

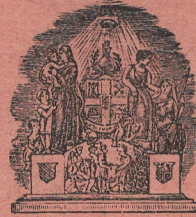
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'TEMPEST' LODGE

No. 6997,

Held at HOLT GREEN SCHOOL, Aughton.

ESTABLISHED 1890.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—WILLIAM BEVAN, JUNR. N.G.—THOMAS BATE. V.G.—EDWARD JOHNSON.

Secretary—JOHN HODGE, The Cottage, Green Lane, Ormskirk.

Treasurer—CHAS. LEO. HUNTING, Smithy Lane, Aughton.

Trustees—WM. KIRBY, ESQ., HY. UNDERWOOD, ESQ., WM. KENNEDY, ESQ.

Present Number of Members, 165. Average Age, 32 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	1658 13 11	Sick Pay, 98 weeks 1 day	48 18 8
Contributions	131 17 1	District Funeral Levies	11 19 3
Widows' Contributions	0 4 0	Widows' Cont. to District	0 4 0
Interest	66 0 2	Transferred to Unity Reserve Fund	29 10 7
Income Tax accrued, 1913	0 16 4	Amt of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	1766 19 0
	<u>£1857 11 6</u>		<u>£1857 11 6</u>

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	89 1 3½	District Management Levies	7 17 10
Contributions	21 8 5½	District, for Goods	0 14 1
Fines	0 7 10	Salaries, viz.:	
Goods	0 4 7	Secretary	5 16 0
Auditors' Fees repaid by Dist.	1 0 10	Treasurer	1 0 0
Hon. Members' Subscriptions:—		Auditors	1 0 10
Henry Underwood	0 10 6	Delegates	0 18 0
Wm. Kennedy	0 10 6	Sick Visitors or Pay Steward	0 15 0
Widows' & Orphans' Society	8 11 3	Rent of Lodge Room, Proportion	0 13 3
Postages repaid	0 1 4	Postages, 8s.; A.M.C. papers 3s 1½d.	0 11 1½
	<u>£121 16 7</u>	Widows' & Orphans' Society	8 18 8½
		P.G. Geo. T. Johnson's Test'l	1 1 0
		Receipt books	0 2 0
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	92 8 9
			<u>£121 16 7</u>

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	15 8 8	Levy to Dist. Distress Fund	0 6 11½
Contributions	4 5 7½	Amt. of fund, 31st Dec., 1913	19 7 4
	<u>£19 14 3½</u>		<u>£19 14 3½</u>

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Contributions of own Members, 19 at 8s. 6d.	8 1 6	Amt. paid for Medical Aid on Account of Members	8 1 6
Remainder of Members for 1st two weeks	1 5 6	Paid Medical Officer for Members per 1st two weeks of year, 1913	1 4 4½
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	0 1 1½
	<u>£9 7 0</u>		<u>£9 7 0</u>

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Contributions received from Members of other Lodges	7 14 0	Contributions remitted to other Lodges	7 14 0
Secretary for use of Books	0 8 0	Postage and Booking Fees	
Postages and Poundage Rates	0 1 11	Sec. 8s., Postage, 1s 11d.	0 9 11
	<u>£8 3 11</u>		<u>£8 3 11</u>

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. transferred from Sick and Funeral Fund	29 10 7	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	29 10 7
	<u>£29 30 7</u>		<u>£29 10 7</u>

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		HOW DISPOSED OF.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	1766 19 0	In Post Office Savings Bank	41 2 7
Management Fund	92 8 9	District Investment Com.	1502 9 1
Distress Fund	19 7 4	Mortgage in Liverpool	350 0 0
Medical Aid Fund	0 1 1½	Accrued Income Tax	3 18 2
Unity Reserve Fund	29 10 7	In Treasurer's Hands	10 16 11½
	<u>£1908 6 9½</u>		<u>£1908 6 9½</u>

SICK PAY TO MEMBERS.

w. d.		£ s. d.		w. d.		£ s. d.	
Aspinwall, Wm.	0 2	0 3 4	Hesketh, Thos. Jas.	3 0	1 10 0		
Bradley, Rd.	15 4	7 16 8	Johnson, Geo. Thos.	1 4	0 16 8		
Balmer, Peter	2 1	1 1 8	Mawdsley, Thomas				
Billen, Hy.	1 0	0 10 0	Scale	1 0	0 7 0		
Ball, John	9 0	4 10 0	Moorcroft, Wm.	3 2	1 13 4		
Benson, Arthur	0 5	0 8 4	Pickett, Chas. H.	1 5	0 18 4		
Bamber, Wm.	2 0	1 0 0	Prescott, Wm. (1st)	1 3	0 15 0		
Bradley, William (1st)	1 0	0 10 0	Parr, Thos.	3 1	1 11 8		
Cave, Thos.	0 3	0 5 0	Rimmer, Edwin	3 0	1 10 0		
Croston, Wm. Hy.	0 3	0 5 0	Silcock, J. P.	2 2	1 3 4		
Greaves, George	0 3	0 5 0	Scott, Wm. R.	4 4	2 6 8		
Greaves, Henry, Junr.	1 3	0 15 0	Schofield, Benj.	19 4	9 16 8		
Huyton, Rbt.	3 2	1 13 4	Spencer, W. J.	3 0	1 10 0		
Harrison, Jas.	4 0	2 0 0	Williams, J. Jas.	0 5	0 8 4		
Hesketh, John (1st)	1 5	0 18 4					
Hesketh, John (2nd)	1 5	0 18 4					
Hilton, Wm. (1st)	3 1	1 11 8					
				981 1	48 18 8		

Cash Gain during the Year—£145 2s. 11d.

Audited and found correct, February 5th, 1914.

JAMES BELL,
WM. HUGHES. } Auditors.

"EARL OF DERBY" LODGE,

No. 513,

Held at the EAGLE AND CHILD INN, Newburgh.

Established 1831.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—P. WINSTANLEY. N.G.—WM. BULLEN. V.G.—ED. PEET.
 Secretary—P.G. JOHN GREENER. Treasurer—BRO. ROBT. LEYLAND.
 Trustees—P.G. JOHN DRAPER, P.G. JOHN HORROCKS.

Present Number of Members, 95. Average Age, 36 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	1071 7 3	Sick Pay	86 13 4
Contributions	83 17 5	Funerals	20 0 0
Widows' Contributions	1 15 0	District Funeral Levies	7 12 5
Widows' and Orphans' Cont.	3 17 9	Widow and Orphans' Fund	3 10 10
Interest	41 14 8	Widows' Cont. to District	1 7 0
Amount repaid by District	20 0 0	Amt. transferred to Unity Reserve Fund	10 0 0
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	1093 8 6
	£1222 12 1		£1222 12 1

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	8 0 0	District Management Levies	4 6 8
Contributions	14 15 4	District, for Goods	0 3 4
Fines, Cards, and Rules	0 4 6	Salaries, viz. :—	
Entrance Fees	0 5 0	Secretary	3 0 0
Auditors' fees from District	1 0 0	Treasurer	2 0 0
National Insurance Rent	1 0 0	Auditors	1 0 0
		Delegates	0 16 6
		Tyler	0 10 0
		Rent of Lodge Room	2 0 0
		Printing, &c.	1 0 0
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	10 8 4
	£25 4 10		£25 4 10

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Contributions of own Members	2 11 0	Amt. paid for Medical Aid on Account of Members	2 11 0

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	1 4 9	Levy to Dist. Distress Fund	0 3 11
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	1 0 10
	£1 4 9		£1 4 9

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Cont. received from Members of other Lodges	1 8 9	Cont. remitted to other Lodges	1 8 9

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amount transferred from Sick and Funeral Fund of Lodge	10 0 0	Balance of Fund, at Dec. 31, 1913	10 0 0

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		HOW DISPOSED OF.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	1093 8 6	District Investment Com.	1067 15 9
Management Fund	10 8 4	In Treasurer's Hands	47 1 11
Distress Fund	1 0 10		
Unity Reserve Fund	10 0 0		
	£1114 17 8		£1114 17 8

Cash Gain during the Year—£34 5s. 8d.

