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FORTIETH
ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE
MANCHESTER AND SALFORD

Boys' and Girls' Refuges and Homes

AND
CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY,

With Short History of the Institution.

1909.



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The look of sympathy, the gentle word,
Spoken so low that only angels heard ;
The secret act of pure self-sacrifice,
Unseen by men, but marked by angels' eyes :
 These are not lost.

The kindly plan devised for others' good,
So seldom guessed, so little understood ;
The quiet steadfast look that strove to win
Some wanderer from the ways of sin ;
 These are not lost.

Not lost, O Lord, for in Thy city bright
Our eyes shall see the past with clearer light ;
And things long hidden from our gaze below
Thou wilt reveal, and we shall surely know :
 These are not lost.

“ These Homes are based upon Christian principles, they are managed by practical methods, and are doing a great work for all the Churches. They are doing the work of ten Societies, and are in danger of only receiving the support of one.”—THE LORD BISHOP OF MANCHESTER (Dr. Moorhouse) *at the Annual Meeting, 1892.*

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Central Refuge
and Workshops.

Working Youths' Home
and Institute.

Street
Boys' Home.

Emigration
Training Home

Group of Homes at Strangeways.

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Summary of Annual Meeting.

The Fortieth Annual Meeting of the Manchester and Salford Boys' and Girls' Refuges and Homes, and Children's Aid Society, was held in the Free Trade Hall, Manchester, on Monday, April 21st, 1910, at 7-0 o'clock.

The chair was taken by The Lord Mayor (Councillor Chas. Behrens), who was supported by The Rev. Robert Catterall, M.A., Rev. S. F. Collier, Sir Wm. Crossley, Bart., M.P., Sir Geo. Kemp, M.P., Alderman Fildes, J.P., Dr. Boutflower, Dr. Fulton, Councillor Arthur Taylor, Harry E. Gaddum, Esq., J.P., and others.

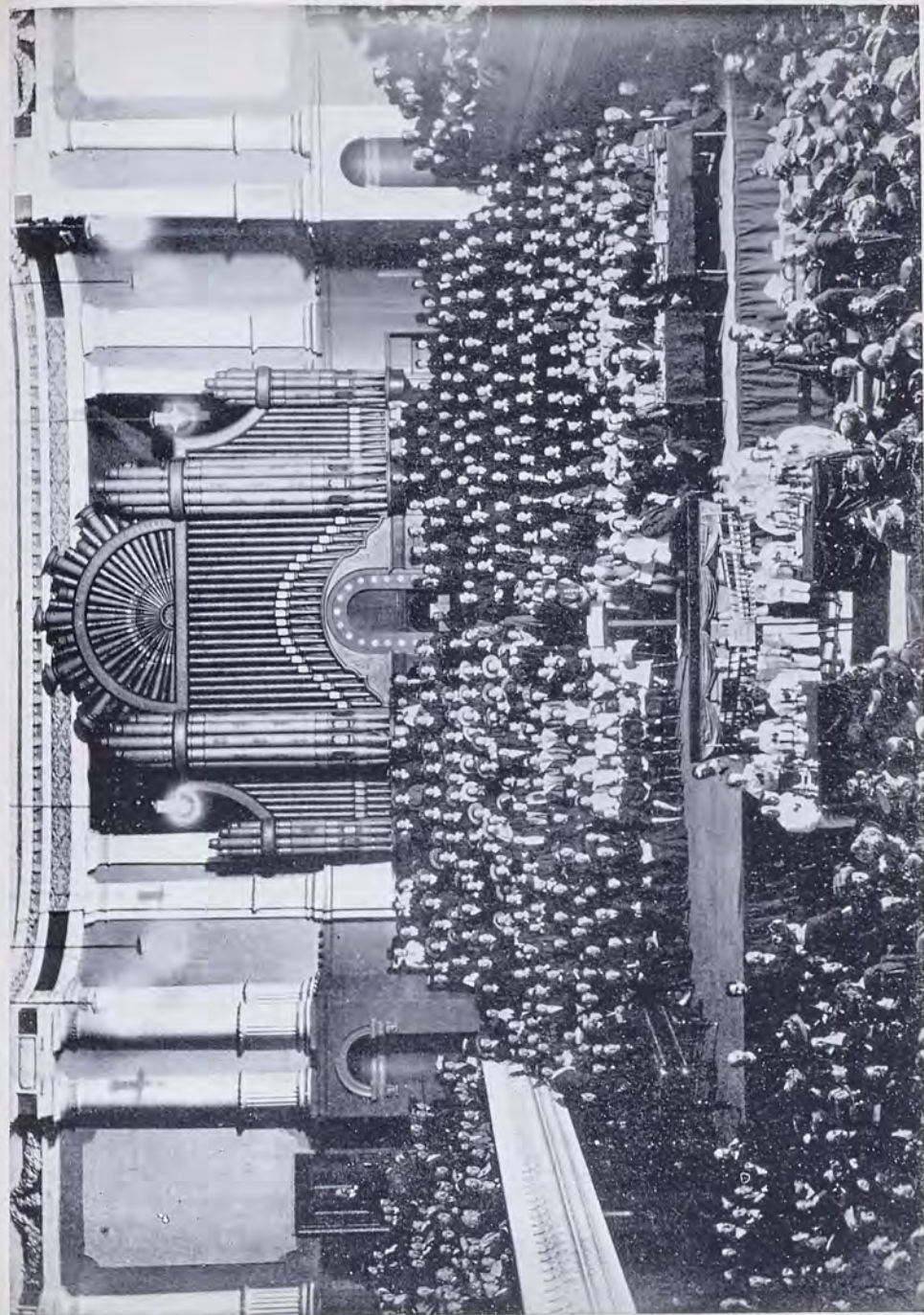
The Rev. S. F. Collier offered prayer.

The Annual Report and Balance Sheet were presented. The Hon. Sec., Mr. Thos. R. Ackroyd, gave a summary of the Report, which was taken as read, and also an abstract of the Financial Statement in the absence of the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. H. Charlton.

It was then moved by The Lord Mayor, seconded by Sir George Kemp, M.P., supported by Sir Wm. Crossley, Bart., M.P. and resolved:—

"That the Report together with the Financial Statement be adopted, printed and circulated, under the direction of the Committee, and that the Committee for the ensuing year be Sir Wm. Crossley, Bart., M.P., Messrs. James Boyd, James Fildes, Mrs. L. K. Shaw, Messrs. Arthur Taylor, Harry E. Gaddum, W. C. Dunkerley, Geo. Leader Williams; The Hon. Secretary, Mr. Thomas R. Ackroyd; The Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Henry Charlton; and the Auditors, Messrs. Jones, Crewdson, and Youatt."

During the evening an attractive programme of Songs, Drills, and Instrumental music, etc., was given by the children to an appreciative audience which crowded the large hall. The Lady Mayoress distributed the prizes to the children. Photograph of the platform is given on opposite page.





Photograph by T. Everitt Innes.

Mr. Thos. R. Ackroyd, Hon. Sec.

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FOR THE YEAR 1909,

WITH SHORT HISTORY OF THE INSTITUTION.



WHILE we often turn to glance back upon the path which winds among the years that are gone, there are special points of time when we make an effort to more clearly define the retrospect and mark the way along which we have come.

So with the completion of our Fortieth year as an Institution it seems natural and fitting that we should not only give the facts of the year but also make some reference to

“THESE FORTY YEARS.”

Perhaps among all the virtues possible to the human life there is none so pure and potent as a sympathy which is prepared at more or less sacrifice to render service to a fellow creature. And when such service, though having its rise in the individual life, is embodied and multiplied in a Society, active throughout a long period, the results must be of supreme value to the community. And this value would be, not only

in the amelioration of pain or distress in the case of the individual recipient, but also in the elevating and humanising influence of such service on the community itself.

This principle would of course apply to the various medical and other charities of the city, but we venture to think it would find its highest exemplification in the work of such an Institution as ours. For this reason, that saving a child from homelessness, extreme poverty, and degrading surroundings, and training it to be a self-respecting member of society, not only

Adds to the value of the State

but in all probability saves it from the loss which another criminal or pauper would inflict. Like transferring a vote from one side to the other it counts two on a division. So our city waif has a double potentiality, one to be destroyed and the other to be fostered into all possible power and beauty.

Such a power of service exercised in a large and complex community along with other influences for good cannot hope to shew the result of its own work separate from the rest, but it can claim from its very nature to have been a fact of more or less importance in any social betterment which has taken place.

May we try then to substantiate the claim of the Institution to a place among the forces which have in our city stood for social amelioration during more than a generation. We can best do this by a brief sketch of its inception, formation, and history, together with some of the statistical facts which shew its growth and scope.

Seldom was a need more clamant and an object more definite than those which led to the opening of a house in



Children of the Slums.

Quay Street, Deansgate, on January 4th, 1870, with the sign so sadly eloquent

Night Refuge for Homeless Boys.

Yes, the bald fact was that children of tender years were homeless by night as well as day. However, that day one of the reproaches of our city was wiped out, never, we believe, to be imputed again.

The founders of the Institution, Mr. Leonard K. Shaw and Mr. Richard B. Taylor, relate the incident which led them to take action. They were both connected with St. Ann's Ragged School, Queen Street, Deansgate. One Sunday night in the Winter of 1869 the school had been dismissed, but two boys, ragged, cold, and hungry looking still lingered behind. On being questioned why they did not go home their reply was "We've got nowhere to go." Investigation afterwards proved the truth of their statement, and it was found that one had been sleeping under a railway arch in Salford, and the other up an old staircase in a Deansgate entry. It was proved also that these were by no means isolated cases, and it was there and then decided that at least shelter for the night should be provided for these little waifs of society—nobody's children.

It is remarkable that in other cities at this time the same urgent need was realised and laid upon the hearts and consciences of individuals whose names in some cases still popularly designate the charities of to-day, notably Dr. Barnardo's Homes in London, and Quarrier's, in Glasgow.



First Home :

Opened in Quay Street, Deansgate, for Homeless lads,
40 years ago.

The testimony was uniform in large towns where enquiries were made that hundreds of these children, chiefly boys, got their bread by begging, or selling matches, etc., on the streets and often for lack of money for the lodging house, sleeping in any place where the policeman's lantern would not startle them out of a sleep upon which nature insisted but civilization almost denied.

The Church of England Waifs and Strays Society was not established till 1881. The National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children followed in 1884, though the Royal Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals had been formed sixty years earlier, and a home for lost and starving dogs had been opened in 1860!

" Homeless near a thousand Homes "

we came to know in those early years the night haunts of these children as a sportsman knows the covert of the fox or the rabbit warren. In empty or half-built houses, in out-buildings and dark passages, under the stalls in the market, among bales of cotton in the railway yards, or among the brick-kilns, we have found at midnight many a time a little brother, as St. Francis would have called him, wondering as we disturbed him what new persecutor had tracked his whereabouts. It would take the pen of a Dickens or of a Victor Hugo to describe first the wonderment and then the satisfaction induced by hot coffee, bread and butter, a bath and a clean cosy bed.

However, speaking of the earliest days we cannot do better than repeat what the late Hon. Secretary, Mr. L. K. Shaw, wrote on the occasion of the 25th Anniversary.



Six Boys admitted one Winter's evening.



Children of the Orphan Homes at Play.

Our readers must not for a moment suppose that the first Home for children in Quay Street, Deansgate, was anything to compare with the beautiful Homes in which they now dwell. The little dark room on the ground floor behind the Master and Matron's was the eating room; the front cellar did duty as a general living room by day and a school and band room at night. The back cellar, dark and damp as a cavern, was the bath room and lavatory, while the sleeping accommodation upstairs was in the shape of hammocks, which were hung out round the rooms from strong hooks in the wall, each having two iron legs which fitted into sockets in the floor; each morning these were lifted out and rolled up against the wall.

It was altogether a primitive and unique arrangement, which we would not recommend any beginners in philanthropic work to copy. Boys in those days, so different from the well-behaved orderly boys of to-day! loved to "flop" into their hammocks after turning a summersault or two, and thus coming down on the outstretched canvas a regular burster, away went holdfasts and sockets, and a portion of the wall too, and a dusty heap in the middle of the floor was the result! But these hammocks served their purpose, which was to give more space in a small and crowded house. When they were rolled up each morning it left the room free for other uses during the day.

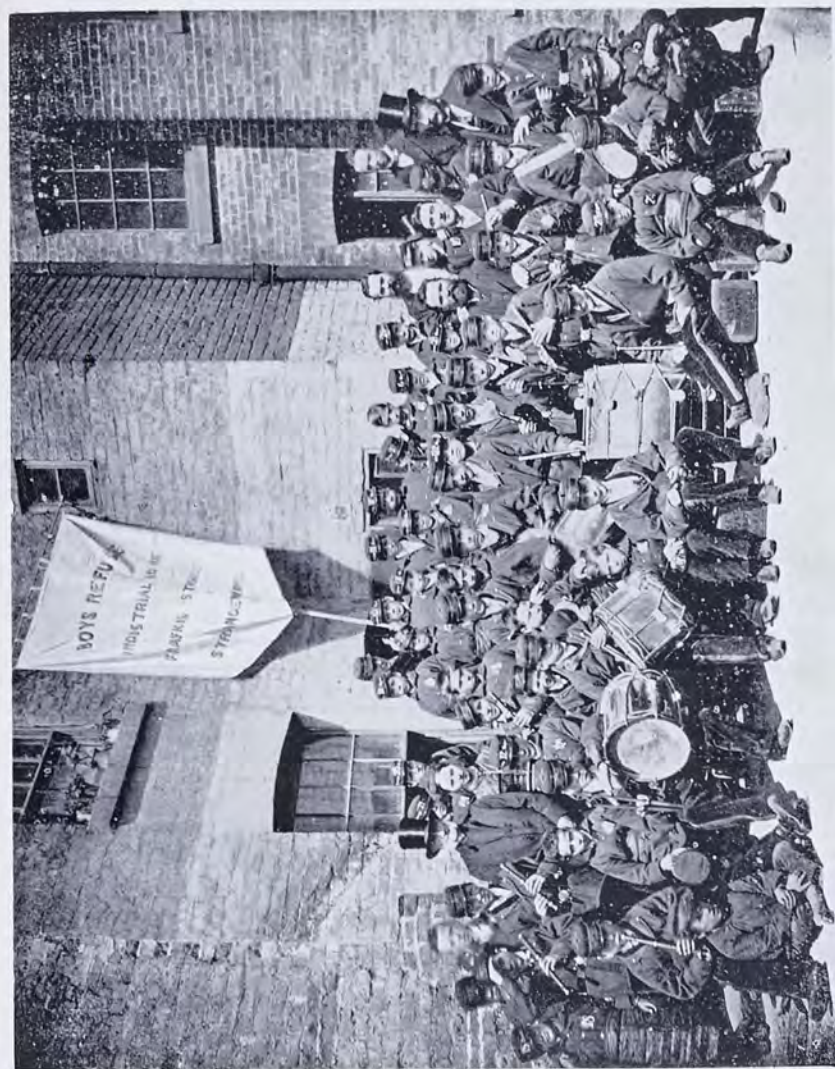
On the opening night ten boys presented themselves, of whom six were admitted. We well remember the first dealt with, in addition to being in rags and covered with vermin, he had also a forbidding countenance, and old Mr. Thomas Wright, the prison philanthropist, who took a deep interest

in the work in these early days; used to shake his head as he looked at this lad and fear the worst for his future! We thank God, that notwithstanding he had been in the very worst surroundings, and a companion of young thieves, our first boy has grown up to be an honest man, and is to-day a respectable tradesman of Manchester.

Day by day the numbers grew, the place still continuing just a Night Shelter or Refuge, the boys going forth each morning, having had a comfortable bed and breakfast (for which they had paid just what they could) and "fending" for themselves during the day.

But at length the question of having some properly organised employment became urgent. Our master (Mr. Walter T. Browne) coming from London where Shoe-Black Brigades were an established institution urged the formation of one here. The sanction of the Watch Committee was soon obtained, and the 1st February that first year saw a fully equipped Shoe-Black Brigade, occupying the twelve stands appointed for them in different parts of the city.

The same month saw a similar Brigade in work at the Railway Stations as *Parcel Messengers*, clothed in blue tunics, the most trustworthy boys being always chosen for this service. As time went on applications from tradesmen to engage permanently for their shops or warehouses some of these smart messenger boys became numerous, and thus gradually the three employments grew, which with a little primitive Firewood making indoors for those who could not well be trusted on the streets, were the means of adding the respectable sum of £467 7s. to our first year's income (about



Thos. Wright.
 R. B. Taylor.
 W. T. Browne.
 L. K. Shaw.
 In the Old Refuge Yard, Francis Street, 1873.

one half the total cost), and what was more important, teaching the golden lesson of self-help to our hitherto vagrant inmates!

The foundation principles formulated and expressed in the Trust Deed were:—

To receive Homeless and Destitute Children found in Manchester and Salford and District.

To give immediate admission to such without distinction of Creed.

To provide such with suitable food, clothing, and Industrial training.

To educate such in Christian principles based on the Bible only.

These principles have never been departed from.

At the first Annual Meeting in 1871 the Bishop of Manchester (Dr. Fraser) spoke, and thenceforward became a warm friend and liberal contributor. At this meeting it was decided to remove to more suitable premises, and in the autumn of that year the Institution was planted in a small way on the present site in Strangeways, where it has grown to its present dimensions as the headquarters of the work. In the new premises the industrial department was soon extended by the addition of Shoemaking and Tailoring workshops.

Let us now glance at

The Development of the Work

by noting the branches and activities as they were added gradually year by year.

It was not long before the great value of emigration under proper conditions for a certain class of children was realised, and so in 1872 nine boys were sent to Canada. During succeeding years, with few exceptions, a number of children

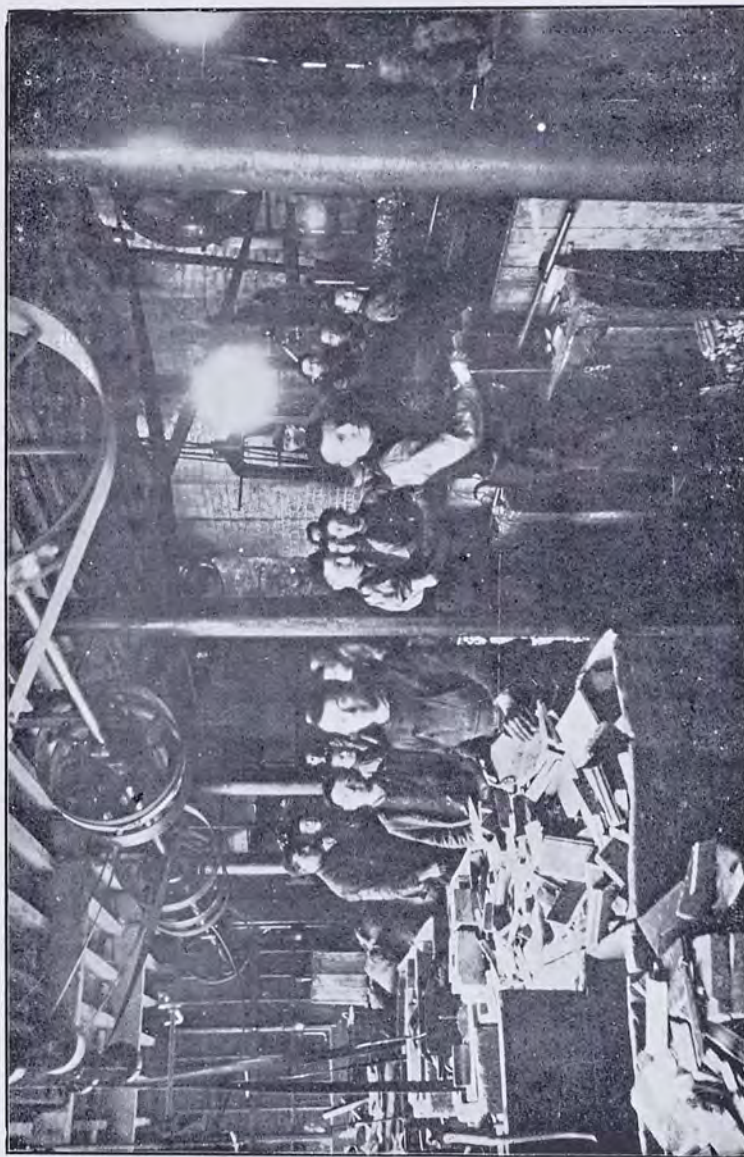
have been emigrated each Spring, making a total to the end of last year of 1871. They have gone to the care of the Rev. Robert Wallace, Belleville, Ontario, who has placed them out on good farm homes and oversighted them. Reference to the principles underlying this emigration work is made later.

In the same year an arrangement was made with the Committee of the training ship "Indefatigable," Liverpool, to receive those boys who, being fitted for a seafaring life, were desirous of being trained as sailors. The Training Ship became very popular and for a number of years a contingent joined the ship, being apprenticed for a term of three years.

In the year which followed, the Earl of Derby attended the Annual Meeting, and the large room of the Town Hall was crowded to its utmost capacity as one of England's foremost statesmen in eloquent words commended to public support the Institution into whose working he had closely looked. Leading articles followed in *The Times*, *Daily News*, *Manchester Guardian* and other papers, enforcing the main principles of the work, and thus the stream of blessing widened.

In connection with this Annual Meeting the following quotations from the leading newspapers of January 7th, 1873, will be of interest to our readers:—

The Times.—The work in which the founders of this and kindred Institutions have engaged is of great importance to the community. Most of the lads admitted to the Industrial Home at Manchester have no parents alive or discoverable. It is wise to take these lads, who have



Central Refuge: Firewood Making Department.

no home to shelter them, no parents to help them, no hope of making their way in any career except crime or beggary, and try to turn them by wholesome discipline, well-directed teaching, and active moral influence, into good citizens, skilful workmen, and honest men.

The Daily News.—The Boys' Home at Manchester is principally intended for orphans and destitute lads, but, in a spirit of large and wise beneficence, it admits within its interpretation of orphanage poor boys who have come to Manchester to seek work, and finding none, are left helpless amidst the immense indifference of a populous city. It owes its success to personal care and supervision much more than to gifts of money, though happily these are not wanting, and Lord Derby's appeal in its behalf is not the less powerful because he shows how charity, good management, and common sense can work together for the public good.

The Manchester Guardian.—Among our local charities we know of none more deserving of public support than the Boys' Refuge. This asylum for the homeless boys of Manchester and Salford has been doing a most useful work for the last three years, and we can cordially support the appeal which the Committee is now making for funds (£800) to enable them to extend their operations.

At this meeting the idea of Homes for Working Boys was first mentioned and urged in the Report, and the next year saw the proposal an accomplished fact. The idea was an excellent one; as the Central Refuge became full, fifteen or sixteen of the elder lads who were in regular work and had become steady and reliable, were hived off into a separate Home in Lower Broughton, and under the care of a new father and mother grew up in very true family life. This process was repeated in succeeding years, until we had four such Homes in addition to the Central Refuge, Strangeways.



Orphan Homes, George Street, Cheetham Hill.

These Homes have now given place to the Working Lads' Home and Institute, Gt. Ducie Street.

But so far only boys of 10 years and upwards had been received, the little ones had been neglected. As we told some of our difficulties with big lads, an experienced worker said: "I see how it is, you wait until the boys are spoiled before you take them in. These children learn fearfully soon to lie and cheat and steal, why not take them early in life?"

We felt the force of these words and the result was we devoted a page in our next Report to this subject, and expressed our belief, "That while we left the little children practically uncared for, we should never want for a full supply of candidates for our Reformatories, Workhouses, and Gaols." These words fell under the eye of the late Wm. Atkinson, of Southport, a cheque for £600 was the result and before the year closed, the first Home for Little Orphan Children was established.

In the years which followed, five additional Orphanages were established—each one the gift of an individual, or of a family; no one was personally asked to give, but as each Home was full the need was simply made known, either in the report or by a special leaflet, and the Lord inclined the hearts of His stewards to supply that need. And now there stand in one group at Cheetham Hill

THE ATKINSON HOME	THE CROSSLEY HOME
THE LANGWORTHY HOME	THE HIGGINS HOME
THE GARNETT HOME	THE SCHOOL GIRLS' HOME

All filled with fatherless and motherless children.

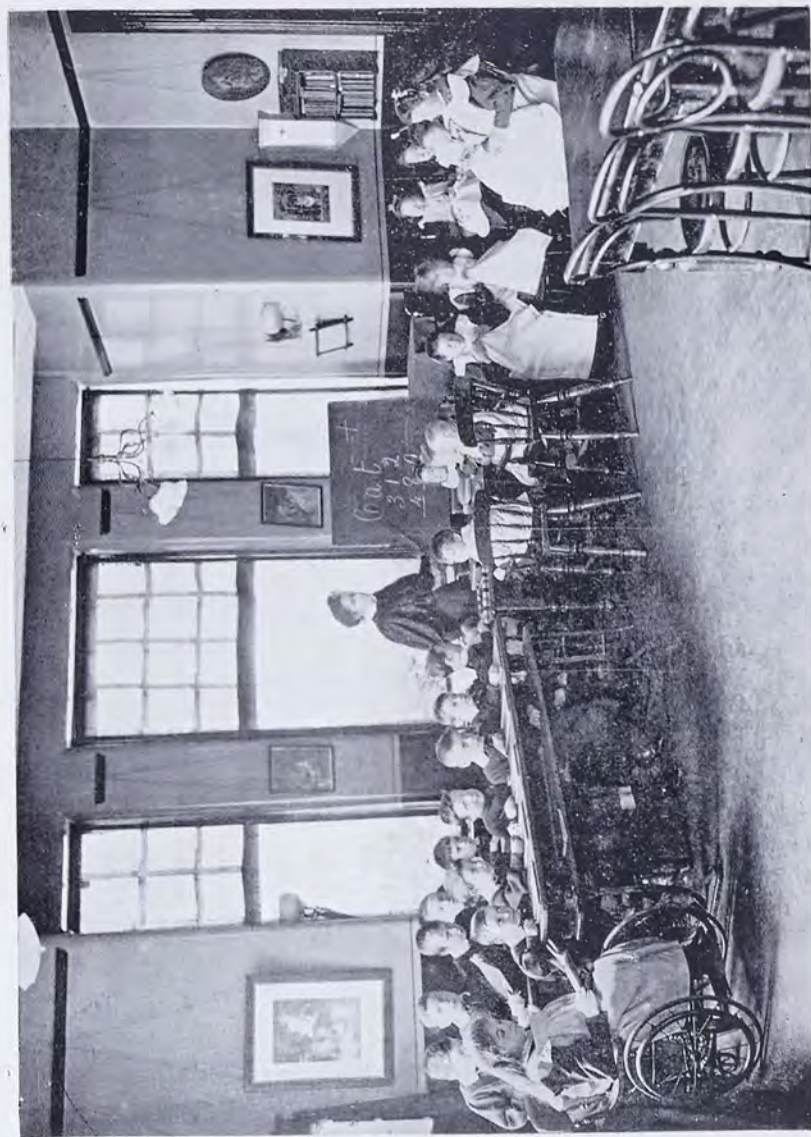
The following reference to Lord Shaftesbury's visit to these Homes at a later date is interesting. We quote Mr. Shaw's account of it. The family system in training poor children has ever been a feature of the work at Strangeways, but of course it is only in the Orphanages at Cheetham Hill that the principle can be given full scope, as the large numbers at Strangeways forbid it.

