

King Edward's Hospital Fund  
for London



Provision for the  
Professional & Middle Classes  
at Voluntary Hospitals  
in London

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*Being a complete List of  
PAY BEDS AT HOSPITALS  
making returns to the King's Fund*

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THERE is a growing demand for suitable hospital provision for those who, owing to modern developments in medicine and surgery, require hospital treatment with all its advantages, and who are able to pay the cost of their maintenance and also perhaps to pay something for medical attendance.

Until a generation or two ago the only function of a hospital was to provide treatment, mostly of a very simple kind, for the necessitous poor who could not afford treatment in their own homes.

During the last 60 or 70 years, however, the progress of medical science and surgery has been so great, and the cost of treatment has increased to such an extent, that the position has entirely changed.

It is now usual for patients in the ordinary wards of the hospitals to be asked to pay what they can towards the cost. Such voluntary contributions rarely exceed £2 2s., and in the majority of cases are much smaller, while patients who are really unable to make any payment are still admitted free, and receive the same care and treatment as those who contribute to the cost. In the larger hospitals the average cost of treatment in the ordinary wards is now about £4 a week.

But it is for those who do not wish to compete for admission to the ordinary wards, and who are willing to pay more in order to secure more privacy, and various other advantages, that special accommodation is now needed.

Realising this, many of the London Voluntary Hospitals have now made special provision for such patients, in the form either of single rooms, of small wards for two or four persons, or of cubicles, the charges varying according to the type of accommodation provided. Particulars are given in the appended table.

Medical and surgical fees are not as a rule included in the weekly charge, but it is usually contemplated that such fees, like the hospital charges, will be on a modified scale, and lower than those charged to patients in a nursing home. The amount of the fee is usually arranged between patient and consultant, but the family doctor will be able to ascertain what is the proper course. There are often also additional charges for certain extras, such as special nursing, if required. Ordinary nursing is included in the hospital charge.

These "Pay Beds," as they are usually called, have increased from 590, in 1920, to 1,871 included in the present edition of this pamphlet, and several hospitals have schemes in progress which should lead to a further considerable addition to the number available.

In May, 1927, H.R.H. The Prince of Wales, as President of King Edward's Hospital Fund for London, appointed a special committee, known as the "Pay Beds Committee," to inquire and report upon the question. The Committee, who issued their report in July, 1928, expressed the following opinions:—

"We consider that the existing provision of 1,055 pay beds has proved to be a very valuable addition to the Voluntary Hospital service of London; that a material extension of this provision is urgently required to meet the existing demand; and that the organisation of a mutual insurance scheme to assist persons of moderate means to meet the cost of maintenance and medical fees is strongly to be recommended."

"We believe that an extension of the pay bed system at the Voluntary Hospitals, with due safeguards for the maintenance and extension of the ordinary beds, would be of advantage to the patients of all classes, to the individual hospitals, and to the Voluntary Hospital system as a whole."

A contributory scheme, known as "The Hospital Saving Association," was instituted, in 1924, with the aid of the King's Fund, to enable the ordinary hospital patient to

make provision in advance by means of a weekly contribution of 3d. a week, out of which the Association makes payments to the hospital in respect of each member receiving treatment. This scheme is confined to persons with incomes not exceeding £4 for a single man or woman, £5 for a married man without children under sixteen, and £6 for a married man with children under sixteen.

For persons whose incomes exceed these limits and who wish to make provision towards the charges in the pay wards of a hospital, an insurance scheme has been established on somewhat similar lines, under the title of "The British Provident Association." Full particulars of this scheme can be obtained from the Secretary at 30, Lancaster Gate, W.2.

A complete list of "pay beds" now available in the London Voluntary Hospitals on the books of the King's Fund is appended for the information of those who may wish to make use of them. Further particulars may be obtained from the Secretary of the particular Hospital at the address given in the list. Actual application for admission is, in most cases, made through the patient's own doctor.