Audited and found correct, February 6th, 1914. ARCHIBALD HAY, } Auditors.
 JAMES SHARROCK, }

Notice to Members.

The District Officers propose to visit the various Lodges on the undermentioned dates during the year 1914, and will be pleased to have the company of as many members as can make it convenient.

March 9—Tempest.
 March 28—Rose of England.
 May 18—Farmers' Benevolent.
 June 20—Earl of Derby.
 July 4—Horscar.
 July 18—Submit to Providence.
 July 28—Earl of Sefton.
 Aug. 20—Victoria.
 Sept. 26—Lord Skelmersdale.
 Oct. 10—Temple of Peace
 Oct. 17—John Bull.
 Nov. 14—Lord Stanley.
 Dec. 12—Good Intent.
 Dec. 26—Grand Lodge

Secretaries are asked to notify their members to ensure a good attendance

'BRIDGET BLUNDELL' FEMALE LODGE

No. 9122,

Held at ST. CUTHBERT'S HALL, Halsall.

ESTABLISHED 1913.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—H. HESKETH. N.G.—HARRY A. KNOWLES. V.G.—SISTER E. M. HAYES.
 Secretary.—JOHN WILSON. Treasurer.—WILLIAM GRADWELL.
 Trustees.—P.G. H. A. KNOWLES, P.G. R. SHACKLADY, P.G. JOHN PRESCOTT.

Present Number of Members, 6. Average Age, 34 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Contributions	1 10 10	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913 .	1 10 10
	<u>£1 10 10</u>		<u>£1 10 10</u>

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Contributions	0 6 4	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	1 7 4
Hon. Members' Subscriptions:—			
Mrs. C. L. Blundell	1 1 0		
	<u>£1 7 4</u>		<u>£1 7 4</u>

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		HOW DISPOSED OF.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	1 10 10	In Treasurer's Hands	2 18 2
Management Fund	1 7 4		
	<u>£2 18 2</u>		<u>£2 18 2</u>

Audited and found correct,

CATHERINE M. HAYES, }
 ELIZABETH RIMMER, } *Auditors.*

'STAR OF HOPE' FEMALE LODGE

No. 9123,

Held at CORN EXCHANGE, Moor Street, Ormskirk.

ESTABLISHED 1912.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—P.G. SYDNEY DOWEY. N.G.—P.G. JOS. BERKLEY. V.G.—SISTER SARAH GRANTHAM.
 Secretary—I.P.G.M. JAMES BELL. Treasurer—P.P.G.M. JAMES DRAPER.
 Trustees—PROV. C.S. R. GRAYSON, P.G. S. DOWEY, P.G. H. J. HALE.

Present Number of Members, 16. Average Age, 24 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Contributions	4 14 5	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913 .	4 14 5
	<u>£4 14 5</u>		<u>£4 14 5</u>

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Contributions	0 11 2	District, for Goods:	
Goods	0 1 10	Almanacks,	0 3 4
Donations, &c., "Temple of Peace" to regalia fund	1 0 0	Diaries	0 5 10
Hon. Members' Subscriptions:—		Juvenile members transfer returned	0 5 0
Mrs. Jas. Draper	0 10 6	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913 .	1 15 0
By Voluntary subscriptions			
towards Provision of regalia.	0 0 8		
Juvenile members transfer . . .	0 5 0		
	<u>£2 9 2</u>		<u>£2 9 2</u>

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		HOW DISPOSED OF.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	4 14 5	In Treasurer's Hands	6 9 5
Management Fund	1 15 0		
	<u>£6 9 5</u>		<u>£6 9 5</u>

Cash Gain during the Year—£6 9s. 5d.

Audited and found correct, MILDRED GRAYSON, }
 January 30th, 1914. CATHERINE THIERENS, } *Auditors.*

"ROSE OF ENGLAND" LODGE,

No. 1523.

Held at the ROYAL HOTEL, Burscough Bridge.

ESTABLISHED 1838.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—JOHN CULSHAW. N.G. JOHN SPENCER. V.G.—JOHN HUNTER.

Secretary—WILLIAM SEDDON.

Treasurer—JAMES HUNTER.

Trustees—P.P.G.M. HY. HALSALL, P.G. JOHN SPENCER, P.P.G.M. THOS. PEMBERTON

Present Number of Members, 449. Average Age, 38 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	..	6050	13	2	Sick Pay	..	358	16	8
Contributions	..	348	4	1	Funerals	..	100	0	0
Widows' Contributions	..	5	16	3	District Funeral Levies	..	38	8	9
Widows' & Orphans' Cont.	..	1	0	1	Widow & Orphans' Fund	..	1	13	4
Interest	..	211	2	2	Widows' Cont. to District	..	5	16	8½
Amount repaid by District	..	85	0	0	Amount transferred to Unity	..	50	5	7
Amount owing by District	..	15	0	0	Reserve Fund	..	50	5	7
Income Tax Repaid	..	18	15	4	Amt. of Fund, Dec. 31, 1913	..	6180	10	0½
		£6735	11	1			£6735	11	1

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	..	18	7	2½	District Management Levies	..	20	12	7
Contributions	..	51	12	10	District, for Goods	..	0	9	2
Fines, Cards, and Rules	..	2	8	0	Salaries, viz. :—				
Goods	..	0	2	11	Secretary	..	16	18	9
Auditors' Fees repaid by Dist.	..	2	0	0	Treasurer	..	2	0	0
Hon. Members' Subscriptions :—					Auditors	..	2	0	0
Rev. C. D. Russell	..	0	10	6	Delegates	..	1	13	0
Booking Fees & Postages	..	0	2	10	Sick Visitors or Pay Steward	..	5	10	0
					Tyler	..	0	17	6
					Rent of Lodge Room	..	1	0	0
					Printing, &c.	..	2	2	3
					District Handbook	..	0	10	6
					Trustees to Waterloo, &c.	..	1	4	6
					Lettering Dispensation Board	..	0	1	0
					Presentation to Retiring G.M.	..	1	7	6
					Delivering Circulars	..	0	10	0
					Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	..	18	7	6½
		£75	4	3½			£75	4	3½

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	..	2	17	4	Amt. paid for Medical Aid on	..	9	17	3
Cont. of own Members	..	7	17	3	Account of Members	..	0	17	4
		£10	14	7	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	..	0	17	4
							£10	14	7

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Contributions	..	1	0	0	Levy to Dist. Distress Fund	..	0	18	8
		£1	0	0	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	..	0	1	3½
							£1	0	0

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Cont. received from Members of other Lodges	..	1	15	8	Cont. remitted to other Lodges	..	1	13	1
Received from other Lodges in repayment of Sick & Funeral Benefits	..	1	14	0	Paid to Members of other Lodges on account of Benefits	..	1	14	0
		£3	9	8	Postage and Booking Fees	..	0	2	7
							£3	9	8

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. transferred from Sick and Funeral Fund	..	50	5	7	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	..	50	5	7
		£50	5	7			£50	5	7

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		£	s.	d.	HOW DISPOSED OF.		£	s.	d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	..	6180	10	0½	In Ormskirk Savings Bank	..	118	1	0
Management Fund	..	18	7	6½	Mersey Dook & Harbour Board	..	1100	0	0
Distress Fund	..	0	1	3½	Bonds	..	2969	19	0
Medical Aid Fund	..	0	17	4	District Investment Com.	..	1200	0	0
Unity Reserve Fund	..	50	5	7	Mortgage at Waterloo	..	750	0	0
		£6250	1	9½	Freshfield	..	15	0	0
					Owing by District	..	89	11	7½
					In Treasurer's Hands	..	7	10	2
					In Sick Visitor's Hands	..			
							£6250	1	9½

Cash Gain during the Year—£178 4s. 1d.