Amongst the large number of visitors at the Cheetham Hill Homes we fear few realize the importance of this. It was not so, however, with a distinguished visitor who in 1882 visited these Homes and spoke at the Annual Meeting of the Institution. Alderman Hopkinson was Mayor of Manchester that year, and Lord Shaftesbury was his guest at the Town Hall. Before the meeting, his lordship visited the Homes at Cheetham Hill, and commencing at the Langworthy Home for Girls, went all over it, then to the Garnett Home for Boys, then to the Crossley Home, then to the Higgins Home, going over each house and examining the domestic arrangements very closely, delighting the various matrons and children by his pleasant, affable manner. When going up the avenue to the fifth house, fearing I might have said too much in commending the family principle as sought to be carried out in these Homes, I said:—

“After all, my lord, they are just ordinary homes, but we do try and carry out the principle very thoroughly.”

He stopped, and looking very thoughtful, said,

“I think they are more than ordinary, I think they are very extraordinary, because I have never seen the family life carried out so truly.”



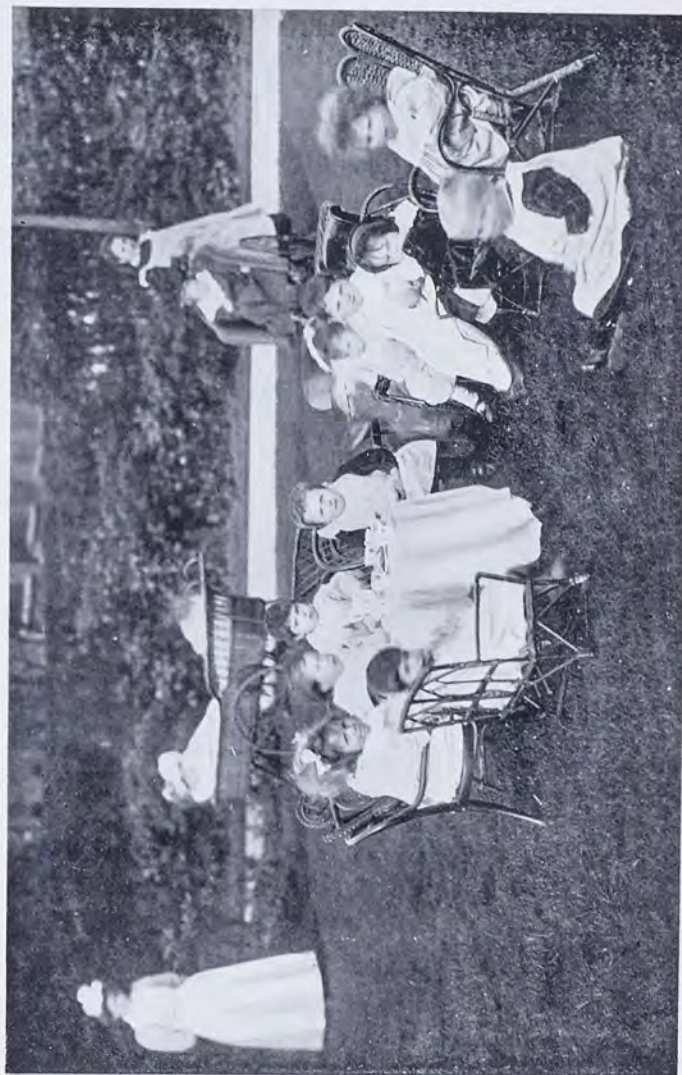
Crippled Children at "Bethesda"—School Time.

He then went on to the fifth, the "Atkinson Home," examined it, and the sixth, just as closely as the others, and saw what perhaps every visitor does not, the real value of these Homes because of the great principle carried out in them.

The sixth orphanage referred to above is called the "School Girls' Home." An interesting story gathers round this title. When the six Orphanages were purchased, the various friends whose names they bear, had contributed the purchase money, but for the sixth no individual had thus provided. It then occurred to one of the Committee how suitable it would be if the well-to-do girls and young ladies in the Boarding and Day Schools of the district would provide this Home for their poorer sisters. The idea was named to Mrs. Fraser, wife of the Bishop, who then reigned at Bishops court, and she gladly became Treasurer of the Fund. A circular was drawn up and sent to the various schools, with the result that £500 was remitted to Mrs. Fraser within a few months, and so to-day in this Home the following inscription is seen as you enter :—

"THE GIFT OF THE SCHOOL GIRLS OF LANCASHIRE
AND CHESHIRE TO THEIR POORER SISTERS."

In 1878 the question of making some provision for poor, neglected girls was raised, and before the year closed, thanks to the generous gift of £1,000 from a lady who had been greatly interested in the Institution almost from its beginning, a Home was provided for these needy ones. This Home was the forerunner of four others which came in succeeding years ; and so from that year the desire of many hearts was



Bethesda Home : Cripple Children in the Garden.



Boys' Summer Camp : Tea in the open.

realised, and the title of the Institution became the Boys' and Girls' Refuges and Homes.

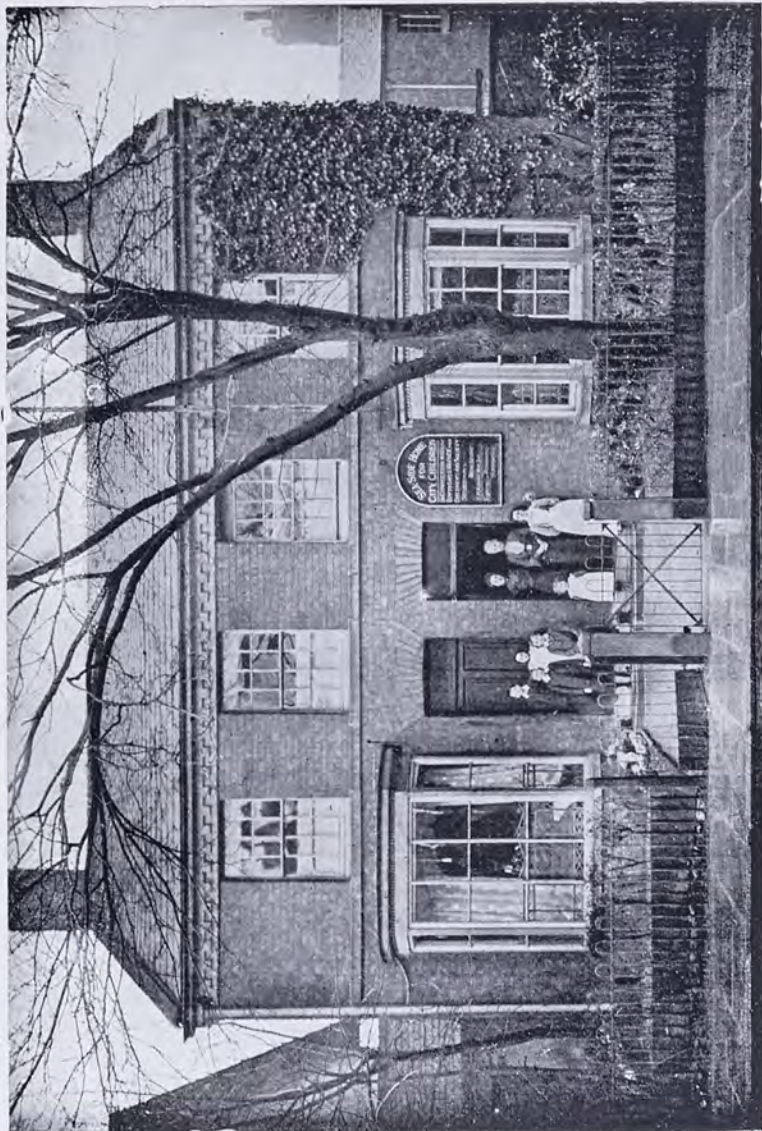
In 1879 the "Memorandum on Street Children" was issued by the Committee, and had much to do with arousing public opinion as to the sad condition of our juvenile street hawkers. The information furnished in this statement as to the deplorable state of these children was gathered from personal investigation by a number of workers, and it was an important factor in securing the insertion of clauses in the Manchester Corporation Act of 1882 controlling and in some degree prohibiting young children following the demoralising street occupations.

A monthly magazine entitled *The Christian Worker* was established in 1880 as the organ of the Institution which by this time had many friends who were interested and desired to have information time by time of the work in its various aspects. A new series under the title *The Children's Haven* was published in 1895 and is still issued monthly.

In the administration of the several branches now established, and specially in the investigation of the numerous applications for help, it was natural that

Other forms of need

would be realised by those who visited the courts and alleys in the slum districts of our city. One of these soon became very obvious, viz., the need of some recuperating agency for the many delicate children in extreme poverty who were not eligible for admission to the permanent Homes. These young children enfeebled from birth and living at best in



Sea-Side Home, Lytham.

crowded dwellings without ordinary nourishment, or convalescent after an illness, had little chance of gaining an increase of health.

To meet this need it was decided that the next extension of the Institution should be the establishment of a Sea-Side Home where such cases could have good food and loving care for a few weeks amid the invigorating air of the sea. So followed in 1883 the Home at Lytham through which, during the last 27 years there has passed a continuous procession of poor, weak, city children; to thousands of these the stay has been of incalculable benefit. During this long period 6124 children have been received there.

A natural sequence to this was the idea of making some provision for a short holiday by the sea for the

Thousands of Poor City Lads

whose horizon the whole year round was limited by the bricks and mortar of their own and neighbouring streets.

It was in 1883 that an experiment was made in camp life with a few poor boys. Two or three tents were pitched in the neighbourhood of Morecambe which along with some very primitive cooking arrangements formed the pioneer Camp of poor children's holidays throughout the country. The number of boys taken down that year was 48, this year (1909) 3189 poor children had the week's holiday at the Camp at Southport. During the 26 years that intervened there was, of course, a gradual development in organisation and equipment, material resources were accumulated as well as a valuable experience, and now we have at Southport—where,

by the generosity of Mr. Weld-Blundell, the Camp has been located since 1894—an almost ideal arrangement with a maximum accommodation for 300 boys. From 1888 to 1893 the Camp ground was at Ansdell, near Lytham. In both localities we have had troops of friends for this branch of our work.

During the 27 years the large number of 38,708 poor children have had the week's holiday by the sea, or perhaps we ought to say that there has been this number of holiday weeks, for some of the lads have gone down three or four summers until they were over 14, the age limit.

Another evolution of the means to meet the need of the poor, distressed, defenceless child was the establishing of a Shelter for such children in the heart of the city. The situation of the Homes in Strangeways did not provide for this, and it was gradually realised and ultimately felt imperative that a Receiving Home should be opened in a central position where a child might be taken

Any hour of the day or night.

In 1884, therefore, a house near the old Infirmary was rented and its door then opened has not been shut night nor day for 26 years. To tell of the pain and misery, of the cruelty and mental distress, that has passed in at that door embodied in the human forms of our little brothers and sisters would take us into a circle of Dante's Inferno. For little children have been brought there emaciated to skin and bone by deliberate intention of inhuman parents; some branded with hot iron; some a mass of weals, the result of brutal punishment from a so-called guardian; many diseased



Summer Camp for Poor City Lads, Birkdale.

through gross neglect ; many wayward wanderers afterwards restored to anxious friends ; many to whom the open door has been the escape from dishonour ; many distressed, homeless ones passed on to the permanent Homes, some who have not even known how to get into a bed ! and many juvenile offenders who have been remanded here instead of to prison. And so through the days and nights of succeeding years this Shelter has stood in the city as a place of rest and comfort and help for many who were in sore need. The number of children received at this branch to the end of last year was 9679.

It ought to be stated in this connection that in 1885 a local society was established by the Committee of the Institution for the

Prevention of Cruelty to Children

and during ten years of its existence cases involving the welfare of 9,888 children were investigated and dealt with by our officers or through the Police Courts. The establishment of a branch in Manchester by the National Society rendered the continuance of the local Society unnecessary.

At this point in the history of the Institution it might reasonably be thought that the agencies already in being provided for every class of child destitution.

In our intimate acquaintance, however, with the poorest dwellers in the squalid districts of the city we came face to face with a class of children for whom none of the Homes already established were suitable and yet whose condition made them doubly necessitous. They were rarely in evidence in the streets and it was only when one gained admittance to



The Old Shelter, Chatham Street, Piccadilly.

Open Day and Night.

the wretched dwellings of the slum districts that we came into actual contact with little children who, in addition to being in surroundings of abject poverty, were crippled in some form, and compelled to lie night and day in pain and weariness. Sometimes the neglect of careless or drunken parents added to the misery, but even without this the lot of the little sufferer was pitiable indeed and called beseechingly on Christian charity for some relief.

It was felt that any adequate provision for even the most needy of these cases would mean considerable outlay, and it was some time before the Committee in view of the demands of the already extensive operations could see their way to undertake the increased responsibility of providing and maintaining a Home which, to be suitable, would have to be of a semi-hospital character.

As time passed the urgency of the need knocked more and more loudly at hearts already touched with a deep sympathy, and it was decided in 1888 to make an appeal and provide if possible a Home with 30 or 40 beds for these poor, suffering children.

As a result of this effort £5,000 was subscribed and expended in erecting the original portion of the present Bethesda Home for Crippled and Incurable Children in George Street, Cheetham Hill. It was opened on January 4th, 1890,—thus marking the 20th anniversary of the parent Institution,—by Mr. Oliver Heywood, one of the most honoured of our citizens and a trustee of the Institution.

In 1904 an additional wing with extra garden space was opened by Lady Henry Somerset as a memorial to Mr. Leonard K. Shaw, who passed away in June, 1902. This



Bethesda Home for Crippled and Incurable Children,
Opened January, 1890.

doubled the capacity of the Home which now accommodates 70 children and stands as one of the most beneficent activities in the whole round of the district's Charities.

Visitors are always welcome, but it is not enough to see the children happy and contented notwithstanding their weakness and ailments to realise what it all means to them. We need to know something of the dreadful environment and conditions from which they have come, to make a background for a full appreciation of so sweet a picture. In our thoughts of the healing virtue of our Lord Jesus Christ we find ourselves dwelling almost exclusively on the benefit to the sufferers and overlook the exquisite joy to Him of healing the leper, seeing the adoring wonder in the opened eyes of the blind, and hearing it in the first words of the deaf and dumb. An echo of this experience comes to those who know something of what it is

At this Home of Mercy

to provide for, and minister to, these little ones so early stricken in the battle of life.

The number admitted here from the beginning is 252, some staying years, others only the last few months of a flickering life, and others again after a longer or shorter period returned to friends much benefited or altogether cured.

One summer evening the writer was passing along a suburban road when a bright little fellow of some four years, never seen before, looked up and said "Will you open this gate for me?" The gate needed lifting slightly and he could not manage it. As he passed into the garden he said "Do you love me?" "Yes" was the response for love was at



Cripples' Home—In the Matron's Sitting Room.

sight. "And I love you," he said—a child's benediction. Surely a parable of our work in three words—Need, Help, Love.

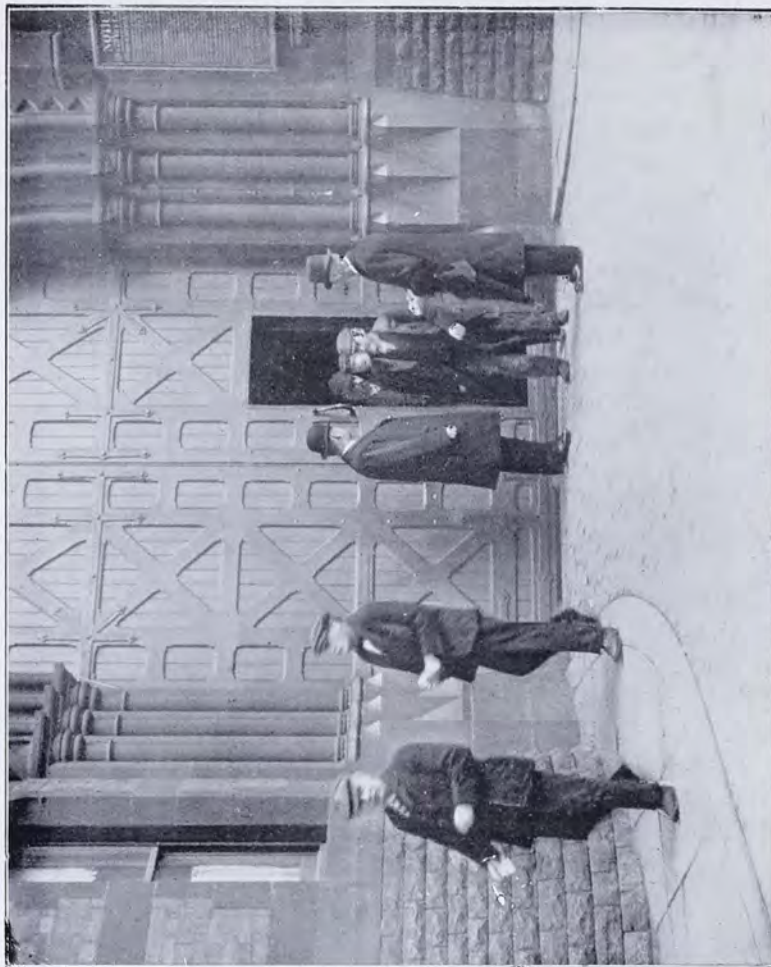
Thus in 1890 after 20 years of gradual expansion the Institution comprised:—

- Central Refuge and Home and Workshops.
- Working Lads' Home and Institute.
- Street Boys' Home.
- Emigration Training Home.
- Elder Girls' Home.
- Orphan Homes for little children.
- Cripple Children's Home.
- Children's Shelter—Ever-open door.
- Sea-Side Home.
- Summer Camp.
- Boys' Industrial Brigades.
- Prison Gate Mission.

During these years there had been besides the establishment of the various branches enumerated,

Certain collateral agencies added,

all having for their object the rescue and benefit of the poor and needy children of the city. Twenty years ago, before the passing of Youthful Offenders' Act and other legislation giving magistrates more discretion in dealing with young delinquents, there were young people of both sexes frequently sent to prison for short terms. This fact, as well as the proximity of the gaol to our Strangeways Buildings, suggested a mission to young people on their discharge from prison. On September 5th, 1887, therefore a Prison Gate Mission was begun. It was arranged that every morning as the gate opened a friendly invitation should be given to all discharged



At the Prison Gate: Seven o'clock a.m.

prisoners, old and young alike, to a simple breakfast of coffee, and bread and butter at the Mission Room. During the meal a word of kindly advice was spoken and note taken of the younger ones with a view to their reclamation. In many other cases help was rendered in various ways. The record of the numbers thus received at this Mission in its 22 years' work is astonishing, no less than 219,131 men and women and young people having passed through that room, the recipients of, at least, a bit of human kindness and sympathy.

Another point of contact with children and young people in need and in moral danger was the Police Courts where they were often charged with technical or minor offences—begging, obstruction, sleeping out, etc.—as well as more serious ones. A friend at hand at such a time, one who could help and guide, was a friend indeed, and so the Committee arranged that an agent should attend the three police courts, City, Borough, and County each morning in the interests of these young people.

This mission, established in 1892, has not only been of timely service to hundreds of erring or unfortunate young offenders but has been much

Appreciated by the Magistrates

as providing a means of dealing with this class other than by imprisonment. Several have been received into our permanent Homes and in their subsequent career proved that it was only a better environment they needed; they were more sinned against than sinning. The figures for the 18 years' work of this mission show 1,156 young people dealt with.

In the exploration of Babylon every brick was found with the impress of the name of Nebuchadnezzar the King. But upon one of the bricks there was also the clear footprint of a

dog. It had trodden upon the brick while the clay was yet soft and unbaked, and the impress of the foot remains there still, but the king's name is underneath. On many a child's nature the impress of the dog's foot is manifest, but what we are apt to forget is that the king's name is still underneath.

To add to the completeness of the record of the Institution's operations reference should be made to branches not now continued which were of good service during several years. First, established in 1881, was the Boys' Rest, an old public house in Angel Meadow converted into a lodging house for youths. In this district 30 years ago there was a colony of lodging houses of the lowest type where shelter for the night was provided on the cheapest terms. Boys and youths earning a precarious living on the streets drifted here and came into contact with the most degrading influences. Too old or otherwise ineligible for the Institution, or unwilling to enter, the only means of helping them seemed to be by establishing a lodging place which at least would be conducted on principles of cleanliness and have a good moral influence. This enterprise served a good purpose and for several years the Boys Rest was a bright,

Wholesome spot in a dark locality

and was the means in the first place of saving many a lad from the downward path.

Another agency formed in the interests of poor children was a Day Nursery established in 1887 in the crowded district of Ancoats. This was a great boon to poor women who having to go out to work could leave their young children in charge of the matron for the day, at a small charge. It was continued



Recreation Ground, Heywood Street, Cheetham.

for 12 years, until 1898, when it was taken over by another organisation.

The last addition to the scope of the Institution was made in 1896 when it was decided to widen the principle of admission of orphan children and make provision for a type of case which was often found among the applications, viz., neglected motherless children. This Home was found to meet a real need especially in the case of little girls who in many instances after being cared for here a year or two could be returned to the father. 150 children have been received here since its establishment.

This brings us to a period in the record since when there has been no new feature added to the various agencies then in operation, though some of these have been enlarged, notably the Sea-Side Home, and quite recently the new premises for the Children's Shelter and Messenger Brigade to which reference is made in the statement for the year. Mention should be made, however, of a fine recreation ground which was provided for the children in 1904 at a cost of £5,000. The ground previously rented was no longer available and it was evident if one was to be permanently secured within reasonable distance of the various Homes it would have to be purchased. Fortunately land in Cheetham owned by Lord Derby was in the market and it is now a permanent possession of the Committee and a great boon to all our children for recreative purposes.

If we have been able to present with any clearness of outline the purpose and effect of the work of "These Forty Years" on behalf of homeless children it will still remain for the reader to fill in by sympathy and imagination what has been involved in all these manifold labours.



Refuge Bible Class: Winners of the Challenge Shield,
Sunday Ragged School Union Scripture Examination.

One feature for instance might not suggest itself even to the most interested—the part played amid this drama of young plastic life by those who were in hourly contact endeavouring to mould it to fine issues, into forms of usefulness and honour.

The staff in charge of the various homes, branches, and workshops have proved with few exceptions to have been wisely chosen. The Committee realise that the success of the work in its highest aspects has been due in a large measure to the faithful, sympathetic discharge of the important duties devolving upon those who had direct charge of the children. This service has been in many instances of such a high character, that monetary considerations could not possibly be an adequate recompense. This has come however to many of the devoted workers along the line of noble character, devotion to duty and sacrifice for others shown in the lives of men and women whom, as children, they nurtured and trained by precept and example.

*Sow love, and taste its fruitage pure ;
Sow peace, and reap its harvest bright ;
Sow sunbeams on the rock and moor
And find a harvest home of light.*

Many of course have passed out of the succession during the forty years, some to other spheres of similar labour, others to “ offices which suit the full-grown energies of heaven.” It is interesting and not without significance that of the present staff 22 of the principal workers have an average of over 20 years’ service under the Committee, a few have been engaged in the work over 30 years.

The figures on pages 86 will be interesting as shewing the number of children dealt with and the amount contributed year by year from 1870 to 1909, and the total at the end of that period.

It will be seen that the amount contributed voluntarily during the 40 years for all purposes as there shown is the large sum of £378,441. In 1870 the amount was £568, this was from 89 contributors; last year, 1909, it was £17,055 and represents 2829 contributions. We remember opening the letters one morning years ago, and found in one a cheque for a thousand pounds from a widow lady for our Girls' Home work, and in another sixpence in postage stamps with a slip of paper, saying, "From a widow, half of all I have in the world." The diversity of gifts and of the circumstances attending them during this long period has been most remarkable and interesting. Heaven alone could appraise the real value of the contributions.

The voluntary character of our work on behalf of homeless, suffering, and distressed children is a feature in which we may be allowed perhaps to have a pardonable pride. It is voluntary from both sides, the children coming of their own free will and with the glad sanction of their relatives or friends when there are any. And on the other hand the means of maintenance, outside the earning capacity of the elder children, are the gifts of those who more or less contribute from a spirit of compassion for those in distress. That is to say, the children are not committed to us under the law by a magistrate and detained for a period involuntarily, nor do we as an institution receive any grant from municipal or government funds.

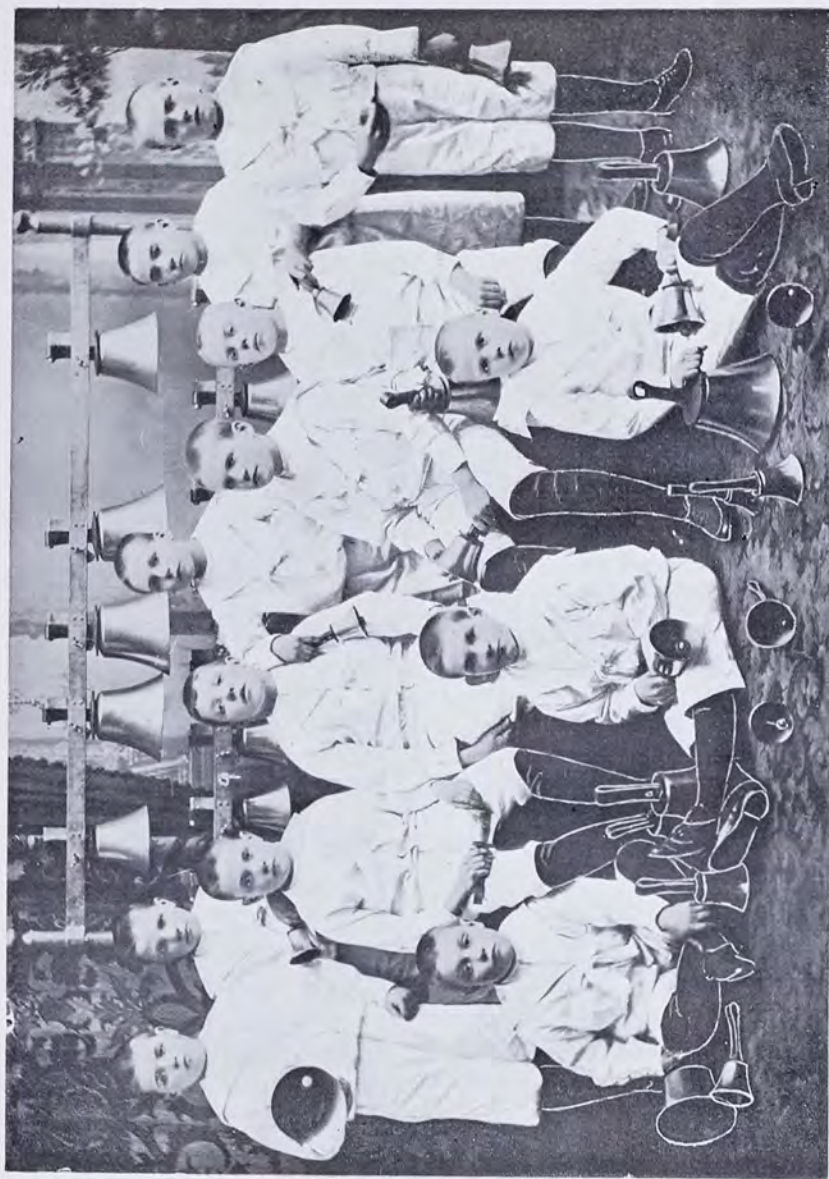
Annual Sale of Work.

