

**P. R. Association, Sholapur.**

(Founded in 1932)

Registered under Societies Registration Act.

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**A. Short Report**

**48.**



## ADVISORY BOARD for 1948.

1. Dr. K. B. Antrolikar, President.
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Sholapur.
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## HONORARY AUDITOR

Mr. H. S. Sohoni, B. Com., G. D. A., R. A.,  
Sholapur.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

( Founder-President & Honorary Treasurer )

1. Mr. D. P. Bhave,  
( Originator and Hon. Organiser ).

## Foundation Stone Ceremony.



Hon'ble Mr. N. V. Gadgil lays the  
Foundation Stone on 25-4-49.





Late Mr. R. S. Rajwade



Late Dr. V. K. Kirloskar

We deeply grieve the death of these two pioneers of the Association. The Association has been put to an irreparable loss by their passing away. May the departed souls rest in peace.

*With Best Compliments from*  
**Mr. D. P. Bhave,**  
**Honorary Organiser.**

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## **Patients' Relief Association,** **Sholapur.**

**Founded in 1932.**

( Registered under the Societies' Registration  
Act XX of 1860 ).

1. **Origin:**—This Association was started in 1932 with the object of lending, *gratis to the poor* and at a nominal hire to others, medical appliances such as Thermometers, Ice-bags, Hot-Water Bags, Bed-Pans, Urinals, etc. required in nursing the sick. The Association has been duly registered.

2. **Constitution:**—The Association is conducted by an Executive Committee with the advice of an Advisory Board consisting of the most eminent persons in the city.

3. **Work & Progress:**—Starting with only three borrowed articles in 1932 the Association today owns nearly 800 articles of 40 different kinds. The field of our activity has also been largely extended by opening 7 branches in the city and 4 in the Moffusil Area viz., Barsi, Mandrup, Kurduwadi, and Rople. Recently the Association has opened one more Branch at Policie Hd. Quarters Sholapur with the help of Mr. P. M. Pant, D. S.P.

Sholapur. About 275 articles are in every-day circulation. And so far thousands have availed themselves of our services. We render services irrespective of caste, creed or religion on the lines of the Red Cross Society. From one man to start with, the Association has, at present, twenty-one honorary workers, enthusiastically and selflessly doing and promoting the work of the Association. The Association has inspired work of this kind in several places like Lahore, Poona, Bhusawal, Jabulpore, Alibag, Kolhapur, Ratnagiri, Erandol, Belgaum, Wardha etc. Nearly 1000 letters of enquiry have been received from abroad.

4. Finance:—The budget for 1949 appended at the end of this Report will give some idea of the financial position of this Institution. It is necessary to offer a few explanatory remarks in this connection. A large proportion of the medical appliances being made of rubber and glass, is specially liable to breakage and wear and tear. This necessitates an annual expenditure of about Rs. 8000 on purchases of articles. Other items of expenditure, such as office rent, servants' pay, cleaning and sterilization, of returned articles, printing and publicity take up an additional amount of Rs. 2500, thus bringing the total annual estimate of expenditure to Rs. 3300. The rise in prices due to the war makes it probable that the total expenditure will go on increasing at least for some years to come. The hire-money received

from the well-to-do comes to about Rs. 900. The balance of Rs. 2600 has to be raised by means of grants and donations from Public Bodies and individuals, which are uncertain and obtainable at a cost of precious time which is hard to be spared by the Hon. workers who are busy with their usual avocations. But for the aid received from them so far the service rendered by the Association to the public would have been impossible. But as the receipt of such grants and donations in fixed amounts cannot be guaranteed every year, a small reserve fund of about Rs. 3,000 has been set apart, to make good any deficit that may occur and thus to ensure continuity of this Charitable Work.

As the sphere of work of the Association is widening every day, a full time servant will have to be engaged in the near future. This will also add to the expenditure.