King Edward's Hospital Fund for London,  
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# LIST of PAY BEDS AT VOLUNTARY HOSPITALS IN LONDON

MAKING RETURNS TO THE KING'S FUND

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Further particulars relating to Pay Beds, including procedure as regards medical attendance and medical fees, are summarised in the Report of the Pay Beds Committee of King Edward's Hospital Fund for London, published in July, 1928, by Geo. Barber & Son Ltd., 23, Furnival Street, E.C.4, Part I, price 1s., post free 1s. 5d. For detailed information regarding a particular hospital application should be made to the Secretary of the Hospital.

The grouping of the Hospitals is based on the method adopted in the King's Fund Statistical Summary on cost of working. Hospitals for members of the middle and professional classes are grouped with the Hospitals whose pay bed departments they most resemble.

## I.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge: (See note on page 21).
GUY'S, Borough, S.E.1	29	29 cubicles (partitions and curtains) (12 m. 17 f.)	6 gns.
	2	1-bed	6 gns.
KING'S COLLEGE, Denmark Hill, S.E.5	48	24-bed (curtains)	5 gns.
	4	2-bed	6 gns.
	10	1-bed (31 m. 31 f.)	8 gns.
MIDDLESEX, Mortimer Street, W.1	12	12 cubicles	4 gns.
	28	1-bed	7 gns.
	16	1-bed	12 gns.
	7-9	see note (a).	4 to 10 gns.
ROYAL FREE, Gray's Inn Road, W.C.1	6	2-bed	5 gns.
	18	1-bed (3 maternity)	7 gns.

(a) MIDDLESEX—The wards are for children and are arranged so that there may be 1 child or 2 children, or 1 child and its nurse or mother, according to requirements.

I.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH MEDICAL SCHOOLS  
(continued).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
ST. THOMAS'S, S.E.1	34	34 cubicles (walls and curtains)	6 gns.
	6	1-bed (18 m. 22 f.)	9 gns.
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, Gower Street, W.C.1	4	1-bed (general, medical and surgical)	6 gns.
Royal Ear Hospital, Huntley Street, W.C.1	8	1-bed (ear, nose and throat) (a)	6 gns.
WESTMINSTER, Broad Sanctuary, S.W.1	9	9-bed (9 f.)	5 gns.
	7	7-bed (7 m.) (curtained cubicles)	5 gns.
	8	4-bed (4 m. 4 f.)	6 gns.
	6	1-bed	10 gns.
Do. (Annexe for Radium Treatment), 66, Fitzjohn's Avenue, N.W.3	2	1-bed	10 gns.
	3	1-bed	6 gns.
	1	1-bed	8 gns.
	3	3-bed	5 gns.
	2	2-bed	

II.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICERS.

ACTON, W.3	1	2-bed	3½ gns.
	8	1-bed	4 gns. (b)
BOLINGBROKE, Wandsworth Common, S.W.11	5	5-bed (5 f.)	4 gns.
	2	2-bed (2 m.)	
	8	1-bed	
CONNAUGHT, Walthamstow, E.17	10	1-bed (5 m. 5 f. or ch.)	5 gns.

(a) UNIVERSITY COLLEGE—Sometimes available for medical and surgical cases not requiring intensive nursing or operation.

(b) ACTON—Non-local residents are charged 4 gns. in the 2-bed wards and 5 gns. in the 1-bed wards.

