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OF THE COMMANDANT OF THE
IOWA SOLDIERS' HOME
AT MARSHALLTOWN

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Marshalltown, Iowa, June 30, 1910.

To The Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen :—

I have the honor to present this my twelfth biennial report, for the period ending June 30, 1910.

On June 30, 1908, there were present 611 men and 134 women, making a total of 745 present; absent on furlough 192 men and forty-one women, making a total of 233 absent; total present and absent, or a membership of 978.

On June 30, 1910, there were 595 men and 164 women present, making a total of 759 present; absent on furlough 252 men and sixty-four women, making a total of 316; total present and absent, or a membership of 1075, showing a gain of ninety-seven during the biennial period, and this in the face of a loss by death during the same biennial period of 209. Of this number thirty-two died while on furlough, and a number died within a few days or a week or two after admission.

It appears, however, that this increase is by the admission of women. We anticipate an equal if not larger number of comrades present during the coming winter than we had during the last. There are but six applications of men and their wives that we cannot admit at present for lack of room. There are twenty-three widows whose applications are on file waiting their turn for admission to the home. When the

building is completed for additional room for men and their wives I think it will largely be used for widows, as it appears at present.

The building, improvements, and furniture provided for by the thirty-third general assembly have been carried out or are under way. New beds and mattresses have been provided.

A contract has been let for the erection of a root cellar and tool house, additional room for married couples, also the replastering of ceilings in the main building. When the root cellar and tool house is completed we shall have storage room for all our vegetables without storing them in the basement of the hospital and old people's building where it is too warm by reason of the pipes that pass through the basement. The old clothes now found in the attic of the main building will be cared for in the second story of the root cellar and tool house.

We have a band of fourteen pieces which is pronounced by musicians outside of the home to be fine for its size. We have military inspection on the lawn every Sunday morning when the weather permits. The band turns out on this occasion, and renders a concert after inspection. They also give a concert every Thursday evening when the weather permits, and in the chapel at other times.

We have received a valuable donation of books for the library from John J. Jackson.

We are under renewed obligations to the Grand Army of the Republic for their interest taken in the welfare of the home.

To the Hon. Phil Schaller, Chairman of the Grand Army of the Republic Committee, we are greatly indebted for the earnest effort he has made to cheer and render pleasant and comfortable the comrades at the home.

To the Women's Relief Corps we are indebted for jellies, fruits and cushions for use of the patients in the hospital and the women in the dormitory. This organization has also provided a little silk burial flag to be laid upon the breast of deceased comrades. This perhaps has been more deeply appreciated by the comrades than anything else. We were honored by a call

from Mrs. Berry, the National President of the Women's Relief Corps.

To the ladies of the G. A. R. Circle we are indebted for entertainments that have been enjoyed by members of the home.

We have up to this season been able to rely upon the members of the home to do the work on the farm and garden, but the hot and dry summer has been too much for them. They are too old to be longer relied on, and it has been impossible to secure anything like enough men to do the work as it should be done. We can no longer rely on the members. We must secure civilians to do the heavy part of the labor at least.

I am of the opinion that it would be an economical measure to install mechanical stokers in our boiler room, and would suggest if it meets with your approval that we ask an appropriation for that purpose.

The discipline and good condition of the home were never better than they are at the present writing.

For more particular data in the different departments your attention is respectfully invited to the report of Adjutant-Major Beeson, Surgeon H. P. Duffield and Chaplain Jesse Cole.

I am under great obligations to my staff for the energetic and loyal manner in which they have performed their duties. To them and to the ward officers I acknowledge indebtedness for the good order and discipline of the home.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation of the courtesy and kindness personally extended to me by the Board of Control, also for the help and interest taken in the management of the home.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. C. Horton,
Commandant.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 30, 1910.

To C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home.

Sir :—

Complying with your request, I herewith submit the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1910.

Respectfully,

B. A. BEESON,
Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 1
MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909.			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Absent July 1st.....	196	40	236	199	53	252	196	40	236
Present July 1st.....	611	134	745	631	140	771	611	134	745
Non-service.....	6		6	5		5	11		11
Admitted for first time.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487
Readmitted.....	141	3	144	120	15	135	261	18	279
Honorably discharged.....	118	10	128	121	23	144	239	33	272
Summarily discharged.....	7		7	8		8	15		15
Dropped.....	75	11	86	85	13	98	160	24	184
Absent on furlough.....	21	15	36	56	8	64	77	23	100
Deaths in the home.....	77	10	87	82	12	94	159	22	181
Absent June 30th.....							252	64	316
Present June 30th.....							595	164	759
Furloughs issued.....			1192			1166			2358
Average daily population.....	671	151	822	657	160	817	664	155.5	819.5

TABLE NO. 2.
POST RETURN.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909.			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members—						
Non-commissioned officers.....	29		29	29		29
For duty.....	417	120	537	386	100	486
On extra duty.....	45		45	45		45
Sick in hospital.....	141	19	160	135	27	162
Totals.....	632	139	771	595	127	722
Civilian employes.....	35	65	100	35	65	100
Totals.....	667	204	871	630	192	822
Absent.						
Without leave.....				2		2
With leave.....	203	54	257	250	64	314
Totals.....	203	54	257	252	64	316
Present and Absent.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members.....	885	193	1028	847	228	1075
Non-warriors.....					1	1
Civilian employes.....	35	65	100	35	65	100
Totals.....	876	258	1134	888	294	1182
Daily average present including civilians.....	664	143	807	696	154	850

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909.			For Year Ending June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White.....	175	49	224	195	65	260	370	114	484
Black.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

TABLE NO. 4.

AGES ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909.			For Year Ending June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	4	.....	4	2	.....	2	6	.....	6
40 and under 50 years.....	3	2	5	.....	.....	.....	3	2	5
50 and under 60 years.....	2	10	12	9	9	2	19	21	21
60 and under 70 years.....	95	24	119	102	39	141	197	63	260
70 and under 80 years.....	64	11	75	70	14	84	134	25	159
80 and under 90 years.....	8	2	10	21	3	24	29	5	34
90 and under 100 years.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487
Averages.....	63	65.2	.....	70.56	67	.....	66.78	66.1	.....

TABLE NO. 5.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909.			For Year Ending June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single.....	82	35	117	19	.....	19	101	35	136
Married.....	17	.....	17	78	42	120	95	42	137
Widowed.....	66	14	80	88	22	110	154	36	190
Divorced.....	12	.....	12	11	1	12	23	1	24
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

TABLE NO. 6.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909.			For Year Ending June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born.....									
New England states—.....	6	1	7	5	3	8	11	4	15
New Hampshire.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Vermont.....	3	.....	3	1	2	3	4	2	6
Massachusetts.....	2	1	3	3	.....	3	5	1	6
Maine.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	2
Middle states—.....	47	10	57	53	12	65	100	22	122
New York.....	30	6	36	28	4	32	58	10	68
New Jersey.....	1	1	2	2	.....	2	3	1	4
Delaware.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
Maryland.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Pennsylvania.....	15	2	17	22	8	30	37	10	47
Southern states—.....	11	3	14	15	2	17	26	5	31
Virginia.....	3	.....	3	7	.....	7	10	.....	10
West Virginia.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
Kentucky.....	4	2	6	2	2	4	6	4	10
Missouri.....	1	1	2	2	.....	2	3	1	4
Tennessee.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Texas.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
Georgia.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
North Carolina.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Northwest states—.....	88	29	117	105	43	148	193	72	265
Ohio.....	39	11	50	48	15	63	87	26	113
Indiana.....	18	2	20	23	6	29	41	8	49
Illinois.....	15	8	23	18	8	26	33	16	49
Michigan.....	4	2	6	4	2	6	8	4	12
Wisconsin.....	1	1	2	4	2	6	4	3	7
IOWA.....	12	5	17	8	10	18	20	15	35
Foreign born—.....	25	6	31	18	5	23	43	11	54
Germany.....	4	.....	4	4	2	6	8	2	10
Sweden.....	1	.....	1	3	.....	3	4	.....	4
Ireland.....	5	.....	5	5	2	7	10	2	12
Canada.....	4	3	7	2	.....	2	6	3	9
England.....	5	.....	5	1	.....	1	6	.....	6
Switzerland.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Italy.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Norway.....	3	.....	3	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
Austria.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
Bohemia.....	1	1	2	.....	.....	1	1	1	2
Prussia.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Unknown.....	1	2	3	.....	.....	.....	1	2	3
Grand totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

TABLE NO. 7. CONTINUED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909.		For Year Ending June 30, 1910.		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.			Since Opening of Home.		
	M	T	M	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	4. Express and transfer.....	4	4	2	2	6	48	48	48	48	48
Drivers.....	2	2	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3
Teamsters.....	2	2	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3
V. Professional.....	5	7	4	4	9	2	11	94	4	98
Chiroprapist.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Doctors.....	2	2	2	2	4	2	6	6	6	6
Lawyers.....	2	2	2	2	4	2	6	6	6	6
Nurses.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Photographer.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Teachers.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
VI. Clerical.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Clerks.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Recorder.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
VII. Domestic and personal.....	41	87	45	64	86	110	196	1138	476	1614
Barbers.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Cooks.....	2	2	2	2	4	4	6	6	6	6
Hotelkeepers.....	2	2	2	2	4	4	6	6	6	6
Housekeepers.....	2	2	2	2	4	4	6	6	6	6
Housewives.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Janitor.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Laborers.....	35	35	43	49	78	92	170	170	170	170
VIII. Public service.....	5	5	5	5	10	10	20	20	20	20
Bailiff.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	4	4	4
Guard, penitentiary.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	4	4	4
Mail carriers.....	2	2	2	2	4	4	8	8	8	8
Policemen.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	4	4	4
IX. No occupation.....	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	4	4	4
Grand totals.....	177	226	196	261	373	487	860	5214	1814	6428

TABLE NO. 7 A
COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS PRESENT JUNE 30, 1910.

	M	F	T
Adair.....	1	1	1
Adams.....	3	3	3
Allamakee.....	5	1	6
Appanoose.....	1	1	2
Audubon.....	9	3	12
Benton.....	9	3	12
Black Hawk.....	9	3	12
Boone.....	1	1	2
Bremer.....	8	8	16
Buchanan.....	2	2	4
Buena Vista.....	4	1	5
Butler.....	2	2	4
Calhoun.....	2	2	4
Carroll.....	2	2	4
Cass.....	5	3	8
Cedar.....	1	1	2
Cerro Gordo.....	3	3	6
Cherokee.....	3	3	6
Chickasaw.....	2	2	4
Clark.....	2	2	4
Clay.....	2	2	4
Clayton.....	3	1	4
Clinton.....	13	2	15
Crawford.....	4	4	8
Dallas.....	5	1	6
Davis.....	2	2	4
Decatur.....	3	2	5
Delaware.....	3	3	6
Des Moines.....	9	1	10
Dickinson.....	1	1	2
Dubuque.....	8	3	11
Emmet.....	1	1	2
Fayette.....	9	4	13
Floyd.....	2	2	4
Franklin.....	5	2	7
Fremont.....	3	2	5
Green.....	2	2	4
Grundy.....	2	2	4
Guthrie.....	10	1	11
Hamilton.....	10	2	12
Hancock.....	1	1	2
Hardin.....	7	1	8
Harrison.....	9	2	11
Henry.....	8	8	16
Howard.....	1	1	2
Humboldt.....	6	1	7
Ida.....	2	2	4
Iowa.....	7	7	14
Jackson.....	10	2	12
Jasper.....	1	1	2
Jefferson.....	4	1	5
Johnson.....	7	2	9
Jones.....	7	1	8
Keokuk.....	7	1	8
Kossuth.....	1	1	2
Lee.....	5	3	8
Linn.....	21	3	24
Louisa.....	1	2	3
Lucas.....	1	1	2
Lyon.....	3	3	6
Madison.....	3	3	6
Mahaska.....	15	2	17
Marion.....	9	3	12
Marshall.....	38	28	66
Mills.....	3	1	4
Mitchell.....	2	2	4
Monona.....	3	1	4
Monroe.....	1	1	2
Montgomery.....	4	4	8

TABLE NO. 7 A CONTINUED

	M	F	T
Muscatine.....	10	5	15
O'Brien.....	2	1	3
Osceola.....	3		3
Page.....	1		1
Palo Alto.....	4	1	5
Plymouth.....	1	1	2
Pocahontas.....	44	16	60
Polk.....	18	7	25
Pottawattamie.....	7	5	12
Poweshiek.....	1		1
Ringgold.....	20	5	25
Sac.....	2		2
Scott.....	2		2
Shelby.....	3		3
Sioux.....	2	3	5
Story.....	2	3	5
Tama.....	8	2	10
Taylor.....	1		1
Union.....	2	1	3
Van Buren.....	1	1	2
Wapello.....	19	6	25
Warren.....	4	1	5
Washington.....	2		2
Wayne.....	1		1
Webster.....	15	2	17
Winneshago.....	1		1
Winneshiek.....	1		1
Woodbury.....	19	4	23
Worth.....	1		1
Wright.....	4	2	6
Totals.....	539	157	696

TABLE NO. 8.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1908.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.			Since Opening of Home.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair.....	5		5	1		1	6		6
Adams.....	6	2	8				6	2	8
Allamakee.....	19		19	1		1	20		20
Appanoose.....	26	3	29	2		2	28	3	31
Audubon.....	7	1	8				7	1	8
Benton.....	40	5	45	4		4	44	5	49
Black Hawk.....	58	4	62	6	2	8	64	6	70
Boone.....	55	4	59	7	3	10	62	7	69
Bremer.....	19		19	1	1	2	20	1	21
Buena Vista.....				3		3	3		3
Buchanan.....	23	2	25	4	1	5	27	3	30
Butler.....	23		23	2	1	3	25	1	26
Calhoun.....	12	1	13	2	2	4	14	3	17
Carroll.....	17	4	21	2		2	19	4	23
Cass.....	22		22	2	3	5	24	3	27
Cedar.....	20	1	21	2		2	22	1	23
Cerro Gordo.....	21	4	25	5		5	26	4	30
Cherokee.....	17	2	19		1	1	17	3	20
Chickasaw.....	14	2	16				14	2	16
Clark.....	11	1	12	5	1	6	16	2	18
Clay.....	8	1	9	1	1	2	9	2	11
Clayton.....	35	3	38	2		2	37	3	40
Clinton.....	95	7	102	4	3	7	99	10	109
Crawford.....	17	1	18	1		1	18	1	19
Dallas.....	25	3	28	3		3	28	3	31
Davis.....	8	1	9	1		1	9	1	10
Decatur.....	12	1	13	1		1	13	1	14
Delaware.....	15	2	17	3		3	18	2	20
Des Moines.....	65	7	72	1		1	66	7	73
Dickinson.....	6	2	8				6	2	8
Dubuque.....	101	5	106	8	2	10	109	7	116
Emmet.....	8	1	9	1		1	9	1	10
Fayette.....	58	10	68	2	6	8	60	16	76
Floyd.....	24	2	26	4	3	7	28	5	33
Franklin.....	24	2	26	3	1	4	27	3	30
Fremont.....	21	1	22	3	1	4	24	2	26
Green.....	22	1	23	2		2	24	1	25
Grundy.....	10	1	11	1	1	2	11	2	13
Guthrie.....	22	1	23	2		2	24	1	25
Hamilton.....	27	5	32	4		4	31	5	36
Hancock.....	5	1	6	1		1	6	1	7
Hardin.....	44	5	49	6	2	8	50	7	57
Harrison.....	38	2	40	6	4	10	44	6	50
Henry.....	36	4	40	7		7	43	4	47
Howard.....	8		8				8		8
Humboldt.....	18	4	22	1		1	19	4	23
Ida.....	9		9	2		2	11		11
Iowa.....	12	1	13	2		2	14	1	15
Jackson.....	54	2	56	1		1	55	2	57
Jasper.....	55	5	60	3	1	4	58	6	64
Jefferson.....	14	1	15	1		1	15	1	16
Johnson.....	51	3	54	1		1	52	3	55
Jones.....	26	3	29	3		3	29	3	32
Keokuk.....	19	2	21	4	2	6	23	4	27
Kossuth.....	15	2	17	3	1	4	18	3	21
Lee.....	70	7	77	4		4	74	7	81
Linn.....	143	14	147	12		12	145	14	159
Louisa.....	25	2	27	2	1	3	27	3	30
Lucas.....	17		17	1		1	18		18
Lyon.....	6		6				6		6
Madison.....	14	2	16	3	1	4	17	2	19
Mahaska.....	93	13	106	15	5	20	108	18	126
Marion.....	45	4	49	3	1	4	48	5	53
Marshall.....	167	64	231	15	19	34	182	83	265

TABLE NO. 8—CONTINUED.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1908.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.			Since Opening of Home.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Mills	22	5	27				22	5	27
Mitchell	12		12				12		12
Monona	25	1	26	3	1	4	28	2	30
Monroe	15	3	18				15	3	18
Montgomery	18	1	19	3	2	5	21	3	24
Muscatine	66	8	74	5	1	6	71	9	80
O'Brien	12	2	14	2		2	14	2	16
Osceola	6		6				6		6
Page	19		19	2		2	21		21
Palo Alto	8	1	9	1	1	2	9	2	11
Plymouth	20	1	21	1		1	21	1	22
Pocahontas	10	2	12				10	2	12
Polk	302	33	335	34	10	44	336	43	379
Pottawattamie	85	10	95	11	1	12	96	11	107
Poweshiek	34	7	41	3	2	5	37	9	46
Ringgold	17	1	18				17	1	18
Sac	18	2	20	1	1	2	19	3	22
Scott	114	8	122	9	3	12	123	11	134
Shelby	10	1	11	2		2	12	1	13
Sioux	20	1	21				20	1	21
Story	44	5	49	4	2	6	48	7	55
Tama	38	5	43	6	2	8	44	7	51
Taylor	10	1	11	5		5	15	1	16
Union	24	2	26	1		1	25	2	27
Van Buren	24	2	26				24	2	26
Wapello	96	11	107	8	3	11	104	14	118
Warren	17	2	19	2		2	19	2	21
Washington	14	1	15	7	1	8	21	2	23
Wayne	16		16				16		16
Webster	58	4	62	4		4	62	4	66
Winebaggo	5		5	1		1	6		6
Winneshiek	9		9				9		9
Woodbury	84	6	90	6	2	8	90	8	98
Worth	3	1	4				3	1	4
Wright	14	3	17	3	2	5	17	5	22
Unknown		1	1				1		1
Other states				57	10				
Totals	3021	263	3284	373	114	487	3394	377	3771

TABLE NO. 8 A

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909.			For Year Ending June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair	3	1	4	1		1	4	1	5
Adams				2		2	2		2
Allamakee				1		1	1		1
Appanoose				1		1	1		1
Audubon									
Benton	1		1	5	2	7	6	2	8
Black Hawk	4	2	6	3	1	4	7	3	10
Boone	1		1	3	1	4	4	1	5
Bremer	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Buchanan	1		1	2		3	3		3
Buena Vista				1	1	2	1	1	2
Butler	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
Calhoun	1		1	1		2	2		2
Carroll	1	1	2	1	2	3	3	3	5
Cass	1		1	1		2	2		2
Cedar	2		2	3		3	5		5
Cerro Cordo									
Cherokee			1	1				1	1
Chickasaw									
Clark	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6
Clay	1	1	2				1	1	2
Clayton	1		1	1		2	2		2
Clinton	4		4		3	3	4	3	7
Crawford	1		1				1		1
Dallas	1		1	2		3	3		3
Davis	1		1	1		1	1		1
Decatur	1		1				1		1
Delaware	2		2	1		1	3		3
Des Moines	1		1				1		1
Dickinson									
Dubuque	3		3	5	2	7	8	2	10
Emmet				1		1	1		1
Fayette	2		2		6	6	2	6	8
Floyd	1		1	3	3	6	4	3	7
Franklin	3	1	4				3	1	4
Fremont				3	1	4	3	1	4
Greene	1		1	1		2	1		2
Grundy				1	1	2	1	1	2
Guthrie	1		1				1		1
Hamilton	1		1	3		3	4		4
Hancock				1		1	1		1
Hardin	2	1	3	4	1	5	6	2	8
Harrison	4	2	6	2	2	4	6	4	10
Henry	2		2		5	5	7		7
Howard									
Humboldt				1		1	1		1
Ida							2		2
Iowa				2		2	2		2
Jackson							1		1
Jasper	1	1	2	2		3	1	4	4
Jefferson				1		1	1		1
Johnson	1		1				1		1
Jones	1		1	2		2	3		3
Keokuk	1	2	3	3		3	4	2	6
Kossuth	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4
Lee	4		4				4		4
Linn	3		3	9		9	12		12
Louisa	1		1	1	1	3	2	1	3
Lucas				1		1	1		1
Lyon									
Madison	2		2				2		2
Mahaska	11	1	12	4	4	8	15	5	20
Marion	1		1	2	1	3	3		4
Marshall	6	10	16	9	9	18	15	19	34

TABLE NO. 8 A—CONTINUED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909.			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910.			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Mills.....				1	1	2	1	1	2
Mitchell.....									
Monona.....	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4
Monroe.....									
Montgomery.....	2		2	1	2	3	3	2	5
Muscatine.....	3	1	4	2	2	5	5	1	6
O'Brien.....				2		2	2		2
Osceola.....									
Page.....				1		1	2		2
Palo Alto.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Plymouth.....	1		1				1		1
Pocahontas.....									
Polk.....	20	10	30	14		14	34	10	44
Pottawattamie.....	6	1	7	5		5	11	1	12
Poweshiek.....	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5
Ringgold.....									
Sac.....				1	1	2	1	1	2
Scott.....	6	1	7	3	2	5	9	3	12
Shelby.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Sioux.....									
Story.....	3	1	4	1	1	2	4	2	6
Tama.....	3	1	4	3	1	4	6	2	8
Taylor.....				5		5	5		5
Union.....	1		1				1		1
Van Buren.....									
Wapello.....	4	1	5	4	2	6	8	3	11
Warren.....				2		2	2		2
Washington.....	4	1	5	3		3	7	1	8
Wayne.....									
Webster.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Winnebago.....	1		1				1		1
Winneshiek.....									
Woodbury.....	4	1	5	2	1	3	6	2	8
Worth.....									
Wright.....	1		1	2	2	4	3	2	5
Other states.....	24	4	28	33	5	38	57	9	66
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

TABLE NO. 9.

PHYSICAL CONDITION ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

(Compiled by Surgeon.)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health: No one is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled, unless it be by reason of age.....									
II. Diseases—									
1. General diseases.....	62	49	111	76	65	141	138	114	252
Debility from age....	40	49	89	42	65	107	82	114	196
Anemia.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Cancer.....	3		3	4		4	7		7
Lues.....	3		3	5		5	8		8
Tuberculosis.....	2		2	4		4	6		6
Rheumatism, chronic	12		12	20		20	32		32
2. Diseases of nervous system and organs of special sense.....	25		25	29		29	54		54
Paralysis, agitans.....	3		3	4		4	7		7
Paralysis.....	12		12	13		13	25		25
Epilepsy.....	2		2	3		3	5		5
Senile dementia.....	3		3	4		4	7		7
Locomotor ataxia.....	2		2	3		3	5		5
Nervous debility.....	3		3	2		2	5		5
3. Diseases of respiratory system.....	15		15	9		9	24		24
Asthma.....	10		10	2		2	12		12
Bronchitis.....	5		5	7		7	12		12
4. Diseases of gastro-intestinal tract.....	21		21	28		28	49		48
Constipation.....	2		2	4		4	6		6
Disease of liver, including all forms..	3		3	4		4	7		7
Gastritis.....	3		3	3		3	6		6
Hernia, double or single.....	10		10	13		13	23		23
Diarrhea.....	2		2	4		4	6		6
Disease of rectum....	1		1				1		1
5. Diseases of circulatory system.....	21		21	28		28	49		49
Valvular disease of heart.....	15		15	20		20	35		35
Hemorrhoids.....	3		3	2		2	5		5
Varicose veins.....	2		2	3		3	5		5
Arterio-sclerosis.....	1		1	3		3	4		4
6. Diseases of genito-urinary system.....	16		16	21		21	27		27
Cystitis.....	4		4	6		6	10		10
Nephritis.....	12		12	13		13	25		25
Hydrocele.....				1		1	1		1
Prostatic enlargement				1		1	1		1
7. External injuries.....	7		7	5		5	12		12
Sprains and contusions.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Gunshot wounds.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Atrophy of hand and arm.....	1		1				1		1
Fractures.....	4		4	2		2	6		6
Grand totals.....	176	49	225	196	65	261	487	114	486

TABLE NO. 10.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909			For Year Ending June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20 and under 30 years.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
30 and under 40 years.....	3	.....	3	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
40 and under 50 years.....	3	2	5	.....	.....	.....	3	2	5
50 and under 60 years.....	2	10	12	.....	9	9	2	19	21
60 and under 70 years.....	95	23	118	94	35	129	189	58	247
70 and under 80 years.....	64	12	76	80	18	98	144	30	174
80 and under 90 years.....	8	2	10	19	3	22	27	5	32
90 and under 100 years.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

Average age of Spanish-American soldiers.....	30 years
Average age of men.....	70.3 years
Average age of women.....	68.9 years

TABLE NO. 11.

WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909			For Year Ending June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Indian wars.....	170	.....	170	195	.....	195	365	.....	365
Civil war.....	7	.....	7	1	.....	1	8	.....	8
Spanish-American war.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals.....	177	.....	177	196	.....	196	373	.....	373

TABLE NO. 12

DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909			For Year Ending June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Regulars.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Volunteers, state.....	170	.....	170	193	.....	193	363	.....	363
Volunteers, United States.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Navy and marine.....	6	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	6
Non-service.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
Totals.....	177	.....	177	196	.....	196	373	.....	373

TABLE NO. 13

BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909	For Year Ending June 30, 1910	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910
Infantry.....	124	150	274
Cavalry.....	39	31	70
Artillery.....	8	13	21
Engineer.....	.....	.....	.....
Navy and marine.....	5	.....	5
Non-service.....	1	2	3
Totals.....	177	196	373

TABLE NO. 14.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909	For Year Ending June 30, 1910	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910
New England states.....	2	1	3
Massachusetts.....	1	.....	1
Vermont.....	1	.....	1
Rhode Island.....	.....	1	1
Middle states.....	12	10	22
New Jersey.....	7	1	8
New York.....	5	5	10
Pennsylvania.....	.....	4	4
Southern states.....	7	4	11
Missouri.....	5	2	7
Maryland.....	1	.....	1
Kentucky.....	.....	2	2
West Virginia.....	1	.....	1
Northwest states.....	145	174	319
Ohio.....	8	17	25
Indiana.....	9	11	20
Illinois.....	24	32	56
Wisconsin.....	10	11	21
Michigan.....	2	2	4
IOWA.....	92	101	193
Western states.....	5	5	10
Colorado.....	3	.....	3
Minnesota.....	1	3	4
Oregon.....	1	.....	1
Kansas.....	.....	1	1
California.....	.....	1	1
Other states.....	6	2	8
Grand totals.....	177	196	373

TABLE NO. 15

CAUSES OF DEATHS.

(Compiled by Surgeon.)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	1. General diseases—	20	7	27	22	5	27	42	12	54
Anemia.....				1		1	1		1
Cancer.....	4		4	6		6	10		10
General debility (result of old age).....	9	3	12	7	2	9	16	5	21
Senile gangrene.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Heat exhaustion.....	1		1				1		1
Peritonitis.....	1	2	3	1	1	2	2	3	5
La grippe.....				1		1	1		1
Marasmus.....	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5
Tuberculosis.....	3	1	4	3	1	4	6	2	8
2. Diseases of nervous system and organs of special sense—	11	1	12	9	1	10	20	2	22
Paralysis, general.....	6	1	7	5	1	6	11	2	13
Paralysis, agitans.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Cerebral softening.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Dementia, chronic.....	2		2	2		2	4		4
Nervous exhaustion.....	1		1				1		1
3. Diseases of circulatory system—	18	1	19	21		21	39	1	40
Valvular disease of the heart.....	13	1	14	13		13	26	1	27
Cerebral hemorrhage..	4		4	6		6	10		10
Aneurysm.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Cerebral anemia.....				1		1	1		1
4. Diseases of respiratory sys- tem—	12	2	14	15	3	18	27	5	32
Pneumonia, lobar.....	4	1	5	2	1	3	6	2	8
Pneumonia, double....	5	1	6	6	1	7	11	2	13
Laryngitis.....				1		1	1		1
Abscess of lungs.....	2		2	3	1	4	5	1	6
Asthma, bronchial....				1		1	1		1
Asthma, cardiac.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
5. Diseases of genito-urinary system—	7	1	8	10	1	11	17	2	19
Nephritis, chronic.....	2		2	3		3	5		5
Cystitis, chronic.....				1		1	1		1
Uremia.....	5	1	6	6	1	7	11	2	13
6. Diseases of gastro-intesti- nal tract—	6	1	7	2	1	3	8	2	10
Gastritis, chronic.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Diarrhoea, chronic.....				1		1	1		1
Cirrhosis of liver and congestion.....	4	1	5		1	1	4	2	6
7. External causes—	1		1	1		1	2		2
Killed by railroad train	1		1				1		1
Suicide.....				1		1	1		1
Died on furlough.....	14	1	15	15		15	29	1	30
Grand totals.....	89	14	103	95	11	106	184	25	209

TABLE NO. 16

AGES AT DEATH.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	30 and under 40 years.....	1		1				1		1
40 and under 50 years.....	1		1				1		1
50 and under 60 years.....				1	1	2	1	2	3
60 and under 70 years.....	32	2	37	37	4	41	67	6	73
70 and under 80 years.....	43	7	50	43	6	49	86	13	99
80 and under 90 years.....	12	3	15	14		14	26	3	29
90 and under 100 years.....				2	1	3	2	1	3
Totals.....	87	13	100	67	12	109	184	25	209

TABLE NO. 19

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1909	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1908	Total to June 30, 1910
Male	374	3,557	3,931
Arkansas	2	2	4
California	1	2	3
Colorado	3	12	15
Dakota .....	.....	3	3
Florida .....	.....	3	3
Idaho .....	.....	1	1
Illinois	56	33	89
Indiana	20	4	24
Indian Territory .....	.....	2	2
Iowa	193	3,309	3,502
Kansas	1	47	48
Kentucky	2	.....	2
Louisiana .....	.....	1	1
Maine .....	.....	2	2
Massachusetts	1	.....	1
Michigan	4	5	9
Maryland	1	.....	1
Missouri	7	32	39
Minnesota	4	13	17
Montana .....	.....	3	3
Nebraska .....	.....	19	19
New York	12	3	15
New Jersey	1	.....	1
Ohio	25	5	30
Oklahoma .....	.....	8	8
Oregon	1	5	6
Pennsylvania	9	2	11
Rhode Island	1	.....	1
South Dakota .....	.....	9	9
Tennessee .....	.....	5	5
Texas .....	.....	2	2
Vermont .....	.....	1	1
Virginia .....	.....	1	1
West Virginia	1	.....	1
Wisconsin	21	17	38
Wyoming .....	.....	4	4
Foreign			
Canada .....	.....	1	1
Mexico .....	.....	1	1
Female	112	370	482
Iowa	100	360	460
Oklahoma	2	.....	2
Nebraska	1	.....	1
Montana	2	.....	2
Kansas	3	4	7
New York	1	.....	1
Colorado .....	.....	1	1
Missouri	1	.....	1
Tennessee	1	.....	1
Utah	1	.....	1
Illinois .....	.....	3	3
Indian Territory .....	.....	1	1
Nebraska .....	.....	1	1
Grand totals.....	488	3,927	4,413

TABLE NO. 18
MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

Year	Enrolled July 1 st									Gain.									Loss.									Average.				
	Present			Absent			Total			Admission			Readmission			Total			Discharged			Dropped from Rolls			Died			Total			Present	Present and Absent
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T		
1888	162		162	20		20	182		182	190		190	1		1	191		191	15		15	2		2	4		4	21		21	129	140
1889	231		231	43		43	274		274	205		205	2.5		10	215		215	76		76	10		10	25		25	111		111	223	258
1890	280		280	92		92	372		372	174		174	13		13	187		187	65		65	16		16	11		11	92		92	290	349
1891	324		324	122		122	446		446	174		174	35		35	209		209	88		88	18		18	29		29	135		135	353	432
1892	267		267	81		81	348		348	140		140	32		32	172		172	209		209	30		30	31		31	270		270	342	426
1893	276		276	90		90	366		366	131		131	6		6	205		205	211		211	144		144	21		21	22		22	187	311
1894	331	6	337	101	3	104	432	9	441	151	3	154	66		66	217	3	220	105		105	15		15	31	1	32	151	1	152	346	405
1895	447	17	464	121	2	123	568	19	587	211	13	224	108		108	319	14	333	126		126	20	3	23	37		37	183	3	186	425	508
1896	445	24	469	125	1	126	570	25	595	121	11	132	61	1	62	182	8	194	142	5	147	10		10	27	1	28	179	9	185	445	601
1897	490	31	521	119	1	120	609	32	641	171	8	140	77		77	209	12	217	96	1	97	43		43	30	1	31	169	2	171	528	632
1898	466	28	494	150	5	155	616	33	649	171	12	183	86		86	257	12	269	125	4	129	84	3	87	41	4	45	250	11	261	503	645
1899	458	35	493	167	5	172	625	40	665	147	13	160	113		113	206	13	217	174	2	176	37		37	40	4	44	251	6	257	537	679
1900	509	43	552	171	8	179	680	51	731	153	18	171	109		109	262	18	280	124	5	129	33		33	51	2	53	208	7	215	551	705
1901	558	64	622	181	16	177	719	80	799	183	45	288	114	1	115	297	46	343	157	8	165	52	1	53	49	7	56	258	22	274	632	784
1902	575	72	647	100	6	106	675	78	753	171	20	191	142		142	313	20	333	241	18	259	64		64	51	4	55	356	16	364	681	803
1903	579	79	658	90	11	101	668	90	759	183	22	205	165	2	167	348	24	372	245	7	252	51	2	53	56	3	59	352	12	364	697	796
1904	595	81	676	68		68	663	92	755	196	17	213	192	5	197	388	22	410	263	10	273	47	6	53	85	4	89	365	20	385	718	801
1905	632	101	733	47	12	59	679	113	791	188	40	228	195	4	199	383	44	427	251	17	268	49	4	53	68	2	70	368	23	391	733	800
1906	626	144	740	123	16	139	749	130	879	198	40	238	210	11	221	408	51	459	227	21	248	48	2	50	62	11	73	337	34	371	794	880
1907	614	120	734	180	47	227	794	167	961	171	52	223	157	9	166	328	61	389	138	9	147	61	3	64	84	12	96	283	24	307	734	961
1908	611	134	745	192	41	233	803	175	978	165	50	215	139	6	145	304	56	360	140	14	154	51	17	68	94	17	111	285	48	313	745	978
1909	632	139	771	203	54	257	835	193	1028	177	49	226	141	3	144	318	52	370	125	10	135	75	11	86	86	13	99	286	34	328	803	1028
1910	595	164	759	252	64	316	847	228	1075	196	65	261	120	15	135	315	80	395	129	23	152	85	13	98	96	12	108	310	48	358	803	1675

TABLE NO. 20

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Resident in—									
Country.....	3	.....	3	5	.....	5	8	.....	8
Villages and towns.....	56	17	73	73	24	97	129	41	170
Cities of 2,000 and under 4,000.....	23	4	27	21	7	28	44	11	55
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000.....	4	2	6	9	6	15	13	8	21
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000.....	28	9	37	23	13	36	51	22	73
Cities of 25,000 and over.....	39	13	52	31	7	38	70	20	90
National home.....	11	.....	11	15	.....	15	26	.....	26
Other states.....	13	4	17	19	8	27	32	12	44
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Atlantic.....	.....	1	1	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
Cedar Falls.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	3	2	1	3
Centerville.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Chariton.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Charles City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clarinda.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Fairfield.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grinnell.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Le Mars.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marion.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Newton.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oelwein.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	2
Perry.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Oak.....	1	.....	1	1	2	3	2	2	4
Shenandoah.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington.....	1	1	2	1	.....	1	2	1	3
Webster City.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Totals.....	4	2	6	9	6	15	13	8	21

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone.....	3	1	4	2	.....	2	5	1	6
Clinton.....	1	.....	1	.....	2	2	1	2	3
Creston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ft. Dodge.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Ft. Madison.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Iowa City.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Keokuk.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Marshalltown.....	4	7	11	5	8	13	9	15	24
Mason City.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Muscatine.....	3	1	4	2	.....	2	5	1	6
Oskaloosa.....	7	.....	7	3	2	5	10	2	12
Ottumwa.....	3	.....	3	3	1	4	6	1	7
Waterloo.....	1	.....	1	4	.....	4	5	.....	5
Totals.....	28	9	37	23	13	36	51	22	73

III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER.

Burlington.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Cedar Rapids.....	3	.....	3	4	.....	4	7	.....	7
Council Bluffs.....	4	1	5	6	.....	6	10	1	11
Davenport.....	5	1	6	3	2	5	8	3	11
Des Moines.....	19	10	29	11	1	12	30	11	41
Dubuque.....	3	.....	3	4	2	6	7	2	9
Sioux City.....	4	1	5	2	2	4	6	3	9
Totals.....	39	13	52	31	7	38	70	20	90

TABLE NO. 21

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Can read and write	168	44	212	169	58	227	337	102	439
Cannot read and write.....	9	5	14	27	7	34	36	12	48
Unknown									
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

TABLE NO. 22

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATIONS OR PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1909			For Year End- ing June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant	148	45	193	178	61	239	326	106	432
Catholic.....	15	11	16	6	2	8	21	3	24
None	14	3	17	12	2	14	26	5	31
Unknown.....									
Totals.....	177	49	226	196	65	261	373	114	487

TABLE NO. 23

PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

		For Year Ending June 30, 1909		For Year Ending June 30, 1910		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Fruits.....			\$ 500.40		\$ 538.53		\$ 1,038.93
Apples	bushels	59	34.50			59	34.50
Cherries.....	quarts			461	36.88	461	36.88
Currants.....	quarts	112	11.20	104		216	
Grapes.....	pounds	2,750	82.50	1,975		4,725	
Raspberries.....		458	45.80	1,782	213.84	2,240	256.64
Strawberries.....	quarts	4,080	326.40	2,228	218.16	6,308	544.56
Vegetables.....			\$ 3,029.88		\$ 2,473.23		\$ 5,503.11
Asparagus.....	pounds	656	61.12	979	151.62	1,635	212.74
Beans, string.....	pounds	2,215	22.15	892	8.92	3,107	31.07
Beets.....	bushels	347	173.50	46	23.00	392	196.50
Corn, green.....	pounds	12,300	123.00	11,170	111.70	23,470	234.70
Cabbage.....	pounds	12,095	120.95	8,855	88.55	20,950	209.50
Cauliflower.....	pounds	1,795	143.60	1,033	82.64	2,828	226.24
Cucumbers.....	pounds	1,920	19.20	3,396	33.96	5,316	53.16
Kohlrabi.....	pounds	565	6.05	1,462	14.22	2,027	20.27
Lettuce.....	pounds	1,310	65.50	3,398	486.32	4,708	51.82
Melons.....	only	2,265	181.20	3,109	247.90	5,374	429.10
Onions, green.....	pounds	1,326	39.78	4,953	147.59	6,279	187.37
Onions, dried.....	bushels	256½	192.76	29½	21.75	286	214.51
Potatoes, Irish.....	bushels	1,294½	803.13	372	372.00	1,666½	1,175.13
Potatoes, sweet.....	pounds	2,116	42.32	1,596	31.92	3,712	74.24
Peas, green.....	pounds	365	14.60	565	22.60	930	37.20
Pickles, cucumber.....	gallons	405	105.30	470	122.20	875	127.50
Pickles, onion.....	gallons	135	54.00			135	54.00
Parsnips.....	pounds	3,506	52.59	2,163	43.78	5,669	96.37
Rhubarb.....	pounds	7,552	161.40	2,152	64.56	9,704	225.96
Rhubarb, canned.....	gallons	269	80.85	262½	78.60	531½	159.45
Radishes.....	pounds	1,228	36.84	1,777	53.31	3,005	90.15
Squash.....	only	1,460	116.96	630	50.04	2,090	167.20
Sauerkraut.....	gallons	950	190.00	405	81.00	1,355	271.00
Spinach.....	pounds	1,605	112.35			1,605	112.35
Tomatoes.....	bushels	156	61.73	254	97.60	410	159.33
Turnips.....	bushels	98	49.00	54½	37.25	152½	86.25
Grand totals.....			\$ 3,530.28		\$ 3,011.76		\$ 6,542.04
Value of prod- ucts per acre.....			88.20		60.23		148.43

TABLE NO. 24

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS—CONSUMED.

		For Year Ending June 30, 1909		For Year Ending June 30, 1910		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
		Chickens.....	pounds	1,640	\$ 187.00	2,485	\$ 248.50	4,125	$ 435.50
Ducks.....	pounds			68	6.80	68	6.80
Eggs.....	dozens	1,090	206.40	2,070	428.18	3,160	634.58
Totals.....			\$ 393.40		\$ 683.48		\$ 1,076.88

Acres in cultivation 1908 to 1908, 40 only—1909 to 1910, 50 only.

TABLE NO. 25

ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1909		For Year Ending June 30, 1910		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
	1. In sewing-room—					
Aprons.....	187	\$ 68.70	224	\$ 79.80	411	\$ 148.50
Bread cover.....			1	.69	1	.69
Bibs.....	56	9.27			56	9.27
Cretonne screen.....			1	1.40	1	1.40
Curtains.....	21	16.08	88	77.74	109	93.82
Clothing covers.....	11	7.96			11	7.96
Couch cover.....	1	.88			1	.88
Chemises.....			2	1.37	2	1.37
Dresses.....	154	631.24	98	419.32	252	1,050.56
Gowns.....	84	95.04	77	82.59	161	177.63
Hair cloths.....			4	1.10	4	1.10
Hay covers.....	40	9.73	35	8.96	75	18.69
Napkins.....	480	84.25	156	25.15	636	109.40
Petticoats.....	102	163.51	97	137.36	199	300.87
Pillow slips.....	561	83.29	519	103.82	1,080	187.11
Shroud.....			1	6.10	1	6.10
Sheets.....	36	13.44	1,013	408.40	1,049	421.84
Skirts.....			8	19.76	8	19.76
Table cloths.....	362	1,269.09	243	982.86	605	2,251.95
Towels.....	874	182.56	2,095	314.58	2,969	497.14
Waists.....	4	3.86	12	14.61	16	18.47
Totals.....		\$ 2,638.90		\$ 2,685.61		\$ 5,324.51
2. In carpenter shop—*						
Bookcases.....					3	\$ 75.00
Roxes for gardener.....					5	5.00
Desk.....					1	5.00
Medicine case.....					1	5.00
Table.....					1	8.00
Table and counter.....					1	20.00
Lockers.....					25	70.00
Totals.....						\$ 188.00
3. In laundry—						
Soap.....	4,740	\$ 189.60	4,710	\$ 188.40	9,450	\$ 378.00
4. In bakery—						
Bread, white.....	28,373	\$ 3,121.03	25,763	\$ 2,833.82	54,136	\$ 5,954.96
Bread, graham.....	6,584	658.40	8,220	822.00	14,804	1,480.40
Biscuits.....	24,800	223.20	20,727	186.54	45,527	409.74
Corn bread, pans.....	454	99.88	529	116.38	983	216.26
Cookies.....	42,500	354.20	37,595	313.20	80,095	667.40
Pies.....	9,070	589.55	7,804	507.26	16,874	1,096.81
Bread, ginger.....	83	18.26	113	24.86	196	43.12
Totals.....		\$ 5,064.52		\$ 4,804.06		\$ 9,868.69

* Willis Champlain, the carpenter, died and no record of manufactured articles was found.

TABLE NO. 26
REPORT OF LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.

Sheets.....	92,204
Pillow slips.....	97,150
Counterpanes.....	10,060
Tablecloths.....	30,000
Shirts.....	58,020
Undershirts.....	49,700
Drawers.....	49,470
Socks.....	42,075
Aprons.....	6,600
Towels, hand.....	26,040
Towels, roller.....	35,200
Towels, bath.....	40,452
Towels, barber.....	14,576
Towels, dish.....	15,162
Hospital cloths.....	20,458
Jackets.....	9,322
Overalls.....	18,118
Night shirts.....	2,467
Nurses' uniforms.....	1,823
Nurses' aprons.....	3,800
Handkerchiefs.....	4,058
Carpets.....	1,722
Blankets.....	3,578
Cushion covers.....	2,791
Trousers.....	1,051
Vests.....	250
Coats.....	76
Totals.....	636,253

TABLE NO. 27.
SUBSISTENCE.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 25, 1910.

Sunday, June 19, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Bacon, fried.....	150 pounds	\$.21	\$ 31.50
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Oatmeal, steamed.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 44.13
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	210 pounds	\$.092	\$ 19.59
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Corn, stewed.....	60 cans	.05½	3.30
Brown gravy (accounted for).....			
Pies, peach.....	90 only	.065	5.85
Cheese.....	30 pounds	.15	4.50
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 44.85
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Corn (accounted for).....			
Apples.....	18 cans	\$.22	\$ 3.96
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Tea.....	1 pound	.30	.30
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 14.76
Total cost for Sunday, June 19, 1910.....			\$103.74
Monday, June 20, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Pork, fried.....	155 pounds	\$.15½	\$ 24.02
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Oatmeal.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 36.75
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	210 pounds	\$.092	\$ 19.32
Potatoes.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Beans, navy.....	50 pounds	.025	1.25
Crackers.....	25 pounds	.05	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 33.20

TABLE NO. 27. CONTINUED.

Monday, June 20, 1910.			
Supper—			
Meat, cold (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Bread, toast (accounted for).....			
Milk for toast (accounted for).....			
Bread.....	61 pounds	\$.02	\$ 1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Tea.....	1 pound	.30	.30
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 10.80
Total cost for Monday, June 20, 1910.....			\$ 80.75
Tuesday, June 21, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Hash.....			
Meat for hash (accounted for).....			
Potatoes for hash.....	2 bushels	\$.46	\$.92
Onions for hash.....	45 pounds	.01	.45
Oatmeal, stewed.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 12.62
Dinner—			
Boiled ham.....	165 pounds	\$.18	\$ 29.70
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Lettuce.....	125 pounds	.01	1.25
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 42.83
Supper—			
Hash (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Apples.....	16 cans	\$.22	\$ 3.52
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Tea.....	1 pound	.30	.30
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 14.32
Total cost for Tuesday, June 21, 1910.....			\$ 69.77
Wednesday, June 22, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Meat stew (accounted for).....			
Potatoes.....	2 bushels	\$.46	\$.92
Onions.....	45 pounds	.01	.45
Oatmeal, steamed.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 12.61

TABLE NO. 27. CONTINUED.

Wednesday, June 22, 1910.			
Dinner—			
Pork, roast.....	210 pounds	\$.15	\$ 32.55
Potatoes.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Beans, string.....	16 cans	.40	6.40
Brown gravy (accounted for).....			
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 47.05
Supper—			
Meat, cold (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Strawberries for shortcake.....	256 quarts	\$.12	\$ 32.00
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Tea.....	1 pound	.30	.30
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 42.80
Total cost for Wednesday, June 22, 1910.....			\$ 102.46
Thursday, June 23, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Pork chops, fried.....	207 pounds	\$.15	\$ 32.08
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Oatmeal, steamed.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 45.71
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	199 pounds	\$.092	\$ 18.31
Potatoes.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Lettuce.....	125 pounds	.02	1.25
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 31.44
Supper—			
Meat, cold (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Rice, steamed.....	30 pounds	\$.05	\$ 1.50
Radishes.....	140 pounds	.01	1.40
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Tea.....	1 pound	.30	.30
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 12.26
Total cost for Thursday, June 23, 1910.....			\$ 88.41

TABLE 27 CONTINUED.

Friday, June 24, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Mackerel, stewed.....	155 pounds	\$.07	\$ 10.75
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Oatmeal, stewed.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 24.08
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	180 pounds	\$.092	\$ 16.56
Potatoes, browned.....	3 bushels	.46	1.38
Spinach.....	560 pounds	.01	5.60
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 34.64
Supper—			
Meat, cold (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Apples.....	22 cans	\$.18	\$ 4.84
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	26 pounds	5.37	1.34
Tea.....	1½ pounds	.30	.45
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 16.39
Total cost for Friday, June 24, 1910.....			\$ 75.11
Saturday, June 25, 1910.			
Breakfast—			
Hash (accounted for).....			
Potatoes.....	2 bushels	\$.46	\$.92
Onions.....	45 pounds	.01	.45
Oatmeal.....	25 pounds	.03	.75
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 12.62
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	180 pounds	\$.092	\$ 16.56
Potatoes.....	2 bushels	.46	.92
Lettuce.....	100 pounds	.01	1.00
Bread.....	61 pounds	.02	1.22
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 28.98

TABLE NO. 27 CONTINUED

Saturday, June 25, 1910.			
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Milk toast (accounted for).....			
Beans, cold (accounted for).....			
Bread.....	61 pounds	\$.02	\$ 1.32
Butter.....	14 pounds	.27	3.78
Coffee.....	10 pounds	.12	1.20
Sugar.....	25 pounds	5.37	1.34
Tea.....	1 pound	.30	.30
Milk.....	169 pounds	1.75	2.96
Total.....			\$ 10.80
Total cost for Saturday, June 25, 1910.....			\$ 52.40
Miscellaneous for week—			
Coarse salt.....	196 pounds	\$.01	\$ 1.96
Vinegar.....	10 gallons	.09	.90
Pepper.....	5 pounds	.11	.55
Total.....			\$ 3.41
Total cost for week ending June 25, 1910.....			\$ 576.07
Average number of persons fed.....			432
Average cost per person per week.....			1.333
Average cost per person per day.....			.19
Average cost per person per meal.....			.063

TABLE NO. 28

BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING-ROOMS, THANKSGIVING, 1909.

Breakfast—			
Oatmeal.....	15 lbs	\$.03	\$.45
Pork chops.....	95 lbs	.092	8.74
Potatoes, boiled.....	2 bu	1.00	2.00
Bread.....	50 lbs	.02	1.00
Butter.....	14 lbs	.30	4.20
Sugar.....	17 lbs	5.16	.88
Milk.....	153 lbs	1.25	.84
Coffee.....	7 lbs	.12	.84
Special diet :—Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, beef broth, beef steak, thickened milk, eggs, fried, poached and boiled.....	6 doz	.20	1.20
Total.....			\$ 20.15
Dinner—			
Chicken, roast and stewed	270 lbs	.10	\$ 27.00
Potatoes.....	3 bu	1.00	3.00
Peas.....	28 lbs	.08	2.24
Corn.....	20 lbs	.05	1.00
Cabbage salad.....	100 lbs	.01	1.00
Cranberries.....	28 lbs	.074	2.03
Fruit salad (accounted for)			
Pickles.....	7 lbs	.25	1.75
Beet pickles.....	1 lb	.50	.50
Apples.....	2½ lbs	.50	1.25
Pies, pumpkin.....	40 lbs	.065	2.60
Pies, mince (accounted for)			
Bread.....	50 lbs	.02	1.00
Butter.....	14 lbs	.30	4.20
Sugar.....	17 lbs	5.16	.88
Milk.....	153 lbs	1.25	.84
Coffee.....	6 lbs	.12	.72
Special diet :—Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, thickened milk, potato soup, eggs, fried, poached and boiled.....	6 doz	.20	1.20
Total.....			\$ 59.71
Supper—			
Chicken, cold (accounted for)			
Potatoes, fried.....	2 bu	1.00	\$ 2.00
Apple sauce.....	½ bu	.50	.25
Pickles (accounted for)			
Ginger bread.....	8 pans	.22	1.76
Bread.....	50 lbs	.02	1.00
Tea.....	1½ lbs	.30	.45
Butter.....	14 lbs	.30	4.20
Sugar.....	17 lbs	5.16	.88
Milk.....	153 lbs	1.25	.84
Coffee.....	6 lbs	.12	.72
Special diet :—Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, custard, thickened milk, eggs, fried, poached and boiled.....	6 doz	.20	1.20
Total.....			\$ 13.30
Total cost for Thursday, November, 25, 1909.....			\$ 93.16

TABLE NO 28 A.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S DINING-ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1909

Dinner—			
Turkey, roast.....	200 lbs		
Oyster dressing, oysters.....	2½ gal	\$.25	\$ 50.00
Potatoes, mashed.....	1 bu	1.20	3.00
Peas, creamed.....	1 bu	1.00	1.00
Cranberry sauce.....	24 cans	.08	1.92
Pies, mince.....	18 qts	.074	1.31
Pies, pumpkin.....	34 only	.065	2.21
Cookies.....	34 only	.065	2.21
Bread.....	15 doz	.10	1.50
Butter.....	20 lbs	.02	.40
Coffee.....	6 lbs	.30	1.80
Tea.....	2½ lbs	.12	.30
Sugar.....	1 lb	.30	.30
Milk.....	10 lbs	5.16	.52
Cheese.....	44 lbs	1.25	.55
Pickles, onion.....	16 lbs	.15	2.40
Apples.....	10 gal	.40	4.00
Bananas.....	1 bbl	3.75	3.75
Candy.....	130 lbs	.04	5.20
Oranges.....	35 lbs	.10	3.50
	1½ boxes	3.00	3.50
Total.....			\$ 89.37

TABLE NO. 30.

CONTINGENT, STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUNDS.

	Contingent Fund	State Fund		Posthumous Fund
		Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts.	
Balance July 1, 1908.....	\$ 250.00	\$ 3,963.82	\$ 67.60	
August.....	52.18	3,903.16	25.83	
September.....	57.29	4,039.99	76.01	\$ 751.31
October.....	31.16	3,994.74	578.23	
November.....		4,042.84	308.62	
December.....	103.39	4,062.14	773.76	
January, 1909.....	74.32	4,063.44	13.25	1,227.79
February.....	110.70	4,063.92	24.15	122.48
March.....	28.60	4,049.10	154.35	
April.....	50.36	4,050.78	851.76	
May.....	41.22	4,084.15	11.37	
June.....	50.75	4,119.37	61.05	
July.....	80.80	4,096.88	551.77	
August.....		4,114.43	29.63	
September.....		3,863.26	423.37	
October.....	125.43	4,332.80	303.12	
November.....	31.04	4,109.93	320.95	
December.....	83.00	4,219.21	62.87	
January, 1910.....		4,225.77	879.63	
February.....	29.49	4,197.27	878.29	
March.....	92.47	4,205.03	88.12	
April.....	23.91	4,227.58	927.71	
May.....	26.03	4,109.82	112.70	
June.....	28.35	4,143.41	333.03	
Totals.....	\$ 1,370.49	\$ 98,514.70	\$ 7,856.87	\$ 2,101.58
Expenditures—				
On approved vouchers.....	\$ 1,120.49			
To officers and employes		\$ 98,514.70	\$ 7,856.87	\$ 2,101.58
Balance, June 30, 1910.....	250.00			
Totals.....	\$ 1,370.49	\$ 98,514.70	\$ 7,856.87	\$ 2,101.58

TABLE NO. 31.

MEMBERS' FUND.

Balance on hand, July 1, 1908.....	\$ 2,409.17	
Receipts.....	342,242.43	
Disbursements.....		\$ 337,148.11
Balance on hand, June 30, 1910.....		7,503.49
Totals.....	\$ 344,651.60	\$ 344,651.60

TABLE NO. 29
GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

		Average Expense Per Capita		
		Two Years	Month	Day
Receipts—				
Balance July 1, 1908.....	\$ 2,409.97			
Per capita members.....	308,270.98			
Per capita civilians.....	24,000.00			
Posthumous fund.....	2,101.58			
Hogs sold.....	3,556.74			
Miscellaneous sales.....	4,313.13			
Total	\$ 344,652.40			
Expenditures—				
Salaries and wages.....	\$ 102,478.52	\$ 120.56	\$ 5.02	\$.16
Provisions.....	123,793.47	145.63	6.07	.20
Household stores.....	14,704.08	17.30	.72	.024
Clothing.....	22,848.87	26.88	1.12	.03
Fuel and light.....	30,883.51	36.33	1.51	.05
Hospital supplies.....	6,892.40	8.11	.34	.011
Shop, farm and garden.....	21,396.68	25.17	1.05	.035
Ordinary repairs.....	1,788.54	2.10	.087	.003
Library.....	84.60	.001	.0003	
Water and ice.....	4,820.87	5.67	.23	.0076
Postage and stationery.....	1,187.00	1.39	.058	.016
Miscellaneous expenses.....	6,270.37	7.37	.30	.01
Balance June 30, 1910.....	7,503.49			
Totals.....	\$ 344,652.40	\$ 396.511	\$ 16.5053	\$.5466

TABLE NO. 31-A.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Collections, including salaries and wages		\$ 342,242.43
Checks issued		100,895.58
Paid out, including salaries and wages		337,148.91
Deposited in bank	\$ 92,705.97	
Deposited account miscellaneous receipts	7,856.87	
Deposited account salaries and wages	98,250.84	198,813.68

Total number checks issued—1053.

TABLE NO. 32

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Funds	Balances in State Treasury, July 1, 1908	Appropriated by the 33d General Assembly	Amount Expended During Period	Balances in State Treasury, June 30, 1910
Fire hose	\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00	
Hose cart	200.00		175.00	\$ 25.00
Addition fire protection	853.46		713.22	140.24
Engine and generator	81.15		32.00	49.15
Additional room for married people		\$ 5,000.00		5,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		3,000.00	1,072.65	1,927.35
Improvement and general repairs		7,300.00	3,453.55	3,846.45
New beds		2,700.00	2,700.00	
Tool house		2,000.00		2,000.00

TABLE NO. 33

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russel	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard	1895 to 1898
C. L. Davidson	1895 to 1896
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TABLE NO. 33 CONTINUED.

Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee.....	January 1, 1898, to January 1, 1900
John Cownie.....	January 1, 1898, to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne.....	January 1, 1898, to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinscn.....	January 1, 1900, to date
John T. Hamilton.....	April 1, 1906, to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade.....	October 1, 1909, to date
Murdoch Bannister.....	April 6, 1910, to date

Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Col. Milo Smith.....	December 1, 1887, to October 10, 1892
Col. J. H. Keatley.....	October 10, 1892, to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin.....	September 22, 1894, to September 28, 1897
Col. C. C. Horton.....	October 12, 1897, to date

Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston.....	1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells.....	1889 to November, 1894
Chas. L. Longley.....	November, 1894, to August, 1895
B. F. Warful.....	August 14, 1895, to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker.....	March, 1903, to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson.....	September 15, 1907, to date

Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt.....	1887 to August, 1895
Chas. L. Longley.....	August 14, 1895, to September, 1897
B. A. Beeson.....	October 12, 1897, to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett.....	February, 1903, to date

Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Waters.....	1887 to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield.....	August, 2, 1894, to date

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival.....	From organization to 1890
City ministers.....	From 1890 to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole.....	From April 1, 1900, to date

SURGEON'S REPORT.

Col. C. C. Horton,

Commandant of the Iowa Soldiers' Home,

Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

I herewith submit my biennial report covering the period beginning July 1, 1908, and ending June 30, 1910.

While our records show a slight increase in the number of deaths over the previous biennial period, it is an increase of only two members. In the matter of those passing away in the Home, we show a decrease from 166 to 152 Union soldiers, and one Spanish-American soldier; the balance of deaths were of men on furlough and of women.

Soldiers' homes, national and state, were built largely from sentiment, and what I now suggest is prompted by sentiment. The number of patients sent to us suffering from senile dementia is increasing, and will increase in the years to come. These patients simply need care and watching. No treatment will avail or cure, and if we were provided with suitable quarters, an exercising yard and about four extra guards or orderlies there would be no necessity for sending them to the hospitals for insane. The violent insane would, of course, gravitate where the state has provided a place for them,—where they would be secure and receive the care and treatment of those who make mental diseases a life study.

Mrs. Carolyn Paulson Newell has returned to us as superintendent of nurses, and her husband, Dr. H. A. Newell, has

become assistant surgeon. Their competent and faithful service has greatly aided me in the discharge of my work in the hospital.

Having just completed my sixteenth year of service in the institution, I have seen it grow better year by year and notice with pleasure all that has been done for the comfort of the old boys.

I wish to extend my thanks to you, Colonel Horton, to the members of your staff, to Dr. and Mrs. Newell and to the Honorable Board of Control for the many courtesies shown to me.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMILTON P. DUFFIELD,
Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT.
For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1910.

Treated in hospital	1,246
Visited in quarters	1,686
Received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call)	18,528
Average number at sick call daily	28
Highest number in hospital at one time	204
In hospital June 30, 1910, male	136
In hospital June 30, 1910, female	27
Average number in hospital, male	149.18
Average number in hospital, female	26.56
Died in Home, Union soldiers	152
Died in Home, Spanish-American soldiers	1
Died on furlough, Union soldiers	28
Died on furlough, Spanish-American soldiers	1
Died in Home, women	2
Died on furlough, women	2
Average age Union soldiers who died in Home	73.38
Average age Union soldiers who died on furlough	68.36
Age of Spanish-American soldier who died in Home	40
Age of Spanish-American soldier who died on furlough	34
Average age of women who died in Home	73.17
Average age of women who died on furlough	69

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 1, 1910.

C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home.

Sir :—

With great pleasure I present to you this my biennial report for the period ending June 30, 1910.

Our last report brought the Chaplain's Department up to that date. Since then the stream has flowed in the same direction and kept within its banks. The changes which have occurred are about what might be expected. No great upheavals of a religious nature have occurred at the Iowa Soldiers' Home. Indifference to a Christian life on the part of many has become more noticeable, approaching fixedness of character. The religious, also, are becoming more steadfast and unmovable in their faith and practice. Death will produce no change in the moral or religious condition of any. He which is filthy will be filthy still, and he which is holy will be holy still.

It is so difficult that it almost approaches impossibility to prevail upon a man seventy years of age to consent to an entire reversal of the trend of all his former life. His habits which have been formed in harmony with worldly good and personal gratification would have to undergo change. His associations, which have been in keeping with his habits, would have to be regulated or forsaken. His language and idioms of speech which sometimes are strongly flavored with profanity would need to be reconstructed. His thoughts, which have

been earthly, sensual and evil, would have to be put away. His loves, which are so often placed on that which is less than God, would have to be called in and centered on the Omnipotent One. His hates, so often the outgrowth of prejudice, selfishness and pride, would have to undergo crucifixion. Even his body, which was created for a dwelling-place for the Holy Spirit and which has been warped and fitted to sinful indulgences, would need to be cleaned up and made acquainted with new occupants. In his present condition the whole head is sick and the whole heart faint. From the soles of the feet to the crown of the head there is no soundness at all, but wounds and bruises and putrifying sores. For such an one to become a Christian he must needs be born again. Old things must pass away and all things become new.

As we understand the situation it is the Chaplain's business to bring about this new creation, or rather to persuade people to consent to such a change, and keep from falling those who have been born again. All that he can do is to use faithfully the means which God has ordained. First and chief is the preaching of the gospel, for it pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe. On every Sabbath we preach in the simplest, plainest, most practical, old-fashioned, earnest manner the stupendous truth that Jesus Christ came into this world to save sinners. We aim to depend fully upon divine reinforcement, for Jesus said, without me ye can do nothing.

But we are confronted with this difficulty, viz., the great majority of the people will not go where the gospel is preached; they have no appetite for it. Jesus said unto his disciples, "I will make you fishers of men." To catch fish we must go where the fish are, so during the summer months we hold services from the front veranda of the main building immediately after supper. By this means hundreds of the members of the Home hear the gospel who would not were it not carried to them. I think that five hundred is a low estimate of those who often hear our sermons. An old soldier will not run, even from the preaching of the gospel. The attention which they give to everything which is said is remarkable. It is nowhere exceeded.

But we are confronted by another obstacle even here; if the preaching savors too much of the truth as it is in Jesus they will spit it out. So we sugar coat it by serving it up in another form. In the summer of 1909 we preached a series of sermons or rather addresses on the evidences of Christian experience as taught by science. This summer we are presenting the evidences of revelation as taught by philosophy. Anything that is flavored with either science or philosophy is much more palatable to many than the teachings of the Bible. The apostle Paul said he caught men by guile. Had he been chaplain of the Iowa Soldiers' Home he might not have been able to report as good success.

In addition to what we do personally, we invite the pastors of the city churches to preach and they render us very efficient service. Evangelists and the best talent we can get are brought to the Home to assist us in our work. In November, 1908, an evangelist of very fine ability and aptitude was secured and held a fifteen days' meeting which resulted in a general awakening and the professed conversion of twenty-six people, some of whom have since died in peace and others live and witness a good confession. During the campaign of W. A. Sunday in Marshalltown in May, 1909, thirty-two services were held at the Home by his best workers which resulted in a general awakening, especially among the female employes, while more than thirty of the members of the Home, some of whom were far gone in vicious habits, openly professed faith in Jesus Christ. They united with churches in the city and continue faithful. Miss Jennie Smith, an evangelist of nation wide reputation, has just closed a seven days' series of meetings, which resulted successfully.

We place all people and appliances within our reach under contribution to the religious work of the Home. We use all means. We sow beside all waters. The best Christian spirit obtains between the pastors and members of the city churches and the chaplain; we be brethern, and render each the other mutual assistance.

In addition to the above the Salvation Army in the city holds a weekly service, when nothing else is in the way, and has a beneficial influence on some.

Singing: Our choir is composed of men and women, members of the Home, who for faithfulness, reliability, and a willingness to do all in their power for the furtherance of the work are rarely equalled and never exceeded. The chaplain is greatly indebted to them for their work.

Personal work: In view of the extensive demands made upon the chaplain's office in caring for the feeble-minded and helpless, looking after the special needs of those who are burdened with them, and the large amount of work devolving upon us in the probate court we are unable to give the sick and afflicted the amount of time and attention that their cases seem to demand, and as much as we should enjoy giving. But no interest is lost sight of or neglected. The sick are visited, the sorrowing comforted, the needy encouraged and assisted where and when necessary. We are always busy endeavoring to do for others what we can.

Mortality: During this biennial period there have been recorded 208 deaths. Of this number eighteen were women. Thirty-two died away from the Home while on furlough. One hundred one were interred in the Home cemetery. One hundred one funerals have been held. Without an exception religious services were held, and in the cases of men military burials have been observed. Quite a percentage of these have died within a few weeks and several in a few days after arriving at the Home. Relatives seem to be unwilling to part with their loved ones just as long as the faintest hope remains of a return to health, but when the last hope goes out they consent to their coming to the Home to die and be buried with military honors.

Additional work: During the past biennium we have settled as guardian and administrator twenty estates. We are at this time guardian for seventeen wards; three children at Davenport, three soldiers at Independence, one at Clarinda and ten at this Home. We also have twelve cases awaiting final settlement in the court which must be settled within the coming year.

With the attention demanded by the seventeen wards, the work to be done in court, sermons to be prepared, the sick

to be visited, the dead to be buried, the prayer-meetings to be held, some pension matters to be looked after, letters to be written, social functions to be observed and to keep sweet and religious in the presence of all sorts of surroundings we have our heart, head and hands full.

Most respectfully submitted,

JESSE COLE,

Chaplain.

THIRTEENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

OF THE

COMMANDANT

OF THE

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Marshalltown, Iowa, June 30, 1912.

To the Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:—

Complying with your instructions, I have the honor to submit this my biennial report for the period ending June 30, 1912.

On June 30, 1910, there were present 595 men and 164 women, making a total of 759 present; absent on furlough 252 men and 64 women, making a total of 316 absent; total present and absent, or a membership of 1,075.

On June 30, 1912, there were present 527 men and 172 women, making a total of 699 present; absent on furlough 276 men and 114 women, making a total of 390 absent; total present and absent, or a membership of 1,089. From this it appears that there were present June 30, 1910, sixty more than there were June 30, 1912, while the total membership, that is present and absent, shows an increase of fourteen over two years ago.

During the past year we have had 415 absent on furlough. This means a loss to our support fund of over \$6,000 per month. While we of course save on rations, there can be but little reduction in general expense. Increase of pensions received by soldiers who are members of the home accounts for the large number of furloughs. This large and increasing number of furloughs saves the state expense, but makes it impossible for the management to maintain the home on the per capita allowance of \$15 per month.

The grounds of the home are fine, laid out with attractive drives and walks and well shaded by splendid trees, but owing to the small per capita we have not asked for, and you could not have furnished if we had, the necessary help to trim trees, roads, walks, and keep the grounds as a park should be kept. This can only be accomplished by having more help, and help of a better class than we are able to secure at the present per capita.

The advanced age and growing feebleness of many member of the home, and utter helplessness of some, makes it necessary to employ more nurses and attendants in the hospital and dormitory. In fact the day is not far distant when the major number of the members will require special care and attention.

It is absolutely necessary that we have either an additional per capita of about five dollars per month, or what is probably better—a minimum number of say eight hundred fifty or nine hundred upon which the per capita may be allowed, even though our membership should fall below this number. I would suggest that the general assembly be asked to make such change as in your judgment is necessary to furnish sufficient funds to maintain the institution, to the end that there shall be no lack of funds to insure the employment of ample and efficient help to meet the growing demand for care and attention of members, as well as to keep the grounds in good shape.

The following appropriation was made by the thirty-fourth general assembly for the Iowa Soldiers' Home: painting \$2,000, switchboard \$800, contingent and repair fund \$8,000.

The exterior of the main building, hospital, the old portion of the ladies' dormitory, and a goodly portion of the interior of the main building and hospital has been painted. The exterior of the old people's annex is being painted and will be complete in about three weeks I think.

A fine new switchboard is in place.

The Dunham vacuum system was installed in the old people's building last fall at a cost of \$990.68 for traps and material, and it has given perfect satisfaction. In a few minutes from the time the steam is turned on at the power house it reaches all the radiators in the building, and we had

little or no complaint for lack of heat during the last winter. We have had a great deal of trouble at times during the winters past to heat the west half of the hospital building, and I had hoped to be able to install the same traps in the radiators in that portion of the hospital at least this fall out of the balance of said appropriation which at this writing amounts to \$3,020.71, but in view of the low condition of our support fund it was concluded, at your suggestion, that it would be best to stop painting and other extraordinary repairs as soon as the painting of the old people's annex was completed, as we would probably be compelled to draw upon this contingent fund to reimburse the support fund.

The Dunham Company have submitted a proposition for installing the Dunham vacuum system in the west half of the hospital, including traps, return piping, and fittings at a cost of \$775. This does not include the labor. They have also submitted the probable cost of material for installing this system in the entire building, including \$150 for extra labor required, making a total of \$1,850.

As it does not seem probable that we can establish this system this fall, I recommend that the general assembly be asked for an appropriation of \$2,000 for installing this system in the hospital; also that an appropriation of \$8,000 be requested for contingent, repairs and painting. This is also to cover a new roof on the old people's annex which should be of slate.

We are under renewed obligations to the ladies of the G. A. R. Circle for rugs and matting for the Assembly Hall, and for jellies and fruits for Thanksgiving dinner, also for cushions.

To the Women's Relief Corps we are indebted for a new organ for the Assembly Hall, jellies and fruits for the tables on last Christmas day and at various times, as well as cushions.

Chairman Milliman, and his committee on Soldiers' Homes from the Grand Army of the Republic, made their annual visit and inspection of the home on June 11, 1912.

Mrs. Grace SeEVERS, Department President of the Ladies G. A. R. Circle, and Miss Ray Hanchett, Department Presi-

dent of the Women's Relief Crops, were also present and joined with the G. A. R. committee in a very thorough inspection of all departments.

The report of the G. A. R. committee will probably soon be submitted for your information. These visits are greatly enjoyed by the members of the home, and are highly appreciated by the management.

The general condition of the home is good—was never better. Very little trouble from drunkenness has occurred since the closing of the saloons in Marshalltown.

For data concerning the different departments your attention is invited to reports of Adjutant B. A. Beeson, Surgeon H. P. Duffield, and Chaplain Jesse Cole.

Any success achieved in the management of home is largely due to the efficient and loyal support of the above named staff.

Quartermaster H. J. Bennett's Department is the main factor in providing material comforts for the members, and thanks are due for his management.

Sergeant Major Laubscher and Captain G. H. Childs, Inspecting Officer, have been loyal and efficient in the discharge of their duties.

Gentlemen, I assure you I appreciate your kindness shown me in every way and thank you for the same. I am,

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Chas. C. Horton,
Commandant.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 30, 1912.

To C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home.

Sir:—

Complying with your request, I herewith submit the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1912.

Respectfully,

B. A. Beeson,

Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 1.
MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present July 1st	595	164	759	541	158	699	595	164	759
Admitted for first time	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415
Readmitted.....	122	13	135	119	21	140	241	34	275
Nonservice	9	.....	9	9	.....	9	18	.....	18
Totals.....	884	241	1,125	815	226	1,041	1,158	309	1,467
Discharged, honorably.....	129	25	154	113	17	130	242	42	284
Discharged, summarily.....	15	.....	15	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	15
Dropped	60	7	67	67	12	79	127	19	146
Died in home.....	102	16	118	79	11	90	181	27	208
Totals.....	306	48	354	259	40	299	565	88	653
* On furlough June 30th.....	37	35	72	29	15	44	66	50	116
Remaining June 30th	541	158	699	527	171	698	527	171	698

*Computed.

TABLE NO. 2.
POST RETURN.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present						
Officers.....	6	.....	6	6	.....	6
Members—						
Non-commissioned officers.....	29	.....	29	29	.....	29
For duty.....	380	128	508	320	67	387
On extra duty.....	45	.....	45	45	.....	45
Sick in hospital.....	116	30	146	127	32	159
Totals.....	570	158	728	521	99	620
Civilian employes.....	52	72	124	51	72	123
Totals.....	622	230	852	572	171	743
Absent						
Without leave.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
With leave.....	263	98	361	276	114	390
Totals.....	264	98	362	277	114	391
Present and absent						
Officers.....	6	.....	6	6	.....	6
Members.....	794	256	1,050	803	285	1,088
Non-warriors.....	11	.....	11	10	.....	10
Civilian employes.....	52	72	124	51	72	123
Totals.....	863	328	1,191	870	357	1,227
Average daily population (civilians included).....	651.5	258	909.5	636	258	894

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White.....	157	63	220	146	46	192	303	109	412
Black.....	1	1	2	.....	1	1	1	2	3
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 4.

AGES ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	5	.....	5	3	.....	3	8	.....	8
40 and under 50 years.....	1	1	2	.....	2	2	2	1	3
50 and under 60 years.....	4	5	1	2	3	2	6	8	8
60 and under 70 years.....	76	27	103	69	27	96	145	54	199
70 and under 80 years.....	65	29	94	61	17	78	136	46	172
80 and under 90 years.....	11	3	14	9	1	10	20	4	24
90 and under 100 years.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415
Averages.....	66.2	65	.....	70	66.3	.....	.....	.....	.....