5. Building.—During the last 16 years convenience and economy compelled us to shift to 6 different places which caused much inconvenience and trouble both to us and to the public. We have, therefore, proposed to have our own building suited to our own requirements, which are a store, an office, a cleaning room and a Hall. We have also in view some additional buildings for rental purposes with a view to make the Association self-supporting, regarding its current expenses. In addition to the plot leased out to the Association

by the Sholapur Municipality, an adjoining house has been purchased by the Association for building purposes. Our building on the Municipal plot would have been ready by now but owing to certain unavoidable legal difficulties and owing to the soaring prices of the building material, we could not have the same during the year of the report. We are, however, glad to report the commencement of the work of Building at the hands of Hon'ble Mr. N. V. Gadgil who kindly laid the Foundation Stone on 25-4-1949. By now June 1949 the plinth work has come to a finish and we hope to get the building completely ready for occupation on the 15th of August 1949.

Few points in this connection.

- (1) In hand Rs. 20,000.
- (2) Total estimated cost Rs. 50,000.
- (3) Sufficient quota of iron, steel and cement at hand.
- (4) Our need Rs. 30,000.

We beg to appeal to the generous individuals and bodies to extend their help to this humanitarian work so that this generous help will lead the Association to the permanent footing.

6. Thanks:—It is due to the co-operation of young, energetic Organisers, who work in an honorary capacity, that the various branches of the Association are being run satisfactorily. The Advisory Board has been giving invaluable help,



from the inception of the institution to the present day, in properly guiding it and in widening the sphere of its activity. Especially Mr. A. K. Joshi, Chief Officer. Mr. Motabhai Desai; Mr. G. S. Patil etc., have taken troubles in the Association's building purposes for which we sincerely thank them. Mr. V. B. Salukhe, B. E., highly deserves our thanks for his invaluable services regarding the construction of building. Mr. H. S. Sohoni, B. Com., G. D. A., R. A.; and the Manager, Chitra Talkies and others have obliged the Institution from time to time, by helping it in every possible way. The managers of the Kesari Vividh-Vritta and local papers-Kalpataru and Sholapur Samachar-have been frequently giving publicity to our Association. Our special thanks are due to the Managers Sholapur Mills, Vishnu and Laxmi Mills, Jam Mill for giving us special facilities in conducting branches in their respective mill-area. We are also thankful to Mr. P. M. Pant, D. S. P. Sholapur for his help.

We are also very thankful to all the donors, sympathisers and public bodies, without whose help the Association could not have been what it is to-day.

Sholapur.  
1-4-1949

D. P. Bhawe  
Founder-President,  
Originator and Organiser.

## Appreciation of the Work by the Visitors.

1. Hon'ble Mr. N. V. Gadgil, B. A. LL. B.,  
Minister, India Government:—" In fact the work  
being done should be the work of the Govt. "

2. Rani Maharajasingh:—" I should like to  
see many more such groups established all over  
the country. "

3. Loknayak M. S. Aney, M. L. A.:—" The  
Association does the admirable and noble work  
of providing costly medical appliances to the poor  
class of the City. "

4. The Hon'ble Mr. B. G. Kher, Premier,  
Government of Bombay:—" A very useful institu-  
tion worth encouraging. "

5. The Hon'ble Mr. G. D. Vartak, Minister  
of Local Self-Government, the Government of  
Bombay:—" Visted the Association, which is  
doing very useful work. The public and the local  
bodies should help it with substantial donations. "

6. Hon'ble Mr. K. S. Phirodiya:—" Most  
useful institution. Deserves every sort of help. "

7. Major General A. H. Harty, Surgeon-  
General with the Government of Bombay:—

"This is the first institution of its kind, I  
have seen in India. Quite a novel idea, and  
serving useful purpose. "

8. Dr. Jivraj Mehta, "This sort of work  
will have to be spread in every village. "

9. Mr. N. M. Kamte, Inspector General of Police, Bombay:—"A useful institution which has been doing splendid work and deserves every help."