II.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH RESIDENT  
MEDICAL OFFICERS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
CROYDON GENERAL, Croydon	7 4 6 2 4	1-bed 2-bed 3-bed 1-bed (balcony cubicles) 2-bed (balcony cubicles)	6 gns. 5 gns. 4 gns. 6 gns. 5 gns.
EAST HAM MEMORIAL, E.7	4 8	1-bed 2 curtained cubicles (general wards) (4 m. 4 f.)	5 gns. 5 gns. (a)
FINCHLEY MEMORIAL, N.12 (b)	4 4 12 4 2	1-bed 1-bed 1-bed 1-bed 1-bed	3½ gns. 4 gns. 5 gns. 6 gns. 7 gns.
GERMAN, Dalston, E.8	4 6 2	2-bed (2 m. 2 f.) 1-bed 2-bed	£4 15s. £5 15s. 3½ gns.
HAMPSTEAD GENERAL, N.W.3	7 8 2 4	7-bed (7 f.) 4-bed 1-bed	3½ gns. 7 gns.
HARROW & WEALDSTONE, Harrow-on-the-Hill	7 4	2-bed 1-bed	5 gns. 6 gns.
HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN AND ST. ELIZABETH, St. John's Wood, N.W.8	2 20 8	1-bed (endowed) 1-bed 1-bed	£2 10s. 8—12 gns. (c)

(a) EAST HAM MEMORIAL—Includes all extras and medical fees.

(b) FINCHLEY—For local residents only, except in emergencies.

(c) HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN AND ST. ELIZABETH—8 beds for Priests or Nuns of the Diocese of Westminster, to whom no charge is made but on whose behalf donations are given by the community to which the patient belongs if the community can afford to do so.

II.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH RESIDENT  
MEDICAL OFFICERS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
HOSTEL OF ST. LUKE (a) (Clergy), Fitzroy Square, W.1	8 22	2-bed 1-bed	(A) Free (B) From 10s. 6d. (c) Up to 7 gns.
ITALIAN, Queen Square, W.C.1	4	1-bed	5 gns. (b)
KING EDWARD MEMORIAL, Ealing, W.13	7	1-bed	4½ gns.
KING GEORGE, Ilford	4 17	2-bed 1-bed	5 gns.
LONDON HOMOEOPATHIC, Great Ormond Street, W.C.1	12	12-bed (curtains) (12 f.)	4 gns.
	2		5 gns.
	4		6 gns.
	6		7 gns.
	3		9 gns.
	1		10 gns.
MILLER, Greenwich Road, S.E.10	9 11	1-bed 11-bed (cubicles)	5 gns. 5 gns. (c)
NATIONAL TEMPERANCE, Hampstead Road, N.W.1	3 7 2 1 1 4 2 3		6 gns. 7 gns. 7½ gns. 8 gns. 12 gns. 5 gns. 6 gns. 4½ gns.

(a) HOSTEL OF ST. LUKE—For the Clergy of the Anglican Communion and their families only. Patients are admitted under class (A), (B) or (c), according to their means.

(b) ITALIAN—3 gns. to Sisters of Charity.

(c) MILLER—In the case of the cubicles the charge includes Medical Fees in the other beds it does not.

II.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH RESIDENT  
MEDICAL OFFICERS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
NELSON, Merton, S.W.20	2 8 } 5 } 4 4	2-bed (ch.) 1-bed 2-bed (maternity) 1-bed (maternity)	3½ gns. ( 3½ gns. 5 gns. 4 gns. 5 gns.
POPLAR HOSPITAL FOR ACCIDENTS, East India Dock Road, E.14	6	1-bed	5 gns.
PRINCE OF WALES'S, Tottenham, N.15	10	5-bed (curtained cubicles) (5 m. 5 f.)	5 gns.
	3	3-bed (ch.)	
	12	1-bed	7 gns.
PRINCESS BEATRICE, Richmond Road, S.W.5	9 6	1-bed 2-bed	4 gns. to 8 gns.
	3	1-bed (maternity)	5½ gns. to 7½ gns.
PUTNEY, S.W.15	7	1-bed	5 gns.
QUEEN MARY'S, Stratford, E.15	24	12-bed (curtained cubicles)	3 gns. (a)
	1	1-bed	4½ gns.
	4	2-bed	5 gns.
	2	1-bed	6 gns.
ROYAL HOSPITAL, Richmond	2	1-bed	6 gns.