TABLE NO. 5.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single.....	18	.....	18	22	.....	22	40	.....	40
Married.....	66	31	97	61	31	92	127	62	189
Widowed.....	67	33	100	52	16	68	119	49	168
Divorced.....	7	.....	7	11	.....	11	18	.....	18
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 7.
OCCUPATIONS PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911			For Year Ending June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Agricultural and rural.....	84		84	79		79	163		163	1,341		1,341
Farmers.....	51		51	55		55	106		106			
Gardeners.....	2		2				2		2			
Laborers.....	31		31	24		24	55		55			
II. Commercial and mercantile.....	8		8	11		11	19		19	120	3	123
Agent, real estate.....	1		1				1		1			
Merchants.....	5		5	4		4	9		9			
Salesmen.....	2		2	7		7	9		9			
III. Manufacturing and mechanical.....	52		52	38		38	90		90			
1. Building trades.....	31		31	23		23	54		54			
Carpenters.....	16		16	15		15	31		31			
Painters.....	5		5	5		5	10		10			
Plasterers.....	3		3	3		3	8		8			
Millwright.....	1		1				3		3			
Machinist.....	1		1				1		1			
2. Clay, glass and stone.....	1		1				1		1	36		36
Stone potter.....	1		1				1		1			
3. Mining.....	5		5	3		3	8		8	72		72
Miners.....	5		5	3		3	8		8			
4. Food products.....	3		3	1		1	4		4	41		41
Butchers.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
Cook.....	1		1				1		1			
5. Iron and steel workers.....	4		4	5		5	9		9	157		157
Blacksmiths.....	4		4	5		5	9		9			
6. Leather.....	1		1	3		3	4		4	108		108
Saddlers.....				2		2	2		2			
Shoemakers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
7. Metals other than iron.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	32		32
Jewelers.....	1		1	2		2	3		3			
Tinsmith.....	1		1				1		1			
8. Paper and printing.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	31		31
Printers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
9. Textiles.....	1		1				1		1	17	1	18
Tailor.....	1		1				1		1			
10. Miscellaneous.....	3		3				3		3	1,064		1,064
Manufacturers.....	3		3				3		3			
IV. Communication and transportation.....	10		10	14		14	24		24	26		26
1. Telegraph operator.....	1		1				1		1			
2. Steam railways.....	5		5	7		7	12		12	51		51
Engineers.....	1		1	3		3	4		4			
Railroad employes.....	4		4	4		4	8		8			
3. Express and transfer.....	4		4	7		7	11		11	59		59
Express men.....	2		2	2		2	4		4			
Teamsters.....	2		2	5		5	7		7			
4. Professional.....	4		4	4		4	8		8	106		106
Lawyers.....	1		1				1		1			
Teachers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Insurance agent.....	1		1	3		3	4		4			
Veterinary surgeon.....	1		1				1		1			
5. Domestic and personal.....		64	64		47	47		111	111	1,138	587	1,725
Housekeepers.....		11	11					11	11			
Housewives.....		50	50		45	45		95	95			
Washerwomen.....		2	2		1	1		3	3			
Laundry women.....		1	1		1	1		2	2			
Grand totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415			

TABLE NO. 6.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born—									
New England states.....	4		4	5	2	7	9	2	11
Connecticut.....					1	1		1	1
Maine.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Massachusetts.....	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4
New Hampshire.....	2		2				2		2
Vermont.....				1		1	1		1
Middle states.....	48	14	62	39	14	53	87	28	115
Delaware.....					2	2		2	2
New York.....	20	10	30	22	6	28	42	16	58
New Jersey.....	3		3	2		2	5		5
Maryland.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Pennsylvania.....	24	4	28	14	6	20	38	10	48
Southern states.....	9	5	14	6	4	10	15	9	24
Virginia.....	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
West Virginia.....	2	2	4	1		1	3	2	5
Kentucky.....	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	2	5
Missouri.....	1	1	2	3	1	4	4	2	6
Tennessee.....	2	1	3				2	1	3
Louisiana.....	1		1				1		1
Georgia.....				1	1		1	1	1
Northwest states.....	81	37	118	80	21	101	161	58	219
Ohio.....	41	11	52	28	7	35	69	18	87
Indiana.....	14	10	24	19	3	22	33	13	46
Illinois.....	10	5	15	12	6	18	22	11	33
Michigan.....	1	1	2	3	1	4	4	2	6
Wisconsin.....	3	3	6	4		4	7	3	10
Nebraska.....				1		1	1		1
Iowa.....	12	7	19	13	4	17	25	11	36
Western states.....					1	1		1	1
California.....					1	1		1	1
Foreign born.....	16	8	24	13	5	18	29	13	42
Germany.....	4	1	5	3	1	4	7	2	9
Ireland.....	3	2	5	3	1	4	6	3	9
Canada.....	1	2	3	3	2	5	4	4	8
England.....	3	2	5	2		2	5	2	7
Sweden.....					1	1		1	1
Switzerland.....	1		1				1		1
Holland.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Norway.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Netherlands.....	1		1				1		1
New Brunswick.....	1		1				1		1
Unknown.....				3		3	3		3
Grand totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 8.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS PRESENT JUNE 30, 1912.

	M	F	T
Adair			
Adams	1	1	
Allamakee	1		
Appanoose		1	
Audubon	1		
Benton	5	1	
Black Hawk	13	4	
Boone	11	5	
Bremer	3		
Buchanan	2	1	
Buena Vista	2		
Butler	4		
Calhoun		2	
Carroll	2		
Cass	1	2	
Cedar	3	1	
Cerro Gordo	2	1	
Cherokee			
Chickasaw	2		
Clarke	1	1	
Clay	1		
Clayton	2		
Clinton	11	2	
Crawford	2	1	
Dallas	4	1	
Davis	2		
Decatur	1		
Delaware	3		
Des Moines	8	1	
Dickinson		1	
Dubuque	11	3	
Emmet			
Fayette	8		
Floyd	2	1	
Franklin			
Fremont	6	2	
Greene	4		
Grundy	2	3	
Guthrie	6		
Hamilton	4	2	
Hancock	1	1	
Hardin	8		
Harrison	8	3	
Henry	8	1	
Howard	1		
Humboldt	4	1	
Ida			
Iowa	1		
Jackson	6	1	
Jasper	9	4	
Jefferson	1	1	
Johnson	2	1	
Jones	7	2	
Keokuk	9		
Kossuth	1		
Lee	5	4	
Linn	15	8	
Louisa	3	2	
Lucas			
Lyon			
Madison	3		
Mahaska	17	2	
Marion	4	1	
Marshall	25	17	
Mills	4	3	
Mitchell	1		
Monona	5	2	
Monroe	3	1	

TABLE NO. 8, CONTINUED.

	M	F	T
Montgomery	1	1	2
Muscatine	13	11	24
O'Brien	3		3
Osceola			
Page	2		2
Palo Alto		1	1
Plymouth	7	1	8
Pocahontas	1	1	2
Polk	38	14	52
Pottawattamie	16	8	24
Poweshiek	3	2	5
Ringgold	2		2
Sac	1		1
Scott	19	6	25
Shelby			
Sioux	3		3
Story	6	2	8
Tama	8	2	10
Taylor			
Union	3	1	4
Van Buren	2	1	3
Wapello	14	3	17
Warren	2		2
Washington	2		2
Wayne	3		3
Webster	17	4	21
Winnebago			
Winneshiek	2		2
Woodbury	16	8	24
Worth	2		2
Wright			
Other states	59	12	71
Totals	527	171	698

TABLE NO. 9.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair.....	6	6	1	1	7	.....	7
Adams.....	6	2	8	2	1	3	8	3	11
Allamakee.....	20	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	20
Appanoose.....	28	3	31	.....	.....	.....	28	3	31
Audubon.....	7	1	8	.....	.....	.....	7	1	8
Benton.....	44	5	49	2	.....	2	46	5	51
Black Hawk.....	64	6	70	12	3	15	76	9	85
Boone.....	62	7	69	5	4	9	67	11	78
Bremer.....	20	1	21	.....	1	1	20	2	22
Buena Vista.....	3	.....	3	3	.....	3	6	.....	6
Buchanan.....	27	3	30	3	1	4	30	4	34
Butler.....	25	1	26	.....	.....	.....	25	1	26
Calhoun.....	14	3	17	1	.....	1	15	3	18
Carroll.....	19	4	23	.....	.....	.....	19	4	23
Cass.....	24	3	27	3	.....	3	27	3	30
Cedar.....	22	1	23	.....	.....	.....	22	1	23
Cerro Gordo.....	26	4	30	3	4	7	29	8	37
Cherokee.....	17	3	20	.....	.....	.....	17	3	20
Chickasaw.....	14	2	16	1	.....	1	15	2	17
Clarke.....	16	2	18	.....	.....	.....	16	2	18
Clay.....	9	2	11	.....	.....	.....	9	2	11
Clayton.....	37	3	40	2	1	3	39	4	43
Clinton.....	99	10	109	2	.....	2	101	10	111
Crawford.....	18	1	19	.....	.....	.....	18	1	19
Dallas.....	28	3	31	2	6	8	30	9	39
Davis.....	9	1	10	2	.....	2	11	1	12
Decatur.....	13	1	14	2	.....	2	15	1	16
Delaware.....	18	2	20	2	.....	2	20	2	22
Des Moines.....	66	7	73	6	2	8	72	9	81
Dickinson.....	6	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	6
Dubuque.....	109	7	116	4	2	6	113	9	122
Emmet.....	9	1	10	.....	.....	.....	9	1	10
Fayette.....	60	16	76	2	1	3	62	17	79
Floyd.....	28	5	33	2	.....	2	30	5	35
Franklin.....	27	3	30	2	1	3	29	4	33
Fremont.....	24	2	26	3	.....	3	27	2	29
Greene.....	24	1	25	2	.....	2	26	1	27
Grundy.....	11	2	13	.....	.....	.....	11	2	13
Guthrie.....	24	1	25	2	.....	2	26	1	27
Hamilton.....	31	5	36	1	.....	1	32	5	37
Hancock.....	6	1	7	1	.....	1	7	1	8
Hardin.....	50	7	57	3	1	4	53	8	61
Harrison.....	44	6	50	4	3	7	48	9	57
Henry.....	43	4	47	1	2	3	44	6	50
Howard.....	8	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	8
Humboldt.....	19	4	23	.....	.....	.....	19	4	23
Ida.....	11	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	11
Iowa.....	14	1	15	1	.....	1	15	1	16
Jackson.....	55	2	57	3	1	4	58	3	61
Jasper.....	58	6	64	4	3	7	62	9	71
Jefferson.....	15	1	16	.....	.....	.....	15	2	17
Johnson.....	52	3	55	.....	1	1	52	4	56
Jones.....	29	3	32	2	.....	2	31	3	34
Keokuk.....	23	4	27	2	1	3	25	5	30
Kossuth.....	18	2	21	1	.....	1	19	3	22
Lee.....	74	7	81	6	3	9	80	10	90
Linn.....	145	14	159	11	4	15	156	18	174
Louisa.....	27	3	30	3	1	4	30	4	34
Lucas.....	18	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	18
Lyon.....	6	.....	6	2	1	3	8	1	9
Madison.....	17	2	19	2	.....	2	19	2	21
Mahaska.....	108	18	126	7	2	9	115	20	135
Marion.....	48	5	53	4	1	5	52	6	58

TABLE NO. 9, CONTINUED.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1910			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Marshall.....	182	83	265	9	10	19	191	98	284
Mills.....	22	5	27	4	4	8	26	9	35
Mitchell.....	12	.....	12	1	.....	1	13	.....	13
Monona.....	28	2	30	2	2	4	30	4	34
Monroe.....	15	3	18	3	1	4	18	4	22
Montgomery.....	21	3	24	2	1	3	23	4	27
Muscatine.....	71	9	80	9	4	13	80	13	93
O'Brien.....	14	2	16	1	1	2	15	3	18
Osceola.....	6	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	6
Page.....	21	.....	21	3	.....	3	24	.....	24
Palo Alto.....	9	2	11	.....	.....	.....	9	2	11
Plymouth.....	21	1	22	1	.....	1	22	1	23
Pocahontas.....	10	2	12	2	.....	2	12	2	14
Pottawattamie.....	336	43	379	27	15	42	363	58	421
Polk.....	96	11	107	5	4	9	101	15	116
Poweshiek.....	37	9	46	3	2	5	40	11	51
Ringgold.....	17	1	18	1	.....	1	18	1	19
Sac.....	19	3	22	1	.....	1	20	3	23
Scott.....	123	11	134	13	3	16	136	14	150
Shelby.....	12	1	13	.....	.....	.....	12	1	13
Sioux.....	48	7	55	.....	.....	.....	48	7	55
Story.....	44	7	51	4	3	7	48	10	58
Tama.....	15	1	16	3	2	5	18	3	21
Taylor.....	25	2	27	1	.....	1	26	2	28
Union.....	24	2	26	2	.....	2	26	2	28
Van Buren.....	104	14	118	1	.....	1	105	14	119
Wapello.....	19	2	21	12	.....	12	31	2	33
Warren.....	21	2	23	1	1	2	22	3	25
Washington.....	16	3	19	4	.....	4	20	3	23
Wayne.....	62	4	66	1	.....	1	63	4	67
Webster.....	6	.....	6	2	1	3	8	1	9
Winnebago.....	9	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	9
Winneshiak.....	90	8	98	3	.....	3	93	8	111
Woodbury.....	3	1	4	7	1	8	10	2	12
Worth.....	17	5	22	1	.....	1	18	5	23
Wright.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Other states.....	.....	.....	.....	43	4	47	43	4	47
Totals.....	3,394	377	3,771	304	111	415	3,698	491	4,189

TABLE NO. 10.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair			1			1		
Adams	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Allamakee									
Appanoose									
Audubon									
Benton				2		2	2		2
Black Hawk	4	1	5	8	2	10	12	3	15
Boone	3	2	5	2	2	4	5	4	9
Bremer				1	1	1		1	1
Buena Vista	2		2	1		3		3	3
Buchanan	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4
Butler									
Calhoun	1		1				1		1
Carroll									
Cass	1		1	2		2	3		3
Cedar									
Cerro Gordo	1	3	4	2	1	3	3	4	7
Cherokee									
Chickasaw	1		1				1		1
Clarke									
Clay									
Clayton		1	1	2		2	2	1	3
Clinton	2		2			2	2		2
Crawford	1		1				1		1
Dallas	1	4	5	1	2	3	2	6	8
Davis				2		2	2		2
Decatur	2		2			2	2		2
Delaware	1		1	1		1	2		2
Des Moines	5	2	7	1		1	6	2	8
Dickinson									
Dubuque		1	1	4	1	5	4	2	6
Emmet									
Fayette	2	1	3				2	1	3
Floyd	1		1	1		1	2		2
Franklin		1	1	2		2	2	1	3
Fremont	2		2	1		1	3		3
Greene	1		1	1		1	2		2
Grundy									
Guthrie	1		1	1		1	2		2
Hamilton						1	1		1
Hancock	1		1				1		1
Hardin	3	1	4				3	1	4
Harrison	3	1	4	1		2	4	3	7
Henry	1		1		2	2	1	2	3
Howard									
Humboldt									
Ida									
Iowa	1		1				1		1
Jackson	2	1	3	1		1	3		4
Jasper	1	2	3	3	1	4	4	3	7
Jefferson		1	1					1	1
Johnson		1	1					1	1
Jones	2		2				2		2
Keokuk				2	1	3	2	1	3
Kossuth	1		1				1		1
Lee	2	1	3	4	2	6	6	3	9
Linn	5	1	6	6	3	9	11	4	15
Louisa	1	1	2	2		2	3	1	4
Lucas									
Lyon		1	1			1	2	1	3
Madison	2		2				2		2
Mahaska	4	1	5	3	1	4	7	2	9
Marion	2	1	3	2		2	4	1	5
Marshall	5	4	9	4	6	10	9	10	19
Mills	4	3	7		1	1	4	4	8
Mitchell	1		1				1		1
Monona	1		1		1	2	2		2
Monroe	3	1	4				3	1	4

TABLE NO. 10, CONTINUED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Montgomery	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Muscatine	4	3	7	5	1	6	9	4	13
O'Brien		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Osceola									
Page	2		2	1		1	3		3
Palo Alto									
Plymouth	1		1				1		1
Pocahontas				2		2	2		2
Polk	13	9	22	14	6	20	27	15	42
Pottawattamie	3	1	4	2	3	5	5	4	9
Poweshiek		1	1	3	1	4	3	2	5
Ringgold				1		1	1		1
Sac				1		1	1		1
Scott	7	2	9	6	1	7	13	3	16
Shelby									
Sioux									
Story	2	1	3	2	2	4	4	3	7
Tama	3	2	5				3	2	5
Taylor	1		1				1		1
Union				2		2	2		2
Van Buren				1		1	1		1
Wapello	3		3	9		9	12		12
Warren				1	1	2	1	1	2
Washington	1		1	3		3	4		4
Wayne	1		1				1		1
Webster	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Winnebago									
Winneshiek	2		2	1		1	3		3
Woodbury	3	1	4	4		4	7	1	8
Worth				1		1	1		1
Wright	2		2				2		2
Other states	28	3	31	15	1	16	43	4	47
Unknown									
Totals	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 11.

PHYSICAL CONDITION ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	I. Health: No one is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled, unless it be by reason of age.....								
II. Diseases—									
1. General diseases	79	64	143	61	47	108	140	111	251
Debility from age	60	64	124	43	47	90	103	111	214
Cancer	1		1				1		1
Tuberculosis	1		1	1		1	2		2
Rheumatism, chronic	16		16	17		17	33		33
Cirrhosis of the liver	1		1				1		1
2. Diseases of nervous system and organs of special sense	19		19	12		12	31		31
Paralysis general	14		14	7		7	21		21
Epilepsy	1		1	1		1	2		2
Senile dementia	2		2	2		2	4		4
Acute dementia	1		1	1		1	2		2
Nervous debility	1		1	1		1	2		2
3. Diseases of respiratory system	10		10	7		7	17		17
Catarrh	2		2	1		1	3		3
Asthma	6		6	4		4	10		10
Bronchitis	2		2	2		2	4		4
4. Diseases of gastro-intestinal tract	17		17	24		24	41		41
Constipation	3		3	1		1	4		4
Disease of liver	2		2	3		3	5		5
Gastritis	5		5	4		4	9		9
Hernia, double and single	3		3	13		13	16		16
Diarrhea	4		4	2		2	6		6
Disease of rectum				1		1	1		1
5. Diseases of circulatory system	15		15	22		22	37		37
Valvular diseases of the heart	10		10	15		15	25		25
Hemorrhoids	2		2	4		4	6		6
Varicose veins	1		1	1		1	2		2
Arteriosclerosis	2		2				2		2
Cerebral hemorrhage				2		2	2		2
6. Diseases of the genito-urinary system	11		11	16		16	27		27
Cystitis	3		3	7		7	10		10
Nephritis chronic	8		8	9		9	17		17
7. External injuries	7		7	4		4	11		11
Fractures	3		3				3		3
Blind	3		3	3		3	6		6
Loss of limb	1		1				1		1
Dislocation of shoulder				1		1	1		1
Grand totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 12.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	30 and under 40 years	4		4	2		2	6		6
40 and under 50 years	1	1	2	3		3	4	1	5
50 and under 60 years	1	4	5	1	2	3	2	6	8
60 and under 70 years	76	25	101	66	27	93	142	52	194
70 and under 80 years	65	30	95	65	17	82	130	47	177
80 and under 90 years	11	4	15	8	1	9	19	5	24
90 and under 100 years				1		1	1		1
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

Average age of Spanish-American soldiers 35 years
 Average age of men 73.4 years
 Average age of women 72.3 years

TABLE NO. 13.

WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Indian wars				2		2	2		2
Civil war	157		157	138		138	295		295
Spanish-American war	1		1	4		4	5		5
United States regulars.....				2		2	2		2
Totals.....	158		158	146		146	304		304

TABLE NO. 14.

DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Regulars.....				2		2	2		2
Spanish American				4		4	4		4
United States	157		157	138		138	295		295
Navy and marine	1		1				1		1
Indian wars				2		2	2		2
Totals.....	158		158	146		146	304		304

TABLE NO. 15.

BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911	For Year End- ing June 30, 1912	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912
Infantry.....	116	108	224
Cavalry.....	37	30	67
Artillery.....	4	7	11
Engineers.....	1	1	1
Navy and marine.....	1	.....	1
Totals.....	158	146	304

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911	For Year End- ing June 30, 1912	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912
New England states.....	2	2	4
Maine.....	.....	1	1
Massachusetts.....	.....	1	1
Vermont.....	1	.....	1
New Hampshire.....	1	.....	1
Middle states.....	7	14	21
New Jersey.....	1	.....	1
New York.....	3	10	13
Pennsylvania.....	3	4	7
Southern states.....	8	6	14
Missouri.....	6	4	10
Maryland.....	1	.....	1
West Virginia.....	1	.....	2
Arkansas.....	.....	1	1
Northwest states.....	47	48	95
Minnesota.....	.....	2	2
Ohio.....	11	6	17
Indiana.....	7	7	14
Illinois.....	19	23	42
Wisconsin.....	7	9	16
Michigan.....	3	1	4
IOWA.....	93	72	165
Western states.....	1	4	5
California.....	.....	1	1
Nevada.....	.....	1	1
Colorado.....	1	.....	1
Kansas.....	.....	2	2
Grand totals.....	158	146	304

TABLE NO. 17.

CAUSES OF DEATHS.

(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
1. General diseases.....	31	3	34	18	8	26	49	11	60
Alcoholism, chronic.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
Anemia, pernicious.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1
Cancer.....	4	.....	4	3	2	5	7	2	9
Lupus of face.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
General debility, result of age.....	17	1	18	6	2	8	23	3	26
Senile gangrene.....	1	.....	1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Peritonitis.....	2	1	3	.....	.....	.....	2	1	3
La grippe.....	1	.....	1	3	.....	3	4	.....	4
Tuberculosis.....	3	1	4	2	1	3	5	2	7
Erysipelas.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Arthritis deformans.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	1	1	2
Osteomyelitis.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Tetanus.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
2. Diseases of nervous system and organs of special sense.....	22	4	26	12	.....	12	34	4	38
Paralysis, general.....	10	1	11	4	.....	4	14	1	15
Paralysis agitans.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Cerebral softening.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Encephalitis.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Dementia, chronic.....	4	2	6	7	.....	7	11	2	13
Epilepsy.....	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3
Mania, acute.....	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3
3. Diseases of circulatory system.....	21	6	27	25	2	27	46	8	54
Valvular disease of heart.....	11	3	14	12	1	13	23	4	27
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	7	3	10	9	1	10	16	4	20
Endocarditis.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Aneurism, aortic.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Heart failure, result of influenza.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Arteriosclerosis.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Myocarditis.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	2	.....	2
Cerebral softening.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
4. Diseases of respiratory system.....	8	2	10	3	1	4	11	3	14
Pneumonia.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Pneumonia, double.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Pneumonia, traumatic.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Pneumonia, bronchial.....	6	.....	6	1	.....	1	7	.....	7
Asthma, cardiac.....	1	1	2	1	.....	1	2	1	3
Bronchitis, acute.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
5. Diseases of genito-urinary system.....	13	1	14	18	.....	18	31	1	32
Nephritis, chronic.....	8	.....	8	16	.....	16	24	.....	24
Chronic cystitis.....	3	1	4	1	.....	1	4	1	5
Uremia.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
6. Diseases of gastro-intesti- nal tract.....	6	.....	6	1	.....	1	7	.....	7
Gastritis, chronic.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Dysentery, acute.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Diarrhea, chronic.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Cirrhosis of liver.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Ileo-colitis.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Atrophy of liver.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Malignant disease of spleen.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1

TABLE NO. 17, CONTINUED.

CAUSES OF DEATHS.
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
7. Accidental and otherwise ..	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Fracture, neck	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Autointoxication, anti- fat remedy .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Run over by train.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Died in home	102	16	118	79	11	90	181	27	208
Died on furlough...	16	3	19	8	3	11	24	6	30
Grand totals.....	118	19	137	87	14	101	205	33	238

TABLE NO. 18.
AGES AT DEATH.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911			For Year End- ing June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
50 and under 60 years.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
60 and under 70 years.....	37	9	46	25	6	31	61	16	77
70 and under 80 years.....	60	8	68	44	3	47	104	11	115
80 and under 90 years.....	20	2	22	15	2	17	35	4	39
90 and under 100 years.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	4	2	2	4
Totals.....	118	19	137	87	14	101	204	34	238

TABLE NO. 19.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1910	Total to June 30, 1912
Male	304	3,921	4,225
Arkansas	4	4	4
California	3	7	10
Colorado	5	15	20
Florida	3	3	6
Idaho	1	1	2
Illinois	3	89	92
Indiana	1	24	25
Indian Territory	2	2	4
Iowa	261	3,502	3,763
Kansas	4	48	52
Kentucky	2	2	4
Louisiana	1	2	3
Maine	1	1	2
Massachusetts	1	9	10
Michigan	1	1	2
Maryland	5	39	44
Missouri	3	17	20
Minnesota	1	1	2
Mississippi	2	3	5
Montana	7	19	26
Nebraska .....	.....	15	15
New York .....	.....	1	1
New Jersey .....	.....	30	30
Ohio	2	8	10
Oklahoma .....	.....	6	6
Oregon .....	.....	11	11
Pennsylvania	1	1	2
Rhode Island	1	12	13
South Dakota	1	5	6
Tennessee	1	2	3
Texas	1	1	2
Vermont	1	1	2
Virginia	1	1	2
West Virginia	38	38	76
Wisconsin	1	4	5
Wyoming .....	.....	.....	.....
Female.....	111	482	593
Iowa	108	460	568
Oklahoma	2	2	4
Nebraska	1	1	2
Montana	2	2	4
Kansas	7	7	14
New York	1	1	2
Colorado	1	1	2
Missouri	1	1	2
Tennessee	1	1	2
Utah	1	1	2
Illinois	3	3	6
Indian Territory	1	1	2
Nebraska	1	1	2
Grand totals.....	415	4,403	4,818

TABLE NO. 20.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911			For Year Ending June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Resident in—									
Country.....				3		3	3		3
Villages and towns.....	45	18	63	46	18	64	91	36	127
Cities of 2,000 and under 4,000.....	23	9	32	14	3	17	37	12	49
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000.....	9	7	16	13	3	16	22	10	32
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000.....	22	13	35	16	40	26	38	23	61
Cities of 25,000 and over.....	30	15	45	35	11	46	65	26	91
Other states.....	26	2	28	14	2	16	40	4	44
National homes.....	3		3	5		5	8		8
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Albia.....	2	1	3				1	1
Ames.....				1	1	2		2
Atlantic.....				2		2	1	3
Cedar Falls.....	2	1	3	2	1	3	4	6
Centerville.....								
Charles City.....	1		1	1		1	2	2
Cherokee.....								
Creston.....				2		2		2
Fairfield.....		1	1				1	1
Glenwood.....	2	2	4				2	4
Grinnell.....		1	1	1		1	1	2
LeMars.....	1		1				1	1
Marion.....								
Newton.....				1	1	2	1	2
Oelwein.....								
Perry.....								
Red Oak.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	3
Shenandoah.....								
Washington.....				2		2	2	2
Webster City.....				1		1	1	1
Totals.....	9	7	16	13	3	16	22	32

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone.....	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	2	5
Burlington.....	3	2	5				3	2	5
Ft. Dodge.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Ft. Madison.....									
Iowa City.....	1	1	1				1	1	1
Keokuk.....	2	1	3				2	2	4
Marshalltown.....	3	4	7	4	6	10	7	10	17
Mason City.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Muscatine.....	4	2	6	2	1	3	6	3	9
Oskaloosa.....	4		4	2	1	3	6	1	7
Ottumwa.....	2		2	6		6	8		8
Totals.....	22	13	35	16	10	26	38	23	61

TABLE NO. 20, CONTINUED.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911			For Year Ending June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER.									
Cedar Rapids.....	3	1	4	5	2	7	8	3	11
Clinton.....	2		2				2		2
Council Bluffs.....	3	1	4	2	2	4	5	3	8
Davenport.....	5	2	7	5	1	6	10	3	13
Des Moines.....	12	9	21	13	4	17	25	13	38
Dubuque.....	1	1	2	3	1	4	4	2	6
Sioux City.....	3	1	4	2		2	5	1	6
Waterloo.....	1		1	5	1	6	6	1	7
Totals.....	30	15	45	35	11	46	65	26	91

TABLE NO. 21.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911			For Year Ending June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write.....	148	52	200	139	44	183	287	96	383
Unable to read and write.....	10	12	22	7	3	10	17	15	32
Unknown.....									
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 22.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911			For Year Ending June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant.....	142	60	202	134	46	180	276	106	382
Catholic.....	10	2	12	9		9	19	2	21
None.....	5		5	3		3	8		8
Unknown.....	1	2	3		1	1	1	3	4
Totals.....	158	64	222	146	47	193	304	111	415

TABLE NO. 23.

ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911	For Year Ending June 30, 1912	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912
Donations.....			60
In collection June 30, 1912.....			2,554

TABLE NO. 24.

CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911	For Year Ending June 30, 1912	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912
Fiction.....			60

TABLE NO. 25.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911	For Year Ending June 30, 1912	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912
Biography.....			75
Essays and poetry.....			62
Fiction.....			14,052
History.....			156
Religion.....			90
Total.....			14,435
Average monthly—			
Population.....			765
Employes.....			126
Readers.....			165

TABLE NO. 26.

PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911		For Year Ending June 30, 1912		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Fruits.....		\$ 208.06		\$ 366.41		\$ 574.47
Apples..... bushels			174	87.00	174	87.00
Cherries..... quarts	1,249	74.94	2,127	148.56	3,376	223.50
Currants..... quarts	64	6.40			64	6.40
Grapes..... pounds			1,515	75.75	1,515	75.75
Plums..... bushels			42	32.00	42	32.00
Raspberries..... quarts	416	41.60	231	23.10	647	64.70
Strawberries..... quarts	1,064	85.12			1,064	85.12
Vegetables.....		\$ 2,526.72		\$ 2,033.32		\$ 4,560.04
Asparagus..... pounds	1,081	159.15	491	73.65	1,572	232.80
Beans, string..... pounds	495	4.95	1,984	41.68	2,479	46.63
Beets..... bushels	84½	42.25	67	33.50	151½	75.75
Corn, dry..... bushels			190½	78.60	190½	78.60
Corn, green..... pounds	12,210	122.10	8,401	84.01	20,611	206.11
Cabbage..... pounds	15,040	150.40	11,725	325.07	26,765	475.47
Cauliflower..... pounds	140	11.20	485	38.80	625	50.00
Carrots..... pounds			2,337	23.37	2,337	23.37
Cucumbers..... pounds			3,197	63.94	3,197	63.94
Kohlrabi..... pounds	55	.55			55	.55
Lettuce..... pounds	2,408	120.40	300	18.00	2,708	138.40
Melons..... only	447	44.70	4,112	206.05	4,559	250.75
Onions, green..... pounds	1,317	39.51	1,057	48.71	2,374	88.22
Onions, dried..... bushels	24½	18.37	9½	7.19	34	25.56
Potatoes, Irish..... bushels	685	587.12	271½	317.13	956½	904.25
Potatoes, sweet..... pounds	138	2.76			138	2.76
Peas, green..... pounds	1,798	43.92			2,078	55.12
Pickles, cucumber..... gallons			85	17.68	85	17.68
Parsnips..... pounds	1,932	57.96	4,161	124.83	6,093	182.79
Rhubarb..... pounds	3,982	103.41	1,118	22.36	5,100	125.77
Radishes..... pounds	2,739	81.87	1,490	44.70	4,229	126.57
Squash..... only	171	17.10	1,155	114.25	1,326	131.35
Sauerkraut..... gallons	720	144.00	495	90.00	1,215	234.00
Spinach..... pounds	8,910	623.70	1,030	72.10	9,940	695.80
Tomatoes..... bushels	236	94.40	176	88.00	412	182.40
Turnips..... bushels	114	56.90	177	88.50	291	145.40
Grand totals.....		\$ 2,734.78		\$ 2,399.73		\$ 5,134.51

TABLE NO. 27.

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS CONSUMED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911		For Year Ending June 30, 1912		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Chickens..... pounds	1,217	\$ 121.70	774	\$ 77.40	1,991	\$ 199.10
Eggs..... dozens	2,457	443.18	1,458	280.02	3,915	723.20
Totals.....		\$ 564.88		\$ 357.42		\$ 922.30

TABLE NO. 28.
ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1911		For Year End- ing June 30, 1912		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
	No	Value	No	Value	No	Value
1. In sewing room—						
Aprons	101	\$ 36.88	149	\$ 62.40	250	\$ 99.28
Bread sacks			24	7.20	24	7.20
Curtains	162	153.76	136	68.46	298	222.22
Cushion covers	2	.37			2	.37
Dresses	137	375.12	189	691.84	326	1,066.96
Dresser scarfs	5	2.83	12	2.27	17	5.10
Furniture covers	3	1.65			3	1.65
Gowns	122	161.95	164	179.22	286	341.17
Mattress covers	26	17.93	19	12.95	45	30.88
Meat covers	4	2.00			4	2.00
Napkins	72	11.87			72	11.87
Petticoats	152	210.06	127	142.93	279	352.99
Pillow slips	76	13.96	96	20.13	172	34.09
Sheets	912	405.34	274	127.22	1,186	532.56
Shrouds	8	39.50	6	32.05	14	71.55
Skirts	1	1.45	50	120.05	51	121.50
Sofa pillows	6	1.98			6	1.98
Screens	2	1.13			2	1.13
Table-cloths	176	578.13	349	1,188.39	525	1,766.52
Table pads	6	.84	10	12.89	16	13.73
Towels	873	130.14	619	147.37	1,492	277.51
Tray covers	4	1.05			4	1.05
Waists	11	13.46			11	13.46
Totals		\$ 2,161.40		\$ 2,815.37		\$ 4,976.77
2. In carpenter shop—						
Commodes			6	\$ 12.00	6	\$ 12.00
Cupboard			1	10.00	1	10.00
Wagon box			1	30.00	1	30.00
Wardrobes			21	87.00	21	87.00
Refrigerators			2	349.09	2	349.09
Totals				\$ 488.09		\$ 488.09
3. In laundry—						
Soap	4,250	\$ 170.00	4,430	\$ 177.20	8,680	\$ 347.20
4. In bakery—						
Bread, white	25,081	\$ 2,758.91	24,526	\$ 2,097.86	49,607	\$ 5,456.77
Bread, graham	5,762	576.20	4,266	426.60	10,028	1,002.80
Biscuits	37,648	313.70	56,396	469.90	94,044	783.60
Corn bread, pans	564	124.08	628	138.16	1,192	262.24
Cookies	47,814	398.40	39,196	326.60	87,010	725.00
Pies	7,380	479.70	7,055	458.58	14,435	338.28
Bread, ginger	30	6.60	172	37.84	202	44.44
Totals		\$ 4,657.59		\$ 4,555.54		\$ 9,213.13
5. Wood, cords			11	\$ 56.00	11	\$ 56.00

TABLE NO. 29.
REPORT OF LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
Sheets	151,840
Pillow slips	150,000
Spreads	20,280
Table-cloths	42,640
Shirts	46,800
Undershirts	50,000
Drawers	50,000
Socks	38,000
Aprons	8,000
Towels, hand	30,000
Towels, roller	38,100
Towels, bath	15,600
Towels, barber	42,000
Towels, dish	62,400
Hospital cloths	65,000
Jackets	12,500
Overalls	25,000
Night shirts	6,240
Nurses' uniforms	1,823
Nurses' aprons	3,800
Handkerchiefs	4,058
Carpets	1,600
Blankets	6,240
Cushion covers	2,052
Trousers	1,040
Vests	289
Coats	90
Total	875,402

TABLE NO. 30.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 29, 1912.

Sunday, June 23, 1912.			
Breakfast—			
Ham, boiled.....	160 pounds	\$ 13	\$ 20.80
Potatoes.....	2 bushels	75	1.50
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	176 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 34.06
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	175 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 16.63
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 bushels	75	2.25
Tomatoes, stewed.....	18 cans	23	4.14
Brown gravy (accounted for).....			
Pies, apple.....	81 only	\$ 065	5.27
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 39.35
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Tomatoes, stewed (accounted for).....			
Cherries.....	128 quarts	\$ 06	\$ 7.68
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.44
Tea.....	1½ pounds	30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 19.19
Total cost for Sunday, June 23, 1912.....			\$ 92.60

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Meat stew (accounted for).....			
Potatoes for stew.....	2 bushels	\$ 75	\$ 1.50
Onions for stew.....	25 pounds	01	.25
Potatoes, boiled.....	¼ bushel	75	.38
Oatmeal.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 13.89
Dinner—			
Beef boiled.....	175 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 16.63
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Vermicelli for soup.....	15 pounds	04	.60
Tomatoes for soup.....	8 cans	23	1.38
Crackers.....	25 pounds	05	1.25
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 32.80
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Corn meal for mush.....			
Bread.....	40 pounds	\$ 1.40	\$.56
Butter.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Coffee.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Tea.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Sugar.....	1½ pounds	30	.45
Milk.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Total.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total cost for Monday, June 24, 1912.....			\$ 58.60

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Bacon, fried.....	140 pounds	\$ 14	\$ 17.20
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	12	1.08
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 30.48
Dinner—			
Beef roast.....	175 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 16.63
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Spinach, boiled.....	300 pounds	07	21.00
Brown gravy (accounted for).....		02	1.06
Bread.....	53 pounds	25	3.75
Butter.....	15 pounds	16	1.44
Coffee.....	9 pounds	5.86	1.76
Sugar.....	30 pounds	1.75	3.05
Milk.....	174 pounds		
Total.....			\$ 50.57
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Prunes for sauce.....	50 pounds	\$ 06	\$ 3.00
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	8 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	30 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 14.06
Total cost for Tuesday, June 25, 1912.....			\$ 95.11

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Mess pork, fried.....	140 pounds	\$ 085	\$ 11.90
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 25.54
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	175 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 16.63
Peas, stewed.....	24 cans	08	1.92
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 31.49
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Peas, stewed (accounted for).....			
Apples.....	20 cans	\$ 22	\$ 4.40
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.44
Tea.....	1½ pounds	30	4.50
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 12.16
Total cost for Wednesday, June 26, 1912.....			\$ 60.19
Breakfast—			
Pork chops, fried.....	213 pounds	\$ 11½	\$ 23.96
Potatoes, boiled.....	2 bushels	75	1.50
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.15
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 36.62
Dinner—			
Pork roast.....	213 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 23.96
Potatoes, browned.....	3 bushels	75	2.25
Peas, green, stewed.....	240 pounds	04	9.60
Rice, stewed.....	30 pounds	04	1.20
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
* Total.....			\$ 48.07
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Rice, cold (accounted for).....			
Prunes.....	50 pounds	\$ 06	\$ 3.00
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Tea.....	1½ pounds	30	4.50
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 14.35
Total cost for Thursday, June 27, 1912.....			\$ 99.04

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Cod fish, stewed.....	60 pounds	\$ 07	\$ 4.20
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	75	2.25
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 18.21
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	190 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 18.05
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Bread dressing (accounted for).....			
Lettuce.....	125 pounds	01	1.25
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 32.24
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes fried (accounted for).....			
Cherries.....	128 quarts	\$ 06	\$ 7.68
Cookies.....	45 dozen	10	4.50
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Tea.....	¼ pounds	30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 23.53
Total cost for Friday, June 28, 1912.....			\$ 73.98
Breakfast—			
Meat hash (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	\$ 75	\$ 1.88
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 13.64
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	189 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 17.96
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ pounds	75	1.88
Beans, navy, boiled.....	70 pounds	025	1.75
Onions, green.....	130 pounds	01	1.30
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 33.95

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Cold beans (accounted for).....			
Prunes.....	50 pounds	\$ 06	\$ 3.00
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Tea.....	¼ pounds	30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 14.35
Total cost for Saturday, June 29, 1912.....			\$ 61.94
Miscellaneous for week—			
Salt, coarse.....	196 pounds	\$ 005	\$.98
Syrup.....	8 gallons	28	2.04
Pepper.....	15 pounds	11	1.65
Total.....			\$ 4.67
Total cost for week ending June 29, 1912.....			\$500.46
Average number of persons fed.....			407
Average cost per person per week.....			1.377
Average cost per person per day.....			.196
Average cost per person per meal.....			.065

TABLE NO. 31.

BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING-ROOMS, THANKSGIVING, 1911.

Breakfast—				
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	\$ 02	\$.40	
Sausage (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried.....	1½ bushels	1.00	1.50	
Bread.....	47 pounds	.02	.94	
Butter.....	13 pounds	.26	3.38	
Sugar.....	20 pounds	5.37	1.07	
Milk.....	159 pounds	2.00	3.18	
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, beefsteak, thickened milk, eggs.....	6 dozen	.25	1.50	
Total.....				\$ 11.97
Dinner—				
Chicken, roasted.....	260 pounds	\$ 145	\$ 37.70	
Dressing (accounted for).....				
Potatoes.....	1½ bushels	1.00	1.50	
Peas.....	34 cans	.07	2.72	
Beets.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00	
Cranberries.....	23 quarts	.10	2.80	
Piccaililli, 2 gallons (home canned).....				
Jelly, 8 glasses (home canned).....				
Mince pie (accounted for).....				
Apples.....	6 bushels	1.25	7.50	
Pies, pumpkin.....	43 only	.065	2.80	
Cake.....	8 pans	.22	1.76	
Bread.....	47 pounds	.02	.94	
Butter.....	13 pounds	.26	3.38	
Sugar.....	20 pounds	5.37	1.07	
Milk.....	159 pounds	2.00	3.18	
Coffee.....	5 pounds	.12	.60	
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, beefsteak, thickened milk, eggs.....	6 dozen	.25	1.50	
Total.....				\$ 68.45
Supper—				
Cold chicken (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried.....	1½ bushels	\$1.00	\$ 1.50	
Beet pickles (accounted for).....				
Cabbage salad (accounted for).....				
Jelly (accounted for).....				
Bread.....	47 pounds	.02	.94	
Butter.....	13 pounds	.26	3.38	
Sugar.....	20 pounds	5.37	1.07	
Milk.....	159 pounds	2.00	3.18	
Coffee.....	3 pounds	.12	.60	
Tea.....	2 pounds	.30	.60	
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, W. R. C. jelly and fruit, thickened milk, eggs.....	6 dozen	.25	1.50	
Total.....				\$ 12.53
Total cost for Thursday, November 30, 1911.....				\$ 92.95

TABLE NO. 32.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S DINING-ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1911.

Dinner—				
Turkey, roast.....	160 pounds	\$ 195	\$ 31.20	
Oyster dressing, oysters.....	2 gallons	1.15	2.30	
Peas.....	24 cans	.08	1.92	
Oranges.....	1½ boxes	3.50	5.25	
Bananas.....	15 dozen	.20	3.00	
Cranberries.....	14 quarts	.10	1.40	
Potatoes, mashed.....	1½ bushels	1.00	1.50	
Salad (accounted for).....				
Cheese.....	15 pounds	.15	2.25	
Cookies.....	30 dozen	10	3.00	
Cake, loaf.....	4 pans	.22	.88	
Pies, mince.....	35 only	.065	2.28	
Candy.....	35 pounds	.10	3.50	
Pickles, cucumber.....	5 gallons	.26	1.30	
Bread.....	17 pounds	.02	.34	
Butter.....	10 pounds	.34	3.40	
Coffee.....	2½ pounds	.12	.32	
Sugar.....	8 pounds	5.37	.43	
Milk.....	60 pounds	2.00	1.20	
Total.....				\$ 65.47

TABLE NO. 33.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

		Average Expense Per Capita		
		Two Years	Month	Day
Receipts—				
Balance July 1, 1910.....	\$ 7,503.49			
Per capita, members.....	282,539.74			
Per capita, civilians.....	29,355.51			
Posthumous fund.....	2,429.61			
Hogs sold.....	5,448.36			
Miscellaneous sales.....	5,857.43			
Total.....	\$ 333,134.14			
Expenditures—				
Salaries and wages.....	\$ 105,544.34	\$ 118.06	\$ 4.92	\$.164
Provisions.....	125,490.20	140.37	5.85	.195
Household stores.....	12,588.69	14.08	.60	.02
Clothing.....	19,698.73	22.03	.92	.03
Fuel and light.....	35,913.24	40.17	1.67	.056
Hospital supplies.....	5,232.92	5.29	.22	.007
Shop, farm and garden.....	12,677.95	14.18	.59	.019
Ordinary repairs.....	1,103.47	1.23	.051	.0017
Library.....	27.90	.03		
Water and ice.....	4,668.26	5.22	.217	.0072
Postage and stationery.....	1,362.19	1.52	.063	.002
Miscellaneous expenses.....	6,633.91	7.42	.31	.011
Balance June 30, 1912.....	2,192.34			
Totals.....	\$ 333,134.14	\$ 270.90	\$ 15.411	\$.5119

TABLE NO. 34.

CONTINGENT, STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUNDS.

	Contingent Fund	State Fund		Posthumous Fund
		Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	
Balance July 1, 1910.....	\$ 250.00			
July, 1910.....	20.72	\$ 4,315.75	\$ 644.97	
August.....		4,325.05	730.52	
September.....		4,323.54	502.27	
October.....	134.04	4,241.11	347.40	
November.....	113.80	4,235.75	383.76	
December.....		4,361.86	307.16	
January, 1911.....	239.98	4,250.94	752.21	
February.....		4,330.56	502.31	
March.....		4,414.87	114.23	
April.....		4,377.37	470.04	
May.....		4,328.79	48.50	\$ 143.14
June.....		4,390.54	546.25	
July.....	47.19	4,515.35	558.54	
August.....	20.85	4,516.39	307.25	
September.....		4,503.58	1,393.40	307.25
October.....	76.52	4,503.66	594.31	
November.....		4,566.66	667.65	17.57
December.....		4,457.80	80.00	
January, 1912.....		4,430.16	463.91	1,019.33
February.....	211.25	4,451.70	64.49	
March.....	39.38	4,472.86	211.65	543.92
April.....		4,403.08	1,153.85	398.39
May.....		4,403.09	331.70	
June.....		4,344.88	99.55	
Totals.....	\$ 1,153.73	\$ 105,544.34	\$ 11,305.97	\$ 2,429.61
Expenditures— On approved vouchers.....	\$ 1,083.21			
To officers and employees.....		\$ 105,544.34	\$ 11,305.97	\$ 2,429.61
Balance June 30, 1912.....	70.52			
Totals.....	\$ 1,153.73	\$ 105,544.34	\$ 11,305.97	\$ 2,429.61

TABLE NO. 35.

MEMBERS' FUND

Balance on hand June 30, 1910.....	\$ 7,503.49	
Receipts.....	325,370.65	
Disbursements.....		\$ 330,752.32
Balance on hand June 30, 1912.....		2,121.82
Totals.....	\$ 332,874.14	\$ 332,874.14

TABLE NO. 36.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Collections, including salaries and wages.....		\$ 332,847.14
Paid out, including salaries and wages.....		330,752.32
Deposited in bank.....	\$ 88,239.13	
Deposited account miscellaneous receipts.....	11,305.97	
Deposited account salaries and wages.....	105,544.34	205,089.44
Total number of checks issued—1,279.		

TABLE NO. 37.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds	Balances in State Treasury, July 1, 1910	Appropriated by the General Assembly	Amounts Expended During Period	Balances in State Treasury, June 30, 1912
Fire hose.....				
Hose cart.....	\$ 25.00		\$ 25.00	
Additional fire protection	140.24		140.24	
Engine and generator.....	49.15		49.15	
Additional room for married people.....	5,000.00		3,665.71	\$ 1,334.29
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,927.35		1,927.35	
Improvement and general repairs.....	3,846.45		3,846.45	

TABLE NO. 38.

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of service
J. J. Russel	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard	1895 to 1896
C. L. Davidson	1895 to 1896
J. M. Morton	1895 to 1898
L. B. Raymond	1896 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey	1897 to 1898
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Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee	January 1, 1898, to January 1, 1900
John Cowrie	January 1, 1898, to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne	January 1, 1898, to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson	January 1, 1900, to date
John T. Hamilton	April 1, 1906, to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade	October 1, 1909, to date
Murdoch Bannister	April 6, 1910, to date
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Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Col. Milo Smith	December 1, 1887, to October 10, 1892
Col. J. H. Keatley	October 10, 1892, to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin	September 22, 1894, to September 28, 1897
Col. C. C. Horton	October 12, 1897, to date
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Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston	1887, to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells	1889, to November— 1894
Chas. L. Longley	November— 1894, to August— 1895
B. F. Warful	August 14, 1895, to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker	March, 1903, to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson	September 15, 1907, to date
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Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt	1887, to August—, 1895
Chas. L. Longley	August 14, 1895, to September—, 1879
B. A. Beeson	October 12, 1897, to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett	February 1, 1903, to date
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Surgeons of the Home	Time of services
W. B. Watters	1887, to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield	August 2, 1894, to date
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Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival	Organization to ——— 1890
City ministers	1890, to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole	April 1, 1900, to date

SURGEON'S BIENNIAL REPORT.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June, 30, 1912

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,

Iowa Soldiers' Home,

Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

Another biennium has passed, and I herewith submit my Ninth Biennial Report for this institution, this one covering the time from July 1, 1910, to and including June 30, 1912.

The first half of this biennium shows a marked increase in the death-rate, but the second half dropped to, or a little below, normal for our class of patients.

As the years roll around and we measure distance from the great internal struggle which cemented our country into a strong national Union, we are often pained to find a lack of sympathy in the younger generation for those who preserved this Union.

For years we have cared for men broken and crippled in mind and body, caused by hardships of which a later generation can have no conception. May God through our state and nation continue to care for the boys of '61 to '65 in a way that will recompense their heroic sacrifices.

This year a private office has been provided the surgeon which is a great convenience. To you, Col. Horton, and to the Hon. Board of Control, for this provision I tender my thanks.

To all the hospital force who have been loyal to duty and have helped to keep up to a high standard the work intrusted to us, I return my thanks.

I return sincere thanks to the Hon. Board of Control for kindness and cooperation and to you, Col. Horton, for your never failing courtesy and support.

Respectfully submitted,

H. P. Duffield,

Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912.

Treated in hospital	1,097
Visited in quarters	926
Received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call)	13,234
Average number at sick call daily	22
Highest number in hospital at one time	188
In hospital June 30, 1912, male	127
In hospital June 30, 1912, female	32
Average number in hospital, male	133.85
Average number in hospital, female	30.57
Died in home, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1911	102
Died on furlough, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1911	17
Died in home, women, year ending June 30, 1911	16
Died on furlough, women, year ending June 30, 1911	2
Whole number of deaths, male and female, year ending June 30, 1911	137
Died in home, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1912	78
Died in home, Spanish American soldiers, year ending June 30, 1912	1
Died on furlough, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1912	8
Died in home, women, year ending June 30, 1912	11
Died on furlough, women, year ending June 30, 1912	3
Whole number of deaths, male and female, year ending June 30, 1912	101
Whole number of deaths during biennial period	238
Average age, Union soldiers, who died in the home	75
Average age, Union soldiers, who died on furlough	73
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers at death	40
Average age of women who died in the home	72
Average age of women who died on furlough	67

CHAPLAIN'S BIENNIAL REPORT.

Marshalltown, July 18, 1912.

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,

Iowa Soldiers' Home,

Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

I have great pleasure in herewith submitting my biennial report covering the period from June 30, 1910, to June 30, 1912.

Nothing unexpected or startling has transpired in the chaplain's department. That which reasonably might be expected has occurred. The members of the home, like all other people, have continued their silent march to invisible shores. Two hundred thirty eight of our members have entered "That land of deepest shade, unpierced by human thought, the dreary regions of the dead, where all things are forgot." With increasing age the survivors are burdened with increasing disabilities, and the mental sympathizes with the physical. These disabilities render people less susceptible to any change, either mental or moral. They also contribute to fixedness of habit, thought and character. The members are approaching that period where he that is unjust shall be unjust still, and he that is righteous shall be righteous still.

With this condition of things the chaplain's work is more in the direction of strengthening the things that remain rather than in attempting the almost impossible, the securing of new creations, though a considerable number of conversions have been witnessed during the closing period.

In many regards the past biennium has been better than any that have preceded it. The Christian people have given un-

mistakable evidence of a deeper knowledge of the things of the kingdom and a more earnest desire to live acceptably in the sight of God. A greater interest has been taken in the preached gospel. The attendance has been firmer and more reliable. Our prayer and conference meetings have been seasons of great religious power. Our people do not suffer but they enjoy religion. A greatly increased number of people take part in the social services. At one of our prayer services which lasted one hour and ten minutes we had the usual amount of singing, the scriptures were read and commented on, then followed fifteen prayers from fifteen different people and forty-six testimonies, and this was only an average meeting.

Our services are kept up with great regularity; only one Sabbath has passed without service during the biennium when it was practicable to hold service. When the chaplain has not been able to supply his pulpit, pastors of the city churches have very kindly come to his assistance and have preached with great acceptability. Except in the summer months when our numbers are greatly diminished on account of being out on furlough we hold, regularly, two services on the Sabbath and a midweek prayer service. In the heated season we have one service on Sabbath held in the open air at six o'clock in the evening. Our congregations at this open air preaching will average from three hundred fifty to five hundred people. In addition to the foregoing services the Salvation Army holds a meeting every Monday evening, which is greatly appreciated by many of the people, and is productive of good. Then religious services are held at all funerals, making all told in the neighborhood of five hundred and twenty-four religious services that have been held during the past period.

The increased interest taken in religious work as above stated is largely attributable to the faithfulness of our very efficient choir composed of members of the home. They sing at funerals and all the religious services. Their work is highly commendable.

During the past biennial period the ladies of the G. A. R. Winchester Circle have furnished, in a very tasty manner and at considerable expense, the interior of Assembly Hall, with carpeting on the rostrum, rugs and matting for the aisles and beau-

tiful curtains to screen the alcoves. Under the energetic leadership of Miss Ray Hanchett, Department President of the W. R. C., a beautiful organ has been purchased at a cost of about sixty-five dollars and presented to the state for the benefit of the choir. These efforts of the women of both organizations have added greatly to the attractiveness of the hall and increased the interest in attendance.

As above stated two hundred and thirty-eight members of the home have passed away: of these twenty-nine died away from the home while on furlough. Twenty-seven of the number were women. One hundred fourteen have been interred in the home cemetery and the bodies of the balance have been shipped to the burial places of friends.

Our work in the hospital has been carried on as in years past. We hold song and prayer services in the different wards as we are able. Members of the young people's religious societies from the city churches have very kindly made frequent visits to the home and assisted us in hospital services. Private religious work is performed with the individual patients as opportunity offers, or a desire is expressed for such service. Letters and wills are written for those who desire, help and encouragement are everywhere extended to those who need.

We also have cared, as guardian, for nine persons who have died during the biennium and ten who still survive. In some instances the work of a guardian is very trying on nerves and patience.

Eighteen people have died whose belongings have been and are yet to be administrated upon by the chaplain.

Taking the work of the chaplain in its many sided forms, his preparation for pulpit efforts, his visiting the sick, burying the dead, his writing letters and wills, his settling estates, caring for the helpless and insane, his being "instant in season and out of season," have contributed to keep him busy most of the time.

Most respectfully submitted,

Jesse Cole,

Chaplain.

FOURTEENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

OF THE

COMMANDANT

OF THE

IOWA SOLDIERS' HOME

AT MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT.

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 10, 1914.

To the Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen :—

I have the honor to submit this my report concerning the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1914, also the report of the adjutant, surgeon, quartermaster and chaplain, which are made a part of this report. For matters relating to their departments I refer you to their reports.

The opinion has generally prevailed that there would be a falling off in the membership of the home from year to year, but by reference to the adjutant's report it will appear that we had thirty-three more members on June 30, 1914, than we had on June 30, 1913, and this notwithstanding the loss by death of two hundred and twenty-one during the last preceding biennial period. In this connection your attention is called to the fact that the apparent discrepancy between the report of the adjutant and that of the surgeon is due to the fact that the former reports several parties buried by permission in our cemetery who were not members of the home, while the latter only reports those who were members of the home.

The number of patients in the hospital remains about the same from month to month. As one drops out another falls in to take his place. There are very few members who are not occasionally under the care of one of the surgeons. Surgeon Duffield and Assistant Surgeon Newell have rendered excellent and sympathetic service in the treatment of the sick and have had some remarkable cases of recovery. To Mrs. Newell, head nurse, and her splendid corps of nurses we are indebted for the kind and efficient care and attention given the patients and the scrupulously clean and sanitary condition of the hospital.

Mrs. Abbey is entitled to great credit for her management of the girls in the hospital dining-rooms and in the cottage.

The general condition and discipline of the home are good. Drunkenness is almost a thing of the past, and since the county authorities have waged war on the bootleggers we have not had a single drunken man. While the Soldiers' Home is probably the hardest to manage of any of the institutions we have had very little trouble. We must have discipline and it must be firm, but not harsh. A true soldier does not object to just and necessary rules so long as they apply to all alike. We must have no pets or friends and grant no special privileges to one that we can not to all under similar circumstances.

No matter what we may think as to the real character of a man, when he comes for information or with a complaint he is entitled to official courtesy and a fair hearing.

The thirty-fifth general assembly made an appropriation of \$8,000 as a contingent and repair fund. About one-half of this has been judiciously expended under your direction, and I have made an estimate for a new water heater and an additional washing machine and wringer in the laundry. Both of these are really necessary. If this estimate is approved it will nearly exhaust the balance of the \$8,000.

The vacuum heating system known as the Dunham system has been established in the Old Peoples' Building and we have the traps and pipes in stock for installing the same in the hospital. My engineer, Mr. Mullin, and his efficient assistants are making good headway in establishing this system and they will have it in running order, I trust, before cold weather comes. This system has given such satisfaction that I am convinced that it would be economy to introduce it in all steam-heated buildings. It is a general principal, I believe, that steam or hot air will seek the lines of least resistance, and for this reason it requires a higher pressure of steam to heat the buildings where the system is not established than it would if the system prevailed in all.

I recommend that the next general assembly be asked to make an appropriation of \$5,000 for the purpose of establishing the vacuum system of heating in the headquarters building, main building, annex, assembly hall, dormitory, nurses' cottage, women's hall and the quartermaster's building. Mr. Dunham's engineer has made a rough estimate as to the cost which I enclose herewith.

THE SUPPORT FUND.

The thirty-fifth general assembly, chapter 221, ammended section 2608 of the code providing that in case the membership should fall below eight hundred and fifty in any month we are to be allowed a per capita of \$15 for that month. This amount is not sufficient to afford proper support, and I recommend that the general assembly be asked to increase the number from eight hundred and fifty to nine hundred.

Advancing age with the attending weakness requires additional nurses and attendants in the hospital as well as in the quarters generally.

Additional help should be provided to relieve the old comrades from detail work. Many of them are not able to do this work.

We have not been able during the last few years to hire sufficient help on grounds and in the garden, and we must pay as much for this help as is paid by surrounding farmers if we would secure good, reliable men. We pay but \$25 a month, while farmers pay from \$30 to \$35 a month.

Our grounds are fine and artistically laid out with walks and drives and planted with attractive trees, but we have not had sufficient help to care for them as the grounds of a state institution should be. I refer to the help question, and the condition of the grounds only as evidence showing the need of additional support fund.

I suggest that the general assembly be asked to make an appropriation of \$3,000 for a contingent and repair fund.

One great need at the hospital is a special diet kitchen and a capable woman to act as cook. The regular cook at the hospital is listed as a special diet cook, but this is a misnomer. While she does prepare eggs, toast and such common diet for the sick she does not have time to prepare the special dishes that are tempting to or required by some of the patients. An addition to the hospital that would be suitable for a kitchen can, I think, be erected at little cost, and I recommend that the architect, providing you approve of this, be instructed to make an examination and report what can be done and the cost, and that the gen-

eral assembly be asked for an appropriation for the cost of the same, including equipment.

I am under renewed obligations to my adjutant and quartermaster for efficient service and loyal support; to Captain G. H. Childs, Inspecting Officer, Sergeant Major Laubscher, Captain Brock, Bookkeeper at Headquarters, and John Woy of the Quartermaster's Department for efficient work in their line; for the loyal support of my noncommissioned officers, and, in fact, to the members of the home themselves, with very few exceptions I am indebted for the good conduct of the home; and to the members of the board of control I wish to say, "I appreciate your kindness, courtesies and help in my duties as commandant."

Very respectfully,
Chas. C. Horton,
Commandant.

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 13, 1914.

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

Complying with your request I have the honor to submit the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1914.

Thanking you personally and the officers and members of the home generally, I am,

Your obedient servant,
B. A. Beeson,
Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present July 1st.....	527	171	698	490	166	656	527	171	698
Admitted for first time.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383
Readmitted.....	107	10	117	120	12	132	227	22	249
Non-service.....	2		2			2			2
Totals.....	758	251	1,009	733	246	979	1,001	331	1,332
Discharged honorably.....	114	13	127	96	11	107	210	24	234
*Dropped.....	63	48	111	47	20	67	110	68	178
Died in Home.....	91	24	115	83	22	105	174	46	220
Totals.....	268	85	353	226	53	279	494	138	632
Remaining June 30th.....	490	166	656	507	193	700	507	193	700
Average population.....	525	188	713	548	203	751	536.5	195.5	732

*Computed.

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members—						
Noncommissioned officers.....	29		29	29		29
For duty.....	281	166	447	302	193	495
On extra duty.....	45		45	45		45
Sick in hospital.....	135	31	166	131	40	171
Total.....	496	197	693	513	233	746
Civilian employes.....	50	72	122	50	71	121
Totals.....	546	269	815	563	304	867
Absent.						
With leave.....	268	142	410	250	149	399
Totals.....	268	142	410	250	149	399
Present and Absent.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members.....	758	308	1,066	757	342	1,099
Civilian employes.....	50	72	122	50	71	121
Totals.....	814	380	1,194	813	413	1,226
Average daily population (civilians included)....	713	187	900	751	209	960

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383
Black.....									
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write.....	117	60	177	110	59	169	227	119	346
Unable to read and write.....	4	6	10	13	9	22	17	15	32
Unknown.....	1	4	5				1	4	5
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	4		4	4		4	8		8
40 and under 50 years.....	3	1	4	4	1	5	7	2	9
50 and under 60 years.....	1	9	10	1	12	13	2	21	23
60 and under 70 years.....	43	24	67	39	30	69	82	54	136
70 and under 80 years.....	62	27	89	62	18	80	124	45	169
80 and under 90 years.....	9	8	17	13	7	20	22	15	37
90 and under 100 years.....		1	1					1	1
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383
Average ages.....	68.3	70.5-7					68	68	

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.		
	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	3	.....	3
40 and under 50 years.....	5	2	7
50 and under 60 years.....	4	30	34
60 and under 70 years.....	179	121	300
70 and under 80 years.....	443	149	592
80 and under 90 years.....	115	37	152
90 and under 100 years.....	8	3	11
Totals.....	757	342	1,099
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers.....	45.5-6 years		
Average age of men.....	74.35 years		
Average age of women.....	67.86 years		

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant.....	111	67	178	111	66	177	222	133	355
Catholic.....	4	3	7	10	2	12	14	5	19
None.....	7	.....	7	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single.....	18	.....	18	10	.....	10	28	.....	28
Married.....	54	32	86	46	32	78	100	64	164
Widowed.....	44	38	82	56	35	91	100	73	173
Divorced.....	6	.....	6	11	.....	12	17	.....	18
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born—	112	64	176	107	66	173	219	130	349
New England states.....	8	1	9	5	1	6	13	2	15
Connecticut.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Maine.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Massachusetts.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Rhode Island.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Vermont.....	3	1	4	2	.....	2	5	1	6
Middle states.....	34	17	51	25	11	36	59	28	87
Delaware.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
New York.....	20	10	30	12	5	17	32	15	47
New Jersey.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	3	1	2	3
Pennsylvania.....	14	7	21	11	4	15	25	11	36
Southern states.....	11	10	21	6	5	11	17	15	32
Virginia.....	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	2	5
West Virginia.....	3	1	4	1	.....	1	4	1	5
Kentucky.....	2	4	6	1	2	3	3	6	9
Missouri.....	2	3	5	2	2	4	4	5	9
Tennessee.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
North Carolina.....	1	1	2	1	.....	1	2	1	3
Northwest states.....	59	36	95	71	49	120	130	85	215
Michigan.....	2	3	5	3	3	6	5	6	11
Ohio.....	27	14	41	24	18	42	51	32	83
Illinois.....	8	5	13	10	9	19	18	14	32
Indiana.....	10	5	15	21	8	29	31	13	44
Minnesota.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Wisconsin.....	3	1	4	2	2	4	5	3	8
Iowa.....	9	8	17	11	8	19	20	16	36
Foreign born—	10	6	16	16	2	18	26	8	34
Bohemia.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Canada.....	3	1	4	3	1	4	6	2	8
England.....	.....	1	1	4	.....	4	4	1	5
Sweden.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
France.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	2
Prussia.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
Norway.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Germany.....	.....	2	2	2	.....	2	2	2	4
Ireland.....	3	1	4	.....	.....	.....	3	1	4
Wales.....	2	1	3	1	.....	1	3	1	4
Grand totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 10.

PHYSICAL CONDITION ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

(Compiled by Surgeon.)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health: No person is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled, unless it be by reason of age.....									
II. Diseases—									
1. General diseases.....	55	70	125	79	68	147	134	138	272
Debility from age.....	41	70	111	57	68	125	98	138	236
Cancer.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Blind.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Tuberculosis.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Rheumatism.....	8		8	19		19	27		27
2. Diseases of the nervous system.....	20		20	8		8	28		28
Paralysis agitans.....	2		2				2		2
Paralysis, general.....	12		12	6		6	18		18
Epilepsy.....				1		1	1		1
Senile dementia.....	6		6	1		1	7		7
3. Diseases of the respiratory system.....	4		4	3		3	7		7
Asthma.....				1		1	1		1
Bronchitis, chronic.....	4		4	2		2	6		6
4. Diseases of gastro-intestinal tract.....	16		16	10		10	26		26
Constipation.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Disease of liver, all forms.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Gastritis.....	1		1	5		5	6		6
Hernia, double and single.....	9		9	3		3	12		12
Diarrhea, chronic.....	4		4				4		4
5. Diseases of circulatory system.....	12		12	11		11	23		23
Valvular disease of the heart.....	5		5	9		9	14		14
Hemorrhoids.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Varicose veins.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Arteriosclerosis.....	1		1				1		1
Varicocele.....	1		1				1		1
6. Diseases of the genito-urinary system.....	11		11	5		5	16		16
Cystitis.....	3		3	2		2	5		5
Nephritis.....	7		7	3		3	10		10
Prostatic enlargement.....	1		1				1		1
7. External injuries.....	4		4	7		7	11		11
Atrophy of hand.....				1		1	1		1
Fractures.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Contused wounds.....				2		2	2		2
Loss of limb.....				1		1	1		1
Dislocations.....				1		1	1		1
Gunshot wound.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Grand totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 11.

OCCUPATIONS PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Since Opening Of Home.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Agricultural and rural.....	62		62	70		70	132		132	1,473		1,473
Farmers.....	37		37	48		48	85		85			
Gardeners.....	2		2				2		2			
Laborers.....	23		23	22		22	45		45			
II. Commercial and mercantile.....	13		13	11		11	24		24	141	3	147
Agents, real estate.....				2		2	2		2			
Merchants.....	6		6	5		5	11		11			
Salesmen.....	7		7	4		4	11		11			
III. Manufacturing and mechanical.....	35		35	29		29	64		64			
1. Building trades.....	25		25	15		15	40		40	147		147
Carpenters.....	15		15	9		9	24		24			
Masons.....	2		2	4		4	6		6			
Painters.....	3		3	2		2	5		5			
Plasterer.....	1		1				1		1			
Millers.....	2		2				2		2			
Millwrights.....	2		2				2		2			
2. Clay, glass and stone.....										36		36
3. Mining.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	74		74
Miners.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
4. Food products.....				2		2	2		2	43		43
Butchers.....				2		2	2		2			
5. Iron and steel workers.....	3		3	4		4	7		7	164		164
Blacksmiths.....	3		3	4		4	7		7			
6. Leather.....	3		3	2		2	5		5	113		113
Saddlers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Shoemakers.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
7. Metals other than iron.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	34		34
Jewelers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
8. Paper and printing.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	35		35
Printers.....	2		2	2		2	4		4			
9. Textiles.....				2		2	2		2	19	1	20
Tailors.....				2		2	2		2			
10. Miscellaneous.....										1,064		1,064
IV. Communication and transportation.....	7		7	8		8	15		15	26		26
1. Steam railroads.....	6		6	4		4	10		10			
Engineers.....	4		4	4		4	8		8			
Railroad employes.....	2		2				2		2	61		61
2. Express and transfer.....	1		1	4		4	5		5	64		64
Expressmen.....				2		2	2		2			
Teamsters.....	1		1	2		2	3		3			
V. Professional.....	5		5	5		5	10		10	116		116
Lawyers.....	2		2				2		2			
Ministers.....				1		1	1		1			
Teachers.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
Insurance agents.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Physicians.....				2		2	2		2			
VI. Domestic and personal.....	70		70	68		68	138		138	1,138	664	1,802
Housekeepers.....	4		4				4		4			
Housewives.....	63		63	62		62	125		125			
Matrons.....				2		2	2		2			
Dressmakers.....	3		3	4		4	7		7			
Grand totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383	4,751	668	5,419

TABLE NO. 12.
COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED, AND REMAINING June 30, 1914.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Remaining June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair.....	2	1	3				2	1	3	1	1	2
Adams.....					1	1				1		1
Allamakee.....	3	3	6		1	1	3	4	7	3	2	5
Appanoose.....		1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4	3		3
Audubon.....										1		1
Benton.....	2		2	4		4	6		6	5	1	6
Black Hawk.....	1	1	2	2	3	5	3	4	7	7	5	12
Boone.....	1	3	4	4		4	5	3	8	11	4	15
Bremer.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	5		5
Buchanan.....				2		2	2		2	2		2
Buena Vista.....				1		1	1		1	1		1
Butler.....					1	1		1	1	4		4
Calhoun.....	1		1				1		1	2		2
Carroll.....										1		1
Cass.....				2		2	2		2	3	2	5
Cedar.....	2		2				2		2	1		2
Cerro Gordo.....	1	2	3				1	2	3		1	1
Cherokee.....											1	1
Chickasaw.....	3		3	1		1	4		4	3		3
Clarke.....	1	1	2				1	1	2	1	1	2
Clay.....												
Clayton.....	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	5	2	7
Clinton.....	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	5	2	7
Crawford.....	1		1				1		1	3	1	4
Dallas.....				3		3	3		3	4		4
Davis.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	1		1
Decatur.....				2	1	3	2	1	3	1	1	2
Delaware.....	1	2	3				1	2	3	2	2	4
Des Moines.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	8		9
Dickinson.....		1	1					1	1	1	1	1
Dubuque.....	2		2				2		2	8		10
Emmet.....										1		1
Fayette.....	1		1				1		1	7	3	10
Floyd.....	3	1	4	2	1	3	5	2	7	5	1	6
Franklin.....										2		2
Fremont.....					1	1		1	1	7	4	11
Greene.....	2		2				2		2	3		3
Grundy.....	1		1				1		1	2		2
Guthrie.....	1	1	2	1	2	3	2	3	5	5	2	7
Hamilton.....	1		1				1		1	3		3
Hancock.....	1		1				1		1	1	1	2
Hardin.....	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6	7	2	9
Harrison.....	1		1	2		2	3		3	6	4	10
Henry.....	1	1	2				1	1	2	8	2	10
Howard.....												
Humboldt.....				1		1	1		1	4		5
Ida.....		1	1					1	1	1	1	1
Iowa.....	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4	3		3
Jackson.....		2	2					2	2	2	1	3
Jasper.....	1		1	2		2	3		3			2
Jefferson.....				1		1	1		1		2	2
Johnson.....	1		1	4	1	5	5	1	6	5	1	6
Jones.....										3		3
Keokuk.....		1	1		1	1		2	2	3	2	5
Kossuth.....				1		1	1		1	2		2
Lee.....				4	1	5	4	1	5	11	4	15
Linn.....	3	1	4	4	4	8	7	5	12	17	8	25
Louisa.....	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5	2	4	6
Lucas.....												
Lyon.....	1		1				1		1	2		2
Madison.....					1	1		1	1			
Mahaska.....	3	2	5	5	6	11	8	8	16	26	10	36
Marion.....										4		4
Marshall.....	2	4	6	2	9	11	4	13	17	27	16	43
Mills.....										4	2	6
Mitchell.....				2		2	2		2	2		2
Monona.....	1		1	2		2	3		3	1	1	2
Monroe.....	4	1	5	1	1	2	5	2	7	4	2	6
Montgomery.....				1	2	3	1	2	3	3	3	6
Muscatine.....	3	2	5	1		1	4	2	6	14	6	20
O'Brien.....		1	1	2		2	2	1	3	3		3
Osceola.....										1		1
Page.....												
Pato Alto.....		1	1					1	1		2	2
Plymouth.....				1		1	1		1	4	1	5
Pocahontas.....		1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	3	3	6
Polk.....	18	12	30	13	7	20	31	19	50	43	8	51
Pottawattamie.....	3	3	6	1	1	2	4	4	8	8	6	14
Poweshiek.....	2	1	3		1	1	2	2	4	2	3	5
Ringgold.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
Sac.....				2		2	2		2	2		6
Scott.....	2	4	6	4	1	5	6	5	11	16	10	23
Shelby.....												
Sioux.....										1		1
Story.....	2	3	5	1	1	2	3	4	7	7	3	10
Tama.....	2	2	4	1		1	3	2	5	9	5	14
Taylor.....	1	1	2				1	1	2		1	1
Union.....										2	1	3
Van Buren.....					2	2		2	2	2	2	4
Wapello.....	5		5	3		3	8		8	9	5	14
Warren.....		1	1					1	1	3	2	5
Washington.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	2		2
Wayne.....				1		1	1		1	3		3
Webster.....	1		1		2	2	1		2	13	4	17
Winnebago.....												
Winneshiek.....					1	1		1	1	1	1	2
Woodbury.....	3	4	7	3		3	6		6	13	6	19
Worth.....												
Wright.....				1		1	1		1	2		2
Other states.....	13	3	16	17	8	25	30	11	41	44	6	50
Washington, D. C.....	1		1				1		1			1
National homes.....										25		25
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383	507	193	700

TABLE NO. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair.....	7		7	2	1	3	9	1	10
Adams.....	8	3	11				8	3	11
Allamakee.....	20		20	3	4	7	23	4	27
Appanoose.....	28	3	31	1	3	4	29	6	35
Audubon.....	7	1	8				7	1	8
Benton.....	46	5	51	6		6	52	5	57
Black Hawk.....	76	9	85	3	4	7	79	13	92
Boone.....	67	11	78	5	3	8	72	14	86
Bremer.....	20	2	22	3		3	23	2	25
Buena Vista.....	6		6		1	1	6	1	7
Buchanan.....	30	4	34		2	2	30	6	36
Butler.....	25	1	26		1	1	25	2	27
Calhoun.....	15	3	18	1		1	16	3	19
Carroll.....	19	4	23				19	4	23
Cass.....	27	3	30	2		2	29	3	32
Cedar.....	22	1	23	2		2	24	1	25
Cerro Gordo.....	29	8	37	1	2	3	30	10	40
Cherokee.....	17	3	20				17	3	20
Chickasaw.....	15	2	17	4		4	19	2	21
Clarke.....	16	2	18	1	1	2	17	3	20
Clay.....	9	2	11				9	2	11
Clayton.....	39	4	43	1	1	2	40	5	45
Clinton.....	101	10	111	2	1	3	103	11	114
Crawford.....	19	1	20	1		1	20	1	21
Dallas.....	30	9	39	3		3	33	9	42
Davis.....	11	1	12	4		4	15	1	16
Decatur.....	15	1	16	2	1	3	17	2	19
Delaware.....	20	2	22	1	2	3	21	4	25
Des Moines.....	72	9	81	4		4	76	9	85
Dickinson.....	6	2	8		1	1	6	3	9
Dubuque.....	113	9	122	2		2	115	9	124
Emmet.....	9	1	10				9	1	10
Fayette.....	62	17	79	1		1	63	17	80
Floyd.....	30	5	35	5	2	7	35	7	42
Franklin.....	29	4	33				29	4	33
Fremont.....	27	2	29		1	1	27	3	30
Greene.....	26	1	27	2		2	28	1	29
Grundy.....	11	2	13	1		1	12	4	14
Guthrie.....	26	1	27	2	3	5	28	4	32
Hamilton.....	32	5	37	1		1	33	5	38
Hancock.....	7	1	8	1		1	8	1	9
Hardin.....	53	8	61	5	1	6	58	9	67
Harrison.....	48	9	57	3		3	51	9	60
Henry.....	44	6	50	1	1	2	45	7	52
Howard.....	8		8				8		8
Humboldt.....	19	4	23	1		1	20	4	24
Ida.....	11		11	1		1	11	1	12
Iowa.....	15	1	16	3	1	4	18	4	20
Jackson.....	58	3	61	2		2	58	5	63
Jasper.....	62	9	71	3		3	65	9	74
Jefferson.....	15	2	17	1		1	16	2	18
Johnson.....	52	4	56	5	1	6	57	5	62
Jones.....	31	3	34				31	3	34
Keokuk.....	25	5	30		2	2	25	7	32
Kossuth.....	19	3	22	1		1	20	3	23
Lee.....	80	10	90	4	1	5	84	11	95
Linn.....	156	18	174	7	5	12	163	23	186
Louisa.....	30	4	34	3	2	5	33	6	39
Lucas.....	18		18				18		18
Lyon.....	8	1	9	1		1	9	1	10
Madison.....	19	2	21		1	1	19	3	22
Mahaska.....	115	20	135	8	8	16	123	28	151
Marion.....	52	6	58				52	6	58

TABLE NO. 13—Continued.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Marshall.....	191	93	284	4	13	17	195	106	301
Mills.....	26	9	35				26	9	35
Mitchell.....	13		13	2			2		15
Monona.....	30	4	34	3			33	4	37
Monroe.....	18	4	22	5	2		7	6	29
Montgomery.....	23	4	27	1	2	3	24	6	30
Muscatine.....	80	13	93	4	2	6	84	15	99
O'Brien.....	15	3	18	2	1	3	17	4	21
Osceola.....	6		6				6		6
Page.....	24		24				24		24
Palo Alto.....	9	2	11		1		9	5	12
Plymouth.....	22	1	23	1		1	23	1	24
Pocahontas.....	12	2	14	1	2	3	13	4	17
Polk.....	363	58	421	31	19	50	394	77	471
Pottawattamie.....	101	15	116	4	4	8	105	19	124
Poweshiek.....	40	11	51	2	2	4	42	13	55
Ringgold.....	18	1	19	3		3	21	1	22
Sac.....	20	3	23	2		2	22	3	25
Scott.....	136	14	150	6	5	11	142	19	161
Shelby.....	12	1	13				12	7	13
Sioux.....	48	7	55				48	7	55
Story.....	48	10	58	3	4	7	51	14	65
Tama.....	18	3	21	3	2	5	21	5	26
Taylor.....	26	2	28	1	1	2	27	3	30
Union.....	26	2	28				26	2	28
Van Buren.....	105	14	119		2	2	105	16	121
Wapello.....	31	2	33	8		8	39	2	41
Warren.....	22	3	25		1	1	22	4	26
Washington.....	20	3	23	3		3	23	3	26
Wayne.....	63	4	67	1		1	64	4	68
Webster.....	8	1	9	1	2	3	9	3	12
Winnebago.....	9		9				9		9
Wineshiek.....	93	8	111		1	1	93	9	112
Woodbury.....	10	2	12	6	4	10	16	6	22
Worth.....	18	5	23				18	5	23
Wright.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Other states.....	43	4	47	30	11	41	73	15	88
Washington, D. C.....				1		1	1		1
Totals.....	3,698	491	4,189	245	138	383	3,943	629	4,572

TABLE NO. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Resident in—									
Country.....	1		1				1		1
Villages and towns.....	28	20	48	42	18	60	70	38	108
Cities of 2,000 and under 4,000.....	34	18	52	14	8	22	48	26	74
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000.....	4	1	5	9	5	14	13	6	19
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000.....	13	6	19	15	17	32	28	23	51
Cities of 25,000 and over.....	28	23	51	27	15	42	55	38	93
Other states.....	10	2	12	15	5	20	25	7	32
National Homes.....	4		4	1		1	5		5
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Albia.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Ames.....									
Atlantic.....				2	1	3	2	1	3
Cedar Falls.....									
Centerville.....				1	1	2	1	1	2
Charles City.....	1		1	1	2	3	2	2	4
Cherokee.....									
Creston.....									
Fairfield.....									
Glenwood.....									
Grinnell.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Le Mars.....									
Marion.....									
Newton.....				1		1	1		1
Oelwein.....									
Perry.....				2	1	3	2	1	3
Red Oak.....				1		1	1		1
Shenandoah.....									
Washington.....									
Webster City.....									
Totals.....	4	1	5	9	5	14	13	6	19

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone.....		1	1	2		2	2	1	3
Burlington.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Ft. Dodge.....					1	1		1	1
Ft. Madison.....				3	1	4	3	1	4
Iowa City.....	1		1		2	2	1	2	3
Keokuk.....				1		1	1		1
Marshalltown.....	2	1	3	1	6	7	3	7	10
Mason City.....									
Muscatine.....	2	2	4	1	1	2	3	3	6
Oskaloosa.....	3	2	5	3	4	7	6	6	12
Ottumwa.....	4		4	2	2	4	6	2	8
Totals.....	13	6	19	15	17	32	28	23	51

TABLE NO. 14—Continued.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER.									
Cedar Rapids.....	2	1	3	3	2	5	5	3	8
Clinton.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Council Bluffs.....	3	2	5	1	1	2	4	3	7
Davenport.....	1	4	5	4	1	5	5	5	10
Des Moines.....	15	12	27	12	7	19	27	19	46
Dubuque.....	2	2	2	3	.....	3	5	.....	5
Sioux City.....	4	3	7	2	.....	2	6	3	9
Waterloo.....	.....	1	1	2	3	5	2	4	6
Totals.....	28	23	51	27	15	42	55	38	93

TABLE NO. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
I. WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.						
Civil war.....	116	116	113	113	229	229
Spanish-American war.....	2	2	7	7	9	9
Peace service (U. S. Regulars).....	4	4	3	3	7	7
Totals.....	122	122	123	123	245	245

II. DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

Regulars.....	4	4	8	8	12	12
Spanish-American.....	2	2	.....	.....	2	2
Volunteers (United States).....	115	115	115	115	230	230
Navy and marine.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	1
Totals.....	122	122	123	123	245	245

III. BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

Infantry.....	80	92	172
Cavalry.....	35	23	58
Artillery.....	5	4	9
Engineers.....	1	4	5
Navy and marine.....	1	.....	1
Totals.....	122	123	245

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913	For Year End- ing June 30, 1914	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914
Massachusetts.....	1	.....	1
New York.....	7	.....	11
Pennsylvania.....	9	1	10
Arkansas.....	1	.....	1
Kentucky.....	.....	1	1
Texas.....	.....	1	1
Ohio.....	14	4	18
Indiana.....	9	4	13
Illinois.....	10	18	28
Missouri.....	3	4	7
Iowa.....	59	74	133
Minnesota.....	.....	2	2
Wisconsin.....	4	7	11
Michigan.....	3	2	5
Nebraska.....	.....	1	1
Colorado.....	2	.....	2
Totals.....	122	123	245

TABLE NO. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1912	Total to June 30, 1914
Male.....	245	4,225	4,470
Arkansas.....	1	4	5
California.....	6	7	13
Colorado.....	1	20	21
Florida.....	.....	3	3
Idaho.....	.....	2	2
Illinois.....	4	92	96
Indiana.....	.....	25	25
Indian Territory.....	.....	2	2
Iowa.....	213	3,703	3,916
Kansas.....	7	52	59
Kentucky.....	.....	2	2
Louisiana.....	.....	3	3
Maine.....	.....	1	1
Massachusetts.....	.....	1	1
Michigan.....	.....	10	10
Maryland.....	.....	1	1
Missouri.....	4	44	48
Minnesota.....	.....	20	20
Mississippi.....	.....	1	1
Montana.....	.....	5	5
Nebraska.....	1	26	27
New York.....	2	15	17
New Jersey.....	.....	1	1
Ohio.....	.....	30	30
Oklahoma.....	1	10	11
Oregon.....	.....	6	6
Pennsylvania.....	.....	11	11
Rhode Island.....	.....	13	13
South Dakota.....	3	5	8
Tennessee.....	.....	3	3
Texas.....	.....	1	1
Vermont.....	.....	1	1
Virginia.....	.....	1	1
West Virginia.....	.....	1	1
Washington.....	1	.....	1
Washington, D. C.....	1	.....	1
Wisconsin.....	.....	38	38
Wyoming.....	.....	5	5
Female.....	138	602	740
Iowa.....	133	578	711
California.....	.....	2	2
Oklahoma.....	.....	2	2
Nebraska.....	.....	2	2
North Dakota.....	1	.....	1
Montana.....	.....	7	7
Kansas.....	1	1	2
New York.....	1	1	2
Colorado.....	.....	1	1
Missouri.....	.....	1	1
Tennessee.....	.....	1	1
Utah.....	.....	1	1
Illinois.....	2	4	6
Indian Territory.....	.....	1	1
Grand totals.....	383	4,827	5,210

TABLE NO. 18.

