To those Conveners and members of the various Sub-Committees who have "seen the seasons through" your Committee here record their due meed of praise and thanks. Without their energetic and unflagging services the Association's work would come to a complete standstill.

A particular word of thanks must also be recorded to our Honorary Medical Officer, Dr. N'komo, who, despite innumerable other claims and calls on his time and skill, has continued to give the Association faithful and devoted service.

Finally, your Committee has to record the Association's appreciation of the loyalty and devotion to duty of the salaried staffs. Their various duties have been carried out with that willing cheerfulness and ready helpfulness which has become the recognised character of everything associated with the activities and work of the Association at Eastwood. Their work, carried on with a minimum of supervision on the part of your Committee, exemplifies the extent to which they are willing, and able, to work for the general betterment of their own community, and, through it, for the general public weal.

On behalf of the Committee,

A. CARSWELL SMITH.

Chairman.

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Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. A. S.
Roosendaal, Mrs. F.
Rudd, Mr. H.
Rudd, Clr. and Mrs. V. H.

Eiselen, Dr. W. W. M.

✓ Fair, Mr. and Mrs. R. S.
Federated Employers' Mutual
Assurance Company, Ltd.

✓ Gale, Dr. and Mrs. G. W.
Grobler, Mr. Geo.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian
Church Women's Association.
St. Columba's Presbyterian
Church Women's Association.

Hatfield Pharmacy (Pty.), Ltd.
Hines, Mrs. M.

✓ Saul, Dr. A. L.
✓ Saul, Mrs. C. E.
✓ Sherlock, Mrs. M.
✓ Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. Carswell,
S. A. Permanent Mutual Building
and Investment Society.
✓ Struben, Mr. F. E. B.

In Memory of

The late R. S. Dickie,
Marsh, Mr. T. M.
The late L. B. McQuillin,
Baber, Miss R.
Beumer, Mrs. E. M.
Clapham High School.
Saul, Mrs. C. E.

Toc H., Pretoria East Branch.
United Building Society.

✓ Janssen, Mr. and Mrs. J. H.

van den Berg, Mr. J. (Consul
for the Netherlands).
van Geelen, Mrs. L. G.

✓ Kirby, Mr. H. Royden.

✓ Krause, Dr. The Hon. F. E. T.

✓ Leslie, Mr. M. C.

✓ Warden, Mr. H. F.
✓ Woodfield, The Venerable *Not in Dir.*
Archdeacon S. F.
Zway, Mrs. S. *checked*

McCloskie, Miss
Mackenzie, Grant, Ltd.

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GIFTS IN KIND.

Substantial Gifts in kind were received from the following people, among others:- Anonymous; Mrs. B. Findlay; The Jacaranda Tennis Club; Mr. Kara, J. B. Trading Co. (per the Misses Alexander); Dr. The Hon. F. E. T. Krause; Mosley Supply Stores; Mrs. Isa Murray and her Committee; New Muckleneuk Market Gardens; Pretoria United Dairies; Mr. A. E. Robertson; Mrs. C. E. Saul; Mr. A. Carswell Smith; Mr. F. E. B. Struben; and Mrs. L. A. Webster.

STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT.

DETAILS OF STOCKS ON HAND AND OTHER ASSETS

at 30th June, 1953,

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

for the year ended 30th June, 1953,

and

BALANCE SHEET

at 30th June, 1953.

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DETAILS OF STOCKS ON HAND AND OTHER ASSETS

AT 30th JUNE, 1953.

Stamps, Stationery and Office Equipment and		
Appliances - valued at	1	0
Furniture, Fittings, Equipment, etc. at Clinic - valued at	1	0
Medicines and Drugs at Clinic (exclusive of V.D. drugs, immunizing sera, lymph and Bilharzia drugs) - valued at	1	0
Furniture, Fittings, Equipment, etc. at Crèche and in grounds - valued at	1	0
Foodstuffs in Store and Pantry at Crèche - valued at	1	0
Parents' Crèche Fees in arrears - £35; 5: 1 - valued at .	1	0
Interest due on investments :		
4 Permanent Shares FY 1519 - £2:10: 0 - valued at	Nil.	
5 Permanent Shares FY 1639 - £3: 2: 6 - valued at	Nil.	
Fixed Deposit F/A 9024 - £1: 5: 8 - valued at ..	Nil.	
Investment on Call	1:10	1 10
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		£. 0 7 10
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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