10. Sir Ivon Taunton, C. I. E, Adviser to H. E. the Governor of Bombay:—

"It is a novel idea, and one which, if properly, developed, should prove of great benefit to the poor. I was very glad to visit this Association again to-day and see its continued good work and wonderful expansion during the last ten years."

11. Mr. K. G. Saiyidain Educational Adviser to the Govt. of Bombay:—"The fine work done by this group of modest but sincere social servants belies the say that social service is very difficult. I congratulate the workers for having blazed a new trail in the field of social service and wish them a career of increasing usefulness."

12. Dr. R. H. Bhadkamkar, M. A., M. D., Poona, and R. B. Dr. V. B. Gokhale, F. R. C. S.:—"Such Associations are extremely necessary in every town."

13. Mr. A. Nijalingappa, President K. Congress Committee:—"I wish the assn. its utmost success and long life of usefulness to this unique institution."

14. Com. Manavendra Roy:—"It is incalculable public service. I shall certainly do my best in that respect."

15. **Seth Nandulal Mehta, Bombay:**—"I appreciate the humanitarian work done by the band of selfless workers in placing the medical appliances within the reach of common man, with very little cost or with no cost. I wish success in its benevolent activities."

16. **Raja Dhanraj Girji, Hyderabad:**—"The assn. has been doing a great help to the poor suffering humanity. It deserves all help from the public. The assn. ought to open branches in all villages if possible."

17. **Sir Gurunath Beur, New Delhi:**—"The assn. is an excellent one and fulfills a real need. I will give this idea in Delhi."

18. **M. M. Datto Vaman Potdar:**—"This charitable work is indeed a true service of humanity."

19. **Pandit Hridayanath Kunzaru, President, Servants of India Society, Allahabad:**—

"This is the only institution of its kind that I have seen. It must be a boon to poor patients."

20. **Mr. A. S. Naik, Collector, Sholapur:**—"The association is based on a novel idea of making available medical accessories on small sums of money. It supplies a great want, felt in this country. I am sure they will receive fullest support from the public in their collection of Building fund."

Some of the Prominent Donors of the  
**Patients' Relief Association,**  
**SHOLAPUR.**



**Mr. R. N. Boyce,**  
Rs. 5000.



**Raja Dhanrajgirji,**  
Rs. 1201.



**Shree Pandurang,**  
Rs. 500.



**Seth Lonkaranji Chandak,**  
Rs. 500.

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The Association runs mainly on donations.

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## P. R. Association, Sholapur.



Mr. M. H. Karigar,  
Rs. 501.



Seth K. D. Dessai,  
Rs. 501.



Seth Motichand Shah,  
Rs. 601.



Mr. M. Y. Kadri, Waltair  
Rs. 2000.

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Building Fund Collected so far amounts to Rs. 25000.

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## Some Donors



Mrs. M. Kadri,  
Rs. 501.



Late Mrs. Narmadabai Desai,  
Rs. 501.

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12 Branches supply medical appliances in  
the City and Villages

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Mr. A. K. Joshi,  
Chairman,  
Building Committee.



Seth Motabhai Desai,  
Build. Fund Adviser.

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275 Appliances are daily in Patients' service.

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The Association supplies articles free to the poor.

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Shri. V. R. Velankar,  
Rs. 500.



Dr. T. P. Kapadia



Seth Phulchand Khadloya, Rs. 200.

Seth Shivnarayan Tandon,  
Cawnpore, Rs. 601.

Sholapur Municipality  
has given a plot worth.  
Rs. 6000.

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Association serves Patients irrespective of caste,  
creed, rich and poor.

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21. **Dr. V.N. Ambekar, M.D., Civil Surgeon, Sholapur:**—"The institution is unique. The public should be really grateful to it and should come forward to see that this noble work is well helped and followed up all round."

22. **Sir Abdul Latif Haji Hajrtakhan, M.L.A.:**—"This institution is not only useful to the poor and middle class people, but also to the well to-do persons of all castes and creeds. It deserves to be helped by the public as well as local bodies."