AGES OF MEMBERS AT DEATH.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years.....	3	.....	3	3	.....	3	6	.....	6
50 and under 60 years.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
60 and under 70 years.....	21	4	25	16	5	21	37	9	46
70 and under 80 years.....	48	12	60	39	11	50	87	23	110
80 and under 90 years.....	15	6	21	22	5	27	37	11	48
90 and under 100 years.....	3	1	4	1	1	2	4	2	6
100 and under 110 years.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Totals.....	92	24	116	82	23	105	174	47	221

TABLE NO. 19.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF MEMBERS.
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. General diseases.....	15	5	20	13	3	16	28	8	36
Senile debility.....	2		2	2	2	4	4	2	6
Tuberculosis of bowels.....	1		1				1		1
Tuberculosis, pul- monary.....	2	1	3	2	1	3	4	2	6
Diabetes.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Intestinal obstruc- tion.....	1		1				1		1
Adenitis.....	1		1				1		1
Cancer of stomach.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Cancer of teteri.....				1		1	1		1
Cancer of face.....	2		2	2		2	4		4
Cancer of penis.....				1		1	1		1
Autotoxemia.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Septicemia.....	1	1	1				1		1
Influenza.....	2	1	3	1		1	3	1	4
Lues.....	1		1				1		1
Rheumatism of heart.....		1	1				1		1
Leukemia.....				1		1	1		1
II. Diseases of nervous sys- tem and organs of special sense.....	19	3	22	11	6	17	30	9	39
Paralysis, general.....	10	1	11	6	4	10	16	5	21
Paralysis agitans.....	2		2	2	1	3	4	1	5
Senile dementia.....	5		5	2	1	3	7	1	8
Senile gangrene.....		1	1			1	1	1	2
Acute congestion of brain.....		1	1				1		1
Angina pectoris.....	2		2				2		2
III. Diseases of the circula- tory system.....	19	9	28	22	5	27	41	14	55
Valvular disease of heart.....	14	5	19	14	4	18	28	9	37
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	2	4	6	7	1	8	9	5	14
Hemorrhage of bowels.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Concussion of brain.....	1		1				1		1
IV. Diseases of respiratory system.....	6	1	7	6	4	10	12	5	17
Pneumonia.....	3	1	4	4	3	7	7	4	11
Pulmonary (emphy- semia).....	1		1				1		1
Congestion of lungs.....	1		1				1		1
Bronchial pneumonia.....				1		1	1		1
Chronic bronchitis.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
V. Diseases or genito-urin- ary system.....	8	3	11	14		14	22	3	25
Nephritis, chronic.....	8	1	9	11		11	19	1	20
Uremia.....		2	2	2		2	2	2	4
Chronic cystitis.....				1		1	1		1
VI. Diseases of the gastro- intestinal tract.....	7	1	8	5	1	6	12	2	14
Gastritis.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Cirrhosis of liver.....	2	1	3	2	1	3	4	2	6
Chronic inflamma- tion of bowels.....	2		2				2		2
Chronic diarrhea.....	2		2	2		2	4		4

TABLE NO. 19—Continued.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
VII. Suicide and accidental deaths.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Exposure to cold (demented).....	1		1				1		1
Suicide by cutting throat.....				1		1	1		1
Suicide by shooting.....				1		1	1		1
Grand totals.....	75	22	97	73	19	92	148	41	189

TABLE NO. 20.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.
ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Books purchased.....	303
Books donated.....	.....
Total.....	303
Books withdrawn.....	664
Collection June 30, 1914.....	1,412

TABLE NO. 21.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.
CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Art.....	3
Biography.....	17
Essays.....	.....
Poetry.....	.....
Fiction.....	244
History.....	25
Language.....	.....
Religion.....	1
Ethics and philosophy.....	.....
Science.....	2
Sociology.....	3
Travel.....	4
Reference.....	4
Periodicals.....	.....
Miscellaneous.....	.....
Total.....	308

TABLE NO. 22.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.
CIRCULATION OF BOOKS.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Art.....	48
Biography.....	32
Essays and poetry.....	14,136
Fiction.....	416
History.....	.....
Science.....	.....
Travel.....	84
Miscellaneous.....	56
Periodicals.....	.....
Total circulation.....	14,772
Average monthly—	
Population.....	732
Employees.....	125.9
Readers.....	151

TABLE NO. 23.
FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.
PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913.		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Fruits.....		\$ 277.22		\$ 274.64		\$ 551.86
Apples..... bushels			109 $\frac{1}{2}$	46.00	109 $\frac{1}{2}$	46.00
Blackberries..... quarts			16	1.92	16	1.92
Cherries..... quarts	1,429	107.04	1,705	127.86	3,134	234.90
Currants..... quarts	177	17.70	84	9.40	271	27.10
Grapes..... pounds	1,121	33.63	809	24.27	1,830	57.90
Plums..... bushels	76	68.40	47 $\frac{1}{2}$	42.75	123 $\frac{1}{2}$	111.15
Raspberries..... quarts	473	47.30	187	22.44	660	69.74
Strawberries..... quarts	45	3.15			45	3.15
Vegetables.....		1,556.76		1,192.75		2,749.51
Asparagus..... pounds	451	67.65	305	61.00	756	128.65
Beans, string... pounds	1,938	58.14	726	21.78	2,664	79.92
Beets..... bushels	90 $\frac{1}{2}$	47.50	44 $\frac{1}{2}$	36.80	134 $\frac{1}{2}$	84.30
Corn, green..... pounds	5,020	50.20	5,304	268.20	10,324	318.40
Cabbage..... pounds	17,793	355.86	1,069	53.45	18,862	409.31
Cauliflower..... pounds	230	16.10			230	16.10
Carrots..... pounds	2,675	26.75			2,675	26.75
Celery..... pounds	373	29.84			373	29.84
Cucumbers..... pounds	1,092	21.84	712	35.60	1,804	57.44
Egg-plant..... pounds	95	2.85			95	2.85
Lettuce..... pounds	1,165	25.65	614	30.70	1,779	56.35
Melons..... only	246	19.68	1,484	222.60	1,730	242.28
Onions, green... pounds	1,288	34.04	1,099	84.65	2,387	118.69
Onions, dried... bushels	1	.75	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.12	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3.87
Potatoes, Irish. bushels	587 $\frac{1}{2}$	440.62	203	164.07	790 $\frac{1}{2}$	604.69
Potatoes, sweet. pounds			1,200	36.00	1,200	36.00
Peas, green..... pounds	245	12.25	445	20.05	690	32.30
Rhubarb..... pounds	2,374	53.44	3,647	72.94	6,021	126.38
Radishes..... pounds	1,334	23.42	625	18.75	1,959	42.17
Rutabagas..... pounds	320	6.40			320	6.40
Squash..... only	1,211	96.08			1,211	96.08
Sauerkraut..... gallons	350	70.00			350	70.00
Spinach..... pounds	100	7.00	88	7.04	188	14.04
Turnips..... bushels	85	42.50			85	42.50
Tomatoes..... bushels	120 $\frac{1}{2}$	48.20	122	56.00	232 $\frac{1}{2}$	104.20
Grand totals.....		\$ 1,833.98		\$ 1,467.39		\$ 3,301.37

TABLE NO. 24.
PRODUCTS OF THE PENS—CONSUMED.

		For Year End- ing June 30, 1913		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Chicken.....	pounds	1,488	\$ 190.05	642	\$ 88.65	2,130	\$ 278.70
Eggs.....	dozen	1,219	231.06	1,611	316.56	2,830	547.62
Totals.....			\$ 421.11		\$ 405.21		\$ 826.32

TABLE NO. 25.
ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

		For Year End- ing June 30, 1913		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
1. In sewing-room—							
Aprons.....		115	\$ 48.89	157	\$ 48.32	272	\$ 97.21
Box covers.....		3	3.07	3	4.03	6	7.10
Bread sacks.....				12	4.75	12	4.75
Bread covers.....		8	5.72	17	8.88	25	14.60
Chemises.....		4	4.25	12	10.95	16	15.20
Curtains.....		70	55.39	134	75.21	204	130.60
Dresses.....		134	399.91	113	342.20	247	742.11
Dresser scarfs.....		18	9.05	16	9.79	34	18.84
Dust bags.....		4	.65			4	.65
Gowns.....		137	143.19	124	130.17	261	273.36
Hair cloths.....		4	1.68			4	1.68
Mattress covers.....				4	3.90	4	3.90
Napkins.....		246	35.80	60	14.40	306	50.20
Peiticoats.....		147	179.09	113	102.62	260	281.71
Pillow slips.....				1,597	316.57	1,597	316.57
Skirts.....				51	73.49	51	73.49
Spreads.....				6	31.95	6	31.95
Sheets.....				813	495.09	813	495.09
Table-cloths.....				424	1,457.16	424	1,457.16
Towels.....				1,214	238.81	1,214	238.81
Waists.....				5	4.40	5	4.40
Totals.....			\$ 886.69		\$3,372.69		\$4,259.38
2. In laundry—							
Soap.....		3,000	\$ 120.00	7,060	\$ 120.00	10,060	402.40

TABLE NO. 26.
LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Sheets.....	185,000
Pillow slips.....	184,201
Spreads.....	220,406
Table-cloths.....	45,000
Shirts.....	46,800
Undershirts.....	50,000
Drawers.....	50,000
Socks.....	40,000
Aprons.....	8,000
Towels, hand.....	35,000
Towels, roller.....	40,000
Towels, bath.....	45,000
Towels, barber.....	20,000
Towels, dish.....	65,000
Hospital cloths.....	100,000
Jackets.....	15,000
Overalls.....	30,000
Night shirts.....	7,000
Nurses' uniforms.....	1,823
Nurses' aprons.....	1,200
Handkerchiefs.....	5,000
Carpets.....	1,000
Blankets.....	12,400
Cushion covers.....	1,400
Trousers.....	1,200
Vests.....	200
Coats.....	100
Total.....	1,210,730

TABLE NO. 27.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 23, 1913.

Breakfast—				
Eggs, boiled.....	32 dozen	19	\$	6.08
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	40		.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02		.40
Total.....			\$	6.88
Dinner—				
Beef, roast, and gravy.....	114 pounds	095	\$	10.83
Potatoes, mashed.....	1½ bushels	40		.60
Lettuce salad.....	25 pounds	05		1.25
Cheese.....	18 pounds	17		3.06
Pie-plant pie.....	63 only	065		4.09
Total.....			\$	19.83
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	40	\$	.40
Sauce (accounted for).....				
Peaches.....	3 cans	40		1.20
Total.....			\$	1.60
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	478 pounds	1.75		8.36
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	33.05
Total cost for Sunday, June 22, 1913.....			\$	61.36
Breakfast—				
Egg omelet.....	15 dozen	19	\$	2.85
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	40		.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02		.40
Total.....			\$	3.65
Dinner—				
Rice soup.....	14 pounds	04	\$	.56
Crackers.....	20 pounds	05		1.00
Beef, boiled.....	114 pounds	095		10.83
Potatoes, baked.....	2 bushels	40		.80
Lettuce salad (accounted for).....				
Total.....			\$	13.19
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Milk toast (accounted for).....				
Cherries.....	64 quarts	07	\$	3.48
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	472 pounds	1.75		8.26
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	32.95
Total cost for Monday, June 23, 1913.....			\$	53.27

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast—				
Bacon.....	110 pounds	14	\$	15.40
Potatoes, boiled.....	1½ bushels	40		.60
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02		.40
Total.....			\$	16.40
Dinner—				
Beef, roast, and gravy.....	114 pounds	095	\$	10.83
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40		.40
Radishes.....	64 pounds	18		11.52
Rice, boiled.....	14 pounds	04		.56
Total.....			\$	23.31
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Corn.....	32 cans	05½	\$	1.76
Canned apples.....	18 cans	22		3.96
Total.....			\$	5.72
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	24 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	476 pounds	1.75		8.33
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	33.02
Total cost for Tuesday, June 24, 1913.....			\$	78.45
Breakfast—				
Hash (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	\$	.40
Dinner—				
Ham, boiled.....	140 pounds	13	\$	18.20
Potatoes, baked.....	1½ bushels	40		.60
Beets, boiled.....	1½ bushels	75		1.12
Radishes.....	64 pounds	18		11.52
Total.....			\$	31.44
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes (accounted for).....				
Lima beans.....	25 pounds	06	\$	1.50
Cinnamon rolls.....	32 dozen	09		2.88
Prunes.....	50 pounds	07		3.50
Total.....			\$	7.88
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	35 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	458 pounds	1.75		8.01
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	32.70
Total cost for Wednesday, June 25, 1913.....			\$	72.42

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast—			
Pork chops.....	131 pounds	11½	\$ 14.73
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40	.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	.40
Total.....			\$ 15.53
Dinner—			
Beef, roast, and gravy.....	114 pounds	095	\$ 10.83
Potatoes, baked.....	1½ bushels	40	.60
Macaroni and cheese.....	10 pounds	01	.40
Cheese for macaroni.....	3 pounds	17	.51
Radishes (accounted for).....			
Scalloped corn.....	4 cans	05½	.22
Total.....			\$ 12.56
Supper—			
Potatoes, fried, (accounted for).....			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Cherries.....	32 quarts	07	\$ 2.24
Lettuce.....	25 pounds	05	1.25
Total.....			\$ 3.49
Miscellaneous—			
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$ 13.60
Bread.....	136 pounds	02	2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16	4.00
Milk.....	457 pounds	1.75	7.99
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86	4.39
Total.....			\$ 32.68
Total cost for Thursday, June 26, 1913.....			\$ 64.26
Breakfast—			
Cod fish, creamed.....	26 pounds	07	\$ 1.82
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40	.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	.40
Total.....			\$ 2.62
Dinner—			
Pork, roast, and gravy.....	141 pounds	11½	\$ 15.86
Potatoes, boiled.....	1½ bushels	40	.60
Onions, young.....	40 pounds	03	1.20
Lettuce, wilted.....	30 pounds	05	1.50
Total.....			\$ 19.16
Supper—			
Meat.....			
Potatoes, fried.....			
Rice, boiled.....	14 pounds	04	\$.56
Canned apples.....	8 cans	22	2.88
Cake, pieces.....	32 dozen	10	3.20
Total.....			\$ 5.64
Miscellaneous—			
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$ 13.50
Bread.....	135 pounds	02	2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16	4.00
Milk.....	444 pounds	1.75	8.77
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86	4.39
Total.....			\$ 33.46
Total cost for Friday, June 27, 1913.....			\$ 58.68

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast—			
Irish stew (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40	\$.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	.40
Total.....			\$.80
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	114 pounds	095	\$ 10.84
Potatoes, baked.....	2 bushels	40	.80
Canned beans.....	14 cans	40	5.60
Radishes.....			
Total.....			\$ 17.23
Supper—			
Meat.....			
Potatoes, fried.....			
Rice pudding (eggs).....	4 dozen	19	\$.76
Radishes.....	70 pounds	18	12.60
Total.....			\$ 13.36
Miscellaneous—			
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$ 13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02	2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16	4.00
Milk.....	489 pounds	1.75	8.76
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86	4.39
Total.....			\$ 33.45
Total cost for Saturday, June 28, 1913.....			\$ 64.84
Miscellaneous—			
Lard.....	50 pounds	09	\$ 4.50
Tea.....	15 pounds	30	4.50
Corn meal.....	50 pounds	1.50	.75
Pepper.....	5 pounds	11	.55
Total cost for miscellaneous.....			\$ 10.30

TABLE NO. 28.

BILLS OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING-ROOM, THANKSGIVING, 1913.

Breakfast—			
Oatmeal.....	15 pounds	02	\$.50
Pork chops.....	80 pounds	15	12.00
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	73	.73
Bread.....	43 pounds	02	.86
Butter.....	7 pounds	32	2.24
Sugar.....	20 pounds	4.45	.89
Milk.....	130 pounds	2.00	1.60
Coffee.....	4 pounds	15	.60
Total.....			\$ 20.38
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, beef steak, thickened milk, eggnog and cocoa.			
Eggs.....	4 dozen	29	1.16
Dinner—			
Chicken, roast.....	203 pounds	10	\$ 20.30
Potatoes, mashed.....	1 bushel	73	.73
Chicken gravy (accounted for).....			
Peas.....	22 cans	45	9.90
Cranberries.....	24 quarts	8½	2.04
Pumpkin pies.....	40 only	055	2.20
Cheese.....	10 pounds	16	1.60
Bread.....	43 pounds	02	.86
Butter.....	7 pounds	32	2.24
Sugar.....	20 pounds	4.45	.89
Milk.....	130 pounds	2.00	1.60
Coffee.....	4 pounds	15	.60
Total.....			\$ 44.12
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, chicken broth, W. R. C. jelly and fruit, thickened milk, eggnog and cocoa.			
Eggs.....	4 dozen	29	1.16
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	73	\$.73
Blackberries.....	7 cans	50	3.50
Pieces cake.....	21 dozen	10	2.10
Bread.....	43 pounds	02	.86
Sugar.....	20 pounds	4.45	.89
Butter.....	7 pounds	32	2.24
Milk.....	130 pounds	2.00	1.60
Coffee.....	4 pounds	15	.60
Tea.....	¼ pounds	25	.37
Total.....			\$ 14.05
Total cost for Thursday, Nov. 27, 1913.....			\$ 78.55
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, chicken broth, thickened milk, eggnog and cocoa.			
Eggs.....	4 dozen	29	1.16

TABLE NO. 29.

BILLS OF FARE—OLD PEOPLES' DINING-ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1913.

Dinner—			
Roast turkey.....	160 pounds	26	\$ 41.60
Oyster dressing (oysters).....	1½ gallons	1.30	1.95
Eggs for dressing.....	1 dozen	29	.29
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 pecks	18	.54
Peas, creamed.....	30 cans	45	13.50
Cranberries.....	19 quarts	8½	1.61
W. R. C. and G. A. R. jelly (accounted for).....			
Mince pies.....	40 glasses		
Apple pies.....	27 only	065	1.75
Fruit cake, pieces.....	27 only	065	1.75
Cheese.....	15 dozen	10	1.50
Apples.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Bananas.....	2 bushel	1.74	3.48
Oranges.....	18 dozen	20	3.60
Candy.....	18 dozen	28	5.04
	38 pounds	10	3.80
Total.....			\$ 81.69
Total cost for December 25, 1913.....			\$ 81.69

TABLE NO. 30.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

Receipts—	
Balance June 30, 1912.....	\$ 2,121.82
Per capita, members.....	282,062.46
Per capita, civilians.....	30,105.08
Posthumous fund.....	1,933.15
Hogs sold.....	2,959.62
Miscellaneous receipts.....	7,177.81
Total.....	\$ 326,359.94
Expenditures—	
Salaries and wages.....	\$ 106,336.25
Provisions.....	114,309.37
Household stores.....	12,825.66
Clothing.....	15,778.27
Fuel and light.....	38,606.30
Hospital supplies.....	8,189.78
Shop, farm and garden.....	10,651.74
Ordinary repairs.....	937.14
Water and ice.....	7,673.08
Postage and stationery.....	1,570.19
Miscellaneous expenses.....	4,368.55
Contingent fund.....	200.15
Balance June 30, 1914.....	4,966.76
Total.....	\$ 326,359.94

TABLE NO. 31.

CONTINGENT, STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUNDS.

	Con- tingent Fund	Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	Posthumous Fund
June, 1912.....		\$ 4,344.88		
Balance July 1, 1912.....	\$ 70.52			
July.....		4,411.43	\$ 601.76	
August.....	225.72	4,298.05	72.12	
September.....		4,367.02	208.49	
October.....	24.23	4,405.17	2,132.58	
November.....	76.66	4,488.97	343.94	\$ 1,577.89
December.....		4,456.11	547.90	
January, 1913.....	76.80	4,449.16	2,515.41	
February.....	20.09	4,439.39	1,190.05	
March.....	23.42	4,388.74	511.75	
April.....	72.27	4,376.09	244.24	
May.....		4,380.64	300.21	
June.....	28.50	4,314.88	282.50	
July.....		4,358.51	703.62	
August.....	28.95	4,417.31	234.18	
September.....		4,388.03	418.57	
October.....	72.39	4,418.80	221.43	
November.....		4,492.93	227.36	
December.....		4,541.82	308.15	
January, 1914.....	139.86	4,517.76	312.50	188.67
February.....		4,519.07	118.16	
March.....	30.26	4,572.15	174.09	
April.....	54.60	4,498.51	270.19	111.50
May.....		4,490.83	130.38	
Totals.....	\$ 944.27	\$ 106,336.25	\$ 12,070.58	\$ 1,933.15
Expenditures on approved vouchers.....	\$ 708.33	\$ 106,336.25	\$ 12,070.58	To State Treas. \$ 1,933.15
Balance June 30, 1914.....	\$ 235.94			
Totals.....	\$ 944.27	\$ 106,336.25	\$ 12,070.58	\$ 1,933.15

TABLE NO. 32.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office.

Cash on hand.....	\$ 389.14	
Cash received account miscellaneous (receipts).....	655.66	
Cash received account pay-rolls.....	18,075.03	
Cash received account members' fund.....	10,400.30	
Unpaid checks.....	263.37	
By salaries and wages.....		\$ 18,075.03
By transfers.....		655.66
By checks drawn.....		10,742.11
By cash on hand.....		310.70
	\$ 29,783.50	\$ 29,783.50
Total number of checks issued 1,007.		

TABLE NO. 33.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds	Balances in State Treas- ury July 1, 1912	Appropriated by the General Assembly	Amounts Ex- pended Dur- ing Period	Balances in State Treas- ury June 30, 1914
Purchase of land (Dec. 16, 1912).....	\$ 4,241.50			
35th G. A.....	75.00	\$ 8,000.00		
Additional room for married people.....			\$ 1,334.29	
Contingent and repairs.....			7,034.42	\$ 3,947.79

TABLE NO. 28.
ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1911		For Year Ending June 30, 1912		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
	No	Value	No	Value	No	Value
1. In sewing room—						
Aprons	101	\$ 36.88	149	\$ 62.40	250	\$ 99.28
Bread sacks			24	7.20	24	7.20
Curtains	162	153.76	136	68.46	298	222.22
Cushion covers	2	.37			2	.37
Dresses	137	375.12	189	691.84	326	1,066.96
Dresser scarfs	5	2.83	12	2.27	17	5.10
Furniture covers	3	1.65			3	1.65
Gowns	122	161.95	164	179.22	286	341.17
Mattress covers	26	17.93	19	12.95	45	30.88
Meat covers	4	2.00			4	2.00
Napkins	72	11.87			72	11.87
Petticoats	152	210.06	127	142.93	279	352.99
Pillow slips	76	13.96	96	20.13	172	34.09
Sheets	912	405.34	274	127.22	1,186	532.56
Shrouds	8	39.50	6	32.05	14	71.55
Skirts	1	1.45	50	120.05	51	121.50
Sofa pillows	6	1.98			6	1.98
Screens	2	1.13			2	1.13
Table-cloths	176	578.13	349	1,188.39	525	1,766.52
Table pads	6	.84	10	12.89	16	13.73
Towels	873	130.14	619	147.37	1,492	277.51
Tray covers	4	1.05			4	1.05
Waists	11	13.46			11	13.46
Totals		\$ 2,161.40		\$ 2,815.37		\$4,976.77
2. In carpenter shop—						
Commodore			6	\$ 12.00	6	\$ 12.00
Cupboard			1	10.00	1	10.00
Wagon box			1	30.00	1	30.00
Wardrobes			21	87.00	21	87.00
Refrigerators			2	349.09	2	349.09
Totals				\$ 488.09		\$ 488.09
3. In laundry—						
Soap	4,250	\$ 170.00	4,430	\$ 177.20	8,680	\$ 347.20
4. In bakery—						
Bread, white	25,081	\$ 2,758.91	24,526	\$ 2,697.86	49,607	\$5,456.77
Bread, graham	5,762	576.20	4,266	426.60	10,028	1,002.80
Biscuits	37,648	313.70	56,396	469.90	94,044	783.60
Corn bread, pans	564	124.08	628	138.16	1,192	262.24
Cookies	47,814	398.40	39,196	326.60	87,010	725.00
Pies	7,380	479.70	7,055	458.58	14,435	338.28
Bread, ginger	30	6.60	172	37.84	202	44.44
Totals		\$ 4,657.59		\$ 4,555.54		\$9,213.13
5. Wood, cords			11	\$ 56.00	11	\$ 56.00

TABLE NO. 29.
REPORT OF LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
Sheets	151,840
Pillow slips	150,000
Spreads	20,280
Table-cloths	42,640
Shirts	46,800
Undershirts	50,000
Drawers	50,000
Socks	38,000
Aprons	8,000
Towels, hand	30,000
Towels, roller	38,100
Towels, bath	42,000
Towels, barber	15,600
Towels, dish	62,400
Hospital cloths	65,000
Jackets	12,500
Overalls	25,000
Night shirts	6,240
Nurses' uniforms	1,823
Nurses' aprons	3,800
Handkerchiefs	4,058
Carpets	1,600
Blankets	6,240
Cushion covers	2,052
Trousers	1,040
Vests	289
Coats	90
Total	875,402

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Dresses	137	375.12	189	691.84	326	1,066.96
Dresser scarfs	5	2.83	12	2.27	17	5.10
Furniture covers	3	1.65			3	1.65
Gowns	122	161.95	164	179.22	286	341.17
Mattress covers	26	17.93	19	12.95	45	30.88
Meat covers	4	2.00			4	2.00
Napkins	72	11.87			72	11.87
Petticoats	152	210.06	127	142.93	279	352.99
Pillow slips	76	13.96	96	20.13	172	34.09
Sheets	912	405.34	274	127.22	1,186	532.56
Shrouds	8	39.50	6	32.05	14	71.55
Skirts	1	1.45	50	120.05	51	121.50
Sofa pillows	6	1.98			6	1.98
Screens	2	1.13			2	1.13
Table-cloths	176	578.13	349	1,188.39	525	1,766.52
Table pads	6	.84	10	12.89	16	13.73
Towels	873	130.14	619	147.37	1,492	277.51
Tray covers	4	1.05			4	1.05
Waists	11	13.46			11	13.46
Totals		\$ 2,161.40		\$ 2,815.37		\$4,976.77
2. In carpenter shop—						
Commodore			6	\$ 12.00	6	\$ 12.00
Cupboard			1	10.00	1	10.00
Wagon box			1	30.00	1	30.00
Wardrobes			21	87.00	21	87.00
Refrigerators			2	349.09	2	349.09
Totals				\$ 488.09		\$ 488.09
3. In laundry—						
Soap	4,250	\$ 170.00	4,430	\$ 177.20	8,680	\$ 347.20
4. In bakery—						
Bread, white	25,081	\$ 2,758.91	24,526	\$ 2,697.86	49,607	\$5,456.77
Bread, graham	5,762	576.20	4,266	426.60	10,028	1,002.80
Biscuits	37,648	313.70	56,396	469.90	94,044	783.60
Corn bread, pans	564	124.08	628	138.16	1,192	262.24
Cookies	47,814	398.40	39,196	326.60	87,010	725.00
Pies	7,380	479.70	7,055	458.58	14,435	338.28
Bread, ginger	30	6.60	172	37.84	202	44.44
Totals		\$ 4,657.59		\$ 4,555.54		\$9,213.13
5. Wood, cords			11	\$ 56.00	11	\$ 56.00

TABLE NO. 29.
REPORT OF LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912	
Sheets	151,840
Pillow slips	150,000
Spreads	20,280
Table-cloths	42,640
Shirts	46,800
Undershirts	50,000
Drawers	50,000
Socks	38,000
Aprons	8,000
Towels, hand	30,000
Towels, roller	38,100
Towels, bath	42,000
Towels, barber	15,600
Towels, dish	62,400
Hospital cloths	65,000
Jackets	12,500
Overalls	25,000
Night shirts	6,240
Nurses' uniforms	1,823
Nurses' aprons	3,800
Handkerchiefs	4,058
Carpets	1,600
Blankets	6,240
Cushion covers	2,052
Trousers	1,040
Vests	289
Coats	90
Total	875,402

TABLE NO. 30.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 29, 1912.

Sunday, June 23, 1912.			
Breakfast—			
Ham, boiled.....	160 pounds	\$ 13	\$ 20.80
Potatoes.....	2 bushels	75	1.50
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	1.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.08
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	176 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 34.06
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	175 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 16.63
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 bushels	75	2.25
Tomatoes, stewed.....	18 cans	23	4.14
Brown gravy (accounted for).....			
Pies, apple.....	81 only	\$ 065	5.27
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 39.35
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Tomatoes, stewed (accounted for).....			
Cherries.....	128 quarts	\$ 06	\$ 7.68
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.44
Tea.....	1½ pounds	30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 19.19
Total cost for Sunday, June 23, 1912.....			\$ 92.60

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Meat stew (accounted for).....			
Potatoes for stew.....	2 bushels	\$ 75	\$ 1.50
Onions for stew.....	25 pounds	01	.25
Potatoes, boiled.....	¼ bushel	75	.38
Oatmeal.....	53 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	15 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	9 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	30 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	174 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....		1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 13.89
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	175 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 16.63
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Vermicelli for soup.....	15 pounds	04	1.60
Tomatoes for soup.....	6 cans	23	1.38
Crackers.....	25 pounds	05	1.25
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 32.80
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Corn meal for mush.....			
Bread.....	40 pounds	\$ 1.40	\$.56
Butter.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Coffee.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Tea.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Sugar.....	1½ pounds	30	.45
Milk.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Total.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total cost for Monday, June 24, 1912.....			\$ 11.91
Total cost for Sunday, June 23, 1912.....			\$ 58.60

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—				
Bacon, fried.....	140 pounds	\$	14	\$ 17.30
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels		75	1.88
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds		02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds		12	1.08
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 30.48
Dinner—				
Beef roast.....	175 pounds	\$	095	\$ 16.63
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels		75	1.88
Spinach, boiled.....	300 pounds		07	21.00
Brown gravy (accounted for).....				
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds		16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 50.57
Supper—				
Cold meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Prunes for sauce.....	50 pounds	\$	06	\$ 3.00
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds		16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 14.00
Total cost for Tuesday, June 25, 1912.....				\$ 96.11

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—				
Mess pork, fried.....	140 pounds	\$	085	\$ 11.90
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels		75	1.88
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds		02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds		16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 25.54
Dinner—				
Beef, boiled.....	175 pounds	\$	095	\$ 16.63
Peas, stewed.....	24 cans		08	1.92
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels		75	1.88
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds		16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 31.49
Supper—				
Cold meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Peas, stewed (accounted for).....				
Apples.....	20 cans	\$	22	\$ 4.40
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Coffee.....	8 pounds		16	1.44
Tea.....	1½ pounds		30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 12.16
Total cost for Wednesday, June 26, 1912.....				\$ 69.19
Breakfast—				
Pork chops, fried.....	213 pounds	\$	11½	\$ 23.96
Potatoes, boiled.....	2 bushels		75	1.50
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds		02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.15
Coffee.....	9 pounds		16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 36.62
Dinner—				
Pork, roast.....	213 pounds	\$	095	\$ 23.96
Potatoes, browned.....	3 bushels		75	2.25
Peas, green, stewed.....	240 pounds		04	9.60
Rice, stewed.....	30 pounds		04	1.20
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds		16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 48.07
Supper—				
Cold meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Rice, cold (accounted for).....				
Prunes.....	50 pounds	\$	06	\$ 3.00
Bread.....	53 pounds		02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds		25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds		16	1.28
Tea.....	1½ pounds		30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86		1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75		3.05
Total.....				\$ 14.35
Total cost for Thursday, June 27, 1912.....				\$ 99.04

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Cod fish, stewed.....	60 pounds	\$ 07	\$ 4.20
Potatoes, boiled.....	3 bushels	75	2.25
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 18.21
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	190 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 18.05
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	75	1.88
Bread dressing (accounted for).....			
Lettuce.....	125 pounds	01	1.25
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 32.24
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes fried (accounted for).....			
Cherries.....	128 quarts	\$ 06	\$ 7.68
Cookies.....	45 dozen	10	4.50
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Tea.....	¼ pounds	30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 23.53
Total cost for Friday, June 28, 1912.....			\$ 73.98
Breakfast—			
Meat hash (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ bushels	\$ 75	\$ 1.88
Oatmeal, steamed.....	35 pounds	02	.70
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 13.64
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	189 pounds	\$ 095	\$ 17.96
Potatoes, boiled.....	2½ pounds	75	1.88
Beans, navy, boiled.....	70 pounds	025	1.75
Onions, green.....	130 pounds	01	1.30
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	9 pounds	16	1.44
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 33.95

TABLE NO. 30, CONTINUED.

Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Cold beans (accounted for).....			
Prunes.....	50 pounds	\$ 06	\$ 3.00
Bread.....	53 pounds	02	1.06
Butter.....	15 pounds	25	3.75
Coffee.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Tea.....	¼ pounds	30	.45
Sugar.....	30 pounds	5.86	1.76
Milk.....	174 pounds	1.75	3.05
Total.....			\$ 14.35
Total cost for Saturday, June 29, 1912.....			\$ 61.94
Miscellaneous for week—			
Salt, coarse.....	196 pounds	\$ 005	\$.98
Syrup.....	8 gallons	28	2.04
Pepper.....	15 pounds	11	1.65
Total.....			\$ 4.67
Total cost for week ending June 29, 1912.....			\$500.46
Average number of persons fed.....			407
Average cost per person per week.....			1.377
Average cost per person per day.....			.196
Average cost per person per meal.....			.065

TABLE NO. 31.

BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING-ROOMS, THANKSGIVING, 1911.

Breakfast—				
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	\$ 02	\$.40	
Sausage (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried.....	1½ bushels	1.00	1.50	
Bread.....	47 pounds	.02	.94	
Butter.....	13 pounds	.26	3.38	
Sugar.....	20 pounds	5.37	1.07	
Milk.....	159 pounds	2.00	3.18	
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, beefsteak, thickened milk, eggs.....	6 dozen	25	1.50	
Total.....				\$ 11.97
Dinner—				
Chicken, roasted.....	260 pounds	\$ 145	\$ 37.70	
Dressing (accounted for).....				
Potatoes.....	1½ bushels	1.00	1.50	
Peas.....	34 cans	.07	2.72	
Beets.....	2 bushels	5.00	1.00	
Cranberries.....	23 quarts	10	2.80	
Piccaililli, 2 gallons (home canned).....				
Jelly, 8 glasses (home canned).....				
Mince pie (accounted for).....				
Apples.....	6 bushels	1.25	7.50	
Pies, pumpkin.....	43 only	.065	2.80	
Cake.....	8 pans	.22	1.76	
Bread.....	47 pounds	.02	.94	
Butter.....	13 pounds	.26	3.38	
Sugar.....	20 pounds	5.37	1.07	
Milk.....	159 pounds	2.00	3.18	
Coffee.....	5 pounds	12	.60	
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, beefsteak, thickened milk, eggs.....	6 dozen	25	1.50	
Total.....				\$ 68.45
Supper—				
Cold chicken (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried.....	1½ bushels	\$1.00	\$ 1.50	
Beet pickles (accounted for).....				
Cabbage salad (accounted for).....				
Jelly (accounted for).....				
Bread.....	47 pounds	.02	.94	
Butter.....	13 pounds	.26	3.38	
Sugar.....	20 pounds	5.37	1.07	
Milk.....	159 pounds	2.00	3.18	
Coffee.....	3 pounds	12	.36	
Tea.....	2 pounds	30	.60	
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, egg-nog, cocoa, W. R. C. Jelly and fruit, thickened milk, eggs.....	6 dozen	25	1.50	
Total.....				\$ 12.53
Total cost for Thursday, November 30, 1911.....				\$ 92.95

TABLE NO. 32.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S DINING-ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1911.

Dinner—				
Turkey, roast.....	160 pounds	\$ 195	\$ 31.20	
Oyster dressing, oysters.....	2 gallons	1.15	2.30	
Peas.....	24 cans	.08	1.92	
Oranges.....	1½ boxes	3.50	5.25	
Bananas.....	15 dozen	20	3.00	
Cranberries.....	14 quarts	10	1.40	
Potatoes, mashed.....	1½ bushels	1.00	1.50	
Salad (accounted for).....				
Cheese.....	15 pounds	15	2.25	
Cookies.....	30 dozen	10	3.00	
Cake, loaf.....	4 pans	.22	.88	
Pies, mince.....	35 only	.065	2.28	
Candy.....	35 pounds	10	3.50	
Pickles, cucumber.....	5 gallons	.26	1.30	
Bread.....	17 pounds	.02	.34	
Butter.....	10 pounds	.34	3.40	
Coffee.....	2½ pounds	12	.32	
Sugar.....	8 pounds	5.37	.43	
Milk.....	60 pounds	2.00	1.20	
Total.....				\$ 65.47

TABLE NO. 33.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

		Average Expense Per Capita		
		Two Years	Month	Day
Receipts—				
Balance July 1, 1910.....	\$ 7,503.49			
Per capita, members.....	282,539.74			
Per capita, civilians.....	29,355.51			
Posthumous fund.....	2,429.61			
Hogs sold.....	5,448.36			
Miscellaneous sales.....	5,857.43			
Total.....	\$ 333,134.14			
Expenditures—				
Salaries and wages.....	\$ 105,544.34	\$ 118.06	\$ 4.92	\$.164
Provisions.....	125,490.20	140.37	5.85	.195
Household stores.....	12,588.69	14.08	.60	.02
Clothing.....	19,698.73	22.03	.92	.03
Fuel and light.....	35,913.24	40.17	1.67	.056
Hospital supplies.....	5,232.92	5.29	.22	.007
Shop, farm and garden.....	12,677.95	14.18	.59	.019
Ordinary repairs.....	1,103.47	1.23	.051	.0017
Library.....	27.90	.03		
Water and ice.....	4,668.26	5.22	.217	.0072
Postage and stationery.....	1,362.19	1.52	.063	.002
Miscellaneous expenses.....	6,633.91	7.42	.31	.011
Balance June 30, 1912.....	2,192.34			
Totals.....	\$ 333,134.14	\$ 270.90	\$ 15.411	\$.5119

TABLE NO. 34.

CONTINGENT, STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUNDS.

	Contingent Fund	State Fund		Posthumous Fund
		Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	
Balance July 1, 1910.....	\$ 250.00			
July, 1910.....	20.72	\$ 4,315.75	\$ 644.97	
August.....		4,325.05	730.52	
September.....		4,322.54	502.27	
October.....	134.04	4,241.11	347.40	
November.....	113.80	4,235.75	353.76	
December.....		4,361.86	307.16	
January, 1911.....	239.98	4,250.94	752.21	
February.....		4,330.56	502.31	
March.....		4,414.87	114.23	
April.....		4,377.37	470.04	
May.....		4,328.79	48.50	\$ 143.14
June.....		4,300.54	546.23	
July.....	47.19	4,515.35	528.54	
August.....	20.85	4,516.39	307.25	
September.....		4,503.58	1,393.40	307.25
October.....	76.52	4,503.66	594.31	
November.....		4,566.66	697.65	17.57
December.....		4,457.80	80.00	
January, 1912.....		4,430.16	463.91	1,019.33
February.....	211.25	4,451.70	64.49	
March.....	39.38	4,472.86	211.65	543.92
April.....		4,403.08	1,153.85	396.39
May.....		4,403.09	331.70	
June.....		4,344.88	99.55	
Totals.....	\$ 1,153.73	\$ 105,544.34	\$ 11,305.97	\$ 2,429.61
Expenditures— On approved vouchers.....	\$ 1,083.21			
To officers and employees.....		\$ 105,544.34	\$ 11,305.97	\$ 2,429.61
Balance June 30, 1912.....	70.52			
Totals.....	\$ 1,153.73	\$ 105,544.34	\$ 11,305.97	\$ 2,429.61

TABLE NO. 35.

MEMBERS' FUND

Balance on hand June 30, 1910.....	\$ 7,503.49	
Receipts.....	325,370.65	
Disbursements.....		\$ 330,752.32
Balance on hand June 30, 1912.....		2,121.82
Totals.....	\$ 332,874.14	\$ 332,874.14

TABLE NO. 36.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Collections, including salaries and wages.....		\$ 332,847.14
Paid out, including salaries and wages.....		330,752.32
Deposited in bank.....	\$ 88,239.13	
Deposited account miscellaneous receipts.....	11,305.97	
Deposited account salaries and wages.....	105,544.34	205,089.44
Total number of checks issued—1,279.		

TABLE NO. 37.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds	Balances in State Treasury, July 1, 1910	Appropriated by the General Assembly	Amounts Expended During Period	Balances in State Treasury, June 30, 1912
Fire hose.....				
Hose cart.....	\$ 25.00		\$ 25.00	
Additional fire protection	140.24		140.24	
Engine and generator.....	49.15		49.15	
Additional room for married people.....	5,000.00		3,665.71	\$ 1,334.29
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,927.35		1,927.35	
Improvement and general repairs.....	3,846.45		3,846.45	

TABLE NO. 38.

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of service
J. J. Russel	1887 to 1896
C. W. Burdick.....	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows.....	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill.....	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle.....	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson.....	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans.....	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin.....	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard.....	1895 to 1898
C. L. Davidson.....	1895 to 1896
J. M. Morton.....	1895 to 1898
L. B. Raymond.....	1896 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey.....	1897 to 1898
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Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee.....	January 1, 1898, to January 1, 1900
John Cownie.....	January 1, 1898, to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne.....	January 1, 1898, to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson.....	January 1, 1900, to date
John T. Hamilton.....	April 1, 1906, to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade.....	October 1, 1909, to date
Murdoch Bannister.....	April 6, 1910, to date
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Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Col. Milo Smith.....	December 1, 1887, to October 10, 1892
Col. J. H. Keatley.....	October 10, 1892, to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin.....	September 22, 1894, to September 28, 1897
Col. C. C. Horton.....	October 12, 1897, to date
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Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston....., 1887, to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells....., 1889, to November— 1894
Chas. L. Longley.....	.....November— 1894, to August— 1895
B. F. Warful.....	.....August 14, 1895, to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker.....March, 1903, to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson.....September 15, 1907, to date
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Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt....., 1887, to August—, 1885
Chas. L. Longley.....	.....August 14, 1895, to September—, 1879
B. A. Beeson.....October 12, 1897, to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett.....February 1, 1903, to date
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Surgeons of the Home.....	Time of services
W. B. Watters....., 1887, to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield.....August 2, 1894, to date
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Chaplains of the Home.....	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival.....Organization to ———, 1890
City ministers.....	.....1890, to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole.....	.....April 1, 1900, to date

SURGEON'S BIENNIAL REPORT.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June, 30, 1912

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

Another biennium has passed, and I herewith submit my Ninth Biennial Report for this institution, this one covering the time from July 1, 1910, to and including June 30, 1912.

The first half of this biennium shows a marked increase in the death-rate, but the second half dropped to, or a little below, normal for our class of patients.

As the years roll around and we measure distance from the great internal struggle which cemented our country into a strong national Union, we are often pained to find a lack of sympathy in the younger generation for those who preserved this Union.

For years we have cared for men broken and crippled in mind and body, caused by hardships of which a later generation can have no conception. May God through our state and nation continue to care for the boys of '61 to '65 in a way that will recompense their heroic sacrifices.

This year a private office has been provided the surgeon which is a great convenience. To you, Col. Horton, and to the Hon. Board of Control, for this provision I tender my thanks.

To all the hospital force who have been loyal to duty and have helped to keep up to a high standard the work intrusted to us, I return my thanks.

I return sincere thanks to the Hon. Board of Control for kindness and cooperation and to you, Col. Horton, for your never failing courtesy and support.

Respectfully submitted,

H. P. Duffield,

Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1912.

Treated in hospital	1,097
Visited in quarters	926
Received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call)	13,234
Average number at sick call daily	22
Highest number in hospital at one time	188
In hospital June 30, 1912, male	127
In hospital June 30, 1912, female	32
Average number in hospital, male	133.85
Average number in hospital, female	30.57
Died in home, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1911	102
Died on furlough, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1911	17
Died in home, women, year ending June 30, 1911	16
Died on furlough, women, year ending June 30, 1911	2
Whole number of deaths, male and female, year ending June 30, 1911	137
Died in home, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1912	78
Died in home, Spanish American soldiers, year ending June 30, 1912	1
Died on furlough, Union soldiers, year ending June 30, 1912	8
Died in home, women, year ending June 30, 1912	11
Died on furlough, women, year ending June 30, 1912	3
Whole number of deaths, male and female, year ending June 30, 1912	101
Whole number of deaths during biennial period	238
Average age, Union soldiers, who died in the home	75
Average age, Union soldiers, who died on furlough	73
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers at death	40
Average age of women who died in the home	72
Average age of women who died on furlough	67

CHAPLAIN'S BIENNIAL REPORT.

Marshalltown, July 18, 1912.

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,

Iowa Soldiers' Home,

Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

I have great pleasure in herewith submitting my biennial report covering the period from June 30, 1910, to June 30, 1912.

Nothing unexpected or startling has transpired in the chaplain's department. That which reasonably might be expected has occurred. The members of the home, like all other people, have continued their silent march to invisible shores. Two hundred thirty eight of our members have entered "That land of deepest shade, unpierced by human thought, the dreary regions of the dead, where all things are forgot." With increasing age the survivors are burdened with increasing disabilities, and the mental sympathizes with the physical. These disabilities render people less susceptible to any change, either mental or moral. They also contribute to fixedness of habit, thought and character. The members are approaching that period where he that is unjust shall be unjust still, and he that is righteous shall be righteous still.

With this condition of things the chaplain's work is more in the direction of strengthening the things that remain rather than in attempting the almost impossible, the securing of new creations, though a considerable number of conversions have been witnessed during the closing period.

In many regards the past biennium has been better than any that have preceded it. The Christian people have given un-

mistakable evidence of a deeper knowledge of the things of the kingdom and a more earnest desire to live acceptably in the sight of God. A greater interest has been taken in the preached gospel. The attendance has been firmer and more reliable. Our prayer and conference meetings have been seasons of great religious power. Our people do not suffer but they enjoy religion. A greatly increased number of people take part in the social services. At one of our prayer services which lasted one hour and ten minutes we had the usual amount of singing, the scriptures were read and commented on, then followed fifteen prayers from fifteen different people and forty-six testimonies, and this was only an average meeting.

Our services are kept up with great regularity; only one Sabbath has passed without service during the biennium when it was practicable to hold service. When the chaplain has not been able to supply his pulpit, pastors of the city churches have very kindly come to his assistance and have preached with great acceptability. Except in the summer months when our numbers are greatly diminished on account of being out on furlough we hold, regularly, two services on the Sabbath and a midweek prayer service. In the heated season we have one service on Sabbath held in the open air at six o'clock in the evening. Our congregations at this open air preaching will average from three hundred fifty to five hundred people. In addition to the foregoing services the Salvation Army holds a meeting every Monday evening, which is greatly appreciated by many of the people, and is productive of good. Then religious services are held at all funerals, making all told in the neighborhood of five hundred and twenty-four religious services that have been held during the past period.

The increased interest taken in religious work as above stated is largely attributable to the faithfulness of our very efficient choir composed of members of the home. They sing at funerals and all the religious services. Their work is highly commendable.

During the past biennial period the ladies of the G. A. R. Winchester Circle have furnished, in a very tasty manner and at considerable expense, the interior of Assembly Hall, with carpeting on the rostrum, rugs and matting for the aisles and beau-

tiful curtains to screen the alcoves. Under the energetic leadership of Miss Ray Hanchett, Department President of the W. R. C., a beautiful organ has been purchased at a cost of about sixty-five dollars and presented to the state for the benefit of the choir. These efforts of the women of both organizations have added greatly to the attractiveness of the hall and increased the interest in attendance.

As above stated two hundred and thirty-eight members of the home have passed away: of these twenty-nine died away from the home while on furlough. Twenty-seven of the number were women. One hundred fourteen have been interred in the home cemetery and the bodies of the balance have been shipped to the burial places of friends.

Our work in the hospital has been carried on as in years past. We hold song and prayer services in the different wards as we are able. Members of the young people's religious societies from the city churches have very kindly made frequent visits to the home and assisted us in hospital services. Private religious work is performed with the individual patients as opportunity offers, or a desire is expressed for such service. Letters and wills are written for those who desire, help and encouragement are everywhere extended to those who need.

We also have cared, as guardian, for nine persons who have died during the biennium and ten who still survive. In some instances the work of a guardian is very trying on nerves and patience.

Eighteen people have died whose belongings have been and are yet to be administrated upon by the chaplain.

Taking the work of the chaplain in its many sided forms, his preparation for pulpit efforts, his visiting the sick, burying the dead, his writing letters and wills, his settling estates, caring for the helpless and insane, his being "instant in season and out of season," have contributed to keep him busy most of the time.

Most respectfully submitted,

Jesse Cole,

Chaplain.

FOURTEENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

OF THE

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OF THE

IOWA SOLDIERS' HOME

AT MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT.

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 10, 1914.

To the Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen :—

I have the honor to submit this my report concerning the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1914, also the report of the adjutant, surgeon, quartermaster and chaplain, which are made a part of this report. For matters relating to their departments I refer you to their reports.

The opinion has generally prevailed that there would be a falling off in the membership of the home from year to year, but by reference to the adjutant's report it will appear that we had thirty-three more members on June 30, 1914, than we had on June 30, 1913, and this notwithstanding the loss by death of two hundred and twenty-one during the last preceding biennial period. In this connection your attention is called to the fact that the apparent discrepancy between the report of the adjutant and that of the surgeon is due to the fact that the former reports several parties buried by permission in our cemetery who were not members of the home, while the latter only reports those who were members of the home.

The number of patients in the hospital remains about the same from month to month. As one drops out another falls in to take his place. There are very few members who are not occasionally under the care of one of the surgeons. Surgeon Duffield and Assistant Surgeon Newell have rendered excellent and sympathetic service in the treatment of the sick and have had some remarkable cases of recovery. To Mrs. Newell, head nurse, and her splendid corps of nurses we are indebted for the kind and efficient care and attention given the patients and the scrupulously clean and sanitary condition of the hospital.

Mrs. Abbey is entitled to great credit for her management of the girls in the hospital dining-rooms and in the cottage.

The general condition and discipline of the home are good. Drunkenness is almost a thing of the past, and since the county authorities have waged war on the bootleggers we have not had a single drunken man. While the Soldiers' Home is probably the hardest to manage of any of the institutions we have had very little trouble. We must have discipline and it must be firm, but not harsh. A true soldier does not object to just and necessary rules so long as they apply to all alike. We must have no pets or friends and grant no special privileges to one that we can not to all under similar circumstances.

No matter what we may think as to the real character of a man, when he comes for information or with a complaint he is entitled to official courtesy and a fair hearing.

The thirty-fifth general assembly made an appropriation of \$8,000 as a contingent and repair fund. About one-half of this has been judiciously expended under your direction, and I have made an estimate for a new water heater and an additional washing machine and wringer in the laundry. Both of these are really necessary. If this estimate is approved it will nearly exhaust the balance of the \$8,000.

The vacuum heating system known as the Dunham system has been established in the Old Peoples' Building and we have the traps and pipes in stock for installing the same in the hospital. My engineer, Mr. Mullin, and his efficient assistants are making good headway in establishing this system and they will have it in running order, I trust, before cold weather comes. This system has given such satisfaction that I am convinced that it would be economy to introduce it in all steam-heated buildings. It is a general principal, I believe, that steam or hot air will seek the lines of least resistance, and for this reason it requires a higher pressure of steam to heat the buildings where the system is not established than it would if the system prevailed in all.

I recommend that the next general assembly be asked to make an appropriation of \$5,000 for the purpose of establishing the vacuum system of heating in the headquarters building, main building, annex, assembly hall, dormitory, nurses' cottage, women's hall and the quartermaster's building. Mr. Dunham's engineer has made a rough estimate as to the cost which I enclose herewith.

THE SUPPORT FUND.

The thirty-fifth general assembly, chapter 221, ammended section 2608 of the code providing that in case the membership should fall below eight hundred and fifty in any month we are to be allowed a per capita of \$15 for that month. This amount is not sufficient to afford proper support, and I recommend that the general assembly be asked to increase the number from eight hundred and fifty to nine hundred.

Advancing age with the attending weakness requires additional nurses and attendants in the hospital as well as in the quarters generally.

Additional help should be provided to relieve the old comrades from detail work. Many of them are not able to do this work.

We have not been able during the last few years to hire sufficient help on grounds and in the garden, and we must pay as much for this help as is paid by surrounding farmers if we would secure good, reliable men. We pay but \$25 a month, while farmers pay from \$30 to \$35 a month.

Our grounds are fine and artistically laid out with walks and drives and planted with attractive trees, but we have not had sufficient help to care for them as the grounds of a state institution should be. I refer to the help question, and the condition of the grounds only as evidence showing the need of additional support fund.

I suggest that the general assembly be asked to make an appropriation of \$3,000 for a contingent and repair fund.

One great need at the hospital is a special diet kitchen and a capable woman to act as cook. The regular cook at the hospital is listed as a special diet cook, but this is a misnomer. While she does prepare eggs, toast and such common diet for the sick she does not have time to prepare the special dishes that are tempting to or required by some of the patients. An addition to the hospital that would be suitable for a kitchen can, I think, be erected at little cost, and I recommend that the architect, providing you approve of this, be instructed to make an examination and report what can be done and the cost, and that the gen-

eral assembly be asked for an appropriation for the cost of the same, including equipment.

I am under renewed obligations to my adjutant and quartermaster for efficient service and loyal support; to Captain G. H. Childs, Inspecting Officer, Sergeant Major Laubscher, Captain Brock, Bookkeeper at Headquarters, and John Woy of the Quartermaster's Department for efficient work in their line; for the loyal support of my noncommissioned officers, and, in fact, to the members of the home themselves, with very few exceptions I am indebted for the good conduct of the home; and to the members of the board of control I wish to say, "I appreciate your kindness, courtesies and help in my duties as commandant."

Very respectfully,
Chas. C. Horton,
Commandant.

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 13, 1914.

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:—

Complying with your request I have the honor to submit the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1914.

Thanking you personally and the officers and members of the home generally, I am,

Your obedient servant,
B. A. Beeson,
Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present July 1st.....	527	171	698	490	166	656	527	171	698
Admitted for first time.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383
Readmitted.....	107	10	117	120	12	132	227	22	249
Non-service.....	2		2			2			2
Totals.....	758	251	1,009	733	246	979	1,001	331	1,332
Discharged honorably.....	114	13	127	96	11	107	210	24	234
*Dropped.....	63	48	111	47	20	67	110	68	178
Died in Home.....	91	24	115	83	22	105	174	46	220
Totals.....	268	85	353	226	53	279	494	138	632
Remaining June 30th.....	490	166	656	507	193	700	507	193	700
Average population.....	525	188	713	548	203	751	536.5	195.5	732

*Computed.

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members—						
Noncommissioned officers.....	29		29	29		29
For duty.....	281	166	447	302	193	495
On extra duty.....	45		45	45		45
Sick in hospital.....	135	31	166	131	40	171
Total.....	496	197	693	513	233	746
Civilian employes.....	50	72	122	50	71	121
Totals.....	546	269	815	563	304	867
Absent.						
With leave.....	268	142	410	250	149	399
Totals.....	268	142	410	250	149	399
Present and Absent.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members.....	758	308	1,066	757	342	1,099
Civilian employes.....	50	72	122	50	71	121
Totals.....	814	380	1,194	813	413	1,226
Average daily population (civilians included)....	713	187	900	751	209	960

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383
Black.....									
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write.....	117	60	177	110	59	169	227	119	346
Unable to read and write.....	4	6	10	13	9	22	17	15	32
Unknown.....	1	4	5				1	4	5
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	4		4	4		4	8		8
40 and under 50 years.....	3	1	4	4	1	5	7	2	9
50 and under 60 years.....	1	9	10	1	12	13	2	21	23
60 and under 70 years.....	43	24	67	39	30	69	82	54	136
70 and under 80 years.....	62	27	89	62	18	80	124	45	169
80 and under 90 years.....	9	8	17	13	7	20	22	15	37
90 and under 100 years.....		1	1					1	1
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383
Average ages.....	68.3	70.5-7					68	68	

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.		
	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	3	.....	3
40 and under 50 years.....	5	2	7
50 and under 60 years.....	4	30	34
60 and under 70 years.....	179	121	300
70 and under 80 years.....	443	149	592
80 and under 90 years.....	115	37	152
90 and under 100 years.....	8	3	11
Totals.....	757	342	1,099
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers.....	45.5-6 years		
Average age of men.....	74.35 years		
Average age of women.....	67.86 years		

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant.....	111	67	178	111	66	177	222	133	355
Catholic.....	4	3	7	10	2	12	14	5	19
None.....	7	.....	7	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single.....	18	.....	18	10	.....	10	28	.....	28
Married.....	54	32	86	46	32	78	100	64	164
Widowed.....	44	38	82	56	35	91	100	73	173
Divorced.....	6	.....	6	11	1	12	17	1	18
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born—	112	64	176	107	66	173	219	130	349
New England states.....	8	1	9	5	1	6	13	2	15
Connecticut.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Maine.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Massachusetts.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Rhode Island.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Vermont.....	3	1	4	2	.....	2	5	1	6
Middle states.....	34	17	51	25	11	36	59	28	87
Delaware.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
New York.....	20	10	30	12	5	17	32	15	47
New Jersey.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	3	1	2	3
Pennsylvania.....	14	7	21	11	4	15	25	11	36
Southern states.....	11	10	21	6	5	11	17	15	32
Virginia.....	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	2	5
West Virginia.....	3	1	4	1	.....	1	4	1	5
Kentucky.....	2	4	6	1	2	3	3	6	9
Missouri.....	2	3	5	2	2	4	4	5	9
Tennessee.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1
North Carolina.....	1	1	2	1	.....	1	2	1	3
Northwest states.....	59	36	95	71	49	120	130	85	215
Michigan.....	2	3	5	3	3	6	5	6	11
Ohio.....	27	14	41	24	18	42	51	32	83
Illinois.....	8	5	13	10	9	19	18	14	32
Indiana.....	10	5	15	21	8	29	31	13	44
Minnesota.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	2
Wisconsin.....	3	1	4	2	2	4	5	3	8
Iowa.....	9	8	17	11	8	19	20	16	36
Foreign born—	10	6	16	16	2	18	26	8	34
Bohemia.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Canada.....	3	1	4	3	1	4	6	2	8
England.....	.....	1	1	4	.....	4	4	1	5
Sweden.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
France.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	2
Prussia.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
Norway.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Germany.....	.....	2	2	2	.....	2	2	2	4
Ireland.....	3	1	4	.....	.....	3	3	1	4
Wales.....	2	1	3	1	.....	1	3	1	4
Grand totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 10.

PHYSICAL CONDITION ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

(Compiled by Surgeon.)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health: No person is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled, unless it be by reason of age.....									
II. Diseases—									
1. General diseases.....	55	70	125	79	68	147	134	138	272
Debility from age.....	41	70	111	57	68	125	98	138	236
Cancer.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Blind.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Tuberculosis.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Rheumatism.....	8		8	19		19	27		27
2. Diseases of the nervous system.....	20		20	8		8	28		28
Paralysis agitans.....	2		2				2		2
Paralysis, general.....	12		12	6		6	18		18
Epilepsy.....				1		1	1		1
Senile dementia.....	6		6	1		1	7		7
3. Diseases of the respiratory system.....	4		4	3		3	7		7
Asthma.....				1		1	1		1
Bronchitis, chronic.....	4		4	2		2	6		6
4. Diseases of gastro-intestinal tract.....	16		16	10		10	26		26
Constipation.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Disease of liver, all forms.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Gastritis.....	1		1	5		5	6		6
Hernia, double and single.....	9		9	3		3	12		12
Diarrhea, chronic.....	4		4				4		4
5. Diseases of circulatory system.....	12		12	11		11	23		23
Valvular disease of the heart.....	5		5	9		9	14		14
Hemorrhoids.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Varicose veins.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Arteriosclerosis.....	1		1				1		1
Varicocele.....	1		1				1		1
6. Diseases of the genito-urinary system.....	11		11	5		5	16		16
Cystitis.....	3		3	2		2	5		5
Nephritis.....	7		7	3		3	10		10
Prostatic enlargement.....	1		1				1		1
7. External injuries.....	4		4	7		7	11		11
Atrophy of hand.....				1		1	1		1
Fractures.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Contused wounds.....				2		2	2		2
Loss of limb.....				1		1	1		1
Dislocations.....	1		1				1		1
Gunshot wound.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Grand totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

TABLE NO. 11.