Audited and found correct, JAS. WEBSTER, } Auditors.
January 27th, 1914. JOHN SPENCER, }

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'JOHN BULL' LODGE,

No. 2804.

Held at the BULL AND DOG INN, Burscough.

ESTABLISHED 1842.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—JAMES HARRISON. N.G.—JOHN ASHTON. V.G.—THOMAS FORSHAW.

Secretary.—F. THIERENS. Treasurer.—THOMAS FORSHAW.

Trustees.—JOHN BERRY, JOHN PRESCOTT, JOHN B. GORST.

Present Number of Members, 366. Average Age, 37 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	6115	9	0½	Sick Pay	254	8	6
Contributions	279	1	3	Funerals	80	0	0
Widows' Contributions	3	17	0	District Funeral Levies	29	1	2½
Widows' & Orphans' Cont.	3	6	0	Widow & Orphans' Fund	3	3	3
Interest	223	12	5	Widows' Contributions to Dist.	3	15	0
Amount repaid by District	60	0	0	Unity Reserve Fund	77	0	4
Amount owing by District	20	0	0	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	6262	8	4
Accrued Income Tax	4	10	11				
	£6709	16	7½		£6709	16	7½

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	30	10	0½	District Management Levies	17	4	6
Contributions	54	7	1	District, for Goods	0	15	10
Fines, Cards, and Rules	1	8	3	Salaries, viz. :—			
Goods	0	3	6	Secretary	13	12	2
Postages	0	2	6	Assistant Secretary	1	0	0
Auditors	1	17	6	Treasurer	2	0	0
				Auditors	1	17	6
				Delegates	1	16	0
				Sick Visitors or Pay Steward	6	0	0
				Tyler	0	6	6
				Committee	0	7	6
				Trustees	0	14	0
				Testimonial, P.G. John Disley	1	1	0
				Handbook	0	10	6
				Rent of Lodge Room	2	8	0
				Postages	0	15	0
				District Levy	0	15	6
				Paid Widow on Dist Acc.	2	0	0
				Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	35	4	10½
	£88	8	10½		£88	8	10½

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	3	14	11½	Amount paid for Medical Aid on Account of Members	4	13	6
Contributions of own Members	8	3	3	Amt. of fund on Dec. 31, 1913	7	4	8½
	£11	18	2½		£11	18	2½

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	0	5	8	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	0	5	8
	£0	5	8		£0	5	8

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.	£	s.	d.	HOW DISPOSED OF.	£	s.	d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	6262	8	4	In Ormskirk Savings Bank	106	5	4
Management Fund	35	4	10½	Mersey Dock and Harbour Board Bonds	2914	0	2
Distress Fund	0	5	8	Liverpool City Corporation	700	0	0
Medical Aid Fund	7	4	8½	District Investment Com.	2915	6	11
Unity Reserve Fund	77	0	4	Mortgage, Southport	325	0	0
Anniversary Fund	3	7	11½	Mortgage, Burscough	200	0	0
				Owing by District	20	0	0
				Owing by late Juvenile Sec.	11	19	6
				Accrued Income Tax	9	15	5
				In Treasurer's Hands	70	5	9½
				Sick Visitors	12	18	9
	£6385	11	10½		£6385	11	10½

Cash Gain during the Year—£232 4s. 2½d.

Audited and found correct, PETER HESKETH, } Auditors.
FRED GOOLD, }

For particulars of Sick Pay see end of Book.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

Average Contributions for Benefits per Member—17s. 5½d.
Average Benefits paid per Member—19s. 3½d.
Rate of Mortality—One death out of every 99 Members.
Interest received—equal to a contribution of 9s. 6¼d.
Average Value per Member—£13 3s. 1d.
Total Funds in the District—£48,374 4s. 4½d.
Increase in Funds during 1913—£1,604 9s. 6d.
Number of Adult Male Members—3536.
Number of Juvenile Members—2247.

'EARL OF SEFTON' LODGE

No. 4364.

Held at the WELD BLUNDELL ARMS, Lydiate.

ESTABLISHED 1854.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—THOS. CARFOOT. N.G.—ED. A. SAUNDERS. V.G.—JOHN DICKENSON.

Secretary—THOS. COCKING. Treasurer—RD. MEADOWS.

Pay Steward.—JOHN H. WALTON.

Trustees—RD. WINSTANLEY, RD. WATKINSON, GEO. BLUNDELL.

Present Number of Members, 215. Average Age, 35 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	3193	13	1	Sick Pay	128	6	10
Contributions	128	8	0	Funerals	65	0	0
Widows' Contributions	2	8	7½	District Funeral Levies	16	5	6
Interest	134	13	8	Widows' Contributions to Dist.	2	8	7½
Amount repaid by District	50	0	0	Transferred to Unity Reserve Fund	55	11	7
Amount owing by District	15	0	0	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	3256	10	10
	£3524	3	4½		£3524	3	4½

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	10	9	5½	District Management Levies	9	19	2
Contributions	23	4	7	District, for Goods	0	11	6
Fines, Cards, and Rules	2	19	6	Salaries, viz. :—			
Goods	0	2	2	Secretary	8	2	9
Auditors' Fees repaid by District	1	8	8	Treasurer	2	10	0
Widow & Orphans' Cont.	10	11	0	Auditors	1	8	8
				Delegates: Dist. 17/6;			
				Invest Com., 2/6	1	0	0
				Sick Visitors or Pay Steward	1	0	0
				Tyler	0	2	6
				Rent of Lodge Room	1	0	0
				Printing, &c.	1	13	0
				Postages	0	13	2
				Widow & Orphans' Fund	11	6	3½
				Presentations, Two P.G.s	2	2	0
				Amt. of Fund, Dec. 31, 1913	7	6	4
	£48	15	4½		£48	15	4½

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	1	1	2	Amount paid for Medical Aid			
Contributions of own Members	12	11	1	on Account of Members	9	2	0
	£13	12	3	Amt. of fund Dec. 31, 1913	4	10	3
					£13	12	3

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	82	11	5½	Levy to District Distress Fd.	0	9	0½
Interest	3	6	1	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	85	8	6
	£85	17	6½		£85	17	6½

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Contributions received from Members of other Lodges	4	1	3	Cont. remitted to other Lodges	3	16	3
	£4	1	3	Postage and Booking Fees	0	5	0
					£4	1	3

APPROPRIATED SURPLUS FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1912	383	7	8	Paid on account of Sick Pay	11	10	1
				Paid on account of Funerals	9	5	8
				Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	362	11	11
	£383	7	8		£383	7	8

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amount transferred from Sick and Funeral Fund	55	11	7	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	55	11	7
	£55	11	7		£55	11	7

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.	£	s.	d.	HOW DISPOSED OF	£	s.	d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	3256	10	10	In Ormskirk Savings Bank	3	17	9½
Management Fund	7	6	4	Mersey Dock & Harbour Board Bonds	1000	0	0
Distress Fund	85	8	6	District Investment Com.	2733	19	10
Medical Aid Fund	4	10	3	Owing by District	15	0	0
Appropriated Surplus Fund	362	11	11	In Treasurer's Hands	16	16	10
Unity Reserve Fund	55	11	7	In Pay Steward's Hands	2	5	0
	£3771	19	5		£3771	19	5

Cash Gain during the Year—£100 16s. 7d.

