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**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
**SHEPHERD STREET MISSION**

**"THE LANCASHIRE DAILY POST"**  
**ANNUAL APPEAL.**

	£	s.	d.
Amount previously acknowledged.	215	8	10
From the Staff of "B. T." Ltd., Preston	3	17	0
"A Few Thoughtful Employees," Page and Taylor's Joiners' Shop	0	10	0
J. B.	0	10	0
From "M."	0	2	6
"Two Sisters"	0	2	0
R. G.	1	1	0
R. S.	0	2	0
"In Memory of F. W. D."	0	2	6
Anonymous	0	5	0
E. T., Penwortham	0	10	0
"In Memory of My Husband, T. H. P."	0	5	0
From Staff of District Bank, Ltd., County Bank Branch	1	6	0
M. M. W.	0	2	6
From Granny	0	5	0
Collection by Employees of Messrs. Todkill and Son	1	12	6
"A Friend," Hoole	0	10	0
New Longton C. of E. School	0	13	0
"Walton-le-Dale"	0	2	6
"For the Kiddies"	0	4	0
"In Memory of John Casson"	0	7	6
D. E. L.	1	0	0
"In Memory of Bert"	0	2	0
Neta and Jim's Party, 7, Hawkhurst-road, Collection, Boxing Night	0	8	0
Collected by Mr. Lishmann, Ashton-on-Ribble	0	10	6
Staff of the Westminster Bank	0	15	0
Anonymous, Penwortham	0	5	0
Family Gathering	0	8	0
E. and E. H., Clovelly-avenue	0	5	0
Frank	1	1	0
"A Grateful Children's Party," Walton-le-Dale	0	3	6
M. M.	0	4	0
A. M. H.	0	2	6
Preston Reform Club (per A. H. R.)	5	5	0
Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitehead	0	5	0
Preston Legion Social Club	1	1	0
C. S. M.	0	2	6
"W. T."	0	2	6
Anonymous, Blackpool	0	0	6
"In Memory of Mother"	0	2	6
N. L., A. Gift	0	5	0

[THIS FUND WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY NEXT]

**OVERDRAFT BIGGER**

*Lancashire Post 27.10.37*  
**Finances of a Preston**

**Mission**

An excess of expenditure over income of £104, and the increase of the bank overdraft to £917, were reported at the 61st annual meeting of the Shepherd-street Mission and Children's Home, Preston, at the Town Hall, this afternoon. The Mayor (Councillor J. Harrison) presided, and paid tribute to the work of the institution.

The Chairman of the General Committee (Mr. W. A. Margerison) stated in the annual report that the income had, on the whole, been well maintained, but there had been expenditure of £97 on interior decoration coupled with the rise in commodity prices and provision for an increased number of children. There were now 43 children in the home.

Officers were re-elected, with the addition of Mr. W. H. Harris and the Rev. E. Porter to the committee.

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*Lancashire Post 30/8/37*  
**Preston Garden Party**

A garden party in the grounds of the children's home of the Shepherd-street Mission, Oxford-street, Preston, on Saturday afternoon, was attended by nearly 200 people.

The Mayoress of Preston (Mrs. J. Harrison) opened the party, and Mrs. I. Marsden, member of the committee of the mission, in the absence of the Mayor (Councillor J. Harrison), who was unable to attend, presided. A feature of the opening ceremony was a display of singing and dancing by children of the mission.

Bunches of flowers were later presented to the Mayoress and Mrs. Marsden.

Mr. A. Spencer and Mr. F. Messham, two other members of the committee, received button-holes. During the afternoon, visitors inspected the newly-decorated home. Attractions in the evening included a number of stalls, organised games on the lawn, and music by Barton's prize band.

Mr. T. A. Slater, secretary of the mission, and Mrs. Slater, matron of the home, assisted by workers from the Mission Hall, Shepherd-street, were responsible for the organisation of the party.