Honoraria, Salaries and Allowances	£ 1,194	15	6	
Feeding Accounts :				
Groceries	£ 81	18	2	
Milk and Eggs	213	0	2	
Fruit and Vegetables	104	15	10	
Bread	88	5	5	
Meat	141	8	10	
Fish	41	12	0	
Margarine	37	7	1	
Water and Fuel	20	16	4	729 3 10
Crèche and Clinic Cleaning Account - Materials		20	17	5
Medicines, Clinic Supplies and Equipment		241	8	9
Crèche Equipment		8	8	2
Maintenance and Repairs - Buildings and Grounds		118	7	4
Miscellaneous Expences		101	16	3
Provident Fund Contributions		26	1	11
Vegetable Clubs - Purchases		11	19	9
Transfer Creche Equipment Replacement Fund		62	8	9
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		£ 2,515	7	8
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BALANCE SHEET AS

<u>SUNDRY CREDITORS</u>	£ 300	11	8
<u>STANDARD BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA, LIMITED</u>	56	5	6

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

Balance at 30th June, 1952	100	7	9	
Less : Excess of Expenditure over				
Income for the year	1	7	6	99 0 3
				<hr/>
				455 17 5

CONTINGENCY FUND

Balance at 30th June, 1952	31	6	7	
Add : Interest (including interest on				
Equipment Replacement Funds				
Investments)	10	14	3	
	42	0	10	
Less: Transfer to Crèche Equipment				
Replacement Account	37	11	3	4 9 7

CLINIC EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT FUND

Balance at 30th June, 1952	50	0	0
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CRECHE EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT FUND

Balance at 30th June, 1952	150	0	0	
Add : Transfers from :				
Income and Expenditure Account .	62	8	9	
Contingency Fund	37	11	3	250 0 0
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		£ 760	7	0
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We have audited the above Balance Sheet of the Eastwood Non-European Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended that date and we certify of the Eastwood Non-European Health Services Association at 30th June, 1953.

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1953.

State Subsidies					
Health Department - Nursing Salaries	£	410	12	8	
Health Department - Ex Gratia Payment		150	0	0	
Social Welfare Department		867	13	3	
		<u>1,428</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	
Subscriptions and Donations		373	12	2	
Parents' Crèche Fees		266	15	4	
Sale of Medicines		161	14	0	
Clinic Membership Fees		23	5	9	
Confinement Fees		29	10	0	
Sundry Revenue :					
Boarding Fees		138	10	4	
Rents		62	0	0	
Sale of Redundant Equipment		22	5	0	222 15 4
Vegetable Clubs - Subscriptions					8 1 8
Excess of Expenditure over Income					1 7 6
					<u>£ 2,515 7 8</u>

AT 30TH JUNE, 1953.

<u>CASH ON HAND</u>	£	75	15	4	
<u>INVESTMENT</u> - Permanent Shares - United Building Society		200	0	0	
<u>SUNDRY DEBTORS</u>					
Health Department	£	103	7	7	
Social Welfare Department		76	8	6	
Parents' Creche Fees -written down to			1	0	179 17 1
<u>STOCKS OF FOODSTUFFS AND MEDICINES</u> - at Nominal Value					2 0
<u>FURNITURE, FITTINGS AND EQUIPMENT</u> - at Nominal Value					<u>3 0</u>
					455 17 5
<u>CONTINGENCY FUND INVESTMENTS</u>					
Savings Account - United Building Society	£	4	7	9	
Interest Accrued			1	10	4 9 7
<u>CLINIC EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT FUND INVESTMENT</u>					
Fixed Deposit - United Building Society		50	0	0	
<u>CRÈCHE EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT FUND INVESTMENT</u>					
Permanent Shares - United Building Society		250	0	0	
					<u>£ 760 7 0</u>

Health Services Association at 30th June, 1953, together with the relative that in our opinion the said Balance Sheet reflects the true state of the affairs The Income Account is correctly stated and sufficiently vouched.

Wm. DAVIDSON & PARTNERS.
Per: N. R. C. Ogilvie. C.A. (S.A.).
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