Audited and found correct, January 16th, 1914.

THOMAS SHARROCK, }
HENRY COPPLE, } Auditors.

For particulars of Sick Pay see end of Book.

"TEMPLE OF PEACE" LODGE,

No. 806,

Held at the CHURCH HOUSE, Church Street, Ormskirk.

ESTABLISHED 1834.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—THOS. LEA. N.G.—JOSEPH WALKER. V.G.—HENRY SPENCER.

Secretary—THOS. BALL. Treasurer—P.G. GEORGE PRACH.

Trustees—P.G. RICHARD WOOSEY, P.G. ROBERT WEBSTER, I.P.G.M. JAS. BELL.

Present Number of Members, 230. Average Age, 33 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	..	2437	5	10½	Sick Pay	268	15	0	
Contributions	.....	224	8	6	Funerals	20	0	0	
Widows' Contributions	.....	1	13	9	District Funeral Levies	16	6	4	
Widows' & Orphans' Cont.	.....	11	17	8	Widow & Orphans' Fund	11	15	5½	
Interest	.....	88	6	3	Widows' Cont. to District	1	13	9	
Amount repaid by District	.....	20	0	0	Transfer to Unity Reserve				
Income Tax Repaid	.....	0	7	8	Fund	43	17	3	
					Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	2421	11	11	
		£2783	19	8½					£2783 19 8½

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	...	102	17	1	District Management Levies	10	7	1	
Contributions	.....	35	9	6	District Distress Levy	0	9	5½	
Fines, Cards, and Rules	.....	1	7	0	District, for Goods	2	10	10	
Goods	.....	0	5	6	Salaries, viz.:				
Auditors' Fees repaid by Dist.	.....	1	2	6	Secretary	8	12	6	
Hon. Members' Subscriptions:					Treasurer	3	0	0	
C. F. Ellis, Esq.	.....	0	10	6	Auditors	1	2	6	
Dr. Pendlebury	.....	0	10	6	Delegates	1	8	6	
A. Warde, Esq.	.....	0	10	6	Sick Visitors & Minute Sec.	1	5	0	
Dr. Anderton	.....	0	10	6	Pay Steward	2	0	0	
Interest	.....	3	19	11	Committee	1	0	6	
State Insurance Rent	.....	0	15	0	Rent of Lodge Room	1	10	0	
					Printing, Postages, &c.	1	16	8	
					J. Moss' Account	0	18	0	
					Collins' Memorial Subs.	0	10	6	
					E. Doweys Account	0	5	0	
					Testimonial to retiring G.M.	1	1	0	
					Fixing Curtains, Rods, and				
					Motto Board	0	2	0	
					Donation to Star of Hope Lodge	1	0	0	
					Transfer to Medical Aid Fund	0	12	6	
					Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	108	6	5½	
		£147	18	6					£147 18 6

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Contributions of own Members	.....	3	19	10½	Amt. paid for Medical Aid on				
Transfer from Management Fund	.....	0	12	6	Account of Members	4	12	4½	
		£4	12	4½					£4 12 4½

BENEVOLENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	..	4	0	0	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	4	0	0	
		£4	0	0					£4 0 0

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Cont. received from Members of other Lodges	.....	2	7	1	Cont. remitted to other Lodges	2	7	9	
Received from other Lodges in repayment of Sick and Funeral Benefits	.....	5	0	0	Paid to Members of other Lodges on account of Benefits	5	0	0	
Secretary's Postages and use of Books	.....	0	2	8	Postages and Booking Fees	0	2	0	
		£7	9	9					£7 9 9

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

1913.		£	s.	d.	By Balance		£	s.	d.
Dec. Transfer from Sick and Funeral Fund Account	....	43	17	3			43	17	3
		£43	17	3			£43	17	3

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		£	s.	d.	HOW DISPOSED OF.		£	s.	d.
Sick & Funeral Fund	.....	2421	11	11	In Ormskirk Savings Bank	61	3	1	
Management Fund	.....	108	6	5½	District Investment Com.	2462	17	3	
Distress Fund	.....	4	0	0	In Pay Steward's Hands	4	16	7	
Unity Reserve Fund	.....	43	17	3	In Treasurer's Hands	48	18	8½	
		£2577	15	7½					£2577 15 7½

Cash Gain during the Year—£33 12s. 8d.

Audited and found correct,
February 13, 1914.

F. GOOLD, }
T. LEA, } *Auditors.*

For Particulars of Sick Pay see end of Book.

❖ *In Memoriam* ❖

**DEATHS IN THE ORMSKIRK DISTRICT
DURING THE YEAR, 1913.**

Name.	Cause of Death.	Age.	Benefit.		
"EARL OF DERBY."			£ s. d.		
George Taylor	Heart Disease	71	10	0	0
John Greener	Bronchitis	82	10	0	0
"GOOD INTENT."					
William Woods	Found Drowned	61	10	0	0
Peter Hale	Lobar Pneumonia	65	10	0	0
Joseph Slack	Senility	80	10	0	0
Christopher Buck	Typhoid Fever	55	10	0	0
Joseph Banks	Carcemonia of Bowel	68	10	0	0
John Orritt	Cerebral Hemorrhage	65	10	0	0
John Peet	Phthisis	69	10	0	0
Wife of John Pilkington	Enfeebled Heart	76	5	0	0
Wife of Edward Burrows	Pneumonia	44	5	0	0
"TEMPLE OF PEACE."					
James Peach, P.P.G.M.	Diabetes	76	10	0	0
Wife of Edward Bradshaw	Cerebral Hemorrhage	65	5	0	0
Widow Grayson	Senile Decay	77	5	0	0
"ROSE OF ENGLAND."					
John Stringman	Pneumonia	17	10	0	0
John Edmondson	Fatty Degeneration of Heart	66	10	0	0
Richard Disley	Spastic Paraplegia	65	10	0	0
Peter Lamb	Phthisis	29	10	0	0
Peter Atherton	Mitral Disease	59	10	0	0
Hugh Stazicker	Enteritis	49	10	0	0
Henry Davies	Valvular Disease	59	10	0	0
Wife of John S. Martland	Confinement	33	5	0	0
Widow Smith	Bronchitis	68	5	0	0
Widow Lea	Heart Disease	72	5	0	0
"JOHN BULL."					
John Rimmer	Rephrites	34	10	0	0
William Sawyer	Senile Decay	78	10	0	0
Robert Disley	Probably Heart Disease	63	10	0	0
John Chidgey	Arteris Sclerosis	58	10	0	0
Wife of Thurnas Swift	Epilepsy	31	5	0	0
Wife of Frederick Jenkinson	Gastric Ulcer	31	5	0	0
Wife of George Baybutt	Chronic Nephritis	45	5	0	0
Wife of John Twist	Morbus Cordis	78	5	0	0

DEATHS—Continued.

