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To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
MADRAS.

SIR,

[SUBJECT.—Annual administration report—Government Mental Hospitals, 1946.]

I have the honour to forward herewith annual report on the working of the Mental Hospitals at Madras, Waltair and Calicut, for the year ending 31st December 1946.

2. *Administration.*—The Mental Hospital at Madras was in charge of Dr. J. Dhairyam, M.D., throughout the year while the Mental Hospital at Calicut was in charge of Rao Sahib Dr. K. V. N. Nayar, M.R.C.S. (Eng.), up to 21st February 1946, Lt.-Col. J. F. Shephard, I.M.S., up to 15th December 1946 and Captain K. Appu Kurup, from 16th to 31st December 1946. The Mental Hospital, Waltair, was in charge of Captain C. S. Suryanarayana Sarma, L.M. & S., up to 15th March 1946, Major S. Shone, I.M.S., up to 29th December 1946 and Dr. D. Raghava Rao, L.M. & S., till the end of the year.

3. *Accommodation.*—The accommodation for patients in the three mental hospitals is as follows:—

Name of hospital.	Sanctioned accommodation.	Average daily population.		Maximum on one day in
		1945.	1946.	
Madras ..	888	1,344.96	1,507.68	1,603
Waltair ..	164	183.19	221.15	244
Calicut ..	364	403.00	410.00	428

As pointed out in the administration report for the year 1945 the strength of patients in the mental hospitals is steadily increasing. The establishment of a new Mental Hospital at Madura in connexion with the new Medical College at the above place and the improvements contemplated to the Mental Hospitals at Calicut and Waltair under the Post-War Reconstruction Scheme are expected to improve the position as regards the accommodation for mental patients in general.

STATEMENT I.

4. *Population.*—The total population of the three Mental Hospitals at Madras, Waltair and Calicut, during the year under report was 3,058 (2,236 males and 822 females) as against 2,735 (2,008 males and 727 females) during the previous year. The number of patients that remained at the commencement of the year was 2,008 (1,476 males and 532 females) as against 1,887 (1,370 males and 517 females) during 1945.

The daily average number of patients in the three mental hospitals under reference during the year was 2,138.83 (1,565.63 males and 573.2 females) as against 1,931.15 (1,414.06 males and 517.09 females) in the previous year. Of the total number of patients treated during the year, 274 were cured, 221 improved, 30 not improved, 124 discharged otherwise and 178 died. The following statement shows the percentage of patients cured and died to the daily average strength and the percentage of those 'cured' and 'died' to the new admissions:—

Cases.		1946.	1945.
1 Daily average strength ..	..	2,138.83	1,931.15
2 Admissions during the year ..	..	1,050	848
3 (a) Percentage (daily average)—			
(i) Cured ..	..	12.81	10.52
(ii) Died ..	..	8.32	9.78
(b) Percentage (new admissions)—			
(i) Cured ..	..	15.63	11.90
(ii) Died ..	..	5.27	5.01

STATEMENT II.

5. *Cases admitted for observation.*—In the year 1946 347 cases were observed at the three mental hospitals,

of these 333 were certified and admitted while one case was released as uncertifiable.

STATEMENT III.

6. *Criminal cases.*—There was one male criminal patient in the Mental Hospital, Madras, at the beginning of the year. Two male patients were admitted in the Mental Hospital, Madras, and one in the Mental Hospital, Waltair, during the course of the year. One under-trial patient escaped from the Mental Hospital, Waltair, and he is still at large.

STATEMENT IV.

7. *Classes.*—Of the total population admitted during the year, 40 were Europeans and Anglo-Indians, 116 Indian Christians, 765 Hindus, 122 were Muslims and 4 were members of other castes.

STATEMENT V.

8. *Ages of patients admitted.*—Of the 1,050 patients admitted in the mental hospitals during the year, 78 were below 20 years of age, 696 between 20 to 40 years, 253 were between 40 to 60 years, while 23 were over 60 years of age.

STATEMENT VI.

9. *Types of insanity.*—This statement shows the distribution of cases according to the various types of insanity. The principal types of insanity were schizophrenia including dementia præcox, mania, mental deficiency, effect of cannabis indica, etc.

STATEMENT VII.

10. *Causes of insanity.*—This statement gives an account of the causes of insanity among the patients. Domestic worry, hereditary predisposition, previous attacks, epilepsy, syphilis and moral stress accounted for the large number of admissions.

STATEMENT VIII.