An interesting fact which deserves an honourable place in this record is one connected with the sources of revenue necessary to maintain so large a work. In 1882 Mrs. Leonard K. Shaw enlisted the sympathy and co-operation of several ladies, and arranged a Sale of Work which was held in December of that year in the Refuge Hall, Strangeways. This effort has been repeated with one exception every year since, resulting in no less a sum than £10,884 13s. 6d. as the total proceeds, being on an average £403 2s. 8d. each year, the result of one day's sale. The amount for each year given on page 86 will be of interest to some of our friends.

The total sum earned by the children and young people of working age £91,916 os. od. is an eloquent commentary on the motto put over the first workshop "We help those who try to help themselves."

It may be well to summarise these statistics and show them at a glance as follows:—

8,739	Children admitted to the various Homes.
6,124	Delicate Children at the Sea-Side Home.
38,708	Poor Boys a Week's Holiday at Camp.
1,871	Placed on good Farm Homes in Canada.
9,679	Lost, Neglected, or Cruelly-treated Children admitted to Shelter.
1,156	Boy and Girl Prisoners helped at Police Courts.
6,023	Poor Lads employed in Messenger and Shoebblack Brigades.
219,131	Discharged Prisoners given Breakfast.



Boys' Refuge Handbell Ringers.

There is a tendency in a mass of figures like these to defeat their own end, for the greater the total the more danger there is of the unit, the individual, being lost to the mind. And yet a little real reflection will help to correct this as we think of one child comforted in its misery, given its rightful heritage of a happy childhood, and remind ourselves that for forty years this ministration has been going on night and day for so many poor children.

Personal.

The founders of the Institution, Mr. Leonard K. Shaw and Mr. Richard B. Taylor, are no longer with us, the former passing away in 1902 and the latter five years later. Mr. Shaw, who was Hon. Secretary for 32 years, gave unstinted service, often far into the night, during all that time and his memory is still fragrant in the lives of many who, now men and women, are scattered throughout the world. Mr. Taylor was a member of Committee until his death and is remembered for the beautiful humility of his character and his steadfast devotion to the interests of poor children.

There are other names held in honour by the city which have been associated with the Institution as Trustees or members of Committee during the forty years. In this connection the following statement will be of interest and serve as a record for future years of those who have served in these capacities.

TRUSTEES.

John Rylands	1871-1888	Isaac Hoyle	1883-
Oliver Heywood	1871-1892	Sir Wm. Crossley, Bart.	1883-
Richard Haworth	1871-1883	Frank W. Crossley	1887-1897
Henry Lee	1871-1904	Louis M. Hayes	1886-
Herbert Philips	1871-1905	Henry Charlton	1888-
Wm. Smith	1871-1886	Sir Wm. Holland, Bart.	1897-
Richard B. Taylor	1871-1907	Henry T. Gaddum	1902-1905
Leonard K. Shaw	1871-1902	William A. Arnold	1905-
William Pearson	1871-1873	Theodore Crewdson	1905-
James Chapman	1874-1881	Eric Crossley	1905-
Chas. Leigh Clare	1881-1882	Alderman James Fildes	1907-

COMMITTEE.

Leonard K. Shaw	1870-1902	Gilbert R. Kirlew	1881-1895
(Hon. Sec.)		Henry Charlton	1883-
Richard B. Taylor	1870-1907	(Treasurer)	
James Chapman	1870-1873	James Boyd	1886-
(Treasurer)		Thomas R. Ackroyd	1888-
Thomas Wright	1871-1874	(As Hon. Sec.)	1902-
Louis M. Hayes	1872-1896	Sir Wm. Crossley, Bart.	1890-
James Bradshaw	1872-1873	John Thomson	1890-1904
Henry B. Harrison	1873-1879	Alfred Haworth	1894-1899
Thomas H. Rymer	1873-1880	James Fildes	1902-
James C. Stuart	1874-1882	Mrs. L. K. Shaw	1902-
(Treasurer)		Robt. Shaw	1902-1909
T. H. Drew	1876-1877	Harry E. Gaddum	1904-
William Oldham	1879-1883	Arthur Taylor	1904-
Edward J. Walker	1881-1885	William C. Dunkerley	1907-
Geo. Leader Williams	1909-		

It would make an interesting page to give the names of others who have been actively engaged in the administration of the work, and again of eminent citizens and distinguished visitors deeply interested in what was in the early years an experiment in philanthropy, but it would perhaps unduly extend this record. However, one special reference may be allowed. Of those who were actively associated with the inception of the Institution there is only one survivor, Mrs. Leonard K. Shaw, who, with a devotion unique in its earnestness and continuity throughout the forty years, has watched over its many interests, more especially those of the Homes for girls and little orphan children at Cheetham Hill. The Committee are glad to think that they still have the benefit of her counsel and active co-operation.

Child Legislation.

While these pages deal almost exclusively with one of the many voluntary efforts made on behalf of poor children in various parts of the country, it is interesting to note some of the legislative enactments of the period under review.

The Industrial Schools' Act, at the time the Institution was established, 1870, had been recently passed and some of our earliest efforts were in the direction of its enforcement.

The Elementary Education Act, which marked so great an epoch in educational matters for the children of England, became law in 1870.

The Factory and Workshop Acts were amended in important particulars, especially in respect to child labour.

The Canal Boat Act was passed in 1877 in the interests of a very neglected class of children.

The First Offenders' Act, giving magistrates discretionary powers as to conviction in these cases, and

The Custody of Children Act, which enables magistrates to remove children from the custody of improper parents, and to appoint guardians in their stead, followed.

The Prevention of Cruelty to Children Act, known as "The Children's Charter," became law in 1889, and in its operation proved how appalling was the need of its beneficent provision in the interests of helpless children.

In the following years came several enactments protecting children from dangerous employments, from the contamination of the public house, providing for the feeding of poor school children, and the education of defective ones.

These were crowned with the comprehensive *Children Act* of 1908, which consolidated previous legislation as well as extended the protective power of the law in other directions.

This State action is ultimately inevitable in any Christian and self-respecting country, though it is remarkable how slowly the need of it is realised. The voluntary effort has been the pioneer in this phase of social reform during these forty years, and in the future will probably lead the way until the value of the child is rightly computed and conserved for its own sake and that of the nation.



Extension of Bethesda Home for Crippled and Incurable Children:

Leonard K. Shaw Memorial Wing.

The Year's Record.

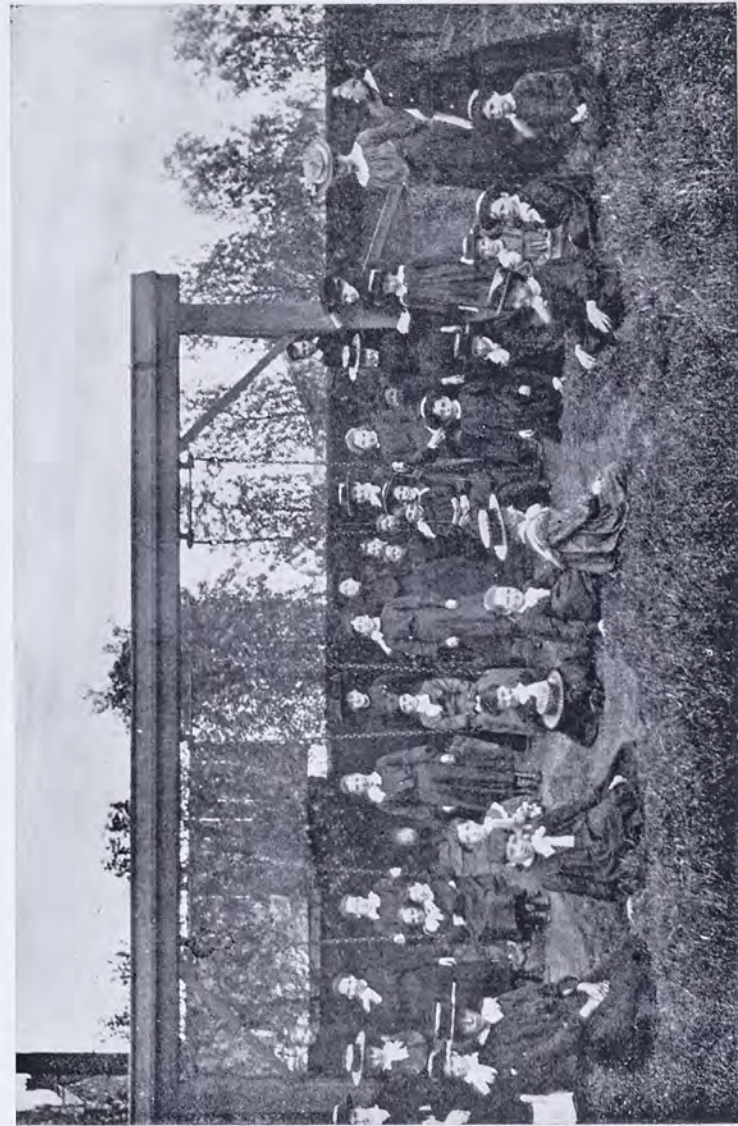
In a brief review of the past year we shall not need to dwell on the various branches after the reference to their establishment in preceding pages. At the same time we should be glad if we might focus the reader's attention on the work of the year for a moment, especially after the necessarily discursive sketch covering so long a period.

New Applications.

The number of applications during the year was 644—boys 483, girls 161—coming from all parts of Manchester and Salford, and the adjacent townships. The majority had lost one or both parents, some had been deserted and knew nothing of the whereabouts of father or mother, some were children of widows with large families, and others had parents quite unfit to have charge of them owing to drunken or immoral habits.

The Year's Admissions.

Three hundred and thirty-eight of these applicants were admitted to one or other of the Homes in all stages of destitution and need. These with the 425 in the various Homes at the beginning of the year make a total of 763 under the care of the Committee during the twelve months. In addition to these, temporary help and advice have been given to a large number of cases not eligible for admission.



A Corner in the new Recreation Ground.

The following table shows the average number resident and the total number of children dealt with in the various Homes and agencies during the year.

	Average number resident.	Dealt with during the year.
Central Refuge and Home	97	147
Working Youths' Home and Institute	} <i>Strangeways</i>	44
Street Boys' Home		25
Boys' Emigration Training Home		37
Elder Girls' Training Home and Laundry	36	63
Orphan Homes for Little Children (5 in number)	} <i>Cheetham Hill</i>	89
Home for Crippled and Incurable Children		64
Home for Motherless Little Girls		19
Open Day-and-Night Shelter, Chatham Street		387
Sea-Side Home, Lytham		397
Summer Camp, Southport		3189
Messenger and Shoebblack Brigade		229
Police Court Mission, lads and girls		178
Training Ship		1
Emigrated to Ontario		38
Prison Gate Mission, chiefly adults		10833

Of the 763 children before referred to as under care and training during the year, the following shows the results at the close of the year.

Placed in situations in the United Kingdom	34
Placed in Farm Homes in Canada	38
Placed with friends	61
Sent to other Institutions	22
Remand Cases returned to the Authorities	123
Other Cases	33
Left without cause	5
Died (Three at the Bethesda Home)	5
Adopted	2
Leaving retained under our care and training in the Central Refuge and Branch Homes	440
	<u>763</u>

If we gather together the numbers of children in the various branches to whom thought and attention were given in one form or another during the year, we get a total of 4983.

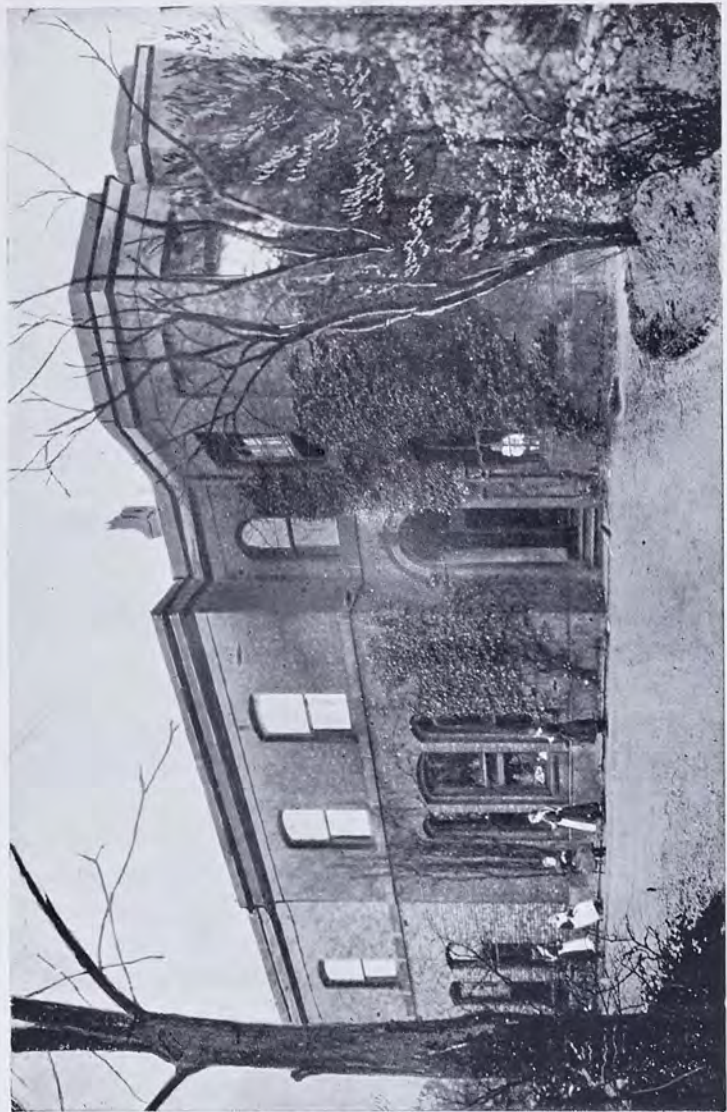
We need hardly say that the variety of disposition, need, circumstance, condition, treatment, involved in this large number could scarcely be extended, unless we think of those poor mentally afflicted ones for whom we, of course, do not provide.

Strangeways Homes.

In the four Homes at Strangeways, where 298 boys and youths have been in residence, there are several types which we may briefly indicate.

Street Lad.—There is the rough street lad who, applying under the pressure of a severe winter, has at first chafed under the unwonted regularity of work and a discipline to which his lodging house life had made him a stranger. He has, however, with the passing of the days, slowly realised that there is a permanently comfortable side to the change, and gradually he puts on self-respect with his new clothes, and the seed of ambition to become as some of the older residents finds a lodgment in the poor lad's life.

Fatherless Laddie.—Another is a little fellow of ten perhaps, brought by his mother and she a widow struggling to provide for several little ones. She pleads for his admission. He is loath to part from her as she is from him and tears show a bond which one regrets to seem to break even in the interests of the child. He is, however, admitted and soon settles down in one of the families, attending school and enjoying the home life.



“Rosen Hallas” Girls’ Training Home.

Stranger Youth.—A youth coming to a situation in the city, and having no friends in Manchester is admitted to the Young Men’s Institute and so in a large measure guarded against the temptations incident to the change.

Neglected and Abused.—Another type is the poor lad not absolutely destitute but neglected and abused, whose surroundings are only calculated to add him to the pauper or criminal class. He is received with a view to Canada where so many like him have been given a chance they could never get at home.

Runaway.—Then comes along a lad whom we soon recognise as of a better class though evidently in difficulties. His story shows discrepancies, and sooner or later ends in the confession of the runaway and his restoration to his friends. One of these will sometimes cost no little time and thought.

Of course many applications are found to be ineligible for one reason or another, but they often involve as much care and labour in the investigation as those who are admitted.

Cheetham Hill Homes.

In the branches at Cheetham Hill we have still other classes as indicated in the names of the Homes as they appear in the list.

It will be readily understood how the work which is all comprised under the term “caring for poor and destitute children” varies in the respective branches according to the age and sex of the children and the object in view in respect to them.



Gathering of Old Girls at "Rosen Hallas" Home.

Elder Girls.—Perhaps the most difficult and in some respects the most interesting part of the whole work is that among the elder girls at the Rosen Hallas Girls' Home, where we have had during the year 63 inmates. Each one of them has a history more or less sadly interesting and the task of leading the young life into habits of obedience, industry, self-respect, and piety, is often one requiring great tact, patience, and sympathy, and a firm belief in the possibility of good in them all. We might say with a full knowledge of the facts that some of the girls received here are fortunate in their very destitution in that it has brought them under the influences which prevail in this Christian home. To many the difference between remaining in their old environment and coming into the atmosphere of this home, has been the difference between honour and dishonour, between a life of usefulness and happiness and one of misery and disgrace.

Orphans.—A little child is brought before you with the statement that she is fatherless and motherless (father dead four years, mother died last week) and needs help and a friend. The pale, wistful face, only half conscious of what the interview means, looks into yours and you thank God you can pass the little maid on to the care of a Christian gentle-woman and a bright family circle where the sad past is gradually lost in the interest and happiness of the new life. One hundred children have been cared for in the five family Orphan Homes during the year.

Child Cripple.—The little cripple or incurable child coming from surroundings of extreme poverty is another type of the children cared for during the year. Seventy-seven of these have occupied the little beds and cots at the Bethesda Home.

Motherless Girls.—The Home providing for these little girls has been full all the year, 26 having been dealt with.

Other Branches.

Poor Lads' Holiday.—To take a poor city lad to the seaside for the first time and see his astonishment ; to give him four good meals every day for a week and see the relish ; to provide games and treats and bathing and note the capacity of that young life for it all ; to see the benefit from the camp life at the end of the holiday is to have a satisfaction which rivals that of the lad himself. It is indeed blessed to give. During the season from May to September 3189 poor children have been taken from the crowded parts of the city and given the week's holiday at the Camp at Birkdale. We are under a special debt of gratitude to the members of our sub-committee who so devotedly carry on this branch of our work.

Poor Delicate Girls.—The permanent Sea-side Home at Lytham has been busy all the year round receiving for one, two, or three weeks poor delicate girls and little boys to whom the change has been of great benefit. These children, recommended by Bible women, health visitors, and other workers among the poor are quite dependent on some such agency for the stay at the sea-side which they so much need. Three hundred and ninety-seven of these ailing ones have been admitted.

Distressed Children.—No branch of the Institution receives so many children in distress as the Children's Shelter in the city—the Ever-open Door. There are always some little ones there, driven by the stress of somebody's wrong-doing as



A Group of Happy Camp Boys.



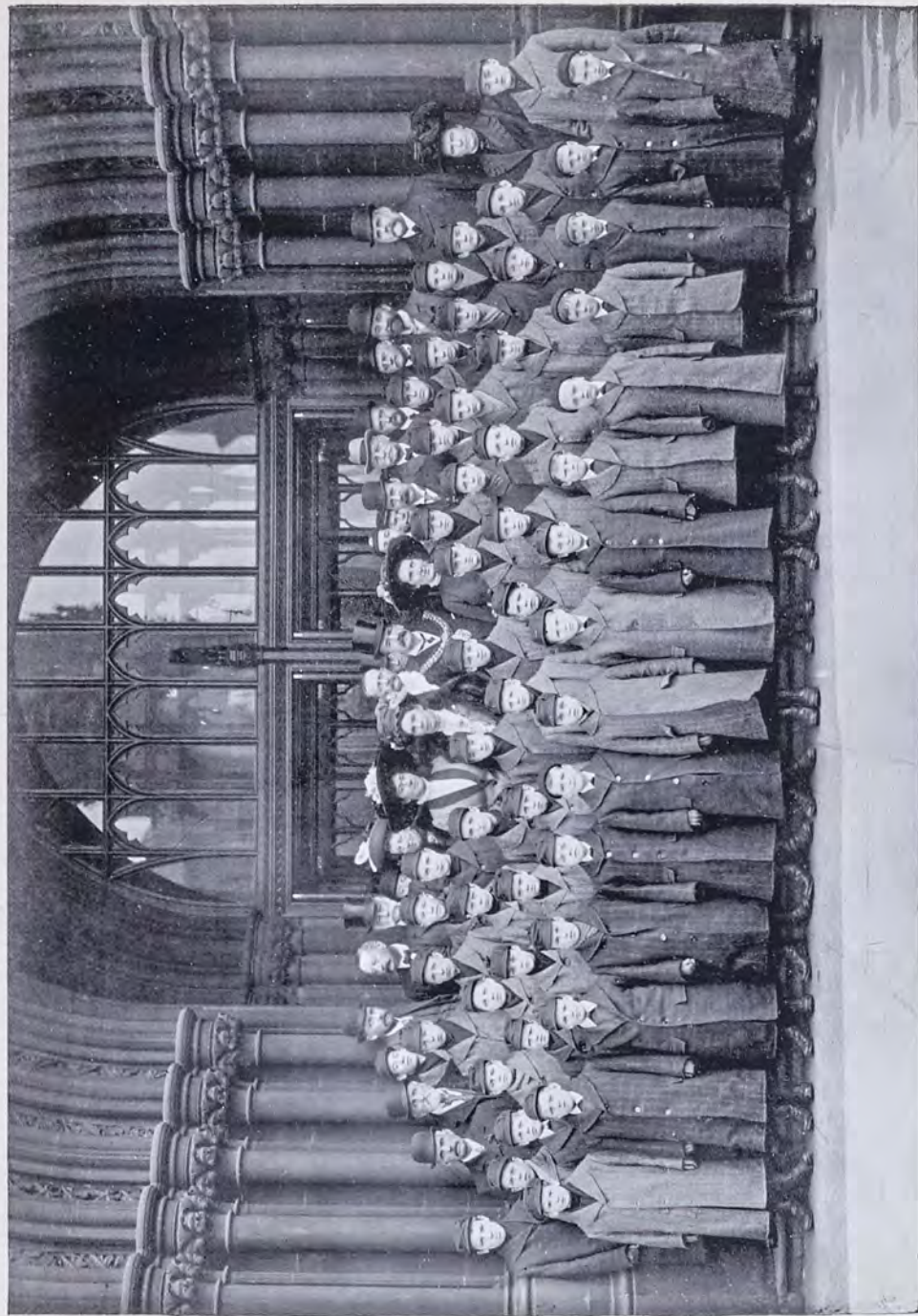
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First Offender.

to a haven of protection and rest. During the year 387 have been received many of them in conditions of extreme filth and wretchedness—of this number no less than 116 were brought in between the hours of 10 p.m. and 4 a.m. One day nine children (two families) were brought in so neglected a condition that all their clothing had to be immediately destroyed, the parents in each case being sent to prison by the magistrates.

In such cases the mischief does not end with the children themselves. The neglected child in the nature of things takes its revenge on the community. Neglect of any part of the social organism means trouble more or less to every other part of it. Neglect is never merely passive in its results, even in a garden there is an active growth of weeds and other undesirable things. But what shall we say of the young life with all its potentialities for good left to degenerate until as pauper or criminal it becomes a chronic sore festering in the body politic. The State is slowly realising that if the natural guardian cannot or will not care for the child the nation in its own interests will have to do so.

In the Grip of the Law.—In connection with the Police Court Mission 178 cases of young people before the magistrate have been dealt with during the year. This has meant investigation, advice, conference with the bench, assistance in recovering or obtaining employment and in some cases admission to our permanent Homes. Some have been put on probation under the new Act an arrangement which has been productive of good results in the great majority of cases. Our agent is the Court probation officer for boys.



Boys' Emigration Party, 1910: Lord Mayor's "Good-bye."

Discharged Prisoners.—As the Prison Gate opens each morning and the men and women, so many of them the outcasts of society, come forth they are met by a friendly face and invited to the simple breakfast provided in the adjacent Mission Room. Last year the number met at the gate was 12,970, and of them the great majority, 10,833, gratefully accepted the invitation. This company each morning is one of the saddest sights in connection with the various phases of our work, for many of them seem drifting hopelessly on life's stream, broken in health, broken in character, and some broken in heart. This bit of charity is greatly appreciated, and some are helped to better things. Its very sadness only emphasises the need of the primary object of the Institution, to save children from associations which would bring them inevitably into so sad a succession. We gratefully acknowledge the help of a Sister from the City Mission in this special work.

Another distressing feature in connection with this Mission is the number of destitute persons who apply each morning for a scrap of bread or drink of coffee after the breakfast. Last year no less than 12,139 of this homeless class were given a trifle of food. The majority of them had been out all night.

Emigration.

We cannot too often reiterate the principles which lie at the foundation of this branch of the work, for we are aware that some who do not realise these come to the conclusion that children are sent to the Dominion to the detriment of the mother Country. This is not so and we think the following correspondence with an esteemed contributor will shew clearly the feeling referred to and our policy in the matter.

June 17th, 1909.

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of the 11th inst., my chief reason for discontinuing my subscription is that considering the extreme difficulty of obtaining domestic servants it is unwise to support Societies which export girls.

* * *

June 19th, 1909.

Dear Sir,

I regret to know from yours of the 17th inst. that you are discontinuing your esteemed subscription, and especially sorry as to the chief reason. I cannot but think you may not clearly realise our position and principle in respect to the emigration of some of our girls. First allow me to say that the majority of the girls passing out of our Homes go into domestic service at home (the enclosed is a photograph of the Annual Old Girls' Party—girls who are in situations in Manchester or neighbourhood), but there are a certain number who have been rescued from, not only poor, but dangerous surroundings, and who have relations or friends whose influence would be calculated to draw the girls again into moral danger and render the years of training and monetary cost of no avail. It is this class we emigrate and we find there is no other safeguard against the possibility, nay probability, I have stated. On the other hand these girls do well in Canada, and our experienced matron who knows the conditions here and in Canada from personal knowledge of over twenty years is more and more confirmed as to the wisdom of emigration for this class of case. Girls who are not liable to the re-assertion of degrading influences are not sent out, but are placed in good situations at home. I trust this explanation may shew that our Committee are alive to the difficulty of obtaining good domestic servants and that only in the highest interests of the girl, and ultimately of the community, pursue a policy that may seem to some extent to increase that difficulty.

Thanking you for all your help in the past which we much appreciate,

I am, Yours faithfully,
Thos. R. Ackroyd.



Children's Home, Marchmont, Belleville, Ontario.

June 23rd, 1909.

Dear Sir,

I am very pleased with the explanation given in your letter of the 19th inst., and have pleasure in enclosing my usual subscription. I quite appreciate the wisdom of your practice and am sorry I misjudged it.

We have sent out this last year 20 boys and 18 girls, all of whom have been placed in good situations by Mr. Wallace, who has so many applications from accredited farmers that he is under no necessity to accept an inferior home for any boy or girl. The employers undertake to clothe the children properly, to send them to school for a certain period during the year, to see they attend Church and Sunday School and we believe that each boy and girl receives every care and kindness in this new land.

Finances of the Year.

It is a happy feature of our completing the fortieth year of our work to be able to present so satisfactory a financial statement for the year 1909. We began the year with a deficit of £251 15s. 5d. This has been met and also the year's expenditure of £15,016 11s. 5d. by the income from the various sources, and we have a credit balance to start the new year of £373 3s. 10d.

While we are indeed grateful that in this respect all our wants have been supplied, we realise that it is due to the special amounts received from legacies, etc., during the year, a source of income not, of course, always available. We have many friends and a gratifying list of subscriptions, but still need a substantial increase of regular contributions to meet our current expenditure. We should welcome any help to enlist



THE above is an illustration of a Monk's Bench made in our workshop, in respect to which the following is a Testimonial received from the purchaser

COPY OF TESTIMONIAL.

July, 1907
We are greatly pleased with the Monk's Bench, it looks well in the Hall, and shall certainly recommend you to our friends.
M.F.