(a) QUEEN MARY'S—Patients in the cubicles do not pay Medical Fees.

II.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH RESIDENT  
MEDICAL OFFICERS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
ROYAL NORTHERN, Holloway Road, N.7	10 62	2-bed 1-bed (including 4 maternity)	5½ gns. 6 gns. 7 gns. 8 gns. 10 gns.
ST. ANDREW'S, Dollis Hill, N.W.2	24 42 8 8 2	12-bed 21-bed (22 m. 44 f.) 8-bed (ch.) 1-bed 2-bed	2½ gns. 2½ gns. 6 gns. to 8 gns.
ST. JOHN'S, Lewisham, S.E.13	3 3	1-bed	5 gns. (a) 7 gns. (a)
SEAMEN'S (DREADNOUGHT), Greenwich, S.E.10	17 4 6 2	17-bed (cubicles) (17 m.) 4-bed (cubicles) (4 f.) 1-bed 2-bed (4 m.)	3 gns. 3 gns. 5 gns. 4 gns.
WEIR, Balham, S.W.12	4	1-bed	4 gns. (b)
WEMBLEY	9 2	1-bed 2-bed	5 gns. 4 gns.
WEST LONDON, Hammersmith, W.6	8 18	2-bed 1-bed	4 gns. 5 gns.
WILLESDEN GENERAL, N.W.10	4 11	2-bed 1-bed	3½ gns. 6 gns.

(a) ST. JOHN'S, LEWISHAM—Includes all extras except Medical Fees and outside special nurses.

(b) WEIR—The charge to non-local residents is 6 gns.

II.—GENERAL HOSPITALS WITH RESIDENT  
MEDICAL OFFICERS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
WIMBLEDON, S.W.20	3	3-bed (curtains)	4 gns.
	2	2-bed (curtains)	
	5	1-bed	6 gns.
WOOLWICH WAR MEMORIAL, S.E.18	24	6 cubicles (partitions)	3½ gns.
	8	1-bed (8 m. 16 f. 8 ch.)	6 gns.

III.—OTHER GENERAL & COTTAGE HOSPITALS\*

BECKENHAM	8	1-bed	7 gns.
BEXLEY COTTAGE, Upton Road, Bexley Heath	2	1-bed	5 gns.
	2	2-bed	3 gns.
BLACKHEATH, S.E.3	2	1-bed	5 gns.
BRENTFORD	4	1-bed	4 gns. (a)
BROMLEY (KENT) & DISTRICT	2 (b)	1-bed (2 f.)	6 gns.
CARSHALTON	2	2-bed (2 maternity)	2 gns.
	14	1-bed	3 gns. (c)
CATHOLIC NURSING INSTITUTE, Lambeth Road, S.E.1	9 2 10	3-bed 2-bed 1-bed	2 gns. 4 gns.

(a) BRENTFORD—Usual charge to non-local residents is 5 gns.

(b) BROMLEY—For local residents only.

(c) CARSHALTON—Usual charge to non-local residents is 4 gns.

\* WITHOUT RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICERS.

III.—OTHER GENERAL & COTTAGE HOSPITALS \*  
*(continued).*

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
ELTHAM COTTAGE, S.E.3	6	1-bed	5 gns.
ENFIELD WAR MEMORIAL	2	1-bed	5 gns.
FOREST, Buckhurst Hill, Essex	4	4-bed (4 f.)	3 gns. (a)
	4	4-bed (4 m.)	
	6	1-bed	6 gns. (a)
HANWELL COTTAGE, W.7	1	1-bed	3 gns. minimum
HENDON COTTAGE, N.W.4	8	4-bed	3½ gns.
	5 } 7 }	1-bed	{ 5 gns. 6 gns.
HORNSEY CENTRAL, N.8	8	8-bed (curtains) (8 f.)	3½ gns.
	4	4-bed (curtains) (4 m.)	
	4	1-bed	
KINGSTON-ON-THAMES VICTORIA	8	1-bed	5 gns.
	2	2-bed	4 gns.
MILDWY MEMORIAL, Newington Green, N.1	2	2-bed	4 gns.
	2	1-bed	4 gns.
Do. (Maternity)	4	4-bed	3 gns.
	6	3-bed	4 gns.
	4	2-bed	5 gns.
	3	1-bed	6 gns.
		(17 maternity)	