OCCUPATIONS PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Since Opening Of Home.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Agricultural and rural.....	62		62	70		70	132		132	1,473		1,473
Farmers.....	37		37	48		48	85		85			
Gardeners.....	2		2				2		2			
Laborers.....	23		23	22		22	45		45			
II. Commercial and mercantile.....	13		13	11		11	24		24	141	3	147
Agents, real estate.....				2		2	2		2			
Merchants.....	6		6	5		5	11		11			
Salesmen.....	7		7	4		4	11		11			
III. Manufacturing and mechanical.....	35		35	29		29	64		64			
1. Building trades.....	25		25	15		15	40		40	147		147
Carpenters.....	15		15	9		9	24		24			
Masons.....	2		2	4		4	6		6			
Painters.....	3		3	2		2	5		5			
Plasterer.....	1		1				1		1			
Millers.....	2		2				2		2			
Millwrights.....	2		2				2		2			
2. Clay, glass and stone.....										36		36
3. Mining.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	74		74
Miners.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
4. Food products.....				2		2	2		2	43		43
Butchers.....				2		2	2		2			
5. Iron and steel workers.....	3		3	4		4	7		7	164		164
Blacksmiths.....	3		3	4		4	7		7			
6. Leather.....	3		3	2		2	5		5	113		113
Saddlers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Shoemakers.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
7. Metals other than iron.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	34		34
Jewelers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
8. Paper and printing.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	35		35
Printers.....	2		2	2		2	4		4			
9. Textiles.....				2		2	2		2	19	1	20
Tailors.....				2		2	2		2			
10. Miscellaneous.....										1,064		1,064
IV. Communication and transportation.....	7		7	8		8	15		15	26		26
1. Steam railroads.....	6		6	4		4	10		10			
Engineers.....	4		4	4		4	8		8			
Railroad employes.....	2		2				2		2	61		61
2. Express and transfer.....	1		1	4		4	5		5	64		64
Expressmen.....				2		2	2		2			
Teamsters.....	1		1	2		2	3		3			
V. Professional.....	5		5	5		5	10		10	116		116
Lawyers.....	2		2				2		2			
Ministers.....				1		1	1		1			
Teachers.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
Insurance agents.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Physicians.....				2		2	2		2			
VI. Domestic and personal.....	70		70	68		68	138		138	1,138	664	1,802
Housekeepers.....	4		4				4		4			
Housewives.....	63		63	62		62	125		125			
Matrons.....				2		2	2		2			
Dressmakers.....	3		3	4		4	7		7			
Grand totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383	4,751	668	5,419

TABLE NO. 12.
COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED, AND REMAINING June 30, 1914.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Remaining June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair.....	2	1	3				2	1	3	1	1	2
Adams.....										1		1
Allamakee.....	3	3	6		1	1	3	4	7	3	2	5
Appanoose.....		1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4	3		3
Audubon.....										1		1
Benton.....	2		2	4		4	6		6	5	1	6
Black Hawk.....	1	1	2	2	3	5	3	4	7	7	5	12
Boone.....	1	3	4	4		4	5	3	8	11	4	15
Bremer.....	2		2	1		3	3		3	5		5
Buchanan.....				2		2	2		2	2		2
Buena Vista.....				1		1	1		1	1		1
Butler.....				1	1	1		1	1	4		4
Calhoun.....	1		1				1		1	2	2	4
Carroll.....										1		1
Cass.....				2		2	2		2	3	2	5
Cedar.....	2		2				2		2	1		2
Cerro Gordo.....	1	2	3				1	2	3			1
Cherokee.....												
Chickasaw.....	3		3	1		1	4		4	3		3
Clarke.....	1	1	2				1	1	2	1	1	2
Clay.....												
Clayton.....	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	5	2	7
Clinton.....	1		1	1		2	2	1	3	5	2	7
Crawford.....	1		1				1		1	3	1	4
Dallas.....				3		3	3		3	4	4	8
Davis.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	1		1
Decatur.....				2	1	3	2	1	3	1	1	2
Delaware.....	1	2	3				1	2	3	2	4	9
Des Moines.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	8		9
Dickinson.....		1	1					1	1	1		1
Dubuque.....	2		2				2		2	8		10
Emmet.....										1		1
Fayette.....	1		1				1		1	7	3	10
Floyd.....	3	1	4	2	1	3	5	2	7	5	1	6
Franklin.....										2		2
Fremont.....					1	1		1	1	7	4	11
Greene.....	2		2				2		2	3		3
Grundy.....	1		1				1		1	2		4
Guthrie.....	1	1	2	1	2	3	2	3	5	5	2	7
Hamilton.....	1		1				1		1	3		3
Hancock.....	1		1				1		1	1		2
Hardin.....	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6	7	2	9
Harrison.....	1		1	2		2	3		3	6	4	10
Henry.....	1	1	2				1	1	2	8	2	10
Howard.....												
Humboldt.....				1		1	1		1	4		5
Ida.....		1	1					1	1	1	1	1
Iowa.....	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4	3		3
Jackson.....		2	2					2	2	2	1	3
Jasper.....	1		1	2		2	3		3			2
Jefferson.....				1		1	1		1		2	2
Johnson.....	1		1	4	1	5	5	1	6	5	1	6
Jones.....										3		3
Keokuk.....		1	1		1	1		2	2	3	2	5
Kossuth.....				1		1	1		1	2		2
Lee.....				4	1	5	4	1	5	11	4	15
Linn.....	3	1	4	4	4	8	7	5	12	17	8	25
Louisa.....	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5	2	4	6
Lucas.....												
Lyon.....	1		1				1		1	2		2
Madison.....					1	1		1	1	1		1
Mahaska.....	3	2	5	5	6	11	8	8	16	26	10	36
Marion.....										4		4
Marshall.....	2	4	6	2	9	11	4	13	17	27	16	43
Mills.....										4	2	6
Mitchell.....				2		2	2		2	2		2
Monona.....	1		1	2	1	2	3		3	1	1	2
Monroe.....	4	1	5	1	1	2	5	2	7	4	2	6
Montgomery.....				1	2	3	1	2	3	3	3	6
Muscatine.....	3	2	5	1		1	4	2	6	14	6	20
O'Brien.....		1	1	2		2	2	1	3	3		3
Osceola.....										1		1
Page.....												
Palo Alto.....		1	1					1	1	1	2	2
Plymouth.....				1		1	1		1	4		5
Pocahontas.....		1	1		1	2		2	3	3	3	6
Polk.....	18	12	30	13	7	20	31	19	50	43	8	51
Pottawattamie.....	3	3	6	1	1	2	4	4	8	8	6	14
Poweshiek.....	2	1	3				1	2	4	2	3	5
Ringgold.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			3
Sac.....				2		2	2		2	2		6
Scott.....	2	4	6	4	1	5	6	5	11	16	10	23
Shelby.....												
Sioux.....										1		1
Story.....	2	3	5	1	1	2	3	4	7	7	3	10
Tama.....	2	2	4	1		1	3	2	5	9	5	14
Taylor.....	1		1				1	1	2			2
Union.....										2	1	3
Van Buren.....					2	2		2	2	2	2	4
Wapello.....	5		5	3		3	8		8	9	5	14
Warren.....		1	1					1	1	3	2	5
Washington.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	2		2
Wayne.....				1		1	1		1	3		3
Webster.....	1		1		2	2	1	2	3	13	4	17
Winnebago.....												
Winneshiek.....				1		1	1		1	1	1	2
Woodbury.....	3	4	7	3		3	6	4	10	13	6	19
Worth.....												
Wright.....				1		1	1		1	3	2	5
Other states.....	13	3	16	17	8	25	30	11	41	44	6	50
Washington, D. C.....	1		1				1		1			1
National homes.....										25		25
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383	507	193	700

TABLE NO. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair.....	7		7	2	1	3	9	1	10
Adams.....	8	3	11				8	3	11
Allamakee.....	20		20	3	4	7	23	4	27
Appanoose.....	28	3	31	1	3	4	29	6	35
Audubon.....	7	1	8				7	1	8
Benton.....	46	5	51	6		6	52	5	57
Black Hawk.....	76	9	85	3	4	7	79	13	92
Boone.....	67	11	78	5	3	8	72	14	86
Bremer.....	20	2	22	3		3	23	2	25
Buena Vista.....	6		6		1	1	6	1	7
Buchanan.....	30	4	34		2	2	30	6	36
Butler.....	25	1	26		1	1	25	2	27
Calhoun.....	15	3	18	1		1	16	3	19
Carroll.....	19	4	23				19	4	23
Cass.....	27	3	30	2		2	29	3	32
Cedar.....	22	1	23	2		2	24	1	25
Cerro Gordo.....	29	8	37	1	2	3	30	10	40
Cherokee.....	17	3	20				17	3	20
Chickasaw.....	15	2	17	4		4	19	2	21
Clarke.....	16	2	18	1	1	2	17	3	20
Clay.....	9	2	11				9	2	11
Clayton.....	39	4	43	1	1	2	40	5	45
Clinton.....	101	10	111	2	1	3	103	11	114
Crawford.....	19	1	20	1		1	20	1	21
Dallas.....	30	9	39	3		3	33	9	42
Davis.....	11	1	12	4		4	15	1	16
Decatur.....	15	1	16	2	1	3	17	2	19
Delaware.....	20	2	22	1	2	3	21	4	25
Des Moines.....	72	9	81	4		4	76	9	85
Dickinson.....	6	2	8		1	1	6	3	9
Dubuque.....	113	9	122	2		2	115	9	124
Emmet.....	9	1	10				9	1	10
Fayette.....	62	17	79	1		1	63	17	80
Floyd.....	30	5	35	5	2	7	35	7	42
Franklin.....	29	4	33				29	4	33
Fremont.....	27	2	29		1	1	27	3	30
Greene.....	26	1	27	2		2	28	1	29
Grundy.....	11	2	13	1		1	12	4	14
Guthrie.....	26	1	27	2	3	5	28	4	32
Hamilton.....	32	5	37	1		1	33	5	38
Hancock.....	7	1	8	1		1	8	1	9
Hardin.....	53	8	61	5	1	6	58	9	67
Harrison.....	48	9	57	3		3	51	9	60
Henry.....	44	6	50	1	1	2	45	7	52
Howard.....	8		8				8		8
Humboldt.....	19	4	23	1		1	20	4	24
Ida.....	11		11	1		1	11	1	12
Iowa.....	15	1	16	3	1	4	18	4	20
Jackson.....	58	3	61	2		2	58	5	63
Jasper.....	62	9	71	3		3	65	9	74
Jefferson.....	15	2	17	1		1	16	2	18
Johnson.....	52	4	56	5	1	6	57	5	62
Jones.....	31	3	34				31	3	34
Keokuk.....	25	5	30		2	2	25	7	32
Kossuth.....	19	3	22	1		1	20	3	23
Lee.....	80	10	90	4	1	5	84	11	95
Linn.....	156	18	174	7	5	12	163	23	186
Louisa.....	30	4	34	3	2	5	33	6	39
Lucas.....	18		18				18		18
Lyon.....	8	1	9	1		1	9	1	10
Madison.....	19	2	21		1	1	19	3	22
Mahaska.....	115	20	135	8	8	16	123	28	151
Marion.....	52	6	58				52	6	58

TABLE NO. 13—Continued.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1912			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Marshall.....	191	93	284	4	13	17	195	106	301
Mills.....	26	9	35				26	9	35
Mitchell.....	13		13	2			2		15
Monona.....	30	4	34	3			33	4	37
Monroe.....	18	4	22	5	2		7	6	29
Montgomery.....	23	4	27	1	2	3	24	6	30
Muscatine.....	80	13	93	4	2	6	84	15	99
O'Brien.....	15	3	18	2	1	3	17	4	21
Osceola.....	6		6				6		6
Page.....	24		24				24		24
Palo Alto.....	9	2	11		1	1	9	3	12
Plymouth.....	22	1	23	1		1	23	1	24
Pocahontas.....	12	2	14	1	2	3	13	4	17
Polk.....	363	58	421	31	19	50	394	77	471
Pottawattamie.....	101	15	116	4	4	8	105	19	124
Poweshiek.....	40	11	51	2	2	4	42	13	55
Ringgold.....	18	1	19	3		3	21	1	22
Sac.....	20	3	23	2		2	22	3	25
Scott.....	136	14	150	6	5	11	142	19	161
Shelby.....	12	1	13				12	1	13
Sioux.....	48	7	55				48	7	55
Story.....	48	10	58	3	4	7	51	14	65
Tama.....	18	3	21	3	2	5	21	5	26
Taylor.....	26	2	28	1	1	2	27	3	30
Union.....	26	2	28				26	2	28
Van Buren.....	105	14	119		2	2	105	16	121
Wapello.....	31	2	33	8		8	39	2	41
Warren.....	22	3	25		1	1	22	4	26
Washington.....	20	3	23	3		3	23	3	26
Wayne.....	63	4	67	1		1	64	4	68
Webster.....	8	1	9	1	2	3	9	3	12
Winnebago.....	9		9				9		9
Wineshiek.....	93	8	111		1	1	93	9	112
Woodbury.....	10	2	12	6	4	10	16	6	22
Worth.....	18	5	23				18	5	23
Wright.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Other states.....	43	4	47	30	11	41	73	15	88
Washington, D. C.....			1	1		1	1		1
Totals.....	3,698	491	4,189	245	138	383	3,943	629	4,572

TABLE NO. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Resident in—									
Country.....	1		1				1		1
Villages and towns.....	28	20	48	42	18	60	70	38	108
Cities of 2,000 and under 4,000.....	34	18	52	14	8	22	48	26	74
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000.....	4	1	5	9	5	14	13	6	19
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000.....	13	6	19	15	17	32	28	23	51
Cities of 25,000 and over.....	28	23	51	27	15	42	55	38	93
Other states.....	10	2	12	15	5	20	25	7	32
National Homes.....	4		4	1		1	5		5
Totals.....	122	70	192	123	68	191	245	138	383

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Albia.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Ames.....									
Atlantic.....				2	1	3	2	1	3
Cedar Falls.....									
Centerville.....				1	1	2	1	1	2
Charles City.....	1		1	1	2	3	2	2	4
Cherokee.....									
Creston.....									
Fairfield.....									
Glenwood.....									
Grinnell.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Le Mars.....									
Marion.....									
Newton.....				1		1	1		1
Oelwein.....									
Perry.....				2	1	3	2	1	3
Red Oak.....				1		1	1		1
Shenandoah.....									
Washington.....									
Webster City.....									
Totals.....	4	1	5	9	5	14	13	6	19

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone.....		1	1	2		2	2	1	3
Burlington.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Ft. Dodge.....					1			1	1
Ft. Madison.....				3	1	4	3	1	4
Iowa City.....	1		1		2	2	1	2	3
Keokuk.....				1		1	1		1
Marshalltown.....	2	1	3	1	6	7	3	7	10
Mason City.....									
Muscatine.....	2	2	4	1	1	2	3	3	6
Oskaloosa.....	3	2	5	3	4	7	6	6	12
Ottumwa.....	4		4	2	2	4	6	2	8
Totals.....	13	6	19	15	17	32	28	23	51

TABLE NO. 14—Continued.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER.									
Cedar Rapids.....	2	1	3	3	2	5	5	3	8
Clinton.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Council Bluffs.....	3	2	5	1	1	2	4	3	7
Davenport.....	1	4	5	4	1	5	5	5	10
Des Moines.....	15	12	27	12	7	19	27	19	46
Dubuque.....	2	2	2	3	.....	3	5	.....	5
Sioux City.....	4	3	7	2	.....	2	6	3	9
Waterloo.....	.....	1	1	2	3	5	2	4	6
Totals.....	28	23	51	27	15	42	55	38	93

TABLE NO. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
I. WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.						
Civil war.....	116	116	113	113	229	229
Spanish-American war.....	2	2	7	7	9	9
Peace service (U. S. Regulars).....	4	4	3	3	7	7
Totals.....	122	122	123	123	245	245

II. DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

Regulars.....	4	4	8	8	12	12
Spanish-American.....	2	2	.....	.....	2	2
Volunteers (United States).....	115	115	115	115	230	230
Navy and marine.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	1
Totals.....	122	122	123	123	245	245

III. BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

Infantry.....	80	92	172
Cavalry.....	35	23	58
Artillery.....	5	4	9
Engineers.....	1	4	5
Navy and marine.....	1	.....	1
Totals.....	122	123	245

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913	For Year End- ing June 30, 1914	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914
Massachusetts.....	1	.....	1
New York.....	7	1	11
Pennsylvania.....	9	.....	10
Arkansas.....	1	.....	1
Kentucky.....	.....	1	1
Texas.....	.....	1	1
Ohio.....	14	4	18
Indiana.....	9	4	13
Illinois.....	10	18	28
Missouri.....	3	4	7
Iowa.....	59	74	133
Minnesota.....	.....	2	2
Wisconsin.....	4	7	11
Michigan.....	3	2	5
Nebraska.....	.....	1	1
Colorado.....	2	.....	2
Totals.....	122	123	245

TABLE NO. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1912	Total to June 30, 1914
Male.....	245	4,225	4,470
Arkansas.....	1	4	5
California.....	6	7	13
Colorado.....	1	20	21
Florida.....	.....	3	3
Idaho.....	.....	2	2
Illinois.....	4	92	96
Indiana.....	.....	25	25
Indian Territory.....	.....	2	2
Iowa.....	213	3,703	3,916
Kansas.....	7	52	59
Kentucky.....	.....	2	2
Louisiana.....	.....	3	3
Maine.....	.....	1	1
Massachusetts.....	.....	1	1
Michigan.....	.....	10	10
Maryland.....	.....	1	1
Missouri.....	4	44	48
Minnesota.....	.....	20	20
Mississippi.....	.....	1	1
Montana.....	.....	5	5
Nebraska.....	1	26	27
New York.....	2	15	17
New Jersey.....	.....	1	1
Ohio.....	.....	30	30
Oklahoma.....	1	10	11
Oregon.....	.....	6	6
Pennsylvania.....	.....	11	11
Rhode Island.....	.....	13	13
South Dakota.....	3	5	8
Tennessee.....	.....	3	3
Texas.....	.....	1	1
Vermont.....	.....	1	1
Virginia.....	.....	1	1
West Virginia.....	.....	1	1
Washington.....	1	.....	1
Washington, D. C.....	1	.....	1
Wisconsin.....	.....	38	38
Wyoming.....	.....	5	5
Female.....	138	602	740
Iowa.....	133	578	711
California.....	.....	2	2
Oklahoma.....	.....	2	2
Nebraska.....	.....	2	2
North Dakota.....	1	.....	1
Montana.....	.....	7	7
Kansas.....	1	1	2
New York.....	1	1	2
Colorado.....	.....	1	1
Missouri.....	.....	1	1
Tennessee.....	.....	1	1
Utah.....	.....	1	1
Illinois.....	2	4	6
Indian Territory.....	.....	1	1
Grand totals.....	383	4,827	5,210

TABLE NO. 18.

AGES OF MEMBERS AT DEATH.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913			For Year End- ing June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years.....	3	.....	3	3	.....	3	6	.....	6
50 and under 60 years.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
60 and under 70 years.....	21	4	25	16	5	21	37	9	46
70 and under 80 years.....	48	12	60	39	11	50	87	23	110
80 and under 90 years.....	15	6	21	22	5	27	37	11	48
90 and under 100 years.....	3	1	4	1	1	2	4	2	6
100 and under 110 years.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Totals.....	92	24	116	82	23	105	174	47	221

TABLE NO. 19.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF MEMBERS.
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. General diseases.....	15	5	20	13	3	16	28	8	36
Senile debility.....	2		2	2	2	4	4	2	6
Tuberculosis of bowels.....	1		1				1		1
Tuberculosis, pulmonary.....	2	1	3	2	1	3	4	2	6
Diabetes.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Intestinal obstruction.....	1		1				1		1
Adenitis.....	1		1				1		1
Cancer of stomach.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Cancer of teteri.....				1		1	1		1
Cancer of face.....	2		2	2		2	4		4
Cancer of penis.....				1		1	1		1
Autotoxemia.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Septicemia.....	1	1	1				1		1
Influenza.....	2	1	3	1		1	3	1	4
Lues.....	1		1				1		1
Rheumatism of heart.....		1	1				1		1
Leukemia.....				1		1	1		1
II. Diseases of nervous system and organs of special sense.....	19	3	22	11	6	17	30	9	39
Paralysis, general.....	10	1	11	6	4	10	16	5	21
Paralysis agitans.....	2		2	2	1	3	4	1	5
Senile dementia.....	5		5	2	1	3	7	1	8
Senile gangrene.....		1	1			1	1	1	2
Acute congestion of brain.....		1	1				1		1
Angina pectoris.....	2		2				2		2
III. Diseases of the circulatory system.....	19	9	28	22	5	27	41	14	55
Valvular disease of heart.....	14	5	19	14	4	18	28	9	37
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	2	4	6	7	1	8	9	5	14
Hemorrhage of bowels.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Concussion of brain.....	1		1				1		1
IV. Diseases of respiratory system.....	6	1	7	6	4	10	12	5	17
Pneumonia.....	3	1	4	4	3	7	7	4	11
Pulmonary (emphysema).....	1		1				1		1
Congestion of lungs.....	1		1				1		1
Bronchial pneumonia.....				1		1	1		1
Chronic bronchitis.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
V. Diseases of genito-urinary system.....	8	3	11	14		14	22	3	25
Nephritis, chronic.....	8	1	9	11		11	19	1	20
Uremia.....		2	2	2		2	2	2	4
Chronic cystitis.....				1		1	1		1
VI. Diseases of the gastrointestinal tract.....	7	1	8	5	1	6	12	2	14
Gastritis.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Cirrhosis of liver.....	2	1	3	2	1	3	4	2	6
Chronic inflammation of bowels.....	2		2	2		2	4		2
Chronic diarrhea.....	2		2	2		2	4		4

TABLE NO. 19—Continued.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1913			For Year Ending June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
VII. Suicide and accidental deaths.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Exposure to cold (demented).....	1		1				1		1
Suicide by cutting throat.....				1		1	1		1
Suicide by shooting.....				1		1	1		1
Grand totals.....	75	22	97	73	19	92	148	41	189

TABLE NO. 20.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.
ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Books purchased.....	303
Books donated.....	
Total.....	303
Books withdrawn.....	664
Collection June 30, 1914.....	1,412

TABLE NO. 21.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.
CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Art.....	3
Biography.....	17
Essays.....	
Poetry.....	
Fiction.....	244
History.....	25
Language.....	
Religion.....	1
Ethics and philosophy.....	
Science.....	2
Sociology.....	3
Travel.....	4
Reference.....	4
Periodicals.....	
Miscellaneous.....	
Total.....	303

TABLE NO. 22.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.
CIRCULATION OF BOOKS.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Art.....	48
Biography.....	32
Essays and poetry.....	14,136
Fiction.....	416
History.....	
Science.....	
Travel.....	84
Miscellaneous.....	56
Periodicals.....	
Total circulation.....	14,772
Average monthly—	
Population.....	732
Employees.....	125.9
Readers.....	151

TABLE NO. 23.
FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.
PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1913.		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Fruits.....		\$ 277.22		\$ 274.64		\$ 551.86
Apples..... bushels			109½	46.00	109½	46.00
Blackberries..... quarts			16	1.92	16	1.92
Cherries..... quarts	1,429	107.04	1,705	127.86	3,134	234.90
Currants..... quarts	177	17.70	94	9.40	271	27.10
Grapes..... pounds	1,121	33.63	809	24.27	1,830	57.90
Plums..... bushels	76	68.40	47½	42.75	123½	111.15
Raspberries..... quarts	473	47.30	187	22.44	660	69.74
Strawberries..... quarts	45	3.15			45	3.15
Vegetables.....		1,556.76		1,192.75		2,749.51
Asparagus..... pounds	451	67.65	305	61.00	756	128.65
Beans, string... pounds	1,938	58.14	725	21.78	2,664	79.92
Beets..... bushels	90½	47.50	44½	36.80	134½	84.30
Corn, green..... pounds	5,020	50.20	5,364	268.20	10,384	318.40
Cabbage..... pounds	17,793	355.86	1,069	53.45	18,862	409.31
Cauliflower..... pounds	230	16.10			230	16.10
Carrots..... pounds	2,675	26.75			2,675	26.75
Celery..... pounds	373	29.84			373	29.84
Cucumbers..... pounds	1,092	21.84	712	35.60	1,804	57.44
Egg-plant..... pounds	95	2.85			95	2.85
Lettuce..... pounds	1,165	25.65	614	30.70	1,779	56.35
Melons..... only	246	19.68	1,484	222.60	1,730	242.28
Onions, green... pounds	1,288	34.04	1,099	84.65	2,387	118.69
Onions, dried... bushels	1	7.75	2½	3.12	3½	3.87
Potatoes, Irish... bushels	587½	440.62	203	164.07	790½	604.69
Potatoes, sweet... pounds			1,200	36.00	1,200	36.00
Peas, green..... pounds	245	12.25	445	20.05	690	32.30
Rhubarb..... pounds	2,374	53.44	3,647	72.94	6,021	126.38
Radishes..... pounds	1,354	23.42	625	18.75	1,859	42.17
Rutabagas..... pounds	320	6.40			320	6.40
Squash..... only	1,211	96.08			1,211	96.08
Sauerkraut..... gallons	350	70.00			350	70.00
Spinach..... pounds	100	7.00	88	7.04	188	14.04
Turnips..... bushels	85	42.50			85	42.50
Tomatoes..... bushels	120½	48.20	122	56.00	232½	104.20
Grand totals.....		\$ 1,833.98		\$ 1,487.39		\$ 3,301.37

TABLE NO. 24.

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS—CONSUMED.

		For Year End- ing June 30, 1913		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Chicken.....	pounds	1,488	\$ 190.05	642	\$ 88.65	2,130	\$ 278.70
Eggs.....	dozen	1,219	231.06	1,611	316.56	2,830	547.62
Totals.....			\$ 421.11		\$ 405.21		\$ 826.32

TABLE NO. 25.

ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

		For Year End- ing June 30, 1913		For Year End- ing June 30, 1914		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
1. In sewing-room—							
Aprons.....		115	\$ 48.89	157	\$ 48.32	272	\$ 97.21
Box covers.....		3	3.07	3	4.03	6	7.10
Bread sacks.....				12	4.75	12	4.75
Bread covers.....		8	5.72	17	8.88	25	14.60
Chemises.....		4	4.25	12	10.95	16	15.20
Curtains.....		70	55.39	134	75.21	204	130.60
Dresses.....		134	399.91	113	342.20	247	742.11
Dresser scarfs.....		18	9.05	16	9.79	34	18.84
Dust bags.....		4	.65			4	.65
Gowns.....		137	143.19	124	130.17	261	273.36
Hair cloths.....		4	1.68			4	1.68
Mattress covers.....				4	3.90	4	3.90
Napkins.....		246	35.80	60	14.40	306	50.20
Petticoats.....		147	179.09	113	102.62	260	281.71
Pillow slips.....				1,597	316.57	1,597	316.57
Skirts.....				51	73.49	51	73.49
Spreads.....				6	31.95	6	31.95
Sheets.....				813	495.09	813	495.09
Table-cloths.....				424	1,457.16	424	1,457.16
Towels.....				1,214	238.81	1,214	238.81
Waists.....				5	4.40	5	4.40
Totals.....			\$ 886.69		\$3,372.69		\$4,259.38
2. In laundry—							
Soap.....		3,000	\$ 120.00	7,060	\$ 120.00	10,060	402.40

TABLE NO. 26.

LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.	
Sheets.....	185,000
Pillow slips.....	184,201
Spreads.....	220,406
Table-cloths.....	45,000
Shirts.....	48,800
Undershirts.....	50,000
Drawers.....	50,000
Socks.....	40,000
Aprons.....	8,000
Towels, hand.....	35,000
Towels, roller.....	40,000
Towels, bath.....	45,000
Towels, barber.....	20,000
Towels, dish.....	65,000
Hospital cloths.....	100,000
Jackets.....	15,000
Overalls.....	30,000
Night shirts.....	7,000
Nurses' uniforms.....	1,823
Nurses' aprons.....	1,200
Handkerchiefs.....	5,000
Carpets.....	1,000
Blankets.....	12,400
Cushion covers.....	1,400
Trousers.....	1,200
Vests.....	200
Coats.....	100
Total.....	1,210,730

TABLE NO. 27.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 23, 1913.

Breakfast—				
Eggs, boiled.....	32 dozen	19	\$	6.08
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	40		.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02		.40
Total.....			\$	6.88
Dinner—				
Beef, roast, and gravy.....	114 pounds	095	\$	10.83
Potatoes, mashed.....	1½ bushels	40		.60
Lettuce salad.....	25 pounds	05		1.25
Cheese.....	18 pounds	17		3.06
Pie-plant pie.....	63 only	065		4.09
Total.....			\$	19.83
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	40	\$	.40
Sauce (accounted for).....				
Peaches.....	3 cans	40		1.20
Total.....			\$	1.60
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	478 pounds	1.75		8.36
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	33.05
Total cost for Sunday, June 22, 1913.....			\$	61.36
Breakfast—				
Egg omelet.....	15 dozen	19	\$	2.85
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	40		.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02		.40
Total.....			\$	3.65
Dinner—				
Rice soup.....	14 pounds	04	\$	.56
Crackers.....	20 pounds	05		1.00
Beef, boiled.....	114 pounds	095		10.83
Potatoes, baked.....	2 bushels	40		.80
Lettuce salad (accounted for).....				
Total.....			\$	13.19
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Milk toast (accounted for).....				
Cherries.....	64 quarts	07	\$	3.48
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	472 pounds	1.75		8.26
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	32.95
Total cost for Monday, June 23, 1913.....			\$	53.27

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast—				
Bacon.....	110 pounds	14	\$	15.40
Potatoes, boiled.....	1½ bushels	40		.60
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02		.40
Total.....			\$	16.40
Dinner—				
Beef, roast, and gravy.....	114 pounds	095	\$	10.83
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40		.40
Radishes.....	64 pounds	18		11.52
Rice, boiled.....	14 pounds	04		.56
Total.....			\$	23.31
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Corn.....	32 cans	05½	\$	1.76
Canned apples.....	18 cans	22		3.96
Total.....			\$	5.72
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	24 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	476 pounds	1.75		8.33
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	33.02
Total cost for Tuesday, June 24, 1913.....			\$	78.45
Breakfast—				
Hash (accounted for).....				
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....				
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	\$	.40
Dinner—				
Ham, boiled.....	140 pounds	13	\$	18.20
Potatoes, baked.....	1½ bushels	40		.60
Beets, boiled.....	1½ bushels	75		1.12
Radishes.....	64 pounds	18		11.52
Total.....			\$	31.44
Supper—				
Meat (accounted for).....				
Potatoes (accounted for).....				
Lima beans.....	25 pounds	06	\$	1.50
Cinnamon rolls.....	32 dozen	09		2.88
Prunes.....	50 pounds	07		3.50
Total.....			\$	7.88
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$	13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02		2.70
Coffee.....	35 pounds	16		4.00
Milk.....	458 pounds	1.75		8.01
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86		4.39
Total.....			\$	32.70
Total cost for Wednesday, June 25, 1913.....			\$	72.42

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast—			
Pork chops.....	131 pounds	11½	\$ 14.73
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40	.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	.40
Total.....			\$ 15.53
Dinner—			
Beef, roast, and gravy.....	114 pounds	095	\$ 10.83
Potatoes, baked.....	1½ bushels	40	.60
Macaroni and cheese.....	10 pounds	01	.40
Cheese for macaroni.....	3 pounds	17	.51
Radishes (accounted for).....			
Scalloped corn.....	4 cans	05½	.22
Total.....			\$ 12.56
Supper—			
Potatoes, fried, (accounted for).....			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Cherries.....	32 quarts	07	\$ 2.24
Lettuce.....	25 pounds	05	1.25
Total.....			\$ 3.49
Miscellaneous—			
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$ 13.60
Bread.....	136 pounds	02	2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16	4.00
Milk.....	457 pounds	1.75	7.99
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86	4.39
Total.....			\$ 32.68
Total cost for Thursday, June 26, 1913.....			\$ 64.26
Breakfast—			
Cod fish, creamed.....	26 pounds	07	\$ 1.82
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40	.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	.40
Total.....			\$ 2.62
Dinner—			
Pork, roast, and gravy.....	141 pounds	11½	\$ 15.86
Potatoes, boiled.....	1½ bushels	40	.60
Onions, young.....	40 pounds	03	1.20
Lettuce, wilted.....	30 pounds	05	1.50
Total.....			\$ 19.16
Supper—			
Meat.....			
Potatoes, fried.....			
Rice, boiled.....	14 pounds	04	\$.56
Canned apples.....	8 cans	22	2.88
Cake, pieces.....	32 dozen	10	3.20
Total.....			\$ 6.64
Miscellaneous—			
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$ 13.50
Bread.....	135 pounds	02	2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16	4.00
Milk.....	444 pounds	1.75	8.77
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86	4.39
Total.....			\$ 33.46
Total cost for Friday, June 27, 1913.....			\$ 58.68

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast—			
Irish stew (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, boiled.....	1 bushel	40	\$.40
Oatmeal.....	20 pounds	02	.40
Total.....			\$.80
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	114 pounds	095	\$ 10.84
Potatoes, baked.....	2 bushels	40	.80
Canned beans.....	14 cans	40	5.60
Radishes.....			
Total.....			\$ 17.23
Supper—			
Meat.....			
Potatoes, fried.....			
Rice pudding (eggs).....	4 dozen	19	\$.76
Radishes.....	70 pounds	18	12.60
Total.....			\$ 13.36
Miscellaneous—			
Butter.....	40 pounds	34	\$ 13.60
Bread.....	135 pounds	02	2.70
Coffee.....	25 pounds	16	4.00
Milk.....	489 pounds	1.75	8.76
Sugar.....	75 pounds	5.86	4.39
Total.....			\$ 33.45
Total cost for Saturday, June 28, 1913.....			\$ 64.84
Miscellaneous—			
Lard.....	50 pounds	09	\$ 4.50
Tea.....	15 pounds	30	4.50
Corn meal.....	50 pounds	1.50	.75
Pepper.....	5 pounds	11	.55
Total cost for miscellaneous.....			\$ 10.30

TABLE NO. 28.

BILLS OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING-ROOM, THANKSGIVING, 1913.

Breakfast—			
Oatmeal.....	15 pounds	02	\$.30
Pork chops.....	80 pounds	15	12.00
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	73	.73
Bread.....	43 pounds	02	.86
Butter.....	7 pounds	32	2.24
Sugar.....	20 pounds	4.45	.89
Milk.....	130 pounds	2.00	1.60
Coffee.....	4 pounds	15	.60
Total.....			\$ 20.38
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, beef steak, thickened milk, eggnog and cocoa.			
Eggs.....	4 dozen	29	1.16
Dinner—			
Chicken, roast.....	203 pounds	10	\$ 20.30
Potatoes, mashed.....	1 bushel	73	.73
Chicken gravy (accounted for).....			
Peas.....	22 cans	45	9.90
Cranberries.....	24 quarts	8½	2.04
Pumpkin pies.....	40 only	055	2.20
Cheese.....	10 pounds	16	1.60
Bread.....	43 pounds	02	.86
Butter.....	7 pounds	32	2.24
Sugar.....	20 pounds	4.45	.89
Milk.....	130 pounds	2.00	1.60
Coffee.....	4 pounds	15	.60
Total.....			\$ 44.12
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, chicken broth, W. R. C. jelly and fruit, thickened milk, eggnog and cocoa.			
Eggs.....	4 dozen	29	1.16
Supper—			
Cold meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	73	\$.73
Blackberries.....	7 cans	50	3.50
Pieces cake.....	21 dozen	10	2.10
Bread.....	43 pounds	02	.86
Sugar.....	20 pounds	4.45	.89
Butter.....	7 pounds	32	2.24
Milk.....	130 pounds	2.00	1.60
Coffee.....	4 pounds	15	.60
Tea.....	1½ pounds	25	.37
Total.....			\$ 14.05
Total cost for Thursday, Nov. 27, 1913.....			\$ 78.55
Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, chicken broth, thickened milk, eggnog and cocoa.			
Eggs.....	4 dozen	29	1.16

TABLE NO. 29.

BILLS OF FARE—OLD PEOPLES' DINING-ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1913.

Dinner—			
Roast turkey.....	160 pounds	26	\$ 41.60
Oyster dressing (oysters).....	1½ gallons	1.30	1.95
Eggs for dressing.....	1 dozen	29	.29
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 pecks	18	.54
Peas, creamed.....	30 cans	45	13.50
Cranberries.....	19 quarts	8½	1.61
W. R. C. and G. A. R. jelly (accounted for).....	40 glasses		
Mince pies.....	27 only	065	1.75
Apple pies.....	27 only	065	1.75
Fruit cake, pieces.....	15 dozen	10	1.50
Cheese.....	8 pounds	16	1.28
Apples.....	2 bushel	1.74	3.48
Bananas.....	18 dozen	20	3.60
Oranges.....	18 dozen	28	5.04
Candy.....	38 pounds	10	3.80
Total.....			\$ 81.69
Total cost for December 25, 1913.....			\$ 81.69

TABLE NO. 30.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

Receipts—	
Balance June 30, 1912.....	\$ 2,121.82
Per capita, members.....	282,062.46
Per capita, civilians.....	30,105.08
Posthumous fund.....	1,933.15
Hogs sold.....	2,959.62
Miscellaneous receipts.....	7,177.81
Total.....	\$ 326,359.94
Expenditures—	
Salaries and wages.....	\$ 106,336.25
Provisions.....	114,309.37
Household stores.....	12,825.66
Clothing.....	15,778.27
Fuel and light.....	38,606.30
Hospital supplies.....	8,189.78
Shop, farm and garden.....	10,651.74
Ordinary repairs.....	937.14
Water and ice.....	7,673.08
Postage and stationery.....	1,570.19
Miscellaneous expenses.....	4,368.55
Contingent fund.....	200.15
Balance June 30, 1914.....	4,966.76
Total.....	\$ 326,359.94

TABLE NO. 31.

CONTINGENT, STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUNDS.

	Con- tingent Fund	Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	Posthumous Fund
June, 1912.....		\$ 4,344.88		
Balance July 1, 1912.....	\$ 70.52			
July.....		4,411.43	\$ 601.76	
August.....	225.72	4,298.05	72.12	
September.....		4,367.02	208.49	
October.....	24.23	4,405.17	2,132.58	
November.....	76.66	4,488.97	343.94	\$ 1,577.89
December.....		4,456.11	547.90	
January, 1913.....	76.80	4,449.16	2,515.41	
February.....	20.09	4,439.39	1,190.05	
March.....	23.42	4,388.74	511.75	
April.....	72.27	4,376.09	244.24	
May.....		4,380.64	300.21	
June.....	28.50	4,314.88	282.50	
July.....		4,358.51	703.62	
August.....	28.95	4,417.31	234.18	
September.....		4,388.03	418.57	
October.....	72.39	4,418.80	221.43	
November.....		4,492.93	227.36	
December.....		4,541.82	308.15	
January, 1914.....	139.86	4,517.76	312.50	188.67
February.....		4,519.07	118.16	
March.....	30.26	4,572.15	174.09	
April.....	54.60	4,498.51	270.19	111.50
May.....		4,490.83	130.38	
Totals.....	\$ 944.27	\$ 106,336.25	\$ 12,070.58	\$ 1,933.15
Expenditures on approved vouchers.....	\$ 708.33	\$ 106,336.25	\$ 12,070.58	To State Treas. \$ 1,933.15
Balance June 30, 1914.....	\$ 235.94			
Totals.....	\$ 944.27	\$ 106,336.25	\$ 12,070.58	\$ 1,933.15

TABLE NO. 32.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office.

Cash on hand.....	\$ 389.14	
Cash received account miscellaneous (receipts).....	655.66	
Cash received account pay-rolls.....	18,075.03	
Cash received account members' fund.....	10,400.30	
Unpaid checks.....	263.37	
By salaries and wages.....		\$ 18,075.03
By transfers.....		655.66
By checks drawn.....		10,742.11
By cash on hand.....		310.70
	\$ 29,783.50	\$ 29,783.50

Total number of checks issued 1,007.

TABLE NO. 33.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds	Balances in State Treas- ury July 1, 1912	Appropriated by the General Assembly	Amounts Ex- pended Dur- ing Period	Balances in State Treas- ury June 30, 1914
Purchase of land (Dec. 16, 1912).....	\$ 4,241.50			
35th G. A.....	75.00	\$ 8,000.00		
Additional room for married people.....			\$ 1,334.29	
Contingent and repairs.....			7,034.42	\$ 3,947.79

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russel	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick.....	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows.....	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill.....	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle.....	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin.....	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard	1894 to 1898
C. L. Davidson	1895 to 1896
J. M. Morton.....	1895 to 1898
L. B. Raymond.....	1896 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey.....	1897 to 1898

Members of Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee.....	January 1, 1898, to February 14, 1900
John Cowne	January 1, 1898, to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne	January 1, 1898, to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson.....	March 2, 1900, to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton.....	April 17, 1905, to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade.....	October 1, 1909, to September 16, 1913
Murdoch Bannister.....	April 6, 1910, to April 30, 1913
W. J. Dixon.....	May 1, 1913, to date
A. M. McColl.....	July 1, 1913, to date
J. H. McConlogue.....	October 6, 1913, to date

Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Col. Milo Smith.....	December 1, 1887, to October 10, 1892
Col. J. H. Keatley.....	October 10, 1892, to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin.....	September 22, 1894, to September 28, 1897
Col. C. C. Horton.....	October 12, 1897 to date

Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston.....	....., 1887, to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells .....	....., 1889, to November .., 1894
Chas. L. Longley.....	November .., 1894, to August .., 1895
B. F. Warful.....	August 14, 1895, to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker.....	March, 1903, to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson.....	September 15, 1907, to date

Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt.....	.....—1887, to August .., 1895
Chas. L. Longley.....	August 14, 1895, to September .., 1897
B. A. Beeson.....	October 12, 1897, to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett.....	February 1, 1903, to date

Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters.....	.....—1887, to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield.....	August 2, 1894, to date

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival.....	Organization to.....—1890
City ministers.....	.....—1890, to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole.....	April 1, 1900, to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt.....	October 20, 1913, to date

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 30, 1914.

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I herewith submit my biennial report covering the period beginning July 1, 1912, and ending June 30, 1914.

As this is the tenth report I have made, and as I consider the changes time has wrought, I feel that the report shows well for the class of patients we have to care for. Many come to us hanging to life as by a thread; to prolong that life in comparative comfort for months and sometimes years seems to be worth while.

This report shows quite a number of deaths of women, more than usual, but I find their average age at death to be a trifle over seventy five years, surely a ripe old age.

We have traveled the road together for lo these many years, working for the best interests of our comrades of eighteen hundred sixty-one and sixty-five, and I am admonished not to become weary in sympathy for those who suffered that the Union might be preserved one and inseparable.

I desire to express my thanks to you, Col. Horton, to your staff, and to the Hon. Board of Control for the many courtesies shown to me.

Respectfully submitted,
Hamilton P. Duffield,
Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1914.

Cases treated in hospital.....	1,256
Visited in quarters.....	1,178
Received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presents himself at sick call).....	14,781
Prescriptions written morning call.....	29,562
Average number at sick call daily (except Sunday).....	47
Highest number in hospital at one time.....	205
In hospital June 30, 1912, male.....	124
In hospital June 30, 1912, females.....	32
Average number in hospital, male.....	137
Average number in hospital, females.....	39
Died in Home, Union soldiers.....	147
Died in Home, Spanish-American soldiers.....	5
Died on furlough, Union soldiers.....	24
Died on furlough, Spanish-American soldiers.....	1
Died in Home, women.....	41
Died on furlough, women.....	4
Average age of Union soldiers who died in Home.....	79
Average age of Union soldiers who died on furlough.....	73
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers who died in Home.....	36
Age of Spanish-American soldiers who died on furlough.....	30
Average age of women who died in Home.....	75
Average age of women who died on furlough.....	70

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 13, 1914.

Col. C. C. Horton, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I submit herewith my report as chaplain of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for a portion of the biennium ending June 30, 1914.

The former chaplain, Rev. Jesse Cole, died in office in August, 1913, leaving behind him the record of an excellent service extending over a period of thirteen years, and four months.

His successor, the present chaplain, was appointed October 20, 1913, and at once entered upon the discharge of the duties of the office. The report now submitted, therefore, covers only the last eight months and ten days of the biennium.

In taking up the work of the chaplaincy of the home it seemed best to continue the stated religious services as they had been established by the former chaplain. These services are held in Assembly Hall (the home chapel) as follows, namely:

Public worship and preaching every Sunday at 3:00 o'clock P. M.

Social religious service every Sunday at 6:00 o'clock P. M.

Meeting for Bible study and prayer every Wednesday at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

The attendance at these services has been good and a lively religious interest has been maintained. The chaplain appreciates the interest shown in these services and the loyalty with which they have been sustained.

In addition to the regular means of grace mentioned above much religious work has been done by means of pastoral

calls and visitation. The chaplain aims to be a pastor to the members of the home, and he finds before him an "open door." He has spent considerable time and labor in getting acquainted with the members and in studying the moral conditions of their life in the home, having in view a better adaptation of his work to their needs, both in personal visitation and in his public ministrations of the word of God. A sympathetic appreciation of the moral needs of his people and of the moral conditions of their lives is essential to a really helpful pastor.

The burial of the dead is one of the principal features of the chaplain's work. During the eight months and ten days covered by this report sixty-five members of the home died at the home. Of these thirty-one were taken away by relatives for burial elsewhere. Thirty-four were buried in the home cemetery.

In two cases the funerals were conducted by the Rev. J. J. Fitzpatrick, of the St. Mary's Catholic Church. In the other thirty-two cases the officiating minister was the home chaplain.

It gives the chaplain pleasure to acknowledge the help he receives in all the public services from the Soldiers' Home choir. Organized under the administration of the former chaplain it continues to fill a very important place in the home by furnishing appropriate music for all the public religious services, including the funerals of the deceased members of the home. The care and labor with which the choir has done this necessary work is highly appreciated.

The chaplain finds a large field of usefulness in the calls that are made upon him by members of the home to assist them in their correspondence and in their business matters. As an amanuensis, as a business adviser and as an attorney the chaplain is enabled to meet a real need. To add these functions to those of a spiritual teacher, and adviser greatly enhances his opportunities and influence for good.

Without further specification of details in his work the chaplain wishes to say that the nature of his duties requires that he should be in close touch with the social life of the members of the home; that he should share their joys and their sorrows; that he should be among them "as one who serveth," and that all his intercourse with them should be in the spirit of the "Son of

Man" who came "not to be ministered unto, but to minister."

In closing this report I gratefully acknowledge my obligations to you, Commandant Horton, and to the members of your staff and official family for the kindness and courtesies shown me in introducing me to the many-sided ministry of the position to which I have been appointed.

Very respectfully submitted,

H. O. Pratt,

Chaplain.

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Rev. H. O. Pratt.....	Chaplain

COMMANDANT'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 16, 1916

To the Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting to you the fifteenth biennial report concerning the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the period ending June 30, 1916, and with it, the reports of Adjutant Loper, Quartermaster Bennett, Surgeon Duffield, and Chaplain Pratt, covering their respective departments.

In taking up the reins of office laid down by the late lamented Col. C. C. Horton on April 1st, 1916, we felt that there might be a feeling of resentment on the part of the members and those connected with the institution, against any infusion of young blood into the place where a time honored Civil war veteran had served so long. But in this, we have been happily disappointed. Not only have members and officers given us the heartiest welcome and assured us of their loyal support, but the employes with but very few exceptions, have done their utmost to make the new administration successful and harmonious. To the staff officers, I am most deeply indebted for their kind advice and instructions and for their loyalty and support during the past months.

Upon our first inspection of the institution, we were amazed at what the State of Iowa has done for her soldiers in the building of this home; the splendid buildings provided with most of the modern conveniences; the extensive grounds beautified with flowers, shrubbery, and shade trees; the power plant furnishing heat, and light; the laundry etc.: everything, in fact, to make comfortable and happy the declining days of a race of men who in the darkest hours of the country's history, stepped forth to preserve this Union one and inseparable.

Upon becoming better acquainted with these men and women who make up the membership of the home, we find their average age to be above seventy years and almost all of them bent, and crippled, or ailing by the ravages of disease and time, and it is useless for me to remind you, gentlemen, that very soon this entire institution will become one vast hospital, and whatever improvements are going to be made to make the path of life a little easier for these people who are awaiting their last call of "Taps" should be done in the very near future.

The plumbing and heating system of the Main Building and Annex and Dormitory should be thoroughly over-hauled and improved, and a vacuum system of heating, similar to that installed in the Hospital and Old Peoples' Building, should be placed in these buildings. The last buildings mentioned are the farthest from our power plant, yet they are the easiest and most satisfactorily heated. The heating of some of these buildings could be greatly helped by the use of storm windows and metal weather strips.

Where so many people are crippled with rheumatism and age, it is very hard for them to go up and down stairs as they must do here, and one of the greatest benefits that could be placed in the home at present, would be passenger elevators, especially in the Hospital and Old Peoples' Building where they are badly needed.

At the power house five of the eight boilers will soon have to be reflued and reset at a cost of about \$600.00 per boiler, which will lengthen the life of them about five years. Our engineer, Mr. Mullin, recommends the installing of three high pressure boilers in their place with automatic stokers and modern fittings, thereby making a saving in fuel of at least 20 per cent.

Our carpenters and painters have been very busy this summer and have made many needed repairs and improvements, but there is much to do yet.

On the Annex a new slate roof is needed as the old shingle roof is badly decayed from long use. The porches and outside stairway of the same building must have a thorough going over and in some cases must be rebuilt anew.

At the Hospital and Dormitory a new storm sewer should be put in to take off the roof water that now empties around

the foundation walls and soaks into the basements of these buildings until the floors there are covered with water, thereby entailing a loss to clothing and other articles stored there.

We are now paying 35 cents per ton to have our coal hauled from the siding about a mile away. The city of Marshalltown is paving the streets leading to the siding and with a hard surface road from our coal sheds to the tracks it would seem that we could greatly reduce our cost of hauling by the purchase of a five ton truck and if necessary, a trailer for this work. At present, we are using nearly 7000 tons of coal a year making our hauling cost amount to nearly \$2500.00. This should be reduced to \$1500.00 or less by using a truck, and the same machine could be often used in hauling other heavy freight from the depots in the city.

New fire escapes have just been completed on the Main Building and others have been ordered for the Old Peoples' Building and Assembly Hall. The fire apparatus has been overhauled and new additions must be made to this.

This year we have had a squad of ten men from The Reformatory helping in the improvement of the grounds and work in the garden and elsewhere. We should have these men for a few months every summer or increase the number of regular men for this work as the present number of farm hands is not adequate for this work.

At the Hospital an average of nearly two hundred members are taken care of in splendid shape and the surgeons and nurses are to be commended on the excellent service rendered to the sick considering the class of patients they have to care for. In time, addition will have to be made to the kitchen of the Hospital and to the force there, as more of a special diet is needed for a great many of the patients who require little delicacies and special prepared dishes rather than medicine and treatment.

In summing up for all the improvements mentioned and for contingencies now unforeseen, I suggest that the next General Assembly be asked for an appropriation of at least \$25,000. to make the last days of these men and their wives, and the widows of soldiers who have gone, as pleasant and as comfortable as possible.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Board of Control for their kindness, courtesy, and patience, that they have shown the new commandant in the discharge of his duties.

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. Whitehill,
Commandant.

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present July 1st.....	505	195	700	495	204	699	505	195	700
Admitted for first time.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408
Readmitted.....	91	11	102	123	15	138	214	26	240
Totals.....	733	265	998	762	287	1,049	1,000	348	1,348
Discharged honorably.....	85	18	103	88	14	102	173	32	205
*Dropped.....	46	6	52	58	22	80	104	28	132
Diéd in Home.....	107	37	144	85	33	118	192	70	262
Totals.....	238	61	299	231	69	300	469	130	599
Remaining June 30th.....	495	204	699	531	218	749	531	218	749
Average population.....	553.47	195.29	748.76	530.25	222	752.25	541.86	208.65	750.51

*Computed.

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 16, 1916.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant.

Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1916.

I desire to thank you for courteous treatment extended to me, also by the officers and members of the institution.

Very respectfully,
Jno. C. Loper,
Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present.						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members—						
Noncommissioned officers.....	29		29	29		29
For duty.....	288	158	446	301	170	471
On extra duty.....	45		45	45		45
Sick in hospital.....	127	46	173	156	48	204
Total.....	495	204	699	537	218	755
Civilian employes.....	64	86	150	70	106	176
Totals.....	559	290	849	607	324	931
Absent						
With leave.....	230	128	358	243	153	396
Totals.....	230	128	358	243	153	396
Present and Absent						
Officers.....	6		6	6		6
Members.....	719	332	1,051	774	365	1,139
Civilian employes.....	64	86	150	70	106	176
Totals.....	789	418	1,207	850	471	1,321
Average daily population (civilians included).....	617	281	898	600	328	928

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1915			For Year Ending June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T		F	T	M	F	T
White.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408
Black.....									
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1915			For Year Ending June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write.....	125	55	180	135	59	194	260	114	374
Unable to read and write.....	12	4	16	9	9	18	21	13	34
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES ON ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1915			For Year Ending June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	3		3				3		3
40 and under 50 years.....	4		4	1		1	5		5
50 and under 60 years.....	1	6	7	2	7	9	3	13	16
60 and under 70 years.....	27	26	53	22	30	52	49	56	105
70 and under 80 years.....	82	20	102	103	23	126	185	43	228
80 and under 90 years.....	16	6	22	13	7	20	29	13	42
90 and under 100 years.....	4	1	5	3	1	4	7	2	9
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408
Average ages.....	72.25	69.15		73.09	69.11		72.25	69.12	

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	2		2
40 and under 50 years.....	5		5
50 and under 60 years.....	5	24	29
60 and under 70 years.....	83	128	211
70 and under 80 years.....	543	173	716
80 and under 90 years.....	120	33	153
90 and under 100 years.....	16	7	23
Totals.....	774	365	1,139
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers.....	50.64		
Average age of men.....	74.50		
Average age of women.....	70.79		

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1914.			For Year Ending June 30, 1915			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1915.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant.....	126	57	183	139	64	203	265	121	386
Catholic.....	7	2	9	2	4	6	9	6	15
None.....	4		4	3		3	7		7
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1915			For Year Ending June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single.....	18		18	10		10	28		28
Married.....	44	28	72	58	30	88	102	58	160
Widowed.....	70	31	101	71	38	109	141	69	210
Divorced.....	5		5	5		5	10		10
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

TABLE NO. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June, 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born—	126	53	179	130	64	194	256	117	373
New England States.....	12	3	15	10	4	14	22	7	29
Connecticut.....	1	1	2	2	.....	2	3	1	4
Maine.....	2	.....	2	4	.....	4	6	.....	6
Massachusetts.....	2	1	3	1	.....	1	3	1	4
New Hampshire.....	1	1	2	1	.....	1	2	1	3
Rhode Island.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	1	1
Vermont.....	6	.....	6	2	3	5	8	3	11
Middle States.....	39	14	53	37	12	49	76	26	102
New York.....	19	7	26	16	7	23	35	14	49
New Jersey.....	2	2	4	4	.....	4	6	2	8
Pennsylvania.....	18	5	23	17	5	22	35	10	45
Southern States.....	11	10	21	7	8	15	18	18	36
Georgia.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Kentucky.....	2	4	6	1	.....	1	3	4	7
Maryland.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Missouri.....	4	4	8	1	4	5	5	8	13
North Carolina.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Tennessee.....	1	1	2	1	.....	1	1	2	3
Virginia.....	3	1	4	3	3	6	6	4	10
Northwest States.....	55	19	74	65	29	94	120	48	168
Illinois.....	17	4	21	10	4	14	27	8	35
Indiana.....	15	4	19	16	11	27	31	15	46
Michigan.....	3	.....	3	1	1	2	4	1	5
Ohio.....	19	7	26	35	11	46	54	18	72
Wisconsin.....	1	4	5	3	2	5	4	6	10
IOWA.....	8	7	15	11	11	22	19	18	37
Western States.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Nebraska.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Foreign born.....	11	6	17	14	4	18	25	10	35
Ireland.....	3	2	5	1	1	2	4	3	7
Austria.....	1	2	3	.....	.....	1	2	3	3
Sweden.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Germany.....	3	2	5	3	2	5	6	4	10
Canada.....	2	.....	2	4	.....	4	6	.....	6
Norway.....	.....	.....	1	1	1	2	1	1	2
England.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Russia.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Denmark.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Switzerland.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Grand totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

TABLE NO. 10.

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

(Compiled by Surgeon).

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health; No person is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled, unless it be by reason of age.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
II. Diseases—	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1. General diseases.....	65	59	124	78	68	146	193	127	270
Blind.....	3	.....	3	5	.....	5	8	.....	8
Debility from age.....	47	59	106	54	68	122	101	127	128
Malaria.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Rheumatism.....	12	.....	12	19	.....	19	31	.....	31
Tuberculosis.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
2. Diseases of the nervous system.....	15	.....	15	14	.....	14	29	.....	29
Loes motor ataxia.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Paralysis general.....	12	.....	12	12	.....	12	24	.....	24
Senile dementia.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
3. Disease of circulatory system.....	19	.....	19	14	.....	14	33	.....	33
Arteriosclerosis.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Hemorrhoids.....	2	.....	2	3	.....	3	5	.....	5
Hypertrophy of heart.....	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Valvular disease of heart.....	13	.....	13	8	.....	8	21	.....	21
Varicose veins.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
4. Diseases of the respiratory system.....	7	.....	7	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
Asthma.....	5	.....	5	2	.....	2	7	.....	7
Bronchitis, chronic.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
5. Diseases of digestive system.....	13	.....	13	14	.....	14	27	.....	27
Constipation.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
Chronic diarrhea.....	3	.....	3	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
Disease of liver.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Fistula in ano.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Gastritis.....	2	.....	2	3	.....	3	5	.....	5
Hernia, double and single.....	5	.....	5	7	.....	7	12	.....	12
6. Disease of the genito-urinary system.....	13	.....	13	14	.....	14	27	.....	27
Cystitis.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Nephritis.....	9	.....	9	12	.....	12	21	.....	21
Prostatic enlargement.....	3	.....	3	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
7. External injuries.....	5	.....	5	8	.....	8	13	.....	13
Contused wounds.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Deafness and blood poisoning.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
Dislocations.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Fractures.....	3	.....	3	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
Gunshot wound.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Grand totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

TABLE NO. 11.

OCCUPATION PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916			Since Opening Of Home.		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Agricultural and rural.....	81		81	76		76	157		157	1630		1630
Farmers.....	56		56	62		62	118		118			
Gardeners.....	25		25	2		2	27		27			
Laborers.....				12		12	12		12			
II. Commercial and mercantile.....	4		4	13		13	17		17	161	3	164
Agents, real estate.....	1		1	3		3	4		4			
Merchants.....	3		3	7		7	10		10			
Salesmen.....				3		3	3		3			
III. Manufacturing and mechanical.....	44	1	45	45	2	47	89	3	92			
1. Building trades.....	22		22	28		28	50		50	199		199
Carpenters.....	17		17	20		20	37		37			
Masons.....	3		3	2		2	5		5			
Painters.....	2		2	6		6	8		8			
Plasterers.....												
2. Clay, glass and stone.....										36		36
3. Mining.....	5		5	2		2	7		7	81		81
Miners.....	5		5	2		2	7		7			
4. Food products.....	4		4	1		1	5		5	46		46
Butchers.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
Millers.....	2		2				2		2			
5. Iron and steel workers.....	5		5	3		3	8		8	172		172
Blacksmiths.....	5		5	3		3	8		8			
6. Leather.....	1		1	2		2	3		3	116		116
Saddlers.....				1		1	1		1			
Shoemakers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			

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TABLE NO. 11 Continued.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916			Since Opening Of home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
7. Metals other than iron.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	36		36
Jewelers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
8. Paper and printing.....	2		2				2		2	37		37
Printers.....	2		2				2		2			
9. Textiles.....		2			4	4		6	6			
Tailors.....		1	1		2	2		3	3	19	1	20
Dressmakers.....		1	1		2	2		3	3			
10. Miscellaneous.....	4		4	8		8	12		12	1076		1076
IV. Transportation.....	7		7	6		6	13		13	26		26
1. Steam railroads.....	5		5	5		5	10		10			
Engineers.....	1		1	5		5	6		6	6		6
Railroad employes.....	4		4				4		4	65		65
2. Express and transfer.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	67		67
Expressmen.....	1		1				1		1			
Teamsters.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
V. Professional.....	1		1	4		4	5		5	121		121
Lawyers.....				1		1	1		1			
Ministers.....				1		1	1		1			
Physicians.....				1		1	1		1			
Teachers.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
VI. Domestic and personal.....		58	58		64	64		122	122	1138	791	1929
Housekeepers.....		9	9					9	9			
Housewives.....		47	47		63	63		110	110			
Matrons.....		2	2		1	1		3	3			
VII. Miscellaneous.....					2	2		2	2			
Grand totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408	5032	795	5827

IOWA SOLDIERS' HOME

TABLE NO. 12.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED,
AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1916.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916			Remaining June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair.....				1		1	1		1		
Adams.....											1	1
Allamakee.....											3	2
Appanoose.....	4	3	7	2		2	6	3	9	3	3	6
Audubon.....									1			1
Benton.....	3		3	4	3	7	7	3	10	5	3	8
Black Hawk.....	4	1	5		1	1	4	2	6	6	3	9
Boone.....	2	1	3	1	2	3	3	3	6	8	5	13
Bremer.....	1		1				1		1	4		4
Buchanan.....		1	1	3		3	3	1	4	4		4
Buena Vista.....									4	4		4
Butler.....	3		3				3		3	5		5
Calhoun.....				1	1	2	1	1	2	3	2	5
Carroll.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cass.....	1		1				1		1	3	2	5
Cedar.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4	3	2	5
Cerro Gordo.....		1	1	2		2	2	2	3	4	2	6
Cherokee.....	1		1				1	1	1	1	1	2
Chickasaw.....				1		1	1	1	1	3	3	3
Clarke.....				1		1	1	1	1	2	2	4
Clay.....		1	1					1	1	1	1	1
Clayton.....				1		1	1	1	1	4	1	5
Clinton.....	4		4	1		1	5		5	13	2	15
Dallas.....	1		1	1		1	2	2	2	7	3	10
Decatur.....				1		1	1	1	1	1		1
Delaware.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3	6	3	7
Des Moines.....	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	9	3	12
Dickinson.....											2	2
Dubuque.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3	11	2	13
Emmet.....	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	3		3
Fayette.....	1		1	3		3	4		4	6	2	8
Floyd.....				1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Franklin.....							2	2	2	7		7
Fremont.....	1		1	1	1	2	1	3	3	3	1	4
Greene.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	6		6
Grundy.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Guthrie.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	5	1	6
Hamilton.....	2		2				2		2	6	1	7
Hancock.....	2		2				2		2	1		1
Hardin.....	3		3	1		2	4	1	5	5		5
Harrison.....		1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	5	4	9
Henry.....		1	1		2	2		3	3	5	3	8
Howard.....												1
Humboldt.....									3	1		4
Ida.....									2	1		3
Iowa.....									5	5	2	7
Jackson.....				4	1	5	4	1	5	5	2	7
Jasper.....	2	2	4	3		3	5	2	7	6	5	11
Jefferson.....				1		1	1		1	1	1	2
Johnson.....									2			2
Jones.....	1	1	2	3		3	4	1	5	3	3	6
Keokuk.....				1	1	1	1		1	3		3
Kossuth.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	1		2
Lee.....	3	4	7	1		1	4	4	8	7	8	15
Linn.....	10	7	17	2	2	4	12	9	21	24	7	31
Louisa.....					1	1		1	1	3	1	4
Lucas.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3	3		3
Madison.....				1		1	1		1	1		1
Mahaska.....				1	2	3	1	2	3	20	5	25

TABLE NO. 12. Continued.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916			Remaining June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Marion.....	5		5	1		1	6		6	5		5
Marshall.....	8	4	12	11	11	22	19	15	34	29	20	49
Mills.....				1		1	1		1	2		4
Mitchell.....				1		1	1		1	4		4
Monona.....		1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	4
Monroe.....	2	1	3				2	1	3	4	5	9
Montgomery.....	2	1	3	2		2	4	1	5	6	3	9
Muscataine.....	2	1	3	3	1	4	5	2	7	6	6	12
O'Brien.....										3		3
Oseola.....										1		1
Palo Alto.....										1	2	3
Plymouth.....										5	1	6
Pocahontas.....	2	2	4				2	2	4	1	2	3
Polk.....	17	5	22	13	12	25	30	17	47	46	20	66
Pottawattamie.....	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6	15	9	24
Poweshiek.....	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5	5	3	8
Sac.....				1		1	1	1	1	1		1
Scott.....		2	2	3	3	6	3	5	8	14	9	25
Shelby.....		2	2					2	2	1		1
Stout.....		1	1	1		1	1	1	2			2
Story.....	3	1	4	5		5	8	1	9	10	3	13
Tama.....	3		3	2		2	5		5	6	4	10
Taylor.....	1		1	2		2	3		3			3
Union.....	1	1	2		1	1	1	1	2	3	1	2
Van Buren.....	1	1	2	3		3	4	1	5	1	1	2
Wapello.....	3	2	5		1	1	3	3	6	14	5	19
Warren.....										1	2	3
Washington.....	2		2	2		2	4		4	6		6
Wayne.....				1		1	1		1			1
Webster.....	1		1	2		2	3		3	8	3	11
Winnebago.....				1	2	3	1	2	3			3
Winneshiek.....				1		1	1		1	1	1	2
Woodbury.....	2		2	6	3	9	8	3	11	18	8	26
Worth.....										3		3
Wright.....	3	1	4				3	1	4	3	1	4
Other states.....	8	4	12	15	7	22	23	11	34	37	10	47
National homes.....	7		7	10		10	17		17	14		14
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408	531	218	749

TABLE NO. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair.....	9	1	10	1	1	10	1	11
Adams.....	8	3	11	.....	.....	.....	8	3	11
Allamakee.....	23	4	27	.....	.....	.....	23	4	27
Appanoose.....	29	6	35	6	3	9	35	9	44
Audubon.....	7	1	8	.....	.....	.....	7	1	8
Benton.....	52	5	57	7	3	10	59	8	67
Black Hawk.....	79	13	92	4	2	6	83	15	98
Boone.....	72	14	86	3	3	6	75	17	92
Bremer.....	23	2	25	1	.....	.....	24	2	26
Buchanan.....	6	1	7	.....	.....	.....	6	1	7
Buena Vista.....	30	6	36	3	1	4	33	7	40
Butler.....	25	2	27	3	.....	.....	28	4	32
Calhoun.....	16	3	19	1	1	2	17	4	21
Carroll.....	19	4	23	.....	.....	.....	19	5	24
Cass.....	29	3	32	1	.....	.....	30	3	33
Cedar.....	24	1	25	2	2	4	23	3	29
Cerro Gordo.....	30	10	40	2	1	3	32	11	43
Cherokee.....	17	3	20	1	.....	.....	18	3	21
Chickasaw.....	19	2	21	1	.....	.....	20	2	22
Clarke.....	17	3	20	1	.....	.....	18	3	21
Clay.....	9	2	11	.....	.....	.....	9	3	12
Clayton.....	40	5	45	1	.....	.....	41	5	46
Clinton.....	103	11	114	5	.....	.....	108	11	119
Crawford.....	20	1	21	.....	.....	.....	20	1	21
Dallas.....	33	9	42	2	.....	.....	35	9	44
Davis.....	15	1	16	.....	.....	.....	15	1	16
Decatur.....	17	2	19	1	.....	.....	18	2	20
Delaware.....	21	4	25	2	1	3	23	5	28
Des Moines.....	76	9	85	2	1	3	78	10	88
Dickinson.....	6	3	9	.....	.....	.....	6	3	9
Dubuque.....	115	9	124	2	1	3	117	10	127
Emmet.....	9	1	10	2	1	3	11	2	13
Fayette.....	63	17	80	4	.....	.....	67	17	84
Floyd.....	35	7	42	1	1	2	36	8	44
Franklin.....	29	4	33	.....	.....	.....	29	4	33
Franklin.....	27	3	30	2	1	3	29	4	33
Freemont.....	28	1	29	3	.....	.....	31	1	32
Greene.....	12	2	14	.....	.....	.....	12	3	15
Grundy.....	28	4	32	3	.....	.....	31	4	35
Guthrie.....	33	5	38	2	.....	.....	35	5	40
Hamilton.....	8	1	9	2	.....	.....	10	1	11
Hancock.....	58	9	67	4	1	5	62	10	72
Hardin.....	51	9	60	.....	.....	.....	51	11	62
Harrison.....	45	7	52	.....	.....	.....	45	10	55
Henry.....	8	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	8
Howard.....	20	4	24	.....	.....	.....	20	4	24
Humboldt.....	11	1	12	.....	.....	.....	11	1	12
Ida.....	18	2	20	.....	.....	.....	18	2	20
Iowa.....	58	5	63	4	1	5	62	6	68
Jackson.....	65	9	74	5	2	7	70	11	81
Jasper.....	16	2	18	1	.....	.....	17	2	19
Jefferson.....	57	5	62	.....	.....	.....	57	5	62
Johnson.....	31	3	34	4	1	5	35	4	39
Jones.....	25	7	32	1	.....	.....	26	7	33
Keokuk.....	20	3	23	2	.....	.....	22	3	25
Kossuth.....	84	11	95	4	4	8	88	15	103
Lee.....	163	23	186	12	9	21	175	32	207
Linn.....	33	6	39	.....	.....	.....	33	7	40
Louisa.....	18	.....	18	2	1	3	20	1	21
Lucas.....	9	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	9
Lyon.....	19	3	22	.....	.....	.....	20	3	23
Madison.....	123	28	151	1	2	3	124	30	154
Mahaska.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

TABLE NO. 13—Continued.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1914			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Marion.....	52	6	58	6	6	58	6	64
Marshall.....	185	106	301	19	15	34	214	121	335
Mills.....	26	9	35	1	.....	1	27	9	36
Mitchell.....	15	4	19	1	2	3	16	.....	16
Monona.....	33	4	37	1	.....	1	34	6	40
Monroe.....	23	6	29	2	1	3	25	7	32
Montgomery.....	24	6	30	4	1	5	28	7	35
Muscatine.....	84	15	99	5	2	7	89	17	106
O'Brien.....	17	4	21	.....	.....	.....	17	4	21
Osceola.....	6	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	6
Page.....	24	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	24
Palo Alto.....	9	3	12	.....	.....	.....	9	3	12
Plymouth.....	23	1	24	.....	.....	.....	23	1	24
Pocahontas.....	13	4	17	2	2	4	15	6	21
Polk.....	384	77	471	30	17	47	424	94	518
Pottawattamie.....	105	19	124	5	1	6	110	20	130
Poweshiek.....	42	13	55	3	2	5	45	15	60
Ringgold.....	21	1	22	.....	.....	.....	21	1	22
Sac.....	22	3	25	1	.....	.....	23	3	26
Scott.....	142	19	161	3	5	8	145	24	169
Shelby.....	12	1	13	.....	.....	.....	12	3	15
Sioux.....	48	7	55	1	1	2	49	8	57
Story.....	51	14	65	8	1	9	59	15	74
Tama.....	21	5	26	5	.....	.....	26	5	31
Taylor.....	27	3	30	3	.....	.....	30	3	33
Union.....	26	2	28	1	2	3	27	4	31
Van Buren.....	105	16	121	4	1	5	109	17	126
Wapello.....	39	2	41	3	3	6	42	5	47
Warren.....	22	4	26	.....	.....	.....	22	4	26
Washington.....	23	3	26	4	.....	.....	27	3	30
Wayne.....	64	4	68	1	.....	.....	65	4	69
Webster.....	9	3	12	3	.....	.....	12	3	15
Winnebago.....	9	.....	9	1	2	3	10	2	12
Winneshek.....	93	9	102	1	.....	.....	94	9	103
Woodbury.....	16	6	22	8	3	11	24	9	33
Worth.....	18	5	23	.....	.....	.....	18	5	23
Wright.....	4	.....	4	3	1	4	7	1	8
Other States.....	73	15	88	23	11	34	96	26	122
Washington, D. C.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
National Homes.....	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	17	17	.....	17
Totals.....	3943	629	4572	281	127	408	4390	857	5247

TABLE NO. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Residence in Country.....				1	1	2	1	1	2
Villages and towns.....	39	15	54	52	16	68	91	31	122
Cities of 2,000 and under 4,000	26	9	35	23	8	31	49	17	66
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000	8	8	16	9	2	11	17	10	27
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000	16	13	29	15	17	32	31	30	61
Cities of 25,000 and over.....	33	14	47	22	18	40	55	32	87
Other states.....	8		8	13	6	19	21	6	27
National Homes.....	7		7	9		9	16		16
Totals.....	137	59	196	144	68	212	281	127	408

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000

Albia.....		1	1				1	1
Ames.....				3		3	3	3
Atlantic.....								
Cedar Falls.....	1		2				1	2
Centerville.....	2	3	5	1		1	3	6
Cherokee.....								
Creston.....				1		1	1	1
Fairfield.....							2	2
Glenwood.....	1		1	1		1	2	2
Grinnell.....								
Le Mars.....	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	5
Marion.....								
Newton.....		1	1	2		2	2	3
Oelwein.....								
Perry.....								
Red Oak.....		1	1				1	1
Shenandoah.....								
Washington.....	1		1				1	1
Webster City.....	2		2				2	2
Totals.....	8	8	16	9	2	11	17	27

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000

Boone.....	1	1	2		2	1	3	4
Burlington.....	1		1	1	1	2	2	3
Fort Dodge.....	1		1	1		1	2	2
Fort Madison.....	2	2	4			2	2	4
Iowa City.....				1		1	1	1
Keokuk.....	1	2	3	1		1	2	4
Marshalltown.....	5	4	9	7	10	17	12	26
Mason City.....		1	1	1		1	1	2
Muscatine.....	2	1	3	2		2	4	5
Oskaloosa.....	1		1	1	2	3	2	4
Ottumwa.....	2	2	4		2	2	4	6
Totals.....	16	13	29	15	17	32	31	61

III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER

Cedar Rapids.....	7	5	12	2	1	3	9	6	15
Clinton.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Council Bluffs.....	4	1	5	2	2	3	6	2	8
Davenport.....		2	2	1	2	3	1	4	5
Des Moines.....	14	5	19	14	12	26	28	17	45
Dubuque.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Stout City.....	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4
Waterloo.....	3		3		1	1	3	1	4
Totals.....	33	14	47	22	18	40	55	32	87

TABLE NO. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.
WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915		For Year End- ing June 30, 1916		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
I. WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.						
Civil war.....	127	127	138	138	265	265
Spanish - American war.....	10	10	4	4	14	14
Mexican war.....			2	2	2	2
Totals.....	137	137	144	144	281	281
II. DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.						
Spanish-American.....	10	10	4	4	14	14
Volunteers (United States).....	127	127	138	138	265	265
Mexican war.....			2	2	2	2
Totals.....	137	137	144	144	281	281
III. BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.						
Infantry.....	104	104	110	110	214	214
Cavalry.....	25	25	30	30	55	55
Artillery.....	5	5	3	3	8	8
Engineers.....	1	1			1	1
Navy and marine.....			1	1	1	1
Unassigned.....	2	2			2	2
Totals.....	137	137	144	144	281	281

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915	For Year End- ing June 30, 1916	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916
Massachusetts.....	1		1
New York.....	10	6	16
Pennsylvania.....	3	3	6
Arkansas.....			
Kentucky.....			
Texas.....			
Ohio.....	6	13	19
Indiana.....	4	6	10
Illinois.....	27	19	46
Missouri.....	5	1	6
Iowa.....	66	80	146
Minnesota.....	1	1	2
Wisconsin.....	7	8	15
Michigan.....	3		3
Nebraska.....			
Colorado.....			
New Jersey.....	1		1
Maine.....	2		2
Connecticut.....	1		1
New Hampshire.....		1	1
Vermont.....		2	2
South Dakota.....		1	1
Unknown.....		2	2
Totals.....	137	144	281

TABLE NO. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1914	Total to June 30, 1916
Male.....	281	4470	4751
Arkansas.....		5	5
California.....		13	13
Colorado.....		21	21
Florida.....		3	3
Icaho.....		2	2
Illinois.....	46	96	142
Indiana.....	10	25	35
Indian Territory.....		2	2
Iowa.....	146	3796	4122
Kansas.....		59	59
Kentucky.....		2	2
Louisiana.....		3	3
Maine.....	3	1	4
Massachusetts.....	1	1	2
Michigan.....	3	10	13
Maryland.....		1	1
Missouri.....	6	48	54
Minnesota.....	2	20	22
Mississippi.....		1	1
Montana.....		5	5
Nebraska.....		27	27
New York.....	16	17	33
New Jersey.....	1	1	2
Ohio.....	19	30	49
Oklahoma.....		11	11
Oregon.....	6	6	12
Pennsylvania.....	6	11	17
Rhode Island.....		13	13
South Dakota.....	1	8	9
Tennessee.....		3	3
Unknown.....	2		2
Texas.....		1	1
Vermont.....	2	1	3
Virginia.....		1	1
West Virginia.....		1	1
Washington.....		1	1
Washington, D. C.....		1	1
Wisconsin.....	15	38	53
Wyoming.....		5	5
Connecticut.....	1		1
New Hampshire.....	1		1
Female.....	127	740	867
Iowa.....	116	711	827
California.....		2	2
Oklahoma.....	1	2	3
Nebraska.....	1	2	3
North Dakota.....		1	1
Montana.....		7	7
Kansas.....	2	2	4
New York.....		2	2
Colorado.....		1	1
Missouri.....	3	1	4
Tennessee.....		1	1
New Mexico.....		1	1
Illinois.....	2	6	8
Indian Territory.....	1	1	1
Texas.....	1		1
Grand totals.....	408	5210	5618

TABLE NO. 18.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF MEMBERS.
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. General diseases.....	14	11	25	11	9	20	25	20	45
Cancer of mouth.....		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Cancer of neck and face.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Cancer of stomach.....	2	1	3				2	1	3
Cancer of tongue and throat.....			1						1
Cancer of uteri.....		1	1		2	2		3	3
Cerebral softening.....	1		1				1		1
Influenza.....	1		1				1		1
Peritonitis.....	1		1				1		1
Rheumatism, chronic.....	1	1	5	3	8	6	3	9	9
Senile debility.....		1	2	1	3	2	2	4	4
Septicemia.....	3		3	1	2	3	4	2	6
Tuberculosis of bowels.....	4	3	7		1	1	4	4	8
Tuberculosis, pulmon- ary.....		1	1				1	1	1
Tuberculosis.....	1	2	3	1		1	2	2	4
II. Diseases of nervous sys- tem and organs of special sense.....	18	6	24	13	5	18	31	11	42
Acute congestion of brain.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Huntington's chorea.....	1		1				1		1
Paralysis, agitans.....	2	1	3				2	1	3
Paralysis, general.....	9	2	11	10	4	14	19	6	25
Senile dementia.....	4	2	6	3		3	7	2	9
Senile gangrene.....	1		1		1	1	1	1	2
III. Diseases of circulatory system.....	34	7	41	29	8	37	63	15	78
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	10	2	12	9	4	13	19	6	25
Mitralstonsis.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Myocarditis.....	5	1	6	1		1	6	1	7
Valvular disease of heart.....	17	4	21	18	4	22	35	8	43
IV. Diseases of respiratory system.....	6		6	2	1	3	8	1	9
Bronchitis, chronic.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Pneumonia.....	3		3	1	1	2	4	1	5
V. Diseases of digestive sys- tem.....	7	2	9	2	1	3	9	3	12
Cirrhosis of liver.....	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6
Gastritis.....	2	1	3				2	1	3
Ulceration of stomach, chronic.....	2	1	3				2	1	3
VI. Diseases of genito-urinary system.....	21	3	24	12	2	14	33	5	38
Cystitis, chronic.....	2	1	3				2	1	3
Nephritis, chronic.....	17	2	19	11	1	12	28	3	31
Uremia.....	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4
VII. External causes.....		1	1		1	1		2	2
Shock following remov- al of pus tubes.....					1	1		1	1
Suicide by drowning.....		1	1					1	1
Grand totals.....	100	30	130	69	27	96	169	57	226

TABLE NO. 19.

AGE OF MEMBERS AT DEATH.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915			For Year End- ing June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years		1	1				1		1
50 and under 60 years					1	1	1	1	1
60 and under 70 years	8	8	16	9	18	17	17	34	
70 and under 80 years	67	15	82	62	13	75	129	28	157
80 and under 90 years	25	2	27	14	8	22	39	10	49
90 and under 100 years	3	1	4		2	2	3	3	6
100 and under 110 years									
Totals	103	27	130	85	33	118	188	60	248

TABLE NO. 20.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916.	
Books purchased	123
Books donated	169
Total	292
Books withdrawn	214
Number in library June 30, 1916	1,490

TABLE NO. 21.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916.	
Biography	19
Ethics, etc.	2
Fiction	179
Fine arts	3
History	29
Language	1
Literature	13
Religion	5
Sociology	7
Science	7
Travel	7
Useful arts	24
	3
Total	292

TABLE NO. 22.—INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916.	
Art	68
Biography	306
Essays and poetry	77
Fiction	11,631
History	405
Science	78
Travel	241
Miscellaneous	194
Periodicals	588
Total circulation	13,588
Average monthly—	
Population	909
Employees	138
Readers	160

TABLE NO. 23.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.

PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1915		For Year End- ing June 30, 1916		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916	
	No	Value	No	Value	No	Value
Fruits						
Apples			66½	\$ 26.40	66½	\$ 26.40
Blackberries						
Cherries	1047	\$ 83.76	94	7.52	1141	91.28
Currants	107	10.40	16	1.60	123	12.00
Grapes	947	37.88	1086	43.44	2033	81.32
Plums		.75	12	12.00	12½	12.75
Raspberries	84	8.40	8	.80	92	9.20
Strawberries						
Vegetables						
Asparagus			644	96.60	644	96.60
Beans, string	976	29.28	1760	35.26	2736	64.54
Beets	100½	61.56	138½	69.25	238½	130.81
Corn, green	6696	66.66	15575	157.55	22241	224.21
Cabbage	9816	196.32	15535	245.76	25351	442.08
Cauliflower	362	21.72	915	45.75	1277	67.47
Carrots	1001	10.01	716	7.16	1717	17.17
Celery	89	6.23	715	99.55	804	105.78
Cucumbers	2069	71.07	392	11.76	2461	82.83
Eggplant	470	14.10			470	14.10
Lettuce	16	1.28	1756	87.80	1772	89.08
Melons	1251	84.80	77	19.25	1328	104.05
Onions, green	419	33.52	1894	94.70	2313	128.22
Onions, dried	62½	52.38	75½	56.54	138	108.92
Potatoes, Irish	1121½	761.85	1708	932.60	2829½	1694.45
Potatoes, sweet	1775	35.50	970	30.74	2745	66.24
Peas, green	637	31.85	1390	97.30	2027	129.15
Radishes	221	6.63	644	19.32	865	25.95
Rhubarb			4875	97.50	4875	97.50
Rutabagas						
Sauerkraut	132	19.80	337	50.55	469	70.35
Squash	50	5.00	441	44.10	491	49.10
Spinach			1300	130.00	1300	130.00
Tomatoes	302½	120.90	94½	47.25	396½	168.15
Turnips	6½	3.25	128	55.65	134½	58.90
Grand totals		1774.90		2623.70		4398.60

TABLE NO. 24.

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS—CONSUMED.

		For Year End- ing June 30, 1915		For Year End- ing June 30, 1916		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916	
		No	Value	No	Value	No	Value
Chicken.....	pounds	1005	\$ 100.50	510	\$ 51.00	1515	\$ 151.50
Eggs.....	dozen	1107	226.40	1095	234.63	2202	461.03
Totals.....		2112	\$ 326.90		\$ 285.63		\$ 612.53

TABLE NO. 25.

ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

		For Year End- ing June 30, 1915		For Year End- ing June 30, 1916		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
1. In sewing-room—							
Aprons.....		67	\$ 23.94	48	\$ 15.48	115	\$ 39.42
Box covers.....		5	5.35	6	7.60	11	12.95
Bread covers.....		12	2.45	22	4.90	34	7.35
Chemises.....							
Curtains.....		150	63.99	220	132.04	370	196.03
Dresses.....		125	406.12	153	650.60	278	1056.72
Dresser scarfs.....							
Dust bags.....							
Gowns.....		134	135.70	139	150.55	273	286.25
Hair cloths.....		4	1.45	4	1.50	8	2.95
Mattress covers.....							
Napkins.....							
Petticoats.....		133	242.58	161	312.98	294	555.56
Pillow slips.....		800	161.91	1287	259.65	2087	421.56
Skirts.....		4	18.00	5	22.50	9	40.50
Spreads.....							
Sheets.....		527	336.56	1142	662.59	1669	999.15
Table-cloths.....		286	983.91	230	854.05	516	1837.96
Towels.....		961	191.29	697	129.88	1678	321.17
Waists.....		3	5.85	4	5.92	7	11.77
Totals.....			\$2579.10		\$3210.24		\$5789.34
2. In laundry—							
Soap.....		3600	\$ 144.00	4800	\$ 192.00	8400	\$ 336.00

TABLE NO. 26.

LAUNDRY WORK DONE.

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1916.	
Sheets.....	225,600
Spreads.....	125,000
Pillow slips.....	218,650
Table-cloths.....	216,320
Shirts.....	106,800
Undershirts.....	112,685
Drawers.....	110,325
Socks.....	75,987
Aprons.....	17,425
Towels, hand.....	48,335
Towels, roller.....	87,258
Towels, bath.....	58,000
Towels, barber.....	38,496
Towels, dish.....	95,505
Hospital cloths.....	155,600
Jackets.....	35,325
Overalls.....	46,980
Night shirts.....	12,000
Nurses' uniforms.....	1,625
Nurses' aprons.....	1,241
Handkerchiefs.....	9,786
Carpets.....	12,865
Blankets.....	18,450
Cushion covers.....	1,800
Trousers.....	3,600
Vests.....	900
Coats.....	700
Total.....	1,837,258

TABLE NO. 27.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 17, 1916.

Breakfast—			
Eggs, boiled.....	75 dozen	.21	\$ 15.75
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Oatmeal.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Total.....			\$ 17.29
Dinner—			
Beef, roast.....	125 pounds	12.30	\$ 15.37
Potatoes, browned.....	2½ bushels	.50	1.25
Lima beans, stewed.....	40 pounds	.06	2.40
Pie-plant pie.....	76 only	.02	1.52
Cheese.....	25 pounds	.15½	3.82
Total.....			\$ 24.36
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Lima beans, stewed (accounted for).....			
Canned peaches, sauce.....	16 cans	.37	5.92
Total.....			5.92
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	.02	\$ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.28¾	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Sugar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.75
Total.....			\$ 37.37
Total cost for Sunday June 11, 1916.....			\$ 84.94
Breakfast—			
Bacon, fried.....	90 pounds	\$ 16.66	\$ 15.00
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Oatmeal, steamed.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Total.....			\$ 16.54
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	125 pounds	12.30	15.37
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Potatoes, for soup.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Crackers.....	28 pounds	.05½	1.54
Total.....			\$ 18.91
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Pie-plant, for sauce.....	100 pounds	.02	\$ 2.00
Corn bread.....	13 pounds	.06	.78
Total.....			\$ 2.78
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	.02	\$ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.28¾	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Sugar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.75
Total.....			\$ 37.37
Total cost for Monday June 12, 1916.....			\$ 75.60

TABLE NO 27.—CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Meat stew. (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, for stew.....	2 bushels	.50	\$ 1.00
Onions, for stew.....	¼ bushels	.75	.18
Oatmeal, steamed.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Total.....			\$ 1.72
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	125 pounds	12.30	\$ 15.37
Potatoes steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Beans, navy, boiled.....	50 pounds	.04	2.00
Total.....			\$ 18.37
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Pie-plant, for sauce.....	100 pounds	.02	2.00
Beans, navy, boiled (accounted for).....			
Total.....			\$ 2.00
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	.02	\$ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.28¾	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Sugar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.91
Total.....			\$ 37.37
Total cost for Tuesday June 13, 1916.....			\$ 59.46
Breakfast—			
Pork mess, fried.....	100 pounds	.40	\$ 10.00
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Oatmeal, steamed.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Total.....			\$ 11.54
Dinner—			
Ham, boiled.....	140 pounds	16.16	\$ 22.62
Canned corn, stewed.....	66 cans	.05	3.30
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Green onions.....	60 pounds	.05	3.00
Total.....			\$ 29.92
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Corn starch, for pudding (accounted for).....			
Eggs, for pudding.....	6 dozen	.21	\$ 1.26
Lemon extract.....	¼ pint	.50	.12
Total.....			\$ 1.38
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	.02	\$ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.28¾	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Sugar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.75
Total.....			\$ 37.37
Total cost for Wednesday June 14, 1916.....			\$ 80.21

TABLE NO. 27.—CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Pork chops, fried.....	137 pounds	\$ 14.69	¢ 20.12
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Oatmeal, steamed.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Total.....			¢ 21.66
Dinner—			
Pork, roast and gravy.....	136 pounds	14.69	¢ 20.12
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Rice, stewed.....	20 pounds	.05½	1.05
Total.....			¢ 22.17
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for).....			
Rice, steamed (accounted for).....			
Strawberries.....	67 quarts	.10	6.70
Biscuits.....	33 dozen	.09	2.97
Total.....			¢ 9.67
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	.02	¢ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.28½	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Sugar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.75
Total.....			¢ 37.37
Total cost for Thursday June 15, 1916.....			¢ 90.87
Breakfast—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Fish, cod stewed.....	60 pounds	.06½	¢ 3.90
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Oatmeal, steamed.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Total.....			¢ 5.44
Dinner—			
Beef roast and gravy.....	125 pounds	\$ 12.30	¢ 15.37
Potatoes, boiled.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Lima beans, stewed.....	40 pounds	.06	2.40
Total.....			¢ 18.77
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes fried, (accounted for).....			
Lima beans, stewed (accounted for).....			
Strawberries.....	5 quarts	.10	5.10
Cookies.....	33 dozen	.08	2.64
Pie-plant, for sauce.....	50 pounds	.02	1.00
Total.....			¢ 8.74
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	.02	¢ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.28½	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Su gar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.75
Total.....			¢ 37.37
Total cost for Friday June 16, 1916.....			¢ 70.32

TABLE NO. 27.—CONTINUED.

Breakfast—			
Meat for working men (accounted for).....			
Meat, hash (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, for hash.....	2 bushels	.50	\$ 1.00
Oatmeal, steamed.....	27 pounds	.02	.54
Onions for hash.....	4 bushels	.75	.18
Total.....			\$ 1.72
Dinner—			
Beef, boiled.....	129 pounds	12.30	15.87
Potatoes, creamed.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Canned corn, stewed.....	66 cans	.05	3.30
Total.....			¢ 20.17
Supper—			
Meat for working men (accounted for).....			
Potatoes, fried.....	1½ bushels	.50	.75
Pie-plant, for sauce.....	50 pounds	.02	1.00
Strawberries.....	60 quarts	.10	6.00
Total.....			¢ 7.75
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	229 pounds	2.02	¢ 4.58
Butter.....	50 pounds	.83	14.38
Coffee.....	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Sugar.....	90 pounds	6.57	5.91
Milk.....	500 pounds	1.75	8.75
Tea.....	15 pounds	.25	3.75
Syrup.....	4 gallons	.30	1.20
Total.....			¢ 42.32
Total cost for Saturday June 17, 1916.....			¢ 67.01

TABLE NO. 28.

FREE DINNER FURNISHED TO DELEGATES AND VISITORS AT G. A. R.
ENCAMPMENT JUNE 21, 1916.

Ham, boiled.....	647 pounds	\$16.16	\$ 104.55
Potatoes, creamed.....	13 bushels	.50	6.50
Beans, baked.....	234 pounds	.04½	10.14
Radishes.....	179 pounds	.03	5.37
Onions.....	97 pounds	.05	4.85
Apple pies.....	289 only	.06½	18.78
Cheese.....	72 pounds	.15	10.94
Bread.....	487 pounds	.02	9.74
Milk.....	673 pounds	1.75	11.78
Butter.....	126 pounds	.28½	35.60
Coffee.....	90 pounds	.15	13.50
Sugar.....	187 pounds	6.57	12.28
Total cost.....			\$ 244.03

TABLE NO. 29.

BILLS OF FARE—OLD PEOPLES' BUILDING DINING-ROOMS, THANKSGIVING, 1915.

Dinner—				
Chicken, stewed.....	120 pounds	\$.18 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$	22.50
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 peck	.12 $\frac{1}{4}$	\$	.38
Sweet potatoes.....	92 pounds	.03		2.76
Peas, creamed.....	30 cans	.07		2.10
Beets, pickled.....	1 bushel	.50		.50
Celery.....	20 pounds	.15		3.00
Pumpkin pie.....	29 only	.065		1.89
Mince pie.....	29 only	.065		1.89
Cheese.....	8 pounds	.152		1.21
Apples.....	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ bushel	.95		1.42
Cranberry sauce.....	14 pounds	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$		.63
Biscuit dumplings.....	21 dozen	.09		1.89
Total cost for November 25, 1915.....			\$	40.17

BILLS OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING-ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1915.

Breakfast—				
Oatmeal.....	15 pounds	.02	\$	.30
Meat stew (accounted for)				
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	.50		.50
Total.....			\$	.80
Dinner—				
Turkey, baked and dressing				46.50
Potatoes, mashed.....	1 bushel	.50	\$	.50
Peas.....	24 cans	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$		1.60
Cranberries, sauce.....	28 quarts	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$		1.26
Oranges.....	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ boxes	3.35		8.37
Bananas.....	28 dozen	.17		4.76
Apples.....	2 bushel	.95		1.90
Candy.....	55 pounds	.065		3.57
Pies.....	55 only	.152		1.82
W. R. C. and G. A. R. Jelly.....				
Total.....			\$	75.23
Supper—				
Cold meat (accounted for)				
Potatoes (accounted for)				
Cake, bakery.....	7 pans	.75	\$	5.25
Pears, sauce.....	7 cans	.52		3.64
Tea.....	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ pounds	.25		.37
Total.....			\$	9.26
Miscellaneous—				
Butter.....	37 pounds	\$.33 $\frac{1}{4}$	\$	12.30
Sugar.....	71 pounds	5.10		3.62
Milk.....	388 pounds	.02		7.76
Oysters.....	1 can	.12		.12
Lard.....	5 pounds	.085		.42
Crackers.....	5 pounds	.065		.33
Coffee.....	15 pounds	.16		2.40
Bread.....	143 pounds	.02		2.86
Eggs.....	35 dozen	.25		8.75
Salt.....	4 pounds	2.40		.04
Flour.....	7 pounds	.024		.17
Total.....			\$	38.77

Special diet: Dry, milk and French toast, eggnog, cocoa, beef steak, thickened milk, eggs, oyster soup, oatmeal gruel, W. R. C. and G. A. R. fruit and jelly.

Total cost for December 25, 1916..... \$ 124.06

TABLE NO. 30.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

Receipts—		
Balance June 30, 1914.....		
Per capita, members.....	\$	4,966.76
Per capita, civilians.....		305,975.62
Posthumous fund.....		31,140.23
Miscellaneous receipts.....		245.54
Total.....		8,045.05
Expenditures—		
Salaries and wages.....	\$	112,688.36
Provisions.....		119,112.52
Household stores.....		15,026.56
Clothing.....		16,238.73
Fuel lights.....		37,013.14
Hospital supplies.....		6,021.87
Shop, farm and garden.....		12,011.16
Ordinary repairs.....		701.60
Water and ice.....		7,576.05
Postage and stationery.....		2,508.16
Miscellaneous expense.....		8,891.76
Contingent fund.....		1,731.43
Balance June 30, 1916.....		10,761.86
Total.....	\$	350,373.20

TABLE NO. 31.

CONTINGENT, STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUND.

	Contingent Fund	Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	Posthumous Fund
June 1914.....		\$ 4,513.48	\$ 81.00	
Balance July 1, 1914.....	\$235.94			
July.....	110.89	4,666.25	315.72	
August.....	37.52	4,584.88	85.60	\$ 125.65
September.....	35.80	4,582.48	557.55	
October.....	26.21	4,570.78	179.75	
November.....	42.67	4,590.55	66.10	
December.....	46.36	4,622.19	53.01	
January, 1915.....	134.30	4,608.77	673.71	
February.....	146.21	4,572.44	109.25	
March.....	26.56	4,630.35	118.60	13.85
April.....	36.77	4,612.86	1,211.02	
May.....	162.45	4,630.17	359.67	
June.....	77.65	4,604.41	105.64	
July.....	24.96	4,725.80	925.68	
August.....	20.19	4,739.23	232.70	106.04
September.....	76.53	4,740.15	311.16	
October.....	31.15	4,788.57	176.00	
November.....	224.82	4,796.76	134.30	
December.....	53.16	4,860.26	175.25	
January, 1916.....	1000.00	4,832.61	809.25	
February.....	124.70	4,852.97	67.29	
March.....	179.94	4,835.48	827.05	
April.....	245.62	4,925.52	246.25	
May.....	323.99	4,901.35	222.10	
Total.....	\$3,482.66	\$ 112,788.36	\$ 8,045.05	\$ 245.54
Expenditures on approved vouchers.....	\$2,580.29	\$ 112,788.36	\$ 8,045.05	\$ 245.54
Balance June 30, 1916.....	\$ 902.37			
Totals.....	\$3,482.66	112,788.36	\$ 8,045.05	\$ 245.54

TABLE NO. 32.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office.

Cash on hand, members' fund.....	\$	\$ 12,299.35
Received cash, members' fund, biennial period...		60,789.36
Received cash on account miscellaneous (receipts)		119.60
Checks outstanding.....		833.67
Total on hand and received.....		\$ 74,041.98
By transfers.....	119.60	
By checks drawn.....	63,205.46	
Balance cash, members' fund, June 30, 1916.....	10,716.92	
Total on hand and paid out.....	\$ 74,041.98	\$ 74,041.98
Total number checks issued 1,153.		

TABLE NO. 33.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds	Balances in State Treasury July 1, 1914	Appropriated by the General Assembly	Amounts Expended During Period	Balances in State Treasury June 30, 1916
	\$ 3,947.79	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 7,166.05	\$ 1,781.74

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russell.....	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick.....	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows.....	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill.....	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle.....	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson.....	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans.....	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin.....	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard.....	1894 to 1898
C. L. Davidson.....	1895 to 1896
J. M. Morton.....	1895 to 1898
L. B. Raymond.....	1896 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey.....	1897 to 1898

Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee.....	January 1, 1898, to February 14, 1900
John Cownie.....	January 1, 1898, to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne.....	January 1, 1898, to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson.....	March 2, 1900 to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton.....	April 17, 1906, to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade.....	October 1, 1909, to September 16, 1913
Murdoch Bannister.....	April 6, 1910, to April 30, 1913
W. J. Dixon.....	May 1, 1913 to date
A. M. McColl.....	July 1, 1913 to date
J. H. McConlogue.....	October 6, 1913 to date

Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Col. Milo Smith.....	December 1, 1887, to October 10, 1892
Col. J. H. Keatley.....	October 10, 1892, to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin.....	September 22, 1894, to September 28, 1897
Col. C. C. Horton.....	October 12, 1897, to April 1, 1916.
B. C. Whitehill.....	April 1, 1916 to date

Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston.....	1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells.....	1889, to November —, 1894
Chas. L. Longley.....	November —, 1894, to August —, 1895
B. F. Warful.....	August 14, 1895, to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker.....	March, 1903, to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson.....	September 15, 1907, to September 1, 1915
Jno. C. Loper.....	September 1, 1915 to date

Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt.....	1887, to August —, 1895
Chas. L. Longley.....	August 14, 1895, to September —, 1897
B. A. Beeson.....	October 12, 1897, to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett.....	February 1, 1903, to date

Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters.....	1887, to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield.....	August 2, 1894, to date

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival.....	Organization to — — —, 1890
City Ministers.....	1890, to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole.....	April 1, 1900, to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt.....	October 20, 1913, to date

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 18, 1916

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home.
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I herewith submit my biennial report covering the period beginning July 1, 1914 and ending June 30, 1916.

Great changes have taken place since the first biennial report which I was required to make; since then there have been changes in all the officers of the home from commandant down, and almost an entire change in membership.

The silent reaper has removed many of the official members of the board of trustees who conducted the affairs of the home when I first took charge of the medical department; all the trustees have passed beyond the river save two; and all the commandants save yourself and one other. Several changes have occurred in the Adjutant's office, and in the quartermaster's department also; some vacancies caused by death and some from other causes.

The hospital department is the hardest department to manage satisfactorily in the home for many reasons. The infirmities of age in many of the patients cause a weakness of mind as well as body. To alleviate pain, sustain them in weakness and keep them contented is often a herculean task. Only such physicians, nurses and attendants as have infinite patience and sympathy, can accomplish this. The effort requisite to keep this ideal combination of help can only be appreciated by those who have tried it.

After about eighteen years of service under Col. C. C. Horton, whose death occurred in April, 1916, we feel that his interest in this department never flagged until he passed to the great beyond.

Within the last few months several changes have been made in the hospital that greatly increase its efficiency. Mr. Carl Shaffner has accepted the post of hospital steward and his wife Mrs. M. A. Shaffner that of superintendent of dining rooms and kitchen. Seven years of previous service in the same capacity assures us that their return will bring marked improvement. Dr. Fred Dixon, a native of Indiana has been appointed assistant surgeon, and his loyal support adds strength to the medical department. Mr. C. S. Williams for three years has proven a conscientious and capable pharmacist, and still retains his position. Miss Emma Moore has been appointed superintendent of nurses. Her efficiency, kindness, and tact aid in the handling of both help and patients.

The farther we are removed from the scenes of war the less sympathy is exhibited toward the veterans of any war. Soldiers' Homes were built largely through sympathy or sentiment, and it takes people possessed of that sentiment and sympathy for the veterans of 1861 and 1865 to properly care for those who participated in the great struggle for maintenance of the Union.

I desire to express my thanks to you Col. Whitehill for the very loyal support given me in the reconstruction of the medical department, and for the courtesies received. Also convey to your staff and the Honorable Board of Control my thanks for courtesies extended.

Respectfully submitted,
Hamilton P. Duffield, M. D.
Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT.

FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1916.

Cases treated in hospital.....	1047
Cases visited in quarters.....	1000
Received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presents himself at sick call).....	14029
Prescriptions written morning call (except Sunday).....	29409
Highest number in hospital at one time, male.....	173
Highest number in hospital at one time, female.....	53
In hospital June 30, 1914, male.....	131
In hospital June 30, 1914, female.....	40
Average number in hospital, male.....	144
Average number in hospital, female.....	46
Died in Home, Union soldiers.....	166
Died in Home, Regulars.....	2
Died in Home, father of soldier.....	1
Died on furlough, Union soldiers.....	23
Died in Home, women.....	57
Died on furlough, women.....	13
Average age of Union soldiers who died in Home.....	76
Average age of Union soldiers who died on furlough.....	75
Average age of Regulars who died in the Home.....	65
Age of father of soldier.....	91
Average age of women who died in the Home.....	70
Average age of women who died on furlough.....	69
In hospital June 30, 1916, male.....	156
In hospital June 30, 1916, female.....	48

Of those who died in the home, one hundred and seventy were taken away by relatives for burial elsewhere, and one hundred and nine were buried in the home cemetery.

Funeral services were held in the assembly hall for all who were buried in the home cemetery, and with the exception of five they were all in charge of the home chaplain.

PASTORAL AND OTHER WORK.

Much time is given by the chaplain to the work of visitation among the members, especially the sick and those of extreme age and feebleness and in assisting them in their correspondence and business matters. No tabulated statement of this work can be made. It is done daily as the chaplain mingles with members in the social life and intercourse of the home.

Seeking always to be a minister of hope and good cheer to the members of the home, I submit my report.

Very respectfully,

H. O. Pratt,

Chaplain.

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Marshalltown. Iowa, August 11, 1916.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit the following report of my work as chaplain of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennium ending June 30, 1916.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

During the biennium there has been regularly held in the Assembly Hall (the home chapel) the following religious services, namely:

A service for public worship and preaching at 3.00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, except during the heated term (mid-summer) when it has been held in the open air in front of the Main Building at the hour of 6:30 Sunday evening.

A social service Sunday evening and a meeting for conference and prayer Wednesday evening.

In addition to the foregoing, a Bible class meets at 10:00 o'clock Sunday morning for the study of the International S. S. Lessons. This class is an organized body of members of the home and offers a fine opportunity for Bible study.

THE MORTALITY OF THE HOME.

During the biennium two hundred and sixty-two members of the home have died, thirty-six while absent from the home on furloughs, and two hundred and twenty-six in the home.

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 12, 1918.

Board of Control of State Institutions,

Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the sixteenth biennial report for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, covering the period from July 1, 1916 to June 30, 1918.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION

Two years have passed away since our last report and we thought at that time, as we did in preceding reports that before another biennium was reached, our table of the "Movement of Population" would show a decided decrease in the number of members, that the crest of the flood had passed and in a few years our membership would have dwindled down to a very few.

But we were wrong, this report will show the highest number in population compared with any succeeding report and though the first year of the biennium shows the highest average of population, yet the second year which ended June 30, 1918 shows the highest number in the home at one time, that being on January 12, 1918, when our books reported present 667 men, and 324 women, a total of 991, this being the high water mark in the population at the Iowa Soldiers' Home.

The average population for the period ending June 30, 1916 was 750.5, the same average for the biennium just ended is 837.

You will notice in looking over Table No. 1 that there is a decrease each year in the number of old soldiers and a corresponding increase in the number of women at the Home. This change has become quite noticeable from the fact that we have plenty of room in the main building for men, while all the ladies' quarters are filled, and we are forced to maintain a waiting list for them most of the time.

The new addition of the old people's building has been quite a great help in reducing the crowded condition in the ladies' buildings. At no time since the completion of this building have any rooms been vacant for more than a day or two.

279 deaths show a small increase in the death rate over the number in the preceding biennium which was 262, and no doubt each succeeding report will show an increase over the last.

SUPPORT FUND

The thirty-seventh general assembly gave us an increase of \$1.00 in our monthly per capita allowance for this fund, with a minimum of \$13,600.00 each month. In ordinary times this might have been sufficient to maintain this institution but since the allowance was made our country has been plunged into the great world war; prices of foodstuffs, fuel, clothing, medical supplies, material of all kinds, in fact every thing that we buy for the maintenance of the institution has leaped in price to unheard of stages and in some cases is entirely prohibitive on account of the war. Wages of employes have been raised, and in some departments, we are running short-handed on account of the scarcity of help to fill these places.

In years past and until very recently a great many positions both in the laboring force, and the various offices have been filled by old Soldiers, who were members of the home, but with old age creeping on and failing health, a large percentage of these have stopped working and we are forced to fill the positions with younger men.

We have economized in a great many ways, as far as possible, at least, and still keep up the reputation of the Home.

With the increase of pensions, by the government for the members, the board passed a ruling that each member furnish his own clothing with exception of the men's uniforms, which consist of hat, coat, vest, and trousers. This of course, did not apply to non-pensioners of which there are about a dozen in the home. This not only relieved the state of buying these goods at the present high prices, but allowed them to dispose of the large stock of underwear, shirts, dress goods, and shoes, that it was necessary to keep on hand at all times.

We have economized in a great many other ways, yet we could not maintain the Home on this allowance and have been forced to accept your assistance through funds from the executive council.

The next general assembly should increase this per capita to

at least \$22.00 per month. This would give us a fund that would enable us to maintain the institution by employment of ample and efficient help to meet the growing demands for care and attention of the members, as well as to keep the grounds and buildings in good shape.

The civilian per capita as set by the general assembly in 1902 is still at \$10.00 per month. This should at least be doubled, for under the present existing prices for foodstuffs and material, it is impossible to board and room our laboring people for less than \$20.00 per month.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

The thirty-seventh general assembly was very generous with us in the matter of special appropriations, the following being given:

For new annex to old people's building.....	\$ 65,000.00
For contingent and repair.....	10,000.00
New boilers, stokers etc.	15,000.00
Two passenger elevators.....	5,000.00
Concrete bridge and dam.....	3,500.00
Building storm sewers for hospital.....	1,000.00
Repairs and improvements on main building	1,500.00
For store building.....	5,000.00
For paving Summit street.....	4,000.00

The annex was completed on December 1, 1917, and every room was filled within ten days. This building has been a great help in relieving the crowded condition in other buildings, it being occupied with married couples and widows.

One, two hundred fifty horse power boiler and automatic stoker is now in place, which will take the place of three of the old boilers which have reached the limit of their usefulness.

One passenger elevator was installed last summer in the old people's building and has been a great help. The other is being put up this summer at the hospital where it is badly needed.

The concrete bridge and dam was created last summer under the supervision of the state highway commission, which again permits us to travel to and from the grounds through the east entrance.

The storm sewer at the hospital is yet to be put in. Scarcity

of this particluar kind of labor has forced us to postpone this work.

The repairs and improvements are going on in the main building as fast as material arrives. This work was badly needed, both in the matter of plumbing and also in painting and carpenter work.

The store building could not be built as planned for the amount appropriated, so this improvement was indefinitely postponed.

Summit street was paved from the main gate west to the limit of the grounds, and this also has been a great improvement.

Our contingent and repair fund has been used carefully and judiciously, yet many of our buildings are badly in need of a great deal of work, and our carpenters and plumbers are kept busy on these repairs. On account of the age and condition of the most of our buildings, it will be necessary in the future that a good sized sum be appropriated for contingent and repair.

One great expense this institution has had to bear in the past years and at this time far worse than ever before, is the matter of hauling and unloading its coal supply. The coal is now hauled by teams from a side track on the Milwaukee and Saint Louis at least a mile from the institution. We are now paying fifty cents a ton for this hauling and at times it is almost impossible to get anyone to do this work.

Steps should be taken at once for some arrangement with the street car company to extend their lines up to the buildings so that they could place these cars of coal at our storage sheds. If this cannot be done, trucks should be purchased to take care of the hauling.

CHANGES IN STAFF

On May 1, 1918, Dr. H. P. Duffield resigned as surgeon on account of old age and failing health. The doctor had become one of the fixtures of this institution having served here faithfully, and loyally for almost twenty-four years.

Dr. G. A. Mershon, who was serving as assistant surgeon, was advanced to this place and Dr. W. W. Hendee was employed as assistant.

To the entire staff of employes, I am greatly indebted for

unfailing loyalty and support. Whatever success we are to be credited with in handling this institution for the past two years should go to these workeres, who have handled their various departments and places in splendid shape, and it is a matter of no small gratification to know that in a great many cases these people have remained in the service of the institution more from a spirit of loyalty and service, than from any personal gain.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the members of the board and your office force for your consideration and hearty support, which has helped us to a great extent in the management of this institution.

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. Whitehill,

Commandant.

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present July 1st.....	531	218	749	531	231	762	531	218	749
Admitted for first time.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410
Readmitted.....	124	6	130	86	15	101	210	21	231
Totals.....	789	281	1070	752	330	1082	1010	380	1390
Discharged honorably.....	110	13	123	114	18	132	224	31	255
*Dropped.....	41	12	53	53	26	79	94	38	132
Died in home.....	107	25	132	120	27	147	227	52	279
Totals.....	258	50	308	287	71	358	545	121	666
Remaining June 30th.....	531	231	762	465	259	724	465	259	724
Average population.....	595	251	846	544	274	818	5695	2675	837

*Computed

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 7, 1918.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1918.

I desire to thank you for courteous treatment extended to me, also by the officers and members of the institution.

Very respectfully,

John C. Loper,
Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present						
Officers.....	5		5	5		5
Members—						
Non-commissioned officers.....	29		29	371	203	574
For duty.....	346	201	547	94	56	150
Sick in hospital.....	133	50	183			
Totals.....	508	251	759	465	259	724
Civilian employes.....	66	94	160	66	89	155
Totals.....	66	94	160	66	89	155
Absent						
With leave.....	257	134	391	272	172	444
Totals.....	257	134	391	272	172	444
Present and absent						
Officers.....	5		5	5		5
Members.....	765	385	1150	737	431	1168
Civilian employes.....	66	94	160	66	89	155
Totals.....	836	479	1315	808	520	1328
Average daily population (civilians included.)	661	345	1006	610	363	973

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1917			For Year Ending June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White.....	132	57	189	135	84	219	267	141	408
Black.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1917			For Year Ending June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write.....	131	53	184	132	84	216	263	137	400
Unable to read and write...	3	4	7	3	.....	3	6	4	10
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1917			For Year Ending June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 to 40 years.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
40 to 50 years.....	8	.....	8	1	.....	1	9	.....	9
50 to 60 years.....	3	3	6	1	14	15	4	17	21
60 to 70 years.....	8	21	29	4	38	42	12	59	71
70 to 80 years.....	99	28	127	103	28	131	202	56	258
80 to 90 years.....	12	4	16	25	4	29	37	8	45
90 to 100 years.....	3	1	4	1	.....	1	4	1	5
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410
Average ages.....	72	73	.....	76	69	.....	74	71	.....

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years.....	1	.....	1
40 and under 50 years.....	8	.....	8
50 and under 60 years.....	15	23	38
60 and under 70 years.....	15	119	134
70 and under 80 years.....	548	208	756
80 and under 90 years.....	140	50	190
90 and under 100 years.....	11	8	19
Totals.....	738	408	1146
Average of Spanish-American soldiers.....	52		
Average of men.....	75.72		
Average of women.....	72.5		

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1917			For Year Ending June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestants.....	127	55	182	127	82	209	254	137	391
Catholic.....	3	.....	3	8	2	10	11	2	13
None.....	4	2	6	.....	.....	.....	4	2	6
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1917			For Year Ending June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single.....	8	.....	8	7	.....	7	15	.....	15
Married.....	54	32	86	54	54	108	108	86	194
Widowed.....	67	25	92	68	30	98	135	55	190
Divorced.....	5	.....	5	6	.....	6	11	.....	11
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

TABLE NO. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born.....	120	49	169	118	74	194	238	123	361
New England states.....	2	2	4	3	2	5	5	4	9
Connecticut.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	3
Vermont.....	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	2	4
New Hampshire.....				2	2	2	2	2	2
Middle states.....	23	15	38	26	16	32	49	31	80
New York.....	10	8	18	12	9	21	22	17	39
Pennsylvania.....	11	7	18	14	5	19	25	12	37
New Jersey.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	4
Southern states.....	12	4	16	9	4	13	21	8	29
Missouri.....	6	1	7	2	3	5	8	4	12
Kentucky.....	5	1	6	2	1	3	7	2	9
West Virginia.....	1		1	1		1	2		2
Alabama.....		1	1				1	1	1
Virginia.....		1	1	3		3	3	1	4
Tennessee.....			1	1		1	1		1
Northwest states.....	83	28	111	80	52	132	163	80	243
Illinois.....	17	5	22	10	6	16	27	11	38
Ohio.....	33	10	43	31	18	49	64	28	92
Indiana.....	16	6	22	22	5	27	38	11	49
Iowa.....	15	5	20	12	18	30	27	23	50
Michigan.....	2	1	3	3	3	5	4	4	8
Wisconsin.....		1	1	3	2	5	3	3	6
Foreign born.....	14	8	22	17	10	27	31	18	49
Austria.....	1		1				1		1
Canada.....	2	1	3	3	2	5	5	3	8
England.....	1	2	3	3	2	5	4	4	1
France.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Germany.....	2	2	4	5	2	7	7	4	11
Ireland.....	2	2	4	5	3	8	7	5	12
Norway.....	1		1				1		1
Prussia.....	1		1				1		1
Scotland.....		1	1		1	1		2	2
Sweden.....	1		1				1		1
Not stated.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

TABLE NO. 10.

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health: No person is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled, unless it be by reason of age.....									
II. Diseases—									
1 General diseases.....	54	57	111	50	84	134	104	141	245
Blind.....	3		3	1		1	1		2
Cancer.....				2		2	2		4
Debility, senile.....	24	57	81	27	84	111	51	141	192
Malaria.....	10		10	8		8	18		18
Rheumatism.....	15		15	12		12	27		27
Tuberculosis.....	1		1				1		1
2 Diseases of the nervous system.....	18		18	22		22	40		40
Locomotor ataxia.....	2		2	4		4	6		6
Paralysis, general.....	6		6	8		8	14		14
Senile, dementia.....	10		10	10		10	20		20
3 Diseases of circulatory system.....	18		18	20		20	38		38
Cerebral hemorrhage.....				1		1	1		1
Hemorrhoids.....	1		1	3		3	4		4
Hypertrophy of heart.....	1		1	4		4	5		5
Pernicious anemia.....				3		3	3		3
Valvular disease of heart.....	13		13	5		5	18		18
Varicose veins.....	3		3	4		4	7		7
4 Diseases of respiratory system.....	2		2	7		7	9		9
Asthma.....	1		1	4		4	5		5
Bronchitis.....	1		1	3		3	4		4
5 Diseases of digestive system.....	21		21	16		16	37		37
Constipation.....	5		5	2		2	7		7
Diarrhea.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Diseases of liver.....	2		2	4		4	6		6
Fistula, ano.....				1		1	1		1
Gastritis.....	10		10	4		4	14		14
Hernia, double and single.....	2		2	4		4	6		6
6 Diseases of genito urinary system.....	17		17	14		14	31		31
Cystitis.....	10		10	4		4	14		14
Nephritis.....	5		5	5		5	10		10
Prostate enlargement.....	2		2	3		3	5		5
Uremia.....				2		2	2		2
7 External injuries.....	5		5	6		6	11		11
Blood poison.....	2		2	2		2	4		4
Contused wounds.....	1		1				1		1
Deafness.....				2		2	2		2
Dislocation.....				2		2	2		2
Fractures.....	2		2				2		2
Grand totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

TABLE NO. 11.
OCCUPATION PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918			Since Opening Of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Agricultural and rural.....	72		72	87		87	159		159	1789		1789
Farmer.....	60		69	65		65	125		125			
Gardener.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Laborer.....	11		11	21		21	32		32			
II. Commercial and Mercantile.....	2		2	7		7	9		9	170	3	173
Agents, real estate.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
Salesman.....				2		2	2		2			
Merchant.....				4		4	4		4			
III. Manufacturing and Mechanical.....	48		48	34		34	82		82	1900	1	1901
1. Building Trades.....	22		22	14		14	36		36	235		235
Carpenter.....	8		8	8		8	16		16			
Mason.....	5		5	2		2	7		7			
Painter.....	7		7	4		4	11		11			
Plaster.....	2		2				2		2			
2. Clay, glass and stone.....										36		36
3. Mining.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	83		83
Miner.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
4. Food products.....	3		3				3		3	49		49
Butcher.....	2		2				2		2			
Miller.....	1		1				1		1			
5. Iron and steel workers.....	7		7	3		3	10		10	182		182
Blacksmith.....	7		7	3		3	10		10			
6. Leather.....	3		3	3		3	6		6	122		122
Saddler.....												

TABLE NO. 11 Continued.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918			Since Opening Of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
7. Shoemaker.....	3		3	3		3	6		6			
8. Metals other than iron.....										36		36
Paper and printing.....	1		1	1		1	2		2	39		39
Printer.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
9. Textiles.....										19	1	20
10. Miscellaneous.....	11		11	12		12	23		23	1099		1099
IV. Transportation.....	6		6	5		5	11		11	149		149
1. Steam railroads.....	4		4	4		4	8		8	79		79
Engineer.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Railroad employe.....	3		3	3		3	6		6			
2. Express and transfer.....	2		2	1		1	3		3	70		70
Teamster.....	2		2	1		1	3		3			
V. Professional.....	6		6	2		2	8		8	129		129
Lawyer.....	1		1				1		1			
Minister.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
Physician.....	3		3				3		3			
Teacher.....	1		1	1		1	2		2			
VI. Domestic and personal.....		55	55		80	80		135	135	1138	926	2064
House-keeper.....		10	10		35	35		45	45			
Housewife.....		45	45		45	45		90	90			
VII. Miscellaneous.....		2	2		4	4		6	6	82	8	90
Grand totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410	5357	938	6295

TABLE NO. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair.....	10	1	11	1		1	11	1	12
Adams.....	8	3	11	1	1	2	9	4	13
Allamakee.....	23	4	27	2	2	4	25	6	31
Appanoose.....	35	9	44	4	1	5	39	10	49
Audubon.....	7	1	8				7	1	8
Benton.....	56	8	67	3	2	5	62	10	72
Black Hawk.....	83	15	98	6	1	7	89	16	105
Boone.....	75	17	92	5	3	8	80	20	100
Bremer.....	24	2	26	1		1	25	2	27
Buchanan.....	6	1	7	1	1	2	7	2	9
Buena Vista.....	33	7	40				33	7	40
Butler.....	28	2	30	1		1	29	2	31
Calhoun.....	17	4	21	2	1	3	19	5	24
Carroll.....	19	5	24				19	5	24
Cass.....	30	3	33	2	3	5	32	6	38
Cedar.....	26	3	29	3	2	5	29	5	34
Cerro Gordo.....	32	11	43	3		3	35	11	46
Cherokee.....	18	3	21	1		1	19	3	22
Chickasaw.....	20	2	22	1		1	21	2	23
Clark.....	18	3	21				18	3	21
Clay.....	9	3	12	1		1	10	3	13
Clayton.....	41	5	46				41	5	46
Clinton.....	108	11	119	6	2	8	114	13	127
Crawford.....	20	1	21				20	1	21
Dallas.....	35	9	44	8	2	10	43	11	54
Davis.....	15	1	16				15	1	16
Decatur.....	3	9	12	1		1	4	9	13
Delaware.....	23	5	28	1		1	24	5	29
Des Moines.....	78	10	88	4	2	6	82	12	94
Dickinson.....	6	3	9				6	3	9
Dubuque.....	117	10	127	1	1	2	118	11	129
Emmet.....	11	2	13	3		3	14	2	16
Fayette.....	67	17	84	4	1	5	71	18	89
Floyd.....	36	8	44	1		1	37	8	45
Franklin.....	29	4	33	3	1	4	32	5	37
Fremont.....	29	4	33				29	4	33
Greene.....	31	1	32	1		1	32	1	33
Grundy.....	12	5	17	1	1	2	13	6	19
Guthrie.....	31	4	35	2	1	3	33	5	38
Hamilton.....	35	5	40	2	1	3	37	6	43
Hancock.....	10	1	11				10	1	11
Hardin.....	62	10	72	3	1	4	65	11	76
Harrison.....	51	11	62			1	51	12	63
Henry.....	45	10	55	3	1	4	48	11	59
Howard.....	8		8	2		2	10		10
Humboldt.....	20	4	24	1		1	21	4	25
Ida.....	11	1	12	3	1	4	14	2	16
Iowa.....	18	2	20	1	3	4	19	5	24
Jackson.....	62	6	68			1	62	7	69
Jasper.....	70	11	81	8	5	13	78	16	94
Jefferson.....	17	2	19	3		3	20	2	22
Jones.....	35	4	39	2	1	3	37	5	42
Keokuk.....	26	7	33				26	7	33
Kossuth.....	22	3	25	1		1	23	3	26
Lee.....	88	15	103	4	5	9	92	20	112
Linn.....	175	32	207	10	4	14	185	36	221
Louisa.....	33	7	40	1	1	2	34	8	42
Lucas.....	20	1	21	3		3	23	1	24
Lyons.....	1	1	10				9	1	10
Madison.....	20	3	23	1		1	21	3	24
Johnson.....	57	5	62			1	57	6	63

TABLE NO. 13 - Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1916			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918			Since Opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Mahaska.....	124	30	154	2	3	5	126	33	159
Marion.....	58	6	64	6	1	7	64	7	71
Marshall.....	214	121	335	25	21	46	239	142	381
Mills.....	27	9	36				27	9	36
Mitchell.....	16		16			1	17		17
Monona.....	34	6	40	3	3	6	37	9	46
Monroe.....	25	7	32	2		2	27	7	34
Montgomery.....	28	7	35	2	1	3	30	8	38
Muscatine.....	89	17	106	3	1	4	92	18	110
O'Brien.....	17	4	21	3	2	5	20	6	26
Osceola.....	6		6				6		6
Page.....	24		24				24		24
Plymouth.....	9	3	12	1	2	3	10	5	15
Palo Alto.....	23	1	24				23	1	24
Pocahontas.....	15	6	21	1		1	16	6	22
Polk.....	424	94	518	28	25	53	452	119	571
Pottawattamie.....	110	20	130	5	2	7	115	22	137
Poweshiek.....	45	15	60	6	1	7	51	16	67
Ringgold.....	21	1	22				21	1	22
Sac.....	23	3	26				23	3	26
Scott.....	145	24	169	5		5	150	24	174
Shelby.....	12	3	15				12	3	15
Sioux.....	49	8	57				49	8	57
Story.....	59	15	74	3		3	62	15	77
Tama.....	26	5	31	2		2	28	5	33
Taylor.....	30	3	33		1	1	30	4	34
Union.....	27	4	31	6	2	8	33	6	39
Van Buren.....	109	17	126	4	2	6	113	19	132
Wapello.....	42	5	47	6	1	7	48	6	54
Warren.....	22	4	26	1	2	3	23	6	29
Washington.....	27	3	30	1		1	28	3	31
Wayne.....	65	4	69				65	4	69
Webster.....	12	3	15	1		1	13	3	16
Winnebago.....	10	2	12				10	2	12
Winnesheik.....	94	9	103				94	9	103
Woodbury.....	24	9	33	2	3	5	26	12	38
Worth.....	18	5	23				18	5	23
Wright.....	7	1	8	1	1	2	8	2	10
Other states.....	96	26	122	20	13	33	16	39	155
Washington, D.C.....	1		1				1		1
National homes.....	14		17	7		7	24		24
Totals.....	4390	857	5247	269	141	410	4659	998	5657

TABLE NO. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Resident in country.....									
Villages and towns.....	60	27	87	56	35	91	116	62	178
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000.....	19	4	23	14	8	22	23	12	45
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000.....	20	14	34	22	16	38	42	30	72
Cities of 25,000 and over.....	25	7	32	27	20	47	52	27	79
Other states.....	8	5	13	10	5	15	18	10	28
National homes.....	2			6			8		8
Totals.....	134	57	191	135	84	219	269	141	410

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Albia.....	1		1				1	1	1
Atlantic.....				1	2	3	1		3
Cedar Falls.....				3		3	3	2	3
Centerville.....	3		3				3		3
Clarinda.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Chariton.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
Creston.....	1		1	1	2	3	2		4
Fairfield.....	1		1				1	2	1
Grinnell.....		3		3		1	1		3
Marion.....	2		2		1	1	2		3
Mount Pleasant.....	5		8		1	1	5	1	9
Newton.....				1	1	2	1	4	2
Perry.....				1		1	1	1	1
Red Oak.....				1		1	1		1
Washington.....	1		1	2	1	3	3		4
Webster City.....	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Totals.....	19	4	25	14	8	22	33	12	45

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
Burlington.....	2	1	3	1		1	3	1	4
Iowa City.....	1	1	1					1	1
Keokuk.....	1	1	2	3	3	6	4	4	8
Marshalltown.....	10	8	18	10	10	20	20	18	38
Mason City.....	1		1	2		2	3		3
Muscatine.....				2		2	2		2
Oskaloosa.....	2	2	4	1	1	2	3	3	6
Ottumwa.....	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6
Totals.....	20	14	34	22	16	38	42	30	72

III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER.

Cedar Rapids.....	3		3	4	1	5	7	1	8
Clinton.....	3		3	1		1	4		4
Council Bluffs.....	3		3	2	1	3	5	1	6
Davenport.....	3		3	2		2	5		5
Des Moines.....	11	6	17	16	16	32		22	49
Dubuque.....				1		1			1
Stoux City.....		1	1		1	1		2	2
Waterloo.....	2		2	1	1	1		1	4
Totals.....	25	7	32	27	20	47		27	79

TABLE NO. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED
WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917		For Year End- ing June 30, 1918		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918	
	M	T	M	T	M	T

I. WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED

Civil war.....	125	125	134	134	259	259
Spanish-American.....	9	9	1	1	10	10
Totals.....	134	134	135	135	269	269

II. DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED

Spanish-American.....	9	9	1	1	10	10
Volunteers, U.S.....	125	125	134	134	259	259
Totals.....	134	134	135	135	269	269

III BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED

Infantry.....	102	102	99	99	201	201
Cavalry.....	26	26	28	28	54	54
Artillery.....	5	5	5	5	10	10
Engineers.....	1	1	2	2	3	3
Navy and Marine.....			1	1	1	1
Unassigned.....						
Totals.....	134	134	135	135	269	269

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917	For Year End- ing June 30, 1918	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918
Tennessee.....	1		1
New York.....	7	7	14
Pennsylvania.....	3	3	6
Arkansas.....		1	1
Kentucky.....	1	2	3
Kansas.....			
Ohio.....	11	11	22
Indiana.....	5	8	13
Illinois.....	20	12	32
Missouri.....	6	1	7
Iowa.....	67	74	141
Minnesota.....	3	2	5
Wisconsin.....	3	5	8
Michigan.....	2	3	5
Nebraska.....	1	3	4
Colorado.....	1		1
New Jersey.....		1	1
Maine.....		1	1
Vermont.....	1		1
South Dakota.....			
Totals.....	134	135	269

TABLE NO. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918	Since opening of Home to June 30, 1916	Total to June 30, 1918
Male.....	269	4751	5020
Arkansas.....	2	5	7
California.....		13	13
Colorado.....	2	21	23
Florida.....		3	3
Idaho.....		2	2
Illinois.....	1	142	143
Indiana.....		35	35
Indian Territory.....		2	2
Iowa.....	243	4122	4365
Kansas.....	5	59	64
Kentucky.....		2	2
Louisiana.....		3	3
Maine.....		4	4
Massachusetts.....		2	2
Michigan.....		13	13
Maryland.....		1	1
Missouri.....	3	54	57
Minnesota.....	2	22	24
Mississippi.....		1	1
Montana.....	1	5	6
Nebraska.....	3	27	30
New York.....		33	33
New Jersey.....		2	2
Ohio.....		49	49
Oklahoma.....	2	11	13
Oregon.....		6	6
Pennsylvania.....		17	17
Rhode Island.....		13	13
South Dakota.....	2	9	11
Tennessee.....		3	3
Unknown.....		3	3
Vermont.....		3	3
Virginia.....		1	1
West Virginia.....		1	1
Washington.....	1	1	2
Washington, D. C.....	2	1	3
Wisconsin.....		53	53
Wyoming.....		5	5
Connecticut.....		1	1
New Hampshire.....		1	1
Female.....	141	567	1008
Iowa.....	133	527	660
Arkansas.....	1		1
California.....		2	2
Oklahoma.....	1	3	4
Nebraska.....		3	3
North Dakota.....		1	1
Minnesota.....	1		1
Montana.....		7	7
Kansas.....	1	4	5
New York.....	1	2	3
Colorado.....		1	1
Missouri.....	3	4	7
Tennessee.....		1	1
New Mexico.....		2	2
Illinois.....		8	8
Indian Territory.....		1	1
Texas.....		1	1
Grand totals.....	410	5618	6028

TABLE NO. 18.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF PATIENTS
Compiled by Surgeon

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I General diseases.....	21	8	29	26	10	36	47	18	65
Cancer of bowels.....		2	2					2	2
Cancer of breast.....		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Cancer of liver.....	2		2				2		2
Cancer of mouth.....	1		1				1		1
Cancer of neck and face.....	2		2	2	2	4	4	2	6
Cancer of uteri.....		1	1					1	1
Cerebral softening.....	1		1				1		1
Epilepsy.....	3		3	4		4	7		7
Lagrippe.....		1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2
Rheumatism.....	1	1	2	2		2	3	1	4
Senile debility.....	10	2	12	14	3	17	24	5	29
Septicemia.....	1	1	2	2	2	4	3	3	6
Tuberculosis of bowels.....					1	1		1	1
Tuberculosis pulmonary.....					1	1		1	1
II Diseases of nervous system.....	24	5	29	11	2	13	35	7	42
Paralysis agitans.....	1		1				1		1
Paralysis general.....	20	4	24	9	2	11	29	6	35
Senile dementia.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Senile gangrene.....	2		2	2		2	4		4
III Diseases of cir- culatory system.....	44	8	52	41	4	45	85	12	97
Anemia.....	1		1				1		1
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	10		10	15	1	16	25	1	26
Erysipelas.....				5		5			5
Myocarditis.....	15	2	17	2		2	17	2	19
Pernicious anemia.....	3		3	4		4	7		7
Valvular diseases of heart.....	15	6	21	15	3	18	30	9	39
IV Diseases of respiratory system.....	8	2	10	2	1	3	10	3	13
Bronchial asthma.....	1		1				1		1
Chronic bronchitis.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Pneumonia.....	6	1	7	2	1	3	8	2	10
V Diseases of digestive system.....	7	2	9	3	3	6	10	5	15
Acute digestion.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Chronic diarrhea.....	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
Cirrhosis of liver.....	4		4	1	1	2	5	1	6
Gastritis.....	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
IV. Diseases of genito- urinary system.....	8		8	9	3	12	17	3	20
Chronic cystitis.....	2		2		1	1	2	1	3
Nephritis.....	2		2	5	2	7	7	2	9
Uremia.....	4		4	4		4	8		8
VII Accidental.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
Drowning.....	1	1	2				1	1	2
	113	26	139	92	23	115	205	49	254

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TABLE NO. 19.

AGES OF MEMBERS AT DEATH

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917			For Year End- ing June 30, 1918			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years.....	2		2	1		1	3		3
50 and under 60 years.....		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
60 and under 70 years.....	3	4	7	3	3	6	6	7	13
70 and under 80 years.....	65	12	77	78	19	97	143	31	174
80 and under 90 years.....	31	5	36	35	5	40	66	10	76
90 and under 100 years.....	6	3	9	2		2	8	3	11
Totals.....	107	25	132	120	27	147	227	52	279

TABLE NO. 20.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY
ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1918.	
Books purchased.....	90
Books donated.....	85
Total.....	85
Books withdrawn.....	72
Books in library June 30, 1918.....	1503

TABLE NO. 21. INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY
CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED

FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1918

Biography.....	1
Fiction.....	68
Fine arts.....	2
History.....	10
Literature.....	1
Sociology.....	2
Travel.....	1
Total.....	85

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TABLE NO. 22.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY
CIRCULATION OF BOOKS

FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1918.	
Art.....	84
Biography.....	314
Essays and poetry.....	69
Fiction.....	10,037
History.....	399
Science.....	70
Travel.....	285
Miscellaneous.....	131
Periodicals.....	1,180
TOTAL CIRCULATION.....	12,569
Average Monthly—	
Population.....	839
Employees.....	164
Readers.....	147

TABLE NO. 23.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT
PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917		For Year End- ing June 30, 1918		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Apples..... bu.	78	78.00	167½	123.14	208½	201.14
Cherries..... qts.	1844	147.52	1001	80.08	2845½	227.60
Currants..... qts.	77	7.70	73	7.30	150	15.00
Grapes..... lbs.	1685	67.40	6275	251.00	7960	318.40
Plums..... bu.	2½	2.75	15½	22.25	16½	25.00
Raspberries..... qts.	58	5.80	56	7.60	114	13.40
Vegetables.....						
Asparagus..... lbs.	601	120.20	422	84.40	1023	204.60
Beans, string..... lbs.	745	14.90	1203	38.19	1948	53.09
Beets..... lbs.	13234	108.88	8170	72.50	21404	181.38
Beets, green..... lbs.	365	10.95			365	10.95
Corn, green..... lbs.	8522	85.20	9030	180.60	17550	265.80
Cabbages..... lbs.	11405	228.10	13464	367.52	24869	595.52
Carrots..... lbs.	525	26.25	815	36.05	1340	62.30
Carrots..... lbs.	2070	20.70	860	17.20	2930	37.90
Celery..... lbs.	256	38.40	156	12.90	412	51.30
Cucumbers..... lbs.	1608	32.16	1051	32.03	2659	64.19
Egg plant..... lbs.	275	5.50	350	7.00	625	12.50
Lettuce..... lbs.	913	32.25	305	10.25	1218	62.50
Melons..... only	440	44.00			440	44.00
Onions, green..... lbs.	329	108.00	2731	136.05	3060	244.65
Onions, dried..... lbs.	633	10.25	7709	149.25	8342	159.50
Parsnips..... lbs.			3110	433.50	3110	433.50
Parsnips..... lbs.					179	7.97
Peppers..... lbs.	179	7.97			179	7.97
Potatoes, Irish..... lbs.	1040½	172.10	1147½	1429.00	2188	1601.01
Potatoes, sweet..... lbs.	2125	42.50	1650	33.00	3775	75.50
Peas, green..... lbs.	540	60.00	880	44.00	1420	104.00
Pumpkin..... only	585	58.50	394	39.40	979	97.90
Radishes..... lbs.	691	26.75	426	12.72	1117	39.47
Rhubarb..... lbs.	6650	332.50	7115	342.30	13765	674.80
Sauerkraut..... gal.			431	112.06	431	112.06
Spinach..... only	280	28.00	757	75.70	1037	103.70
Squash..... lbs.			955	73.85	955	73.85
Tomatoes..... bu.	246	123.00	189½	142.13	435½	265.13
Turnips..... bu.	37½	31.38	9	4.50	66½	35.88
Turnip greens..... lbs.			230	11.50	230	11.50
Grand total.....		2097.61		4389.57		6487.18

TABLE NO. 24.

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS--CONSUMED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1917		For Year End- ing June 30, 1918		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918	
	No	Value	No	Value	No	Value
Chicken, pounds.....	1557	187.52	1146	298.50	2603	486.02
Eggs, dozen.....	2324	675.96	2186½	716.44	4210½	1392.40
		863.48		1014.94		1878.42

TABLE NO. 25.

Articles Manufactured.

I. In sewing room						
Aprons.....	48	13.56	30	19.56	78	33.12
Bread covers.....	39	11.59	25	9.03	64	20.62
Box covers.....	1	1.45			1	1.45
Curtains.....	225	138.29	153	93.97	378	252.26
Dresses.....	170	573.82	47	129.85	217	703.67
Gowns.....	163	174.48	186	178.75	349	353.23
Hrir cloths.....			2	.85	2	.85
Machine covers.....			2	.45	2	.45
Night shirts.....			58	120.66	58	120.66
Pettecoats.....	159	186.47	60	62.03	219	248.50
Pillow slips.....	962	178.35	1190	264.48	2152	442.83
Skiats.....	4	11.80			4	11.80
Sheets.....			874	659.79	1844	1277.65
Lhrouds.....	970	617.86	2	9.30	8	37.20
Table cloths.....	6	27.90	144	461.55	387	1237.07
Eowels.....	243	199.92	1166	186.78	2086	386.70
Waists.....	5	6.70	3	2.88	8	9.58
Totals.....		2977.71		2199.87		5177.58
II. In laundry						
Soap.....	4902	196.00	4950	198.00	9850	394.00

TABLE NO. 26.

LAUNDRY WORK DONE
FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1918.

Sheets.....	228.400
Spreads.....	75.000
Pillow slips.....	240.000
Table cloths.....	215.000
Shirts.....	115.000
Undershirts.....	115.000
Drawers.....	115.000
Socks.....	15.000
Aprons.....	75.000
Towels, hand.....	18.000
Towels, roller.....	49.000
Towels, bath.....	88.000
Towels, barber.....	60.700
Towels, dish.....	35.400
Hospital clothes.....	90.200
Jackets.....	108.862
Overalls.....	34.520
Night shirts.....	47.200
Nurses uniforms.....	13.120
Nurses aprons.....	1.418
Handkerchiefs.....	1.316
Carpets.....	9.176
Blankets.....	11.182
Cushions.....	19.420
Trousers.....	1.940
Vests.....	3.400
Coats.....	580
	720
Total.....	1,772.454

TABLE NO. 27.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING-ROOMS, FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 1, 1918

Breakfast—			
Eggs, boiled.....	60 dozen	\$.30	\$ 18.00
Potatoes, steamed.....	2 bushels	1.35	2.70
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.05½	.99
Totals.....			21.69
Dinner—			
Beef roast.....	135 pounds	15.51	20.94
Mashed potatoes.....	3 bushels	1.35	4.05
Tapioca pudding.....	20 pounds	.11½	2.30
Cookies.....	27 dozen	.15	4.05
Totals.....			31.34
Supper (none)—			
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.4165	20.83
Coffee.....	19 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	2.50	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.32
Total cost for Sunday May 26, 1918.....			94.35
Breakfast—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes (accounted for).....			
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.05½	.99
Dinner—			
Beef boiled.....	120 pounds	15.51	18.61
Potatoes, steamed.....	3 bushels	1.35	4.05
Potatoe soup (accounted for).....			
Crackers.....	23 pounds	.128	2.94
Rice.....	5 pounds	.087	.49
Total.....			26.09
Supper—			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes fried (accounted for).....			
Corn bread.....	9 pans.	.50	4.50
Pieplant sauce.....	70 pounds	.05	3.50
Total.....			8.00
Miscellaneous—			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.4165	20.83
Coffee.....	19 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	2.50	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.92
Total cost for Monday May 27, 1918.....			77.00

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes steamed.....	2 bushels	1.35	2.70
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.05½	.99
Total.....			3.69
Dinner			
Salt herring.....	122 pounds	.07½	8.40
Potatoes, steamed.....	3 bushels	1.35	4.05
Steamed rice.....	25 pounds	.09 7-10	2.43
Green onions.....	80 pounds	.05	4.00
Total.....			18.88
Supper			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Baked potatoes.....	4 bushels	1.35	5.40
Blackberry sauce.....	6 gallons	.35½	2.12
Total.....			7.52
Miscellaneous			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.41 13 20	20.83
Coffee.....	18 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	2.50	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.92
Total cost for Tuesday May 28, 1918.....			72.01
Breakfast			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.05½	.99
Dinner			
Bacon fried.....	80 pounds	35.15	25.72
Potatoes steamed.....	3 pounds	1.35	4.05
Lima beans.....	30 pounds	15.45	4.64
Total.....			34.41
Supper			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes fried (accounted for).....			
Pieplant sauce.....	70 pounds	.05	3.50
Hash (accounted for).....			
Miscellaneous			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.41 13-20	20.83
Coffee.....	19 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	2.50	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.92
Total cost for Wednesday May 29, 1918.....			80.82

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast			
Meat (accounted for).....			2.70
Potatoes.....	2 bushels	1.35	.99
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.054	
Total.....			3.69
Dinner			
Roast pork.....	120 pounds	24.70	29.64
Mashed potatoes.....	3 bushels	1.35	4.05
Bread dressing (accounted for).....			
Ginger cakes.....	6 pans	.75	4.50
Total.....			38.19
Supper			
Eggs.....	60 dozen	.30	18.60
Miscellaneous			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.41	20.83
Coffee.....	19 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	2.50	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.92
Total for Thursday May 30, 1918.....			101.80
Breakfast			
Salt mackerel.....	100 pounds	15.00	15.00
Potatoes fried (accounted for).....			
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.054	.99
Total.....			15.99
Dinner			
Beef boiled with gravy.....	120 pounds	15.51	18.61
Potatoes browned.....	3 bushels	1.35	4.05
Steamed rice.....	20 pounds	.09	1.94
Total.....			24.60
Supper			
Meat (accounted for).....			
Potatoes fried (accounted for).....			
Cornmeal mush.....	50 pounds	5.25	2.63
Pieplant sauce.....	70 pounds	.05	3.50
Total.....			6.13
Miscellaneous			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.41	20.83
Coffee.....	19 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	8.53	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.92
Total for Friday May 31, 1918.....			88.64

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

Breakfast			
Meat (accounted for).....			2.70
Potatoes steamed.....	2 bushels	1.35	.99
Oatmeal.....	18 pounds	.054	
Total.....			3.69
Dinner			
Pork with gravy.....	120 pounds	24.70	29.64
Potatoes steamed.....	3 bushels	1.35	4.05
Sweet corn.....	48 cans	.114	5.40
Total.....			39.09
Supper			
Salmon.....	40 pounds	.20	8.00
Potatoes escalloped (accounted for).....			
Rice (accounted for).....			
Miscellaneous			
Bread.....	126 pounds	.05	6.30
Butter.....	50 pounds	.41 13-20	20.83
Coffee.....	19 pounds	.14	2.66
Milk.....	341 pounds	2.50	8.53
Sugar.....	45 pounds	8.00	3.60
Total.....			41.92
Total cost for Saturday June 1, 1918.....			92.70

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLES' BUILDING DINING—ROOMS, THANKSGIVING
1917

TABLE NO. 28.

Dinner			
Chicken stewed.....	115 pounds	.35	40.25
Potatoes, mashed.....	3 pk.	1.25	.94
Peas, creamed.....	30 cans	.06	2.00
Baking powder biscuits.....	21 dozen	.09	1.89
Celery.....	20 pounds	.08	1.60
Pumpkin pie.....	30 pounds	1.06½	1.95
Cake.....	4 pans	.75	3.00
Jelly W. R. C.....			
Total cost			51.63

BILLS OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING—ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1917

Breakfast	12 pounds	.02	
Oatmeal.....	1 bushel	1.65	.24
Potatoes fried.....			1.65
Toast dry (accounted for).....			
Eggs [accounted for].....			
Total.....			1.89
Dinner			
Chicken, grazed.....	260 pounds	.28	72.80
Gravy, milk [accounted for].....			
Potatoes, mashed.....	1 bushel	1.65	1.65
Beet pickles.....	2 bushels	.50	1.00
Cranberry sauce.....	25 quarts	.05	1.25
Tomatoes, stewed.....	8 cans	.26½	2.13
Candy.....	48 pounds	.11½	5.52
Oranges.....	25 dozen	.28	7.00
Apples.....	1½ bushels	2.00	3.00
Celery.....	35 pounds	.15	5.25
Pumpkin pies, bakery.....	65 only	.06½	4.22
Mince pies [accounted for].....			
Total.....			103.82
Supper			
Cold chicken [accounted for].....			
Potatoes, fried.....	1 bushel	1.65	1.65
Fruit cake, bakery.....	7 pans	.75	5.25
Pears, sauce.....	3 cans	.51½	1.54
Total.....			8.44

TABLE NO. 28—Continued.

Miscellaneous			
Butter.....	31 pounds	36¼	11.24
Sugar.....	60 pounds	6.24	3.74
Citron.....	2 pounds	.18½	.37
Milk.....	405 pounds	2.00	8.10
Crackers.....	6 pounds	.06 2-5	.38
Crackers graham.....	3 pounds	.09	.27
Cocoa [accounted for].....			
Flour.....	7 pounds	.03	.21
Lard.....	5 pounds	.15½	.77
Raisins.....	5 pounds	.07½	.37
Coffee.....	18 pounds	.13	2.34
Bread.....	170 pounds	.02	3.40
Eggs.....	25 doz.	.35	8.75
Salt.....	4 pounds	2.40	.04
Vinegar [accounted for].....			
Pickles.....	¼ gallon	.22½	.11
Baking powder [accounted for].....			
Pepper.....	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total.....			40.13

Special diet

Baked potatoes, beef broth, beef steak, cocoa, custard, eggs, eggnog oatmeal gruel,
oyster soup, thickened milk.

Total cost for Monday

December 25, 1916.....154.28

TABLE NO. 29.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

Receipts		
Balance June 30, 1916.....	10,393.09	
Per capita, members.....	329,322.48	
Per capita, civilians.....	34,403.37	
Posthumous fund.....	367.30	
Miscellaneous receipts.....	11,733.83	
From general appropriations.....	4,346.88	
Total.....	390,566.95	
Expenditures		
Salaries and wages.....	128,705.73	
Provision.....	132,562.75	
Household stores.....	25,451.67	
Clothing.....	17,030.67	
Fuel and lights.....	48,763.19	
Hospital supplies.....	9,216.71	
Shop, farm, and garden.....	12,539.07	
Ordinary repairs.....	970.84	
Water and ice.....	6,592.41	
Postage and stationary.....	2,153.18	
Transportation of inmates.....	4.92	
Miscellaneous expenses.....	10,083.70	
Balance June 30, 1918.....	1,492.11	
Total.....	390,566.95	

TABLE NO. 30.

CONTINGENT STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUND

	Con- tingent Fund	Salaries and wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	Posthumous fund
June 1, 1916.....	1250.00			
June 1, 1916.....	372.46	4887.89	119.60	
July 1916.....	147.65	5070.69	232.92	
August 1916.....	192.41	5208.34	431.05	
September 1916.....	194.29	5165.31	669.85	
October, 1916.....	349.25	5156.43	293.48	
November 1916.....		5160.53	102.24	
December 1916.....	245.80	5250.01	785.02	367.30
January 1917.....	748.65	5329.13	964.77	
February, 1917.....	556.49	5350.01	172.07	
March, 1917.....		5387.36	312.52	
April, 1917.....	439.90	5269.34	527.01	
May, 1917.....	397.14	5289.84	126.25	
June, 1917.....		5368.76	306.20	
July, 1917.....	188.08	5438.39	236.50	
August, 1917.....		5468.92	178.50	
September, 1917.....	1028.22	5446.59	1219.14	
October, 1917.....	728.94	5480.42	211.74	
November, 1917.....		5596.12	252.78	
December, 1917.....	467.98	5698.16	648.18	
January, 1918.....	307.19	5542.80	296.95	
February, 1918.....	307.79	5424.05	217.59	
March, 1918.....	373.51	5497.44	771.58	
April, 1918.....	592.38	5606.81	1136.86	
May, 1918.....	243.61	5512.39	1521.03	
Totals.....	9131.83	128,705.73	11,723.83	367.30
Expenditures on approved vouchers.....	8194.11	128,705.73	11,733.83	367.30
Balance June 30, 1918.....	937.72			
Totals.....	9131.83	128,705.73	11,733.83	367.30
Note: Balance contingent fund.....	937.72			
Vouchers paid but not reimbursed by state.....	312.28			
	1250.00			

TABLE NO. 31.

MOVEMENT OF CASH
Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office.

Cash on hand, members fund June 30, 1916			\$ 10,716.92
Cash received, members fund, biennial period.....			78,592.88
Checks outstanding.....			325.28
Total on hand and received.....			89,635.08
By checks drawn and receipts given.....		\$ 72,424.44	
Balance cash, members fund June 30, 1918	\$ 18,802.91		
Miscellaneous receipts.....	470.01		
Contingent fund.....	937.72	10,210.64	
Totals.....		\$ 89,635.08	\$ 89,635.08
Total number of checks issued.....	1,201		

TABLE NO. 32.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Funds	Balance in State Treasury July 1916	Appropriated by General Assembly	Amounts Ee- pended dur- ing Period	Balance in State Treas- ury June 30, 1918
37th general assembly.....				
Contingent and repair....	\$ 1,781.74	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 4,227.17	\$ 7,554.57
Boiler and stokers.....		15,000.00	671.61	14,328.39
Passenger elevators.....		5,000.00	2,509.45	2,490.55
Concrete bridge and dam.		3,500.00	3,500.00	
Storm sewers.....		1,000.00		1000.00
Repairs and improvements in main building....		1,500.00		1,500.00
Store building.....		5,000.00		5,000.00
Addition old peoples build- ing.....		65,000.00	64,803.28	196.72
Paving Summit street....		4,000.00	4,000.00	
	\$ 1,781.74	\$ 110,000.00	\$ 7,9711.51	\$ 3,2070.23

TABLE NO. 33.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL APPROPRIATIONS

CREDITS—		\$ 33,063.70	
Expenditures—			
Provisions.....	\$ 21,707.65		
Household stores.....	1,616.23		
Fuel and light.....	7,709.57		
Hospital supplies.....	311.19		
Shop, farm and garden	1,233.43		
Ordinary repairs.....	5.60		
Water and ice.....	175.83		
Postage and stationary	5.20		
Miscellaneous.....	300.00		
	\$ 33,060.70	\$ 33,063.70	

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of service
J. J. Russell.....	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick.....	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows.....	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill.....	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle.....	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson.....	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans.....	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin.....	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard.....	1894 to 1898
C. L. Davidson.....	1895 to 1896
I. M. Mortan.....	1895 to 1898
J. L. Godfrey.....	1897 to 1898

Board of Control	Time of service
William Larrabee.....	January 1, 1898 to February 14, 1900
John Cownie.....	January 1, 1898 to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne.....	January 1, 1898 to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson.....	March 2, 1900 to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton.....	April 17, 1906 to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade.....	October 1, 1909 to September 16, 1913
Murdoch Bannister.....	April 6, 1910 to April 30, 1913
J. W. Dixon.....	May 1, 1913 to July 1, 1917
J. H. McConlogue.....	October 6, 1913 to February 26, 1917
A. M. McColl.....	July 1, 1916 to date
W. D. Sheean.....	July 29, 1917 to date
J. H. Strief.....	July 1, 1917 to date

Commandants of Home	Time of service
Milo Smith.....	December 1, 1887 to October 10, 1892
J. H. Keatly.....	October 10, 1892 to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin.....	September 22, 1894 to September 28, 1897
C. C. Horton.....	October 12, 1897 to April 1, 1916
B. C. Whitehill.....	April 1, 1916 to date

Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston.....	— 1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells.....	— 1889 to November 1894
Chas. L. Longley.....	November —, 1894 to August —, 1895
B. F. Warful.....	August 14, 1895 to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker.....	March — 1903 to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson.....	September 15, 1907 to September 1, 1915
John C. Loper.....	September 1, 1915 to date

Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt.....	— 1897 to August — 1895
Chas. L. Longley.....	August 14, 1895 to September 1897
B. A. Beeson.....	October 12, 1897 to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett.....	February 1, 1903 to date

Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters.....	— 1887 to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield.....	August 2, 1894 to May 1, 1918
G. A. Mershon.....	May 1, 1918 to date

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival.....	Organization to — 1890
City Ministers.....	— 1890 to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole.....	April 1, 1900 to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt.....	October 20, 1913 to date

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 10, 1918.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I herewith submit my biennial report covering the period beginning July 1, 1916 and ending June 30, 1918.

Some changes have occurred in the hospital staff since the last report. Owing to the resignation of Dr. Fred W. Dixon, assistant surgeon, about one year ago, and that of Dr. H. P. Duffield, chief surgeon, last April, there has been created an entirely new medical staff.

I was appointed assistant surgeon August 1, 1917 and served in that capacity until May 1st. I was then appointed to take charge of the medical department of the home, owing to the resignation of Dr. Duffield.

Dr. Walter W. Hendee, of Augusta, Maine, was appointed assistant surgeon and his past experience in hospital work adds strength to the medical department.

Mr. C. S. Williams, who for five or six years has proven a capable and efficient pharmacist, also adds strength to the medical department.

With Mrs. M. A. Shaffner, head nurse, as superintendent of nurses whose efficiency, tact, and kindness in handling both help and patients, is well known; we have also an efficient steward, Carl Shaffner, whom we all honor for his kindness and good stewardship.

The hospital department is the hardest of any in the home, owing to the infirmities of age which cause weakness of mind in many of the patients. To alleviate pain, sustain them in weakness and keep them contented is often a quandary, and it requires infinite patience, kindness and sympathy both in physicians and nurses, to accomplish this. It will be our aim to keep this ideal combination of help.

I desire to express my thanks to you, Commandant Whitehill,

for the loyal support given me in my management to the medical department, also please convey to your staff, and the Honorable Board of Control my thanks for courtesies extended.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. A. Mershon, M. D.,

Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT

For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1918.

Number cases treated in hospital.....	944
Number of cases visited in quarters.....	1,968
Number received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presents himself at sick call).....	14,000
Number prescriptions written morning call (except Sunday)	27,000
Highest number in hospital at one time, males.....	178
Highest number in hospital at one time, females.....	64
Number in hospital June 30, 1916, males.....	156
Number in hospital June 30, 1916, females	51
Average number, males.....	141
Average number, females.....	51
Died in the home—Union soldiers.....	200
Died in the home—Spanisk-American soldiers.....	3
Died in the home—Regulars.....	1
Died in the home—Mexican.....	1
Died on furlough—Union soldiers.....	12
Died in the home —Women.....	49
Died on furlough—Women.....	2
Average age of Union soldiers died in Home.....	73
Average age of Union soldiers died on furlough.....	83
Average age of Regulars.....	74
Average age of Mexican.....	95
Average age of Spanish-Americans.....	58
Average age of women died in home.....	74
Age of father of soldier.....	95
Number in the hospital June 30, 1918—males.....	100
Number in hospital June 30, 1918—females.....	54

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 27, 1918

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

The report of my work as chaplain of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennium ending June 30, 1918 is herewith submitted.

RELIGIOUS WORK

There has been no substantial change from the previous biennium in the religious services and work of the home. The regular public services are as follows, namely:

Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock, Bible study following the course of the International Sunday School Lesson.

Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, gospel preaching and worship.

Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock, a social religious service.

On Wednesday evenings, the mid-week meeting for prayer and Bible teaching.

These services are all held in the assembly hall, which is the Home chapel.

THE MORTALITY OF THE HOME.

In the first year of the biennium, the number of deaths in the home was 132; 107 men, and 25 women. In the second year the number of deaths was 147; 120 men and 27 women. The total mortality of the Home for the biennium was therefor 279 deaths; 227 men and 52 women.

Of those who died during the biennium, 124 were buried in the Home cemetery. Appropriate funeral services were held in the Home chapel for all and the men were buried with military honors. The others were shipped for burial elsewhere as directed by their relatives.

PASTORAL AND SOCIAL WORK.

One great feature of the chaplain's work is his pastoral and social visitations of the sick and those of extreme age and feebleness. No tabulated statement of this work can be made. It is done

in the daily intercourse of the chaplain with the members of the home.

With cordial acknowledgement of the help I have received in my work from you, Mr. Commandant, and from the members of your official family, this report is

Most respectfully submitted,

H. O. Pratt.

Chaplain.

SEVENTEENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 30, 1920

Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the seventeenth biennial report for the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the period ending June 30, 1920.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION

Probably for the first time in the history of the Institution our report shows a decided decrease in the number of members. This event has been looked for, for a number of years and is therefore not unexpected. We have realized for some time, that the turning point would soon come and that our reports would show a greater number "mustered out" than "mustered in." But this is not due to death and old age. The great increase in the Civil War Veterans' pensions within the past two years has assisted many of them financially so that they are able to go back to their homes and be taken care of by relatives and friends.

On June 30, 1918 we had present in the Home 465 men and 259 women, totaling 724; today we have 355 men and 243 women a total of 598.

During the two years 246 have died in the home, a small decrease over the preceding biennium, due no doubt to the decreased population, which averaged 722 for this period against 837 for the preceding.

Every year shows a proportionate increase in our female membership and during the winter months every room in the buildings for ladies is filled and a waiting list for all new applicants is kept.

SUPPORT FUND

The thirty-eighth general assembly increased our monthly per capita allowance from \$16.00 to \$22.00 with a minimum of \$18,700.00 each month. This increase at the time was considered sufficient, and would have been ample, had prices of foodstuffs and commodities stopped at the 1918 prices, but not only have these prices continued to increase but we have been forced to draw more heavily on our support fund during this biennium than the preceding one for furnishings, increased labor, etc, all of which we economized on during the preceding period.

The expense of our hospital has increased enormously not only in the cost for drugs and hospital supplies but in all other lines.

The cost of burying our dead during the past year amounted to \$5240.00. All of this must be paid for from our support fund which has been inadequate to meet the demands made on it. Our monthly per capita cost during the last quarter of the biennial period amounted to a little over \$31.00.

Extra help has been employed to do work that was formerly done by the members, and we are now facing the problem of hiring civilian help, at the present high prices, to take care of and keep clean, the beds and quarters of those, who have always been able to do the work themselves, but have now arrived at the age where it is impossible for them to keep their quarters clean and sanitary.

In fact the Home is fast becoming a vast hospital and should be so considered by the next legislature.

Committees of various organizations have visited the Home during the last year, also the U. S. Mustering Officer who inspects the institution annually, and they have all left with the same verdict, "You must have more funds to keep up this Home and properly take care of these people."

I would recommend to the next general assembly that our support fund be raised to a per capita of \$35.00 a month, with a minimum amount of \$20,000.00 monthly.

The U. S. Government is now paying \$120.00 annually into our State treasury for every old soldier living in the Home who was in the service of the U. S. in the time of war. This amounts to about \$40,000.00 every year but in no way affects our support as it is merely turned into the general fund of the State.

If arrangements could be made so this amount could be turned into our support fund annually, this, with what we have already been receiving as support fund, would be sufficient to supply our needs.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

The thirty-eighth general assembly gave us the following special appropriations.