This Bench is useful as a BOX, TABLE, or SEAT, and can be made in most fashionable woods and sizes.

new subscribers, and venture to suggest that the most effective way is to bring a friend to see the work in active operation, help and sympathy naturally follow.

We would like to make special reference to a sum of £500 contributed during the year for the endowment of a cot at the Home for Cripple Children. It is unique among these endowments, which now number 41, in that it is the gift of a Men's Bible Class (Bank Street, Altrincham), the result of a Sale of Work which produced in all £550. The income from the £50 is to be devoted to maintaining a tent at the Summer Camp.

Another feature of the year's income is also one of exceptional interest. It is the amount contributed by the children towards their own maintenance, being their earnings and profit on their work in the various trading departments. It amounts this year to £3,297 19s. od. or practically one quarter of the whole cost. Besides this the amounts shown as "Thankofferings" are almost exclusively from old boys and girls.

New Shelter.

In last year's report the circumstances under which we had to vacate the old premises in Chatham Street were referred to, and it was also intimated that the Committee had, after mature consideration, decided to erect new premises on the adjoining site, so securing a permanent position in the centre of the city, much more convenience for the Children's Shelter and Messenger Brigade work, and the saving of a heavy rent charge in future.

An appeal was made for the £8,000 which the new building and site were estimated to cost and we now very



New Children's Shelter—Ever-Open Door,
Chatham Street, Piccadilly.

gratefully announce that this large sum has been provided by the generous contributions of many friends and legacies received during the year.

And so in the centre of our city amid offices and warehouses there is rising a modest but substantial building which has no connection with the staple trades, cotton, coal, iron, etc., and yet it has no less a value to the community. Its door unlike all others in the locality will never be closed, for it is in direct succession to one which has been open day and night for 26 years.

The lamp over the door will be a beacon light saying in effect that whatever may be the case with men and women no child need be homeless at night in this great city. Coming alone, or by whomsoever brought, a destitute child will receive a welcome at that open door, and will be cared for pending enquiries. The lost child, the deserted child, the homeless child, the cruelly-treated child, is the child of the nation, of the citizens, of the public spirit, of the community, and we are all responsible for it.

We hope to enter upon the occupation of these premises in May, 1910.

Further Development.

Any future expansion of the Institution would be largely in the direction of increasing the accommodation in some of the branches and thus extending the benefits to a larger number of children. This could well be done in the Seaside Home for instance where the accommodation is at present limited to twenty children. In some seasons of the year the applications on behalf of the necessitous cases are so numerous that we



Camp Holiday—Passing the Doctor.

should be glad to have fifty beds available. The Home at Lytham is a rented one adapted for our purpose. We should rejoice to have our own property there some day and build a Home with increased facilities for dealing with this class of children. May we suggest it would be a good investment for some wealthy and generous citizen, dividends being cumulative in the health, happiness, and gratitude of the children benefited.

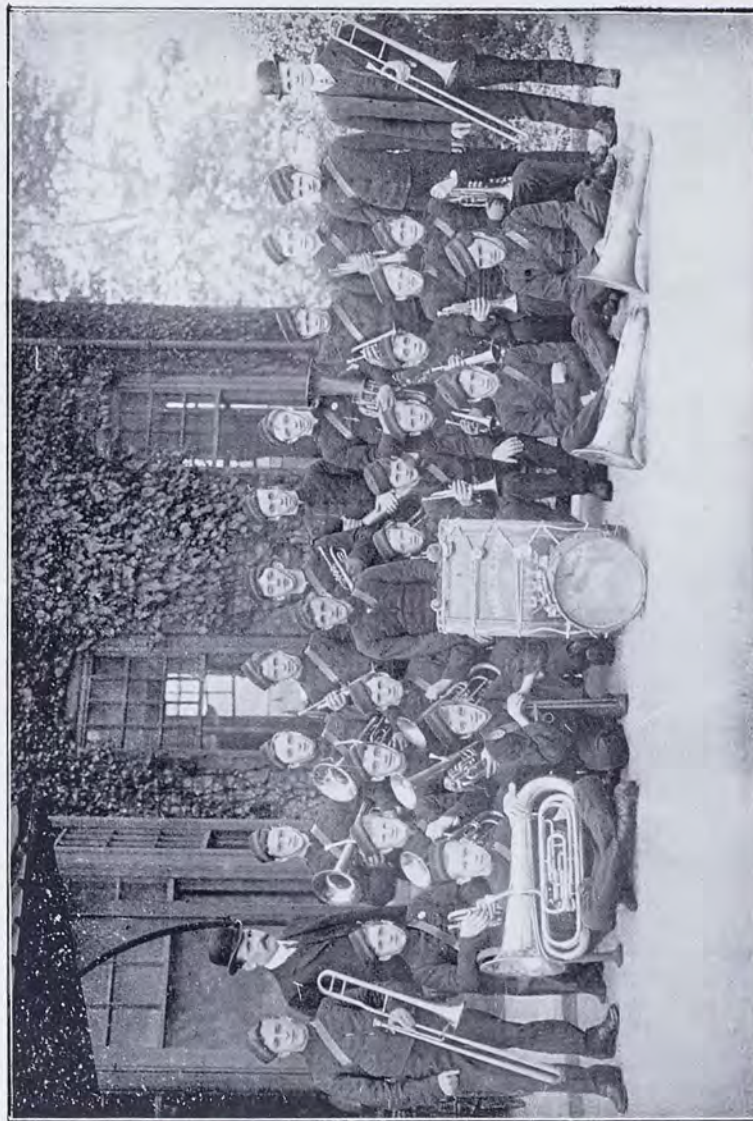
Again, while any really destitute child is admitted at once we are bound to say that the applications on behalf of neglected motherless children are more than we can receive in the one Home for such children.

Thus in these and other possible extensions of existing agencies we could increase the usefulness of the Institution if means were available. There is, however, one direction in which there might be with excellent results an enlargement of the scope of the Committee's operations.

That is in the establishment of a small farm which would serve the threefold purpose of giving a suitable training to the boys selected for Canada, providing a country home to which the weakly boys and girls could be sent for a time, and supplying the vegetables and perhaps milk required by the several Homes.

We name these as ways of adding to the beneficent result of the work, and we should be glad of any suggestions which would help in the realization of them.

Appended we give some specimen cases, extracts from letters from children in Canada, and other details which will no doubt be of interest to our friends.



Boys' Refuge Brass Band.

"These Forty Years."

In closing we would gratefully acknowledge the guiding hand of God in the history of the Institution. If we can think of a Divine Providence over the individual life, controlling every detail of succeeding days; and also through the sweep of history, mark the same Power shaping the destiny of a nation; we shall have little difficulty in believing that our history as an Institution has been an ordered one.

Throughout the whole period from one year to another the administrators have had an experience which they humbly think could not be more truly expressed than in the words of Scripture—"For the Lord thy God hath blessed thee in all the works of thy hands. He knoweth thy walking through this great wilderness: these forty years the Lord thy God hath been with thee; thou hast lacked nothing." Those who were formerly so actively associated with the work but who have passed to a higher service would be the first to assent to such a declaration. Not that there have not been difficulties and times of perplexity. These have arisen but they have only served, in the issues, to show more clearly how real and timely has been the Providence which ruled and over-ruled in the highest interests of the Institution and its object.

*Some call it Fate ; some—Chance ;
Some—Giant Circumstance :
And some upreaching to the sense
Of God within the circumstance,
Do call it—Providence.*

"He knoweth thy walking through this great wilderness."
Even this is descriptive of our experience for never was wilder-

ness more sad and desolate than the wilderness of young lives, friendless, tortured, crushed beneath the iron hoof of ignorance and indifference. In the early days of our work the condition in which children of tender years were found by day and by night in our streets and in the slums of our city was appalling. And if it was a joy to rescue some, it was a sad and heart-aching experience to come close up to the misery and degradation which characterised so many. We rejoice that there has been during the forty years a great amelioration of the conditions of poor children.

But the journey through the wilderness is not ended, the Canaan of a happy childhood for every child is not yet reached for poverty and distress and cruelty still lie in the path of the young feet. Our journey so far, however, has kindled high hopes and we would labour on, with many others, towards the goal of giving every poor boy and girl a chance of becoming a worthy citizen of our beloved land. We invite, therefore, the continued co-operation, prayerful sympathy, and generous help, of old and new friends as we enter another year of this pilgrimage.

On behalf of the Committee,

Wm. J. CROSSLEY,
Chairman.

*Strangeways,
Manchester,
April, 1910.*

APPENDICES.

The Committee are deeply sensible of their great obligation to the Honorary Solicitors, Messrs. Farrar & Co., and to the Honorary Medical Officers, Doctors Boutflower and Walker, Strangeways; Doctors Fulton and J. Howson Ray, Cheetham Hill; Doctors Barlow and Fisher, Lytham; to Mr. W. and Mr. H. Simms as Dentists for the Homes at Strangeways; and Mr. A. T. Spaven, Dentist, for the Cheetham Hill Homes; also to Dr. Walsh and Dr. Brown, who have specially helped in the work of the Summer Camp; and to Dr. Young for services rendered at the Children's Shelter.

We are also under a debt of gratitude to the Board of Management of the Salford Royal Hospital who are always ready to admit cases requiring hospital treatment: several cases have been received from our Homes during the past year. The Governors of the Thomas Porter Equipment Fund have again most generously helped in providing the outfit of children passed on to situations at home and abroad, and we gratefully recognise their valuable assistance.

We would assure all our Collectors, the Teachers of the Sunday and week evening classes, the members of Working Parties, and all those who took part in the Annual Sale of Work, that their interest in the Institution and the practical help they have rendered are highly appreciated by the Committee and are thankfully acknowledged.

To all who in any way, either by gifts, active service, loving interest, prayerful sympathy, have contributed to the success of another year's work, the Committee, in sending forth this report, tender their heartfelt thanks.

MEDICAL REPORTS.

Strangeways Homes.

I have much pleasure in saying that the health of the boys in the various Strangeways Homes during the past year has been extremely satisfactory. There has been very little to do either Surgically or Medically. We have had one death, but it was a case of hopeless and incurable heart disease.

The Sanitary arrangements, Food, Clothing, etc., are all that I could wish.

ANDREW BOUTFLOWER,

June 9th, 1910.

Honorary Surgeon.

Cheetham Hill Homes.

Our Health Report for the year 1909 would have been better than the average had it not been for a little outbreak of Scarlet Fever we had in the neighbourhood. Fortunately our cases (14 in all) were confined to two of the Homes, and all recovered. Of the other Zymotic diseases we had three of Diphtheria, three of Measles, two of Mumps, and one of Chicken-Pox, all of them making good recoveries. Of minor ailments and injuries we had fewer than usual. Several boys and girls were sent to Hospital for operation treatment on deformed legs, and are now respectable-looking members of the community. Death claimed four in all of our family viz: two from Bethesda and one from No. 10 Home, of Tuberculosis, and one from No. 6 Home of Heart Disease. The Sanitary condition and general tone of the Homes are well maintained, and reflect great credit on the staff generally.

ANDREW B. FULTON, M.B.,

June 8th, 1910.

Honorary Medical Officer.

TABLE

Showing Children dealt with and Contributions, etc., 1870-1909.

Year	Children Admitted	Sea Side Home	Camp	Emig'n	Childr'n's Shelter	Police Court Mission	Prison Gate Mission	Messen. Brigade	Contributions for all purposes £	Children's Earnings £	Annual Sale of Work Proceeds £
1870	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	568	467	
1	111	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1758	802	
2	68	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	1137	1171	
3	89	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	1364	1334	
4	84	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	2057	1299	
5	110	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	3482	1419	
6	106	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1768	1785	
7	114	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	2905	1852	
8	121	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3043	2131	
9	94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3366	2234	
80	101	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4412	2190	
1	113	..	..	6	..	..	..	188	7749	2148	
2	126	36	..	8	..	..	..	362	9333	2324	305
3	117	92	48	38	..	..	..	381	7996	2044	
4	151	151	60	15	53	..	..	293	22429	2154	381
5	172	175	..	43	210	..	..	297	7814	2371	288
6	172	181	262	62	214	..	..	364	7177	2167	290
7	156	189	..	73	200	..	3045	200	8019	1980	253
8	160	222	400	85	214	..	11425	99	13801	1933	263
9	161	272	503	96	225	..	10864	120	16508	2019	407
90	320	239	529	78	237	..	10044	150	17705	2259	380
1	301	209	589	69	350	..	8753	170	15023	2223	506
2	281	213	822	80	363	..	9055	176	12849	2584	431
3	305	210	1122	110	512	..	10724	182	10837	2390	426
4	317	218	1511	108	520	..	12384	188	13448	2920	443
5	284	189	1461	103	423	37	9896	178	14988	2453	412
6	303	183	1517	106	488	68	9949	150	17821	2512	350
7	280	187	1167	82	412	58	9655	160	11440	2660	332
8	271	199	1464	41	510	52	8360	155	7407	2363	366
9	257	227	1725	42	511	46	8207	192	10910	2626	500
1900	276	165	1605	45	483	63	7198	204	8554	2499	513
1	286	247	2043	44	446	60	8839	230	12566	2969	453
2	272	197	1988	49	347	75	10237	200	11835	3083	480
3	319	217	2228	51	425	70	10067	207	11424	3219	481
4	384	231	2583	66	426	71	10564	225	11278	3300	454
5	402	333	3009	87	425	68	10386	161	10829	3434	458
6	420	305	3250	103	384	73	9127	172	12843	3264	473
7	327	353	2520	66	442	74	9677	195	8542	3055	468
8	360	287	3113	34	475	163	9842	195	14396	2981	401
9	338	397	3189	38	384	178	10833	229	17055	3298	420
	8,739	6,124	38,708	1,871	9,679	1,156	219,131	6,023	£378,441	£91,916	£10,884
Average per Year	218	219	1,548	53	372	77	9,527	207	£9461	£2298	£403

It is always a great gratification to hear of our young people doing well and earning credit for themselves by industry, perseverance, and unselfishness. And it is a pleasure to be able to give the portraits of two of our old boys who have recently attained to some distinction. Those who know anything of Brass Band Contests know how pre-eminent is the "battle of harmony" at the Crystal Palace year by year. The



MR. JOSEPH JENNINGS.

coveted prize this year was gained by the Shaw Brass Band, the Bandmaster being one of our old boys, Mr. Jos. Jennings. He is one of the finest euphonium players in the country. We congratulate him heartily, and are glad to think he gained some of his experience in the Refuge Band.

THE other portrait is one of J. L. who went out to Canada in 1906. Some twelve months since he sent us his photo, and said he had a good home, was very happy in his work, and would not like to return to England to stay—Canada is a grand place, and he advises other boys to take the chance of going out if they get it. We remember how different all this is from the surroundings from which he was rescued, they



J. L.

were described by our visitor as most degrading. The last report of him just to hand is, "J. is a good looking, intelligent lad, has very sensible views, and is a good worker. Says he is getting 150 dollars and saving his money, and has some in the bank." The report then goes on to tell of his bravery, in saving another boy from drowning, an act which almost cost him his own life.

Letters from old Boys and Girls in Canada.

"Thank you for the pretty card you sent me. How are you all keeping that side of the Atlantic. My but it seems a long way. I would like to be on my way to see you instead of writing, but I intend to come and see you all some day. You will see I have changed my address. I am more in the city now than I was before. There are only two in the family (one a lady 75 although she doesn't look it), and a girl of 16 who goes to high school. We have good times in the evenings. We either sew, knit, or read, and sometimes Bessie and I are doing a little study. I have also taken up Bible study so you see my evenings are pretty well taken up. When I had done my ironing last week Mrs. Dudley said they are a credit to somebody's teaching so I am glad I was in the Laundry at Rosen Hallas. It may seem hard while you are there but it is of great use to you afterwards. So if I can't be a Missionary at least I shall be able to do something. Love to all."

Mary D.

"I received your kind and welcome letter and was so glad to hear from you. I am getting on fine. We have 28 cows and a lot of hens. It is fine out here. I milk eight cows and churn butter and make bread. I wish you were out here. We have plenty of apples and other kind of fruit. I wish I could send you some in a letter, but you might come out here with some of your girls and then I can give you some. Will you please give me your photo. I will send mine in summer for it is so cold out here I cannot go out only to the cowshed. Me and my mistress are going to have it taken together so please send me one. I will have to say good-bye for I have to get supper ready. Good night and God bless you all."

Teresa T.

"I often think of you but don't very often write. It is not very cold now here. It has been all buggy rides this winter, there has been no snow for sleighing. There is going to be an entertainment at our Church on Wednesday. I am going to sing and our choir leader says I am sure to get an encore. How are all the girls. Give my love to them. We have another little baby he is a dear little thing. We call him Harold. I got a lot of Xmas presents. Mrs. Barrowclough gave me 4/- I also got a letter from Mr. Ackroyd and Mr. Wallace. Our Church and the people are all working for local option. I hope they win for in the cities the distress through drink is fierce. It is late and hoping to hear from you soon."

Maggie R.

"I like Canada fine. I have been with the same man since I came only remaining in the Home a few months on my arrival. The man I am with is one of the largest farmers in eastern Canada, he keeps a great many horses and cattle and requires lots of help. I go to Sunday School every Sunday, the Sunday School being only a quarter mile from where I live. I go to School during the winter months and work during the other months. I have never had a day's sickness since I landed in Canada, I am much larger and stronger. Well I guess I will close for this time hoping to hear from you soon I remain, yours sincerely."

Alex. J.

"Dear friend, I received your kind letter some time ago, and was real glad to hear from you. I thought the motto on your card was a very good one, and will try and follow it and keep it. I am well and prospering in my new home in Canada. I herewith enclose \$1.00 for to aid you in your work, perhaps again I will be able to send more, I guess I will close for this time."
Benjamin H.

"Just a few lines to let you know that I am doing well in this fair land but still my heart is with England where I was born and always will be. Many a time I think of the good times I had in England but I would not come back to England to live. I live in a pretty place it is right along the bank of the river. I am an ardent sportsman. I am now a member of the Methodist Church. It is hard to say that you are a Christian for I have been a kind of a wild fellow and to hear the boys laugh at you almost makes me give up. But when I am on the point of giving up I go to the Lord in prayer, and He strengthens me to stand the trial and difficulties so that the boys do not bother me any more."
Fred A.

"I always receive your letter every year and I never answer them. I often think about it so at last I have made a start. All I can say is I am very happy and have got a lovely home and very fine people to live with. I have been here twelve years and expect to remain for a good many more years. It is home now, it is on the farm about two miles from town and our town is Tweed, a very nice place. I go to Church and Sunday School. I sing in the Church Choir. I go to meetings twice a week and I live only half a mile from Church. I am, your sincere friend,"
Ada C.

"I have not much news to tell you this time except that I am well and happy, and like the country better every day I live out here. I would not go back to England to stay for anybody's hire. It is a great country for any boy who desires to get on in the world."
Wilfred L. E.

"I was glad to receive your last letter and also to hear that you got the do'lar. We are having a fine winter, not very cold, but about two feet of snow. I will be 19 on the 17th of this month. Did I ever tell you that I am learning the violin, I am getting on nicely. I am not sorry that I came to this country and tell the boys that I tell them to come out here. They might be lonesome for a few days but they will soon get over that. I have 150 dollars in the bank now so you see sending a dollar to England was not much but I will send something to the Homes every Christmas. I remain your ever loving son,"
Edward R.

"Pleased indeed to hear from you as it seems such a treat to hear from the good old home I was so kindly used in. The longer I live here the better I seem to like it. It is a country full of opportunities for those who have got the ambition and grit to grasp them. I am thankful to the good old Home for bringing me out here, and I intend if ever I get able to repay them double fold. This is my first summer for decent wages as I was in the one situation it would have been five years this spring. Of course I was learning the trade but now I have got the trade pretty well learned and I am out on my own doings this summer, and demand a good capable man's wages. I could have got on a rented farm for myself this summer but I thought I had better wait till another year, and then I would have a little more money ahead of me to buy stock and implements."
Albert E. C.



Lily Choir of Girls: Cymbal Drill.

Summary of a Month's Work.

Number of Children resident in the various Homes, July, 1909.

STRANGEWAYS HOMES (Boys):—		CHEETHAM HILL HOMES (Boys & Girls)	
Central Refuge	97	Rosen Hallas (Elder Girls Home) ..	32
Working Youths' Institute	41	"Langworthy" Orphan Home ..	22
Street Boys' Home	23	"Garnett"	do..... 13
Emigration Training Home	30	"Crossley"	do..... 18
SEA SIDE HOME.....	20	"Atkinson"	do..... 15
OPEN-ALL-NIGHT SHELTER.....	7	"School Girls"	do..... 26
TRAINING SHIP	1	"Higgins" (for Motherless Girls) ..	18
		"Bethesda" Home :—	
		(Cripple & Incurable Children)	61

Total number of Children resident 424.

Workshops:

TAILORING, SHOEMAKING, JOINERY, PRINTING, FIREWOOD,
employing 70 boys.

- 13 Boys admitted to the Strangeways Homes.
- 5 Girls admitted to the Cheetham Hill Orphan Homes.
- 1 Cripple Child admitted to the "Bethesda" Home.
- 34 Children admitted to the Children's Shelter.
- 61 Delicate Children admitted to the Sea-Side Home, Lytham.
- 37 Children's cases investigated by personal visitation and correspondence.
- 36 Applicants given temporary help in one form or another.
- 8 Children admitted while on remand from the Police Courts pending police investigation.
- 96 Poor outside boys employed in the Messenger and Shoebblack Brigades.
- 909 Discharged Prisoners met at the Prison Gate and given breakfast at the Mission Room.
- 787 Poor City lads sent to Camp, Birkdale, for a week's holiday.
- 16 Youths helped at the Police Courts by our officers who attend daily.
- 3 Youths committed by the Magistrates to our representative as Probation Officer are doing well.

Average cost per month £1,100.

Children's Average earnings per month £250.

Subscriptions are earnestly solicited.



"Please may we go to Camp?"

Police Court Mission.

THE following summary of a few cases dealt with by this branch of our Institution will show the character and importance of the work done by our officer at the Police Courts. He is also the Probation Officer of the City Court for boys under sixteen. He reports as follows:—

John W. 17, charged with obstruction. He was discharged and I went with him to the enlisting Depot where he enlisted.

John C. 16, charged with sleeping out. From enquiries I found he came from Hanley. The Court gave me part of his railway fare and I saw him on the train for Hanley.

Robert M. 17, destitute. He was found sleeping out and was remanded for two days, then I went with him to the Central Hall Labour Home.

Charles N. charged with attempted suicide by throwing himself in the Canal. He had been a fireman in the ship "Manchester Commerce." He had fallen among bad company and all his money taken from him. I went to the Sailors' Federation Society at the Docks and they promised to help him. He was discharged with a caution.

John J. B. 16, and **James B. G.** 13.—These boys were charged with railway trespass. I had a talk to them and found their parents knew they went to the station, so the Magistrate fined each a rs. and costs allowing them time to pay.

Frederick W. 16, charged with railway trespass. This boy was discharged on condition he would go home and stop at his work.

George C. 16, charged with obstruction by selling on the streets. I saw his parents who promised to take him home again if he would work. Discharged to parents.

Thomas C. 17, charged with sleeping out. I found he came from Preston. He was remanded for two days so that his clothes could be fumigated. He was discharged and sent on his way home.

Joab H. 16, charged with begging. He had run away from his home in Glossop. His parents were written to, and his mother came for him.

Percy L. 18, charged with attempted suicide. The magistrate (Mr. Brierley) asked me to speak to the youth. He was then discharged and taken to the Central Hall Labour Home.

Edward T. charged with railway trespass. This boy was living in a lodging house and said his parents were dead. This I found to be untrue; his mother came to Court and took the lad home.

Probation and After.

A STORY told by Mr. Ashley who, among other duties, is Probation Officer at the City Court for boys and youths, shows alike the value of this system of Probation and the link of good influences which may be forged by a little tact.

"**JOE**, aged 16, was before the Court on a charge of stealing from his sister. His mother was a widow, and Joe for some time had been very wayward. The magistrate did not send him to gaol but bound him over and put him under probation for a year. I visited his home and he came to mine, and so matters went on well for some time. One day, however, he left his work without saying anything at home, and this was not found out until the end of the week when there were no wages forthcoming. His mother sent for me, and I had a talk with him and told him he must return to his work and apologise; this he did and he was allowed to resume work. At my suggestion a teacher of the Wesleyan Sunday School called for Joe, and being registered as a scholar he became a regular attendant at the school. His period of probation is now ended and his mother is well pleased with the change for the better.

At this time another youth of 17 was put on probation. He lives in the same district and I got Joe to call on him with the result that he now accompanies Joe to the same Sunday School. This second youth has a wretched home through the drinking habits of the mother. Joe's mother at my request called on the woman and induced her to attend some meeting at the School, with the result that for several weeks she has been living a sober life. Joe and his mother are encouraged to continue their efforts, and there is a good prospect of a happy issue."

Messenger and Shoeblock Brigade.

The following notes are given by the Superintendent of this Brigade shewing some interesting cases of help given in providing work for poor lads and also giving instances of the honourable positions some have come to occupy.

W. C. lives with sister and she is blind, the sister goes every day to the Blind Asylum and earns about 7s. or 8s. per week. The house work is done by William and his sister, the sister also does the washing. William keeps himself very clean and decent.

W. T. nine years ago was a shoeblock in the Brigade. At the present time he has the sole management of a business in the centre of the city.

C. W. T. was brought to the Brigade by Mr. Simpson who met his mother at the Prison Gate Mission. The woman expressed a desire to mend her ways and promised to do so if the lad could be found work, and help her to pay rent and keep the house on. The lad has done very well whilst in the Brigade, and keeps himself decent and clean.

J. H. K.—This lad is crippled and deformed and states that he had been looking for work for some months and had not been able to get any. The lad was sent to the Brigade by Miss Blair of the Ancoats Settlement. The father of this lad is a labourer and seems to be a hard-working man.

E. H. was in the Brigade about twelve months, and was sent as errand boy to a solicitor. After a time he became articled to another firm of solicitors and is now in full practice for himself.

A. M.—Sent from Brigade as errand boy in warehouse. He is now manager in this same business.

W. J. H. came to Camp many years ago. Afterwards he was found on the streets selling matches. He was taken into the Brigade and is now an officer of the Brigade, thoroughly reliable and trustworthy.

Messenger Brigade and Summer Camp.

Committee:

THOMAS R. ACKROYD.	COUN. ARTHUR TAYLOR.
J. PEERS ELLISON.	HAROLD ELLISON.
HENRY GEORGE	REGINALD GEORGE
STANLEY ELLWOOD.	

The object of the Messenger Brigade is to provide employment for poor boys (who otherwise might drift on to the streets) and after probation, to pass them on to permanent situations.

Offices: Chatham Street, Piccadilly, Manchester.

Brigade Superintendent: Mr. GEORGE JONES.

To whom application for Messenger Boys should be made.

The object of the Camp is to give a week's holiday by the sea to the poorest lads of Manchester and Salford.

Sea-Side Home.

FOR WEAK AND AILING CHILDREN,
2 & 4, WARTON STREET, LYTHAM.

Treasurers: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. LIGHTWOOD, Pembroke House.

Hon. Medical Officers: Drs. BARLOW and FISHER.

Matron: Mrs. GOODE.

This Home gives a few weeks' fresh air, rest, and nourishing diet, to weak and ailing children.

Two Cots endowed—"Brougham," "Styan."

Four Cots supported—"Catherine," "Rigby-Paine,"
"Wollaston," "Thos. Taylor."