#### DONORS IN 1948

	Uptill now, ( In all )	Current. Rs.
1 Vishnu & Laxmi Mills, Sholapur	1540	200
2 The Collector's discretionary grant	1550	300
3 The Government of Bombay	900	100
4 The Raja N. G. Mills, Sholapur	480	75
5 The Jam Mills, Sholapur	260	100
6 G. I. P. Ry. S. B. Fund	305	50
7 Sholapur Mills, Sholapur	885	150
8 Burmah Shell Co., Bombay	275	75
9 Mr. Y. A. Fazalbhoj, Bombay	75	25
10 S. S. W. Fund, Poona		100
11 Mr. M. P. Amin, Advocate, Bombay		100
12 Sheth B. H. Kantawalla, Baroda		100

13 Sir Homi Mehta, Bombay	100
14 Kirkee Gymkhana Club, Poona	250
15 Hon'ble Mr. K. S. Phirodiya	50
16 H. E. Ranimaharajasing	100

## BUILDING FUND

### List of Donors

	Rs.
1 Mr. R. N. Boyce	5000
2 Mr. M. Y. Kadri, Waltair	2000
3 Messrs. N. G. Mills, Sholapur	1201
4 Sheth Shivanarayanji Tandon, Cawnpore	601
5 Mr. K. D. Desai	501
6 Mr. M. H. Karigar	501
7 Shree Pandurang, Sholapur	501
8 Mr. Lonkaranji Chandak	500
9 Mr. Motichand G. Shah, Bombay	500
10 Mrs. M. Kadri, Waltair	500
11 Shrimant V. R. Velankar, Sangli	500
12 Sheth Meghraj Golechha	400
13 The Lokmanya Mills, Barsi	300
14 Mr. Phirojshah P. Mistry, Bombay	252
15 Mrs. Narmadabai Desai	251
16 Rao Bahadur Motilalji Raniwale, Byawar	251
17 The N. M. Wadia Charities, Bombay	250
18 Mr. Dharsey Jivan, Barsi	250
19 Sheth Wadilal Jivan	250
20 Mr. S. R. Kuchan	250
21 R. B. G. R. Zadbuke, Barsi	250

22	Mr. Shantikumar G. Shah	250
23	Sheth Kasturchand Rugnatdas, Barsi	201
24	Mr. M. L. Chilka	201
25	„ Manikchand Veerchand Shah	200
26	Mr. Raoji Devchand Shah	200
27	„ Phulchand Khadloya	200
28	„ V. H. Katkar	200
29	„ C. G. Agashe, Poona	200
30	„ N. B. Kadadi	125
32	„ Uttamchand Parmanand	125
31	„ C. N. Ligade	125
33	„ Abdulla Fazalbhoj Charities, Bombay	125
34	Sardar M. B. Deshmukh, Mandrup	114
35	Mr. P. D. Raichurkar, Barsi	114
36	„ T. B. Bhat	102
37	„ M. V. Shah, Sholapur	101
38	„ M. B. Desai	101
39	„ P. B. Ganpule, Morvi	101
40	„ D. D. Poredi	101
41	Late Mr. Jal S. Jassawala	101
42	The S. and W. Mills, Barsi	101
43	The Gujrat Oil Mills, Barsi	101
44	Mr. Manikchand Raoji Shah	101
45	„ Javarmal Ramkaran, Barsi	101
46	„ Teja Jadhavji Chavan	101
47	„ G. S. Thavarbhoy	101
48	Mrs. K. M. Shah, Bombay	101
49	„ Jamnalalji Dayama	101
50	Late Mrs. Prema Khare, Nagpur	101
51	Mr. H. S. Sohoni	101