Name.	Cause of Death.	Age.	Benefit.		
"LORD STANLEY."					
Thos. Marsh, I.P.G.M.	Pulmonary Phthisis	59	10	0	0
John Voce	Tubercular Meningetis	21	10	0	0
Thomas Heaton	Pneumonia	69	10	0	0
Henry Heaton	Pneumonia	44	10	0	0
Nathan Leatherbarrow		66	10	0	0
Wife of James Hall	Fatty Degeneration of Heart	51	5	0	0
Wife of John Parker	Fatty Degeneration of Heart	54	5	0	0
Wife of John Banks	Cerebral Hemorrhage	67	5	0	0
Widow Fyles	Morbus Cordis	73	5	0	0
"SUBMIT TO PROVIDENCE."					
James Sephton	Carcemonia of Stomach	62	10	0	0
Wife of William Rimmer	Asthritis	64	5	0	0
Wife of John Hardman	Spinal Caries Morbus	38	5	0	0
Wife of Thomas Lydiate	Lobar Pneumonia	28	5	0	0
Wife of John Sherman	Found Drowned	34	5	0	0
"EARL OF SEFTON."					
Richard Shacklady	Epitheliona of Lip	78	10	0	0
George Copple	Tuberculosis	43	10	0	0
Richard Rimmer	Cancer of Rectum	42	10	0	0
Henry Rimmer	Otitis Media	56	10	0	0
Wife of Richard Meadows	Cerebral Hemorrhage	53	5	0	0
Widow Shacklady	Shock from Falling	53	5	0	0
"VICTORIA."					
William Banks	Tabes Mesurterir	39	10	0	0
"LORD SKELMERSDALE."					
Robert Banks	Found Drowned	44	10	0	0
Adam Thompson	Acute Pneumonia	45	10	0	0
Charles Mason	Carcemonia of Stomach	47	10	0	0
Wife of Peter Davies	Apoplexy	57	5	0	0
Wife of John Edwards	Pulmonary Embolism	34	5	0	0
Wife of Edward Jones	Cerebral Hemorrhage	59	5	0	0
Wife of Thomas Peet	Cerebral Hemorrhage	46	5	0	0
Wife of George Moss	Fatty Degeneration of Heart	48	5	0	0
Wife of James Fisher	Cardiac Disease	45	5	0	0
Widow Ball	Diabetes	65	5	0	0
			£490 0 0		

To the Members of the Ormskirk District Oddfellows, M.U.

SISTERS AND BRETHREN,

That years roll on and seasons return must every remain a true and familiar quotation, yet I can recall no more appropriate words to remind you and I that another year has come and gone, leaving in its train the responsibility of laying before you my seventeenth report of this important District of the great Manchester Unity.

Administratively, the year 1913 has been an excessively busy one, and the thanks of the District are due to Lodge Secretaries and other officials who have done good service in adding still further to our numerical and financial prosperity.

SICKNESS EXPERIENCE.—The amount disbursed in sickness claims is £2,748 9s. 7d., being £619 6s. 4d. in excess of the cost for the previous year. The sum paid is equivalent to 15s. 10½d. per member, or 3s. 10½d. more than last year. The average for the years, 1910-12, was 13s. 9d., 13s. 2½d. and 12s. 0½d.

MORTALITY EXPERIENCE.—Funeral claims during 1913 in respect of members, members' wives, and widows, amounted to £594, as against £431 in 1912, being equal to 3s. 4½d. per head or 11½d. in advance of the previous year.

FINANCIAL POSITION.—Notwithstanding that sickness and funeral claims totalling £3,342 9s. 7d., have been paid, exceeding by £339 18s. 3d. the total contributions received for these benefits, it is gratifying to record a year of successful financial work. Each lodge shows a gain varying in amounts from £24 8s. 1d. in the "Horscar" Lodge to £242 12s. 5d. in the "Good Intent." The amount saved and added to capital is £1,393 12s. 5d., averaging 7s. 11½d. per member. The additions to capital during the past five years, 1909-13, amounts to £8,607 13s. 2d. The funds of the Lodges now total £45,993 1s. 10½d. giving an average worth per member of £13 3s. 1d. The contributions for benefits amount to £3,002 11s. 4d., being equal to 17s. 5½d. per member, while the disbursements in sick and funeral benefits averaged 19s. 3½d. The receipts for interest on capital were £1,664 14s. 2½d., being equal to 9s. 6½d. per member.

JUVENILE SOCIETY.—This useful branch continues to increase both in members and funds. During the year nine members "crossed the bar." Funeral benefits paid amounted to £35 15s. 0d. 28 members were transferred to adult lodges, each carrying a bonus of five shillings towards future contributions. There has been a gratifying influx of new entrants, for, after allowing for deaths and secessions, the returns show an increase of 61, bringing the membership up to 2,247. The funds stand at £1,415 8s. 1d., having been augmented by £132 19s. 3d. It is on this branch that the future prosperity of our Society depends, therefore it becomes the duty of every brother and sister to use their influence upon the parents and guardians of children to avail themselves of this inexpensive and advantageous class of insurance for their youngsters, when for fivepence per quarter, less than one halfpenny per week, they not only secure immediate and substantial monetary benefits, but a training of the children in habits of self-help and thrift. Officers on paying the Maternity Benefit under State Insurance should take care to secure the insurance of the child from its birth, and thus take it in Oddfellowship from the cradlet o the grave.

WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.—During the year grants amounting to £54 was paid to widows, while six orphans were in receipt of a weekly allowance. Considering the good work done on a subscription of only one penny per month it is regrettable to find a large number of our brethren not co-operating in what has been described as "the gem in the crown of Oddfellowship." The fund is in a healthy state, having been increased by £78 0s. 1d. during the year, the capital now standing at £789 12s. 4d.

FEMALE LODGES.—Substantial progress is recorded, briefly justifying their establishment. A wider dissemination of the principles of Oddfellowship amongst the fairer sex is only necessary to ensure further prosperity to these branches.

UNITED LODGES' INVESTMENTS.—During the year one mortgage has been repaid and others reduced to the amount of £360, while further securities totalling £4,631 4s. 9d. have been accepted. The funds dealt with now exceed £28,000. Lodges have been paid four per cent. on amounts credited in last statement and 2½ per cent. on deposits made during the year.

In Memoriam.

Of the members whose deaths during the year we have had to regret, two may be singled out for special mention on account of the active part they played in Oddfellowship. I refer to I.P.G.M. Thomas Marsh and P.P.C.M. James Peach. Bro. Marsh had a record of long and faithful service and died in harness, the encomiums paid to his worth being richly deserved. Bro. Peach, who had passed "the allotted span," had for a long numbers of years, even up to the last, devoted much time for the good of the cause. There is, therefore, no wonder that their deaths evoked general and sincere sympathy among the Brethren, a good number of whom attended the funerals to show respect for their memories and sympathy with the widows and children.

Although the grave had claimed them for its own,
And death hath o'er them exercised his power,
Their actions are in our remembrance sown,
Where they will bloom even to our latest hour.

THE UNITY.—The financial returns for 1912 show that our Order still continues to improve its already fine position, having an increase in capital of £418,493 3s. 6d. Sickness and Funeral Benefits paid amount to £1,101,547 3s. 6d., or £39,645 2s. 0d. in excess of the contributions received from the members, a further proof of the sound interest earning power of the Society. The accumulated capital now exceeds £16,500,000.

STATE INSURANCE.—Complaints are general throughout the country that compulsory insurance is causing a big drain on the private funds of friendly societies, and the evidence of our own sickness experience is only one example. The attitude of many of the medical profession is deplorable. More care in the granting of certificates is wanted and a better control over their patients, otherwise the restoration of Medical Benefits to the Societies or a State Medical Service will be necessary if friendly societies are to continue. There is a gratifying increase in the number of persons taking their State Insurance through our Lodges, to whom we extend greeting and fraternal welcome. In the lodge room their status is the same as that of the independent members. We know no distinction of rank, class, or creed. We solicit those eligible to join, to come and lend a helping hand to secure for the workers the manifold blessings of prudence, thrift, and mutual protection.

"I know that life, upon the whole,
Is well worth all we have to give;
And that the grander is the goal,
So much grander 'tis to live."

Yours fraternally,

ROBERT GRAYSON, PROV. C.S.

'GOOD INTENT' LODGE,

No. 550,

Held at the BUCK ITH VINE INN, Ormskirk.