(a) FOREST—Non-local residents are charged 3½ and 7 gns. respectively.

(b) HORNSEY—For local residents only, except in emergencies.

\* WITHOUT RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICERS.

III.—OTHER GENERAL & COTTAGE HOSPITALS \*  
(continued).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
NORWOOD COTTAGE, S.E.19	1 } 1 }	1-bed	{ 4 gns. 6 gns.
PASSMORE EDWARDS, Wood Green, N.11	6	1-bed	4 gns. minimum
PHILLIP'S MEMORIAL HOMOEOPATHIC, Bromley, Kent	2	1-bed	2 gns. to 7 gns.
ST. JOHN'S, Twickenham	1	1-bed	5 gns. to 6 gns.
VICTORIA COTTAGE, Barnet	2 } 2 }	1-bed	{ 4 gns. 6 gns.
WILSON, Mitcham	4	1-bed	4 gns.
WOODFORD JUBILEE	4 3 2 5	4-bed 3-bed 2-bed 1-bed	3½ gns. 6 gns. (a)

IV.—HOSPITALS FOR WOMEN.

CHELSEA (WOMEN), Arthur Street, S.W.3	6 12	6-bed (curtains) 4-bed (curtains) (18 gynaecological)	5 gns.
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(a) WOODFORD—Non-local residents, unless patients of the staff of the Hospital, charged 1 gn. per week extra.

\* WITHOUT RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICERS.

IV.—HOSPITALS FOR WOMEN (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
ELIZABETH GARRETT ANDERSON, Euston Road, N.W.1	10 3	10 cubicles (partitions) 1-bed (3 maternity)	5½ gns. 6 gns.
FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (GENTLEWOMEN), Lisson Grove, N.W.1	16 4 18	8-bed (curtains) 2-bed (curtains) 1-bed (38 f. and ch.)	2 gns. 4 gns.
GROSVENOR (WOMEN), Vincent Square, S.W.1	4 5	2-bed 1-bed (mainly gynæcological)	3 gns. 5 gns.
HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, Soho Square, W.1	11	11 cubicles (3 walls and curtain) (all gynæcological)	5 gns.
ST. SAVIOUR'S (LADIES OF LIMITED MEANS), Osnaburgh Street, N.W.1	6 6 6 3	12- { (no curtains) bed { (curtains) } 6-bed 1-bed	2 gns. 3 gns. 4 gns. to 5 gns.
SAMARITAN FREE (WOMEN), Marylebone Road, N.W.1	14	1-bed (14 gynæcological)	6 gns.
SOUTH LONDON (WOMEN), Clapham Common, S.W.4	19 6	19 cubicles (curtains in lieu of doors) 1-bed	5 gns. 6 gns.

