

WAIMATE HOSPITAL.

Number of patients on 31st March, 1900	...	...	...	9
Admitted during the year	...	...	...	124
				133
Total under treatment	...	...	...	133
Discharged	...	...	...	118
Died	...	...	...	9
				6
Remaining on 31st March, 1901	...	...	...	6

Sex.—77 males, 56 females.

Locality from which Patients came.—Waimate County.

Country.—England, 13; Scotland, 13; Ireland, 21; New Zealand, 73; Wales, 3; Nova Scotia, 1.

Total collective days' stay in Hospital, 3,141; individual average days' stay, 23.6. Daily average cost per head, 7s. 3½d.; less patients' payments, 6s. 4¼d.

Outdoor Patients.—Individual cases, 61; attendances, 189.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

<i>Receipts.</i>				<i>Expenditure.</i>			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
From Government	529	17	5	Rations	150	17	10
Local bodies	510	4	0	Wines, spirits, ale, &c.	21	11	6
Subscriptions and donations	23	15	6	Surgery and dispensary	111	9	9
Patients' payments	136	12	3	Fuel and light	75	11	7
Other sources	8	0	6	Bedding and clothing	60	0	10
Balance from last year	3	7	1	Furniture and earthenware	33	16	0
				Salaries and wages	504	14	9
				Funerals	1	5	0
				Repairs	41	9	0
				Additions	12	4	9
				Printing, advertising, postage, and stationery	18	8	1
				Interest	0	14	0
				Insurance	13	9	0
				Other expenses...	103	3	9
Total	£1,211	16	9	Total	£1,148	15	10

Visited 11th March, 1901.—This Hospital is a model of comfort and kindly treatment of the patients by doctor, Matron, and nurses.

WAIPAWA HOSPITAL.

Number of patients on 31st March, 1900	...	...	...	28
Admitted during the year	...	...	...	243
				271
Total under treatment	...	...	...	271
Discharged	...	...	...	234
Died	...	...	...	11
				26
Remaining on 31st March, 1901	...	...	...	26

Sex.—197 males, 74 females.

Localities from which Patients came.—Dannevirke, 24; Woodville, 4; Bush, 123; Hastings, 7; Patangata and Coast, 38; Waipawa, 24; Waipukurau, 24; Te Aute, 9; Wanganui, 1; Canterbury, 1; Wellington, 2; Makaretu, 10; Wairarapa, 1; Napier, 1; Palmerston, 2.

Country.—New Zealand, 109; Ireland, 41; England, 65; Scotland, 14; Australia, 8; Denmark, 7; Norway, 11; Sweden, 1; Canada, 2; India, 3; Wales, 1; Germany, 3; Finland, 1; Tasmania, 1; Channel Islands, 1; Cyprus, 1; Bohemia, 1; born at sea, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 145; Presbyterian, 31; Roman Catholic, 50; Wesleyan, 13; Spiritualists, 2; Lutheran, 16; Plymouth Brethren, 4; Salvationist, 4; Jews, 3; Seventh-day Adventist, 1; Mormon, 1; no religion, 1.

Total collective days' stay in Hospital, 8,696; individual average days' stay, 32.06. Daily average cost per head, 4s. 3¼d.; less patients' payments, 3s. 10d.