The governors of this hospital are, the lord mayor and court of aldermen, and those who, on receiving a governor's staff, give a benefaction of 50% or upwards. The house contains 18 wards, and about 485 beds.

In the middle of the second court is a statue in brass of Edward VI., and beneath him the representation of the halt and the maimed. In the centre of the third court is a stone statue of Sir Robert Clayton, a lord mayor of London, dressed in his costume of chiefmagistrate. He gave 6001. to promote the rebuilding of the hospital; and he left 2,3001. towards endowing it. The statue was raised before Sir Robert's death, which took place in 1714.—Within the last few years, an excellent circular theatre for the purpose of lectures has been built. It will hold about 300 persons most conveniently.

This hospital, like those of which descriptions follow, is for the sick poor, maimed by accident, &c. It is of immense use, as may be imagined from the annual number of in-patients, averaging about 3,000, out-patients, 6,000. The following is this hospital's

recent annual return :-

Cured and discharged in the year		
Remaining under cure	In-Patients	1,815 1,815 243

From this precise account, the general average may be inferred.

Guy's Hospital.

MR. Guy, a very wealthy citizen and bookseller of London, not satisfied with his great benefactions to St. Thomas's, determined to be the sole founder of another hospital. The history of the building is re-