Contingent and repair	\$ 25000.00
Lectures, amusements, books and periodicals	700.00
Spur track to institution	23000.00

Immediately upon receipt of the contingent and repair appropriation a new high pressure boiler and automatic stoker was purchased which cost \$12,500.00 or just one-half the appropriation. The balance is being used as economically as possible for repairs in our power house and in our heating and plumbing system which in the very near future will need to be entirely overhauled. Stools and bath room fixtures that have become entirely worn out are being replaced. Carpenters are busy repairing floors, stairways and porches and our painters have the building in the best condition, regarding paint, that they have been for several years.

The thirty-seventh general assembly appropriated \$1000.00 for a storm sewer to take flood water away from our hospital and dormitory. Surveyors found that this work could not be completed under the present prices less than \$2,500.00. This is a necessity, as in times

of heavy rains the basements of these two buildings are badly flooded.

The thirty-eighth general assembly appropriated \$23000.00 for a street car track to be laid between the institution buildings and the Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad for the purpose of hauling coal and freight to the Home and also for passenger service.

Objections were made to the hauling of freight over the streets of Marshalltown by abutting property owners. The matter was taken to the attorney general's office who ruled that a new franchise would have to be passed by the city before freight could be hauled by the street car company. Since that time nothing has been done.

Another high pressure boiler must be installed in the power house in the near future to take the place of the three small boilers that have been in service for a great many years. This will complete the new battery of high pressure boilers, the other two being installed during the past two years. A water heater for these boilers is badly needed and should be added to this equipment.

Steam and hot water lines must be replaced at different places on the ground, new radiators must be installed, more new stools and wash bowls are needed and in some of the older buildings the entire plumbing system should be overhauled and rebuilt.

Additional storage room for coal is badly needed, so that we will not need to pile so much of our coal out in the weather. A shed for this purpose can be built adjoining our power house at a very small cost.

A water softener is badly needed at our laundry. This would not only be great in the quality of the work done but a big saving on the clothes.

Our ice house is in a badly dilapidated condition and must be entirely rebuilt. Other buildings are also in need of repairs on stairways, floors, etc.

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B. C. Whitehill,

Commandant.

The cost of burying our dead during the past year amounted to \$5240.00. All of this must be paid for from our support fund which has been inadequate to meet the demands made on it. Our monthly per capita cost during the last quarter of the biennial period amounted to a little over \$31.00.

Extra help has been employed to do work that was formerly done by the members, and we are now facing the problem of hiring civilian help, at the present high prices, to take care of and keep clean, the beds and quarters of those, who have always been able to do the work themselves, but have now arrived at the age where it is impossible for them to keep their quarters clean and sanitary.

In fact the Home is fast becoming a vast hospital and should be so considered by the next legislature.

Committees of various organizations have visited the Home during the last year, also the U. S. Mustering Officer who inspects the institution annually, and they have all left with the same verdict, "You must have more funds to keep up this Home and properly take care of these people."

I would recommend to the next general assembly that our support fund be raised to a per capita of \$35.00 a month, with a minimum amount of \$20,000.00 monthly.

The U. S. Government is now paying \$120.00 annually into our State treasury for every old soldier living in the Home who was in the service of the U. S. in the time of war. This amounts to about \$40,000.00 every year but in no way affects our support as it is merely turned into the general fund of the State.

If arrangements could be made so this amount could be turned into our support fund annually, this, with what we have already been receiving as support fund, would be sufficient to supply our needs.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

The thirty-eighth general assembly gave us the following special appropriations.

Contingent and repair	\$ 25000.00
Lectures, amusements, books and periodicals	700.00
Spur track to institution	23000.00

Immediately upon receipt of the contingent and repair appropriation a new high pressure boiler and automatic stoker was purchased which cost \$12,500.00 or just one-half the appropriation. The balance is being used as economically as possible for repairs in our power house and in our heating and plumbing system which in the very near future will need to be entirely overhauled. Stools and bath room fixtures that have become entirely worn out are being replaced. Carpenters are busy repairing floors, stairways and porches and our painters have the building in the best condition, regarding paint, that they have been for several years.

The thirty-seventh general assembly appropriated \$1000.00 for a storm sewer to take flood water away from our hospital and dormitory. Surveyors found that this work could not be completed under the present prices less than \$2,500.00. This is a necessity, as in times

of heavy rains the basements of these two buildings are badly flooded.

The thirty-eighth general assembly appropriated \$23000.00 for a street car track to be laid between the institution buildings and the Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad for the purpose of hauling coal and freight to the Home and also for passenger service.

Objections were made to the hauling of freight over the streets of Marshalltown by abutting property owners. The matter was taken to the attorney general's office who ruled that a new franchise would have to be passed by the city before freight could be hauled by the street car company. Since that time nothing has been done.

Another high pressure boiler must be installed in the power house in the near future to take the place of the three small boilers that have been in service for a great many years. This will complete the new battery of high pressure boilers, the other two being installed during the past two years. A water heater for these boilers is badly needed and should be added to this equipment.

Steam and hot water lines must be replaced at different places on the ground, new radiators must be installed, more new stools and wash bowls are needed and in some of the older buildings the entire plumbing system should be overhauled and rebuilt.

Additional storage room for coal is badly needed, so that we will not need to pile so much of our coal out in the weather. A shed for this purpose can be built adjoining our power house at a very small cost.

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Table No. 1—Movement of Population

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present July 1st ..	465	259	724	420	238	658	465	259	724
Admitted for first time	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327
Readmitted	87	15	102	70	9	79	157	24	181
Totals	643	338	981	582	327	909	805	427	1232
Discharged	79	37	116	61	17	78	140	54	194
Dropped	58	27	85	72	37	109	130	64	194
Died in Home	86	36	122	94	30	124	180	66	246
Totals	223	100	323	227	84	311	450	184	634
Remaining June 30th	420	238	658	355	243	598	355	243	598
Average Population	499	253	752	437	255	692	468	254	722

Marshalltown, Iowa, August, 7, 1920

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home.
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1920.

I desire to thank you for the courteous treatment extended to me, also by the officers and members of the institution.

Very respectfully,
John C. Loper,
Adjutant

Table No 2—Post Return

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present						
Officers	5		5	5		5
Members						
For duty	330	186	516	280	186	466
Sick in hospital	90	52	142	75	57	132
Totals	420	238	658	355	243	598
Civilian employes	79	95	174	63	94	157
Totals	79	95	174	63	94	157
Absent						
With leave	229	200	429	267	228	495
Totals	229	200	429	267	228	495
Present and absent						
Officers	5		5	5		5
Members	649	438	1087	622	471	1093
Civilian employes	79	95	174	63	94	157
Totals	733	533	1266	690	565	1255
Average daily population (civilians included)	578	348	926	516	350	866

Table No. 3—Sex and Color of Members Admitted

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White	90	64	154	89	79	168	179	143	322
Black	1		1	3	1	4	4	1	5
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

Table No. 4—Literacy of Members Admitted

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write	85	59	144	81	79	160	166	138	304
Unable to read and write	6	5	11	11	1	12	17	6	23
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

Table No. 5—Ages of Members Admitted

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 to 40 years							1	2	3
40 to 50 years ...	1	2	3					8	8
50 to 60 years ...		2	2		6	6			
60 to 70 years ...		20	20	1	29	30	1	49	50
70 to 80 years ...	59	35	94	65	30	95	124	65	189
80 to 90 years ...	30	5	35	24	15	39	54	20	74
90 to 100 years ..	1		1	2		2	3		3
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327
Average ages	78	70		78	71		78	71	

Table No. 6—Ages of Members Present and Absent

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T
30 and under 40 years	1	1	2
40 and under 50 years	6	4	10
50 and under 60 years	13	24	37
60 and under 70 years	14	127	141
70 and under 80 years	420	247	667
80 and under 90 years	153	57	210
90 and under 100 years	15	11	26
Totals	622	471	1093
Average of Spanish-American soldiers			53
Average of men			77.96
Average of women			73.61

Table No. 7—Church Affiliations or Religious Preferences of Members Admitted

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant	86	62	148	91	79	170	177	141	318
Catholic	2	2	4	1	1	2	3	3	6
None	3		3				3		3
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

Table No. 8—Conjugal Condition of Members Admitted

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single	6		6	12		12	18		18
Married	42	26	68	39	35	74	81	61	142
Widowed	42	38	80	35	45	80	77	83	160
Divorced	1		1	6		6	7		7
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

Table No. 9—Nativity of Members Admitted

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born	80	57	137	86	74	160	166	131	297
New England-									
states	3	1	4	5		5	8	1	9
Connecticut									
Vermont		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Massachusetts ..	2		2	4		4	6		6
New Hampshire ..	1		1				1		1
Middle states	23	7	30	20	11	31	43	18	61
New York	10	5	15	8	4	12	18	9	27
Pennsylvania	10	2	12	10	7	17	20	9	29
New Jersey	3		3	2		2	5		5
Southern states...	12	10	22	13	15	28	25	25	50
Missouri	1	3	4	5	4	9	6	7	13
Kentucky	1	2	3	2	3	5	3	5	8
West Virginia...	4	1	5	1	1	2	5	2	7
Alabama	1	1	2				1	1	2
Virginia	3		3	3	3	6	6	3	9
Tennessee		1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4
Maryland	2	1	3	1	2	3	3	3	6
Texas		1	1				1		1
Northwest states..	42	39	81	48	48	96	90	87	177
Illinois	7	7	14	5	4	9	12	11	23
Ohio	21	12	33	20	20	40	41	32	73
Indiana	9	11	20	11	8	19	20	19	39
Iowa	3	5	8	9	10	19	12	15	27
Michigan		3	3	2	3	5	2	6	8
Wisconsin	2	1	3	1	3	4	3	4	7
Foreign born	11	7	18	6	6	12	17	13	30
Holland	1		1	1		1	2		2
Norway	1		1	1		1	1		2
England	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
Ireland	3	1	4				3	1	4
Prussia	1		1				1		1
Canada	2	4	6	1	3	4	3	7	10
Germany	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4
Scotland	1		1				1		1
Switzerland		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Grand totals..	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

Table No. 10—Physical Condition of Members
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year Ending June 30, 1919			For Year Ending June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health:—No person is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled unless it be by reason of age.....									
II Diseases									
1 General diseases	34	21	55	14	25	39	48	46	94
Blind	7	2	9	5		5	12	2	14
Cancer	7	2	9	1	1	2	8	3	11
Debility, senile	7	10	17	5	19	24	12	29	41
Malaria		2	2					2	2
Rheumatism ...	7	4	11	3	5	8	10	9	19
Tuberculosis ...	6	1	7				6	1	7
2 Diseases of the nervous system	20	18	38	31	12	43	51	30	81
Locomotor ataxia	4	4	8	3		3	7	4	11
Paralysis, general	6	4	10	16	4	20	22	8	30
Senile dementia	10	10	20	10	8	18	20	18	38
Senile gangrene				2		2	2		2
3 Diseases of circulatory system	8	8	16	5	14	19	13	22	35
Cerebral hemorrhage	1		1				1		1
Hemorrhoids ...	1	2	3		3	3	1	5	6
Hypertrophy of heart	3	2	5				3	2	5
Pernicious anemia	1	1	2		4	4	1	5	6
Valvular disease of the heart ..	2	3	5	1	3	4	3	6	9
Varicose veins				4	4	8	4	4	8
4 Diseases of respiratory system	5	3	8	4	5	9	9	8	17
Asthma	3		3	4	2	6	7	2	9
Branchitis	2	3	5		3	3	2	6	8
5 Diseases of digestive system	10	8	18	15	17	32	25	25	50
Constipation ...	3	4	7		6	6	3	10	13
Diarrhea				1	3	4	1	3	4

Table No. 10—Continued

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919			For Year End- ing June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Diseases of liver	1	2	3	5	5	10	6	7	13
Fistula, ano ...				4	3	7	4	3	7
Gastritis	1	2	3	5		5	6	2	8
Hernia, double and single	5		5				5		5
6 Diseases of geni- tourinary sys- tem	7	6	13	17	3	20	24	9	33
Cystitis	2	4	6	10		10	12	4	16
Nephritis	2	2	4	6	2	8	8	4	12
Prostate en- largement ...	2		2	1		1	3		3
Uremia	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	2
7 External injuries	7	7	6	3	4	10	13	4	17
Blood Poison ..	3		3	3	1	4	6	1	7
Contused wounds	1		1	1		1	2		2
Deafness	1	1		1	1	2	2	1	3
Dislocation									
Fractures	2		2	1	2	3	3	2	5
Grand totals ..	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

Table No. 11—Occupation Prior to Admission of Members Admitted

	Year End- ing June 30, 1919			Year End- ing June 30, 1920			Biennial Period End- ing June 30, 1920			Since opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I Agricultural and rural	54	54	58	58	112	112	1901		1901			
Farmer	42	42	40	40	82	82						
Gardener	1	1	1	1	2	2						
Laborer	11	11	17	17	28	28						
II Commercial and merchan- tile	5	5	4	4	9	9	179	3	182			
Agents, real es- tate	1	1	1	1	2	2						
Salesman	1	1	1	1	2	2						
Merchant	3	3	2	2	5	5						
III Manufactur- ing and me- chanical ...	26	26	28	28	54	54						
1 Building												

Table No. 11—Continued

	Year End- ing June 30' 1919			Year End- ing June 30' 1920			Biennial Period End- ing June 30,			Since opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Trades	15	15	18	18	33	33	268		268			
Carpenter ..	8	8	11	11	19	19						
Mason	2	2	3	3	5	5						
Painter	3	3	2	2	5	5						
Plasterer ...	1	1	1	1	2	2						
Contractor ..	1	1	1	1	2	2						
2 Clay, glass and stone ...										36		36
3 Mining	2	2			2	2	85		85			
Miner	2	2			2	2						
4 Food products	1	1	1	1	2	2	51		51			
Butcher	1	1	1	1	2	2						
Miller												
5 Iron and steel				2	2	2	184		184			
Blacksmith ..				2	2	2						
6 Leather	2	2			2	2	124		124			
Saddler	1	1			1	1						
Shoemaker ..	1	1			1	1						
7 Metals other than iron ...	1	1			1	1	37		37			
Jeweler	1	1			1	1						
8 Paper and printing ...	1	1	1	1	2	2	41		41			
Printer	1	1	1	1	2	2						
9 Textiles							19	1	20			
10 Miscellaneous	4	4	6	6	10	10	1109		1109			
IV Transporta- tion	3	3	2	2	5	5	154		154			
Engineer ...	1	1	2	2	3	3						
Teamster ...	2	2			2	2						
V Professional .	3	3			3	3	132		132			
Minister ...	1	1			1	1						
Physician ...	1	1			1	1						
Teacher ..	1	1			1	1						
VI Domestic and personal ..	64	64	80	80	144	144	1138	1070	2208			
Housekeeper ..	31	31	45	45	76	76						
Housewife ..	33	33	35	35	68	68						
VII Miscellan- eous							82	8	90			
Grand totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327	5540	1082	6622

Table No. 12—County Residence of Members Admitted and Remaining June 30, 1920

	Year End- ing June 30, 1919			Year End- ing June 30, 1920			Biennial Period End- ing June 30, 1920			Remaining June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair										2	2	4
Adams										3	4	7
Allamakee										4	2	6
Appanoose				3	3		3	3		5	2	7
Audubon	2		2				2	2		3	4	7
Benton		1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	7	6	13
Black Hawk	3	3	6	1	2	3	4	5	9	9	5	14
Boone		1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	11	9	20
Bremer	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4	2	3	5
Buchanan	2	2	4				2	2	4	2	3	5
Buena Vista		1	1				1	1	1	1	1	2
Butler				1	1	2	1	1	2	2	3	5
Calhoun				1		1	1		1	4	5	9
Carrol					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	7
Cass	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3	2	3	5
Cedar	1	1	2				1	1	2	6	8	14
Cerro Gordo	2	2	4	1		1	3	2	5	3	2	5
Cherokee							1	1	1	1	1	2
Chicksaw							1	1	1	1	1	2
Clarke	1	1	2	1	1		1	2	3	1		1
Clay	1		1				1		1	1		1
Clayton		1	1				1	1	1	1	1	2
Clinton	1		1	1	2	3	2	2	4	8	2	10
Dallas	2	1	3				2	1	3	8	2	10
Decatur				1	1		1	1	1	1	1	2
Delaware				1		1	1	1	1	1		1
Des Moines	2	2					2	2		4	2	6
Dickinson										1	1	2
Dubuque				1	1		1	1		2	2	4
Emmet							3	1	4	3	1	4
Fayette				1		1	1		1	4	1	5
Floyd										1	1	2
Franklin	1		1				1	1		2	1	3
Fremont	3	1	4				3	1	4	1		1
Greene	2	1	3	2		2	4	1	5	1	1	2
Grundy	1	1	2				1	1	2	1		2
Guthrie										3	1	4
Hamilton				1	1		1	1		2	2	4
Hancock										1	1	2
Hardin				2	2	4	2	2	4	2	1	3
Harrison										1	1	2
Henry	2	2					2	2		3		3
Howard										2	1	3
Humboldt				1		1	1		1	1	1	2
Ida										1	1	
Iowa										1	2	3

Table No. 12—Continued

	Year End- ing June 30, 1919			Year End- ing June 30, 1920			Biennial Period End- ing June 30, 1920			Remaining June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Jackson	1	2	3	1		1	2	2	4	1	1	2
Jasper	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4	8	6	14
Jefferson	1		1	1	2	3	2	2	4	3	1	4
Johnson				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Jones					1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3
Keokuk	1	1	2	2		2	3	1	4	1	1	2
Kossuth										1	1	2
Lee	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	3	3	6
Linn	3	3	6	4	9	13	7	12	19	10	8	18
Louisa	1		1				1	1	1	2	1	3
Lucas	1		1				1	1	1	2		2
Madison					1	1		1	1	1	1	2
Mahaska	2	2	4	4	3	7	6	5	11	2	2	4
Marion				5	1	6	5	1	6	4	1	5
Marshall	8	8	16	3	10	13	11	18	29	34	30	64
Mills										1	1	2
Mitchell										1		1
Monona	1	1	2				1	1	2	4	3	7
Monroe										1	1	2
Montgomery	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	2	1	3
Muscatine	2	2	4	4	1	5	6	3	9	3	1	4
O'Brien										3	2	5
Osceola										1	1	2
Palo Alto					1	1		1	1	1	2	3
Plymoth	2		2		1	1	2	1	3	1	1	2
Pocahontas				1		1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Polk	7	6	13	13	9	22	20	15	35	30	24	54
Pottawattamie				2	2	4	2	2	4	8	6	14
Poweshiek	3		3	3		3	6		6	4	2	6
Sac		1	1				1	1	1	1	1	2
Scott	2	3	5	1		1	3	3	6	4	6	10
Shelby	1	1	2				1	1	2	1	1	2
Sioux										1	1	2
Story	3	1	4	1		1	4	1	5	4	1	5
Tama		1	1	4	3	7	4	4	8	2	1	3
Taylor				1	2	3	1	2	3	1	1	2
Union	2	2	4	1		1	3	2	5	6	2	8
Van Buren	1	2	3	2	1	3	3	3	6	4	2	6
Wapello	3	2	5	4	3	7	7	5	12	6	1	7
Warren		1	1				1	1	1	1	2	3
Washington										1	1	2
Wayne	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	1	2
Webster	2		2	4	1	5	6	1	7	1	1	2
Winneshiek										1	1	2
Woodbury	3	2	5	1	1	2	4	3	7	3	3	6
Worth										1	1	2
Wright				1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Other states	11	1	12	7	7	14	18	8	26	36	15	51
National homes										15		15
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327	355	243	598

Table No. 13—County Residence of Members Admitted From Iowa

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1918			Biennial Per- iod June 30, 1920			Since Open- ing of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair	11	1	12				11	1	12
Adams	9	4	13				9	4	13
Allamakee	25	6	31				25	6	31
Appanoose	39	10	49	3		3	42	10	52
Audubon	7	1	8	2		2	9	1	10
Benton	62	10	72	1	2	3	63	12	75
Black Hawk	89	16	105	4	5	9	93	21	114
Boone	80	20	100	1	2	3	81	22	103
Bremer	25	2	27	3	1	4	28	3	31
Buchanan	7	2	9	2	2	4	9	4	13
Buena Vista	33	7	40		1	1	33	8	41
Butler	29	2	31	1	1	2	30	3	33
Calhoun	19	5	24	1		1	20	5	25
Carroll	19	5	24		1	1	19	6	25
Cass	32	6	38	2	1	3	34	7	41
Cedar	29	5	34	1	1	2	30	6	36
Cerro Gordo	35	11	46	3	2	5	38	13	51
Cherokee	19	3	22				19	3	22
Chickasaw	21	2	23				21	2	23
Clarke	18	3	21	1	2	3	19	5	24
Clay	10	3	13	1		1	11	3	14
Clayton	41	5	46		1	1	41	6	47
Clinton	114	13	127	2	2	4	116	15	131
Crawford	20	1	21				20	1	21
Dallas	43	11	54	2	1	3	45	12	57
Davis	15	1	16				15	1	16
Decatur	4	9	13		1	1	4	10	14
Delaware	24	5	29	1		1	25	5	30
Des Moines	82	12	94		2	2	82	14	96
Dickinson	6	3	9				6	3	9
Dubuque	118	11	129		1	1	118	12	130
Emmet	14	2	16				14	2	16
Fayette	71	18	89	1		1	72	18	90
Floyd	37	8	45				37	8	45
Franklin	32	5	37	1		1	33	5	38
Fremont	29	4	33	3	1	4	32	5	37
Greene	32	1	33	4	1	5	36	2	38
Grundy	13	6	19	1	1	2	14	7	21
Guthrie	33	5	38				33	5	38
Hamilton	37	6	43		1	1	37	7	44
Hancock	10	1	11				10	1	11
Hardin	65	11	76	2	2	4	67	13	80
Harrison	51	12	63				51	12	63
Henry	48	11	59		2	2	48	13	61
Howard	10		10				10		10
Humboldt	21	4	25	1		1	22	4	26
Ida	14	2	16				14	2	16

Table No. 13—Continued

	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1918			Biennial Per- iod June 30, 1920			Since Open- ing of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Iowa	19	5	24				19	5	24
Jackson	62	7	69	2	2	4	64	9	73
Jasper	78	16	94	3	1	4	81	17	98
Jefferson	20	2	22	2	2	4	22	4	26
Johnson	57	6	63		1	1	57	7	64
Jones	37	5	42		1	1	37	6	43
Keokuk	26	7	33	3	1	4	29	8	37
Kossuth	23	3	26				23	3	26
Lee	92	20	112	1	1	2	93	21	114
Linn	185	36	221	7	12	19	192	48	240
Louisa	34	8	42	1		1	35	8	43
Lucas	23	1	24	1		1	24	1	25
Lyons	9	1	10				9	1	10
Madison	21	3	24		1	1	21	4	25
Mahaska	126	33	159	6	5	11	132	38	170
Marion	64	7	71	5	1	6	69	8	77
Marshall	239	142	381	11	18	29	250	160	410
Mills	27	9	36				27	9	36
Mitchell	17		17				17		17
Monona	37	9	46	1	1	2	38	10	48
Monroe	27	7	34				27	7	34
Montgomery	30	8	38	2	1	3	32	9	41
Muscatine	92	18	110	6	3	9	98	21	119
O'Brien	20	6	26				20	6	26
Osceola	6		6				6		6
Page	24		24				24		24
Palo Alto	10	5	15		1	1	10	6	16
Plymouth	23	1	24	2	1	3	25	2	27
Pocahontas	16	6	22	1		1	17	6	23
Polk	452	119	571	20	15	35	472	134	606
Pottawattamie	115	22	137	2	2	4	117	24	141
Poweshiek	51	16	67	6		6	57	16	73
Ringold	21	1	22				21	1	22
Sac	23	3	26		1	1	23	4	27
Scott	150	24	174	3	3	6	153	27	180
Shelby	12	3	15	1	1	2	13	4	17
Sioux	49	8	57				49	8	57
Story	62	15	77	4	1	5	66	16	82
Tama	28	5	33	4	4	8	32	9	41
Taylor	30	4	34	1	2	3	31	6	37
Union	33	6	39	3	2	5	36	8	44
Van Buren	113	19	132	3	3	6	116	22	138
Wapello	48	6	54	7	5	12	55	11	66
Warren	23	6	29		1	1	23	7	30
Washington	28	3	31				28	3	31
Wayne	65	4	69	2	1	3	67	5	72
Webster	13	3	16	6	1	7	19	4	23

Table No. 13—Continued

	Since Open- of Home to June 30, 1918			Biennial Per- iod June 30, 1920			Since Open- ing of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Winnebago	10	2	12				10	2	12
Winneshiek	94	9	103				94	9	103
Woodbury	26	12	38	4	3	7	30	15	45
Worth	18	5	23				18	5	23
Wright	8	2	10	1	1	2	9	3	12
Other states	116	39	155	18	8	26	134	47	181
Washington, D. C.	1		1				1		1
National homes ...	24		24				24		24
Grand totals ...	4659	998	5657	183	144	327	4842	1142	5984

Table No. 14—Rural and Urban Distribution of Members Admitted

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919			For Year End- ing June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Villages and towns Cities of 4000 and under 8000	38	27	65	44	27	71	82	54	136
Cities of 8000 and under 25,000 ..	9	2	11	7	5	12	16	7	23
Cities of 25,000 and over	17	19	36	13	19	32	30	38	68
Other states	16	15	31	20	22	42	36	37	73
Totals	11	1	12	8	7	15	19	8	27
Totals	91	64	155	92	80	172	183	144	327

I Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000

Webster City	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4
Atlantic	1		1	1		1	2		2
Chariton	1		1				1		1
Creston	1	1	2				1	1	2
Cedar Falls	1	1	2				1	1	2
Centerville				1		1	1		1
Clarinda				1	1	2	1	1	2
Farifield	1		1		1	1	1	1	2
Grinnell	1		1	2		2	3		3
LeMars	1		1		1	1	1	1	2
Marion					1	1		1	1
Newton	1		1				1		1
Totals	9	2	11	7	5	12	16	7	23

Table No. 14—Continued
II Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000

Burlington	1	1	2				1	1	2
Boone			1	1				2	2
Fort Dodge					2		1	1	
Fort Madison							1	1	
Iowa City							1	1	
Mason City	1	2	3				1	2	3
Marshalltown	8	7	15	3	9	12	11	16	27
Mount Pleasant		3	3					3	3
Muscatine	2	2	4	2	1	3	4	3	7
Oskloosa	2	2	4	3	3	6	5	5	10
Ottumwa	3	1	4	3	3	6	6	4	10
Totals	17	19	36	13	19	32	30	38	68

III Cities of 25,000 and Over

Cedar Rapids	1	3	4	4	5	9	5	8	13
Clinton	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Council Bluffs				1	4	5	1	4	5
Davenport	2	3	5	1	1	1	3	3	6
Des Moines	7	7	14	11	9	20	18	16	34
Dubuque					1	1		1	1
Sioux City	3		3	1		1	4		4
Waterloo	2	2	4	1	2	3	3	4	7
Totals	16	15	31	20	22	42	36	37	73

Table No. 15—Nature of Army Service of Members Admitted

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919		For Year End- ing June 30, 1920		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	
	M	T	M	T	M	T

I Wars in Which Enlisted

Civil War	89	89	91	91	180	180
Spanish-American	2	2	1	1	3	3
Totals	91	91	92	92	183	183

II Division of Army Service in Which Enlisted

Spanish-American	2	2	1	1	3	3
Volunteers, U. S.	89	89	91	91	180	180
Totals	91	91	92	92	183	183

III Branch of Division of Army Service in Which Enlisted

Infantry	70	70	71	71	141	141
Cavalry	18	18	14	14	32	32
Artillery	2	2	6	6	8	8
Engineers			1	1	1	1
Marine	1	1			1	1
Totals	91	91	92	92	183	183

Table No. 16—States Whence Members Admitted Enlisted

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919		For Year End- ing June 30, 1920		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
Illinois	13	13	8	8	21	21
Indiana	3	3	5	5	8	8
Iowa	42	42	49	49	91	91
Kansas			1	1	1	1
Kentucky			1	1	1	1
Massachusetts ...	1	1	1	1	2	2
Michigan	1	1	2	2	3	3
Maryland	1	1			1	1
Missouri	4	4	2	2	6	6
New Hampshire ..	1	1			1	1
Nebraska			1	1	1	1
New York	4	4	8	8	12	12
New Jersey	1	1			1	1
Ohio	5	5	4	4	9	9
Pennsylvania	4	4	3	3	7	7
Vermont	1	1			1	1
West Virginia	1	1	2	2	3	3
Washington			1	1	1	1
Washington, D. C.	1	1			1	1
Wisconsin	8	8	4	4	12	12
Totals	91	91	92	92	183	183

Table No. 17—States and Territories Whence Members Were Admitted

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1920	Total to June 30, 1920
MALE	183	5020	5203
Arkansas		7	7
California		13	13
Colorado		23	23
Connecticut		1	1
Florida		3	3
Idaho		2	2
Illinois	21	143	164
Indiana	8	35	43
Indian Territory		2	2
Iowa	91	4365	4456
Kansas	1	64	65
Kentucky	1	2	3
Louisiana		3	3
Maine		4	4
Massachusetts ..	2	4	6
Michigan	3	13	16
Maryland	1	1	2
Missouri	6	57	63

Table No. 17—Continued

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	Since Opening of Home to June 30, 1920	Total to June 30, 1920
Minnesota		24	24
Mississippi		1	1
Montana		6	6
Nebraska	1	30	31
New Hampshire ..	1	1	2
New York	12	33	45
New Jersey	1	2	3
Ohio	9	49	58
Oklahoma		13	13
Oregon		6	6
Pennsylvania	7	17	24
Rhode Island		13	13
South Dakota		11	11
Tennessee		3	3
Texas		1	1
Unknown		2	2
Vermont	1	3	4
Virginia		1	1
West Virginia	3	1	4
Washington	1	2	3
Washington D. C.	1	3	4
Wisconsin	12	53	65
Wyoming		5	5
FEMALE	144	1008	1152
Iowa	138	960	1098
Arkansas	1	1	2
California		2	2
Illinois	1	8	9
Oklahoma		3	3
Nebraska		3	3
North Dakota		1	1
Minnesota	1	1	2
Michigan	1		1
Montana		7	7
Kansas		5	5
New York		3	3
Colorado		1	1
Missouri		7	7
Texas	1	1	2
Tennessee		1	1
Washington	1		1
New Mexico		2	2
Total	327	6028	6355

Table No. 18—Causes of Deaths of Members at Hospital
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919			For Year End- ing June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I General Diseases	22	10	32	14	4	18	36	14	50
Cancer of Bowels	3	2	5	3	2	5	6	4	10
Cancer of breast		1	1		1	1		2	2
Cancer of liver..	6	2	8	2		2	8	2	10
Cancer of mouth.	4		4	1		1	5		5
Cancer of neck and face.	3		3	2		2	5		5
Cancer of uteri..		1	1		1	1		2	2
Rheumatism	4		4				4		4
Tuberculosis of bowels	1		1	2		2	3		3
Tuberculosis, pulmonary ...	1	2	3	3		3	4	2	6
Irreducible hernia		2	2	1		1	1	2	3
II Diseases of nervous sys- tem	18	4	22	30	8	38	48	12	60
General paralysis	8	1	9	9	4	13	17	5	22
Cerebral soft- ening				4		4	4		4
Senile dementia	2	1	3	6	1	7	8	2	10
Senile gangrone	4		4	2		2	6		6
Senile debility..	4	2	6	9	3	12	13	5	18
III Diseases of cir- culatory sys- tem	22	13	35	33	6	39	55	19	74
Cerebral hem- orrhage	9	1	10	15		15	24	1	25
Hemorrhoids	5	5	10	2		2	7	5	12
Hypertrophy of heart....					1	1		1	1
Myocarditis ..	2		2	6	1	7	8	1	9
Pernicious anemia	1	2	3	4		4	5	2	7
Valvular dis- ease of the heart	4	5	9	5	3	8	9	8	17
Erysipelas ...	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
IV Disease of res- piratory sys- tem	8	2	10	3	5	8	11	7	18
Asthma	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Bronchitis		2	2	2	1	3	2	3	5
Pneumonia	7		7		3	3	7	3	10

Table No. 18—Continued

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919			For Year End- ing June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
V Diseases of di- gestive sys- tem	1	2	3				4	4	8
Acute digestion					2	2	4		4
Chronic diarrhea					1		1		1
Cirrhosis of liver	1	1	2					1	2
Gastritis					1	2	3	1	3
Hemorrhage of bowels					1	1			1
VI Diseases of the genito-urinary system	14	5	19				10	1	11
Chronic cystitis	3		3				3		3
Nephritis	3	1	4				3		3
Uremia	6	4	10				6	1	7
Diabetes	2		2		1		1		1
VII Accidental and suicidal	1						2	2	3
Drowning							1	1	1
Jumping out window	1								1
Fracture							1	1	1
Totals ...	86	36	122	94	30	124	180	66	246

Table No. 19—Ages of Members at Death

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919			For Year End- ing June 30, 1920			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years	2		2				2		2
50 and under 60 years				1	1	2	1	1	2
60 and under 70 years	2	3	5	3	2	1	5	5	10
70 and under 80 years	49	23	72	54	18	72	103	41	144
80 and under 90 years	29	10	39	33	8	41	62	18	80
90 and under 100 years	4		4	3	1	4	7	1	8
Totals	86	36	122	94	30	124	180	66	246

Table No. 20—Institutional Library Accessions
and Withdrawals of Books and Collections
For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920

Books purchased	283
Books donated by W. R. C.	283
Total	283
Books withdrawn	175
Books in Library June 30, 1920	1611

Table No. 21—Institutional Library Classes of Books Acquired
For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920

History	12
Biography	7
Travel	2
Religion	2
Fiction	260
Total	283

Table No. 22—Institutional Library Circulation of Books
For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920

Art	32
Biography	106
Essays and poetry	28
Fiction	11749
History	433
Science	34
Travel	167
Miscellaneous	98
Periodicals	842
Total Circulation	13489
Average monthly	
Population	719 13.24
Employes	148 5.6
Readers	149 1.8

Table No. 23—Financial Exhibit, Products of the Farm

Fruits	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919		For Year End- ing June 30, 1920		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Apples	106¼	212.50			106¼	212.50
Blackberries	36	10.80	244	97.60	280	108.40
Cherries	373	37.30	192	19.20	565	56.50
Currants	26	3.90	48	9.60	74	13.50
Grapes	160	12.80	5070	253.50	5230	266.30
Raspberries	48	14.40	50	20.00	98	34.40
Vegetables						
Asparagus	448	67.20	451	112.75	899	179.95
Beans, string	650	39.00	881	44.05	1531	83.05
Beets	41½	39.88	136½	136.50	178	176.38
Beets, green			279	13.50	270	13.50
Cabbage	13308	399.24	13715	685.75	27023	1084.99
Carrots	10½	10.50	42¾	42.62	53¼	53.12
Cauliflower	315	15.75	485	24.25	800	40.00
Celery	622	31.10			622	31.10
Corn, green	8860	177.20	4710	235.50	13570	412.70
Cucumbers	490	24.50	2265	113.25	2755	137.75
Lettuce	635	31.75	194	13.58	829	45.33
Melons	302	226.50			302	226.50
Muskmelons	35	3.50			35	3.50
Onions	1444	72.20	987	79.55	2431	151.72
Onions	147½	295.00	23½	47.00	171	342.00
Parsnips	59½	89.25			59½	89.25
Peas, green			303	30.30	303	30.30
Peppers	175	8.75	100	5.00	275	13.75
Potatoes, Irish	1822¾	2736.12	827½	1241.25	2650¼	3977.37
Pumpkins	1176	117.60			1176	117.60
Radishes	1396	69.80	567	53.95	1963	123.75
Rhubarb	3260	163.00	3298	205.76	6558	368.76
Squash	545	54.50	1308	130.80	1853	185.30
Tomatoes	282	303.50	270¾	270.75	552¾	574.25
Turnips	146	146.00	34	34.00	80	180.00
Turnips, green	180	9.00	184	9.20	364	18.20
Totals		5422.54		3929.21		9351.75

Table No. 24—Products of the Pens—Consumed

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919		For Year End- ing June 30, 1920		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Chicken, pounds	1203½	300.87	1328	392.30	2531½	693.17
Eggs, dozen	2643½	962.13	1419	574.12	4062½	1536.25
Totals		1263.00		966.42		2229.42

Table No. 25—Articles Manufactured

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1919		For Year End- ing June 30, 1920		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Aprons	6	3.09	66	75.22	72	78.31
Box covers	2	1.73	1	1.80	3	3.53
Bread sacks	18	11.07	21	15.77	39	26.84
Curtains	80	55.97	118	81.90	198	137.87
Dresses	27	64.84	25	77.83	52	142.67
Gowns	93	95.78	32	41.72	125	137.50
Night shirts	39	59.73			39	59.73
Petticoats	10	11.13	19	29.08	29	40.21
Pillow slips	435	149.14	399	167.30	834	316.44
Shrouds	10	46.50	12	56.10	22	102.60
Sheets	624	831.80	232	326.08	856	1157.88
Skirts	3	4.65	9	10.71	12	15.36
Table cloths	108	375.97	212	719.16	320	1095.13
Towels	572	108.09	502	114.36	1074	222.45
Waists	11	12.65	3	4.25	14	16.90
Mail bag	1	.45			1	.45
Kimona			1	1.05	1	1.05
Totals		1832.59		1722.33		3844.92

Table No. 26—Laundry Work Done
For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920

Sheets	230,000
Spreads	76,000
Pillow slips	242,000
Table cloths	218,000
Undershirts	116,000
Shirts	116,000
Drawers	116,000
Socks	75,000
Aprons	20,000
Towels, hand	50,000
Towels, roller	88,000
Towels, bath	62,000
Towels, barber	36,000
Hospital, clothes	215,000
Jackets	34,520
Overalls	47,200
Night shirts	14,200
Nurses' uniforms	1,418
Nurses' aprons	1,316
Handkerchiefs	9,176
Carpets	11,182
Blankets	19,420
Cushions	1,940
Trousers	3,200
Vests	580
Coats	720
Totals	1,804,872

Table No. 27—Bills of Fare—Main Dining Rooms
For Week Ending June 19, 1920

Breakfast—			
Meat for work- men (Bacon) ..	3 lbs.	.31	.93
Steamed pota- toes	2 bu.	1.504	3.01
Oatmeal	20 lbs.	.0524	1.05
Bread	48 lbs.	.05	2.40
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$18.87
Dinner—			
Boiled beef.....	132 lbs.	.1805	20.83
Mashed potatoes	3 bu.	1.504	4.51
Wax benas.....	48 cans	.63	31.00
Bread	53 lbs.	.05	2.65
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Pumpkin pies...	46 pies	.15	6.90
Total			\$76.85
Total cost for Sunday June 13, 1920.....			\$95.72
Breakfast—			
Meat for work- men	17 lbs.	.29	4.93
Fried potatoes..	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Oatmeal	20 lbs.	.0524	1.05
Bread	33 lbs.	.05	1.65
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.21
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$22.92
Dinner—			
Boiled beef.....	132 lbs.	.1805	20.83
Steamed pota- toes	2½ bu.	1.50	3.76
Macaroni	8 lbs.	.07	.56
Tomatoes	4 cans		3.21
Bread	39 lbs.	.05	1.95
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.21

Table No. 27—Continued

Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Total			\$44.32
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (accounted for).....			
Fried potatoes (accounted for)			
Milk toast (accounted for)...			
Bread	36 lbs.	.05	1.80
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.21
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$12.81
Total cost for Monday June 14, 1920.....			\$77.05
Breakfast—			
Meat stew (accounted for)...			
Oatmeal	20 lbs.	.0524	1.05
Bread	36 lbs.	.05	1.80
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$14.33
Dinner—			
Boiled eggs.....	42 doz	.36	15.12
Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Meat stew (accounted for)...			
Tomatoes, stewed	10 cans	.4008	4.00
Bread	36 lbs.	.05	1.80
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$35.64
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (accounted for)...			
Fried potatoes..	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Tomatoes, stewed			

Table No. 27—Continued

(accounted for)			
Peach sauce.....	11 cans	1.22	13.42
Bread	24 lbs.	.05	1.40
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$29.36
Total cost for Tuesday June 15, 1920.....			\$79.33
Breakfast—			
Boiled ham for workmen	10 lbs.	.29	2.90
Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Oatmeal (accounted for).....			
Bread	45 lbs.	.05	2.25
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$20.39
Dinner—			
Roast pork.....	132 lbs.	.262	34.58
Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Turnips	38 lbs.	.10	3.80
Bread (accounted for)			
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$53.10
Supper—			
Ham for workmen (accounted for)			
Fried potatoes.. (accounted for) ..			
Corn meal mush.	40 lbs.	.0405	1.62
Bread	45 lbs.	.05	2.25
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98

Table No. 27—Continued

Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$14.83
Total cost for Wednesday June 16, 1920.....			\$88.32
Breakfast—			
Meat hash (ac- counted for)...			
Fried potatoes..	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Oatmeal	20 lbs.	.0524	1.05
Bread	42 lbs.	.05	2.10
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$18.29
Dinner—			
Roast beef.....	132 lbs.	.1805	20.83
Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Stewed corn.....	42 cans	1.32	4.62
Bread	42 lbs.	.05	2.10
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$42.27
Supper—			
Meat for work- men (accounted for)			
Fried potatoes.. (accounted for)			
Meat hash (ac- counted for)...			
Tomatoes, stewed	9 cans	.408	3.67
Bread	33 lbs.	.05	1.65
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$16.28
Total cost for Thursday June 17th, 1920.....			\$76.84
Breakfast—			
Meat for work- men (accounted for)			

Table No. 27—Continued

Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Oatmeal	20 lbs.	.0524	1.05
Bread	36 lbs.	.05	1.80
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$18.09
Dinner—			
Boiled ham.....	100 lbs.	.29	29.00
Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Stewed beans...	48 cans	.65	31.20
Bread	36 lbs.	.05	1.80
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$77.22
Supper—			
Meat for work- men (accounted for)			
Fried potatoes..	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Stewed beans(ac- counted for)....			
Bread	33 lbs.	1.65	1.65
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Corn bread.....	10 pans	.75	7.50
Total			\$23.87
Total cost for Friday June 18, 1920.....			\$119.18
Breakfast—			
Ham for work- men (accounted for)			
Fried potatoes..	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Oatmeal	20 lbs.	.0524	1.05
Bread	36 lbs.	.05	1.80
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	8 lbs.	.28	2.24
Milk	100 lbs.	3.50	3.50
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$18.37

Table No. 27—Continued

Dinner—			
Boiled beef	132 lbs.	.1805	20.83
Steamed potatoes	2½ bu.	1.504	3.76
Steamed hominy.	18 lbs.	.0408	.73
Bread	30 lbs.	.05	1.50
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$37.78
Supper—			
Meat for work- men (accounted for)			
Fried potatoes (accounted for).			
Stewed hominy (accounted for)			
Apple sauce.....	11 cans	.542	5.96
Bread	33 lbs.	.05	1.65
Oleomargarine ..	13 lbs.	.34	4.42
Coffee	7 lbs.	.28	1.96
Tea	6 oz.	.42	.16
Milk	85 lbs.	3.50	2.98
Sugar	8 lbs.	.18	1.44
Total			\$18.57
Total cost for Saturday June 19, 1920			\$74.72

Table No. 28—Bill of Fare—Old Peoples' Building Dining-Rooms
Thanksgiving 1919

Dinner—			
Chickens, stewed	125 lbs.	\$.30	\$37.50
Potatoes, mashed	3 pecks	1.50	1.12
Peas, creamed..	36 cans	1.70	5.10
Slaw	10 lbs.	.05	.50
Vinegar	½ gallon	.26	.13
Biscuits, flour used	25 lbs.	.05	1.25
Baking powder..	2 lbs.	.12	.24
Mazola	2 lbs.	.22	.44
Pumpkin pie....	28 only	.15	4.20
Jelly (W. R. C.)	40 glasses		
Milk	30 lbs.	4.20	1.26
Coffee	4 lbs.	.24	.96
Bread	17 lbs.	.05	.85
Sugar	5 lbs.	11.32	.57
Salt	1 lb.	4.00	.01
Butter	5 lbs.	.681	3.41
Tea	4 oz.	.25	.06
Pepper	1 oz.	.33	.02
Syrup	1 gallon	1.27	1.27
Total cost for November 27, 1919			\$58.89

Bill of Fare—Hospital Dining-Rooms, Christmas, 1919

Breakfast—			
Oatmeal	14 lbs.	\$.05	\$.70
Bread	30 lbs.	.05	1.50
Eggs	1 dozen	.70	.70
Potatoes, fried..	1 bu.	1.50	1.50
Butter	8 lbs.	.68½	5.48
Milk	75 lbs.	4.20	3.15
Toast (accounted for)			
Coffee	3 lbs.	.24	.72
Sugar	5 lbs.	13.32	.67
Crackers	3 lbs.	.12¾	.38
Total			\$14.80
Dinner—			
Pork roast.....	70 lbs.	.25¾	18.03
Bread	40 lbs.	.05	2.00
Eggs	½ dozen	.70	.35
Gravy (accounted for)			
Butter	9 lbs.	.68½	6.17
Milk	100 lbs.	4.20	4.20
Oysters scalloped	24 cans	2.90	5.80
Coffee	3 lbs.	.24	.72

Table No. 28—Continued

Oysters	2 cans	2.90	.48
Potatoes mashed	1¼ bu	1.50	1.88
Crackers	7 lbs.	.12¾	.89
Sugar	5 lbs.	13.32	.67
Tomatoes canned	10 cans	5.15	4.30
Mince pie.....	35 only	.15	5.25
Apples, fresh....	180 only	26.00	4.68
Bananas	77 lbs.	.09	6.93
Total			\$63.35
Supper—			
Potatoes, fried (accounted for)			
Bread	30 lbs.	\$.05	\$1.50
Eggs	1 doz.	.70	.70
Jelly (accounted for)			
Butter	8 lbs.	.68½	5.48
Milk	75 lbs.	4.20	3.15
Peaches, canned (accounted for)			
Coffee	3 lbs.	.24	.72
Oysters	2 cans	2.90	.48
Toast (accounted for)			
Tea	1 lb.	.25	.25
Crackers	4 lbs.	.12¾	.51
Sugar	5 lbs.	13.32	.67
Total			\$13.46

Special Diet—Beef, beef broth, beef steak, baked potatoes, cocoa, corn starch pudding, custard, eggs, eggnog, oatmeal gruel, potato soup, thickened milk, toast, dry, milk and French.

Total cost for Dec- ember 25, 1919..			\$75.82
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Table No. 29—General Support Fund

Receipts	
Balance June 30, 1918	1492.11
Per capita, members	406683.87
Per capita, Civilians	33768.00
Posthumous fund	1961.36
Miscellaneous receipts	14182.30
Total	458087.64
Expenditures	
Salaries and wages	162621.24
Provisions	138982.71
Household stores	20842.15
Clothing	11415.41
Fuel and light	65369.97
Hospital supplies	13455.68
Shop, farm and garden	14541.32
Ordinary repairs	1022.47
Water and ice	8257.00
Postage and stationery	1806.97
Miscellaneous	12218.53
Balance June 30, 1920	7554.19
Total	458087.64

Table No. 30—Contingent—State and Posthumous Fund

	Contigent Fund	Salaries and wages	Miscellan- eous re- ceipts	Posthu- mous fund
June 1, 1918.....	1250.00			
June 1918.....	286.95	5634.48	470.01	
July 1918.....	84.18	5701.35	563.57	
August 1918.....	349.37	5791.47	701.80	
September 1918....	414.01	5666.21	265.56	
October 1918	575.21	5570.40	311.07	
November 1918....	310.27	5705.39	649.30	
December 1918	595.85	5939.77	497.43	
January 1919.....	589.80	5836.39	383.34	
February 1919.....	645.76	5759.52	1220.45	
March 1919.....	848.11	5994.65	1246.16	605.78
April 1919.....	446.87	6150.60	246.58	
May 1919.....	386.88	6368.99	598.46	
June 1919.....	290.85	6558.26	169.41	
July 1919.....	262.21	7875.00	918.45	
August 1919.....	159.94	7934.07	256.05	
September 1919....	446.77	7905.04	165.35	
October 1919.....	2349.71	7902.28	194.75	
November 1919....	432.70	7996.13	310.24	
December 1919....	1127.92	7978.27	1036.09	
January 1920.....	842.34	8066.99	298.81	
February 1920.....	540.84	7835.03	158.65	

Table No. 30—Continued

	Contigent Fund	Salaries and wages	Miscellaneous receipts	Posthumous fund
March 1920.....	452.56	7598.98	447.08	
April 1920.....	328.41	7500.57	270.14	
May 1920.....	498.52	7351.40	2803.55	1355.58
Totals	14525.03	162621.24	14182.30	1961.36
Expenditures on approved vouchers	14043.26	162621.24	14182.30	1961.36
Balance June 30, 1920	481.77			
Totals	14525.03	162621.24	14182.30	1961.36
Note: Balance contingent fund.....	481.77			
Vouchers paid but not reimbursed by state.....	768.23			
	\$1250.00			

Table No. 31—Movement of Cash—Settlement by Accountant Board of Control Office

Cash on hand, members' fund June 30, 1918			10210.64
Cash received, members, fund, biennial period...			86670.88
Checks outstanding			568.90
Total on hand and received			97450.42
By checks drawn and receipts given		85018.19	
Balance cash, members' fund, June 30, 1920....	11701.63		
Miscellaneous receipts	248.83		
Contingent fund...	481.77	12432.23	
Totals		97450.42	97450.42
Total number checks issued.....	983		

Table No. 32—Special Appropriations

Funds	Balance in State Treasury July 1918	Appropriated by General Assembly	Amount Expended during Period	Balance in State Treasury June 30, 1920
37th General assembly				
Contingent and repair	\$7554.57	\$25000.00	\$27167.68	\$5386.89
Boilers and stokers	14328.39		14328.39	
Passenger elevators	2490.55		2490.55	
Storm sewers.....	1000.00		25.00	975.00
Repairs on main building	1500.00		1500.00	
Store building.....	5000.00			5000.00
Addition to old peoples' building.	196.72		110.39	86.33
38th General assembly				
Lectures, books, amusements, etc...		700.00	334.10	365.90
Spur track		23000.00		23000.00
Totals	\$ 32070.23	\$48700.00	\$45956.11	\$34814.12

Table No. 33—Executive Council Appropriation

Credits		\$48209.33	
Expenditures			
Provisions	29035.86		
Fuel and light....	19173.47		
Totals	\$48209.33	\$48209.33	

Officials and Terms Since Establishment of Home

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russell	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard	1894 to 1898
C. L. Davidson	1895 to 1896
L. M. Morton	1895 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey	1897 to 1898

Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee	January 1, 1898 to February 14, 1900
John Cownie	January 1, 1898 to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne	January 1, 1898 to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson	March 2, 1900 to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton	April 17, 1906 to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade	October 1, 1909 to September 16, 1913
Murdoch Bannister	April 6, 1910 to April 30, 1913
W. J. Dixon	May 1, 1913 to July 1, 1917
J. H. McConlogge	October 6, 1913 to February 26, 1917
A. M. McColl	July 1, 1913 to date
W. D. Sheean	July 29, 1917 to date
J. H. Strief	July 1, 1917 to date
Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Milo Smith	December 1, 1887 to October 10, 1892
J. H. Keatly	October 10, 1892 to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin	September 22, 1894 to September 28, 1897
C. C. Horton	October 12, 1897 to April 1, 1916
B. C. Whitehill	April 1, 1916 to date
Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston	1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells	1889 to November 1894
Chas. L. Longley	November 1894 to August 1895
B. F. Warful	August 14, 1895 to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker	March 1903 to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson	September 15, 1907 to September 1, 1915
John C. Loper	September 1, 1915 to date
Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt	1887 to August 1895
Chas. L. Longley	August 14, 1895 to September 1897
B. A. Beeson	October 12, 1897 to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett	February 1, 1903 to November 1, 1918
Carl Shaffner	November 1, 1918 to date
Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters	1887 to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield	August 2, 1894 to May 1, 1918
G. A. Mershon	May 1, 1918 to date
Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival	Organization to 1890
City Ministers	1890 to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole	April 1, 1900 to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt	October 20, 1913 to November 1, 1919
Rev. W. H. Clement	November 1, 1919 to date

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, August 2, 1920

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my biennial report, covering the period beginning July 1, 1918 and ending June 30, 1920.

Since my last biennial report I notice a falling off of members admitted in the hospital; also a smaller percentage of deaths. Many have come to us hanging to life as it were by a thread and to prolong that life and make them comparatively comfortable seems worth while and is a joy.

There have been some changes in the hospital force during the last two years. Our esteemed Carl Shaffner was promoted to the quartermaster's office and Mr. Luther Boswell succeeded Mr. Shaffner in stewardship, who is very efficient in his work. C. S. Williams, our faithful and efficient pharmacist is still with us. Mrs. M. A. Shaffner is our efficient matron assisted by Mrs. Lettie Breckenridge. Dr. H. J. Whitehead, assistant surgeon, adds strength to the medical staff. He is a Marshalltown man and well known by the medical fraternity throughout the county, is well read and a successful physician.

In conclusion I congratulate you on being reappointed Commandant of the Home for another term and may it be gracefully successful. Through you I desire to thank Mr. Williams, Mr. Boswell, Mrs. Shaffner and Mrs. Breckenridge for their loyal support at all times. I also wish to thank you, Commandant Whitehill, your staff and the Honorable Board of Control for the many courtesies shown me.

Very respectfully submitted,

Geo. A. Mershon, M. D.,
Surgeon.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT
For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1920

Number cases treated in hospital	705
Number cases visited in quarters	1500
Number received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call)	16139
Number prescriptions written morning call (except Sunday)	3300
Highest number in hospital at one time, males	116
Highest number in hospital at one time, females	75
In hospital June 30, 1918, male	75
In hospital June 30, 1918, female	57
Average number in hospital, male	95
Average number in hospital, female	57
Died in the Home, Union soldiers	180
Died in Home, Spanish-American soldiers	6
Died in Home, Women	66
Died in Home, father of soldier	1
Died on furlough, Union soldiers	36
Died on furlough, Women	18
Average age of Union soldiers who died in home	78
Average age of Union soldiers who died on furlough	78
Average age of Spanish American soldiers who died in home	60
Age of father of soldier	96
Average age of women who died in Home	76
Average age of women who died on furlough	69
In hospital June 30, 1920, male	79
In hospital June 30, 1920, female	50

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Iowa Soldiers' Home, July 19, 1920

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

My report at the close of this biennium ending June 30th must of necessity, be brief.

My predecessor, Dr. H. O. Pratt, tendered his resignation to take effect Oct. 31, 1919 at which time my services as Chaplain of this Home began.

RELIGIOUS WORK

Only a few changes as to the hour of worship have been made as follows: Sunday morning Bible Class at ten o'clock, followed by preaching service at eleven o'clock. At six o'clock in the evening the social song and Gospel service is held. A midweek prayer and praise service is held at seven o'clock. All of these services have been well attended.

During the month of March three weeks of special evangelistic services were held by the chaplain. A few professed conversion, while many were revived and quickened in their religious experiences.

FINANCE

I find a spirit of liberality in all attending our services. To this end, fifty new singing books costing \$20.00 were purchased with money contributed. It was suggested that a church bell would remind many of the hours of worship. \$65.00 was soon subscribed and the bell purchased.

No communion services had been held because of the lack of an individual communion service. \$21.00 was contributed by members of the Home, and a handsome service secured and sixty-nine communed at first service.

MORTALITY

From November 1, 1919 to June 30, 1920 I have officiated at thirty-nine funerals all of which were buried with Military honors in the grounds at the Home.

PASTORAL AND SOCIAL WORK

Visitation of the sick at the hospital and at other buildings of the Home have been a pleasure more than a duty. Reading of the Scriptures with a prayer at the bedside of many has been a pleasure to me and in this work my wife has been especially helpful.

The excellent services rendered by our choir are worthy of note. They are all old people and members of the Home. Their music however is up-to-date.

With sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Commandant and the members of your official family, I respectfully submit this report.

W. H. Clement,
Chaplain.

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 1, 1922.

Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the eighteenth biennial report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the period ending June 30, 1922.

A decided decrease in membership will be noticed in the membership tables. The grim reaper has taken the same toll during this biennium, as he did in the same period preceding, 246 members; while the number admitted and readmitted show a decided loss.

While a greater part of the population is yet made up of Civil War veterans, their wives and widows, younger men of the Spanish War and of the regular army are increasing in numbers and we have taken care of several world war soldiers in the past two years. Of the latter, the United States Government is still taking care of the sick and disabled, but as fast as they are released, they will eventually find places in the state homes, and in a few years our membership will be made up largely of these men.

On account of the increase in government pensions, quite a number have left the Home, in an attempt to again support themselves outside. All Civil War veterans are now receiving \$50.00 a month, and not a few, an invalid pension of \$72.00.

During the summer months a large number leave the Home on short furloughs, but the fall and winter months find the buildings all filled with the exception of the men's quarters, which are not as crowded as formerly.

CONDITION OF MEMBERS

Each succeeding year makes great changes in the physical and mental condition of our members. Not only are a great percentage failing fast physically but mentally as well. The

latter are the most troublesome, and steps must be taken at once to provide some place to take care of these unfortunate ones. Those who become violent or troublesome have to be sent to hospitals for insane, but we have a great number who are in a senile condition and who must be taken care of the same as little children. These patients must be excluded from the sick and feeble members and arrangements must be made at once to fix over a part of the hospital for this class of patients.

SUPPORT FUND

The last legislature gave us great assistance by increasing our monthly per capita allowance to \$28.00 with a minimum of \$21,000.00 each month. Since this increase was granted we have, not only paid up all outstanding bills, but have been able to go ahead with improvements and changes that were much needed in all the buildings more especially the hospital. In this department, under the direction of Dr. Devine, new and more competent help has been employed, graduate nurses have been placed in charge of the wards, hot water food containers have been purchased so that the food may be delivered hot to the patients, dietary kitchens have been provided in each ward, new wire lockers for the safe keeping of each patient's clothing and effects have been purchased, electric fans have been installed in all the wards, and new window shades, painting etc., over the entire hospital. Mop boards, chair rails and window casings are being removed in all the wards, floors resurfaced, and the whole building changed into a sanitary and modern hospital.

In connection with this improvement we wish to express our appreciation of the aid given by the Women's Relief Corps of the state who have furnished the electric fans mentioned above, equipped all of the diet kitchens with electric stoves, utensils, dishes etc., and presented the home with an ambulance to be used in conveying our sick to and from the hospital and depots. They have also purchased drinking fountains and water coolers for the various buildings, provided bedside rugs in large numbers, quilts, comforters, etc., all of which is greatly appreciated by our members, and I wish to express our thanks to the ladies of this organization.

The local chapter of the Women's Relief Corps has also assisted in many ways for which they have our deepest appreciation, but their crowning achievement has been the placing of a monument dedicated to the Civil War soldiers on the grounds in front of the main building. This work was not accomplished without an extra amount of labor and persistence and these ladies are to be congratulated, and especially thanked for this beautiful addition to our grounds.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. Department of Iowa have also donated several electric fans for our hospital, for which we are truly thankful. We wish also to express our appreciation to all other organizations that have so kindly helped by gifts, canned fruits, jellies, candies, etc.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

The thirty-ninth general assembly gave the following special appropriation.

Contingent and repair -----\$45,000.00

Lectures, amusements, books, etc. ----- 2,000.00

Another high pressure boiler and stoker was added to our boiler house and we are now well supplied with boiler equipment for many years to come and for the first time in many years we went through the winter with plenty of heat in all the buildings. All steam pipes about the power house have been changed and renewed, and properly covered, thus making a great saving in steam.

Plumbing has been renewed in many places on the grounds, some buildings rebuilt, a new brick garage built for our ambulance, plastering and painting has been done in many of the buildings, in fact a general campaign of repairing has been conducted all over the institution.

Our hospital porches are in bad condition and State Architect Liebbe is now making specifications for this needed repair.

We are badly in need of a water softener at our laundry. We are forced to use water directly from the city mains which is a very hard water. Whenever fire pressure is put on these mains it is impossible to use the water for several hours afterward on account of the roily condition. A softener and filter would eliminate all this and enable our laundry to turn out the clothes in a clean and presentable condition. The use of

softeners and compounds not only injure the clothes, but is very expensive.

A coal storage is badly needed as we have had to store most of our coal out-of-doors, which not only necessitates re-handling, but causes it to deteriorate very fast during the summer months.

A new greenhouse will be needed before another year as the old one is in a very dilapidated condition and we will not be able to use it through another winter.

In summing up all of those needed repairs and the ones that are now unforeseen, we will need a contingent and repair fund of about \$40,000.00 for the coming two years, if we would properly keep up the property and buildings.

The appropriation of \$2,000.00 for the upkeep of our library, band, amusements, etc., should again be allowed as it is through these agencies that our members receive a great amount of pleasure during their declining days.

I am under obligations to the officers and employes of the Home for the loyal service rendered and I wish to thank the members of the board of control for many courtesies and kindly assistance.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

B. C. Whitehill,
Commandant.

Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1922.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1922.

I desire to thank you for courteous treatment extended to me, also by the officers and members of the institution.

Very respectfully,

John C. Loper,
Adjutant.

EIGHTEENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Members July 1st	622	471	1093	523	403	926	622	471	1093
Admitted for first time	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304
Readmitted	64	9	73	56	14	70	120	23	143
Totals	778	555	1333	657	476	1133	912	628	1540
Discharged	67	27	94	61	28	89	128	55	183
Dropped	109	69	178	50	47	97	159	116	275
Died	79	56	135	77	34	111	156	90	246
Totals	255	152	407	188	109	297	443	261	704
Members June 30th	523	403	926	469	367	836	469	367	836
Members present	357	249	606	312	217	529	312	217	529
Average present	389	271	660	360	264	624	374	268	642

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present						
Officers	5		5	5		5
Members	285	188	473	246	159	405
For duty	72	61	133	66	58	124
Sick in hospital						
Totals	377	249	606	312	217	529
Civilian employes	64	90	154	60	85	145
Totals	64	90	154	60	85	145
Absent with leave	166	154	320	157	150	307
Totals	166	154	320	157	150	307
Present and absent						
Officers	5		5	5		5
Members	523	403	926	469	367	836
Civilian employes	64	90	154	60	85	145
Totals	592	493	1085	534	452	986
Average daily population (Civilians included)	453	361	814	420	349	769

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TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White	89	74	163	78	59	137	167	133	300
Colored	3	1	4				3	1	4
Totals	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write	87	72	159	76	55	131	163	127	290
Unable to read and write	5	3	8	2	4	6	7	7	14
Totals	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
27 to 30 years				1		1	1		1
30 to 40 years	3		3				3		3
40 to 50 years	5		5	3	2	5	8	2	10
50 to 60 years	4	3	7	3	4	7	7	7	14
60 to 70 years	2	20	22		10	10	2	30	32
70 to 80 years	48	40	88	43	33	76	91	73	164
80 to 90 years	28	12	40	24	10	34	52	22	74
90 to 100 years	2		2	4		4	6		6
Totals	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304
Average ages	76	75		77	73		77	74	

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T
27 to 30 years (World War) -----	1		1
30 to 40 years -----	3	1	4
40 to 50 years -----	15	2	17
50 to 60 years -----	16	6	22
60 to 70 years -----	6	66	72
70 to 80 years -----	254	197	451
80 to 90 years -----	161	92	253
90 to 100 years -----	13	3	16
Totals -----	469	367	836
Average of Spanish-American soldiers -----			53
Average of men -----			78
Average of women -----			74
Average of world war -----			27

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921			For Year Ending June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant -----	87	74	161	75	59	134	162	133	295
Catholic -----	4	1	5	2		2	6	1	7
None -----	1		1	1		1	2		2
Totals -----	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921			For Year Ending June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single -----	11		11	5		5	16		16
Married -----	35	33	68	46	25	71	81	58	139
Widowed -----	40	42	82	25	34	59	65	76	141
Divorced -----	6		6	2		2	8		8
Totals -----	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304

TABLE NO. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921			For Year Ending June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born -----	85	73	158	70	53	123	155	126	281
New England states -----	2		2				2		2
Maine -----	2		2						
Middle states -----	17	17	34	17	11	28	34	28	62
New York -----	3	5	8	8	6	14	11	11	22
Pennsylvania -----	14	10	24	9	5	14	23	15	38
New Jersey -----		1	1					1	1
Washington, D. C. -----		1	1					1	1
Southern states -----	12	6	18	7	6	13	19	12	31
Missouri -----	2		2	2		3	4	1	5
Kentucky -----	3	2	5				3	2	5
West Virginia -----	1	2	3				1	2	3
Virginia -----	1	1	2	2		2	3	1	4
Tennessee -----	1		1				1		1
Maryland -----	2	1	3		1	1	2	2	4
Mississippi -----	1		1	3		3	4		4
North Carolina -----	1		1				1	2	3
Georgia -----						1	1	1	1
Louisiana -----						1	1	1	1
Northwest states -----	54	50	104	46	36	82	100	86	186
Illinois -----	11	10	21	4	5	9	15	15	30
Ohio -----	19	18	37	23	10	33	42	28	70
Indiana -----	7	12	19	8	11	19	15	23	38
Iowa -----	10	5	15	9	8	17	19	13	32
Michigan -----	2	1	3	1	2	3	3	3	6
Wisconsin -----	4	4	8	1		1	5	4	9
Minnesota -----	1		1				1		1
Foreign born -----	7	2	9	8	6	14	15	8	23
Holland -----								1	1
Norway -----		1	1						
England -----	2		2	1		1	3		3
Ireland -----				1		1	1		1
Canada -----	1		1	1	4	5	2	4	6
Germany -----	3	1	4	5	2	7	8	3	11
Sweden -----	1		1				1		1
Totals -----	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304

TABLE NO. 11—Continued.

OCCUPATION PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	Year ending June 30, 1920			Year ending June 30, 1921			Biennial period ending June 30, 1922			Since opening the Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
5 Iron and steel	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	187	187	187
6 Blacksmith	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	130	130	130
6 Leather	2	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	38	38	38
Saddler	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	41	41	41
7 Shoemaker	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	19	19	19
7 Metals other than iron	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
8 Jeweler	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
8 Paper and printing	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
8 Printer	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
9 Textiles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
10 Miscellaneous	10	10	10	6	6	6	16	16	16	1125	1125	1125
IV. Transportation	7	7	7	2	2	2	9	9	9	163	163	163
Engineer	4	4	4	2	2	2	6	6	6	6	6	6
Teamster	3	3	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	135	135	135
V. Professional	2	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	135	135	135
Minister	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1
Physician	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Teacher	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
VI. Domestic and personal	75	75	75	58	58	58	133	133	133	1388	1388	1388
Housekeeper	75	75	75	58	58	58	133	133	133	1388	1388	1388
Housewife	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	82	82	82
VII. Miscellaneous	92	92	92	78	78	78	170	170	170	304	304	304
Totals	92	92	92	167	167	167	304	304	304	304	304	304

TABLE NO. 12.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1922.

	Year ending June 30, 1921			Year ending June 30, 1922			Biennial period ending June 30, 1922			Remaining June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair	2	1	3	1	2	3	3	1	4	1	2	1
Adams				2	1	3	2	1	3	2	3	5
Allamakee										2	2	4
Appanoose		1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	4	5
Benton	1	1	2	5	1	6	6	2	8	8	4	12
Black Hawk	1	2	3	1	1	2	1	3	4	7	4	11
Boone	2	2	4		1	1	2	3	5	11	13	24
Bremer	2	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	8	1	9
Buchanan										1	1	2
Buena Vista										1	1	2
Butler	1		1				1		1	2	2	3
Calhoun										1	1	1
Carroll				1		1	1		1	3	3	6
Cass										2	1	3
Cedar										3	1	4
Cerro Gordo				1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Cherokee										2	1	2
Chickasaw	1		1				1		1	2	3	4
Clarke	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4
Clay	1		1						1	2	1	3
Clayton	1		1				1		1	4	2	6
Clinton	1	3	4				1	3	4	4	8	12
Crawford										2	2	4
Dallas		1	1		1	1		2	2	4	2	6
Davis				1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3
Decatur				1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	4
Delaware					1	1	1	1	1	10	2	12
Des Moines				1	1	2	1	1	2	3	2	5
Dickinson	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5
Dubuque	3	2	5	1	1	2	3	2	5	6	3	9
Emmet	1	1	2				1	1	2	3	1	4
Fayette		1	1				1	1	1	6	5	11
Floyd		1	1				1	1	1	1	1	2
Franklin					1	1		1	1	1	2	3
Fremont										2	2	2
Greene	1	2	3	2	2	4	3	4	7	7	5	12
Grundy	1	1	2				1	1	2	3	3	6
Guthrie	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4	5	1	6
Hamilton										1	1	1
Hancock										1	1	1
Hardin	2	1	3	1		1	3	1	4	6	2	8
Harrison	1	1	2		2	2	1	3	4	1	2	3
Henry										4	3	7
Howard										1	1	1
Humboldt										1	1	1
Ida										1	1	1
Iowa		1	1	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Jackson										2	1	3
Jasper	3	3	6	2	3	5	5	6	11	11	10	21
Jefferson				1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3
Johnson	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4	3	3	6
Jones	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	4	7
Keokuk	1		1				1		1	1	1	2
Kossuth	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2
Lee		1	1		3	3		4	4	2	10	12
Linn	6	2	8	6	4	10	12	6	18	22	14	36
Louisa	1	1	2				1	1	2	3	2	5
Lucas				1		1	1		1	1	1	1
Madison	1	1	2				1	1	2	13	14	27
Mahaska	6	1	7	5	3	8	11	4	15	17	1	18
Marion		2	2				1	2	3	5	5	10
Marshall	3	3	11	5	2	7	8	10	18	47	58	105
Mills										1	1	1
Mitchell				1		1			1	2	2	2
Monona										2	2	2
Monroe	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4	6	4	10

TABLE NO. 12—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1922.

	Year ending June 30, 1921			Year ending June 30, 1922			Biennial period ending June 30, 1922			Remaining June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Montgomery										4	1	5
Muscatine										9	8	17
O'Brien					1	1		1	1	3	1	4
Page										2	2	4
Palo Alto										1	2	3
Plymouth	1		1				1		1			
Pocahontas	1		1				1		1			
Polk	13	8	21	8	7	15	21	15	36	51	42	93
Pottawat-												
tamié	2	1	3		1	1	2	2		9	7	16
Poweshiek										2	1	3
Sac				1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Scott	1		1	2		2	3		3	8	5	13
Shelby	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3	4	2	6
Sioux										1		1
Story	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	5	6	4	10
Tama	3	2	5				3	2	5	4	5	9
Taylor										1	1	2
Union		1	1	2		2	2	1	3	4	4	8
Van Buren		2	2					2	2	3	3	6
Wapello	1	4	5	2	1	3	3	5	8	13	10	23
Warren	3		3				3		3			
Washington	1		1				1		1	5		5
Wayne				1	1	3	1	1	2	1	2	3
Webster				1		1	1		1	3	3	11
Winnebago					1	1		1	1	2	1	3
Winneshiek		1	1				1	1	1	2	2	2
Woodbury	1	4	5	3	3	6	4	7	11	10	8	18
Worth				1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	3
Wright	1		1	1		1	2		2	4	1	5
Other states	12	8	20	5	4	9	17	12	29	37	25	62
Totals	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304	469	367	836

TABLE NO. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921			For Year Ending June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair	11	1	12	3	1	4	14	2	16
Adams	9	4	13	2	1	3	11	5	16
Allamakee	25	6	31				26	6	31
Appanoose	42	10	52	1	2	3	43	12	55
Audubon	9	1	10				9	1	10
Benton	63	12	75	6	2	8	69	14	83
Black Hawk	93	21	114	1	3	4	94	24	118
Boone	81	22	103	2	3	5	83	25	108
Bremer	28	3	31	3		3	31	3	34
Buchanan	9	4	13				9	4	13
Buena Vista	33	8	41				33	8	41
Butler	30	3	33	1		1	31	3	34
Calhoun	20	7	27				20	7	27
Carroll	19	6	25	1		1	20	6	26
Cass	34	7	41				34	7	41
Cedar	30	6	36				30	6	36
Cerro Gordo	38	13	51	1	1	2	39	14	53
Cherokee	19	3	22				19	3	22

TABLE NO. 13—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921			For Year Ending June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Chickasaw	21	2	23	1		1	22	2	24
Clarke	19	5	24	1	2	3	20	7	27
Clay	11	3	14	1		1	12	3	15
Clayton	41	6	47	1		1	42	6	48
Clinton	116	15	131	1	3	4	117	18	135
Crawford	20	1	21				20	1	21
Dallas	45	12	57		2	2	45	14	59
Davis	15	1	16				15	1	16
Decatur	4	10	14	1		1	5	10	15
Delaware	25	5	30		1	1	25	6	31
Des Moines	82	14	96	1	1	2	83	15	98
Dickinson	6	3	9	2	1	3	8	4	12
Dubuque	118	12	130	3	2	5	121	14	135
Emmet	14	2	16	1	1	2	15	3	18
Fayette	72	18	90		1	1	72	19	91
Floyd	37	8	45		1	1	37	9	46
Franklin	33	5	38		1	1	33	6	39
Fremont	32	5	37				32	5	37
Greene	36	2	38	3	4	7	39	6	45
Grundy	14	7	21	1	1	2	15	8	23
Guthrie	33	5	38	3	1	4	36	6	42
Hamilton	37	7	44				37	7	44
Hancock	10	1	11				10	1	11
Hardin	67	13	80	3	1	4	70	14	84
Harrison	51	12	63	1	3	4	52	15	67
Henry	48	13	61				48	13	61
Howard	10		10				10		10
Humboldt	22	4	26				22	4	26
Ida	14	2	16				14	2	16
Iowa	19	5	24	1	1	2	20	6	26
Jackson	64	9	73				64	9	73
Jasper	81	17	98	5	6	11	86	23	109
Jefferson	22	4	26	1		1	23	4	27
Johnson	57	7	64	3	1	4	60	8	68
Jones	37	6	43	2	1	3	39	7	46
Keokuk	29	8	37	1		1	30	8	38
Kossuth	23	3	26	1	1	2	24	4	28
Lee	93	21	114		4	4	93	25	118
Linn	192	48	240	12	6	18	204	54	258
Louisia	35	8	43	1	1	2	36	9	45
Lucas	24	1	25	1		1	25	1	26
Lyons	9	1	10				9	1	10
Madison	21	4	25	1	1	2	22	5	27
Mahaska	132	28	170	11	4	15	143	32	185
Marion	69	8	77	1	2	3	70	10	80
Marshall	250	160	410	8	10	18	258	170	428
Mills	27	9	36				27	9	36
Mitchell	17		17	1		1	18		18
Monona	38	10	48				38	10	48
Monroe	27	7	34	3	1	4	30	8	38
Montgomery	32	9	41				32	9	41
Muscatine	98	21	119		1	1	98	22	120
O'Brien	20	6	26				20	6	26
Osecola	6		6				6		6
Page	24		24				24		24
Palo Alto	10	6	16				10	6	16
Plymouth	25	2	27	1		1	26	2	28
Pocahontas	17	6	23	1		1	18	6	24
Polk	472	134	606	22	15	37	494	149	643

TABLE NO. 13—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Pottawattamie	117	24	141	2	2	4	119	26	145
Poweshiek	57	16	73				57	16	73
Ringgold	21	1	22				21	1	22
Sac	23	4	27	1	1	2	24	5	29
Scott	153	27	180	3		3	156	27	183
Shelby	13	4	17	1	2	3	14	6	20
Sioux	49	8	57				49	8	57
Story	66	16	82	3	2	5	69	18	87
Tama	32	9	41	3	2	5	35	11	46
Taylor	31	6	37				31	6	37
Union	36	8	44	2	1	3	38	9	47
Van Buren	116	22	138				116	24	140
Wapello	55	11	66	3	5	8	58	16	74
Warren	23	7	30	3		3	26	7	33
Washington	28	3	31	1		1	29	3	32
Wayne	67	5	72	1	1	2	68	6	74
Webster	19	4	23	1		1	20	4	24
Winnebuck	94	9	103		1	1	94	10	104
Winnebago	10	2	12		1	1	10	3	13
Woodbury	30	15	45	4	7	11	34	22	56
Worth	18	5	23	1	1	2	19	6	25
Wright	9	3	12	2		2	11	3	14
Other states	134	47	181	17	12	29	151	59	210
Washington, D. C.	1		1				1		1
National Homes	24		24				24		24
Totals	1842	1142	2984	170	134	304	1502	1276	2778

TABLE NO. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Villages and towns	47	30	77	37	30	67	84	60	144
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000	2	5	7	5	3	8	7	8	15
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000	11	14	25	15	9	24	26	23	49
Cities of 25,000 and over	20	18	38	16	13	29	36	31	67
Other states	12	8	20	5	4	9	17	12	29
Totals	92	75	167	78	59	137	170	134	304

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Albia				1		1	1		1
Ames	1		1				1		1
Chariton		1	1					1	1
Chariton				1		1	1		1
Estherville		1	1					1	1
Fairfield				1		1	1		1
Keokuk		1	1					1	1
Newton	1	2	3	2	2	4	3	4	7
Perry					1	1		1	1
Totals	2	5	7	5	3	8	7	8	15

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone	1	2	3		1	1	1		4
Burlington				1		1	1		1
Centerville		2	2					2	2
Fort Dodge				1		1	1		1
Fort Madison				2		4	2		4
Iowa City	1		1	2	1	3	2	1	4
Mason City				2	1	1		1	1
Marshalltown	4	6	10	2	1	5	6	7	13
Mount Pleasant				1		1	1		1
Oskaloosa	5	1	6	5	2	7	10	3	13
Ottumwa		3	3	1	1	2	1	4	5
Totals	11	14	25	15	9	24	26	23	49

III. Cities of 25,000 and over.

Cedar Rapids	5	2	7	4	2	6	9	4	13
Clinton	1	3	4				1	3	4
Council Bluffs		1	1		1	1		2	2
Davenport				3		3	3		3
Des Moines	11	5	17	6	7	13	17	13	20
Dubuque	1	2	3				1	2	3
Sioux City	1	3	4	3	2	5	4	5	9
Waterloo	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3
Totals	20	18	38	16	13	29	36	31	67

TABLE NO. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

I. WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921		For Year End- ing June 30, 1922		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
Civil War	77	77	70	70	147	147
Spanish-American	11	11	6	6	17	17
U. S. Marines	1	1	1	1	2	2
Indian War	1	1			1	1
World War	2	2	1	1	3	3
Totals	92	92	78	78	170	170

II. DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	M	T	M	T	M	T
Spanish-American	11	11	6	6	17	17
U. S. Volunteer	81	81	72	72	153	153
Totals	92	92	78	78	170	170

III. BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	M	T	M	T	M	T
Infantry	74	74	60	60	134	134
Cavalry	12	12	15	15	27	27
Artillery	4	4	2	2	6	6
Engineers	1	1			1	1
U. S. Marines	1	1	1	1	2	2
Totals	92	92	78	78	170	170

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921		For Year End- ing June 30, 1922		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
Arkansas	1	1			1	1
Illinois	18	18	11	11	29	29
Indiana	2	2	1	1	3	3
Iowa	41	41	38	38	79	79
Kansas	2	2			2	2
Massachusetts			1	1	1	1
Maryland	2	2			2	2
Michigan	2	2	2	2	4	4
Minnesota			1	1	1	1
Missouri			1	1	1	1
New Hampshire	1	1			1	1
Nebraska	3	3	2	2	5	5
New York	7	7	5	5	12	12
Ohio	5	5	7	7	12	12
Pennsylvania	2	2	3	3	5	5
Tennessee			1	1	1	1
Texas	1	1			1	1
West Virginia	1	1	1	1	2	2
Wisconsin	4	4	4	4	8	8
Totals	92	92	78	78	170	170

TABLE NO. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHERE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
MALE	170	5205	5375
Arkansas		7	7
California	2	13	15
Colorado	3	23	26
Connecticut		1	1
Florida		3	3
Idaho	1	2	3
Illinois	1	164	165
Indiana		43	43
Indian Territory		2	2
Iowa	156	4456	4612
Kansas	2	65	67
Kentucky		3	3
Louisiana		3	3
Maine		4	4
Massachusetts		6	6
Michigan		16	16
Maryland		2	2
Missouri		63	63
Minnesota		24	24
Mississippi		1	1
Montana	2	6	8
Nebraska	1	31	32
New Hampshire		2	2
New York		45	45
New Jersey		3	3
Ohio		58	58
Oklahoma		13	13
Oregon		6	6
Pennsylvania		24	24
Rhode Island		13	13
South Dakota		11	11
Tennessee		3	3
Texas		1	1
Vermont		4	4
Virginia		1	1
West Virginia		4	4
Washington		3	3
Washington, D. C.	1	4	5
Wisconsin		65	65
Wyoming		5	5
Unknown	1	2	3
FEMALE	134	1150	1284
Iowa	123	1098	1221
Arkansas		2	2
California		2	2
Illinois	1	3	10
Oklahoma	1	3	4
Nebraska	1	3	4
North Dakota		1	1
Minnesota	1	2	3
Michigan		1	1
Montana		7	7
Kansas	2	5	7
New York		1	2
Colorado	1	7	9
Missouri	2	2	2
Texas		1	1
Tennessee		1	1
Washington		1	1
Massachusetts			3
Totals	304	6355	6659

TABLE NO. 18.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF MEMBERS AT HOSPITAL.