52	„ B. N. Jakkal	101
53	„ V. B. Bet	101
54	Messrs. Walchand Nanchand	101
55	Mr. Waman Shridhar Apte, Bombay	101
56	Mr. B. Y. Deshak, Bombay	101
57	„ V. S. Burgul	101
58	„ G. S. Patil	101
59	„ S. L. Achugatla	101
60	„ M. R. Pulli	101
61	„ R. R. Mamdyal	101
62	„ Ganeshram Murlidhar	101
63	„ Kantilal H. Shah, Bombay	101
64	„ S. G. Manure	101
65	„ Begraj Girdharilal, Bombay	101
66	„ Manikchand Motichand Shah, Bombay	101
67	„ Ramvilas Kisanlal Lahoti, Karad	101
68	„ Sitaram Madhavlal, Bombay	101
69	Messrs. S. Lal & Co. Sholapur	101
70	Mr. Nanchand Hirachand Gandhi, Bombay	101
71	Mrs. Ambagauri Jayashankar	101
72	Mr. Bhalji Pendharkar, Kolhapur	101
73	„ R. B. Bhattad	101
74	„ J. P. Bommanji, Bombay	101
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76	Panchagani Motor Service	101
77	Mr. Nasarwanji Sorabji Poona	101
78	„ C. H. Bhabha, Bombay	100
79	„ E. B. Ghaswalla, Bombay	100
80	Dr. D. S. Sardesai	100
81	Mr. H. V. Kelkar	100

82	Mr. V. R. Bhatia	100
83	„ C. A. Cookson	100
84	„ M. C. Setalwad, Bombay	100
85	„ E. N. Godbole	100
86	Mr. V. K. Patwardhan, Poona	100
87	Late Mr. G. V. Salwekar, Bombay	100
88	Mr. & Mrs. Marathe, New York U.S.A.	100
89	Mr. Vallabhdas Gokuldas, Bombay	100
90	Sir Beheram Karanjiya, Bombay	100
91	Hyderabad State Congress, (Latur Taluk)	100

MONTHLY SUBSCRIBERS:—

Mr. H. V. Kelkar, Dr. S. B. Lele, Mr. Lomte,  
Prop. Praja Cold-Drink House.

## STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AND BUDGET.

Account for 1948	and	Budget for 1949
Items	Receipts	Receipts
Hire money	941—1—0	1100
Donations	1123—8—0	1200
Interest	433—1—0	300
Deficit	35-12-11	
	2533-6-11	2600
	Expenditure	Expenditure
Propaganda	42—1—3	150
Office Rent	144—0—0	144
Printing	406—5—9	300
Salaries	434—8—0	600
Cleaning of Articles	519—12—0	400
Stationery	35—8—6	60
Office expenses	199-11-8	200

Functions	117-15- 6	200
Travelling	0- 0- 0	
Building propaganda	0- 0- 0	500
Miscellaneous	22-11- 0	30
Postage	72- 3- 3	75
Depreciation	538-10- 0	
Over Expenditure		
Purchases of Articles		1000
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	2538- 6 -11	3659

Opening Balance  
23,099- 3-10

Closing balance  
18,391- 5- 5

D. P. Bhave  
President.

<b>Liabilities</b>		<b>Assets</b>	
Deposits	720- 4- 0	Medical Appliances & Furniture	2154- 9- 0
Reserve fund	3000- 0- 0	Fixed Deposits	15,510- 0- 0
Relief Fund	3266- 1- 7	Prize Bonds	200- 0- 0
Building Fund	24,621-10-10	Dist. Central	
Advances	158- 8- 6	Bank S. B. A.	971-15- 2
	<hr/>	Postal Bank	1608-12- 0
	31,766- 8-11	Cash in hand	100-10- 3
		Building	11,220-10- 6
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			31,766- 8-11

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### AUDITOR'S REMARKS

" Examined & Found Correct. "

26-6-49

S/d. H S. SOHONI,  
B. Com., G. D. A., R. A.  
Auditor, Sholapur.





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8. Mrs. Farebanks, Christa Sewa Mandir.
9. Mr. S. V. Watve and G. Vaishampayan, Kurduwadi.
10. Jam Mills, Sholapur.

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