## V.—OTHER SPECIAL HOSPITALS.

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
ALL SAINTS' (GENITO-URINARY), Austral Street, West Square, S.E.11	4 6	1-bed 6-bed (curtains) (6 m.)	5 gns. 3 gns.
BELGRAVE (CHILDREN), Clapham Road, S.W.9	12	12-bed	3 gns.
BERMONDSEY MEDICAL MISSION (WOMEN AND CHILDREN), S.E.1	2 1	2-bed 1-bed	5 gns. (a) 7 gns. (a)
CENTRAL LONDON OPHTHALMIC, Judd Street, W.C.1	10 2	1-bed 2-bed	6 gns. to 8 gns.
CENTRAL LONDON (THROAT, NOSE AND EAR), Gray's Inn Road, W.C.1	2 8	1-bed 2-bed	6 gns. 5 gns. (b)
CHEYNE (CHILDREN, LONG PERIOD), Cheyne Walk, S.W.3	4	4-bed	3 gns. to 5 gns.
CITY OF LONDON MATERNITY, City Road, E.C.1	8	1-bed	5 gns. to 8 gns.
CITY OF LONDON (Heart and Lungs), Victoria Park, E.2	6 2	1-bed 2-bed (curtains)	5 gns. (c)

(a) BERMONDSEY MEDICAL MISSION—Fees can be reduced according to means.

(b) CENTRAL LONDON (THROAT, NOSE AND EAR)—Reduced charge of 4½ gns. is frequently made.

(c) CITY OF LONDON (HEART AND LUNGS)—Exclusive of medical and surgical fees except in cases certified by Almoner.

V.—OTHER SPECIAL HOSPITALS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
CLAPHAM MATERNITY, S.W.4	4	1-bed	3 gns.
GOLDEN SQUARE (THROAT, NOSE AND EAR), Piccadilly Circus, W.1	11 5 2 20 2	1-bed 1-bed 2-bed 10-bed 2-bed	7 gns. 6 gns. (a) 4 gns. (a) 4 gns. (a) { 1 gn. (a) per day.
GORDON (Rectal), Vauxhall Bridge Road, S.W.1	4 6 4	4-bed 6-bed 1-bed	{ 3 gns. 5 gns.
HOSPITAL FOR CONSUMPTION, Brompton, S.W.3	8 7 6 20 4 3 1 4 9 22 5 9	8-bed 7-bed 6-bed 5-bed 4-bed 3-bed 1-bed 4-bed 3-bed 2-bed 1-bed 1-bed	{ } 4 gns. { } { } 5 gns. 6 gns. 8 gns. (53 m. 45 f.)
HOSPITAL FOR EPILEPSY AND PARALYSIS AND OTHER DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM, Maida Vale, W.9	20 6	1-bed (5 m. 15 f.) 1-bed (3 m. 3 f.)	3 gns. 6 gns.

(a) GOLDEN SQUARE (THROAT, NOSE AND EAR)—In these beds the charge is inclusive of Medical Fees.

V.—OTHER SPECIAL HOSPITALS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
HOSPITAL FOR TROPICAL DISEASES (Seamen's Hospital Society), Endsleigh Gardens, W.C.1	16 12 18 18	8-bed 3-bed 2-bed 1-bed	5 gns. 6 gns. 7 gns.
INFANTS', Vincent Square, S.W.1	6	1-bed	7 gns.
JEWISH MATERNITY, Underwood Street, E.1	3	1-bed	5 gns. to 6 gns.
LONDON FEVER, Islington, N.1	26	1-bed	7 gns. to 10 gns.
LONDON LOCK, 283, Harrow Road, W.9	1 4	1-bed (1 f.) 2-bed (4 m.)	2 gns. minimum 2 gns. minimum
MARIE CURIE (Cancer), 2, Fitzjohn's Avenue, N.W.3	6 2	2-bed 1-bed	5 to 6 gns. 10 gns. to 15 gns.
MOUNT VERNON (Cancer), Northwood, Middlesex	12 12 10	1-bed 6-bed (curtains) 10-bed (curtains)	6 gns. minimum 5 gns.
NATIONAL HEART, Westmoreland Street, W.1	1	1-bed	6 gns.