(Compiled by Surgeon.)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. General diseases	4	7	11	3	4	7	7	11	18
Cancer of bladder		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Cancer of breast		2	2		1	1		3	3
Cancer of liver		2	2	1		1	1	2	3
Cancer of mouth	1								1
Cancer of eye and face	1		1				1		1
Cancer of stomach		1	1					1	1
Rheumatism	1	1	2		2	2	1	3	4
Tuberculosis of bowels				1		1	1		1
Tuberculosis of pulmonary	1		1				1		1
Irreducible hernia					1	1		1	1
II. Disease of nervous system	29	17	46	21	14	35	50	31	81
Locomotor ataxia	1		1				1		1
General paralysis	4	3	7	7	2	9	11	5	16
Angina pectoris	4	1	5	1		1	5	1	6
Cerebral softening	1	5	6	2	1	3	3	6	9
Senile dementia	5		5	3	4	7	8	4	12
Senile gangrene	5	1	6	2		2	7	1	8
Senile debility	9	7	16	5	7	12	14	14	28
Bolbar paralysis				1		1	1		1
III. Disease of circulatory system	24	6	30	22	8	30	46	14	60
Arterio-sclerosis	6		6	5		5	11		11
Cerebral hemorrhage	7	4	11	4	3	7	11	7	18
Hemorrhoids									
Hypertrophy of heart	2		2	2		2	4		4
Pulmonary apoplexy		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Pernicious anemia	1	1	2		2	2	1	3	4
Valvular disease of heart	8		8	10	3	13	18	3	21
Erysipelas									
IV. Disease of respiratory system	2	6	8	3		3	5	6	11
Asthma	1		1				1		1
Influenza		1	1					1	1
Bronchitis, chronic	1	1	2	2		2	3	1	4
Pneumonia		4	4			1	1	4	5
V. Disease of digestive system		1	1	2		2	2	1	3
Cirrhosis of liver		1	1			1	1	1	2
Chronic indigestion				1		1	1		1
VI. Disease of the genito-urinary system	3	5	8	9	2	11	12	7	19
Chronic cystitis		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Nephritis		2	2	4	2	6	4	4	8
Uremia		1	1	2		2	2	1	3
Diabetes	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3
Prostatic disease	2		2	1		1	3		3
VII. Accidental and suicidal	1		1				1		1
VIII. Blood poison	2		2				2		2
IX. Fracture	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4
Tota's	67	42	109	61	29	90	138	71	199

TABLE NO. 19.

AGES OF MEMBERS AT DEATH.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921			For Year End- ing June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
40 and under 50 years									
50 and under 60 years	1	1	2	1	2	3	2	3	5
60 and under 70 years	1	10	11		3	3	1	13	14
70 and under 80 years	46	30	70	41	18	59	81	48	129
80 and under 90 years	21	14	45	30	5	39	61	23	84
90 and under 100 years	7		8	4	2	6	11	3	14
Tota's	80	56	136	76	34	110	156	90	246

TABLE NO. 20.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922.

Books purchased—Library fund	105
Books donated—Women's Relief Corps	25
Books donated—Members	55
Total	185
Books withdrawn	85
Books in library June 30, 1922	1711

TABLE NO. 21.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922.

Fiction	185
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TABLE NO. 22.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922.

Art	9
Biography	51
Essays and poetry	13
Fiction	11722
History	202
Science	22
Travel	48
Miscellaneous	83
Periodicals	580
TOTAL CIRCULATION	12730
Average monthly population	656 6-24
Average monthly employes	152 16-24
Average monthly readers	140 19-24

TABLE NO. 23.
FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.
PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921		For Year Ending June 30, 1922		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1923	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
	Fruits					
Apples	Bu. 145½	\$ 291.00			145½	\$ 291.00
Blackberries	Qts. 182½	57.60			182½	57.60
Cherries	Qts.		28	2.80	28	2.80
Currants	Qts.		44	11.00	44	11.00
Grapes	Lbs. 394½	197.26	384½	192.25	7789	389.45
Raspberries	Lbs. 5	3.60	4	1.60	13	5.20
Vegetables	Qts.					
Asparagus	Lbs. 149	22.35	151	27.15	330	49.50
Beans, string	Lbs. 826	46.28	455	36.40	1281	82.68
Beets, greens	Lbs. 76	5.32	240	12.00	316	17.32
Beets	Bu. 83	83.00	70	70.00	153	153.00
Cabbage	Lbs. 16697	500.91	9015	270.45	25712	771.36
Carrots	Bu. 50	50.00	64	64.00	114	114.00
Catsup	Doz. 38	55.10	48	55.84	86	110.94
Cauliflower	Lbs. 645	32.25	450	22.50	1095	54.75
Chard	Lbs. 285	28.50	300	30.00	585	58.50
Corn, green	Lbs. 4009	200.45	4607	230.35	8616	430.80
Cucumbers	Lbs. 2700	60.50	5226	104.52	7926	165.02
Kohlrabi	Bu. 9		9	11.25	9	11.25
Lettuce	Lbs. 688	37.86	879	65.20	1567	103.06
Melons	Lbs. 9200	276.00			9200	276.00
Onions	Bu. 65¾	131.34	35¼	70.50	100 11-12	201.84
Onions	Lbs. 1729	112.25	1450	72.50	3179	184.75
Parsnips	Bu. 12	18.00	13¼	19.88	25¼	37.88
Peas	Lbs. 345	27.60	360	29.80	695	48.40
Peppers	Lbs. 240	12.00	150	6.50	370	18.50
Pickles	Gal. 44	14.96	148½	50.49	192¼	65.45
Potatoes	Bu. 1124¾	1687.13	470	705.00	1594¾	2392.13
Pumpkins	No. 669	66.90			669	66.90
Radishes	Lbs. 1155	67.85	559	27.95	1714	85.80
Rhubarb	Lbs. 6155	320.75	4293	214.65	10448	535.40
Rutabagas	Bu. 15		15	15.00	15	15.00
Sauerkraut	Gal. 432	216.00			432	216.00
Squash	No. 506	60.72	329	32.90	835	83.62
Sweet potatoes	Lbs. 2275	163.75	2275	163.75	2275	163.75
Tomatoes	Bu. 265	265.00	348¼	348.25	613¼	613.25
Turnips	Bu. 51	51.00	30	30.00	81	81.00
Totals		\$ 4999.42		\$ 2985.48		\$ 7984.90

TABLE NO. 24.

PRODUCT OF THE PENS—CONSUMED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921		For Year Ending June 30, 1922		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1923	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
	Chickens	Lbs. 487¼	\$ 147.18	346½	\$ 103.95	833¾	$ 251.13
Eggs	Doz. 390½	235.23	260½	77.30	651	312.53
Mutton	Lbs. 506	83.49			506	83.49
Pork, fresh	Lbs. 8314	1168.45	6192	826.35	14506	1994.80
Totals		\$ 1634.35		\$ 1007.60		\$ 2641.95

TABLE NO. 25.

ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1921		For Year Ending June 30, 1922		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
	Awnings			4	\$ 9.59	4	$ 9.59
Bread cloths	8	\$ 10.95			8	10.95
Bread sacks	7	1.40	21	16.21	28	17.61
Drop cloth			1	8.35	1	8.35
Table cloths	153	341.56	184	390.65	337	672.21
Box covers	2	6.53	2	6.51	4	13.07
Couch covers	1	5.15	1	4.25	2	9.40
Dresser covers	13	3.19			12	3.19
Mattress covers	2	1.67			2	1.67
Wardrobe covers	1	4.60			1	4.60
Curtains	99	151.88	130	176.58	229	328.46
Floor cloths	2	1.05			2	1.05
Pillow cases	961	407.80	995	431.42	1956	839.22
Sheets	662	756.48	685	665.36	1347	1421.84
Soap	Lbs. 2450	122.50	2450	122.50	4900	245.00
Towels	Lbs. 617	123.09	501	121.42	1118	244.51
CLOTHING						
Aprons	54	86.80	21	25.72	75	112.52
Burial shrouds	15	66.09	5	22.45	20	88.54
Burial skirts	6	4.38			6	4.38
Dresses	5	15.55	9	38.33	14	53.88
Gowns	9	15.53	15	22.82	24	38.35
Nightgowns	80	165.56	76	113.13	156	278.69
Kimonas			1	1.50	1	1.50
Skirts	7	9.71	15	17.41	22	27.12
Underskirts			2	2.51	2	2.51
Waists			1	1.41	1	1.41
Totals		\$ 2301.47		\$ 2138.15		\$ 4439.62

TABLE NO. 26.

LAUNDRY WORK DONE FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1923.

Sheets	200,000
Spreads	58,000
Pillow slips	222,000
Table cloths	121,000
Undershirts	58,000
Shirts	60,000
Drawers	58,000
Socks	60,000
Aprons	20,000
Hand towels	50,000
Roller towels	42,000
Bath towels	50,000
Barber towels	25,000
Hospital cloths	112,000
Jackets	43,000
Overalls	52,000
Night shirts	10,000
Nurses' uniforms	1,040
Nurses' aprons	900
Handkerchiefs	600
Carpets	300
Blankets	20,000
Cushions	1,000
Trousers	1,200
Vests	250
Coats	500
Lace curtains	700
Totals	1,267,990

TABLE NO. 27.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Pork roast	100 pounds	\$.182	\$ 18.20
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.029	.58
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Steamed potatoes (Accounted for)			
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Bread	8 pounds	.05	.40
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 28.51
Dinner—			
Roast	100 pounds	.182	18.20
Mashed potatoes	2 bushel	1.50	3.00
Tomatoes	12 cans	1.50	1.50
Pumpkin pies	36 only	.25	9.00
Rice	15 pounds	.0556	.84
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Bread	8 pounds	.05	.40
Total			\$ 40.37
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Prunes	8 pounds	.11	.88
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 10.71
Total cost for Sunday June 4, 1922			\$ 79.59

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Bacon for workmen	6 pounds	.212	1.27
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Plum butter	5 cans	1.52	7.60
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.029	.58
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Bread	8 pounds	.05	.40
Syrup	2 gallons	.3134	.64
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 16.44
Dinner—			
Roast beef	100 pounds	.127	12.70
Vegetable soup (Accounted for)			
Potatoes steamed	2 bushels	1.50	3.00
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Syrup	2 gallons	.3134	.64
Plum butter	2 cans	1.52	3.04
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 27.31
Supper—			
Beef (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Pudding, tapioca	15 pounds	.095	1.43
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Raisins	5 pounds	.17	.85
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Bread	8 pounds	.05	.40
Total			\$ 11.17
Total cost for Monday June 5, 1922			\$ 54.92

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Biscuits (Accounted for)			
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 9.88
Dinner—			
Bacon	70 pounds	.212	14.84
Potatoes	2 bushels	1.50	3.00
Lima beans	30 pounds	.10	3.00
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 30.67
Supper—			
Baked potatoes (Accounted for)			
Pie plant	150 pounds	.05	7.50
Bacon for workmen (Accounted for)			
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread	8 pounds	.05	.40
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Plum butter	2 cans	1.52	3.04
Total			\$ 20.27
Total cost for Tuesday June 6, 1922			\$ 60.77

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Biscuits	21 dozen	.15	3.15
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Hash (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.029	.58
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Bread	9 pounds	.05	.45
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 13.51
Dinner—			
Pork roast	100 pounds	.182	18.20
Pork broth with potatoes	2½ bushel	1.50	3.75
Beans, string	14 cans	6.49	7.57
Rhubarb sauce (Accounted for)			
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Radishes	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Onions	65 pounds	.05	3.25
Total			\$ 44.10
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Mush, meal used	40 pounds	.014	.56
Milk	60 pounds	.0248	1.49
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread	8 pounds	.05	.40
Radishes (Accounted for)			
Onions (Accounted for)			
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	1 ounce	.16	.01
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Syrup	2 gallons	.31¼	.64
Total			\$ 11.67
Total cost for Wednesday June 7, 1922			\$ 69.28

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen ----- (Accounted for)			
Potatoes ----- (Accounted for)			
Mush fried ----- (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal -----	20 pounds	.029	.58
Sugar -----	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Butter -----	15 pounds	.3316	3.98
Milk -----	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea -----	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper -----	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt -----	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total -----			\$ 9.41
Dinner—			
Boiled beef -----	100 pounds	.127	12.70
Potatoes with broth -----	2 bushel	1.50	3.00
Hominy -----	13 cans	.37½	4.88
String beans ----- (Accounted for)			
Radishes and onions ----- (Accounted for)			
Sugar -----	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Butter -----	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea -----	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper -----	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt -----	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total -----			\$ 29.57
Supper—			
Meat for workmen ----- (Accounted for)			
Potatoes ----- (Accounted for)			
Sweet buns ----- (Accounted for)			
Eggs -----	6 dozen	.24	1.44
Milk -----	40 pounds	.0248	.99
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.0593	1.19
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Butter -----	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Tea -----	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper -----	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt -----	1 ounce	.02	.01
Syrup -----	2 gallon	.31½	.64
Total -----			11.77
Total cost for Thursday June 8, 1922 -----			\$ 50.75

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen ----- (Accounted for)			
Hash ----- (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal -----	20 pounds	.029	.58
Sugar -----	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Milk -----	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Butter -----	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea -----	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper -----	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt -----	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total -----			\$ 10.41
Dinner—			
Boiled beef -----	100 pounds	.127	12.70
Soup, beans -----	40 pounds	.0663	2.65
Bacon -----	5 pounds	.212	1.05
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.0593	1.19
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Butter -----	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Gravy ----- (Accounted for)			
Rhubarb sauce ----- (Accounted for)			
Total -----			\$ 24.99
Supper—			
Meat for workmen ----- (Accounted for)			
Corn bread ----- (Accounted for)			
Potatoes ----- (Accounted for)			
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.0593	1.19
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Butter -----	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Milk -----	65 pounds	.0248	1.61
Bread -----	8 pounds	.05	.40
Tea -----	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper -----	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt -----	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total -----			\$ 10.21
Total cost for Friday June 9, 1922 -----			\$ 45.60

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1922.

Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.029	.58
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Syrup	3 gallons	.31¼	.95
Total			\$ 10.39
Dinner—			
Boiled beef	100 pounds	.127	12.70
Potatoes mashed	2 bushels	1.50	3.00
Tomatoes	24 cans	1.50	3.00
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.19	1.90
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Total			\$ 27.69
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Sugar	25 pounds	.0593	1.48
Butter	15 pounds	.3316	4.98
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Prunes	12 pounds	.11	1.32
Milk	34 pounds	.0248	.84
Tea	5 ounces	.33	.10
Pepper	2 ounces	.16	.02
Salt	1 ounce	.02	.01
Peaches for pies	8 cans	.50	4.00
Apples	5 cans	.51¼	2.56
Total			\$ 15.81
Total cost for Saturday June 10, 1922			
			\$ 53.89

TABLE NO. 28.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S BUILDING DINING-ROOMS
THANKSGIVING 1921

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Dinner—			
Chicken Stewed	140 pounds	.30	42.00
Potatoes mashed	1 bushel	1.76	1.76
Sweet potatoes	2 bushels	2.00	4.00
Cheese	12 pounds	.22	2.64
Oysters	2¾ gallons	1.75	4.82
Crackers	18 pounds	.084	1.52
Cranberries	20 pounds	.195	3.90
Pickles	3 gallons	.34	1.02
Biscuits, flour used	25 pounds	.05	1.25
Baking powder	1 pound	.115	.12
Lard	3 pounds	.20	.50
Milk	65 pounds	.0248	1.62
Sugar	6 pounds	.0606	.37
Bread	15 pounds	.05	.75
Coffee	2 pounds	.175	.35
Butter	6 pounds	.425	2.55
Tea	3 ounces	.37	.06
Total cost for dinner November 24, 1921			\$ 69.33

TABLE NO. 28—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1921

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1921	For Year End- ing June 30, 1922	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1922
Breakfast—			
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.03	.45
Potatoes fried	1 bushel	1.50	1.50
Toast			
(Accounted for)			
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter	10 pounds	.416	4.16
Coffee	5 pounds	.187	.94
Crackers	3 pounds	.084	.25
Eggs	2 dozen	.48	.96
Milk	125 pounds	.0248	3.10
Sugar	6 pounds	.0606	.37
Total			\$ 13.23
Dinner—			
Pork roast	80 pounds	.194	15.52
Potatoes mashed	1 bushel	1.50	1.50
Tomatoes escalloped	19 cans	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.37
Cabbage slaw	40 pounds	.02	.80
Noodle soup			
(Accounted for)			
Cranberries	22 pounds	.195	4.29
Cheese	7 pounds	.22	1.54
Celery	10 pounds	.15	1.50
Pickles			
(Accounted for)			
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter	10 pounds	.416	4.16
Coffee	5 pounds	.187	.94
Crackers	7 pounds	.084	.59
Eggs	2 dozen	.48	.96
Milk	175 pounds	.0248	4.34
Sugar	6 pounds	.0606	.37
Totals			\$ 40.38
Supper—			
Oyster soup	4 gallons	1.50	6.00
Cookies	8 pounds	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.00
Cold sliced pork			
(Accounted for)			
Toast			
(Accounted for)			
Tea	1 pound	.33	.33
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter	10 pounds	.416	4.16
Coffee	5 pounds	.187	.94
Crackers	4 pounds	.084	.34
Eggs	2 dozen	.48	.96
Milk	125 pounds	.0248	3.10
Sugar	6 pounds	.0606	.37
Total			\$ 18.70

Special diet—beef steak, beef broth, baked potatoes, cocoa, corn starch pudding, custard, eggs, eggnog, oatmeal gruel, potato soup, thickened milk; toast, dry, milk and french.

Total cost for Sunday

December 25, 1921

\$ 72.31

TABLE NO. 29.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND

Receipts—	
Balance June 30, 1920	7554.19
Per capita, members	494803.22
Per capita, civilians	45688.91
Posthumous fund	3064.47
Miscellaneous receipts	11393.47
Deficiency appropriation 39th G. A.	13597.17
Total	\$ 576101.43
Expenditures—	
Salaries and wages	250251.32
Provisions	150275.62
Household stores	18444.46
Clothing	6659.17
Fuel and light	99730.62
Hospital supplies	5367.83
Shop, farm and garden	17668.23
Ordinary repairs	1331.34
Water and ice	6870.74
Postage and stationery	3319.74
Miscellaneous	11469.77
Balance June 30, 1922	4712.59
Total	\$ 576101.43

TABLE NO. 30.

CONTINGENT STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUND

	Contingent Fund	Salaries and Wages	Miscellaneous Receipts	Posthumous Fund
June 1, 1920.....	1250.00			
June 1920.....	275.25	7487.83	248.83	
July 1920.....	213.67	9390.49	770.04	
August 1920.....	1217.02	9403.34	245.97	1668.76
September 1920.....	535.44	9805.89	1530.89	
October 1920.....	471.51	9928.13	325.72	
November 1920.....	856.90	10161.74	341.04	
December 1920.....	421.57	10261.05	148.19	
January 1921.....	506.51	10387.31	376.30	
February 1921.....	149.63	10391.60	175.83	
March 1921.....	550.05	10525.31	528.18	
April 1921.....	281.22	10491.43	270.51	
May 1921.....	238.09	10641.65	327.60	
June 1921.....	286.34	10927.10	215.95	
July 1921.....	394.84	11013.36	273.13	
August 1921.....	334.80	11160.01	237.23	
September 1921.....	143.09	11147.77	155.89	1395.71
October 1921.....	258.63	11150.84	914.44	
November 1921.....	447.38	11195.92	135.00	
December 1921.....	445.29	11141.25	564.22	
January 1922.....	832.46	11085.18	597.65	
February 1922.....	575.24	11043.41	1514.00	
March 1922.....	809.33	10644.07	304.97	
April 1922.....	87.99	10420.76	212.87	
May 1922.....	299.82	10435.88	979.02	
Totals	12032.10	250251.32	11393.47	3064.47
Expenditures on approved vouchers.....	11080.57	250251.32	11393.47	3064.47
Balance June 30, 1922.....	951.53			
Totals	12032.10	250251.32	11393.47	3064.47
Note: Balance contingent fund.....	951.53			
Vouchers paid but not reimbursed by state.....	298.47			
\$ 1250.00				

TABLE NO. 31.

MOVEMENT OF CASH
Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office.

Cash on hand, Members fund			
June 30, 1920.....			12432.23
Cash received, Members fund biennial period.....			108643.58
By checks drawn and receipts given.....		108112.62	
Balance July 1, 1922.....	12211.02		
Miscellaneous receipts.....	130.80		
Contingent fund.....	621.37	12963.19	
Total		121075.81	121075.81
Total number checks issued.....	883		

(Note)
Amount placed at interest in Marshalltown banks to members' credit **\$12,731.86.**

TABLE NO. 32.
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

FUNDS.	Balances in state Treasury July 1st 1920	Appropriated by 39th General Assembly	Transferred from other funds.	Amount expended during period	Transferred	Balance July 1st 1922
Contingent and repair.....	\$ 5386.89	\$ 45000.00	\$ 975.00 from storm sewer fund	\$ 32584.81		\$ 18777.08
Storm sewer.....	975.00			86.33 918.10	975.00 To C. & R. fund	1447.80
Addition to old peoples' building - Lectures, books, amusements, etc - Spur track.....	86.33 365.90 23000.00	2000.00			23000.00 Returned to General fund 5000.00 Returned to General fund	
Store building.....	5000.00					
Totals	\$ 34814.12	\$ 47000.00	\$ 975.00	\$ 33589.94	\$ 28975.00	\$ 20224.88

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russell.....	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick.....	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows.....	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill.....	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle.....	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson.....	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans.....	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin.....	1894 to 1899
A. T. Birchard.....	1894 to 1898
C. L. Davidson.....	1895 to 1896
L. M. Morton.....	1895 to 1896
G. L. Godfrey.....	1897 to 1898
Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee.....	January 1, 1898 to February 14, 1900
John Cownie.....	January 1, 1898 to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne.....	January 1, 1898 to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson.....	March 2, 1900 to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton.....	April 17, 1906 to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade.....	October 1, 1909 to September 16, 1913
Murdoch Bannister.....	April 6, 1910 to April 30, 1913
W. J. Dixon.....	May 1, 1913 to July 1, 1917
J. H. McConlogue.....	October 6, 1913 to February 26, 1917
W. D. Sheean.....	July 29, 1917 to July 1, 1921
A. M. McColl.....	July 1, 1913 to date
J. H. Strief.....	July 1, 1917 to date
J. B. Butler.....	July 1, 1921 to date.
Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Milo Smith.....	December 1, 1887 to October 10, 1892
J. H. Keatly.....	October 10, 1892 to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin.....	September 22, 1894 to September 28, 1897
C. C. Horton.....	October 12, 1897 to April 1, 1916
B. C. Whitehill.....	April 1, 1916 to date
Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston.....	1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells.....	1889 to November 1894
Chas. L. Longley.....	November 1894 to August 1895
B. F. Warful.....	August 14, 1895 to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker.....	March 1903 to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson.....	September 15, 1907 to September 1, 1915
John C. Loper.....	September 1, 1915 to date
Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt.....	1887 to August 1895
Chas. L. Longley.....	August 14, 1895 to September 1897
B. A. Beeson.....	October 12, 1897 to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett.....	February 1, 1903 to November 1, 1918
Carl Shaffner.....	November 1, 1918 to date
Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters.....	1887 to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield.....	August 2, 1894 to May 1, 1918
G. A. Mershon.....	May 1, 1918 to September 1, 1920
W. S. Devine.....	September 1, 1920 to date
Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival.....	Organization to 1890
City Ministers.....	1890 to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole.....	April 1, 1900 to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt.....	October 20, 1913 to November 1, 1919
Rev. W. H. Clement.....	November 1, 1919 to date

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa.
July 1, 1922.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

The following biennial report covering the period beginning July 1, 1920 and ending June 30, 1922 includes two months, July and August, 1920 of my predecessor's work, as I did not assume charge nor take the office of chief surgeon until September 1, 1920. Since this is my first biennial report, comparative percentages of former conditions may be found by reference to the previous biennial reports. The advanced age of the members of the Home indicates a larger percentage of hospital care in the few years remaining to these men and women. I have seen fit to make some changes which I am pleased to report have worked for the betterment of all concerned.

The chief object in matters of health for the aged is to keep them from becoming bedfast as long as possible; to encourage some exercise every day when the physical condition permits: at least to be out of bed in a chair. It is regrettable that many patients are brought into the hospital at such a late stage physically—sometimes being transported long distances, it is only a question of a few hours until the end comes.

On taking charge and following a preliminary report which met your approval the following changes and improvements have been made:

The wards were found to be encumbered with unnecessary woodwork, such as window and door casings, mopboards, chair railings, and mouldings: thus making the wards unsanitary. This woodwork has been removed from the wards of the west half of the Hospital. The walls have been finished in cement which has been tinted a soft gray. The floors are being buffed and

cleaned with an electric buffer after which they will be given a dressing with hot oil. All of this improves the wards and makes them more sanitary. It is the plan that all wards in the Hospital will be finished in a like manner.

The matter of artificial ventilation, cooling and changing the air in the wards, was found necessary. The ladies of the State Department Women's Relief Corps who were anxious to be of service asked that they might furnish the necessary equipment. They supplied sixteen large oscillating electric fans which have been placed in the wards and hallways, adding greatly to the comfort of the patients. Two additional fans were furnished by the Ladies of the Winchester Circle of the Home; these were placed in the small wards.

The old wooden lockers have been removed from the wards, and steel open-mesh wire lockers have been placed in a locker room in each ward, serving a much better purpose.

Special diet kitchens have been established in which food is prepared for the sick, for night arrivals, or for emergency cases. One of these kitchens is in each of the four large wards. Each is equipped with an electric grill, a refrigerator, and wear-ever aluminum utensils: all of which was furnished by the State Department Women's Relief Corps.

A further improvement in the serving of food to the patients has been made in connection with serving the regular meals. Formerly it was impossible for the food to reach the patients in the farthest wards hot and palatable. Now by using hot water food conveyors this has been overcome entirely. Four of these conveyors were furnished by the Ladies of the local Womens' Relief Corps, and four by the Ladies of the State Department Women's Relief Corps.

A most satisfactory arrangement, which has proved very beneficial, has been the placing of a graduate nurse as superintendent of nurses and giving her charge of the wards. Such a nurse is in charge both day and night. Miss Katheryn Merkle, R. N., is in charge of day duty, and Mrs. W. W. Young, R. N., formerly Miss Drake, is in charge at night. I am pleased to say there is on duty both day and night a most excellent force of practical nurses, male and female, many of whom have had two, three, or more years of practical training: they are efficient, courteous, and trustworthy.

Dr. H. J. Whitehead, assistant surgeon, is an efficient assistant, always ready to respond wherever and whenever duty calls.

Mr. Williams, a registered pharmacist, who has had charge of the drug department for several years, is still in charge. All drugs are handled by prescription only, which are written by the doctors.

Mrs. Shaffner, who has been connected with the Hospital for a number of years, has charge of the domestic department, and, since the assignment of Mrs. Breckenridge to another building, has assumed the superintendency of the dining rooms.

Mr. Boswell is still the steward in charge, as he has been for the past number of years.

Very respectfully,

W. S. Devine, Surgeon,
Superintendent of Hospital.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT
FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1922.

Number cases treated in Hospital.....	663
Number cases visited in quarters.....	1677
Number received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call).....	16314
Number prescriptions written morning call (except Sunday).....	7860
Highest number in Hospital at one time, males.....	83
Highest number in Hospital at one time, female.....	76
In Hospital June 30, 1920, male.....	71
In Hospital June 30, 1920, female.....	63
Average number in Hospital, male.....	68
Average number in Hospital, female.....	60
Died in the Home, Union Soldiers.....	127
Died in Home, Spanish-American soldiers.....	1
Died in Home, women.....	74
Died in Home, father of World War soldier.....	1
Died on furlough, Union soldiers.....	31
Died on furlough, women.....	16
Average age of Union soldiers who died in Home.....	80
Average age of Union soldiers who died on furlough.....	81
Average age of men in Hospital (Union soldiers).....	84
Average age of women in Hospital.....	78
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers who died in Home.....	55
Age of father of soldier.....	61
Average age of women who died in Home.....	76
Average age of women who died on furlough.....	71
In Hospital June 30, 1922, male.....	65
In Hospital June 30, 1922, female.....	58

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Iowa Soldiers' Home,
July 1, 1922.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

RELIGIOUS WORK

A Sunday morning Bible Class at ten o'clock has been sustained without interruption during the biennium, followed by preaching services at eleven o'clock during the months of July and August. During the other months of the year this service has been at two o'clock, followed by a short song and praise service at the Hospital.

From seven to eight a service of song and prayer closes the Sabbath services. On Wednesday evening the midweek prayer and testimony meeting is well attended. Holy sacramental services have been administered monthly during this biennium. All of these services have been well attended.

FINANCE

A spirit of liberality prevails with our old people who cheerfully respond when called upon. A folding organ costing \$35.00 has been purchased; \$20.00 has been collected and forwarded to the Orphans' Home at Council Bluffs, Iowa; \$41.00 to the Chinese famine relief; \$15.00 or \$20.00 to the Piney Woods Colored School of Mississippi; and a second collection for the Orphans' Home amounting to \$141.50 has been taken and money forwarded.

MORTALITY

The total number of deaths during this biennium has been 247. Of this number 178 were buried at the Home cemetery, services being held at the chapel. All veterans are buried with military honors.

Visitation of the sick at the Hospital and at other buildings of the Home has been a pleasure more than a duty. Reading of the Scriptures with a prayer at the bedside of many has been a pleasure to me and in this work my wife has been especially helpful.

The excellent services rendered by our choir are worthy of note. They are all old people and members of the Home. Their music however is up-to-date.

With sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Commandant, and the members of your official family, I respectfully submit this report.

W. H. Clement,
Chaplain.

THE NINETEENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

OF THE

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OF THE

Iowa Soldiers' Home

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 1, 1924.

Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:—

I herewith submit the nineteenth biennial report for the period ending June 30, 1924.

Each succeeding biennial report shows a decrease in our membership, yet our membership tables of this report do not show as great a percentage of loss as the ones before. Two hundred twenty-five have died in the past two years, while three hundred ninety have been admitted and readmitted. During the winter months we are crowded for room in all buildings except the men's building, but in the summer many go out on summer furloughs to visit with relatives or to live a few months at their old homes.

The number of Spanish-American veterans is steadily increasing and during the biennium we have admitted no small number of World War veterans. These men are usually temporarily sick or disabled and as soon as they recover, leave on a furlough or discharge, but their number is constantly increasing and within a few years will make up a large majority of the members of the Home.

CONDITION OF MEMBERS

The Civil War veteran is getting more feeble and ailing as the years pass on. Men who a few years ago were hale and hearty are now unable to be about, and are either confined to their rooms or at the hospital. It is very noticeable that these men do not leave the grounds or the buildings as in former years. The balance of the members, including the women, are very well considering their ages, and are quite active in the social activities of the Home. In the hospital there is a con-

stant increase in the mental cases and a time will come soon, when a ward will have to be established for these cases, thus separating them from the sick and feeble ones.

CONDITION OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Our outlined plan, established a few years ago, of remodeling the interior of most of our buildings is still being carried out and with great success, in its object. All wooden mopboards, chair rails, window and door casings have been removed and replaced with cement and plaster, doing away with harbors for vermin of all kinds, Making the quarters much more sanitary and easy to clean. The hospital building has been completed in this work, has been repainted throughout and is now in splendid condition. The same work in other buildings is progressing as rapidly as possible and another year or so will find all wards, dining rooms, toilet rooms, kitchens, and store rooms sanitary and proof against all vermin.

Floors in many of the buildings are in bad condition and must be replaced with new ones. New gutters and down spouts must be put on, chimneys and air shafts repaired, and window frames repaired and made new.

We have just completed the putting in of two elevators in the main building and these are a great help and convenience to our members who are getting too old and feeble to climb the stairs. Elevators should be put in at the dormitory and women's hall where aged women are quartered. All buildings where members are quartered would then be provided with elevators.

The recent heavy storms have destroyed our drives and roads and demonstrated that we must establish a storm sewer system to take care of flood waters during the heavy storms. A new road was built on the ground this year for heavy duty such as hauling coal, etc. This will allow us to keep our drives through the main gate in better condition and more suitable for the increasing automobile traffic.

Paving is now being laid on Summit Street east of the main gate and on Ninth street. When this is completed all the streets abutting the Home grounds will have been paved.

SUPPORT FUND

Our monthly per capita allowance of \$28.00 with a minimum of \$21,000.00 granted by the thirty-ninth general assembly has allowed us to take care of our aged members in the proper manner. The increasing feebleness, sickness, and disabilities of these people call for more care and attention and necessarily more expense. New equipment, furniture, hospital supplies, modern conveniences, both in the hospital and other buildings, are necessary at all times if we keep the standard of this Home up to that maintained by our adjoining states and government homes.

It is a pleasure to hear the satisfaction expressed by the visiting committees of the organizations most interested in the Home, and at this time I wish to express our greatest appreciation to the G. A. R. of the state and its auxilliary and allied organizations for their kind assistance, gifts and donations to the Home and its members during the biennium, and in the past. Almost daily something is arriving from some of these organizations to make the way a little easier for our people in their last days.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

The last general assembly allowed us \$35,000.00 for contingent and repair, and \$1,500.00 for books, lectures, music, amusements, etc.

The former is now being used for a general repair of the buildings and grounds as outlined above, and continuous repairs at the power house, heating system, electric lights, etc.

We will not need as much in the next two years and I am herewith submitting the following statement of what will be needed in our contingent fund.

Removing wooden mop boards, chair rails, window casings, etc., and replacing with cement and plaster	\$ 5000.00
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Connecting ten small cottages to the heating system, putting in radiators etc., doing away with soft coal stoves now in use, and eliminating a dangerous fire hazard	2000.00
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Repairs to heating system; mains in tunnel, re- newing steam traps, repairs to boilers and stokers --	3000.00
Lumber for renewing flooring, roofs, etc., in nearly all buildings -----	1500.00
Roof work—repairs to down spouts, gutters, grav- el roofs, storm sewers, etc. -----	1500.00
Repairing the drives, bridges, putting in cement gutters, and storm sewers to take care of flood waters	2000.00
Repairs to fencing on front of grounds, posts, wire, etc., including labor -----	1000.00
Chimney and brick repair, cement sidewalks, steps, etc. -----	2000.00
Repairs of electric light lines, motors, dynamos, elevators, etc. -----	2000.00
Contingencies that are unforeseen -----	5000.00
Total -----	\$ 25000.00

The lecture and amusement fund is very necessary and the present amount of \$1500.00 should be sufficient to supply our needs for the coming two years. Our library must be supplied from time to time, papers and magazines must be furnished, and our picture shows and band concerts are a great source of enjoyment to our people. The humdrum life of the Home is broken up by these pleasures and the money spent from this fund does as much good as that which goes for the necessities of the Home.

I am under great obligations to the officers and employees of this institution for the faithful and loyal service rendered, without which our work would be a failure, and I wish to thank the Board of Control for the kindly assistance, and many courtesies extended to me in the past.

All of which is respectfully submitted

B. C. Whitehill,
Commandant.

Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1924.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1924.

I desire to thank you for the courteous treatment extended to me, also by the officers and members of the institution.

Very respectfully,

John C. Loper,
Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Members July 1st	469	367	836	420	361	781	469	367	836
Admitted for first time	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263
Readmitted	33	18	51	53	23	76	86	41	127
Totals	562	451	1013	538	456	994	680	546	1226
Discharged	50	28	78	41	19	60	91	47	138
Dropped	26	23	49	15	12	27	41	35	76
Died	66	39	105	74	46	120	140	85	225
Totals	142	90	232	130	77	207	272	167	439
Members June 30th	420	361	781	408	379	787	408	379	787
Members present	275	221	496	288	229	517	288	229	517
Average present	321	248	369	314	270	584	318	259	577

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present—Officers	5		5	5		5
Members						
For duty	221	149	370	224	167	391
Sick in hospital	54	72	126	64	62	126
Totals	275	221	496	288	229	517
Civilian employes	70	88	158	68	89	157
Totals	70	88	158	68	89	157
Absent with leave	145	140	285	120	150	270
Totals	145	140	285	120	150	270
Present and absent—						
Officers	5		5	5		5
Members	420	361	781	408	379	787
Civilian employes	70	88	158	68	89	157
Totals	495	449	944	481	468	949
Average daily population (Civilians included)	391	336	727	382	359	741

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White	59	65	124	65	71	136	124	136	260
Colored	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	3
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write	59	63	122	63	70	133	122	133	255
Unable to read and write	1	3	4	2	2	4	3	5	8
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
30 to 40 years	3		3				3		3
40 to 50 years	1		1	9		9	10		10
50 to 60 years	3	1	4	4	2	6	7	3	10
60 to 70 years	2	10	12	2	8	10	4	18	22
70 to 80 years	24	20	53	22	42	64	46	71	117
80 to 90 years	27	23	50	28	20	48	55	43	98
90 to 100 years			3			3			3
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263
Averages ages	77	78		75	78		76	78	

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T
30 to 40 years	2	1	3
40 to 50 years	9	1	10
50 to 60 years	9	6	15
60 to 70 years	7	60	67
70 to 80 years	152	198	350
80 to 90 years	220	103	323
90 to 100 years	9	10	19
Totals	408	379	788

Average age of Civil War soldiers	79
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers	55
Average age of World War soldiers	38
Average age of Women	76

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1923			For Year End- ing June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant	56	63	119	63	70	133	119	133	252
Catholic	3	3	6	2	2	4	5	5	10
None	1		1				1		1
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1923			For Year End- ing June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single	7		7	8		8	15		15
Married	27	25	52	27	20	47	54	45	99
Widowed	23	40	63	28	50	78	51	90	141
Divorced	3	1	4	2	2	4	5	3	8
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263

TABLE NO. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1923			For Year End- ing June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Native born	56	62	118	61	66	127	117	128	245
California	1		1				1		1
Connecticut	1		1				1		1
Delaware		1	1					1	1
Illinois	5	3	8	4	8	12	9	11	20
Indiana	8	11	19	6	5	11	14	16	30
Iowa	9	6	15	16	10	26	25	16	41
Kansas				1	1			1	1
Kentucky	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
Maine	1		1	1		1	2		2
Massachusetts	2	2	4	1	1	2	3	3	6
Michigan	1		1		1	1	1	1	2
Missouri	1	3	4		1	1	1	4	5
New Jersey	1	1	2				1	1	2
New York	7	6	13	6	6	12	13	12	25
North Carolina		1	1					1	1
Ohio	10	17	27	9	18	27	19	35	54
Oregon				1		1	1		1
Pennsylvania	5	5	10	10	5	15	15	10	25
Tennessee	1		1				1		1
Vermont	1	1	2	2	2	4	3	3	6
Virginia		1	1	2	2	4	2	3	5
West Virginia		1	1					1	1
Wisconsin	1	2	3	2	5	7	3	7	10
Foreign born	4	4	8	4	6	10	8	10	18
Canada				2		2	2		2
England	1		1	2	1	3	3	1	4
France	1		1				1		1
Germany	2	2	4		1	1	2	3	5
Holland					1	1		1	1
Ireland		1	1					1	1
Scotland		1	1		3	3		4	4
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263

TABLE NO. 11—Continued.

OCCUPATION PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924			Since opening the Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Shoemaker												
Jeweler												
Printer												
Miscellaneous	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2
IV. Transportation	3	3	1	3	3	1	3	3	3	166	166	166
Engineer												
Teamster	2			2			2		2	136		136
V. Professional	1			1			1		1			
Minister												
Physician												
Teacher												
VI. Domestic and personal	66	66	66	72	72	72	138	138	138	1138	1341	2479
Housekeeper												
Housewife												
VII. Miscellaneous												
Totals	60	66	136	65	72	137	125	138	263	5835	1354	7189

TABLE NO. 12.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1924

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924			Remaining June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair										3		3
Adams											5	5
Allamakee	1	2	3	1	2	3	2	4	6	1	1	2
Appanoose				1	1	2	1	2	3	2	5	7
Benton				1	1	2	1	2	3	6	6	12
Black Hawk				1	4	7	4	4	8	9	9	18
Boone	3	8	11	2	6	8	5	14	19	11	23	34
Bremer	1		1	1		1	2		2	7		7
Buchanan	1		1				1		1		2	2
Buena Vista										1	1	2
Butler				1	2		1	1	2	2	1	3
Calhoun	2		2	1	1	1	3		3	2	1	3
Cass										3	2	5
Cedar	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	2	3	5
Cerro Gordo		1	1					1	1	2	1	3
Cherokee											1	1
Chickasaw				1	2	3	1	2	3	5	2	7
Clark				1			1		1	1	1	2
Clay										1		1
Clayton	1		1	3		3	4		4	7	1	8
Clinton	4	3	7		1	1	4	4	8	4	8	12
Crawford	1		1				1		1	3	1	4
Dallas				2		2	2		2	3	3	6
Decatur										2	1	3
Delaware										2	1	3
Des Moines	2		2		1	1	2	1	3	6	2	8
Dickinson											2	2
Dubuque	2	1	3	1		1	3	1	4	8	5	13
Emmet					1			1	1		3	3
Fayette	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3	8	7	15
Floyd	1						1		1	2		2
Franklin		1	1	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Fremont										2	1	3
Greene				1	1	2	1	1	2	3	4	7
Grundy				1	1	2	1	1	2	4	4	8
Guthrie										1		1
Hamilton										2	5	7
Hancock		1	1	2		2	2	1	3		1	1
Hardin				1	2	3	1	2	3	8	5	13
Harrison					1	1		1	1	2	1	3
Henry		1	1		1	1		2	2	2	3	5
Howard				1		1	1		1	1		1
Ida	1		1					1	1			
Iowa	1		1					1	1	1	4	5
Jackson										2	1	3
Jasper	1	2	3	2	1	3	3	3	6	11	10	21
Jefferson		1	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	4
Johnson	1	1	2	1		1	3	1	3	2	4	6
Jones	1		1				1		1	3	1	4
Keokuk				1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	3
Kossuth										1		1
Lee		1	1	2		2	2	1	3	2	8	10
Linn	2	2	4	1	6	7	3	8	11	17	13	30
Louisia										2	2	4
Madison	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2
Mahaska	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4	11	10	21

TABLE NO. 12—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1924

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924			Remaining June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Marion	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4	8	4	12
Marshall	3	6	9	5	6	11	8	12	20	38	50	88
Mills											1	1
Monona	1		1				1		1	2	1	3
Monroe	1	1	2				1	1	2	4	2	6
Montgomery	3	1	4				3	1	4	5	1	6
Muscatine	1	1	2	1		1	2	1	3	6	5	11
O'Brien										5	1	6
Osceola		1	1					1	1			
Page										2		2
Palo Alto		1	1					1	1		3	3
Plymouth										3	1	4
Pocahontas										2		2
Polk	4	6	10	6	9	15	10	15	25	40	40	80
Pottawattamie	2	1	3		1	1	2	2	4	10	6	16
Poweshiek	1	2	3	1	1	2	2	3	5	3	2	5
Ringgold		1	1					1	1	2		2
Sac	1	1	1				1		1	1		1
Scott	2	2	4	2	1	3	4	3	7	10	12	22
Shelby										1		1
Story	1		1		2	2	1	2	3	6	3	9
Tama		3	3	1	4	5	1	7	8	2	10	12
Taylor					2	2		2	2	1	2	3
Union		1	1				1	1	2	5	5	10
Van Buren				1	1	2	1	1	2	5	5	10
Wapello	2	3	5	1	1	2	3	4	7	10	9	19
Warren				1		1	1		1			
Washington	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	3	1	4
Wayne				1	1	1		1	1		4	4
Webster				2		2	2		2	8	2	10
Winneshiek										1	1	2
Woodbury	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3	9	8	17
Wright										3	2	5
Other states	6	3	9	6	3	9	12	6	18	29	18	47
Totals	60	66	126	65	72	137	125	138	263	408	379	78

TABLE NO. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	Since opening of Home to June 30, 1922			For Biennial Period Ending 1924			Since opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
	Adair	14	2	16				14	2	16
Adams	11	5	16	2	3	5	13	8	21
Allamakee	25	6	31				25	6	31
Appanoose	43	12	55	1	2	3	44	14	58
Audubon	9	1	10				9	1	10
Benton	69	14	83	1	2	3	70	16	86
Black Hawk	94	24	118	4	5	9	98	29	127
Boone	83	25	108	5	14	19	88	39	127
Bremer	31	3	34	2		2	33	3	36
Buchanan	9	4	13	1		1	10	4	14
Buena Vista	33	8	41				33	8	41
Butler	31	3	34	1	1	2	32	4	36
Calhoun	20	5	25	3		3	23	5	28
Carroll	20	6	26				20	6	26
Cass	34	7	41				34	7	41
Cedar	30	6	36	1	1	2	31	7	38
Cerro Gordo	39	14	53		1	1	39	15	54
Cherokee	19	3	22				19	3	22
Chickasaw	22	2	24	2	1	3	24	3	27
Clark	20	7	27	1		1	21	7	28
Clay	12	3	15				12	3	15
Clayton	42	6	48	4		4	46	6	52
Clinton	117	18	135	4	4	8	121	22	143
Crawford	20	1	21	1		1	21	1	22
Dallas	45	14	59	2		2	47	14	61
Davis	15	1	16				15	1	16
Decatur	5	10	15				5	10	15
Delaware	25	6	31				25	6	31
Des Moines	83	15	98	2	1	3	85	16	101
Dickinson	8	4	12				8	4	12
Dubuque	121	14	135	3	1	4	124	15	139
Emmet	15	3	18		1	1	15	4	19
Fayette	72	19	91	2	1	3	74	20	94
Floyd	37	9	46	1		1	38	9	47
Franklin	33	6	39	1	1	2	34	7	41
Fremont	32	5	37				32	5	37
Greene	39	6	45	1	1	2	40	7	47
Grundy	15	8	23	1	1	2	16	9	25
Guthrie	36	6	42				36	6	42
Hamilton	37	7	44				37	7	44
Hancock	10	1	11	1	1	2	11	2	13
Hardin	70	14	84	1	2	3	71	16	87
Harrison	52	15	67		1	1	52	16	68
Henry	48	13	61		2	2	48	15	63
Howard	10		10	1		1	11		11
Humboldt	22	4	26				22	4	26
Ida	14	2	16		1	1	14	3	17
Iowa	20	6	26		1	1	20	7	27
Jackson	64	9	73				64	9	73
Jasper	86	23	109	3	3	6	89	26	115
Jefferson	23	4	27	1	2	3	24	6	30
Johnson	60	8	68	2	1	3	62	9	71
Jones	39	7	46	1		1	40	7	47
Keokuk	30	8	38	1	1	2	31	9	40
Kossuth	24	4	28				24	4	28
Lee	93	25	118	2	1	3	95	26	121

TABLE NO. 13—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Linn	204	54	258	3	7	10	207	61	268
Louisa	36	9	45				36	9	45
Lucas	25	1	26				25	1	26
Lyons	9	1	10				9	1	10
Madison	22	5	27	1	1	2	23	6	29
Mahaska	143	42	185	3	1	4	146	43	189
Marion	70	10	80	2	2	4	72	12	84
Marshall	258	170	428	8	12	20	266	182	448
Mills	27	9	36				27	9	36
Mitchell	18		18				18		18
Monona	38	10	48	1		1	39	10	49
Monroe	30	8	38	1	1	2	31	9	40
Montgomery	32	9	41	3	1	4	35	10	45
Muscatine	98	22	120	2	1	3	100	23	123
O'Brien	20	6	26				20	6	26
Osceola	6		6	1	1		6	1	7
Page	24		24				24		24
Palo Alto	10	6	16		1	1	10	7	17
Plymouth	26	2	28				26	2	28
Pocahontas	18	6	24				18	6	24
Polk	494	149	643	9	16	25	503	165	668
Pottawattamie	119	26	145	2	3	5	121	29	150
Poweshiek	57	16	73	2	2	4	59	18	77
Ringgold	21	1	22		1	1	21	2	23
Sac	24	5	29	1		1	25	5	30
Scott	156	27	183	4	4	8	160	31	191
Shelby	14	6	20				14	6	20
Sioux	49	8	57				49	8	57
Stary	69	18	87	1	2	3	70	20	90
Tama	35	11	46	1	7	8	36	18	54
Taylor	31	6	37		2	2	31	8	39
Union	38	9	47		1	1	38	10	48
Van Buren	116	24	140	1	1	2	117	25	142
Wapello	58	16	74	3	4	7	61	20	81
Warren	26	7	33	1		1	27	7	34
Washington	29	3	32	1	1	2	30	4	34
Wayne	68	6	74		1	1	68	7	75
Webster	20	4	24	2		2	22	4	26
Winnebago	10	3	13				10	3	13
Winneshek	94	10	104				94	10	104
Woodbury	34	22	56	1	2	3	35	24	59
Worth	19	6	25				19	6	25
Wright	11	3	14				11	3	14
Other states	151	59	210	11	6	17	162	65	227
Washington, D. C.	1		1				1		1
National homes	24		24	2		2	26		26
Grand totals	5012	1276	6288	125	138	263	5137	1414	6551

TABLE NO. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Villages and towns	26	29	55	33	31	64	59	60	119
Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000	5	3	8	5	5	10	10	8	18
Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000	11	18	29	10	16	26	21	34	55
Cities of 25,000 and over	12	13	25	11	17	28	23	30	53
National homes	2		2				2		2
Other states	4	3	7	6	3	9	10	6	16
Totals	60	66	126	65	73	137	125	138	263

I. CITIES OF 4,000 AND UNDER 8,000.

Adair	1		1			1		1
Adair				1		1		1
Adair				1	1	2	2	4
Adair	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	4
Adair		1	1	2		2	2	4
Adair	1		1		2	2	1	3
Adair		1	1	1	2	2	1	3
Adair	2		2		2	2	2	4
Totals	5	3	8	5	5	10	10	18

II. CITIES OF 8,000 AND UNDER 25,000.

Boone	3	7	10	1	7	8	4	14	18
Burlington	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Iowa City	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	3
Marshalltown	1	5	6	5	5	10	6	10	16
Muscatine	1		1				1		1
Mount Pleasant		1	1		1	1		2	2
Mason City		1	1					1	1
Oskaloosa	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4
Ottumwa	2	3	5	1	1	2	3	4	7
Perry				1		1	1		1
Totals	11	18	29	10	16	26	21	34	55

III. CITIES OF 25,000 AND OVER.

Cedar Rapids				1	2	3	1	2	3
Clinton	2	1	3				2	1	3
Council Bluffs	2	1	3				2	1	3
Davenport	2	3	5	2	1	1	2	2	4
Des Moines	3	5	8	5	8	13	8	13	21
Dubuque	2	1	3	1			3	1	4
Sioux City	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3
Waterloo		1	1	2	4	6	2	5	7
Totals	12	13	25	11	17	28	23	30	53

TABLE NO. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED.

I. WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923		For Year Ending June 30, 1924		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
Civil War	50	50	50	50	100	100
Spanish-American	6	6	12	12	18	18
No War	1	1	1	1	2	2
World War	3	3	2	2	5	5
Totals	60	60	65	65	125	125

II. DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	M	T	M	T	M	T
Spanish-American	6	6	12	12	18	18
No War	1	1	1	1	2	2
U. S. Volunteer	50	50	50	50	100	100
World War	3	3	2	2	5	5
Totals	60	60	65	65	125	125

III. BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED.

	M	T	M	T	M	T
Infantry	52	52	56	56	108	108
Cavalry	4	4	6	6	10	10
Artillery	1	1	1	1	2	2
World War M. T. C.	3	3	2	2	5	5
Totals	60	60	65	65	125	125

TABLE NO. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923		For Year Ending June 30, 1924		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924	
	M	T	M	T	M	T
Illinois	11	11	4	4	15	15
Indiana	2	2	2	2	4	4
Iowa	34	34	37	37	71	71
Kansas			1	1	1	1
Massachusetts			1	1	1	1
Maine	1	1	1	1	2	2
Michigan	1	1	2	2	3	3
Minnesota			1	1	1	1
Missouri	1	1	1	1	2	2
Nebraska	1	1			1	1
New York	2	2	1	1	3	3
Ohio	3	3	4	4	7	7
Pennsylvania			2	2	2	2
Virginia	1	1			1	1
Wisconsin	3	3	6	6	9	9
Vermont			2	2	2	2
Totals	60	60	65	65	125	125

TABLE NO. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED.

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924	Since opening of Home to June 30, 1922	Total to June 30, 1924
MALE	125	5375	5500
Arkansas		7	7
California	2	15	17
Colorado		26	26
Connecticut		1	1
Florida		3	3
Idaho		2	3
Illinois	1	165	166
Indiana		43	43
Indian Territory		2	2
Iowa	114	4612	4726
Kansas	1	67	68
Kentucky		3	3
Louisiana		3	3
Maine		4	4
Massachusetts		6	6
Michigan	1	16	17
Maryland		2	2
Missouri		63	63
Minnesota	1	24	25
Mississippi		1	1
Montana	1	8	9
Nebraska	1	32	33
New Hampshire		2	2
New York		45	45
New Jersey		3	3
Ohio		58	58
Oklahoma		13	13
Oregon		6	6
Pennsylvania		24	24
Rhode Island		13	13
South Dakota		11	11
Tennessee		3	3
Texas		1	1
Vermont		4	4
Virginia	1	1	2
West Virginia		4	4
Washington		3	3
Washington, D. C.		5	5
Wisconsin	2	65	67
Wyoming		5	5
Unknown		3	3
FEMALE	138	1284	1422
Arkansas	1	2	3
California		2	2
Colorado		2	2
Illinois		10	10
Iowa	133	1221	1354
Kansas		7	7
Massachusetts		3	3
Michigan		1	1
Minnesota	1	3	4
Missouri	1	9	10
Montana		7	7
Nebraska		4	4
New Mexico	1		1
New York		3	3
North Dakota		2	2
Oklahoma		4	4
Tennessee		1	1
Texas	1	2	3
Washington		1	1
Totals	263	6659	6922

TABLE NO. 18.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF MEMBERS AT HOSPITAL.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. General diseases -----	4	2	6	3	5	8	7	7	14
Cancer of breast -----		1	1					1	1
Cancer of inguinal glands -----				1		1	1		1
Cancer of liver -----	1		1				1		1
Cancer of mouth -----	1		1				1		1
Cancer of eye and face -----	1		1	1		1	2		2
Cancer of stomach -----					1	1		1	1
Rheumatism -----					1	1		1	1
Disease of spleen -----					1	1		1	1
Tuberculosis of bowels -----									
Tuberculosis of pulmonary -----					1	1		1	1
Irreducible hernia -----					1	1		1	1
Syphilis -----	1	1	2				1	1	2
Intussusception of bowel -----				1		1	1		1
II. Diseases of nervous system -----	20	14	34	25	17	42	25	31	76
General paralysis -----	3	4	7	6	3	9	9	7	16
Angina pectoris -----	4		4		2	2	4		6
Cerebral softening -----		2	2		1	1		3	3
Senile dementia -----	4	1	5	2		2	6	1	7
Senile gangrene -----	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	2	5
Senile debility -----	7	6	13	16	10	26	23	16	39
III. Disease of circulatory system -----	19	4	23	14	14	28	33	18	51
Arterio-sclerosis -----	1	1	2	4		4	5	1	6
Cerebral hemorrhage -----	6	2	8	3	5	8	9	7	16
Hypertrophy of heart -----	2		2	2	4	6	4	4	8
Pernicious anemia -----	1		1		2	2	1	2	3
Valvular disease of heart -----	9	1	10	5	3	8	14	4	18
Erysipelas -----									
IV. Disease of respiratory system -----	3	1	4	1	3	4	4	4	8
Influenza -----		1	1					1	1
Bronchitis, chronic -----	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4
Pneumonia -----	1		1		2	2	1	2	3
V. Disease of digestive system -----	1	1	2	1	2	3	2	3	5
Cirrhosis of liver -----		1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4
Chronic diarrhoea -----	1		1				1		1
VI. Disease of the genito-urinary system -----	1	4	5	7		7	8	4	12
Nephritis -----		3	3	1		1	1	3	4
Uremia -----				1		1	1		1
Diabetes -----		1	1					1	1
Prostatic disease -----	1		1	5		5	6		6
VII. Fracture -----		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
Totals -----	48	27	75	52	41	93	100	68	168

TABLE NO. 19.

AGES OF MEMBERS AT DEATH.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923			For Year Ending June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
46 and under 50 years -----		1	1	1		1	1	1	2
50 and under 60 years -----			1		1	1	1	1	2
60 and under 70 years -----		3	3	2	2	4	2	5	7
70 and under 80 years -----	25	17	42	21	24	45	46	41	87
80 and under 90 years -----	36	17	53	48	18	66	84	35	119
90 and under 100 years -----	4	1	5	2	1	3	6	2	8
Totals -----	66	39	105	74	46	120	140	85	225

TABLE NO. 20.

ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924.

Books purchased—Library fund -----	256
Books donated—Members -----	19
Total -----	275
Books withdrawn -----	132
Books in library June 30, 1924 -----	1854

TABLE NO. 21.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924.

Biography -----	2
Fiction -----	265
History -----	6
Travel -----	2
Total -----	275

TABLE NO. 22.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS.

For the Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924.

Art -----	7
Biography -----	45
Essays and poetry -----	14
Fiction -----	9744
History -----	134
Science -----	8
Travel -----	55
Miscellaneous -----	24
Periodicals -----	514
Total circulation -----	10545
Average monthly population -----	571
Average monthly employees -----	145
Average monthly readers -----	114

TABLE NO. 23.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.

PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923		For Year Ending June 30, 1924		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Fruits—						
Apples ----- Bu.	284	\$ 142.00	225	\$ 216.00	509	\$ 358.00
Blackberries ----- Qts.			164	41.00	164	41.00
Cherries ----- Lbs.			63	3.78	63	3.78
Cherries ----- Qts.	28	2.80			28	2.80
Currants ----- Qts.	44	11.00	102	20.40	146	31.40
Grapes ----- Lbs.	11630	648.90	8725	349.00	20355	697.90
Raspberries ----- Qts.			6	1.80	6	1.80
Vegetables—						
Asparagus ----- Lbs.	142	21.30	79	7.90	221	29.20
Beans, string ----- Lbs.	2427	121.35	169	8.45	2596	129.80
Beets ----- Bu.	157	157.00	163½	91.56	320½	248.56
Beet greens ----- Lbs.	240	12.00			240	12.00
Cabbage ----- Lbs.	9442	314.68	11957	259.14	21399	553.82
Carrots ----- Bu.	70½	70.50	77	38.50	147½	109.00
Corn, green ----- Lbs.	4873	243.65	3746	14.98	8619	258.63
Cucumbers ----- Lbs.	463	9.26	3026	62.52	3489	69.78
Greens ----- Lbs.			320	16.00	320	16.00
Kohlrabi ----- Bu.	9	11.25			9	11.25
Lettuce ----- Lbs.	784	39.20	1519	75.95	2303	115.15
Onions ----- Bu.	70½	141.00	11	13.65	81	154.65
Onions ----- Lbs.	1255	62.75	1531	38.28	2786	101.03
Parsnips ----- Bu.	71	71.00	79	53.33	150	124.33
Peas ----- Lbs.			64	6.40	64	6.40
Peppers ----- Lbs.	60	3.00	42	2.10	102	5.10
Pickles ----- Gal.	22	7.48	146	43.80	168	51.28
Potatoes ----- Bu.	562	429.00	660	429.00	1222	858.00
Pumpkins ----- Lbs.			5740	28.70	5740	28.70
Radishes ----- Lbs.	479	23.95	1114	22.28	1593	46.23
Rhubarb ----- Lbs.	6565	226.75	9659	289.77	16224	516.52
Sauerkraut ----- Gal.			1199	299.75	1199	299.75
Sweet potatoes ----- Bu.	89	131.25	68½	68.50	157½	199.75
Swiss chard ----- Lbs.			1380	20.70	1380	20.70
Tomatoes ----- Bu.	239	239.00	624½	470.38	863½	709.38
Turnips ----- Bu.	228	228.00	143¼	78.79	371¼	306.79
Totals -----		\$3068.07		\$3050.41		\$6118.48

TABLE NO. 24.

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS—CONSUMED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923		For Year Ending June 30, 1924		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Chickens ----- Lbs.	266	\$ 54.45	669	\$ 135.94	935	\$ 190.39
Duck ----- Lbs.	50	12.50			50	12.50
Eggs ----- Doz	497½	123.41	1337½	358.58	1835	481.99
Pork, fresh ----- Lbs.	1694	203.28	15066	1709.21	16760	1912.49
Totals -----		\$ 393.64		\$2203.73		\$2597.37

TABLE NO. 25.

ARTICLES MANUFACTURED.

	For Year Ending June 30, 1923		For Year Ending June 30, 1924		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1924	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Awnings -----	7	\$ 19.00			7	\$ 19.00
Bread sacks -----			10	\$ 4.68	10	4.68
Couch covers -----			3	4.83	3	4.83
Curains -----	81	135.70	196	158.87	277	294.57
Drop cloths -----	1	10.35			1	10.35
Mattress covers -----			2	3.10	2	3.10
Pillow cases -----	985	413.20	1100	462.75	2085	875.95
Sheets, double -----	134	218.22	60	81.35	194	299.57
Sheets, single -----	685	621.00	658	589.99	1343	1210.99
Table cloths -----	94	158.48	107	176.40	201	334.88
Towels, bath -----	320	145.35	110	46.53	430	191.88
Towels, hand -----	698	230.00	540	177.02	1238	407.02
Towels, roller -----	225	154.95	22	15.55	247	170.50
Clothing—						
Aprons -----	64	55.42	41	16.16	105	71.58
Dresses -----	13	46.78	14	42.00	27	88.78
Dressing sacks -----	6	7.65			6	7.65
Gowns -----	57	70.34	6	14.21	63	84.55
Petticoats -----	4	3.50	6	5.56	10	9.06
Shrouds -----	8	42.50	5	30.65	13	73.15
Skirts -----	18	19.50	11	13.95	29	33.45
Waists -----	4	3.60			4	3.60
Totals -----		\$2355.54		\$1843.60		\$4199.14

TABLE NO. 26.

LAUNDRY WORK DONE FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1924.

Sheets -----	222,000
Spreads -----	58,000
Pillow slips -----	220,000
Table cloths -----	125,000
Undershirts -----	35,000
Shirts -----	40,000
Drawers -----	35,000
Socks -----	30,000
Aprons -----	20,000
Hand towels -----	50,000
Roller towels -----	25,000
Bath towels -----	45,000
Barber towels -----	20,000
Hospital cloths -----	112,000
Jackets -----	40,000
Overalls -----	50,000
Night shirts -----	12,000
Nurses' uniforms -----	2,200
Nurses' aprons -----	2,080
Handkerchiefs -----	1,000
Carpets and rugs -----	300
Blankets -----	20,000
Cushions -----	500
Trousers -----	20,000
Vests -----	200
Coats -----	200
Lace curtains -----	1,500
Bibs -----	2,080
Totals -----	1,189,000

TABLE NO. 27.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Bacon for workmen -----	10 pounds	.1385	1.39
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal -----	20 pounds	.0313	.63
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total -----			\$ 12.05
Dinner—			
Pork roast -----	120 pounds	.1499	17.99
Potatoes mashed -----	3 bushel	.70	2.10
Lima beans -----	20 pounds	.1015	2.03
Rhubarb pies -----	32 only	.25	8.00
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread -----	12 pounds	.05	.60
Total -----			\$ 39.47
Supper—			
Meat for workmen -----			
(Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Peaches -----	7 gallons	7.75	4.52
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea -----	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt -----	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper -----	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total -----			\$ 14.13
Total cost for Sunday, May 18, 1924 -----			\$ 65.65

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen -----			
(Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal -----	20 pounds	.0313	.63
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total -----			\$ 10.66
Dinner—			
Beef boiled -----	100 pounds	.15¼	15.25
Potatoes steamed -----	3 bushels	.70	2.10
Bean soup -----	15 pounds	.0675	1.01
Tapioca pudding -----	8 pounds	.088	.70
Eggs -----	3 dozen	.25	.50
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread -----	12 pounds	.05	.60
Total -----			\$ 28.91
Supper—			
Meat for workmen -----			
(Accounted for)			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Rice -----	15 pounds	.0601	.90
Soda crackers -----	18 pounds	.084	1.51
Apple butter for workmen -----	1 gallon	.72	.72
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread -----	12 pounds	.05	.60
Tea -----	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt -----	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper -----	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total -----			\$ 12.84
Total cost for Monday, May 19, 1924 -----			\$ 52.41

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.0313	.63
Eggs	15 dozen	.25	3.75
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 14.41
Dinner—			
Pork roast	110 pounds	1.499	16.49
Potatoes and brown gravy	3 bushels	.70	2.10
Tomatoes	7 gallon	.39	2.73
Rhubarb	5 crates	1.20	6.00
Sugar	29 pounds	.079	2.29
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread	12 pounds	.05	.60
Total			\$ 37.38
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Rhubarb (Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread	12 pounds	.05	.60
Tea	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total			\$ 9.71
Total cost for Tuesday, May 20, 1924			\$ 61.50

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Meat stew (Accounted for)			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.0313	.63
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 10.66
Dinner—			
Beef boiled	100 pounds	.134	13.40
Spaghetti	12 pounds	.04¾	.57
Potatoes steamed	3 bushels	.70	2.10
Rhubarb	4 crates	1.20	4.80
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 30.12
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Rhubarb (Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Mush, corn meal	20 pounds	.02¼	.45
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total			\$ 10.84
Total cost for Wednesday, May 21, 1924			\$ 51.62

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Hash (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.0313	.63
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 10.66
Dinner—			
Roast pork	120 pounds	.1499	17.99
Wax beans	7 gallons	7.80	4.55
Potatoes and brown gravy	3 bushels	.70	2.10
Pie plant cobbler (Accounted for)			
Sugar	10 pounds	.079	.79
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread	12 pounds	.05	.60
Total			\$ 33.20
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Rhubarb (Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread	12 pounds	.05	.60
Tea	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total			\$ 9.71
Total cost for Thursday, May 22, 1924			\$ 53.57

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Bacon for workmen	10 pounds	.1385	1.39
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	20 pounds	.0313	.63
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 12.05
Dinner—			
Beef boiled	100 pounds	.15¼	15.25
Kraut	40 pounds	.02	.80
Potatoes	3 bushels	.70	2.10
Beet pickles	1 bushel	.56	1.56
Radishes	25 pounds	.02	.50
Pudding, corn starch	7 pounds	.036	.25
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread	12 pounds	.05	.60
Total			\$ 28.81
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Potatoes (Accounted for)			
Corn bread	6 pans	.75	4.50
Sugar	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread	7 pounds	.05	.35
Tea	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total			\$ 14.74
Total cost for Friday, May 23, 1924			\$ 55.60

TABLE NO. 27—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen -----			
(Accounted for)			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Oatmeal -----	20 pounds	.0813	.63
Milk -----	70 pounds	.026	1.82
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total -----			\$ 10.66
Dinner—			
Beef roast -----			
Potatoes and brown gravy -----	100 pounds	.15¼	15.25
Tapioca pudding -----	3 bushels	.70	2.10
Raisins -----	5 pounds	.088	.44
Sugar -----	1 pound	.085	.09
Coffee -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Butter -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Milk -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Bread -----	10 pounds	.026	1.04
Milk -----	40 pounds	.026	.60
Bread -----	12 pounds	.05	.60
Total -----			\$ 27.23
Supper—			
Meat for workmen -----			
(Accounted for)			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Rhubarb -----	4 crates	1.20	4.80
Sugar -----	20 pounds	.079	1.58
Coffee -----	10 pounds	.27	2.70
Butter -----	10 pounds	.34½	3.43
Milk -----	40 pounds	.026	1.04
Bread -----	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea -----	1 pound	.30	.30
Salt -----	1 pound	.0172	.02
Pepper -----	¼ pound	.16	.04
Total -----			\$ 14.41
Total cost for Saturday, May 24, 1924 -----			\$ 52.30

TABLE NO. 28.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S BUILDING DINING-ROOM, THANKSGIVING 1923.

Dinner—			
Tomato soup -----	6 cans	.39	2.34
Chicken stewed -----	120 pounds	.22	26.40
Potatoes mashed -----	3 pecks	.70	.53
Sweet potatoes -----	2 bushels	1.00	2.00
Cabbage slaw -----	25 pounds	.02	.50
Pickles -----	3 gallons	.30	.90
Cranberries -----	30 pounds	.13	3.90
Cheese -----	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Crackers -----	15 pounds	.084	1.26
Cookies -----	1½ boxes	.10	.15
Cake -----	4 pans	1.50	6.00
Pumpkin pies -----	26 only	.25	6.50
Celery -----	10 bunches	.40	4.00
Bread -----	15 pounds	.05	.75
Butter -----	7 pounds	.491	3.44
Coffee -----	2½ pounds	.20	.50
Milk -----	50 pounds	.026	1.30
Sugar -----	8 pounds	.091	.73
Tea -----	3 ounces	.35	.07
Pepper -----	1 ounce	.165	.01
Apples -----	1½ bushels	1.50	2.25
Total cost for dinner, November 29, 1923 -----			\$ 73.37

BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1923.

Breakfast—			
Oatmeal -----	15 pounds	.0277	.42
Potatoes fried -----	1 bushel	.70	.70
Toast (Accounted for)			
Bacon -----	10 pounds	.179	1.79
Corn flakes -----	3 boxes	.07	.21
Bread -----	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter -----	10 pounds	.491	4.91
Coffee -----	8 pounds	.20	1.60
Crackers -----	4 pounds	.084	.34
Eggs -----	4 dozen	.34	1.36
Milk -----	125 pounds	.026	3.25
Sugar -----	8 pounds	.079	.63
Total -----			\$ 16.71
Dinner—			
Pork roast and gravy -----	70 pounds	.1938	13.57
Potatoes mashed -----	1 bushel	.70	.70
Sweet potatoes -----	1 bushel	1.00	1.00
Cabbage slaw -----	50 pounds	.02	1.00
Cranberries -----	20 pounds	.13	2.60
Mince pies -----	30 only	.25	7.50
Apples -----	1½ bushels	1.50	2.25
Bread -----	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter -----	10 pounds	.491	4.91
Coffee -----	8 pounds	.20	1.60
Crackers -----	5 pounds	.084	.42
Eggs -----	5 dozen	.34	1.70
Milk -----	175 pounds	.026	4.55
Sugar -----	8 pounds	.079	.63
Total -----			\$ 43.93

TABLE NO. 28—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S BUILDING DINING-ROOM, THANKSGIVING 1923.

Supper—			
Jelly donated by W. R. C.			
Cake	2 pans	1.50	3.00
Soup, oyster	4 gallon	2.47	9.88
Potato cakes	1 bushel	.70	.70
Toast (Accounted for)			
Tea	1 pound	.35	.35
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter	10 pounds	.491	4.91
Coffee	8 pounds	.20	1.60
Crackers	5 pounds	.084	.42
Eggs	4 dozen	.34	1.36
Milk	125 pounds	.026	3.25
Sugar	8 pounds	.079	.63
Total			\$ 27.60

Special diet—beef broth, beef steak, baked potatoes, cocoa, corn starch pudding, custard, eggs, eggnog, oatmeal gruel, potato soup, thickened milk, toast, dry, milk and french.

