

Minutes of the June Meeting
of the
Board of Directors
of the
Peoples Institute and Portland Free Dispensary.
1928

The regular meeting of the Peoples Institute and Portland Free Dispensary was held on Friday morning, June 1, 1928 in the office of the Dispensary. Those present were, Mrs Rockey, presiding, Mrs Wilcox, Mrs Chaney, Mrs Gillison, Mrs Wight, Mrs Gerlinger and Miss Prichard.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted, and the Treasurer's report was read and approved. The Statistical Report was read showing a total number of examinations for the month of April 1908, and total visits 4068. Number referred to hospitals 109
Number referred to private physician 18
Average number of patients per day 162.

Miss Prichard reported that the budget for the Medical School had been made out for the coming two years with the assistance of Mr Couch the Medical School Financial Secretary. The total amount estimated was \$22568.00 from the Medical School.

There is a great need for the services of another nurse for follow up work in the Child Health Clinic and in the Pediatric Clinic.

Miss Prichard read the following letter which she had sent to Dr Dillehunt at his request after his interview with Miss Schreyer the Head Nurse.

Action by the Board regarding this matter was deferred to a later date.

Mrs Rockey reported the suggestion that had been made by Mr Amadee Smith, former Chairman of the Community Chest Finance Committee and present

Chairman of the County Commissioners , that the County assist more largely in that part of the financial support of the Free Dispensary that is now carried by the Community Chest.

She appointed a committee consisting of Mrs Gerbinger, Mrs Gillison and Miss Prichard to interview Dr Dillehunt and Mr Amadee Smith regarding the possibility of the County or the City, or both, assuming a larger portion of the financial backing of the Dispensary.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Note - As there was not a quorum all matters will be referred to the next meeting for satisfaction.

Signed - Mrs Otis B. Wight

Secretary Pro Tem