V.—OTHER SPECIAL HOSPITALS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note on page 21).
NATIONAL, QUEEN SQUARE (Nervous Diseases), W.C.1	15	15-bed (curtains)	4 gns.
	18	18-bed (18 m.)	
PRINCESS LOUISE (Children) St. Quintin Avenue, North Kensington, W.10	2	2-bed	5 gns.
QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S MATERNITY (ISOLATION BLOCK), Ravenscourt Square, W.6	6	1-bed	10 gns. minimum (a)
ROYAL EYE, St. George's Circus, S.E.1	2	1-bed (1 m. 1 f.)	5 gns.
ROYAL LONDON OPHTHALMIC, City Road, E.C.1	15	1-bed	7 gns. and 10 gns.
	2	2-bed	5 gns.
ROYAL NATIONAL ORTHOPÆDIC, Great Portland Street, N.W.1	7	7-bed (curtains)	4 gns. to 6 gns.
	5	5-bed (5 m.)	
ROYAL WATERLOO (CHILDREN & WOMEN), Waterloo Road, S.E.1	2	2-bed	3 gns.
	6	6-bed	5 gns.
	1	1-bed (7 f.)	7 gns.

(a) QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S MATERNITY.—The minimum charge includes Medical Fees. The beds are for puerperal fever and puerperal pyrexia only.

V.—OTHER SPECIAL HOSPITALS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge: (See note on page 21).
ROYAL WESTMINSTER OPHTHALMIC, Holborn, W.C.2	14	1-bed	6 gns. to 7 gns.
	2	2-bed (curtains)	£5 15s. 6d. (a)
ST. MARK'S (Rectal), City Road, E.C.1	4 5	2-bed 1-bed	5 gns. 6 gns.
ST. PAUL'S (GENITO-URINARY AND SKIN), Endell Street, W.C.2	10 1	(in general ward) (curtains) (10 m.) 1-bed	£5 10s. od. }
ST. PETER'S (STONE), Covent Garden, W.C.2	7	7-bed (curtains) (7 m.)	5 gns.
	2	1-bed (1 m.)	8 gns.
	2	6-bed (curtains) (2 f.)	5 gns.
SOUTH-EASTERN (CHILDREN), Sydenham, S.E.26	4	4-bed	3 gns. (b)
STOKE NEWINGTON (WOMEN), N.16	7	6-bed 1 alcove bed	From 2 gns.
	6	2-bed	From 3½ gns.
	1	1-bed (14 f.)	From 4 gns.

(a) ROYAL WESTMINSTER OPHTHALMIC—Charges in these two beds include operations, and all medical services.

(b) SOUTH-EASTERN—Reduced charge of 2 gns. is sometimes made.

V.—OTHER SPECIAL HOSPITALS (*continued*).

Hospital.	Number of Pay Beds.	Description (number of Pay Beds in each ward, etc.).	Normal weekly charge : (See note below).
VICTORIA (CHILDREN), Chelsea, S.W.3	9 3	9-bed 3-bed }	5 gns.
WESTERN OPHTHALMIC, Marylebone Road, N.W.1	6 4	1-bed 1-bed	6 gns. 3 gns.

## NOTE.

The figures in the column "Normal weekly charge" do not include any medical or surgical fees that may also be payable. In nearly every case one or more of the following specific services, if required, are charged for as extras, sometimes as an addition to the hospital charge, sometimes as part of the medical fee, viz.: Anæsthetist; Exceptionally expensive drugs and/or dressings; Electrical treatment; Light treatment; Massage; Extra nurses Operating theatre; Pathological examinations; Radium; X-ray.