Total cost for Tuesday,
December 25, 1923 ----- \$ 88.24

TABLE NO. 29.

FREE DINNER FURNISHED TO DELEGATES AND VISITORS AT
G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT JUNE 11, 1924.

Boiled ham	810 pounds	\$.1706	\$ 138.19
Escalloped potatoes	12 bushels	.70	8.40
Baked beans	350 pounds	.0675	23.53
Green onions	390 pounds	.025	9.75
Cheese	12 pounds	.33	3.96
Apple butter	24 gallons	.72	17.28
Plum butter	3 gallons	1.52	4.56
Peaches	66 gallons	7.75	42.63
Cookies	105 1/4 pounds	.112	11.79
Bread	152 pounds	.05	7.60
Butter	45 pounds	.355%	16.13
Milk	300 pounds	.026	7.80
Sugar	65 pounds	.079	5.14
Tea	3 pounds	.30	.90
Coffee	32 pounds	.27	8.64
Total cost			\$ 306.30

TABLE NO. 30.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND.

Receipts—		
Balance June 30, 1922	-----	\$ 4712.59
Per capita, members	-----	504000.00
Per capita, civilian	-----	51440.00
Posthumous fund	-----	776.07
Miscellaneous receipts	-----	12152.78
Total	-----	\$ 573081.44
Expenditures—		
Salaries and wages	-----	\$ 239891.38
Provisions	-----	124341.85
Household stores	-----	17482.60
Clothing	-----	9502.07
Fuel and light	-----	68698.19
Hospital supplies	-----	3572.66
Shop, farm and garden	-----	24491.68
Ordinary supplies	-----	14961.37
Water and ice	-----	7523.63
Postage and stationery	-----	2483.06
Miscellaneous	-----	8869.21
Increase in contingent fund	-----	3750.00
Balance June 30, 1924	-----	47513.74
Total	-----	\$ 573081.44

TABLE NO. 31.
CONTINGENT STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUND.

	Contingent Fund	Salaries and wages	Miscellaneous receipts	Posthumous Fund
June 1, 1922	\$ 1250.00			
June 1922	1333.60	\$ 10158.41	\$ 130.80	
July 1922	570.29	9764.96	604.27	
August 1922	308.26	9869.89	1049.45	
September 1922	731.62	9761.52	301.58	
October 1922	358.96	9961.04	477.90	
November 1922	2201.43	10071.84	326.76	
December 1922	653.10	10041.64	325.09	
January 1923	1309.74	9955.25	314.94	
February 1923	720.75	9580.46	833.15	
March 1923	908.37	9824.22	335.54	
April 1923	855.12	9861.90	1150.72	
May 1923	1102.53	9991.59	382.24	
June 1923	290.64	9915.68	216.83	
July 1923	1176.74	9917.46	143.9	
August 1923	678.84	9885.88	1393.42	\$ 776.07
September 1923	2612.70	9962.63	412.57	
October 1923	2028.46	10179.41	1399.97	
November 1923	1654.32	10155.18	193.35	
December 1923	3582.70	9985.02	83.35	
January 1924	1926.08	10120.74	1164.20	
February 1924	1463.81	10085.74	193.40	
March 1924	1083.99	10211.34	222.36	
April 1924	600.95	10305.80	242.45	
May 1924	1177.44	10323.78	254.55	
Totals	\$ 30580.44	\$ 23989.38	\$ 12152.78	\$ 776.07
Expenditures on approved vouchers	\$ 25580.44	\$ 23989.38	\$ 12152.78	\$ 776.07
Balance June 30, 1924	5000.00			
Totals	\$ 30580.44	\$ 23989.38	\$ 12152.78	\$ 776.07
Note: Contingent fund increased during period	\$ 3750.00			

TABLE NO. 32.

MOVEMENT OF CASH.

Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office.

Cash on hand, Members fund June 30, 1922 -----			\$ 12211.02
Cash received, Members fund biennial period to June 30, 1924 -----			\$ 108623.69
By checks drawn and receipts given -----		\$ 99441.65	
Balance cash, Members fund June 30, 1924 -----	\$ 18439.19		
Miscellaneous receipts -----	\$ 224.30		
Contingent fund -----	2731.57	21395.06	
Total -----		\$ 120836.71	\$ 120836.71
Total number checks issued -----	888		

(Note): Amount placed at interest in Marshalltown Banks to Members' credit, \$20,048.45.

TABLE NO. 33.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

	Balance in State Treasury June 30, 1924	Appropriated by 40th General Assembly	Amount expended during period	Balance July 1, 1924
Contingent and repair -----	\$ 18777.08	\$ 30000.00	\$ 25250.14	\$ 23526.94
Lectures, books, Amusements, etc. -----	1447.80	1500.00	1723.79	1224.01
Totals -----	\$ 20224.88	\$ 31500.00	\$ 26973.93	\$ 24750.95

TABLE NO. 34.

		Value
1. Summary of Inventory June 30, 1924:		
Land -----	156 Acres	\$ 51600.00
Buildings and fixtures -----		407732.20
Personal property -----		186278.23
Live stock -----		3423.00
	Number	Value
Horses -----	5	400.00
Mules -----		
Bulls -----	4	700.00
Cows -----		
Steers -----		
Heifers -----		
Calves -----		
Sheep -----		
Hogs -----	49	380.00
Poultry -----	132	1710.00
	304	233.00
Total amount as shown by inventory -----		\$ 549033.43
2. Kinds and amounts of coal purchased for the biennium ending June 30, 1924:		
Kind of coal	Tons	Cost
Lump -----	131.91	\$ 943.61
Mine run -----	408.35	3209.92
Steam -----	14904.86	62413.77
Totals -----	15445.12	\$ 66567.30
Iowa coal -----	14806.67	\$ 61821.27
Illinois coal -----	638.45	4746.03
Total amount purchased -----	15445.12	\$ 66567.30
Total amount consumed -----	15445.12	\$ 66567.30
3. Losses sustained during recent biennium ending June 30, 1924, with data and cause thereof: -----		
		None
4. Total amount of products from farms, orchards and gardens for biennium ending June 30, 1924:		
Farm products -----		\$ 1947.87
Poultry yards -----		684.88
Live stock sold -----		5206.69
Dressed meats -----		1912.49
Garden products -----		3185.97
Orchard and miscellaneous -----		1136.68
Total -----		\$ 14074.58

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME.

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russell	1887 to 1898
C. W. Burdick	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard	1894 to 1896
C. L. Davidson	1895 to 1896
L. M. Morton	1895 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey	1897 to 1898

Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee	January 1, 1898 to February 14, 1900
John Cowrie	January 1, 1898 to April 5, 1910
I. G. Kinne	January 1, 1898 to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson	March 2, 1900 to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton	April 17, 1906 to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade	October 1, 1909 to September 16, 1913
Murdock Bannister	April 6, 1910 to April 30, 1913
W. J. Dixon	May 1, 1913 to July 1, 1917
J. H. McConlogue	October 6, 1913 to February 26, 1917
W. D. Shecan	July 29, 1917 to July 1, 1921
A. M. McColl	July 1, 1913 to date
J. H. Strief	July 1, 1917 to date
J. B. Butler	July 1, 1921 to date

Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
M'P'o Smith	December 1, 1887 to October 10, 1892
J. H. Keatly	October 10, 1892 to September 23, 1894
J. R. Ratekin	September 23, 1894 to September 28, 1897
C. C. Horton	October 12, 1897 to April 1, 1916
B. C. Whitehill	April 1, 1916 to date

Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston	1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells	1889 to November 1894
Chas. L. Longley	November 1894 to August 1895
B. F. Warful	August 14, 1895 to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker	March 1903 to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson	September 15, 1907 to September 1, 1915
John C. Loper	September 1, 1915 to date

Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt	1887 to August 1895
Chas. L. Longley	August 14, 1895 to September 1897
B. A. Beeson	October 12, 1897 to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett	February 1, 1903 to November 1, 1918
Carl Shaffner	November 1, 1918 to date

Surgeons of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters	1887 to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield	August 2, 1894 to May 1, 1918
G. A. Mershon	May 1, 1918 to September 1, 1920
W. S. Devine	September 1, 1920 to date

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival	Organization to 1890
City Ministers	1890 to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole	April 1, 1900 to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt	October 20, 1913 to November 1, 1917
Rev. W. H. Clement	November 1, 1919 to date

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1924.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

The biennial report which follows, beginning July 1, 1922 and ending June 30, 1924, has been carried out under my supervision as was part of the previous biennial. Some comparisons with previous reports are very interesting as you may note.

Only by the report can you get an idea of the volume of work done in the hospital, and also the number of patients who have been treated and returned to their quarters or furloughed home. At the beginning of the biennial July 1, 1922, there were being treated and cared for in the hospital, 123 patients—64 men and 59 women. During the year following up to June 30, 1923, there were received at the hospital for care and treatment, 341 patients—192 men and 149 women, which with those in the hospital made 464. From this number, there were transferred back to their quarters or furloughed, 267 patients—158 men and 109 women, who were either cured of their ailments, or able to care for themselves. The year following closing the biennial period June 30, 1924, there were received for treatment 330 patients—173 men and 157 women. There were

transferred back to their quarters or furloughed in this period, 245 patients—121 men and 124 women. The total number of patients treated in the hospital for the biennial closing June 30, 1924 being 794, and the number transferred back to their quarters 512 patients—279 men and 233 women, either restored physically or able to care for themselves.

The deaths in the hospital during this period were 91 men and 65 women, total 156. Remaining in the hospital June 30, 1924 for care and treatment, 64 men and 61 women, total 125.

I have a force of 16 nurses and orderlies who are trained and experienced in their work, and over them two graduate nurses as day and night supervisors.

There have been some changes since previous biennial report. Mrs. W. W. Young, R. N., formerly night supervisor resigned and in her place I have secured the services of Mrs. Mary Woodson a graduate nurse of wide experience who has charge and supervision. Miss Katherine Merkle, also a graduate nurse is still day supervisor of nurses, in which capacity she has acted since October 1920. Through the death of Mrs. Carl Shaffner last year, we lost an efficient assistant and co-worker.

Mrs. M. C. T. Wolff, who formerly had charge of the cafeteria of the Y. W. C. A. in the city, has been secured and is acting supervisor of the hospital dining rooms and nurses cottage. The hospital staff remains as it was in previous report: Dr. H. J. Whitehead, Assistant Surgeon; C. S. Williams, Drug-gist; W. L. Boswell, Steward.

I am glad to report many of the improvements over which I have advised with you and received suggestions concerning them, have been completed. The new range in the kitchen is a great improvement, both in economy of fuel and space. I am pleased to report that during the state convention, you received many congratulating compliments on the general appearance of the Home and hospital.

Thanking you for your many courtesies and cooperation at all times, I am

Very respectfully,

W. S. Devine,
Surgeon and Superintendent.

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT.
FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1924.

Number of cases treated in Hospital	621
Number of cases visited in their quarters	1783
Number received medicine from the dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call)	18776
Number of prescriptions written morning call (Except Sunday)	7157
Highest number in hospital at one time, males	85
Highest number in hospital at one time, females	84
In hospital June 30, 1922, male	65
In hospital June 30, 1922, female	58
Average number in hospital, male	74
Average number in hospital, female	72
Died in Home, Union soldiers	100
Died in Home, Spanish-American soldiers	3
Died in the Home, women	68
Died on furlough, Union soldiers	40
Died on furlough, women	17
Average age of Union soldiers who died in Home	82
Average age of Union soldiers who died on furlough	79
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers who died in Home	54
Average age of women who died in Home	68
Average age of women who died on furlough	76
In hospital June 30, 1924, males	64
In hospital June 30, 1924, females	60

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1924.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

RELIGIOUS WORK

A Sunday morning Bible Class at nine o'clock has been continued during the biennium, followed by preaching service at ten-thirty. At three o'clock every alternate Sabbath, a half hour service of song and praise has been held at the hospital for those who were able to attend. This service has been greatly appreciated.

From seven to eight a service of song and prayer (sometimes a sermon) closes the sabbath services. On Wednesday evening the midweek prayer and testimony meeting is usually well attended. Holy sacramental services have been administered quarterly from sixty to seventy have participated in this service.

FINANCE

A spirit of liberality prevails with our old people who cheerfully respond when called upon. The regular Sunday morning collection has been set aside for the poor and necessitous cases of Marshalltown. Special collections have been taken at different times for the Orphans' Home at Council Bluffs, Iowa. These collections during the biennium have amounted to \$366.00. \$53.00 has been given to the Salvation Army of Marshalltown. The Piney Woods School of Braxton, Mississippi, is being remembered by several of our good people with monthly contributions.

MORTALITY

The total number of deaths this biennium has been 168. Of this number, 78 were buried at the Home cemetery, services being held at the chapel. All veterans are buried with military honors.

VISITATION OR PASTORAL WORK

Visitation of the sick at the hospital and at other buildings of the Home has been a pleasure more than a duty. In this work my wife has been especially helpful.

The faithful services of our choir should not be overlooked. They are all old people and members of the Home. The Chaplain is fortunate in having a wife who presided at the organ and has charge of the choir and is interested in all of the work of the Home.

With sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Commandant, and the members of your official family, I respectfully submit this report.

W. H. Clement,
Chaplain.

TWENTIETH BIENNIAL REPORT

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COMMANDANT'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1926.

Board of Control of State Institutions,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen:—

I herewith submit the twentieth biennial report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the period ending June 30, 1926.

Our membership tables of this report again show a slight decrease in our population during the two years just past, a total of seventy-three.

The Civil War veteran and his widow are decreasing in numbers with each passing year, but the Spanish-American and the World's War soldiers are increasing steadily, and also the younger soldiers' widows are now coming into the Home so that the winter months find all women's buildings filled to capacity. During the summer months, many members leave the Home on short furloughs to visit their old homes or various relatives.

CONDITION OF MEMBERS

The Civil War veteran will soon be only a memory. Most of them are very feeble, both mentally and physically, and with their increasing age comes increasing care and attention. Janitors and cleaners are now employed to take care of wards and rooms where once the members did all this work, and kept their quarters in a clean and sanitary condition.

Many are in a senile condition and these must be taken care of in the hospital which is rapidly filling up with cases of this kind, causing an increase in attendants and nurses to take care of them. In the past biennium we have built over one large ward into individual rooms to accommodate such cases, and are now planning a similar change in another ward.

CONDITION OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

The work of taking out all wooden mop-boards, chair rails, etc. has been completed in the hospital and we are now doing the same work in other buildings—plaster, cement and paint are being used to make all the rooms clean and sanitary. New floors have been laid in several dining rooms and wards, these rooms have been remodeled and painted and are much enjoyed by the members that use them. Roofs and porches have been repaired and on some buildings new roofs have been put on entirely.

A new steam line has been laid to the ten small cottages, occupied by soldiers and their wives, steam heat has been installed doing away with the danger and bother of soft coal stoves that were formerly used for heating these buildings.

New sidewalks have been built to some of the more important buildings making a great convenience to the old people. Our largest item of expense during the period was a new engine and dynamo in the power house. This, with new pumps, heaters, etc., that have also been put in, now completes most everything needed in our heating and power plant, and with the completion of the steam line to the cottages, all buildings are now heated by steam from the plant.

Our drives are still in need of permanent repair. Each succeeding rain washes out these roadways so that they are constantly being repaired. A coating of Tarvia should be applied or a system of concrete gutters connected to a storm sewer.

SUPPORT FUND

Our present allowance for support is ample, although at times we have not had a large balance in this fund. The constant increasing age of our members causes a corresponding increase in expense for their care, diet, etc., but if no unforeseen emergency arises, the present allowance will be sufficient for our needs for the next two years.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

The coming two years will see a continuation of our repair work on the grounds, buildings, and equipment and our allowance for contingent and repair will not be less than \$15,000.00 the

amount allowed for the last period. Below is a list of the askings that would come from this fund:

Remodeling rooms and wards	\$ 2500.00
Repair of roofs and porches	2500.00
Rebuilding and repair of drives	1500.00
Fire hose and equipment	1000.00
New fencing along Summit St.	1000.00
Power lawn mower, etc.	500.00
Miscellaneous repairs to buildings	2500.00
Miscellaneous repairs to machinery and equipment	3500.00
Total	\$ 15000.00

MUSIC, LIBRARY, AND AMUSEMENT FUND

A fund of about \$2000.00 should be allowed to cover all library expense, band music, picture show and other forms of amusement that are necessary for our members' comfort. All of the above are thoroughly enjoyed by our people and should be kept up as long as they are able to enjoy them. In this connection we wish again to express our sincerest appreciation to the G. A. R. of the state and their auxiliary and allied organizations for their interest taken in the Home and for the many gifts and donations made during the period. The W. R. C. are especially thanked for the splendid gifts of three radios for our members' pleasure.

Once more I wish to express my appreciation of the faithful and loyal service of the officers and employes of this institution, and to the members of the Board of Control I am especially grateful for the many courtesies and favors extended in the past.

All of which is respectfully submitted

B. C. WHITEHILL, Commandant.

TABLE NO. 1.

MOVEMENT OF POPULATION

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Members July 1st	408	379	787	392	349	741	408	379	787
Admitted for first time	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286
Readmitted	43	25	67	49	21	70	91	46	137
Total	527	461	988	523	440	963	658	552	1210
Discharged	40	15	55	63	27	90	103	42	145
Dropped	32	42	74	25	18	43	57	60	117
Died	63	55	118	58	58	116	121	113	234
Totals	135	112	247	146	103	249	281	215	496
Members June 30th	392	349	741	377	337	714	377	337	714
Members present	263	207	470	247	191	438	247	191	438
Average present	294	260	554	278	252	530	286	256	542

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1926.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.

Sir:

I have the honor to submit herewith the following statistical report of the Iowa Soldiers' Home for the biennial period ending June 30, 1926.

I desire to thank you for courteous treatment extended to me, also by the officers and members of the institution.

Very respectfully,

JOHN C. LOPER, Adjutant.

TABLE NO. 2.

POST RETURN

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T
Present—Officers	6	.....	6	6	.....	6
Members for duty	195	156	351	180	135	315
Sick in hospital	68	51	119	67	56	123
Totals	263	207	470	247	191	438

TABLE No. 2—Continued.

Civilian employes	71	81	152	70	77	147
Totals	71	81	152	70	77	147
Absent with leave	129	142	271	129	145	274
Totals	129	142	271	129	145	274
Present and absent						
Officers	6	.....	6	6	.....	6
Members	392	349	741	377	337	714
Civilian employes	71	81	152	70	77	147
Totals	469	430	899	453	414	867
Average daily population (Civilians included)	364	340	704	348	328	676

TABLE NO. 3.

SEX AND COLOR OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
White	76	56	132	81	70	151	157	126	283
Colored	1	1	2	.....	.....	1	2	1	3
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286

TABLE NO. 4.

LITERACY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Able to read and write	75	54	129	80	68	148	155	122	277
Unable to read and write	2	3	5	2	2	4	4	5	9
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286

TABLE NO. 5.

AGES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
25 to 30 years	3	.....	3	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
30 to 40 years	1	.....	1	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
40 to 50 years	11	5	16	9	1	10	20	6	26
50 to 60 years	4	1	5	8	3	11	12	4	16
60 to 70 years	4	11	15	5	11	16	9	22	31
70 to 80 years	25	29	54	17	35	52	42	64	106
80 to 90 years	28	11	39	40	19	59	68	30	98
90 to 100 years	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	1	1	2
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286
Average ages	79	72	.....	80	75	.....	80	75	.....

TABLE NO. 6.

AGES OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T
25 to 30 years	2	.....	2
30 to 40 years	4	.....	4
40 to 50 years	15	3	18
50 to 60 years	19	9	28
60 to 70 years	16	40	56
70 to 80 years	66	171	237
80 to 90 years	234	105	339
90 to 100 years	20	9	29
100 to 102 years	1	.....	1
Totals	377	337	714
Average age of Civil War Soldiers			82
Average age of Spanish-American Soldiers			57
Average age of World War Soldiers			39
Average age of Women			76

TABLE NO. 7.

CHURCH AFFILIATIONS OR RELIGIOUS PREFERENCES OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Protestant	70	55	125	75	69	144	145	124	269
Catholic	6	2	8	7	1	8	13	3	16
None	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286

TABLE NO. 8.

CONJUGAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Single	8	.....	8	17	.....	17	25	.....	25
Married	29	20	49	28	19	47	57	39	96
Widowed	37	37	74	33	51	84	70	88	158
Divorced	3	.....	3	4	.....	4	7	.....	7
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	152	127	286

TABLE No. 9.

NATIVITY OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Connecticut	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Indiana	7	5	12	11	7	18	18	12	30
Illinois	14	9	23	11	10	21	25	19	44
Iowa	12	16	28	22	17	39	34	33	67
Kentucky .....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	2
Massachusetts .....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Maryland .....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	2	2	.....
Michigan .....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Mississippi	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Missouri	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3
New Jersey	2	2	4	.....	.....	.....	2	2	4
New York	5	2	7	7	4	11	12	6	18
Ohio	15	10	25	13	16	29	28	26	54
Pennsylvania	7	2	9	9	2	11	16	4	20
Utah .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Vermont	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Virginia .....	.....	3	3	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
West Virginia .....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	3	2	1	3
Wisconsin	1	2	3	.....	2	2	1	4	5
Belgium .....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	.....
Canada .....	.....	1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4
Denmark .....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	.....
England .....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	.....
France	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Germany	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	4
Isle of Man .....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Ireland	3	1	4	1	.....	1	4	1	5
Norway	2	.....	2	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286

TABLE No. 10.

PHYSICAL CONDITION OF MEMBERS
(Compiled by Surgeon)

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Health: No person is admitted unless he be three-fourths disabled unless it be by reason of age.									
II. Diseases:									
1. General diseases	24	12	36	30	22	52	54	34	88
Blind		2	2	2	1	3	2	3	5
Cancer						2		2	2
Debility, senile	15	5	20	23	16	39	38	21	59
Rheumatism	8	3	11	5	2	7	13	5	18
Tuberculosis	1	2	3		1	1	1	3	4
2. Diseases of the nervous system	3	2	5	8	3	11	11	5	16
Locomotor ataxia									
Paralysis, general	3	2	5	4	2	6	7	4	11
Senile dementia				3	1	4	3	1	4
Senile gangrene						1			1
3. Diseases of circulatory system	3	7	10	16	14	30	19	21	40
Cerebral hemorrhage				3		3	3		3
Hemorrhoids		3	3	3	2	5	3	5	8
Hypertrophy of heart	2	2	4	4	3	7	6	5	11
Pernicious anemia						2		2	2
Valvular disease of the heart	1	2	3	4	7	11	5	9	14
Varicose veins				2		2	2		2
4. Diseases of respiratory system	4	13	17	3	6	9	7	19	26
Asthma	3	9	12	2	4	6	5	13	18
Bronchitis	1	4	5	1	2	3	2	6	8
5. Diseases of digestive system	11	4	15	11	15	26	22	19	41
Constipation						3		3	3
Diarrhea	1	1	2	3	1	3	4	1	5
Diseases of liver	2	1	3	3	7	10	5	8	13
Gastritis, chronic	3	2	5	2	3	5	5	5	10
Hernia, double and single	5		5	3	2	5	8	2	10
6. Diseases of genito-urinary system	25	16	41	9	9	18	34	25	59
Cystitis, chronic	4	7	11	7	7	14	11	14	25
Nephritis	8	7	15	2	2	4	10	9	19
Postate enlargement	10		10				10		10
Uremia	3	2	5				3	2	5
7. External injuries	7	3	10	5	1	6	12	4	16
Deafness	3	2	5	2	1	3	5	3	8
Fractures	4	1	5	2		2	6	1	7
Loss of an arm				1		1	1		1
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286

TABLE No. 11.

OCCUPATION PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926			Since opening the Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. Agricultural and rural	39			39			50			89		
Farmer	26			26			37			63		
Gardener							2			2		
Laborer	13			13			11			24		
II. Commercial and mercantile	10			10			8			18		
Agents, real estate							1			1		
Salesman	7			7			1			8		
Merchant	3			3			2			5		
III. Manufacturing and mechanical	24			24			20			44		
1. Building												
Trades												
Electrician	1			1			1			2		
Carpenter	8			8			5			13		
Mason	1			1			3			4		
Painter	2			2			2			4		
Plasterer	1			1			1			2		
Contractor	1			1			1			2		
2. Clay, glass and stone												
3. Mining												
4. Food products												
Baker												
Butcher	3			3			3			6		
Miller												
Cook	1			1			1			2		

TABLE No. 11—Continued.
OCCUPATION PRIOR TO ADMISSION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926			Since opening the Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
5. Iron and steel												
Blacksmith	1			1			2					
Tinner												
Leather				1			1					
Saddler	1			1			1					
Shoemaker												
Metals other than iron				1			1					
Jeweler				1			2					
Paper and Printing												
Printer	1			1			1					
Textiles												
Weave	1			1			1					
Miscellaneous	2	2	4	3	4	2	3	7	3	173	173	
10. Miscellaneous	3	4	1	2	2	2	3	3	3			
IV Transportation				1			1					
Engineer				2			2					
Teamster	2			2			4					
Railroad	1			1			1					
V Professional												
Minister												
Physician	1			1			1					
Teacher		57	57	70	70	70	127	127	127	1198	1468	2006
VI Domestic and personal												
Housewife		57	57							32	9	91
VII Miscellaneous												
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286	5694	1481	7475

TABLE No. 12.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1926

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926			Remaining June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair												
Adams				1	2	3	1	2	3	2	3	5
Allamakee										1	3	1
Appanoose	1		1	1		1	2		2	3	3	6
Benton					4	4		4	4	4	6	10
Black Hawk	3	1	4	6	1	7	9	2	11	12	7	19
Boone	1	3	4		1	1	1	4	5	9	16	25
Bremer										3		3
Buchanan	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3	1	3	4
Buena Vista										1	1	2
Butler										3	2	5
Calhoun				2	1	3	2	1	3	4	1	5
Carroll	1		1				1		1	1		1
Cass										1	1	2
Cedar	2	1	3				2	1	3	2	1	3
Cerro Gordo	1	1	2	2	2	4	3	3	6	3	4	7
Cherokee											1	1
Chickasaw										3	1	4
Clark	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	4	1	3	4	8
Clay		1	1	1		1	1	2		1	1	2
Clayton					2	2	2	2	2	5	3	8
Clinton	1	3	4	2		2	3	6	4	9	13	13
Crawford					1	1		1	1	3	1	4
Dallas	1	1	2	3	2	5	4	3	7	5	5	10
Decatur		1	1	1		1	1	1	2	1	2	3
Delaware		1	1		1	1		2	2	2	3	5
Des Moines	1		1				1		1	6	1	7
Dickinson	1		1				1		1	1	1	1
Dubuque										1	5	6
Emmet					1	1		1	1	1	3	4
Fayette	1		1		1	1	1	1	2	6	6	12
Floyd		1	1	1		1	1	1	2	3	1	4
Franklin		1	1					1	1	1	1	2
Fremont										1	1	2
Greene				1		1	1		1	3	3	6
Grundy		1	1	5		5	5	1	6	4	3	7
Guthrie					1	1		1	1	5	1	6
Hamilton	1		1	2		2	3		3	1	3	4
Hancock										1	1	2
Hardin	1		1				1		1	2	3	5
Harrison					1	1		1	1	2	2	4
Henry										2	1	3
Howard					1	1		1	1	1		1
Ida												
Iowa		1	1		1	1		2	2	1	3	4
Jackson	1		1	1		1	2		2	2		2
Jasper					1	1		1	1	10	9	19
Jefferson												
Johnson										2	2	4
Jones											1	1
Keokuk			1	1		1	1	1	2	4	3	7
Kossuth										1		1
Lee	1		1		1	1	1	1	2		7	7
Linn	4	1	5	4	4	8	8	5	13	14	14	28
Lucas				2		2	2		2	2		2
Louisa										3	1	4

TABLE No. 12—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED AND REMAINING JUNE 30, 1926

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925		For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926			Remaining June 30, 1926		
Lyon	4	4	1	1	2	5	1	6	3	3	3
Madison											
Mahaska	5	5	4	2	6	9	2	11	17	7	24
Marion	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	4	8
Marshall	6	13	19	8	8	16	14	21	35	45	83
Mills											
Mitchell				1	1	2	1	1	2		
Monona											
Monroe	3	3	6			3	3	6	3	4	7
Montgomery	1	1	2			1	1	2	3	2	5
Muscatine	2	1	1	2		2	1	3	4	6	10
O'Brien	2		2			2		2	3		3
Osceola											
Osceola				1		1	1	2	3		3
Page		2	2	1		1	2	3	1	1	2
Palo Alto	1		1	1		1	2	2	3		3
Plymouth											
Pocahontas											
Polk	6	3	9	9	8	17	15	11	26	42	30
Pottawattamie	2		2	1	1	2	3	1	4	8	6
Poweshiek					1	1			1	3	3
Ringgold									1		1
Sac											
Scott	2	2	4				2	2	4	7	5
Shelby											
Sioux				1	1	2	1	1	2	1	3
Story	1		1	1	2	3	2	2	4	5	3
Tama	1	1	2		3	3	1	4	5	3	10
Taylor											
Union	1		1	1	1	2	2	1	3	5	4
Van Buren	1	1	2	2	3	5	3	4	7	4	7
Wapello	4	2	6	1	2	3	5	4	9	11	10
Warren											
Washington				2		2	2		2	1	3
Wayne				1	1		1	1	2	1	3
Webster	4	1	5	1							
Winneshiek											
Woodbury	4	2	6	1	1	2	5	3	8	7	6
Wright											
Other homes	4	3	3	6	1	7	6	4	10	19	15
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286	377	287

TABLE No. 13.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA

	Since opening of Home to June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926			Since opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Adair	14	2	16				14	2	16
Adams	13	8	21	1	2	3	14	10	24
Allamakee	25	6	31				25	6	31
Appanoose	44	14	58	2		2	46	14	60
Audubon	9	1	10				9	1	10
Benton	70	16	86		4	4	70	20	90
Black Hawk	98	29	127	9	2	11	107	31	138
Boone	88	39	127	1	4	5	89	43	132
Bremer	33	3	36				33	3	36
Buchanan	10	4	14	1	2	3	11	6	17
Buena Vista	33	8	41				33	8	41
Butler	32	4	36		1	1	32	5	37
Calhoun	23	5	28	2		2	25	5	30
Carroll	20	6	26	1		1	21	6	27
Cass	34	7	41				34	7	41
Cedar	31	7	38	2	1	3	33	8	41
Cerro Gordo	39	15	54	3	3	6	42	18	60
Cherokee	19	3	22				19	3	22
Chickasaw	24	3	27				24	3	27
Clark	21	7	28	2	2	4	23	9	32
Clay	12	3	15	1	1	2	13	4	17
Clayton	46	6	52		2	2	46	8	54
Clinton	121	22	143	3	3	6	124	25	149
Crawford	21	1	22		1	1	21	2	23
Dallas	47	14	61	4	3	7	51	17	68
Davis	15	1	16				15	1	16
Decatur	5	10	15	1	1	2	6	11	17
Delaware	25	6	31		2	2	25	8	33
Des Moines	85	16	101	1		1	86	16	102
Dickinson	8	4	12	1		1	9	4	13
Dubuque	124	15	139				124	15	139
Emmet	15	4	19		1	1	15	5	20
Fayette	74	20	94	1	1	2	75	21	96
Floyd	38	9	47	1	1	2	39	10	49
Franklin	34	7	41		1	1	34	8	42
Fremont	32	5	37				32	5	37
Greene	40	7	47			1	41	7	48
Grundy	16	9	25			1	16	10	26
Guthrie	36	6	42	5	1	6	41	7	48
Hamilton	37	7	44	3		3	40	7	47
Hancock	11	2	13				11	2	13
Hardin	71	16	87	1		1	72	16	88
Harrison	52	16	68		1	1	52	17	69
Henry	48	15	63				48	15	63
Howard	11		11		1	1	11	1	12
Humboldt	22	4	26				22	4	26
Ida	14	3	17				14	3	17
Iowa	20	7	27		2	2	20	9	29
Jackson	64	9	73	2		2	66	9	75
Jasper	89	26	115		1	1	89	27	116
Jefferson	24	6	30				24	6	30
Jones	62	9	71				62	9	71
Jones	40	7	47				40	7	47
Keokuk	31	9	40	1	1	2	32	10	42
Kossuth	24	4	28				24	4	28
Lee	95	26	121	1	1	2	96	27	123

TABLE No. 13—Continued.

COUNTY RESIDENCE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED FROM IOWA

	Since opening of Home to June 30, 1924			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926			Since opening of Home		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Linn	207	61	268	7	5	12	214	66	280
Lyons	9	1	10	4	1	4	13	1	14
Louisa	36	9	45	1	1	2	37	10	47
Lucas	25	1	26	2	.....	2	27	1	28
Madison	23	6	29	.....	.....	.....	23	6	29
Mahaska	146	43	189	11	2	13	157	45	202
Marion	72	12	84	1	2	3	73	14	87
Marshall	266	182	448	12	21	33	278	203	481
Mills	27	9	36	.....	.....	.....	27	9	36
Mitchell	18	.....	18	1	1	2	19	1	20
Monona	39	10	49	.....	.....	.....	39	10	49
Monroe	31	9	40	3	3	6	34	12	46
Montgomery	35	10	45	1	1	2	36	11	47
Muscatine	100	23	123	2	1	3	102	24	126
O'Brien	20	6	26	2	.....	.....	22	6	28
Osceola	6	1	7	.....	.....	.....	6	1	7
Page	24	.....	24	1	2	3	25	2	27
Palo Alto	10	7	17	2	.....	.....	12	7	19
Plymouth	26	2	28	.....	.....	.....	26	2	28
Pocahontas	18	6	24	.....	.....	.....	18	6	24
Polk	503	165	668	15	11	26	518	176	694
Pottawattamie	121	29	150	3	1	4	124	30	154
Poweshiek	59	18	77	.....	.....	.....	59	19	78
Ringgold	21	2	23	.....	.....	.....	21	2	23
Sac	25	5	30	.....	.....	.....	25	5	30
Scott	160	31	191	2	2	4	162	33	195
Shelby	14	6	20	.....	.....	.....	14	6	20
Sioux	49	8	57	1	1	2	50	9	59
Story	70	20	90	3	2	5	73	22	95
Tama	36	18	54	1	4	5	37	22	59
Taylor	31	8	39	.....	.....	.....	31	8	39
Union	38	10	48	2	1	3	40	11	51
Van Buren	117	25	142	3	3	6	120	28	148
Wappello	61	20	81	5	4	9	66	24	90
Warren	27	7	34	2	.....	.....	29	7	36
Washington	30	4	34	.....	.....	.....	30	4	34
Wayne	68	7	75	.....	.....	.....	68	7	75
Webster	22	4	26	5	1	6	27	5	32
Winnebago	10	3	13	.....	.....	.....	10	3	13
Winneshiek	94	10	104	.....	.....	.....	94	10	104
Woodbury	35	24	59	5	3	8	40	27	67
Worth	19	6	25	.....	.....	.....	19	6	25
Wright	11	3	14	.....	.....	.....	11	3	14
Other states	162	65	227	6	5	11	168	70	238
Washington, D. C.	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
National homes	26	.....	26	5	.....	.....	31	.....	31
Grand Totals	5137	1414	6551	159	127	286	5296	1541	6837

TABLE No. 14.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Villages and towns	30	29	59	34	37	71	64	66	130
Cities of 4000 and under 8000	8	6	14	6	2	8	14	8	22
Cities of 8000 and under 25000	15	9	24	17	17	34	32	26	58
Cities of 25000 and over	18	9	27	18	12	30	36	21	57
National homes	4	.....	4	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Other states	2	4	6	6	2	8	8	6	14
Totals	77	57	134	82	70	152	159	127	286

I. Cities of 4,000 and under 8,000

Albia	3	3	6	.....	.....	.....	3	3	6
Carroll	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Fairfield	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clarinda	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Grinnell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chariton	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Keokuk	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Cedar Falls	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Marion	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Newton	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Red Oak	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Webster City	3	.....	3	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
Spencer	.....	1	1	1	.....	1	1	1	2
Shenandoah	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2
Totals	8	6	14	6	2	8	14	8	22

II. Cities of 8,000 and under 25,000

Boone	1	2	3	.....	1	1	1	3	4
Burlington	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Creston	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Iowa City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fort Dodge	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Marshalltown	7	6	13	6	7	13	13	13	26
Fort Madison	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	.....	1
Muscatine	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Mount Pleasant	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mason City	.....	.....	.....	1	2	3	1	2	3
Oskaloosa	1	.....	1	4	2	6	5	2	7
Ottumwa	4	1	5	1	1	2	5	2	7
Perry	.....	.....	.....	1	3	4	1	3	4
Centerville	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Totals	15	9	24	17	17	34	32	26	28

TABLE No. 14—Continued.

RURAL AND URBAN DISTRIBUTION OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

III. Cities of 25,000 and over

	1	1	2	3	2	5	4	3	7
Cedar Rapids	1	1	2	3	2	5	4	3	7
Clinton	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	3
Council Bluffs	2	.....	2	1	1	2	3	1	4
Davenport	2	2	4	.....	.....	.....	2	2	4
Des Moines	6	3	9	7	7	14	13	10	23
Dubuque .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sioux City	3	1	4	1	1	2	4	2	6
Waterloo	3	1	4	5	1	6	8	2	10
Totals	18	9	27	18	12	30	36	21	57

TABLE No. 15.

NATURE OF ARMY SERVICE OF MEMBERS ADMITTED

I.—WARS IN WHICH ENLISTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Civil War	54	.....	54	56	.....	56	110	.....	110
Spanish-American	15	.....	15	19	.....	19	34	.....	34
World War	6	.....	6	7	.....	7	13	.....	13
No war	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Totals	77	.....	77	82	.....	82	159	.....	159

II.—DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED

Spanish-American	15	.....	15	19	.....	19	34	.....	34
No war	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
U. S. Volunteer	54	.....	54	56	.....	56	110	.....	110
World War	6	.....	6	7	.....	7	13	.....	13
Totals	77	.....	77	82	.....	82	159	.....	159

III.—BRANCH OF DIVISION OF ARMY SERVICE IN WHICH ENLISTED

Infantry	55	.....	55	60	.....	60	115	.....	115
Cavalry	12	.....	12	10	.....	10	22	.....	22
Artillery	3	.....	3	4	.....	4	7	.....	7
World War M. T. C.	6	.....	6	7	.....	7	13	.....	13
Engineer	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Totals	77	.....	77	82	.....	82	159	.....	159

TABLE No. 16.

STATES WHENCE MEMBERS ADMITTED ENLISTED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Connecticut	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Illinois	8	.....	8	13	.....	13	21	.....	21
Indiana	5	.....	5	4	.....	4	9	.....	9
Iowa	40	.....	40	47	.....	47	87	.....	87
Kansas	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Massachusetts .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maine .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Michigan	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Minnesota	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Missouri	5	.....	5	3	.....	3	8	.....	8
Nebraska	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
New York	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Ohio	6	.....	6	5	.....	5	11	.....	11
Pennsylvania	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Virginia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wisconsin	4	.....	4	5	.....	5	9	.....	9
Vermont	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
New Mexico	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
West Virginia .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Totals	77	.....	77	82	.....	82	159	.....	159

TABLE No. 17.

STATES AND TERRITORIES WHENCE MEMBERS WERE ADMITTED

	For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926	Since opening of Home to June 30, 1926	Total to June 30, 1926
MALE	159	5500	5659
Arkansas		7	7
Alabama	1		1
California		17	17
Colorado		26	26
Connecticut		1	1
Florida		3	3
Idaho		3	3
Illinois		163	166
Indiana .....		.43	.43
Indian Territory		2	2
Iowa	151	4726	4877
Kansas		68	68
Kentucky		3	3
Louisiana		3	3
Maine		4	4
Massachusetts		6	6
Michigan	1	17	18
Maryland		2	2
Missouri		63	63
Minnesota	1	25	26
Mississippi		1	1
Montana		9	9
Nebraska		33	33
New Hampshire		2	2
New York		45	45
New Jersey		3	3
Ohio		58	58
Oklahoma	2	13	15
Oregon		6	6
Pennsylvania		24	24
Rhode Island		13	13
South Dakota		11	11
Tennessee		3	3
Texas		1	1
Vermont		4	4
Virginia		2	2
West Virginia		4	4
Washington		3	3
Washington, D. C.		5	5
Wisconsin		67	67
Wyoming		5	5
Unknown		3	3
National Homes	3		3
FEMALE	127	1422	1549
Arkansas		3	3
California		2	2
Colorado		2	2
Illinois	2	10	12
Iowa	122	1354	1476
Kansas		7	7
Massachusetts		3	3
Michigan		1	1
Minnesota	1	4	5
Missouri	2	10	12
Montana		7	7
Nebraska		4	4
New Mexico		1	1
New York		3	3
North Dakota		2	2
Oklahoma		4	4
Tennessee		1	1
Texas		3	3
Washington		1	1
Totals	286	6922	7208

TABLE No. 18.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OF MEMBERS AT HOSPITAL

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925			For Year End- ing June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
I. General diseases	7	2	9	9	4	13	16	6	22
Cancer of breast		1	1				1	1	1
Cancer of inguinal glands	1		1				1		1
Cancer of liver	1		1		2	2	1	2	3
Cancer of mouth	1		1			1	2		2
Cancer of eye and face	1		1	1			3	2	5
Cancer of stomach	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	3	3
Prostate and bladder				3		3	3		3
Rheumatism	2		2		1	1	2	1	3
Disease of spleen				1		1	1		1
Diabetes mellitus				1		1	1		1
Tuberculosis of pulmonary				1		1	1		1
II. Diseases of nervous system	16	12	28	17	17	34	33	29	62
General paralysis	4	4	8	3	5	8	7	9	16
Angina pectoris	1		1	2		2	3		3
General paralysis of insane	2	2	4		1	1	2	3	5
Senile dementia	1	1	1	1	4	5	1	5	6
Senile gangrene	4	1	5	2		2	6	1	7
Senile debility	5	4	9	9	7	16	14	11	25
III. Disease of circulatory system	16	18	34	10	13	23	25	31	57
Arterio-sclerosis	1		1	3		3	4		4
Cerebral hemorrhage	3	6	9	3	2	5	6	8	14
Hypertrophy of heart	1		1	2	4	3	2	5	7
Pernicious anemia		1	1		1	1		2	2
Valvular disease of heart	10	11	21	2	8	10	12	19	31
Pulmonary apoplexy	1		1				1		1
IV. Disease of respiratory system	2	4	6	3	8	11	5	12	17
Influenza	1	1	2	4	6	2	5	7	7
Bronchitis, chronic	2	1	3	1		1	3	1	4
Pneumonia	1	2	2		4	4		6	6
V. Disease of digestive system. Disease of liver	1		1	1	2	3	2	2	4
Chronic diarrhea	1		1	1	2	3	2	1	3
VI. Disease of genitourinary system	6	2	8	7		7	13	2	15
Nephritis		2	2					2	2
Prostatic disease	6		6	7		7	13		13
VII. Fracture hip		4	4					4	4
Accidental death	1	1	2		1	1	1	2	3
Illuminating gas					1	1		1	1
Totals	49	43	92	47	46	93	96	89	185

TABLE No. 19.

AGES OF MEMBERS AT DEATH

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925			For Year Ending June 30, 1926			For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20 and under 30 years	1		1				1		1
40 and under 50 years				1			1		1
50 and under 60 years		1	1		1		1	2	3
60 and under 70 years		2	2		6			8	8
70 and under 80 years	17	12	29	10	15	25	27	27	54
80 and under 90 years	27	27	54	30	20	50	57	47	104
90 and under 100 years	4	1	5	5	4	9	9	5	14
Totals	49	43	92	47	46	93	96	89	185

TABLE No. 20.

ACCESSIONS AND WITHDRAWALS OF BOOKS AND COLLECTIONS

For Biennial Period ending June 30, 1926

Books purchased with Library fund	58
Books donated—Members	6
Total	64
Books withdrawn	410
Books in library June 30, 1926	1508

TABLE No. 21.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARY
CLASSES OF BOOKS ACQUIRED

For the Biennial Period ending June 30, 1926

Biography	1
Fiction	59
History	2
Religion	2
Totals	64

TABLE No. 22.

INSTITUTION LIBRARY
CIRCULATION OF BOOKS

For the Biennial Period ending June 30, 1926

Art	24
Biography	93
Essays and poetry	10
Fiction	8485
History	170
Science	18
Travel	66
Periodicals	412
Religion	23
Total circulation	9301
Average monthly population	547
Average monthly employes	150
Average monthly readers	102

TABLE No. 23.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT
PRODUCTS OF THE FARM

	For Year Ending June 30, 1925		For Year Ending June 30, 1926		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Fruit—						
Apples	144½ Bu.	138.72	¼	.24	144¾	138.96
Blackberries	112 Qts.	28.00			112	28.00
Currants	98 Qts.	19.60			98	19.60
Grapes	3650 Lbs.	146.00	1929	96.45	5579	242.45
Raspberries	14 Qts.	4.20			14	4.20
Strawberries	870 Qts.	217.50	2377	519.35	3247	736.85
Vegetables—						
Beans, green	960 Lbs.	48.00	830	41.50	1790	89.50
Beets	96 Bu.	55.66	90	67.50	186	123.16
Cabbage	12285 Lbs.	245.70	4098	81.96	16383	327.66
Carrots	5½ Bu.	2.75	105	78.76	110½	81.51
Corn, sweet	5190 Lbs.	32.42	6641	49.81	11831	82.23
Cucumbers	1471 Lbs.	29.42	1596	31.72	3067	61.14
Greens	192 Lbs.	3.84			192	3.84
Lettuce	1022 Lbs.	102.20	344	34.40	1366	136.60
Onions, green	582 Lbs.	24.10	715	35.75	1297	59.85
Onions	149½ Bu.	194.35	28	36.41	177½	230.76
Parsnips	55 Bu.	37.40	43	32.25	98	69.65
Peas	1572 Lbs.	157.20	587	70.44	2159	227.64
Peppers	Lbs.		1345	66.25	1345	66.25
Pickles	Gal.		46	13.25	46	13.25
Potatoes	1660 Bu.	1162.00	1093½	1093.33	2753½	2255.33
Pumpkins	5185 Lbs.	25.93	6689	33.46	11874	59.39
Radishes	706 Lbs.	32.60	838	41.90	1544	74.50
Rhubarb	7920 Lbs.	237.60	2930	87.90	10850	325.50
Sauerkraut	Gal.		368	92.00	884	221.00
Squash	5998 Lbs.	119.96	8084	161.68	14082	281.64
Sweet potatoes	21½ Bu.	21.50	17	25.50	38½	47.00
Swiss chard	920 Lbs.	28.15	774	38.70	1694	66.85
Tomatoes	118 Bu.	88.50	558¼	473.81	676¼	562.31
Turnips	166 Bu.	104.35	129½	129.50	295½	233.85
Totals		3436.65		3433.82		870.47

TABLE No. 24.

PRODUCTS OF THE PENS—CONSUMED

	For Year End- ing June 30, 1925		For Year End- ing June 30, 1926		For Biennial Period Ending June 30, 1926	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Chicken .....Lbs.	794½	197.63	859	154.83	1653½	352.46
Eggs .....Doz.	1659	539.47	1005	331.55	2664	871.02
Pork, fresh .....Lbs.	23555	8593.25	22955	3443.25	46510	6976.50
Totals		4270.35		3929.63		8199.98

TABLE No. 25.

ARTICLES MANUFACTURED

Bread sacks	6	5.32	26	10.94	32	16.26
Couch covers	2	5.32	1	1.18	3	6.50
Curtains	266	153.72	201	129.08	467	282.80
Drop cloths.....			2	5.85	2	5.85
Pillow cases	840	359.80	590	242.40	1430	602.20
Pillow covers			71	8.56	71	8.56
Pillow tops	15	3.20			15	3.20
Rack covers			6	8.95	6	8.95
Sheets, double	88	131.38	98	150.19	186	281.57
Sheets, single	848	831.77	866	885.77	1714	1717.54
Table cloths	164	196.22	185	315.67	349	511.89
Table covers			12	2.98	12	2.98
Towels, barber	12	2.88			12	2.88
Towels, bath	180	77.60	160	60.50	310	138.10
Towels, hand	470	145.66	340	98.72	810	244.38
Towels, roller	12	7.67	169	104.88	181	112.55
Clothing—						
Aprons	87	25.51	88	26.82	175	52.33
Chemise	2	2.42			2	2.42
Dresses	13	35.83	11	29.72	24	65.55
Gowns	31	43.36	24	28.11	55	71.47
Night shirts	16	20.34	30	35.00	46	55.34
Pants, Ladies	2	2.45			2	2.45
Petticoats	2	2.51	4	4.68	6	7.19
Shrouds	9	59.35	2	16.59	11	75.94
Skirts	11	11.98	3	2.44	14	14.42
Slips			2	2.95	2	2.95
Underwaists	2	1.76			2	1.76
Waists	2	3.18	2	3.00	4	6.18
Totals		2129.23		2174.98		4304.21

TABLE No. 26.

LAUNDRY WORK DONE FOR
BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1926

Sheets	225,000
Spreads	58,000
Pillow slips	200,000
Table cloths	125,000
Undershirts	25,000
Shirts	30,000
Drawers	25,000
Socks	15,000
Aprons	6,000
Hand towels	30,000
Roller towels	10,000
Bath towels	45,000
Barber towels	20,000
Hospital cloths	10,000
Jackets	40,000
Overalls	50,000
Night shirts	12,000
Nurses uniforms	5,000
Nurses aprons	2,080
Handkerchiefs	3,500
Carpets and rugs	800
Blankets	20,000
Cushions	200
Trousers	35,000
Vests	100
Coats	150
Lace curtains	4,500
Bibs	500
Skirts	1,560
Collars	2,550
Totals	1001,440

TABLE No. 27.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22, 1926

Breakfast—			
Buttered toast (Accounted for)			
Meat stew (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	70 pounds	.0275	1.93
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 10.45
Dinner—			
Cold boiled hams	75 pounds	.2436	18.27
Potatoes creamed	2 bushels	1.314	2.63
String beans	6 cans	.60	3.60
Rhubarb pies	32 only	.25	8.00
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Totals			41.38
Supper—			
Creamed potatoes			
(Accounted for)			
Meat for workmen			
(Accounted for)			
Beans for workmen			
(Accounted for)			
Grape sauce	6 cans	.57½	3.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Pepper	¼ pound	.17½	.04
Tea	½ pound	.28	.14
Total			\$ 12.54
Total cost for Sunday, May 16, 1926			\$ 64.37

TABLE No. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22, 1926.

Breakfast—			
Pan cakes	350 only	.10	2.92
Meat for workmen			
(Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	70 pounds	.0275	1.93
Bread	5 pounds	.05	.25
Total			\$ 13.12
Dinner—			
Beef boiled	90 pounds	.149	13.41
Bean soup, Beans	15 pounds	.0665	1.00
Crackers	20 pounds	.094	1.88
Potatoes	2 bushels	1.314	2.63
Apricots	6 cans	.66½	4.00
Radishes	25 pounds	.05	1.25
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	5 pounds	.05	.25
Total			\$ 32.80
Supper—			
Potatoes fried (Accounted for)			
Rice boiled	15 pounds	.06875	1.03
Radishes for workmen			
(Accounted for)			
Meat for workmen			
(Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea	½ pound	.28	.14
Pepper	¼ pound	.17½	.04
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Total			\$ 10.10
Total cost for Monday May 17, 1926			\$ 56.02

TABLE No. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22, 1926.

Breakfast—			
Bacon fried	30 pounds	.15	4.50
Eggs	15 dozen	.29	4.35
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	70 pounds	.0275	1.93
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 19.30
Dinner—			
Beef boiled	90 pounds	.149	13.41
Potatoes in broth	2 bushels	1.314	2.63
Tomatoes stewed	6 cans	.45	2.70
Rice pudding (Accounted for)			
Eggs	2½ dozen	.29	.73
Green onions	20 pounds	.05	1.00
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 29.35
Supper—			
Potatoes baked	1½ bushels	1.314	1.97
Meat (Accounted for)			
Dried apple sauce	15 pounds	.1304	1.96
Tomatoes for workmen (Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Tea	½ pound	.28	.14
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Pepper	¼ pound	.17½	.04
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Total			\$ 13.00
Total cost for Tuesday May 18, 1926			\$ 61.65

TABLE No. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22, 1926.

Breakfast—			
Hash (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	60 pounds	.0275	1.65
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 10.17
Dinner—			
Pot roast beef	80 pounds	.149	11.92
Potatoes in jackets	2 bushel	1.314	2.63
Lima beans	15 pounds	.06	.90
Pumpkin pies	18 only	.35	7.00
Pumpkin	4 cans	.24¾	.99
Eggs	3 dozen	.29	.87
Green onions	25 pounds	.05	1.25
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	60 pounds	.0275	1.65
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 35.26
Supper—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
Corn meal mush	20 pounds	.03	.60
Fried potatoes (Accounted for)			
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	60 pounds	.0274	1.65
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea	½ pound	.28	.14
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Pepper	¼ pound	.17½	.04
Total			\$ 10.49
Total cost for Wednesday, May 19, 1926			\$ 55.92

TABLE No. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22, 1926.

Breakfast—			
Meat (Accounted for)			
Fried mush (Accounted for)			
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	60 pounds	.0275	1.65
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 10.17
Dinner—			
Beef boiled	80 pounds	.149	11.92
Potatoes in broth	2 bushel	1.314	2.63
Tomatoes	6 cans	.45	2.70
Rubarb cobbler	3 pans	.75	2.25
Radishes	25 pounds	.05	1.25
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 29.63
Supper—			
Meat (Accounted for)			
Browned potatoes (Accounted for)			
Cookies	180 only	.15	2.25
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Tea	½ pound	.28	.14
Pepper	¼ pound	.17½	.04
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Total			\$ 11.32
Total cost for Thursday, May 20, 1926			\$ 51.12

TABLE No. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22, 1926

Breakfast—			
Fried bacon	25 pounds	.15	3.75
Boiled eggs	15 dozen	.29	4.35
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	60 pounds	.0275	1.65
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 18.27
Dinner—			
Beef boiled	80 pounds	.149	11.92
Potatoes in broth	2 bushel	1.314	2.63
Baked beans	15 pounds	.0655	.98
Rhubarb sauce	25 pounds	.03	.75
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 21.42
Supper—			
Meat for working men (Accounted for)			
Fried potatoes (Accounted for)			
Beans for half set (Accounted for)			
Corn bread	6 pans	.75	4.50
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	60 pounds	.0275	1.65
Bread	4 pounds	.05	.20
Tea	½ pound	.28	.14
Pepper	¼ pound	.17½	.04
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Total			\$ 14.09
Total cost for Friday, May 21, 1926			\$ 53.78

TABLE No. 27—Continued.

BILLS OF FARE—MAIN DINING ROOMS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 23, 1926			
Breakfast—			
Meat for workmen (Accounted for)			
	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Oatmeal .....		.10	2.92
Pan cakes	350 only	.99	1.98
Syrup	2 gallons	.0665	1.33
Sugar	20 pounds	.31	2.48
Coffee	8 pounds	.3735	3.74
Butter	10 pounds	.0275	.83
Milk	30 pounds		
Total			\$ 13.75
Dinner—			
Beef steak			
	70 pounds	.149	10.43
Brown gravy (Accounted for)			
Potatoes in jackets	2 bushels	1.314	2.63
Sweet corn	30 cans	.09	2.70
Chocolate pudding (eggs)	3½ dozen	.29	.73
Sugar	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Butter	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Milk	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Bread	10 pounds	.05	.50
Total			\$ 25.37
Supper—			
Steak for workmen (Accounted for)			
Fried potatoes (Accounted for)			
Half set corn (Accounted for)			
Sauce (Accounted for)			
	20 pounds	.0665	1.33
Sugar	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Coffee	10 pounds	.3735	3.74
Butter	30 pounds	.0275	.83
Milk	30 pounds	.05	.50
Bread	10 pounds	.28	.14
Tea	½ pound	.17½	.04
Pepper	¼ pound	.01	.01
Salt	1 pound		
Total			\$ 9.07
Total cost for Saturday, May 22, 1926			
			\$ 48.19

TABLE No. 28.

BILL OF FARE—OLD PEOPLE'S DINING ROOMS, THANKSGIVING 1925			
Dinner—			
Chicken stewed	120 pounds	.25	30.00
Potatoes mashed	2 pecks	1.314	.66
Sweet potatoes	2 bushels	1.00	2.00
Biscuit dumplings flour	20 pounds	.0349	.70
Lard	4 pounds	.171	.68
Baking powder	½ pound	.09	.05
Cabbage slaw	25 pounds	.02	.50
Vinegar	½ gallon	.215	.11
Cranberries	33 pounds	.17½	5.78
Apples from W. R. C.			
Jelly from W. R. C.			
Oysters escalloped	4 gallons	2.25	9.00
Crackers	15 pounds	.094	1.41
Pumpkin pies	26 only	.25	6.50
Cake (flour)	20 pounds	.0349	.70
Eggs	2 dozen	.39	.78
Baking powder	½ pound	.06	.05
Lemon extract	¼ pint	.98¾	.25
Milk	40 pounds	.0275	1.10
Sugar	8 pounds	.0665	.53
Bread	15 pounds	.05	.75
Butter	8 pounds	.50	4.00
Coffee	2 pounds	.31	.62
Tea	3 ounces	.28	.05
Total cost for dinner, November 26, 1925			
			\$ 66.22
BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1925			
Breakfast—			
Toast (Accounted for)			
Potatoes	½ bushel	1.314	.66
Oatmeal	15 pounds	.0311	.47
Bacon	5 pounds	.2946	1.47
Eggs	8 dozen	.42	3.36
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter	7 pounds	.449	3.14
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Milk	100 pounds	.0275	2.75
Sugar	10 pounds	.0665	.67
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Eggs	2 dozen	.42	.84
Total			\$ 17.35
Dinner—			
Celery	25 pounds	.10	2.50
Pickles	2½ gallons	.25	.63
Chicken stewed and gravy	125 pounds	3.484	43.55
Biscuits—flour	12 pounds	.0349	.42
Baking powder	3 ounces	.09	.02
Mashed potatoes	1 bushel	1.314	1.31
Creamed peas	36 cans	.11½	4.20
Cold slaw—cabbage	20 pounds	.02	.40
Jelly donated by W. R. C.			
Cranberry sauce	35 pounds	.17½	6.13
Mince pies—mince meat	25 pounds	.14½	3.63
Oranges	200 only	.03	6.00
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Candy donated by W. R. C.			
Butter	8 pounds	.449	3.59
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Crackers	5 pounds	.094	.47
Milk	140 pounds	.0275	3.85
Sugar	10 pounds	.0665	.67
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Pepper	2 ounces	.17½	.02
Total			\$ 81.38

TABLE No. 28—Continued.

BILL OF FARE—HOSPITAL DINING ROOMS, CHRISTMAS, 1925

Supper—			
Oyster soup	5 gallons	2.25	1.13
Cookies	35 pounds	.12	4.20
Jam donated by W. R. C.			
Fruit salad fruit by W. R. C.			
Jello	12 pounds	.24	2.88
Pineapple	6 cans	.23	1.43
Potatoes	½ bushel	1.314	.60
Toast (Accounted for)			
Tea	1 pound	.28	.28
Bread	30 pounds	.05	1.50
Butter	7 pounds	.449	3.14
Coffee	8 pounds	.31	2.48
Crackers	4 pounds	.094	.38
Milk	100 pounds	.0275	2.75
Sugar	10 pounds	.0665	.67
Salt	1 pound	.01	.01
Total			\$ 21.51
Special diet—beef broth, beef steak, baked potatoes, cocoa, corn starch pudding, eggs, eggnog, thickened milk, oatmeal gruel, potato soup, dry, milk and french toast, and custard.			
Total cost for Friday, December 25, 1925			\$ 120.24

TABLE No. 29.

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND

June 1, 1924 to July 1, 1925

Receipts—	
Balance July 1, 1924	\$ 47513.74
Per Capita, Members	252000.00
Per Capita, Civilians	26165.27
Miscellaneous receipts	3747.72
Total	\$ 329426.73
Expenditures	
Salaries and wages	\$ 135676.29
Provisions	70859.60
Household stores	14030.02
Clothing	3264.32
Fuel and light	33236.01
Hospital supplies	2308.78
Shop, farm and garden	17033.85
Ordinary supplies	337.91
Water and ice	4556.04
Postage and stationery	1459.88
Miscellaneous	4841.81
Transferred to Cherokee	2000.00
Transferred to Woodward	12000.00
Transferred to Oakdale	21000.00
Balance July 1, 1925	6802.22
Total	\$ 329426.72

TABLE No. 29—Continued.

SECOND YEAR

July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926

Receipts	
Balance June 30, 1925	\$ 6802.22
Credit received	260750.00
Miscellaneous receipts	7716.69
Total	\$ 275268.91
Expenditures	
Maintenance and repair	
Salaries	\$ 33969.99
Repairs of building and equipment	2972.08
Repairs of machinery and equipment	1666.14
Shop tools and supplies	507.38
Operating expenses	
Salaries	77390.57
Provisions	63717.81
Institutional furnishings	6978.62
Cleaning and cleansing	2278.41
Gasoline, oils and auto supplies	629.37
Clothing	4805.36
Fuel	32115.62
Farm and garden supplies	5012.31
Library and amusement	438.17
Transportation	62.02
Express, freight and drayage	158.17
Printing	55.12
Hospital and medical supplies	1429.98

GENERAL SUPPORT FUND

Electric lamps and flashlights	1.10
Gas, light and water	3074.58
Insurance	145.54
Miscellaneous	3228.00
Communications	
Telephone and telegraph	434.18
Postage	190.22
Stationery	52.74
Administration and supervision	
Salaries	9640.00
Traveling expenses	97.21
Office supplies	529.80
Capital expenditures	
Equipment	311.16
Increase in contingent fund	2000.00
Balance June 30, 1926	21377.26
Total	\$ 275268.91

TABLE No. 30.

CONTINGENT STATE AND POSTHUMOUS FUND

	Contingent Fund	Salaries and wages	Miscellaneous receipts
June 1, 1924	\$ 5000.00		
June 1924	1146.46	10344.22	224.30
July 1924	975.57	10479.88	781.85
August 1924	425.74	10411.96	301.36
September 1924	524.73	10278.65	98.90
October 1924	681.31	10530.87	245.32
November 1924	1192.49	10407.10	189.32
December 1924	1891.49	10456.79	163.41
January 1925	2031.48	10445.20	207.55
February 1925	1726.58	10484.50	159.39
March 1925	1612.24	10485.80	245.81
April 1925	1270.17	10339.26	357.46
May 1925	1791.34	10485.11	90.08
June 1925	1727.75	10527.05	682.97
July 1925	1519.57	10468.44	289.54
August 1925	1488.61	10270.48	154.49
September 1925	2232.08	10197.50	189.33
October 1925	2144.75	10176.28	1419.28
November 1925	2875.26	10152.26	239.37
December 1925	3730.59	10057.65	2004.71
January 1926	4963.70	9880.71	245.68
February 1926	3084.68	10064.00	145.58
March 1926	2913.24	9987.09	662.01
April 1926	1487.02	9751.53	212.90
May 1926	1647.97	9978.75	170.26
June 1926	1438.15	10075.87	1983.54
Totals	\$ 51523.37	\$ 256676.85	\$ 11464.41
Expenditures on approved vouchers	\$ 44523.37	\$ 256676.85	\$ 11464.41
Balance June 30, 1926	7000.00		
Totals	\$ 51523.37	\$ 256676.85	\$ 11464.41
	Totals taken	for 25 months	
Note: Contingent Fund increased during period	\$ 2000.00		

TABLE NO. 31.

MOVEMENT OF CASH

Settlement by Accountant, Board of Control Office

Cash on hand, Members fund June 30, 1924			\$ 21395.06
Cash received, Members fund biennial period to June 30, 1926			192228.19
By checks drawn and receipts given		\$ 171796.78	
Balance cash, Members fund June 30, 1926	\$ 34914.19		
Miscellaneous receipts	1983.54		
Contingent fund	4928.74	41826.47	
Total		\$ 213623.25	\$ 213623.25
Total number checks issued	1710		

TABLE NO. 32.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

	Balance in State Treasury June 24, 1926	Appropriated by 41st General Assembly	Amount expended during Period	Balance July 1 1926
Contingent and repair	\$ 23526.84	\$ 15000.00	\$ 33987.19	\$ 4539.70
Lectures, books, amusements, etc. ..	1224.01		1224.01	
Totals	\$ 24750.95	\$ 15000.00	\$ 35211.20	\$ 4539.75

TABLE NO. 33.

		Value
1. Summary of Inventory June 30, 1926:		
Land	156 Acres	\$ 51600.00
Buildings and fixtures		395495.20
Personal property		188581.59
Live stock		5336.00
	Number	Value
Horses	4	350.00
Mules	4	600.00
Bulls		
Cows		
Steers		
Heifers		
Calves		
Sheep	55	629.00
Hogs	201	3450.00
Poultry	470	307.60
Total amount as shown by inventory		\$ 641013.39
2. Kinds and amounts of coal purchased for the biennium ending June 30, 1926:		
Kind of Coal	Tons	
Screenings	16556.95	\$ 54989.64
Range	506.4	2386.08
Totals	17063.35	\$ 57375.72
Iowa coal	16757.04	\$ 55910.61
Illinois coal	306.31	1465.11
Totals	17063.35	\$ 57375.72
Total amount purchased	17063.35	\$ 57375.72
Total amount consumed	16898.92	\$ 56755.23
3. Losses sustained during recent biennium ending June 30, 1926:		None
4. Total amount of products from farms, orchards and gardens for biennium ending June 30, 1926:		
Farm products		\$ 467.43
Poultry yards		1223.48
Live stock sold		5175.77
Dressed meats		6976.50
Garden products		7029.02
Orchard and miscellaneous		1170.06
Total		\$ 22043.16

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME

Trustees	Time of Service
J. J. Russell	1887 to 1893
C. W. Burdick	1887 to 1893
S. L. Dows	1887 to 1893
N. A. Merrill	1887 to 1895
J. M. Tuttle	1887 to 1892
G. A. Madson	1887 to 1892
S. B. Evans	1893 to 1898
J. R. Ratekin	1894 to 1898
A. T. Birchard	1894 to 1898
C. L. Davidson	1895 to 1896
L. M. Morton	1895 to 1898
G. L. Godfrey	1897 to 1898

Board of Control	Time of Service
William Larrabee	January 1, 1898 to February 14, 1900
John Cowrie	January 1, 1898 to April 5, 1910
L. G. Kinne	January 1, 1898 to March 15, 1906
G. S. Robinson	March 2, 1900 to June 30, 1913
John T. Hamilton	April 17, 1906 to September 30, 1909
John F. Wade	October 1, 1909 to September 16, 1913
Murdoch Bannister	April 6, 1910 to April 30, 1913
W. J. Dixon	May 1, 1913 to July 1, 1917
J. H. McConlogue	October 6, 1913 to February 26, 1917
W. D. Sheean	July 29, 1917 to July 1, 1921
A. M. McColl	July 1, 1913 to date
J. H. Strief	July 1, 1917 to date
J. B. Butler	June 1, 1921 to date

Commandants of the Home	Time of Service
Milo Smith	December 1, 1887 to October 10, 1892
J. H. Keatly	October 10, 1892 to September 22, 1894
J. R. Ratekin	September 23, 1894 to September 28, 1897
C. C. Horton	October 12, 1897 to April 1, 1916
B. C. Whitehill	April 1, 1916 to date

Adjutants of the Home	Time of Service
A. D. Gaston	1887 to March 10, 1889
F. T. Wells	1889 to November 1894
Chas. L. Longley	November 1894 to August 1895
B. F. Warful	August 14, 1895 to March 26, 1903
Geo. F. A. Walker	March 1903 to September 1, 1907
B. A. Beeson	September 13, 1907 to September 1, 1915
John C. Loper	September 1, 1915 to date

Quartermasters of the Home	Time of Service
B. E. Eberhardt	1887 to August 1895
Chas. L. Longley	August 14, 1895 to September 1897
B. A. Beeson	October 12, 1897 to February 1, 1903
H. J. Bennett	February 1, 1903 to November 1, 1918
Carl Shaffner	November 1 1918 to date

OFFICIALS AND TERMS SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF HOME

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
W. B. Watters	1887 to November 9, 1893
H. P. Duffield	August 2, 1894 to May 1, 1918
G. A. Mershon	May 1, 1918 to September 1, 1920
W. S. Devine	September 1, 1920 to date

Chaplains of the Home	Time of Service
Rev. C. S. Percival	Organization to 1890
City Ministers	1890 to April 1, 1900
Rev. Jesse Cole	April 1, 1900 to August 25, 1913
Rev. H. O. Pratt	October 20, 1913 to November 1, 1919
Rev. W. H. Clement	November 1, 1919 to date

SURGEON'S STATISTICAL REPORT
FOR BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1926.

SURGEON'S REPORT

Marshalltown, Iowa,
July 1, 1926.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.
Dear Sir:

I herewith enclose the biennial report of the hospital work covering the two year period commencing July 1, 1924 and terminating June 30, 1926.

At the beginning of this period there were 124 patients in the hospital. We received during this two year period 734 patients, a total of 858 patients—of this number 554 were returned to their quarters after treatment. The assistant surgeon and myself have made 2,190 calls on patients in their quarters. We have written 24,000 prescriptions—there remained in the hospital June 30, 1926, 123 patients for care and treatment.

The increasing number of patients being brought to the hospital who are wholly, or in large measure, mentally irresponsible, will necessitate the further construction of small rooms for their comfort and care—as with your co-operation has been done during the past year.

The hospital staff has changed by the resignation of Dr. H. J. Whitehead, the assistant surgeon, who is succeeded by Dr. R. J. Stephen of Malcom, Iowa, who is now acting in that capacity.

I wish to acknowledge your helpful co-operation in the many trying problems which arise in the management of the hospital.

Respectfully

W. S. DEVINE, Surgeon and Superintendent.

Number of cases treated in hospital	759
Number of cases treated in their quarters	2190
Number received medicine from dispensary (each patient counted as many times as he presented himself at sick call)	15300
Number of prescriptions written morning call (except Sunday)	8700
Highest number in hospital at one time, males	100
Highest number in hospital at one time, females	76
In hospital June 30, 1924, male	69
In hospital June 30, 1924, female	53
Average number in hospital, male	71
Average number in hospital, female	62
Died in Home, Union soldiers	94
Died in Home, Spanish-American soldiers	2
Died in Home, World War soldiers	1
Died in the Home, women	89
Died on furlough, Union soldiers	21
Died on furlough, women	23
Average age of Union soldiers who died in Home	83
Average age of Union soldiers who died on furlough	82
Average age of Spanish-American soldiers who died in Home	37
Average age of women who died in Home	73
Average age of women who died on furlough	75
In hospital June 30, 1926, males	67
In hospital June 30, 1926, females	56

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Iowa Soldiers' Home,
July 1, 1926.

B. C. Whitehill, Commandant,
Iowa Soldiers' Home,
Marshalltown, Iowa.
Dear Sir:

RELIGIOUS WORK

A Sunday morning adult Bible Class at nine-thirty o'clock has been continued during this biennium, followed by preaching service. At three o'clock every alternate Sunday a short song and praise service at the hospital for those who are not able to attend other services. These services have been greatly appreciated.

From seven to eight o'clock in the evening a service of song and prayer (sometimes a sermon) at the chapel closes the Sunday services. On Wednesday evening the midweek prayer and testimony meeting is usually well attended. The sacrament of our Lord's supper has been administered quarterly and from sixty to seventy of the Home members have participated in this serv-

ice. A Young Woman's Bible Class has been organized the past year; is composed of those employed here and is taught by a lady member of the Home. This meets at the same hour (9:30 A. M.) as the adult class.

FINANCE

A spirit of liberality prevails with the old people. The regular Sunday morning collection is divided equally among three organizations, the Salvation Army of Marshalltown, Orphan's Home of Council Bluffs, Iowa and the Piney Woods colored school near Braxton, Mississippi.

MORTALITY

The total number of deaths this biennium have been 234. Of this number, 94 were buried in the Home cemetery, services being held in the chapel. All veterans are buried with military honors.

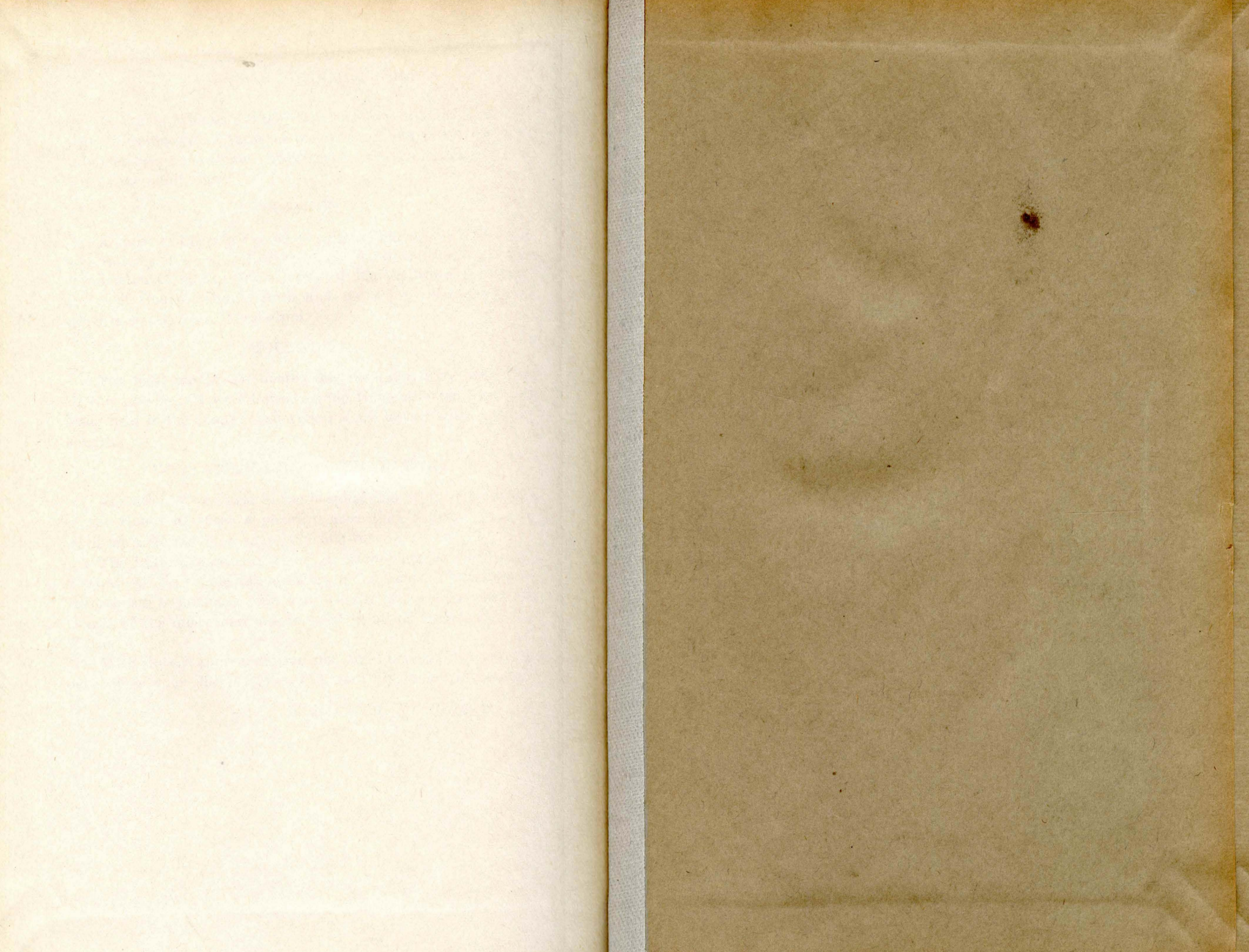
VISITATION OR PASTORAL WORK

Visitation of the sick, in the hospital and at other buildings of the Home, has been a pleasure more than a duty. In this work my wife has been especially helpful.

The faithful service of the choir should not be overlooked. They are all old people and members of the Home. The chaplain is fortunate in having a wife who presides at the organ and has charge of the music and is interested in all of the work of the Home.

With sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Commandant, and the members of your official family, I respectfully submit this report.

W. H. CLEMENT, Chaplain.





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