Contributions will be thankfully received by any of the above, or by the Hon. Secretary, Thos. R. Ackroyd, Central Refuge, Strangeways, Manchester, from whom forms of application for admission may be obtained.

Collectors.

SHAW, Mrs. L. K., Broom Holm, Cheetham Hill.
 WYBROW, Miss, West Lynn, Crumpsall.
 ORFORD, Mrs. L. A., Bent House, Prestwich.
 LEE, Mrs. Harold, Fairfield, Broughton Park.
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 ARMITAGE, Miss Mary, Dunham Lodge, Bowdon.
 CLEMSON, Miss Edith, Parkside, Altrincham.
 ELLISON, Miss, 18, Keppel Road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy.
 GLEAVE, Miss, 31, Withington Road, Whalley Range.
 THOMPSON, GEO. K., Greenbank House, Altrincham.

LADIES' WORKING PARTY.

SHAW, Mrs. L. K.	BELL, Mrs.
LOW, Miss.	COLLES, Mrs. T. O.
ARCHER, Mrs.	COLLES, Miss.
Mrs. MACDONALD.	

The Ladies meet *at the Refuge* on the last Tuesday of each month at Three o'clock.



Hurrah ! Passed for Camp.

ENDOWED COTS.

BETHESDA HOME.

AS it was felt that many might desire to endow a cot either as a thankoffering or as a memorial of some loved member of their family, the Committee have fixed £600 as the cost of such endowment.

"OAKLEY COT"	Mr. & Mrs. H. T. Gaddum, A thankoffering
"WILLIE GALLOWAY COT"	Mr. & Mrs. John Galloway, Junr.
"BISHOP FRASER COT"	Mrs. Fraser, The late
"ELLEN COT"	The Misses Thompson.
"DANIEL PROCTER COT"	D. Procter, Executors of the late
"HIGH BANK COT"	Mr. James Chadwick.
"GRANNIE'S COT"	The Grandchildren of Mrs. Bellhouse.
"FYNNEY COT"	Mrs. Fynney, The late
"CHARLES & FLORENCE CROMPTON"	The Misses Gaskell.
"BARNES-SLACKE COT"	Rev. W. S. Barnes-Slacke.
"BARNES COT"	The Misses Barnes.
"OLIVER HEYWOOD COT"	Mr. Oliver Heywood, The late
"ELIZABETH BARLOW COT"	Mrs. Barlow, The late
"GERTIE'S COT" (In memory of)	Alderley Edge Friends, per Miss Holliday
"THOMAS PRICE COT"	Misses Elizabeth and Emily Price.
"GEORGE & ABIGAIL COT"	Mrs. Abigail Green, The late
"Mrs. ISAAC HOYLE COT"	Mr. Isaac Hoyle.
"Mrs. LANGWORTHY COT"	Mrs. Langworthy, The late
"Miss HEAVEN COT"	Miss Heaven, The late
"LOSH-CROSSBY COT"	Mrs. Crossby.
"FRANCES COT"	A Friend.
"MARY ANN WHITEHEAD COT"	Mrs. Mary Ann Whitehead, The late
"SNOWDROP COT"	A Friend.
"ABERYSTWYTH COT"	Anonymous.
"CULCHETH HALL COT"	Per Miss Joan Haworth.
"MANASSAH GLEDHILL COTS" (4).	Manassah Gledhill, The late
"BENGER COT"	Mrs. F. B. Benger.
"HARLING COT"	The Harling Trustees.
"CARIE COT"	Mrs. Armitage.
"Mrs. JAMES ORR COT"	Miss Orr.
"GAUTHORP COT"	Miss Gauthorp.
"PEACOCK COT"	Mrs. Peacock, The late
"ARNOLD COT"	Mrs. Mary Seaton, The late
"MARY SEATON COT"	" " "
"JAMES HOLDEN COT"	James Holden, Executors of the late.
"SARAH ANNE HOLDEN COT"	" " "
"UGHTRED COT"	" A.G." " " "
"Wm. CHAMPNESS MEN'S BIBLE CLASS COT"	Members of Class.
"WILMSLOW COT" (yearly support)	Friends per Miss Foxcroft & Miss Wedd
"ASHLEY ROAD, (Hale), Congregational Sunday School Cot" (yearly support)	A Friend.
"MARGARET COT" (yearly support).	A Friend.
"EMMA ELIZABETH WARBURTON COT" (yearly support)	E.E.W.

Friends desiring to endow a cot will please communicate on the subject with the Hon. Secretary, The Refuge, Strangeways.



Bethesda Home for Cripple Children : Part of the Family.



BETHESDA SALE

AND

Garden Party,

Bethesda Home,
George Street,
Cheetham Hill,

Saturday Afternoon,
June 25th, 1910.

Friends are invited to attend on this occasion when the useful and fancy articles made by the

Crippled and Incurable Children

at this Home are offered for Sale, the proceeds being applied to the maintenance account.

Sale of Work, December 2nd, 1910,

REFUGE HALL, STRANGWAYS.

The Annual Sale of Work will be held on the

First Friday in December.

The proceeds of this Sale are a valuable addition to the income of the Institution, and the Committee appreciate very highly the efforts of the ladies who have made it such a marked success.

May they call the attention of all interested to the date, and ask them to bear it in mind in their working arrangements during the year.

Trade Departments.

Printing.

Magazines, Reports, Circulars, Posters, and all classes of General Printing executed with neatness and despatch.

Shoemaking

in all its branches.

Repairs promptly attended to.

Joinery.

All kinds of Plain and Fancy Tables.

General Joinery Work, etc.

Estimates given.

Tailoring.

Style and Workmanship guaranteed.

Firewood.

ORDINARY BUNDLES .. 5/- per hundred.

Dipped in Resin .. 6/-

Enquiries and Orders addressed to F. A. Wood, General Superintendent, Central Refuge, Strangeways, for any of these five departments, will receive prompt attention.

Financial Statement of the Boys' and Girls'

Dr.	For the year ending	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS:—		
General Fund.....	7,308 13 2	
Orphan Homes.....	701 9 8	
Home for Crippled and Incurable Children.....	720 17 7	
" " " " (Endowment).....	500 0 0	
Emigration " " " ".....	258 13 7	
Training Ship.....	12 0 0	
Sea Side Home.....	181 5 3	
Sea Side Camp.....	1,092 7 6	
" " (Endowment).....	50 0 0	
Prison Gate and Police Court Missions.....	48 18 0	
	10,874 4 9	
Special Contribution reserved for Camp Expenditure from 1908.....		200 0 0
INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS:—		
Interest on £6,338 Manchester Corporation Loan at 3½% (Charles Leigh Clare Fund) applied to Administration Expenses.....	209 16 4	
Interest on £1,300 Oldham Corporation Stock at 4% for Orphan Homes.....	48 19 4	
Interest on £1,062 City of Montreal Permanent Debenture Stock at 3% for Orphan Homes.....	30 2 8	
Interest on £1,125 Cape of Good Hope Consolidated Stock at 4% for Orphan Homes.....	53 18 3	
Interest on £1,934 10s. Victoria Government Inscribed Stock at 4% (Lucy Oram Clegg Fund) applied to Administration Expenses.....	72 17 6	
Interest on £93 Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Perpetual Consolidated Debenture Stock at 4% applied to Administration Expenses.....	3 10 0	
	419 4 1	
Interest on £1,000 Manchester Corporation Stock at 4% for Girls' Home.....	37 13 4	
Interest on £470 Oldham Corporation Stock at 4% for Girls' Home.....	17 14 2	
	55 7 6	
Interest on £1,750 New Zealand Government Consolidated Inscribed Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	65 18 4	
Interest on £1,540 7s. South Australian Government Inscribed Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	58 5 7	
Interest on £1,400 Manchester Ship Canal Co., First Mortgage Debenture Stock at 3½% for Cripples' Home.....	46 4 2	
Interest on £500 Manchester Ship Canal Co., Second Mortgage Debenture Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	18 18 0	
Interest on £832 14s. 10d. Victoria Government Inscribed Stock 1885, at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	31 7 2	
Interest on £1,415 17s. 7d. Victoria Government Inscribed Stock 1889, at 3½% for Cripples' Home.....	46 13 4	
Interest on £331 7s. 4d. Consols at 2½% for Cripples' Home.....	7 16 8	
Interest on £500 Caledonian Railway Co. Preferred Converted Ordinary Stock at 3% for Cripples' Home.....	14 4 2	
Interest on £2270 Canadian Pacific Railway Co., Perpetual Consolidated Debenture Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	85 10 6	
Interest on £1574 11s. 0d. Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Preference Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	59 11 4	
Interest on 30 £10 Crossley Bros., Ltd., 5% Cumulative Preference Shares for Cripples' Home.....	14 3 7	
Interest on £864 os. 2d. Cape of Good Hope Consolidated Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home.....	32 13 10	
	£481 6 8	11,548 16 4

Carried forward.....£481 6 8 11,548 16 4

Refuges & Homes & Children's Aid Society.

December 31st, 1909.

Cr.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
By Balance, being deficiency at Dec. 31st 1908.....		251 15 5
CENTRAL REFUGE:—Expenses including Stock at 31st December, 1908.....	2,757 6 6	
Less Boys' Earnings.....	981 14 11	
" Sundry Sales.....	17 15 6	
" Stock December 31st, 1909.....	134 3 2	
	1,133 13 6	1,623 13 0
WORKING LADS' INSTITUTE:—Expenses including Stock at 31st December, 1908.....	1,488 3 2	
Less Payments by Residents.....	1007 2 4	
" Sundry Receipts.....	6 0 0	
" Stock December 31st, 1909.....	33 7 6	
	1,046 9 10	441 13 4
STREET BOYS' HOME:—Expenses including Stock at 31st December, 1908.....	651 18 3	
Less Stock Dec. 31st, 1909.....	7 0 5	
	644 17 10	
EMIGRATION TRAINING HOME:—Expenses including Stock at Dec. 31st, 1908.....	731 4 7	
Less Stock at Dec. 31st, 1909.....	25 14 2	
	705 10 5	1,945 13 10
FIVE ORPHAN HOMES AND COTTAGE:—Expenses.....		1,945 13 10
GIRLS' TRAINING HOME, "Rosen Hallas," (for Emigration and Situations)—Expenses.....		606 19 5
HOME FOR MOTHERLESS CHILDREN:—Expenses.....		416 19 4
HOME FOR CRIPPLED AND INCURABLE CHILDREN, "Bethesda"—Expenses including Stock at December 31st, 1908.....	1,045 17 11	
Material for Children's Work, Chief Rents, etc.....	80 10 7	
	1,126 8 6	1,106 8 6
Less Stock Dec. 31st, 1909.....	20 0 0	
	1,106 8 6	371 9 0
SEA-SIDE HOME, (Lytham):—Expenses.....		1834 9 8
SEA-SIDE CAMP, (Birkdale):—Expenses.....		125 5 0
" Sundry Sales.....	34 15 2	
	160 0 2	1,674 9 6
CHILDREN'S OPEN-ALL-NIGHT SHELTER:—Expenses including Sundry Receipts.....	369 19 6	
	14 8 4	355 11 2
EMIGRATION OUTFIT AND PASSAGE, &c.—Expenses including Stock at Dec. 31st, 1908.....	679 6 11	
Less Stock at Dec. 31st, 1909.....	20 11 0	
	658 15 11	

Carried forward.....£10,803 16 8

Dr.	FINANCIAL	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brought forward ..	481 6 8	11,548 16 4
To Interest on Manchester Corporation Bond for £1,300 at 3½% for Cripples' Home.....	43 0 9	
„ Interest on £1,250 New Zealand Government Consolidated Inscribed Stock at 4% for Cripples' Home ..	47 1 8	
„ Interest on Salford Corporation Bond £1000 at 3½% for Cripples' Home ..	32 19 2	
„ Interest on £600 Loan Bolckow, Vaughan & Co.....	22 16 8	
	627	4 11
„ Interest on £400 Manchester Ship Canal Co., Second Mortgage Debenture Stock at 4% for Sea-Side Home.....	15 2 5	
„ Interest on £379 9s. od. Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Preference Stock at 4% for Sea-Side Home.....	14 7 2	
	29	9 7
„ Interest on £1,820 11s. 5d. South Australian Government Inscribed Stock at 3½% for Emigration Training Home.....	60 6 0	
„ Interest on £1,874 11s. 9d. New South Wales Government Inscribed Stock, at 3½% for Emigration Training Home ..	62 1 2	
	122	7 2
„ Interest on £500 Gt. Northern Railway Co. Preferred Converted Ordinary Stock.....	18 19 2	
„ Interest on Salford Corporation Bond £500 at 3½% to February 20th.....	2 11 6	
„ Interest on Salford Corporation Loan £700 at 3½% to June 16th ..	10 18 8	
„ Interest on 80 £10 Crossley Bros., Ltd., 5% Cumulative Preference Shares for Pension Fund.....	37 19 1	
„ Interest on £86 Canadian Pacific Railway Co., 4% Perpetual Consolidated Debenture Stock for Prize Fund.....	3 4 4	
„ Repayment of Loan by Salford Corporation ..	500 0 0	
„ Sundry Sales and Receipts.....	32 16 1	
„ TRADING DEPARTMENTS:—Sales and Receipts.....	8,351 11 1	
Purchases including Stocks at Dec. 31st, 1908.....	4,465 11 6	
Less Stocks at Dec. 31st, 1909.....	1,431 0 11	
	3,034 10 7	
Wages paid Foremen and Boys	4,158 18 2	
	7,193 8 9	1158 2 4

Examined and found correct,

JONES, CREWDSON & YOUATT,

Chartered Accountants,

March 17th, 1910.

Manchester.

£14,092 9 2

STATEMENT—Continued.

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	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brought forward.....	10,803 16 8	
By PRISON GATE MISSION, POLICE COURT MISSION, and EVANGELISTIC EXPENSES.....	141 18 7	
„ GENERAL EXPENSES:—		
Taxes, Chief Rents, and Insurances.....	376 18 7	
Less Income Tax repaid	70 14 9	
	306 3 10	
Auditors' Fee and Legal Expenses	20 9 10	
Magazine Expenses, Printing, Postage, etc.....	143 11 0	
Special Repairs, Painting and Renewals.....	63 5 8	
Inspector's Salary and Expenses.....	108 18 3	
Meetings and Sales of Work Expenses	45 9 9	
Hospital, Surgical, and Funeral Expenses	23 2 5	
Whitsuntide, Christmas, and Holiday Expenses ..	57 6 5	
Recreation, Prizes, Technical School Fees, &c. ...	46 2 8	
Sundry Expenses, Outfits, Remand Cases, etc. ...	15 18 2	
	830 8 0	
„ LAUNDRY EXPENSES:—Wages, Soap, Coal, Engine, Repairs, etc.....	311 13 6	
„ ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES:—Office Salaries, Postages, Printing, Telephone, etc.....	866 11 7	
„ BRASS BAND, AND MUSIC EXPENSES:—	105 2 5	
Less Earnings.....	31 19 0	
	73 3 5	
„ Boys' Bank Balances extinguished	28 4 6	
„ Pensions & Grants.....	57 2 10	
„ Bank Interest charged	41 5 6	
„ Invested in Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Preference Stock (Cripples Home Endowment).....	499 4 9	
„ Invested in Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Debenture Stock (Camp Endowment)	49 15 6	
„ Invested in Consols (Cripples Home Endowment) ..	16 0 6	
„ Balance in hand	373 3 10	

£14,092 9 2

Dr.

BALANCE SHEET

	£	s.	d.
To Investment Fund.....	40,664	0	6
" Industrial Departments Depreciation Fund.....	173	4	6
" New Children's Shelter Account.....	2,792	14	11
" Balance.....	373	3	10

NOTE.—In addition to the Investments herein named the Trustees own certain land and buildings.

£43,503 3 9

December 31st, 1909.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By £6,338 Loan Manchester Corporation 3½% (Chas. Leigh Clare Fund a/c).....	6,338	0	0			
" £1,300 Stock Oldham Corporation 4% (Charles Leigh Clare Fund a/c).....	1,166	0	0			
" £1,062 City of Montreal Permanent Debenture Stock 3% (Chas. Leigh Clare Fund a/c).....	999	9	5			
" £1,425 Cape of Good Hope Consolidated 4% Stock (Chas. Leigh Clare Fund a/c).....	1,508	15	6			
" £1,934 10s. Victoria Government 4% Inscribed Stock 1885 (Lucy Oram Clegg Fund a/c).....	1,999	15	9			
" £93 Canadian Pacific Railway 4% Perpetual Consolidated Debenture Stock.....	100	19	1			
				12,112	19	9
" £1,000 Stock Manchester Corporation 4% (Girls' Home Fund a/c).....	1,000	0	0			
" £470 Stock Oldham Corporation 4% (Girls' Home Fund a/c).....	502	18	0			
				1,502	18	0
" £1,750 New Zealand Government 4% Consolidated Inscribed Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	2,017	17	3			
" £1,400 Manchester Ship Canal Co. 3½% First Mortgage Debenture Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	1,413	15	6			
" £500 Manchester Ship Canal Co. 4% Second Mortgage Debenture Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	500	0	0			
" £1,540 7s. South Australian Government 4% Inscribed Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	1,600	0	9			
" £832 14s. 10d. Victoria Government 4% Inscribed Stock 1885, (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	900	8	0			
" £1,415 17s 7d. Victoria Government 3½% Inscribed Stock, 1880 (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	1,500	0	0			
" £331 7s. 4d. Consols 2½% (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	354	5	8			
" £500 Caledonian Ry. Co. Preferred Converted Ordinary Stock 3% (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	506	12	3			
" £2,270 Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Perpetual 4% Consolidated Debenture Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	2,483	14	3			
" 30 Crossley Bros., Ltd. 5% Cumulative Preference Shares £10. (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	397	8	6			
" £864 0s. 2d. Cape of Good Hope Consolidated 4% Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	902	18	0			
" £2052 11s. Canadian Pacific Ry. Co. 4% Preference Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	2,203	10	6			
" £1,300 Loan Manchester Corporation 3½% (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	1,300	0	0			
" £1,250 New Zealand Government 4% Consolidated Inscribed Stock (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	1,414	2	3			
" £1,000 Loan Salford Corporation 3½% (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	1,000	0	0			
" £600 Bolekow, Vaughan & Co., Loan at 4% (Cripples' Home Fund a/c).....	600	0	0			
				19,094	12	11
" £400 Manchester Ship Canal Co. 4% Second Mortgage Debenture Stock (Sea-Side Home Fund a/c).....	400	0	0			
" £379 0s. 0d. Canadian Pacific Ry. Co. 4% Preference Stock (Sea-Side Home Fund a/c).....	399	4	9			
				799	4	9
" £1,829 11s. 5d. South Australian Government 3½% Inscribed Stock (Emigration Training Home Fund a/c).....	2,000	0	0			
" £1,874 11s. 9d. New South Wales Government 3½% Inscribed Stock 1918 (E. T. Home Fund a/c).....	2,000	0	0			
				4,000	0	0
" £46 Canadian Pacific Railway Co. 4% Consolidated Debenture Stock (Camp Account).....	49	15	6			
" 80 Crossley Bros., Ltd. 5% Cumulative Preference Shares £10. (Pensions Fund a/c).....	1,046	9	4			
" £86 Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Perpetual 4% Cons. Deb. Stock (Nadin Prize Fund a/c).....	98	19	9			
" £1,000 Great Central Ry. Co. 5% Preference Stock (General Fund a/c).....	1,331	6	0			
" £500 Great Northern Ry. Co. Preferred Converted Ordinary Stock (General Fund a/c).....	627	14	6			
				1,959	0	6
" Union Bank of Manchester, Ltd.....	1,155	19	4			
" Stock of Clothing, Wood, Paper, etc.....	1,671	17	1			
" Boys' Bank Balances.....	11	6	10			
				£43,503	3	9

New Children's Shelter Account.

For year ending December 31st, 1909.

	£	s.	d.
To Purchase of land in Chatham Street.....	3978	0	0
" Gerrard & Sons Ltd., on a/c of new building	2300	0	0
" Legal Expenses.....	20	0	0
" Sundry Expenses	26	15	0
" Balance in hand	2292	14	11

£8617 9 11

	£	s.	d.
By Balance brought forward from 1908.....	2405	16	4
" Contributions during 1909	6180	3	7
" Sundry Receipts.....	31	10	0

£8617 9 11

Subscriptions and Donations.

Any amount contributed for a special branch of the work is so designated by the fund placed opposite the amount, viz:—Orphan Homes, Home for Crippled and Incurable Children, Sea-Side Home, Motherless Children's Home, Emigration, Training Ship, Summer Camp, Police Court Mission, Prison Gate Mission, Open Door (Shelter), New Children's Shelter.

Where there is no designation the amount has been placed to the General Fund of the Institution.

See end of Report for Contributions from Collecting Boxes and Cards, Church and Sunday Schools, Bazaars, Entertainments, Meetings, &c.