ESTABLISHED 1831.

OFFICERS FOR 1914.

G.M.—JAS. MAWDSLEY. N.G.—THOS. H. ATHERTON. V.G.—WM. BERKLEY.
 Secretary—JOHN ROBERTSON. Treasurer—JAS. DRAPER.
 Trustees—THOS. CONSTANTINE, THOS. WINROW, JAS. EASTHAM.

Present Number of Members, 546.

Average Age, 37 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	5952	19	5	Sick Pay	462	13	3
Contributions	518	14	10½	Funerals	95	0	0
Widows' Contributions	8	5	5½	District Funeral Levies	47	1	8
Widows' & Orphans' Cont.	29	9	3	Widow and Orphans' Fund	29	2	0
Interest	106	2	6	Widows' Cont. to District	7	2	0
Amount repaid by District	80	0	0	Transferred to Reserve Fund	62	3	11
Amount owing by District	15	0	0				
Nett Rents	126	17	1	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	6134	5	9
	£6837	8	7		£6837	8	7

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Contributions	58	17	7	District Management Levies	25	13	0
Fines	4	15	5	District, for Goods	1	7	9
Goods	0	12	4	Salaries, viz:—			
Auditors' Fees repaid by Distr.	2	0	0	Secretary	20	18	6
Donation—P. Holcroft, Esq.	1	0	0	Treasurer	2	0	0
Hon. Members' Subscriptions:—				Auditors	2	0	0
Hon. A. Stanley, M.P.	1	1	0	Delegates	1	12	0
Wm. L. Hutton, Esq., J.P.	1	1	0	Sick Visitors	1	16	8
S. Brighthouse, Esq.	1	1	0	Pay Steward	9	6	0
J. P. Berry, Esq.	1	1	0	Committee	0	8	0
Dr. Suffern	1	1	0	Tyler	0	16	6
F. A. Jones, Esq.	0	10	6	Rent of Lodge Room	0	10	0
R. R. Glover, Esq.	0	10	6	Printing, &c.	5	6	0
E. C. Stretch, Esq.	0	10	6	Postages	1	9	1
E. C. Linaker, Esq.	0	10	6	G.M.'s Testimonial	1	1	0
R. E. Hattersley, Esq.	0	10	6	Transferred to Distress Fund	1	9	6
T. Coulton, Esq.	0	10	6	Inscription on Centenary Jewel	0	3	6
J. T. Whittle, Esq.	0	10	6	Donation to "Star of Hope"	1	0	0
Repaid by Insurance Section on account of rent, tyler, goods, delegates, etc.	1	8	10	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	0	15	2
	£77	12	8		£77	12	8

MEDICAL AID FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	4	3	6	Amt. paid for Medical Aid on Account of Members	21	19	0
Contributions of own Members	19	19	6	Medical Fees allowed to Members paying into other Lodges	1	3	0
Contributions of Members of other Lodges	1	3	0	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	2	10	6
From Distress Fund	0	6	6		£25	12	6
	£25	12	6		£25	12	6

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Transferred from Management Fund	1	9	6	Levy to Dist. Distress Fund	1	3	0
	£1	9	6	Transferred Medical Aid Fund on account of Bro. J. S.	0	6	6
	£1	9	6		£1	9	6

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Contributions received from Members of other Lodges	16	10	1½	Contributions remitted to other Lodges	14	12	5½
Received from other Lodges in repayment of Sick and Funeral Benefits	7	4	2	Paid to Members of other Lodges on account of Benefits	7	4	2
	£23	14	3½	Surgeons' Fees paid to Medical Aid Fund for Members of other Lodges	1	3	0
	£23	14	3½	Postage and Booking Fees	0	14	8
	£23	14	3½		£23	14	3½

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

Amount transferred from Sick and Funeral Fund	£62	3	11	Amount of fund on 31st Dec., 1913	£62	3	11
	£62	3	11		£62	3	11

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.	£	s.	d.	HOW DISPOSED OF.	£	s.	d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	6134	5	9	In Ormskirk Savings Bank	11	14	4
Management Fund	0	15	2	Mersey Dock and Harbour Board Bonds	500	0	0
Medical Aid Fund	2	10	6	Ormskirk Urban Dist. Council	600	0	0
Unity Reserve Fund	62	3	11	Dist. Investment Committee	2083	10	2
	£6199	15	4	Property, Wigan Road	2724	8	7
	£6199	15	4	Owing by late Sec. R. Ashcroft	17	14	11
	£6199	15	4	District	15	0	0
	£6199	15	4	In "Pay Steward's Hands"	6	7	5½
	£6199	15	4	In Treasurer's Hands	240	1	6
	£6199	15	4	In Secretary's Hands	0	18	4½
	£6199	15	4		£6199	15	4

Cash Gain during the Year—£242 12s. 5d.

Audited and found correct, February 3, 1914. SAMUEL TAYLOR, } Auditors.
 FRED GOOLD.

For particulars of Sick Pay see end of Book.

JOHN BULL LODGE—Continued.

LORD STANLEY LODGE,

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Baldwin, Robert	1	3	0	15	0
Boyes, John	3	0	1	10	0
Baker, William	1	2	0	13	4
Baybutt, Thomas	1	5	0	18	4
Bolton, James	0	3	0	5	0
Baker, John	1	0	0	10	0
Bond, Thomas	1	3	0	15	0
Cocks, Charles	2	4	1	6	8
Cocks,	9	1	4	11	8
Culshaw, Henry	4	0	2	0	0
Culshaw, Henry	1	2	0	13	4
Cooper, James	0	3	0	5	0
Chidgey, John, jun.	0	3	0	5	0
Chidgey, John, sen.	0	3	0	5	0
Croft, Thomas	0	3	0	5	0
Culshaw, John (52)	3	5	1	18	4
Dutton, Henry	4	3	2	5	0
Dutton, Thomas	9	2	4	13	4
Dutton, Thomas (40)	6	0	3	0	0
Disley, John	4	0	2	0	0
Disley, S. A.	0	3	0	5	0
Disley, Percy	0	3	0	5	0
Dodd, George	1	3	0	15	0
Edge, Thomas	7	1	3	11	8
Eastham, Alfred	19	4	9	16	8
Fletcher, William	4	0	2	0	0
Fletcher, George	0	3	0	5	0
Fairhurst, John	1	0	0	10	0
Fairclough, Frederick	0	3	0	5	0
Farrington, Thomas	14	0	7	0	0
Farrington, William	0	4	0	6	8
Farrington, Thomas (300)	4	1	2	1	8
Garner, Thomas	24	2	12	3	4
Garner, Thomas	4	3	2	5	0
Garner, James (221)	0	5	0	8	4
Garner, Evan	1	3	0	15	0
Garner, James	37	0	18	10	0
Garner, John	7	0	3	10	0
Gorst, Robert	2	0	1	0	0
Gobin, Richard	3	5	1	18	4
Hewitt, Edward	6	5	3	8	4
Hesketh, Henry	6	0	3	0	0
Hankin, James	2	1	1	1	8
Hoghton, William	4	3	2	5	0
Hesketh, Thomas	7	2	3	13	4
Hankin, Robert	2	1	1	1	8
Harrison, William	3	0	1	10	0
Hodge, Thomas	2	5	1	8	4
Hornby, Henry	2	1	1	1	8
Hornby, James	2	0	1	0	0
Hornby, Henry	1	0	0	10	0
Iddon, James	17	1	8	11	8
Jones, William	1	0	0	10	0
Jackson, Henry	1	0	0	10	0
Kirby, Thomas	2	2	1	3	4
Kirby, William	1	5	0	18	4
Lamb, James	2	1	1	1	8
Lamb, Issac	2	1	1	1	8
Lamb, John	5	0	2	10	0
Mawdsley, Richard	6	2	3	3	4
Lsa, Robert	7	0	3	10	0
Parr, Richard	1	3	0	15	0
Prescott, William	2	4	1	6	8