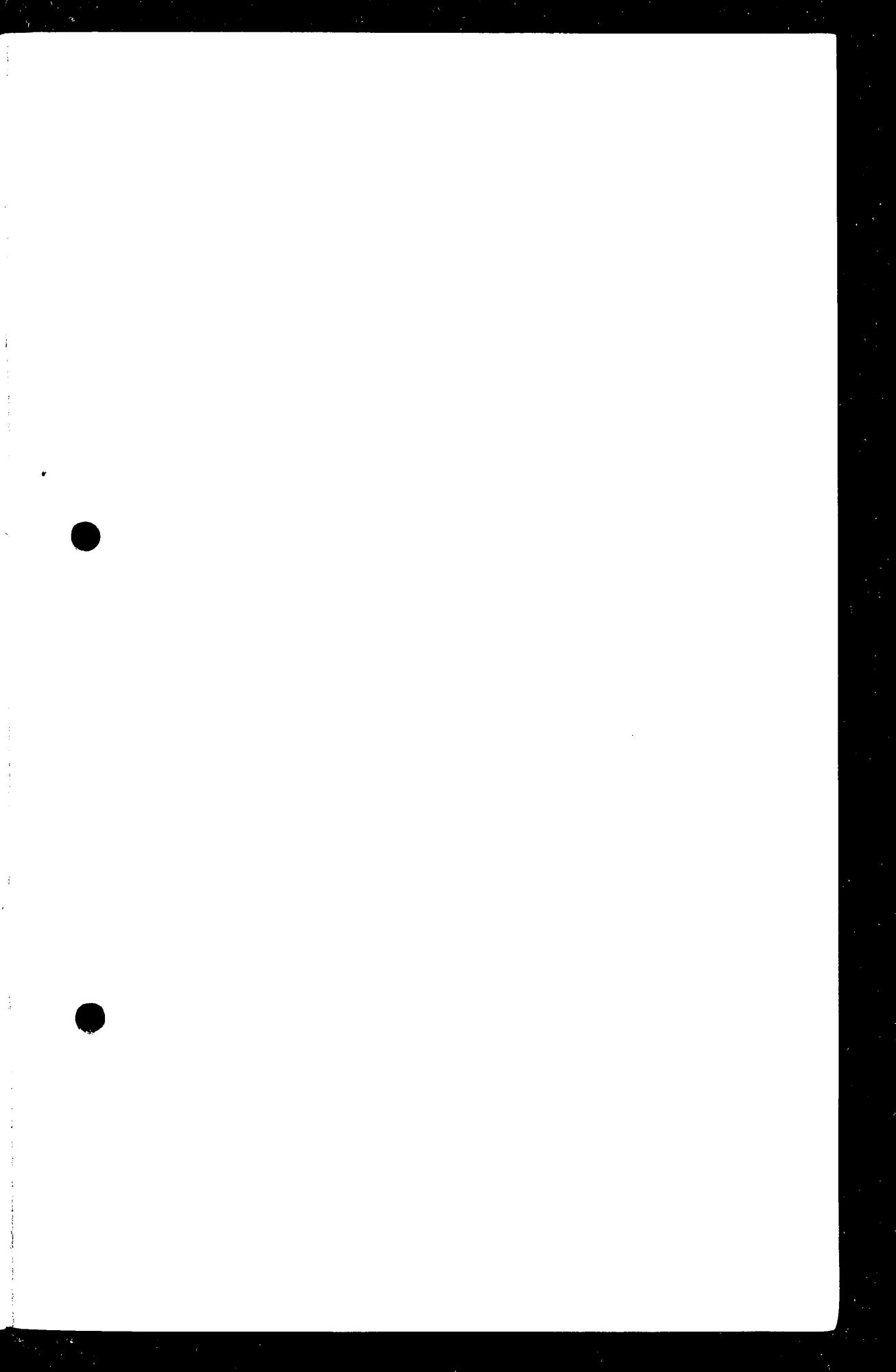
In the column "Description," m. = male; f. = female; ch. = children.

## **The Voluntary Hospital System**

is already becoming largely a co-operative effort in which all classes of the community, including the Hospital patients themselves, combine, as their means permit, to provide Hospital services which produce benefits for all classes: directly for the less wealthy, because without the Hospitals the necessary medical treatment cannot be brought within their means, and indirectly for the more wealthy, because without the Hospitals the necessary medical treatment would not exist.

*Report of Pay Beds Committee.*

*Final Conclusions.*



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