	Fund	£	s.	d.
A. 10-58	Orphan Homes	50	0	0
A.B.	Cripples Home	0	15	0
Abbott Frank S.	Camp	1	1	0
.. N. .. .. .	..	0	10	6
A.B.C.	Open Door	0	4	6
.. .. .	Sea Side Home	0	10	6
.. .. .	Camp	0	6	0
Abercrombie A.	New Shelter	0	10	0
A.C.G.	Camp	1	0	0
Adam Lady Forbes .. .. .	..	1	0	0
.. J. W., per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..	Camp	1	1	0
.. Gerald .. .. .	..	0	4	6
Addleshaw H. P. .. .. .	..	2	2	0
.. .. .	Camp	1	1	0
Affleck & Brown, Ltd. .. .. .	..	1	1	0
" "Afterwards"	New Shelter	50	0	0
Agnew J. H. & Bro. .. .. .	..	2	2	0
.. Miss .. .. .	..	1	1	0
.. .. .	New Shelter	5	0	0
.. Mrs. Ernest, per M. ss Bickham ..	..	0	10	6
Aikman Misses	Open Door	0	5	0
Aitken Mrs. (Birkdale) .. .. .	..	2	2	0
.. .. (Fallowfield) .. .. .	..	2	6	0
.. Thos.	Camp	5	0	0
.. .. (Dinner) .. .. .	..	5	0	0
Aitken, Campbell & Co.	New Shelter	1	1	0
Aldred Isaac C. .. .. .	..	1	1	0
.. Misses, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..	Camp	0	6	0
Aldridge Gilbert .. .. .	..	0	6	0
Alison Henry .. .. .	..	1	0	0
.. .. .	New Shelter	1	0	0
Allen J. E. T. .. .. .	..	3	3	0
.. Miss Edith	Sea Side Home	0	6	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Allitt Miss Ella M.		0	2	6
Almond Alfred H.	Camp	0	10	0
Altham Miss	"	0	13	0
A.L.W.	"	0	6	0
Amounts under 2/6	"	0	14	4
"	Camp	0	7	0
"	Sea Side Home	0	1	0
"	P. G. Mission	0	2	0
"	Open Door	0	1	0
"	New Shelter	0	2	0
Anderson Mr. & Mrs. D. E.		1	1	0
" .. H. S.		0	4	2
" "An Old Friend"	New Shelter	20	0	0
Anonymous	"	45	00	00
"	"	5	00	00
"	"	20	00	00
"	"	1	00	00
"	Camp	1	10	0
"	"	0	7	6
"	"	0	6	0
"	"	0	2	6
"	Open Door	0	5	0
"	Christmas	0	5	0
"	"	0	2	6
" .. (Stockport)	"	15	00	00
" .. (Swinton)	Camp	1	10	0
" .. per Miss Charlton	Orphan Homes	0	10	0
" .. per J. P. E.	Camp	0	6	0
"	"	0	2	6
Anson Geo. E., per Miss Armitage		5	00	00
Appleton Mrs. J.	Camp	1	00	00
A.R.B.	"	0	10	0
" "Ardenconnel"	"	0	10	6
Armitage Mrs. G. F., per Miss Armitage		2	2	0
" .. Mrs. Rigby	"	2	2	0
" .. Mrs. Wm.	"	0	10	0
" .. Mrs. Samuel	"	2	0	0
"	Camp	2	2	0
" .. Miss E. C.	"	2	0	0
" .. Miss Mary	"	0	5	0
" .. & Rigby	"	5	5	0
" .. V. K.	Camp	5	0	0
" .. W. H.	"	5	0	0
Armstrong F. E.	"	1	1	0
" .. Miss	"	0	10	6
"	Orphan Homes	0	10	6
"	Cripples Home	0	10	6
"	Emigration	0	10	6
"	Christmas	0	10	0
" E.	"	1	1	0
"	Camp	0	6	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Armstrong Miss Jane B.		0	10	0
" .. Thomas	Camp	1	4	0
" .. T. & Bro.	"	1	1	0
Arning A. W.	Camp	2	2	0
"	New Shelter	2	2	0
Arnold Alfred (Whalley Range)		5	0	0
" .. W. A.	"	10	0	0
"	Camp	2	2	0
Arrowsmith Miss	"	1	0	0
Arthur Andrew T.	"	2	2	0
Ash R. R.	Orphan Homes	10	0	0
Ashmore Mrs.	"	0	10	6
Ashton Bros. & Co.	New Shelter	20	0	0
" .. Ben, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	Camp	0	6	0
" .. Mrs. B.B.	"	0	6	0
Ashworth E. L.	"	0	10	0
" .. Francis, J.P.	"	1	1	0
" .. Philip	New Shelter	0	10	0
A.S.H.Y., Buxton	"	0	10	6
Aspinwall J. H.	"	0	5	0
Aston Misses	"	1	1	0
Atherley Roger	Camp	1	1	0
Atherton A. A.	"	1	1	0
" .. Mrs.	"	1	0	0
Atkinson Alfred J., per Miss Hurst	"	1	1	0
"	Cripples Home	1	1	0
"	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
"	P. G. Mission	1	1	0
" .. Cyril	"	2	2	0
" .. Leonard W.	"	3	3	0
" .. Miss	Cripples Home	2	2	0
" .. Mrs. S.	"	0	5	0
Avery Mrs.	"	0	5	0
"	Cripples Home	0	5	0
"	Sea Side Home	0	12	0
"	P. G. Mission	0	5	0
Ayre Mrs.	"	1	1	0
Backhouse Mrs.	"	0	5	0
"	Cripples Home	0	5	0
Baerlein Mrs. Max	"	1	0	0
Bagnall Mrs. D.	"	1	0	0
Bahin Mrs. M.	Sea Side Home	0	12	0
Bailey Chas. A.	"	0	10	0
" .. Mrs.	"	1	1	0
"	Camp	0	10	0
" .. Sir Wm. H., J.P.	"	1	1	0
Bain W. H.	"	1	6	0
Baird Benjamin Cox	"	0	10	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Benson D.		0	5	0
Bentley Alfred T.		2	0	0
.. James & Co.		2	2	0
.. Miss (Crowborough)		2	2	0
..	<i>Orphan Homes Boys</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>Orphan Homes Girls</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>Motherless Children</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>Cripples Home</i>	5	0	0
..	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>Prison Gate Mission</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	0	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
.. (Church Stretton)		0	10	6
.. T. Percy		0	10	0
.. William	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	10	0
Berisford S. & W., Ltd.		1	1	0
.. Mrs. S. R., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
Berry Harry E.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
"Bessie"		10	0	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	10	0	0
Bewley W. F., per Miss Ellison		0	10	0
Bickerton Henry N.		2	0	0
.. Thos. H.		0	5	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Bickham Mrs., per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum		1	1	0
Biesty John	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
Bilsborough Miss, per Miss Scott		0	2	0
Birch Herbert T.		1	1	0
.. Mrs. H. T.		0	10	6
..	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	5	0
Birchal Chas. E.		1	1	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	5	0
Birds H.		0	5	0
Birkbeck Alderman W.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Birley Rev. H. H.		0	10	0
.. Philip A.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	15	0	0
Birrell J. V., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
Blackburn G. A.		0	6	0
.. Mrs., per Miss Bickham		1	1	0
Blacklock H. & Co., Ltd.		2	2	0
Blackstock & Co.		1	1	0
Blackwell Alderman John, J.P.		1	1	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	4	4	0
..		1	1	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	2	0
.. S. N., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Blair Jas. T.		10	0	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	10	0	0
.. G. Beatson		5	0	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	5	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Blake James, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Blakeley Miss		0	7	6
.. Miss K. S.		0	7	6
.. Mrs. R. P.		0	10	0
Blankley Jarvis	<i>Camp</i>	3	0	0
Bleackley Miss E. A.		0	6	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
Bles A. J. S., J.P.		3	3	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
.. Jos., per Miss May Bickham		1	1	0
.. Mrs.		1	1	0
Bloomer H. W.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Blore per Geo.		0	2	6
Blundell Miles	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Blunt Mrs. J.		1	0	0
Boardman The Misses	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>Cripples Home</i>	2	2	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	0	18	0
Boddington R. S.		0	10	0
Boddington's Breweries Ltd.		2	2	0
Bolton H. H.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
.. J. J.		2	2	0
.. J. S.	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
.. Miss		2	2	0
Booth Geo. J., J.P.		2	2	0
.. Miss, per Miss N. Ellison		0	5	0
.. Miss E. C. (Southport)	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	0	0
.. Miss E. C. (Hove)		1	1	0
Boston Herbert	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
.. John		2	2	0
Botsford Mrs.		0	8	0
Bottrill Miss Dora		0	10	6
..	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
.. per Miss Ellison		12	0	0
Boutflower Mrs.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	10	6
Bowden Miss		1	1	0
.. Robert		1	1	0
"Bowdon"	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
Bowen G.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	10	0
..		0	10	0
..	<i>Christmas</i>	0	10	0
.. Misses M. & G.		1	1	0
Bowker J., per Miss Charlton	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	1	0
Bowman H. J.		0	5	0
..	<i>Christmas</i>	0	5	0
.. Mark S.		1	0	0
Boyd James (Exchange Street)		5	0	0
Boydell J. H.		1	1	0
Bradburn E.		1	1	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Bradbury Mrs., per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum		1	1	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Bradwell Miss Carrie	Sea-Side Home	0	10	0
" E.	Camp	0	6	0
" Mrs. E.	"	0	6	0
" S. J.	"	1	1	0
Brady Mrs. Ralph W.	New Shelter	1	1	0
Brassey Miss	"	1	1	0
"	Camp	0	3	0
Breaks Miss	"	0	10	0
"	New Shelter	1	1	0
Brett Alfred	"	0	10	0
Brewster Harold J.	Camp	2	2	0
Bridge C. S.	Orphan Homes	2	2	0
"	Cripples Home	2	2	0
Bridford Miss M., per Miss Charlton ..	Orphan Homes	0	10	6
Briggs Miss	Camp	0	6	0
" Mrs	"	1	1	0
"	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" William	"	2	2	0
"	Sea-Side Home	2	10	0
"	Camp	2	10	0
Brightmore Henry	"	3	3	0
" Miss A. C.	Camp	0	6	0
" E.	"	0	6	0
" F.	"	0	6	0
" Mrs.	"	0	6	0
Brink S., per Miss Low	"	1	1	0
Bristow H.	Camp	0	6	0
Broadbent Miss	"	1	1	0
Broadmeadow Mrs. and Family	"	0	5	0
"	Christmas	0	5	0
Broady Mrs. R.	"	0	10	0
"	Camp	0	12	0
Brocklehurst J. D., per G. K. Thompson ..	"	0	2	6
Brookes Miss	"	0	5	0
"	Camp	0	6	0
" G.	"	0	3	6
"	Camp	0	6	0
Brooks Jos. & Sons	"	0	2	6
Broughton Copper Co., Ltd	"	2	2	0
" Samuel	Cripples Home	1	1	0
"	Camp	1	10	0
"	New Shelter	2	2	0
Brown Dr. A.	"	2	2	0
" Jack, Bessie, Agnes, Ethel, Alma, & Willie, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..	Camp	1	16	0
" Miss Lucy C.	"	2	2	0
"	Emigration	15	0	0
" Mr. & Mrs. Reginald	"	1	1	0
" Robert	Camp	0	6	0
" Thos., J.P.	"	2	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Brown T. M., per Miss Gleave	"	0	10	0
Brownell Mrs., per Miss Scott	"	0	10	0
Broxap Ernest	"	0	10	6
Bruton F. A.	"	0	10	6
"	Cripples Home	0	10	6
"	Camp	0	10	6
Bryce-Smith Miss, per Miss Hurst	"	0	5	0
Buckley C. R.	"	1	1	0
" Mrs.	"	1	1	0
" Wm.	"	1	1	0
" R. W.	Camp	0	6	6
Burditt Stanley, Nita, Phyllis, & Edmund, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	Camp	1	4	0
Burgess Ed.	"	0	10	6
" Mrs. S.	Camp	0	6	0
Burgen & Co.	"	2	2	0
"	Camp	1	1	0
Burman Mrs. Fred	"	0	5	0
Burnett Rev. W. R., per G. K. Thompson ..	Camp	0	2	0
Burley W. P.	"	1	1	0
Burns Robert	"	10	0	0
"	Christmas	1	0	0
"	Orphan Homes	3	0	0
"	Cripples Home	3	0	0
"	Sea-Side Home	2	0	0
"	Camp	2	0	0
"	New Shelter	25	0	0
Burrows Mr. & Mrs. Miles F.	"	1	0	0
"	Camp	1	10	0
" M. K.	"	0	6	0
Burtles, Tate & Co	"	0	10	0
Butlin Miss	"	0	5	0
Butterworth Alfred	"	5	0	0
" E. & Son, Ltd.	"	1	1	0
" H. S.	"	1	1	0
" Mrs. per Miss Bickham	"	0	5	0
Byrom John R.	"	2	2	0
" (Dinner)	Camp	4	4	0
" Miss M. W.	"	2	2	0
Bythway Mrs. J. E.	"	0	10	0
Cain Thomas	"	0	6	0
Caldwell Rev. Stuart	"	0	5	0
Candlin Lieut.-Colonel	"	5	0	0
"	Orphan Homes	1	0	0
"	Cripples Home	1	0	0
"	Sea-Side Home	2	0	0
"	Camp	1	0	0
"	Emigration	10	0	0
Carlisle E. J., M.A.	"	1	1	0
Carlow G. B.	Camp	1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Carmichael Donald and Mary		1	0	0
" Mrs. E. J.	Camp	1	0	0
" R. B.	Camp	1	1	0
" Lomas & Co., Ltd.		10	0	0
" Wm. A.	New Shelter	2	2	0
Carrington W. H.		2	2	0
Carroll Dr. and Mrs.	Camp	0	6	0
" Miss Elsa	"	0	2	0
" Miss Ida	"	0	1	0
Carryer Miss Rosa	New Shelter	0	5	0
Carter Miss P.	Sea-Side Home	0	6	0
" M. J.	Camp	1	10	0
" Mr. & Mrs. R. N.		2	2	0
" W. B. per Miss Ellison		1	1	0
Carver Bros. & Co., Ltd.		5	0	0
" Benjamin	New Shelter	100	0	0
" Miss Dora L.	"	25	0	0
" Thos., J.P.		50	0	0
" (Dinner)	Camp	5	0	0
" T., Junr.	New Shelter	50	0	0
" W. Oswald		5	0	0
"	P. C. Mission	5	0	0
Casket Cigarette Co., Collected at	Camp	0	14	0
C. F. (for " Catherine " Cot)	Sea-Side Home	15	0	0
C. F., Eccles	New Shelter	0	2	6
Chadwick H. C.		0	10	0
"	New Shelter	0	10	0
" Miss Edith	Camp	0	10	0
" Mrs. F.		0	10	0
"	Camp	0	18	0
" William	"	0	5	0
Chalk Mrs. (Linton)		2	2	0
" per R. B. Barningham		1	1	0
Challiner Charles		0	10	0
Challoner Charles	Sea-Side Home	0	5	0
Chamberlin, Donner & Co.		2	2	0
Chambers G. A.	Camp	0	10	0
Champness Wm.		0	10	0
Chappel Mrs. per Mrs. Gaddum		1	0	0
Charles Miss		0	2	5
Charlton Mr. & Mrs. Alfred		5	0	0
" per Miss Charlton	Orphan Homes	3	3	0
" Miss	"	3	3	0
" D.	"	2	2	0
"	New Shelter	3	3	0
" Henry, J.P.		50	0	0
" Miss Edith	Cripples Home	2	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Chatterton W. J., B.A.	Camp	0	6	0
"	New Shelter	0	5	0
Cheetham Miss, per Miss Gleave		0	2	0
" Mrs. Alice		0	6	6
Chester's Brewery Co., Ltd.	Camp	1	0	0
Chesters Miss, per Miss May Bickham		2	2	0
Child The Misses		0	10	0
Chorlton James		2	2	0
"	Cripples Home	1	1	0
"	Sea-Side Home	1	1	0
"	P. C. Mission	1	1	0
" Mrs.	Camp	2	10	0
" (Dinner)	"	3	0	0
" Christmas Thankoffering, A.B."	"	0	2	6
Clackson Miss		0	5	0
Clanahan H. C., J.P.		10	0	0
Clapham Colonel W. W.		2	2	0
"	New Shelter	10	0	0
Claremont Mrs. E.	Camp	0	10	6
Clark Mrs. A. J.		1	11	6
Clarke Harry R.		0	5	0
" Miss Jessie	Camp	0	6	0
" S., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	"	1	1	0
" Wm. & Geo. Senior		1	1	0
Claye R.	Camp	0	5	0
Clayton Mrs.	"	0	6	0
" Jos.	Sea-Side Home	0	5	0
Clegg Mrs. C. H.		1	1	0
" Neville		2	2	0
" Neville	Training Ship	10	0	0
Clemson Miss	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
" Mrs., per Miss Clemson	"	1	1	0
Clifton & Kersley Coal Co., Ltd.		2	2	0
Clowe F. C.		0	5	0
Coates Mrs.	Camp	0	12	0
" Miss	"	0	6	0
" Dr. W., C.B.	P. C. Mission	1	1	0
Cockill H. (Treat)	Camp	1	10	0
Coddington & Lamb		5	5	0
Cohen N.		1	1	0
Coller Rev. W. E. & Mrs.		0	2	6
Colles Mr. & Mrs. T. O.		1	1	0
"	Camp	0	10	0
"	New Shelter	1	0	0
" A. H.		1	1	0
"	Camp	0	10	6
Collinge, per Mrs.	Orphan Homes	40	0	0
Collins H., per G. K. Thompson	Camp	0	2	6
" Mrs. Ed		1	0	0
"	Camp	1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
DeFoubert Mrs. W.		5	0	0
DeJersey & Co.		2	2	0
Dennison Mrs.		0	5	0
" Devonian "	Camp	0	6	0
" Devonian "	"	0	12	0
Dewhurst G. & R. Ltd.		3	3	0
Dickins Mrs. Thos.		2	0	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " "	New Shelter	3	3	0
Dickinson Mrs. J.B.		2	0	0
" " "	P. G. Mission	0	10	0
" " "	Open Door	0	10	0
" Didsbury "		0	4	0
" " "	Camp	0	13	0
Dilworth & Son		5	0	0
Dixon Geo. W.		1	1	0
Docharl Mrs.		3	3	0
" " "	P. G. Mission	1	1	0
" " "	Camp	3	0	0
Dockray Wm.		2	2	0
Dodd W. Edmund	Camp	0	6	0
Dodds John	Cripples Home	2	0	0
Donner Lady	Orphan Homes	1	0	0
Donovan Edward W.		1	1	0
Dook George		0	10	0
" " "	Camp	0	10	0
" " "	Christmas	0	10	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" Dorothy "		1	1	0
Dorrington J T.		1	1	0
D. P. & Co.	Camp	0	18	0
Driver Miss		0	10	0
Dryden Mrs.	Orphan Homes	5	0	0
Ducie Rt. Hon. the Earl of		30	0	0
" " "	New Shelter	10	0	0
Duckworth C.		5	0	0
" J.		1	1	0
Dunkerley Frank B.	Camp	2	2	0
" " "	New Shelter	21	0	0
" Miss F., per Miss Ellison		0	2	6
" Mrs. per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum		1	0	0
" W. C.		5	0	0
Dutton E. K.		3	3	0
" Mr. & Mrs. John		1	1	0
Du Val Mrs. Bartram (Cheadle)	Camp	0	5	0
" (Colne)		0	2	6
Dymond Miss, per Miss Aldred		0	10	0
Dyson H. G.		1	1	0
" Mrs. A. E., per G. K. Thompson	Camp	0	6	0
" S.	Sea-Side Home	0	4	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
E. A.		5	5	0
Eadie Peter Junr.	New Shelter	10	0	0
Earle N. A.		1	1	0
Eaton Miss		0	2	6
" W.	Camp	0	5	0
E.B.T.	"	0	10	0
Ede N. P., per Miss Hurst		2	2	0
" Mrs. N. P., per Miss Hurst		1	1	0
Edgar Mrs.		1	1	0
Edghill Mrs., per Miss Armitage		0	2	6
Edminson L. Oswald	Camp	0	6	0
" Ruth, Oswald, & Vera		0	14	0
" Miss.		0	10	0
" Edmund " (Llanbedr)		2	0	0
" " "	Camp	1	0	0
" (Hale)	"	3	0	0
E. H. B.		0	12	0
" " "	New Shelter	0	18	0
Ehrenbach, Brumm & Co.	Camp	1	10	0
E.H.S.		5	0	0
Ellam Elsie & Geoffrey	Camp	0	12	0
Ellerby Miss Frances M	Cripples Home	0	10	6
" " "	Camp	0	5	0
Ellesmere The Right Hon. the Earl of		2	10	0
Elliott Chas.	Camp	0	10	6
" J. M., J. P.		0	10	6
" " "	Camp	0	10	6
" " "	Open Door	0	10	6
" " "	P. G. Mission	0	10	6
Elvy Mrs.	Camp	0	18	0
E.M. & L. B.		1	1	0
Empress Brewery Co., Ltd.		1	1	0
Entwistle W.	Camp	0	6	0
E.P.	Cripples Home	0	2	6
Ermen Henry	Camp	1	1	0
E. T.		2	0	0
" " "	New Shelter	3	0	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " "	Orphan Homes	2	2	0
E. V., per Mrs. Boutflower		0	5	0
Evans Mrs. Frances		1	1	0
" Thos. & Co., Ltd.		1	1	0
" Wm. & Co.		2	2	0
Fail Miss Jeanie	Cripples Home	0	3	0
Fairbrother Mrs. H	Camp	1	4	0
" " "	per G. K. Thompson	1	4	0
Falconer Mrs. J. S.	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " "	Camp	1	0	0
Farmer S.	Cripples Home	0	5	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Farnworth Miss		1	0	0
" " Helen.. .. .	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Farrer-Morgan Mrs.		2	2	0
Farrow Mrs. Edwin, per Miss Ellison	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" " Edwin	"	0	10	0
Faulder Hy. & Co., Ltd.		1	1	0
Fausset Rev. Canon		1	0	0
F.D., Sale	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Ferguson J. & Co., per Miss Hurst		1	1	0
" " Kathleen, Jack, & Margaret	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" " W. (Macclesfield)		1	1	0
" " W. (South Parade).. .. .	"	1	1	0
Ferris R. S.	"	0	6	0
Field J. N.		10	0	0
" " Mrs., per Mrs. Neville Clegg		1	0	0
Fielden Miss		0	5	0
" " Miss Helen	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
" " "	<i>Open Door</i>	0	5	0
Fielding Mrs. L.	<i>Camp</i>	1	4	0
" " Thos. M.		0	10	0
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
Fildes Alderman James, J.P., per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum		10	10	0
Firth Mrs.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	2	2	0
" " Samuel		1	0	0
" " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	10	0
Fisher Mr. & Mrs., per G. K. Thompson	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Fitton Chas., per G. K. Thompson	"	0	1	0
" " Mrs. James	"	0	10	6
" " Mrs. Robert	"	2	2	0
F.J.S.		100	0	0
Flanagan Mrs. E.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
Fletcher Ernest.. .. .		1	1	0
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" " Leonard R.	"	2	2	0
" " R. H. & Misses	"	2	2	0
Flockton Mrs.		0	2	6
" " " For five children"	<i>Camp</i>	1	10	0
" " " For the children"		0	5	0
Ford Gerard N., J.P.		1	1	0
" " Mrs., per Miss Aldred		0	10	0
Forester J.		0	4	2
Foster Herbert	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
" " Mrs. E.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	0	0
" " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	0	0
" " "	<i>Open Door</i>	0	2	6
France Mrs.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	2	6

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Frank Ernest		10	0	0
" " "	<i>Open Door</i>	1	1	0
Frankenburg Alderman	<i>Camp</i>	5	0	0
Fraser D. Drummond.. .. .	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
Freddy's Birthday, September 11th	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	10	0
Freston Mrs.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	2	2	0
Frevillier Mrs., per G. K. Thompson	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Friend		1	1	0
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" " "	"	0	6	0
" " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
" " C.	<i>Open Door</i>	0	5	0
" " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
" " "	"	0	2	6
" " per Miss May Bickham		1	0	0
" " W. J. Horne	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	0	0
Friends		1	0	0
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
" " at Marple	"	0	5	0
" " per Mrs. J. W. Consterdine	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	12	6
" " Miss Wylde	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	4	0
" " at Wilmslow, per Miss Foxcroft and Miss Wedd for Wilmslow Cot	<i>Cripples Home</i>	20	0	0
" " per 5 o'clock Chester train	<i>Camp</i>	3	10	0
Frith Mrs.		0	10	0
From a Friend	<i>Camp</i>	0	7	0
From the Children	"	0	4	0
Fryer Miss A.		0	10	6
" " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	6
Furber J. T.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	5	0
Furness Miss, per G. K. Thompson	<i>Camp</i>	0	1	0
Gaddum & Co.		2	2	0
" " Harry E., J.P.		5	0	0
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
" " Mrs. H. T.		10	0	0
" " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	10	0	0
Galbraith & Co.		2	2	0
Galloway Daniel		1	1	0
" " Henry, J.P.	<i>Camp</i>	3	0	0
" " Mrs.		5	0	0
" " Mrs. Edward N.		2	2	0
" " Mrs. W. L., per G. K. Thompson	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
" " W. Lewis		15	15	0
Gamble Sam.		1	0	0
Gardner Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	5	0	0
" " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	5	0	0
" " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Gardon Miss S. E.		0	1	0
Garner Miss, per G. K. Thompson	"	0	1	0
" " Miss Lizzie	"	0	2	6
" " Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. (Dinner)	<i>Camp</i>	3	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Garnett H. A.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
" Hugh		2	2	0
" J. & Co.		0	5	0
" Mrs. B.		2	2	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
" R. L.		0	10	0
" Stewart	<i>Camp</i>	10	0	0
Garside Harrison		1	0	0
Garton Miss Lucy A.		1	1	0
Gatenby Mrs.		2	2	0
Gatty Victor H.		0	5	0
" "		1	1	0
Gauthorp Miss.	<i>Camp</i>	1	10	0
" "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	10	0
" " Exors of the late	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	3	0	0
G.A.W.		2	0	0
G.B.	<i>Emigration</i>	14	12	9
Geeling Frederick	<i>Cripples Home</i>	12	0	0
Gibbon Mrs.		2	2	0
Gibson Alderman R., J.P.	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Gilbey W. & A.		0	10	0
Gill J.W.	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
" Jos. W.		0	6	0
" Miss	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Gilliat Mrs. F. E.	<i>Emigration</i>	24	0	0
Gillies C. P.		0	5	0
Gillies Mrs. per Miss Bickham		0	5	0
Gillison Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
Gilman John W.	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	12	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
Gleave J. J.		0	6	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	3	3	0
" Miss		0	10	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Goddard Mrs. Jas		0	10	0
Godfrey Graham and Hilda		0	5	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
Godlee Francis		5	0	0
" "	<i>Emigration</i>	10	0	0
Godley Miss J.	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
Godson Molly, Nelly & Enid		0	10	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	0	7	6
Goldschmidt P.		1	1	0
Goodall Miss	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	2	2	0
Goodfellow B.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Goodier Mrs. per Miss Scott.		0	2	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Goodwin Alfred	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
Gorell Miss	<i>Cripples Home</i>	15	0	0
Gottschalck G. & Co.		1	1	0
Gould T.		0	6	2
Gough Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Goulder Sybil, John, Humphrey, Robin, Mercy, Colin, & Clare		1	7	0
Goulder Mrs., Colin and Clare	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
Graham Wm. & Co.		2	2	0
" Grateful "	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
" Gratiified "		0	5	0
Gratrix Saml., Junr., & Bro., Ltd.		1	1	0
Gray Miss	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
" Mrs. W.		1	1	0
Greaves James & Co's. Employees	<i>Camp</i>	3	8	3
Green Exors. of the late Mrs. Abigail	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	4	0	2
" "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	16	0	6
" Miss Annie		0	12	6
" Rev. C. S. & Mrs.		0	10	0
Greener Mrs. H.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	2	0
Greenhalgh Andrew		2	2	0
" C. D. L.		5	0	0
" "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	0	0
Greenhough C. H.	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	0	0
" Frank	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
Greenup Richard		0	5	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
Greenwood B. H.		0	10	0
" Miss Jessie		0	10	0
" "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	12	6
" Miss S.		1	11	0
Greg Hugh S.	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
" Miss S. Eleanor		10	0	0
Gregory Mrs.		1	0	0
" J. D.		0	10	0
Gregson Chas H.	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Gresham James, J.P., C.E.		1	1	0
" Mrs.		1	1	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" Miss Gladys		0	10	6
Gorgan William		0	5	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
Groves Edward		0	15	0
" Mrs. W. G.	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	5	0	0
" W. G.		10	0	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	10	0	0
" "	<i>Christmas</i>	5	0	0
Groves & Whitnall, Ltd.		5	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Grundy The Misses		2	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
" Mrs. James	"	1	1	0
" Samuel	"	0	5	0
Guardians of the Poor, Bromyard Union ..	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	20	16	0
" " Bucklow	<i>Cripples Home</i>	3	3	0
" " Bury	"	1	15	0
" " Sheffield	<i>Emigration</i>	12	0	0
Guest Miss	"	0	10	0
" Mrs., per Mrs. Freston	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	1	0
Guinness Arthur Son & Co. Ltd.	"	0	10	6
Guterbock Richard	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	0	0
H. A Wellwisher	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	10	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
Hacking Percy	"	5	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	1	0
Hadfield George	"	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
" Miss	"	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
Hailwood A.	"	2	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	4	1	0
Hale Miss Ada	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Haley Henry	"	0	6	0
Hall David	"	1	1	0
" John & Co.	"	0	5	0
" Miss	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	2	0
" " Lucy, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
" Mrs. A.	"	0	6	0
" " F.	"	0	10	6
" " per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum	"	0	5	0
" Mr. & Mrs. R.H.	"	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
" " " " " " " " " "	"	0	0	0
Halliday Jas.	"	5	5	0
Hamilton Mrs.	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	1	0
" Lady Ruth Baillie	"	10	0	0
Hancock Miss, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Hankinson Misses.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	10	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	10	0
Hardcastle M. J.	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
Hardwick Mrs.	"	1	0	0
Hardy F.	"	0	4	6
Hardy's Crown Brewery Co.	"	1	1	0
Hargraves Geo. H.	"	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Hargreaves Fred		0	10	6
" John H.	<i>Camp</i>	5	0	0
" Mr. & Mrs. Jos.	"	1	1	0
Harland W. D.	"	1	1	0
Harper Miss Amy	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	7	3
" Misses	"	1	0	0
Harris Miss H.	"	0	7	6
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
Harrison George	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	10	6
" Miss	"	1	1	0
" Mrs. & Mrs. Houghton	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	1	0
Hart Mrs.	"	5	0	0
Hartwig Alfred, per G. K. Thompson ..	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Harwood C. E.	"	4	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
" Mr & Mrs. John	"	0	12	0
" Mrs.	"	1	0	0
" Hastings "	"	0	18	0
Hatton Vernon	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Hawe James	<i>Emigration</i>	2	2	0
Hawkins William	<i>New Shelter</i>	25	0	0
Haworth Arthur A. M.P. per Miss Armitage	"	2	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	20	0	0
" Alfred	"	20	0	0
" Frank A. per Miss Armitage	"	1	0	0
" Mrs. Jesse	"	2	0	0
" Miss	"	2	0	0
" Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Open Door</i>	0	10	0
" Rev. R.	"	0	10	6
" Richard & Co., Ltd	"	5	0	0
" R. C. & Henry & Co.	"	0	10	0
Hayes F. J.	"	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	0	0
" Louis M.	"	5	0	0
Hayton Miss	"	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Christmas</i>	0	2	6
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
" Rev. Wm.	"	25	0	0
Heald W. N.	"	10	0	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Heap Miss Isabel	"	0	18	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
" Burton	"	1	0	0
Heape Chas.	"	1	1	0
Heath John	"	10	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
" Heaton Mersey "	Emigration	12	0	0
Hellawell T. H., & Miss		0	6	0
" " & Family	Camp	0	10	6
Henderson Arthur L.	New Shelter	1	1	0
" " "	Camp	2	2	0
Henshall Mrs. C.M.		1	0	0
Herbert Mrs.	Camp	0	10	0
Herford Professor C. H. & Mrs		1	1	0
Hertz Gerald B.	Camp	0	6	0
" Mrs. T.		5	0	0
" " "	Cripples Home	5	0	0
" " "	New Shelter	5	0	0
Hervey Miss Isabel M.		2	2	0
" " "	New Shelter	2	0	0
Hewitt Joseph I.	Camp	2	2	0
" Chas. A.		1	1	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	1	0
Hewlett Mrs. E.		0	10	0
Heys Mrs.	P. G. Mission	1	0	0
Heywood & Hughes		1	1	0
" Mrs. C., per Miss May Bickham		0	5	0
" Hannah	New Shelter	1	5	0
" W. W.	Sea-Side Home	0	6	0
" " "	Camp	0	6	0
Heyworth A. W., per Miss Bickham		5	0	0
" Miss ..		0	7	6
" " "	Camp	0	12	0
" Mrs., per J.E.		2	0	0
H.H.		0	6	0
H.H.W., per Miss Hopkinson	New Shelter	5	0	0
Hickson, Lloyd & King		1	1	0
Higgin, Lloyd & Co.		1	1	0
Higginbotham J.	Camp	0	10	6
Higginbottom C.		0	5	0
Higgins John		2	0	0
" " "	Camp	1	1	0
" " "		5	0	0
Higginson Joseph		5	0	0
Higgs, per Mrs.	Cripples Home	7	10	0
Higham Miss (Cheadle)		2	2	0
" (Blackburn)	Cripples Home	0	10	0
Highley Mrs.	New Shelter	1	0	0
Higson John	Open Door	4	4	0
Hill Mrs., per Miss Bickham		0	5	0
Hiller Henry		5	0	0
" Henry	Cripples Home	2	0	0
" Henry	P. C. Mission	1	0	0
Hiltermann Bros.		1	1	0
Hilton Miss A. S.		0	5	0
" In loving memory of J.W.	Cripples Home	1	0	0
Hinchliffe Miss	Camp	0	6	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Hindle, per W.		1	0	0
Hinners Willie & Jack	Camp	0	12	0
Hinson Mrs.		0	5	0
Hird John		2	2	0
Hobbs Mrs., per Mrs. Freston	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
" " "	New Shelter	1	1	0
Hodgkinson Ed. M.		0	8	0
" " "	Camp	0	12	0
" Herbert		1	1	0
" Mrs.		1	0	0
" Wm. E.		1	1	0
Hodgson Mrs. Wm.		2	2	0
" " "	Camp	2	2	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" R. E.		5	0	0
" " "	Cripples Home	2	2	0
" " "	Camp	3	3	0
Hodson J. Wignall		0	6	0
Holden John J.		1	1	0
" " "	Camp	1	1	0
" " (Dinner)		3	3	0
" Norman N. (Treat)		3	4	6
Holdsworth Mrs., per Miss Bickham		0	10	6
Holford Geo.		1	0	0
Holgate F. H.		1	1	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" James		1	0	0
" Miss A.M.	Camp	1	0	0
Holland Mrs. S., per Miss Clemson	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
" " "	New Shelter	10	10	0
" W. Heap, per Miss Clemson	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
Hollings Miss E.	Camp	1	1	0
" " "	New Shelter	1	1	0
" Miss Florence G.		1	0	0
" " "	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " "	Camp	0	10	0
" " "	Sea-Side Home	0	10	0
" Miss S. G.		0	10	0
" " "	Camp	0	10	0
Hollinworth Mrs. & Miss		0	12	0
Holme Miss		1	0	0
Holmes Mrs., per Miss Scott		0	5	0
Holt Alderman Ed., J.P.		50	0	0
" J., per Miss Aldred		0	10	0
" James T.		1	1	0
" M.		0	5	0
" Mrs.	Camp	0	3	0
" W. H.		0	6	0
Hoole Mrs.		0	12	0
Hope John Barrow		0	10	6