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Pepper, John H.	0	3	0	5	0
Peet, John T.	3	0	1	10	0
Peet, James	4	0	2	0	0
Peet, W. H.	2	4	1	6	8
Ryley, Peter	1	3	0	15	0
Ryley, John T.	3	0	1	10	0
Seddon, William	2	2	1	3	4
Staniforth, James	3	0	1	10	0
Smith, Walter	1	4	0	16	8
Tummev, Arthur	0	5	0	8	4
Tunstall, Richard	1	0	0	10	0
Webster, H. G.	3	3	1	15	0
Walker, William	1	3	0	15	0
Weeks, Louis	0	2	0	3	4
Wilson, John	1	0	0	10	0
Wilson, William	1	1	0	11	8
Whalley, John	1	4	0	16	8
Youds, John	6	3	3	5	0
Youds, Robert	1	1	0	11	8
Yates, John	2	0	1	0	0
	351	1	£175	11	8

HALF PAY.

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Chidgey, John	13	2	3	6	8
Ryley, George	15	0	3	15	0
Rimmer, John	5	0	1	5	0
Garner, John	13	0	3	5	0
	46	2	£11	11	8

QUARTER PAY.

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Baybutt, George	52	0	6	10	0
Baybutt, James	52	0	6	10	0
Georgeson, George	52	0	6	10	0
Gaskell, Richard	52	0	6	10	0
Hoghton, John	52	0	6	10	0
Lea, Robert	52	0	6	10	0
McCoone, Edward	52	0	6	10	0
Robinson, Richard	52	0	6	10	0
Twist, Richard	52	0	6	10	0
Ryley, George	38	0	4	15	0
	506	0	£63	5	0

REDUCED SICK PAY.

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Bolton, James, at 8d per day	2	1	0	8	4
Chidgey, John, at 6d. per day	21	5	3	5	6
Croft, Thomas, at 8d. per day	1	3	0	6	0
	25	3	£4	0	2

SUMMARY.

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Full pay	351	1	£175	11	8
Half Pay	46	2	£11	11	8
Quarter Pay	506	0	£63	5	0
Reduced Pay	25	0	£4	0	2
	928	0	£254	8	6

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
Henry Brownbill	52	0	6	10	0
William Kirby	52	0	6	10	0
William Rawsthorne	52	0	6	10	0
Joseph Webster	52	0	6	10	0
James Meadows	52	0	6	10	0
Joseph Rothwell	52	0	6	10	0
John Bamford	52	0	6	10	0
Richard Rothwell	19	5	6	18	9
Thomas Dagnall	53	0	6	12	6
Henry Draper	3	0	1	10	0
Edward Heaton, senr.	52	0	7	10	0
John Sumner	4	0	1	16	0
John Voce	13	0	6	10	0
Henry Johnson	32	0	13	4	0
William Smith (R'ford)	4	0	1	16	0
Peter Shaw, senr.	49	0	6	2	6
John Lackland	5	4	2	16	8
Isaac Sockett	3	0	1	7	0
William Davies, junr.	1	0	0	9	0
William Rimmer	20	0	8	12	0
Joseph Bryers	2	0	0	18	0
Isaac Eccleston	6	0	2	14	0
Wm. Rigby (Skelm.)	13	5	5	18	6
Edward Singleton	2	2	1	1	0
Richard Anderton	3	0	1	7	0
Joseph Welding	1	2	0	12	0
Robert Latham, jun.	3	0	1	7	0
Job Lockett	5	3	2	9	6
Ed. Stringfellow	7	0	5	3	0
J'nt'h'n Molyneux, jr.	26	0	11	14	0
Henry Evans	11	5	4	18	4
Thomas Peet (Four Lane Ends)	7	5	3	10	6
Robert Hunt	3	3	1	11	6
Matthew Smith	4	5	2	8	4
James Rigby	2	2	1	2	0
Peter Johnson	7	1	3	4	6
William Houghton	15	2	6	18	0
Alfred Price	39	0	14	19	0
Edward Jones	3	0	1	7	0
Thomas Marsh	4	3	2	0	6
William Ball, jun.	1	0	0	9	0
Hugh Gregson	8	0	3	12	0
Robert Gregson	3	0	1	10	0
Nathan Leatherbarrow (St. Helens)	4	0	1	16	0
George Hunt	2	0	0	18	0
Thomas Ashcroft	7	0	3	3	0
Thomas Heaton (Kirkdale)	4	3	2	0	6
Wm. Hamilton, sen.	16	0	7	4	0
John Swift	2	3	1	2	6
Jonathan Lawrenson	2	0	0	18	0
William Blundell	2	4	1	4	0
James Hunt, Senr. Collier's Row)	8	3	3	16	6
John Woods	2	4	1	4	0
John Pownall	13	2	6	0	0
John Moorcroft	1	2	0	12	0
William Foster (Lathom)	3	0	1	8	0
Henry Heaton	0	3	0	4	6
Harry Bryers	1	0	0	9	0

	w.	d.	£	s.	d.
John Houghton	6	1	2	15	6
William Sephton	3	1	1	11	8
Jervis Close	3	0	1	7	0
William Moss	2	0	0	18	0
John T. Jones	2	0	0	18	0
Thomas Cropper	2	0	0	18	0
John Lydiate	2	3	1	2	6
Isaac Latham	36	0	14	4	0
James Blundell	1	4	0	15	0
Peter Hunt	6	4	3	0	0
Richard Latham	1	0	0	9	0
Henry Aspinwall	12	0	5	8	0
William Rawsthorne, junr.	7	0	3	3	0
Robert Marsh	1	0	0	10	0
Frederick Blackburn	2	0	0	18	0
Richard Rigby	1	0	0	9	0
Nathan Leatherbarrow, junr.	17	0	7	13	0
William Smith, junr. (Barrow Nook)	2	3	1	2	6
Thomas Kerfoot	1	2	0	12	0
Samuel Rigby	4	0	1	16	0
Richard Marsh	35	2	17	13	4
Peter Gorman	3	2	1	10	0
John Heaton	2	2	1	1	0
Richard Roughley	1	0	0	10	0
Thomas Lackland	5	2	2	13	4
John T. Mawdsley	1	2	0	12	0
James Rawsthorne	2	0	0	18	0
David Staines	1	0	0	2	8
David Grimshaw	1	0	0	9	0
George Moss	2	0	0	18	0
John Newton	10	4	4	16	0
John Johnson (Skelm.)	3	0	1	7	0
Thomas Peet, junr. (Lylake)	4	0	2	0	0
Henry Rimmer	7	2	3	6	0
George Lackland	2	0	1	0	0
Edward Rigby	4	5	2	3	6
James Hardman	8	2	3	15	0
Jonathan Molyneux, senr.	4	0	1	16	0
William Gaskell Selsby	3	0	1	7	0
James Dagnall, junr. (Clarendon Villa)	1	0	0	10	0
Thomas Short	5	0	2	5	0
Henry Rigby (Aintree)	1	0	0	9	0
William Latham	1	0	0	9	0
Thomas Hesketh	0	5	0	7	6
Robert Lydiate	3	2	1	10	0
John Lawrenson (Skelm.)	2	0	0	18	0
William Foster (Sutton)	2	0	0	18	0
John Hutton	3	0	1	7	0
Matthew Murden	4	3	2	0	6
William Swift (R'ford)	1	4	0	15	0
James Smith	2	5	1	5	6
John Moss	4	0	1	16	0
Robert Pope	1	5	0	16	6
Thomas Farrimond	9	0	4	1	0
Benjamin Dykes	8	0	3	12	0
Henry Rigby (Latham)	7	0	3	3	0

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Present Number of Members, 374. Average Age, 42 Years.