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Knowles Miss, per Miss Scott		0	2	0
Knowlson Mrs.	Camp	1	7	0
" Knutsford "	"	1	1	0
Kolp N.	Emigration	2	2	0
"	New Shelter	2	2	0
" .. Kullmann & Co.	"	1	1	0
Lambert G. L.	Camp	1	1	0
" John, per G. K. Thompson	"	1	1	0
Lancaster Miss	"	1	0	0
" Mrs.	"	0	5	0
Lang Mr. & Mrs., per Miss Charlton	Orphan Homes	2	2	0
Langley Edward, Annie and George	Camp	0	6	0
" W. N.	"	1	1	0
Langworthy Bros. & Co. Ltd.	"	5	0	0
Lapidus M.	"	0	5	0
Laverack Mr. & Mrs. George H.	"	0	15	0
Lawson Mrs. J. H.	Camp	0	6	0
" .. per Miss Ellison	"	0	2	6
Laxton Wm. Allison	Camp	1	1	0
Leach Mrs.	"	1	4	0
Leak Mrs.	Sea-Side Home	1	1	0
Leaver Henry	"	2	0	0
" Thos.	"	1	1	0
Ledward H. Davenport	"	10	0	0
" Mrs.	"	0	10	0
Lee Harold, per Mrs. Harold Lee	"	10	0	0
" Mrs. Harold	"	1	0	0
" Miss A. M.	New Shelter	1	0	0
" Samuel F.	Camp	0	12	0
Leech Mrs.	"	1	0	0
Leeming H. H.	Camp	5	0	0
" .. (Dinner)	"	3	0	0
Lees J. D.	"	1	1	0
"	New Shelter	25	0	0
" Miss	"	1	0	0
"	Christmas	1	0	0
"	New Shelter	1	0	0
" Exors of the late Miss Jane	"	50	0	0
" Mrs., per Mrs. Freston	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
" Mrs. Hartley	Cripples Home	5	0	0
" Mrs., per Miss May Bickham	"	0	2	6
" Wm., J.P.	"	2	0	0
"	Camp	3	0	0
Le Hurey Mr. & Mrs. James E.	"	2	2	0
Leigh Miss (Swinton)	"	2	0	0
" .. (Bramhall)	Camp	0	10	0
"	Cripples Home	1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Leigh Miss Edith		10	0	0
"	Christmas	20	0	0
"	Motherless Children	5	0	0
"	Cripples Home	5	0	0
"	Sea-Side Home	5	0	0
"	Camp	5	0	0
"	Emigration	12	0	0
"	Open Door	3	0	0
" Mrs. James	"	12	2	0
" .. (Girls' Home)	Orphan Homes	5	0	0
" .. (Rosen Hallas)	"	5	0	0
"	Sea-Side Home	5	0	0
"	Camp	5	0	0
"	Emigration	12	0	0
"	New Shelter	10	0	0
" .. (Hale)	Sea-Side Home	0	6	0
" T.B., B.Sc.	"	1	1	0
" Mrs. T. B., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	Camp	1	1	0
Le Mare Miss	"	0	5	0
"	P. G. Mission	0	5	0
Leresche Mrs.	"	1	1	0
Leroy Mrs. J. J.	"	1	1	0
Letherbrow Louis	Camp	2	2	0
" Mrs.	"	1	0	0
Levinstein Ltd.	"	1	1	0
Lewis John T. & Sons, Ltd.	"	2	2	0
Lewis's	"	2	2	0
Library Bureau	Camp	0	6	0
" Life of Faith " per Editor	"	4	0	0
Lingard J.	"	1	1	0
Livesey Miss	Camp	0	12	0
" Miss Jane	"	1	1	0
" Thos.	Camp	1	10	0
Livesley Miss E.	"	1	0	0
Livingston F. (1908 & 9)	"	2	2	0
Lloyd Miss	"	1	1	0
" R. R.	Camp	1	0	0
Lockett, Crossland & Co.	"	1	1	0
Loekhart Hugh, per Miss Hurst	"	0	10	0
" Miss.	"	0	5	0
Lodge Matthew & Son.	"	1	1	0
Lomas Miss	"	1	1	0
Lomax Miss	"	0	2	6
"	Camp	0	10	0
" Longden Miss B.	Sea-Side Home	0	10	0
" Mrs. J.	Orphan Homes	0	10	6
" J.	"	0	10	6
Lord Mayor of Manchester (Clarke's and Marshall's Charities)	"	20	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Lord Mayor of Manchester (Clarke's and Marshall's Charities)	<i>Camp</i>	10	0	0
Lord Mayor of Manchester (Smith's Charity)		15	1	4
Lord Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
.. Samuel		3	0	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	20	0	0
" Lover of Children "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	15	0	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	0	0
Lowcock Mrs. W. B.		0	5	0
Lowe James, Ltd.		1	1	0
.. Miss A.		0	2	6
.. Mrs. T.		0	5	0
.. Wm.		2	2	0
.. W. H.		0	10	0
Lowthian Mrs. T. H.		1	1	0
Lucas James		3	3	0
Lucius K. Wm.		0	10	0
Lutton A. J.		1	0	0
Lycett Miss, per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum		1	0	0
Lyon, Lord & Co.		5	0	0
Lythgoe Mrs.		0	7	6
Mabbott & Co. Ltd.		5	0	0
Macalpine G. W.		2	2	0
McClymont, A.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
McConnel Colonel F. R.		1	1	0
.. John W.		5	0	0
.. Miss Lucy H.		5	0	0
.. Mrs. F. G.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	5	0	0
McCullagh Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
McDougall Arthur	"	1	1	0
.. Isaac S.		1	1	0
.. Mrs.		5	0	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	0	0
.. Robert		15	0	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	25	0	0
..	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
.. Mrs. Robert	"	0	10	0
Mace Miss M.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
McGill Miss	<i>Camp</i>	1	4	0
McGovern Miss Kathleen		0	6	0
Macgregor, Aitken & Co.	<i>P. C. Mission</i>	2	0	0
McGuffie Wm.		1	0	0
Macintosh Chas. & Co. Ltd.		5	0	0
McIntyre, Hogg, Marsh & Co.		5	0	0
McKay Mrs. (Blackrod)		0	5	0
Mackay Mrs. (Isle of Man)	<i>Girls' Home</i>	5	0	0
Mackenzie Dr. D. J.		1	1	0
.. George M.	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
McKenzie Miss, per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum ..		1	0	0
McLachlan Miss	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
McLardy Miss	"	0	6	0
.. per Miss Wybrow	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	10	0
McLean Miss J.		1	1	0
Maclure Lady		2	2	0
McMillan J. & Co.		1	1	0
McNiel Mrs. Henry	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	6	0
McPetrie J.		1	0	0
Madders Geo.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
Makant J. W., J.P.		2	0	0
Makeague Mrs., per Miss Elison		0	10	6
Mallalieu J. & J. W. Ltd.		1	1	0
Manchester & Salford R. S. U.	<i>Camp</i>	2	10	0
Manchester Corporation (for maintenance of remand cases)		29	15	9
" Manchester Widow "	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	2	0	0
Marchanton B.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
.. James		2	2	0
" Margaret Cot "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	20	0	0
" Margaret & Gladys "	<i>Camp</i>	3	0	0
Markendale Ellis		1	1	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	5	0
Marks & Spencer Ltd.		1	1	0
" Marple Hill "		1	1	0
Marriott John	<i>P. C. Mission</i>	1	1	0
.. W. K.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Marsden Benj.	"	1	1	0
.. C.H.	"	0	2	6
.. C.L.	"	0	2	6
.. Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Marshall Dr.		0	10	0
.. & Aston		2	2	0
.. F.		1	1	0
.. Mrs. Wm. L.		0	5	0
Marston Miss	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
" Martha "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	10	6
" Mary "	"	0	10	6
Martin Frank R.	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	6	0
Martinez A.	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Mary and Norman	"	0	6	0
Massey Mrs. Jas., per Miss Scott		0	2	6
Maxtin J.		0	10	0
..	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	0	0
Mather Colin, per Miss Low		1	1	0
.. & Platt, Ltd.		20	0	0
Matthews Henry, J.P.		0	10	6
..	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
.. R.		5	0	0
Mawer Alfred		1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Nicklin Miss G...		0	5	0
"	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	2	1
Nickson Misses, per Miss Armitage..		2	2	0
" Misses, per G. K. Thompson	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Nidd John G.		1	1	0
"	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
Nightingale J. (Ashton-under-lyne)		1	0	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
"	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	6	0
"	<i>Christmas</i>	0	2	6
"	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
" (Bury)		0	10	6
of Y.A.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	10	10	0
Noble A...	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
" Miss E.		1	1	0
Nordlinger S. & C.		1	1	0
Norquoy William	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Norris Mr. & Mrs. Herbert		0	10	0
" J. H.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	0	0
"		5	5	0
Norton W. H.		1	1	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Noton G. W.		1	1	0
Novelli L. W.	<i>Camp</i>	5	5	0
"		2	2	0
Nuttall Harry, M.P.		2	2	0
O'Brien Mrs., per G. K. Thompson		0	1	0
Ockleston Mrs.		1	1	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" "October 6th"		20	0	0
Ogden Geo. H.	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
" H. J.		2	0	0
"	<i>New Shelter</i>	10	0	0
" J. E.		0	10	0
" Miss		2	0	0
" M. Beatrice		1	1	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" Bertha	<i>Open Door</i>	0	4	0
" Misses	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
" Mrs.		0	18	0
Ogden's & Madeley's Ltd.		1	1	0
Okell A. E.	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
" Miss		0	10	0
Oldfield Mrs. E.	<i>Camp</i>	2	0	0
" H. N.		1	0	0
Oliver Edwin		10	0	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	3	0	0
"	<i>Christmas</i>	3	0	0
" John R.		10	10	0
" "One who has helped at Prison Gate"	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Oppenheim S., J.P.		1	1	0
Orford Mrs. L. A.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	10	0
Orme & Son		1	1	0
Orr Miss..		1	1	0
Osborne G. F.	<i>Camp</i>	1	4	0
Ottley Robert		2	2	0
"	<i>Open Door</i>	2	2	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Ouston Mrs.		0	10	0
Owen Miss		0	5	0
Oxley Miss Alice, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	<i>Camp</i>	0	3	0
Page F. Ferguson		1	1	0
Paine Mrs., per Miss Low		1	1	0
" Mrs.	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	0	0
" Miss	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	17	0
Palmer Miss (Altrincham)	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	10	0
" Ed. A.		1	1	0
" Miss (Bromley)		2	0	0
" " Lucy		5	0	0
"	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	0	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
"	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	5	0	0
"	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	0	0
"	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
"	<i>Motherless Children</i>	0	10	0
"	<i>Emigration</i>	12	0	0
Parke Miss	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
" Mrs. Herbert		2	2	0
Parker, Lord & Co., Ltd.		1	1	0
" Mrs.	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
" (Dinner)		2	2	0
Parkin Wm., per Miss Gleave		1	1	0
Parkinson J. B.		1	1	0
" The Misses..		0	10	0
"	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
Parkyn Miss, per Mrs. Boutflower	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	5	0
Parmee Jesse	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
Parry, Son, & Hanson..		1	1	0
" "Part of God's Tithe"		1	5	6
Partington Miss Sara W.		0	5	0
Paterson D. W.		0	10	6
Pattinson Mrs. (Mobberley)	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
"	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	10	0
" (Windermere)	<i>Cripples Home</i>	2	0	0
Paulden Mrs., per Miss Aldred		0	10	6
Payments by Relatives and Friends..		17	14	6
"	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	7	8	0
"	<i>Emigration</i>	15	17	11
"	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	7	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Payments by Relatives and Friends..	<i>Open Door</i>	2	5	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Payne A. L. " " " " " " " " " " " "		2	0	0
" Charles " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
" Geoffrey G. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
" George " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	5	5	0
" Mrs. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
P. D. " " " " " " " " " " " "		15	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	5	0	0
Peacock W. E. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
Pearson E. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
" Miss H. M. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	2	6
" Mrs. (Disley) " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Open Door</i>	0	10	6
" " (Eccles) " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	7	6
" " (Wilmslow) " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	5	0
" " (Rochdale) " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
" Thos. " " " " " " " " " " " "		2	2	0
Peel F. W. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
" Watson & Co., Ltd. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
Penn Miss A. F. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
Perry Thos. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	6	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
Philips J. & N. & Co., Ltd. " " " " " " " " " " " "		10	0	0
" Miss A. M. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
Phillipson A. L. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Open Door</i>	0	10	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	7	6
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
Phythian Arthur T. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	10	6
Picard Miss " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	0	0
Pickin Jos. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Pickup Miss M. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	3	6
Pidduck J. Cresswell " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" W. B. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
Pidgeon Mrs. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	5	0
Piercy Thomas.. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	20	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	20	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	20	0	0
Pigott A. W. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
Pilkington Chas. R. " " " " " " " " " " " "		5	0	0
" Ed., J.P. " " " " " " " " " " " "		10	0	0
" Sir George A. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	5	0	0
" " (Treats and Prizes).. " " " " " " " " " " " "		3	2	6
" H.E. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	12	0
" Lawrence J.P. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
" Mrs. Chas. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
Pilling John S. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	10	0
" Mrs. Abram " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
Pingstone Henry C. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Platt Miss " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	5	0
Platt-Higgins Mrs., per Mrs. Bouflower " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	12	0	0
P.N. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Pollard Gabriel.. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
" Mrs. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	6	0
" Doris & Margaret, per Rev. P. K. Batchesan " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Pollitt Miss Florence " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	2	6
Poole Mrs. Edgar " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
Porter J. G. " " " " " " " " " " " "		2	2	0
" Rev. Sydney, Legacy from late " " " " " " " " " " " "		25	0	0
" Thos., Equipment Fund (for the Equipment of Orphan Children) " " " " " " " " " " " "		200	0	0
Potter Mrs. A. E. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	10	0
Pownall Dr., per Miss Ellison " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	5	0
Poyser Chas. F. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Preston Mrs. Ed. Henry " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	12	0
" T.L.C. per G.K. Thompson " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
" Mrs. T.L.C., " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	6	0
Price J. B. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
" Miss Elizabeth " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	10	0	0
" Misses " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
Priest Arthur " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	10	6
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	5	0
Prince H. M. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	10	6
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Christmas</i>	0	10	6
" Miss " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Procter W. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
Prodgers Mrs. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Cripples Home</i>	20	0	0
Proudlove H. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
Pugh James " " " " " " " " " " " "		10	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>New Shelter</i>	20	0	0
Purdy Mrs. T. E., per Rev. P. K. Batchesan " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
Queen Street Mission, Bolton " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	20	0	0
" Raby Street " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
Raby Mrs. " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	0	0
Raeper W. " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	5	0
Railton John " " " " " " " " " " " "		20	0	0
" " per Miss May Bickham " " " " " " " " " " " "		2	2	0
" Mrs. Chas. " " " " " " " " " " " "		2	0	0
Ralli Bros. " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	1	0
Ralph Miss " " " " " " " " " " " "		1	0	0
Ralphs Miss, per Miss Wybrow " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	5	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Ramsbottom Mrs.		1	0	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	1	0
" " " " " "		0	10	6
Ransome Dr. Arthur		3	0	0
" Miss M. A.	Cripples Home	1	0	0
Ratcliffe H. S.		0	10	0
" " " " " "	Camp	0	6	0
" S.		0	5	0
" " " " " "	Camp	0	5	0
Rawson Mrs.		1	0	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	0	0
Ray Wm.	Cripples Home	1	1	0
Rayner Mrs.		1	1	0
R. E.		0	10	0
Redfern S.	Camp	3	0	0
Reid J. P.		1	1	0
" Wm.		2	0	0
Reilley Rev. R. H.		0	5	0
Reiss Bros.		2	2	0
" F. E.		5	5	0
Renshaw Mrs. W. H.		1	1	0
" Mrs., per G.K. Thompson	Camp	0	6	0
Reyner The late Miss, per Mrs. Hamilton		2	2	0
Reynolds John F.		0	10	6
R. H.		1	0	0
" " " " " "	Camp	0	12	0
Rhind Edwin		0	10	0
" " " " " "	Camp	0	12	0
Rhodes Charles		0	12	6
" Rev. D...		1	0	0
" Mr. & Mrs. George (Bowdon)		5	0	0
" " " " " "	Orphan Homes	3	0	0
" " " " " "	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " " " " "	Emigration	1	0	0
Richards Miss M., Collected by	Camp	0	10	0
Richardson Miss A. J.	Sea-Side Home	1	1	0
" W.	New Shelter	0	10	6
Richmond Wm., J.P.	Camp	0	10	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	0	10	0
Rickard Miss Isa G.		1	1	0
" " " " " "	Camp	0	12	0
Riddick Mr. & Mrs. Robert F.		20	0	0
" Miss D.		1	0	0
Rider Ed. G.		10	10	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	5	0	0
Ridgway Mrs., Residuary legatees of the late		100	0	0
Rigby Miss	Cripples Home	0	5	0
" Chas. & Miss, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	Camp	0	6	0
Riley R. J. (1908-9)		2	2	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	1	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Riley R. J.	New Shelter	5	0	0
Ritchie H.C., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	Camp	0	12	0
" Mrs.		0	6	0
Roberts Miss (Helsby)	Sea-Side Home	0	5	0
" Miss (Ansdell)	Camp	1	0	0
" Mrs. Hugh, per Miss May Bickham		0	10	6
" W. & Co.		1	1	0
Robertshaw James		2	2	0
" Mrs.	Cripples Home	0	10	0
Robertson James	Camp	1	1	0
" Mrs., per Miss Hurst		1	1	0
Robinson Francis		1	1	0
" Geo. & Co.		1	1	0
" James		1	1	0
" Miss (Kersal)		1	0	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	1	0	0
" " (London)		0	2	6
" Mrs.	Sea-Side Home	0	6	0
" Mrs. Oswald, per Miss Bickham		1	1	0
" W. J.	Sea-Side Home	1	10	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	10	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	2	2	0
Rodocanachi Dr. A. J.	Cripples Home	2	2	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	5	0	0
Rogerson J. T.	Camp	3	0	0
" Nurse		0	3	0
Rollinshaw Lovel		1	0	0
" Mrs.		0	5	0
Rome Miss		0	5	0
Ross Hugh	Orphan Homes	0	10	0
" Mrs. per Miss Aldred		0	10	0
Rossendale Manufacturing Co.		0	5	0
Rothwell J.		0	2	6
" J. W.		0	2	6
" Mrs.		0	2	6
" W. T.		1	1	0
Rowbotham Richard		1	0	0
Rowbottom R.	Camp	0	10	0
Rowcliffe J. B.		5	0	0
Rowland Rev. A. Norman		0	10	0
Rowley S. H.		0	5	0
Roy Mrs., per Miss Ellison		0	5	0
Roylance Miss		1	1	0
" " " " " "	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	10	0
" Mrs.		1	0	0
" " " " " "	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	0	10	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	0	0
" " " " " "	Emigration	1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Roylance Mrs.	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	0	10	0
Royle J. & Co		1	1	0
" Mrs., per Miss Aldred..		0	10	0
" " J. J.		1	1	0
Royston Miss E.	<i>Camp</i>	0	2	6
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
R.R.		1	0	0
Rumney Miss		1	1	0
Ruscoe Chas. A.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	6
" Mrs.		2	2	0
Rushworth Arthur		1	1	0
" Thos.	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
Russell Edwin S.		0	6	0
" John		1	1	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	6
" J. B.		2	2	0
" Miss, per Mrs. Boutflower ..	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	1	0
" Misses	<i>Camp</i>	0	10	0
" Dr. W. B.		0	10	6
Rylands & Sons Ltd		2	2	0
Rymer Miss A. L.		1	0	0
" "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	5	0
" " M. E.		1	0	0
" "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	5	0
" " Thos. H.		5	0	0
Sadler Robert	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Salisbury F. S.		1	0	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	1	0	0
Sanders Mrs.		0	10	0
Scarbrick Sir Chas.	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
" Chas. Ewald		1	1	0
Scarlett Miss		1	1	0
Scheerbart Charles		1	1	0
Schill Miss H. C.		10	0	0
" Mrs. (Colwyn)		2	2	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
" "	<i>Christmas</i>	2	2	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	15	0	0
Schofield Miss (Dinn r)	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Schroder Miss A. A.		1	0	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	0	0
Schwann Lady	" "	5	0	0
Scott C. P.		1	1	0
" E. H., per Miss Scott		1	11	0
" Miss		0	2	6
" " F.		2	10	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	2	10	0
" Mrs. Edward, per Miss May Bickham		0	5	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Scott Walter, J.P.		1	1	0
Sedgwick J. H.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
Seebohm Mrs.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
" "		10	0	0
" "	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	15	0	0
" "	<i>Emigration</i>	5	0	0
Sellars Miss		1	1	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	1	0
Sellers Mrs.		1	1	0
" Shamrock "		1	0	0
Sharpe Miss, per G. K. Thompson ..	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	6	0
" Miss	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
" Mrs. Cecil	<i>New Shelter</i>	10	0	0
" "		1	0	0
" "	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	1	0	0
Sharples Mrs.	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	0	0
" "		3	3	0
" Wm.	<i>New Shelter</i>	2	10	0
Shaw George	<i>Camp</i>	0	12	0
" "		9	11	4
" Leonard K. & Son	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	8
" Robert		2	2	0
Shelmerdine C. E., per G. K. Thompson ..	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	0	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	0	7	0
" Mrs. C. E.		0	7	0
" Henry		0	6	0
" Miss M.		0	7	0
" W. P.		0	6	0
Shepherd & Co		0	2	6
" A. C.		0	10	0
Sherratt Mrs. E.		1	0	0
" "	<i>Camp</i>	1	1	0
Sherriff Herbert		1	1	0
Shimwell Mrs.		1	1	0
Shipway Mr. & Mrs.		1	1	0
Shuttleworth Rt. Hon. Lord		1	1	0
Sidebottom G. I. & Co.		2	2	0
" Miss E. Watts		1	1	0
Silcock R. C.		2	0	0
" "	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	4	0
" "	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	1	6
Simon, Son & Co.		1	1	0
" Employees of Henry, Ltd.	<i>Camp</i>	3	3	9
Simons Geo. H.		1	1	0
Simpson E. H.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	1	0
" "		1	0	0
" & Godlee		5	5	0
" O.		2	2	0
" Mrs. O.		1	0	0
" Theo. (1908 & 9)	<i>P. G. Mission</i>	2	2	0
" Wm.		2	2	0
Sington A. & Co.		1	1	0
S. J. S.		1	1	0
Skellern Miss Rachel, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	<i>Camp</i>	0	5	0
" "		0	12	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Skelton P. J.		0	10	6
Sladen A. R.		25	0	0
" "	Emigration	12	0	0
" "	Camp	8	0	0
" "	Christmas	5	0	0
" "	New Shelter	100	0	0
" J. M.		20	0	0
" "	Camp	10	0	0
" "	Emigration	12	0	0
" "	Christmas	3	0	0
Slater William		2	2	0
S.M., per	Camp	0	3	0
Smalley Arthur, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..		0	6	0
" R. " " "		0	6	0
" " " " " "	New Shelter	0	5	0
Smedley Mr. & Mrs. & Family		2	0	0
Smith Alfred A.		2	2	0
" "	Orphan Homes	2	2	0
" Allen		0	10	6
" "	Camp	0	6	0
" Rev. Benjamin		0	10	0
" Mr. & Mrs. C. Simpson		2	2	0
" " " " " "	Camp	1	4	0
" Ernest		0	6	0
" Mrs. F. H. & Family		0	10	6
" G. W.		0	10	0
" James		0	6	0
" Miss (Withington)	Open Door	0	2	6
" " (Didsbury)	Camp	0	6	0
" Miss Thurza	P. G. Mission	0	10	0
" Mrs. (Admaston)		0	5	0
" " (Alton)		0	2	6
" Mrs. (Buxton)		1	1	0
" Mrs. J.	Camp	0	6	0
" Mr. & Mrs. J.		2	2	0
" Mr. & Mrs. Norman		2	2	0
" Mrs. Norman	Camp	1	0	0
" R. Heaton		2	2	0
" "	Camp	1	1	0
" "	New Shelter	5	0	0
" "		1	1	0
" Sidney L.	Camp	0	12	0
" "		0	10	6
" T. Arthur		2	0	0
" W. A.		1	1	0
" W. B.		2	0	0
Smithells Mrs.		1	1	0
Smithies J. & H.	New Shelter	1	1	0
Southam Dr. T. Frank		1	1	0
Southcomb Mrs. & The Misses	Orphan Homes	3	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
" Southport"	Camp	1	4	0
" "		0	6	0
" "		0	5	0
Southworth Miss M.		2	2	0
" "	Camp	0	12	0
Sparkes John, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..		0	6	0
" T. G.		0	12	0
Sparrow, Hardwick & Co., Employees of ..		7	10	0
Speakman Mrs., per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum ..		1	1	0
" Mr. & Mrs. A.	Camp	0	12	0
Spencer Miss		0	6	0
Spibey Mrs. W.		1	1	0
Spicer Jas. & Sons		1	1	0
Spiers Josiah		0	10	0
Spinner Miss	Camp	1	1	0
Spurr W. H.		0	6	0
Spurrier Mrs., per Miss Hurst		5	5	0
Stacey Mrs. Edward	Orphan Homes	0	10	0
Stadlebauer Mrs. O., per Miss Hurst		0	5	0
Staffurth Mrs., per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum ..		0	5	0
Stancliffe F.		5	5	0
" "	Camp	2	2	0
Stanfield Mrs.		0	5	0
Stanley Arthur	Sea-Side Home	0	10	6
" "	Camp	0	10	6
" "	New Shelter	1	1	0
" Henry	Camp	0	6	0
Statham H. & Co.		1	1	0
" John R.		0	10	0
Steinthal Edgar Frederic	New Shelter	10	0	0
Stephenson H. G., Ltd		1	1	0
Stevens Mrs. Marshall		2	2	0
" "	New Shelter	1	1	0
Stevenson Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	Orphan Homes	15	0	0
" C.P.	Camp	0	6	0
" Phyllis and Rosalie		0	12	0
Stewart Miss (C.-on-M.)	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" Miss (Victoria B.C.)		1	1	0
Stockdale Wm.	Camp	1	0	0
Stockton Mrs. Edwin F.		1	1	0
Stockwell R.B.	Camp	0	10	0
Stone E., per Miss Ellison		0	5	0
" Miss E.		0	2	6
" Mrs. E.A.		1	1	0
Stott John		1	1	0
" Mrs.		1	0	0
" Mr. and Mrs. Hereward		5	5	0
" Mr. and Mrs. Samuel T.	Open Door	1	0	0
Stowell Miss A.		1	1	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Stowell Miss A.	Camp	0	12	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Sea-Side Home	0	12	0
Stubbs Joseph		2	2	0
" Miss		0	10	0
Sturgeon S.		0	10	6
Sugden Alan V.		1	1	0
" Benjamin	Orphan Homes	0	5	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Cripples Home	0	5	0
" H.B.		1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Camp	0	10	6
" James		1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Christmas	0	5	0
" J.D.	New Shelter	2	7	0
" Miss Carrie S.	Sea-Side Home	0	10	0
" Mr. and Mrs. W.		2	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Camp	1	0	0
Summers John, J. P.		5	0	0
" Mrs.	New Shelter	10	10	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Camp	5	0	0
Sumner John M. & Co.		2	2	0
" W., Junior	Camp	0	5	0
" Surplus"		0	12	2
" Susie"	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	New Shelter	1	13	6
Sutcliffe Miss		0	10	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Sea-Side Home	0	18	0
" W. and Son		1	0	0
Sutton, W.H., per Miss Wybrow	Orphan Homes	1	1	0
Swales J. G. & Co., Ltd.		1	1	0
Swift Geo., per G. K. Thompson	Camp	0	10	0
" Mrs.		1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Emigration	12	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	New Shelter	20	0	0
Swabank Jonathan		1	1	0
Swindells Miss	Camp	2	0	0
" Miss (Dinner)		3	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	New Shelter	100	0	0
Sykes Arthur H., D.L., J.P.	Camp	3	0	0
" Miss M.		0	10	0
" Sympathiser"		0	5	0
Tait Robert		2	2	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Christmas	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Camp	1	0	0
" Tamworth"	Cripples Home	1	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Camp	0	12	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	New Shelter	2	0	0
Tanner J. E.	Camp	0	10	0
Tarbolton A., per Miss Gleave		1	1	0
" Miss Edith	Camp	1	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Tatton Reginald A.		2	0	0
Taylor Arthur		10	10	0
" Fred		3	3	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Orphan Homes	2	2	0
" Mrs. Fred	Camp	1	10	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Cripples Home	1	1	0
" Miss Elsie		0	5	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Sea-Side Home	3	2	6
" Elias	Camp	0	10	0
" E. C.		0	5	0
" James H.	Camp	0	5	0
" John		3	3	0
" Mrs John (Dinner)	Camp	2	10	0
" John & Son	"	1	1	0
" Miss Emily	"	0	2	6
" " Maude E.	Camp	0	6	0
" Misses, per G. K. Thompson	"	0	6	0
" Mrs. (Birkdale)	"	0	6	0
" Mrs. (Eccles Old Road)		1	10	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	New Shelter	5	0	0
" H. (Hazlegrove)		1	1	0
" Henry (Hale)		1	1	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	Camp	1	0	0
" H.M.		0	5	0
" Wm.		0	10	6
" per Mrs. (Special Cases)	Orphan Homes	33	0	0
" Mr. & Mrs. William	Camp	0	12	0
" R.		0	5	0
" Ten Brighton Footballers		0	10	0
Tennant S. J.		10	0	0
Thackray Ed.		1	1	0
" Thankoffering" per R. A. Port		1	10	0
" " W.	Emigration	0	10	0

THANKOFFERINGS FROM OUR BOYS AND GIRLS.

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Alport John Hy.		0	4	0
Annie W.	Orphan Homes	0	4	0
D.	"	0	5	0
Ella	"	0	5	0
Emily	"	0	5	0
Ethel	"	0	5	0
Florence B.	"	0	5	0
" C.	"	0	5	0
" S.	"	0	2	6
" Garnett" Home boy	"	3	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " "	"	7	0	0
Girls' contributions towards outfits	"	5	8	0

THANKOFFERINGS—continued

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Hamer Fred		0	2	6
Harriett	Orphan Homes	0	10	0
Hilda	"	0	5	0
Holt Mr. & Mrs. J.	"	0	5	0
John	"	0	4	0
May F.	"	0	5	0
" M.	"	0	5	0
Minnie	"	0	5	0
Nellie B.	"	0	5	0
" E.	"	0	3	0
" H.	"	0	16	0
Olive T.	Emigration	0	4	0
Orphan Home Boys	Orphan Homes	7	7	6
O.T.	"	0	4	0
Roberts Edward	"	0	4	0
Trueblood Miss	"	0	10	0
Wilkinson John	"	0	5	0
Willie M.	Orphan Homes	0	2	6
Thanksgiving, Altrincham	Camp	1	1	0
" for recovery	"	1	10	0
Thewlis Mrs.	"	1	0	0
Thomas George & Co.	"	1	1	0
"	Camp	0	10	6
Thomas Mrs. W. H.	"	0	10	0
Thompson Chas. J.	"	3	4	1
" Miss	"	0	7	6
" Miss Winnie, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	Camp	0	6	0
" Misses, per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum	"	3	0	0
" Misses, L. & I.	Sea-Side Home	0	6	0
"	Camp	0	6	0
" E. R., per G. K. Thompson	"	0	6	0
" G. K.	"	0	6	0
" Kenworthy	"	0	6	0
" Sam	"	0	6	0
" Mrs. S.	"	0	6	0
" W. H.	"	0	2	6
" Mrs. Sam	Cripples Home	0	10	6
" T. H., per Miss Armitage	"	2	2	0
Thomson Arthur R.	"	10	0	0
" Miss Agnes	"	1	0	0
" Mrs., per Mrs. H. T. Gaddum	"	5	0	0
" Mrs. Wm.	"	1	0	0
"	Camp	1	5	0
" S. I.	"	1	1	0
Thorburn Miss Jessie, Mamie, & Jean	per Rev. P. K. Batchan	0	18	0
Thorp Mrs. A. A.	"	1	4	0
" Three Little Californians	"	3	3	0
Threlfall Charles	"	2	2	0
Threlfall's Brewery Co., Ltd.	"	3	3	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Tobias Mrs.		1	0	0
Todd Mrs. E.	Camp	1	1	0
"	"	1	1	0
Toller T. N.	Camp	1	1	0
Tomlin Miss	New Shelter	1	0	0
Tomlinson Ed. C.,	"	3	3	0
"	"	1	1	0
" F. A. per G. K. Thompson	Camp	0	10	0
" Mrs., per Rev. P. K. Batchan	"	0	6	0
Tonkin Mrs.,	"	0	6	0
" Toward the Birkdale Camp	"	1	1	0
Townsend Mrs. R.	"	1	1	0
"	Camp	1	1	0
T. R.	"	1	1	0
Traquair W. G.	"	2	2	0
"	Camp	1	1	0
Travis Eric, per Rev. P. K. Batchan	"	1	1	0
Tredwell Ernest	"	0	6	0
Trevor Alderman W., J.P.	"	5	0	0
" Miss	Sea-Side Home	0	6	0
Trufram Edward	"	15	0	0
Tucker Ambrose	Camp	0	5	0
Turner Miss	"	0	2	6
" Mrs. (Cheadle Hulme)	"	1	0	0
"	New Shelter	1	1	0
" Mrs. (Hale)	Camp	0	6	0
" W.	"	0	18	0
Tutton W. H.	"	0	10	0
Twisaday Miss	"	1	0	0
" Two Chums	Camp	1	1	0
" Two Lovers of Children	New Shelter	0	4	0
" Two Wilmslow Friends	"	1	0	0
Tylor Miss Rachel S.	"	0	5	0
Tyson Mrs.	Sea-Side Home	1	0	0
" Miss	Camp	0	6	0
" Ughtred	New Shelter	10	10	0
Unsworth Walker	"	2	2	0
Vickers W.	"	0	10	0
Vickery J. H. & Co.	"	1	1	0
" Victoria Park	Camp	1	10	0
Vincart M'dle L.C.	"	1	0	0
Vipond Miss	"	0	5	0
" & Friend	Camp	0	12	0
" Visitors	"	0	8	0
"	P. G. Mission	0	2	6
W. A Thankoffering	Emigration	0	10	0
W. In memoriam	"	0	2	6

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Bamford Miss Dorothy		0	3	6
Bank of England	Camp	0	6	0
Barnaby Miss Emily		0	19	9
Bayley William		1	12	6
" Bethesda " Box	Cripples Home	0	7	6
Birkdale and Southport Croquet Club	Camp	0	2	5
Blundell Arms Hotel		0	7	1
Brandreth Miss Maggie		0	2	0
Brett Miss		1	0	3
Bridge Ridley		0	5	0
Brighton Hydro	Camp	0	11	11
Brodie Leslie		0	10	3
Brooke Bond & Co.	Camp	0	0	11
Brown Miss Vera		0	5	0
" Mrs. Wm.		1	0	2
Bull J. H.	Camp	0	6	1
Burgon & Co. (Manchester)		0	10	0
" " (Southport)	Camp	0	0	6
Bush Hotel		0	4	3
Bushill A.		0	2	6
Cafe Royal	Camp	0	5	11
Camp Boxes on Camp Ground		20	7	1
Carnell Brothers		0	1	0
Chadwick Miss Edith G.		0	16	6
Cheshire Lines Railway Stations :-				
Birkdale Palace Station	Camp	0	10	5
Central Station		1	9	1
Chorlton-cum-Hardy		0	1	5
Flixton		0	6	4
Irlam		0	4	2
Southport		0	9	4
Urmston		0	12	9
Warrington		0	3	8
Cities Ltd.		0	13	9
Clackson Miss E.		1	10	0
Clifton Hotel	Camp	0	8	10
Cook Mrs.		0	10	1
Cosgrove Miss Rose		0	8	0
" Cottage " The.	Orphan Homes	0	6	6
Counsel J. H.	Cripples Home	0	5	6
County & Lane Ends Hotel	Camp	0	5	2
Coupland Mrs. & Miss Lloyd		0	0	9
Crook G.		0	1	0
Crosby & Walker		1	8	4
" Crossley " Home	Orphan Homes	0	8	5
Curnick Miss Muriel		1	0	3
Cyprus Restaurant	Camp	0	4	2
Dakin Miss		0	2	0
Dale Miss Alice..		0	5	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Dewhurst H...	Camp	0	5	11
Dobios C.		0	3	10
Donald Mrs.		0	1	8
Doolittle Miss Bella		0	15	0
Doward Bros.	Camp	0	1	9
Durey C. F.		0	1	1
Falstaff Hotel		0	2	0
Faulkner S. H.		0	4	3
Fennell S.	Camp	0	3	2
Finley J. H.		0	0	3
Fleming, Reid & Co.		0	1	8
Foster T...		0	3	5
Freeberne Mrs.		0	12	6
Frith Mrs. Henry		0	11	6
Garnett Mrs. H. A.		1	7	0
" Garnett " Home	Orphan Homes	0	3	9
Geeling Fredk.	Camp	0	13	0
Gentlemen's Lavatory, Southport		0	1	2
Grand Hotel (Blackpool)		0	2	10
Greenwood J. C. Exors		0	5	6
Grotto Cafe		1	1	5
Hacking Percy		2	0	1
Hanmer Mrs.		1	8	4
Hattersley Mrs.		0	11	7
Hayton Miss		0	6	5
" Higgins " Home	Orphan Homes	0	5	7
Hilton Miss E. M.		0	4	3
Hopkins Miss Alice		0	2	9
Hoseason Mrs. E. A.	Camp	0	1	5
Hotel Metropole		0	1	7
Houghton Arms		0	1	11
Hulme William Ltd.		0	1	3
Imperial Hotel		0	3	0
Irwin H. W.		0	0	6
Jowle Miss Gladys		0	9	0
Joye J.	Camp	0	17	2
Kenyon C.		0	0	5
Kuit A.		0	6	6
Ladies' Cloak Room, Southport	Camp	0	1	5
L. & Y. Railway Co., (Newton Heath)		0	3	1
" " " (Victoria Station)		0	0	10
" Langworthy " Home	Orphan Homes	0	4	9
Lawson Miss Cissie	Cripples Home	0	12	0
Lea R. J.	Camp	0	9	2
Lees Doris, Gerald and Phyllis		0	10	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Leigh & Son	Camp	0	6	8
Lindley A.	"	0	0	9
Liston's Bar	"	0	5	11
Lloyd John	"	0	6	3
Lockhart's Restaurants (Blackpool)	"	0	15	3
" (Manchester)	"	1	1	5
"	"	0	4	7
Lodge Mrs. S. E.	"	0	5	0
Lomas Miss M. E.	"	0	2	6
London Oyster Co.	"	0	5	11
McCulloch Miss Agnes	"	1	1	0
McMurdo Mr. & Mrs. Rixon's Class	"	0	10	0
Maltby Mrs.	"	0	1	8
Manchester & Salford Bank	Camp	0	2	3
"	"	1	17	6
Marsden Mrs.	"	0	5	0
Mayor Fred J.	"	0	5	0
Metcalfe J. & Son	Camp	0	0	8
Molyneux Mrs.	"	0	1	1
Mornington Hotel	"	0	2	4
Muirhead & Willcock Ltd. (Manchester)	"	0	16	2
" (Southport)	"	0	9	3
National Provincial Bank	"	0	1	7
North Pier Boarding House	"	0	2	0
" .. Shore	"	0	7	8
Ogden J.	"	0	10	0
Old Waverley Hotel	Camp	0	1	3
Palatine Hotel	Camp	0	1	5
Palmer Miss Lucy	"	0	17	4
Parker & Sons Ltd., (St. Mary's Gate)	"	1	16	10
Parker's Private Hotel	Camp	0	1	8
Pavilion Hotel	"	0	4	4
Prestbury Station	"	0	6	0
Pupils of Gisborne School	Camp	0	1	3
Queen's Hydro	Camp	0	1	4
" .. Hotel	"	0	4	6
Railway Hotel	"	0	3	8
Raynor Thomas	"	0	7	6
"	Open Door	0	7	6
Refuge Boxes	"	0	3	1
Rhodes James	"	0	12	4
" & Son	Camp	0	0	11
Rimmer W. A.	"	0	1	0
Robins Mrs.	"	0	0	10
Robinson J.	"	0	1	2

	Fund	£	s.	d.
" Rosen Hallas " Girls Home	Orphan Homes	1	4	4
Rowntree's Cafe	Camp	0	13	3
Royal Hotel	"	0	2	1
Ruscoe Miss	"	0	15	0
Russell Miss	"	0	10	6
Rutland Boarding House	Camp	0	3	6
Sandringham Hotel	Camp	0	2	3
St. Chad's House	"	0	1	0
" School Girls " Home	Orphan Homes	0	5	8
Shaw Harold L.	"	0	9	6
Simister Mrs.	"	0	4	0
Simons Miss Ivy	"	0	7	0
Smith Mrs., (Horsforth)	"	0	2	0
" .. Jas. (Blackpool)	Camp	0	1	2
Southam Miss Lillie	"	0	10	0
Southport Pier	Camp	0	0	10
South Shore Hotel	"	0	1	7
" .. Hydro	"	0	9	7
Stanworth Miss M. E.	"	1	11	6
Star Hotel	"	0	12	1
Steele Mrs.	Camp	0	3	11
Stott & Sons	"	0	7	8
Taylor Miss Cicely H.	"	0	5	3
" .. Mrs. Mary Ellen	"	2	2	3
Thatched House Hotel	"	0	4	2
Theman's	Camp	0	0	3
Tillson Miss	"	0	2	6
Toase George	"	1	4	6
" .. Miss J.	"	0	5	0
Tobias A. J.	"	1	1	0
Travis T. A. Ltd.	Camp	0	2	0
Turner & Son	"	0	0	8
Union Bank (Southport)	"	0	1	2
" .. (Manchester)	"	0	2	1
Victoria Cafe (Deansgate)	"	0	4	2
" .. (Blackpool)	Camp	0	6	7
" .. Hotel (Deansgate)	"	0	3	9
Vint Mrs.	Camp	2	14	8
Wagstaff Robert	Orphan Homes	0	7	11
Walker Frederic J.	"	0	16	0
Walmsley H.	Camp	0	3	0
" .. Miss	"	1	10	0
" .. Miss	Cripples Home	0	10	0
Waterhouse Miss Gertrude B.	"	1	0	0
Waverley Hotel	Camp	0	1	6
Werrett Miss Florrie	"	0	9	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Refuge Sunday Evening Services		1	16	11
Upper Aughton Road Wesleyan Church, Southport	<i>Camp</i>	1	14	4
St. Philip's Church, Southport		1	13	9
Young Men's Class, Wesleyan Sunday School, Hazel Grove		1	10	0
Christ Church, West Didsbury, Women's Bible Class		1	10	0
Padfield Independent Junior C.E. Society..		1	10	0
All Saints' Church, Southport	<i>Camp</i>	1	8	0
Trinity Sunday School, Buxton	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	4	0
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	1	4	0
Young Ladies' Class, Ebenezer S.S. Uppermill	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	3	6
West End Congregational Church, South- port.. .. .	<i>Camp</i>	1	2	3
St. Vincent de Paul Society St. Joseph's Conference, Birkdale		1	1	0
Rochdale Y.W.C.A.	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	1	0	0
Salford Dock Mission	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	1	0	0
Brunswick Street Presbyterian Sunday School		0	18	8
B., 1 Class, Broadheath Sunday School ..		0	15	0
Aspinal, Gorton Wesleyan S.S. Party ..	<i>Cripples Home</i>	0	13	0
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		0	5	0
Girls' Class, Tintwistle S. S.		0	10	6
Whalley Range Presbyterian Church of England, Juvenile Missionary Association		0	10	0
Wesleyan S.S. Class, York St., Todmorden		0	10	6
Junior Christian Endeavour, Tintwistle ..		0	10	0
Friends at Baptist Church, King Street, Oldham		0	10	0
Sund. Sch. Class per Miss E. Wilkinson ..	<i>New Shelter</i>	0	10	0
Boarshurst Sunday School		0	10	0
Children of Queenstown Mission School, Blackpool		0	10	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Senior Girls' Class, Chinley Chapel		0	6	6
Macfadyen Memorial Congregational Church, Mothers' Meeting	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
Sunday School Class, per Miss Andrew ..		0	6	0
Fakenham Baptist C.E.		0	6	0
Infants of Gt. Western Street Primitive Methodist Sunday School	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	5	0
Second Class, Young Men, Heaton Mersey Congregational Sunday School..		0	5	0
Men's Bible Class, per Rev. W. J. Phoenix		0	4	0
Rusholme Road Congregational Sunday School	<i>Open Door</i>	0	3	8
Young Women's Class, Cong. Church, Withington		0	3	6

Bazaars, Sales of Work, Meetings, etc.

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Sale of Work, Men's Bible Class, Altrincham (Endowment of Cot)	<i>Cripples Home</i>	500	0	0
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	<i>Camp</i>	50	0	0
Refuge Sale of Work		420	12	4
Bethesda Sale of Work	<i>Cripples Home</i>	89	0	4
Sale of Work per Mrs. N. R. Wollaston ..	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	50	0	0
Proceeds of Cricket Match, Royal		38	8	3
Exchange v. Corn Exchange	<i>Camp</i>	38	0	10
Bury Cinderella Club		20	0	0
Sale of Work per Miss Rigby & Miss Paine	<i>Sea Side Home</i>	20	0	0
Part Proceeds of Bazaar by Pupils of the High School, Alderley Edge, per Miss A. E. Monk		17	0	0
Girls' Working Party per Mrs. H. Knott and Mrs. A. Thompson	<i>Cripples Home</i>	14	0	0
For Burnley Boys	<i>Camp</i>	14	0	0
Openshaw Lads' Club.. .. .	<i>Emigration</i>	13	5	8
Collection at Camp Opening Ceremony ..	<i>Camp</i>	12	14	0
Cherry Tree Orphanage		12	0	0

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Proceeds of Open-air Concert at Didsbury Cricket and Tennis Club	<i>Camp</i>	10	10	10
Sale of Work per Dorothy and Margery Tatham and Hilda and Enid Leigh ..	<i>Cripples Home</i>	10	10	0
Part Proceeds of Sale of Work per Pupils of the High School, Prestwich Park, per Mrs. Bland	<i>Open Door</i>	10	0	0
Proceeds of Whaley Bridge Meeting ..		7	0	0
Pupils of Miss Goulden, Linwood School ..	<i>Cripples Home</i>	6	12	0
"	<i>Sea Side Home</i>	0	6	0
Council School, Chorlton-cum-Hardy ..	<i>Camp</i>	5	2	6
Manchester Battalion Boys' Brigade ..		5	1	4
Withington Lantern Service Committee ..		5	0	0
Manchester City Football Club		5	0	0
Proceeds of Marple Meeting		4	7	2
Bazaar per Tintwistle Junior Christian Endeavour		4	0	0
Girls of Warehousemen & Clerks' School ..		3	9	0
Proceeds of Entertainment per Winnie Hilditch, per Rev. P. K. Batchan ..	<i>Camp</i>	3	0	0
Co-operative Holidays Association		3	0	0
Police Sports, Manchester Division, Lancashire Constabulary		2	2	0
Boys of Preparatory School, Sedburgh, Yorks.	<i>Camp</i>	2	2	0
Contributions at First Annual Flower Show, Tramway Employees, Hyde Road and Stockport Road Routes	<i>Cripples Home</i>	2	0	0
Collection at Crossley Hall Girls' Club ..		1	14	9
Friends at Park Hall, Hayfield		1	6	0
Other friends		0	11	0
Maids at Waddow Hall		1	4	6
Broughton Rangers Cycle Club Balance ..		1	4	0
Southdale Club	<i>New Shelter</i>	1	0	0
"Sunshine" Committee, Stockport	<i>Camp</i>	0	18	0
Levenshulme Rambling Club		0	6	6
Pupils of Miss Bell's School	<i>Sea-Side Home</i>	0	6	0
"	<i>Camp</i>	0	6	0
British Order of Free Gardeners		0	5	0
Y.M.C.A. Jaunters		0	4	0
St. Anne's (Newton Heath) Rambling Club	<i>Orphan Homes</i>	0	3	8

Christmas Family Collections.

	Fund	£	s.	d.
Alexander Chas. F.		3	17	0
Anderson Eric		0	2	6
Anon.		0	3	0
Ashley John, Junior		0	5	0
"Broom Holm"		0	10	0
Bushill A.		0	2	0
Cartwright Noel		1	17	0
Collins Mrs. Edward		1	11	6
Cowburn J. R.		0	3	6
Curnick Miss Muriel E.		0	14	6
Farmer S.		0	9	3
Harker Mrs.	<i>Cripples Home</i>	1	0	0
Harrison Geo., Junr.		0	4	0
Hayward Miss N.		1	0	0
Hertz Miss Olga		1	0	0
Lee Frank & Family		0	15	6
McPetrie J.		0	7	0
Midgley Mrs. R.		0	7	0
Muckelt Miss		0	5	0
Nicklin per Miss N.		0	6	0
Nightingale J.		0	6	0
Orr Miss		0	11	6
Ray Dorothy & Muriel		0	12	6
Saxelby Miss B. N.		0	8	0
Smith Mrs. J.		1	0	0
Statham W.		0	10	0
Stott Miss Josephine		0	2	6
Whittaker Miss Gertrude E.		0	12	0
W.J.M.		0	5	0

SUMMARY OF CONTRIBUTIONS.

1909.

	£	s.	d.
General Fund, including Subscriptions, Donations, Collecting Cards and Boxes, Bazaars, Entertainments, Christmas Offerings, and Church and Sunday School Offerings; for Refuges, Homes, and Orphanages	8010	2	10
Home for Crippled and Incurable Children ...	720	17	7
do. do. (Endowment)	500	0	0
Emigration Fund	258	13	7
Training Ship Fund	12	0	0
Sea-Side Home Fund	181	5	3
Sea-Side Camp Fund	1092	7	6
do. do. (Endowment)	50	0	0
Prison Gate and Police Court Missions Fund	48	18	0
New Children's Shelter Building Fund ...	6180	3	7
	<u>£17.054</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>

How to Help the Work.

IF you think you can collect £15 to support a child, or £12 to cover the Emigration expenses of one child, write to the Secretary, and he will send you the photograph of one. It would be a happy thing to feel that you were thus the means of the rescue of "one such little child."

Or, send us any article that you can spare, and that can be turned into money for the benefit of our work; such as jewellery, pictures, articles of virtu, &c.

But not least; when you see or hear of a poor, wretched, neglected child, don't give it a copper and pass on; stay a minute and enquire into the case, and if you cannot bring it to the Refuge, send us the name and address and the case shall be visited, and, if possible, permanently helped.

Above all, when enjoying the comforts of your own happy home, breathe a prayer for poor homeless children, and for those who are working among them.

THOMAS R. ACKROYD, *Hon. Sec.*

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Subscriptions are NOW due and will be thankfully received by any of the Committee, the Treasurer, or at the Union Bank of Manchester, Limited.

£200

Is required every week to carry on the various operations of the Institution.

GIFTS.

Donations of clothing, new or second hand, or of useful articles of any description, will be most thankfully received. As the children, from three to sixteen years of age, both boys and girls, come to us needing everything, there is hardly any limit to the way in which the work can be helped forward.

Kindly circulate this Report as widely as possible. Extra copies may be obtained at the Central Refuge, Strangeways.

THOS. R. ACKROYD,

Hon. Sec.

Strangeways,

Manchester,

April, 1910.

FORM OF MONEY LEGACY.

I bequeath to the "MANCHESTER AND SALFORD BOYS' AND GIRLS' REFUGES AND HOMES AND CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY," established in Manchester, the sum of £ free of legacy duty, to be applicable for the General purposes of such Society, and I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer or other proper officer for the time being of the said Society shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.

Form of Gift of Freehold or Leasehold Property.

[May now be given by Will to a Charity under Statute 54 and 55 Vic. cap. 73.]

I give to the persons who at the time of my decease shall be the Property Trustees of the MANCHESTER AND SALFORD BOYS' AND GIRLS' REFUGES AND HOMES AND CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY established in Manchester, (my freehold or leasehold) property consisting of (*shortly describe it*) situate at in county of free of succession or legacy duty (which duty I hereby direct shall be paid out of my general estate) and I direct that such property and all moneys arising therefrom shall be applicable for the general purposes of the Society.

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“THE CHILDREN’S HAVEN.”

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