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	4063 16 7	Sick Pay	362 15 11
Contributions	369 13 7	Funerals	75 0 0
Widows' Contributions	4 12 7	District Funeral Levies	34 15 9
Interest	141 8 9	Widows' Contributions to Dist.	4 10 11
Amount repaid by District	65 0 0	District Widows' Cont. to District	0 4 0
Amount owing by District	10 0 0	Unity Reserve Fund	37 13 7
District Widows' Contributions	0 4 0	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	4154 15 4
Repaid by Unity (Funeral)	10 0 0		
Owing by Unity (Funeral)	5 0 0		
	<u>£4669 15 6</u>		<u>£4669 15 6</u>

MANAGEMENT FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	11 1 0½	District Management Levies	17 7 6
Contributions	62 9 5	District, for Goods	1 0 2
Fines, Cards, and Rules	2 0 0	Widows' & Orphans' Fund	19 14 4½
Widows' & Orphans' Cont.	20 16 8	Salaries, viz. :—	
Auditors' Fees repaid by Dist.	0 15 0	Secretary	14 2 0
Auditors' Fees owing by Dist.	1 0 0	Treasurer & Pay Steward	6 0 0
Donation (Earl of Derby)	1 0 0	Auditors	1 15 0
		Delegates	3 14 0
		Sick Visitors	5 0 0
		Tyler	0 13 0
		Committee	0 18 6
		Postage, &c.	1 8 3
		Testimonial to Past Officers	4 1 0
		Floral Wreath	1 1 0
		Rent of Lodge Room	2 10 0
		" " 2nd Meeting Place	1 0 0
		Printing, &c.	7 9 6
		Investment Committee Meeting	0 5 0
		Handbook, Account	0 10 6
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	10 12 4
	<u>£99 2 1½</u>		<u>£99 2 1½</u>

UNITY RESERVE FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Transferred from Sick & Funeral Fund	37 13 7	Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	37 13 7
	<u>£37 13 7</u>		<u>£37 13 7</u>

DISTRESS FUND.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amt. of fund, Jan. 1, 1913	28 13 2½	Benefits paid on account of four Members	4 0 0
		Levy to Dist. Distress Fund	0 15 7½
		Amt. of fund, Dec. 31, 1913	23 17 7
	<u>£28 13 2½</u>		<u>£28 13 2½</u>

LODGE IN ACCOUNT WITH OTHER LODGES.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Cont. received from Members of other Lodges	4 15 8	Contributions remitted to other Lodges	4 12 3
Received from other Lodges in repayment of Sick & Funeral Benefits	19 6 0	Paid to Members of other Lodges on account of Benefits	19 6 0
		Postages and Booking Fees	0 2 10
		Amt. due to other Lodges on Dec. 31, 1913	0 0 7
	<u>£24 1 8</u>		<u>£24 1 8</u>

GENERAL BALANCE.

AMOUNT OF FUNDS.		HOW DISPOSED OF.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Sick and Funeral Fund	4154 15 4	In P.O. Savings Bank	156 16 3
Management Fund	10 12 4	District Investment Com.	2255 6 6
Distress Fund	23 17 7	Property at Waterloo	650 0 0
Unity Reserve Fund	37 13 7	On Mortgage	1050 0 0
Owing to other Lodges	0 0 7	Owing by District	11 0 0
		Owing by Unity	5 0 0
		In Treasurer's Hands	98 16 8
	<u>£4226 19 5</u>		<u>£4226 19 5</u>

Cash Gain during the Year—£138 8s. 0d.

Audited and found correct, January 20th, 1914. HENRY J. HALE, C.A., M.U., } Auditors.
RICHARD EVANS, }

For particulars of Sick Pay see end of Book.

LORD SKELMERSDALE LODGE—Continued.

	W.	D.	£	s.	d.	SUMMARY.										
						W.	D.	£	s.	d.						
Whalley, Charles ...	9	0	4	10	0	Full pay at 10s.	818	1	409	1	8					
Whalley, Edward ...	2	1	1	1	8	Half Pay at 5s.	89	1	22	5	10					
	84	5	39	5	10	Quarter Pay at 2s 6d. 85	1	10	12	11						
QUARTER PAY at 2s. 6d.																
Greaves, Jongthan ...	52	0	6	10	0											
Hartill, Thomas ...	8	0	1	0	0											
Campbell, William ...	11	0	1	7	6											
Fazackerley, William	14	1	1	15	5							992	3	442	0	5

HORSCAR LODGE.

	W.	D.	£	s.	d.		W.	D.	£	s.	d.					
John Mayor ...	9	0	3	12	0	Richard Melling ...	2	0	0	16	0					
Richard Ollerton ...	11	0	4	8	0	Thomas Stopforth, jr.	1	0	0	8	0					
Thoms Dutton ...	1	0	0	8	0	James Vickers ...	3	0	1	4	0					
Thomas Dutton ...	2	0	0	16	0							173	0	69	4	0
Richard Sutton ...	26	0	10	8	0	HALF PAY.										
Thomas Stopforth ...	5	0	2	0	0	James Mayor ...	14	0	2	16	0					
John Marsden ...	5	0	2	0	0	Richard Ollerton ...	2	0	0	8	0					
John Prescott ...	2	0	0	16	0	Thomas Dutton ...	21	0	4	4	0					
Henry Mather ...	2	0	0	16	0	Richard Sutton ...	3	0	0	12	0					
Richard Aspinwall ...	3	0	1	4	0							40	0	8	0	0
Edward Pemberton ...	15	0	6	0	0	QUARTER PAY.										
John Walsh ...	13	0	5	4	0	William Lyon ...	52	0	5	4	0					
Thomas Rimmer ...	3	0	1	4	0	James Mayor ...	38	0	3	16	0					
Thomas Rimmer ...	11	0	4	8	0	Richard Sutton ...	52	0	5	4	0					
Robert Fletcher ...	1	0	0	8	0	Thomas Baldwin ...	52	0	5	4	0					
Edward Seddon ...	1	0	0	8	0	Richard Pemberton ...	52	0	5	4	0					
Richard Carrington ...	19	0	7	12	0	Henry Lyon ...	6	0	0	12	0					
John Seddon ...	1	0	0	8	0	John Howard (7) ...	52	0	5	4	0					
Richard Melling ...	4	0	1	12	0							304	0	30	8	0
James Pemberton ...	2	0	0	16	0	SUMMARY.										
John Forshaw ...	1	0	0	8	0	Full Pay ...	69	4	0							
Henry Pilkington ...	1	0	0	8	0	Half Pay ...	8	0	0							
Richard Draper ...	7	0	2	16	0	Quarter Pay ...	30	8	0							
Samuel Rothwell ...	2	0	0	16	0							£107	12	0		
William Gibbons ...	1	0	0	8	0											
James Wells ...	6	0	2	8	0											
John Pemberton ...	1	0	0	8	0											
Henry Draper ...	1	0	0	8	0											
Abraham Forshaw ...	8	0	3	4	0											
Thomas Rothwell ...	2	0	0	16	0											
Richard Walsh ...	1	0	0	8	0											



THE Ormskirk District was established in 1831, and at the present time has 17 Lodges, with a membership, Adults and Juveniles, of nearly 6,000 good on the books. The funds available for Sick Pay and Funeral Benefits, etc., amount to over £48,000, showing an average gain for many years past of over £1,500 per year. The District has more funds at its command than all the other Friendly Societies put together in the same area.

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