11. *Finance—Receipts and Expenditure.*—The total receipts including those from paying patients in all the three mental hospitals during the year under report amounted to Rs. 12,41,850-7-7 as against Rupees 11,35,158-15-11 during the year 1945. The following statement indicates the variations under the different heads of expenditure:—

	1946.	1945.
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Establishment charges ..	3,17,010	2,68,232
Superintendence ..	10,020	12,488
Diet ..	6,57,272	5,94,743
Clothing and bedding ..	18,652	26,445
Contingencies ..	70,559	50,994
Rates and Taxes ..	10,791	10,253
Miscellaneous ..	31,294	38,415

The increase of expenditure during 1946 is due to the high cost of diet articles and the payment of increased dearness and war allowances to the staff.

12. *Treatment.*—As detailed in the previous reports, prophylactic and curative measures were taken to deal with the physical and mental disabilities. Special lines of treatment are being carried out with success. Electric convulsive therapy is being used on a large scale. This is combined with histamine shock therapy, insulin cardiazol and glandular therapy. Apart from the early cases of schizophrenia, certain types of mania depressive psychosis, involutional melancholia and certain other depressions and

neuroses are effectively treated. Two electric shock therapy apparatuses are at work and a third one will be in use shortly. General hydro therapy, recreation and occupational therapy, yoga asanas are being given and these help in the amelioration and relief of symptoms.

13. *Deaths and mortality.*—The number of deaths during the year in all the three hospitals was 178 (147 males and 31 females) as against 189 (144 males and 45 females) in the previous year. The percentage of deaths to the daily average strength was 8.32 as against 9.78 in the previous year.

14. *Casualties.*—There was no casualty during the year under report in any of the mental hospitals. In the Mental Hospital, Waltair, there were 6 minor injuries sustained by the patients mostly from impulsive habits.

15. *Escapes.*—There were no escapes of patients from the Mental Hospitals at Madras and Calicut. There were however 8 escapes of patients from the Mental Hospital, Waltair, during the year under report. Of these six were brought back while two are still at large.

16. *General hygiene of the patients.*—The personal cleanliness of the patients is attended to carefully with special attention to detect and treat pyorrhoea and skin diseases. The weekly inspection of all patients of the hospitals was carried out during the year and those found in a poor state of health were given special diet and treatment.

17. *Water-supply—Madras.*—The water-supply is satisfactory. Well water is being used on a large scale for non-domestic and vegetation purposes.

Calicut.—Temporary arrangements were made this year also during the hot months to transport well water from the neighbourhood of the hospital by engaging coolies and also by engaging the Public Works Department water lorry from the Mananchira tank in the town. The question of adequate water-supply can be solved only when the water-supply scheme of the Calicut Municipality has materialized.

Waltair.—Water-supply is adequate as long as the borewell engine functions properly. But during summer of 1946, the engine had a number of breakdowns and the hospital had to depend on the well with its hand-pump for water-supply.

18. *Drainage and conservancy.*—The drainage system at Waltair and Calicut works satisfactorily. The installation of flush-out latrines and the underground drainage in the Mental Hospital, Madras, are expected to be completed shortly.

19. *Industries and employment.*—As reported in the annual report for the year 1945, most of the requirements of the Mental Hospital, Madras, are prepared in the hospital itself. Forty-five per cent of the patients are engaged in various occupations during the year, of whom twenty-two per cent worked in the manufacturing departments such as mat-making, broom making, weaving, rope making, sewing, knitting, tailoring, soap making, etc. The remaining twenty-three per cent were employed in unskilled labour such as sweeping, cleaning of food stuffs, etc. Selected patients are also utilized in assisting the carpenters, dhobies, black smith, mason, tailors, cooks, etc. As usual, these patients were rewarded with small presents on the occasion of the Christmas Tree and Annual Sports held during the year. The Weaving department supplies all the clothing needed for the whole institution with more than 1,600 patients. The Soap-making section is working satisfactorily. Hand-made paper is also being manufactured.

In the Mental Hospital, Waltair, sheep-rearing, weaving and gardening were the principal occupations followed

by the male patients while female patients were given work which they were accustomed to do at their homes. In the Mental Hospital at Calicut, the chief remunerative industries were weaving, vegetable cultivation, tailoring, coir-making and embroidery. As usual, some selected patients were employed for work in the kitchen, for drawing water and for gardening.

20. *Amusement and physical training—Madras.*—During the Christmas season, a Christmas Tree was decorated and presents were hung up and distributed to all Christian patients. A special breakfast and dinner were provided for the patients during the Christmas and Pongal. In addition to daily walks, in and out-door games of various types were regularly played.

Calicut.—A considerable number of patients are enjoying their daily games of tenniquoit, badminton, carrom and pingpong. A treat was given for Onam and Ramzan and on another occasion, a treat was given by Dr. A. Balakrishnan Nair, a private Medical Practitioner of Calicut, to the inmates of the Hospital. Sweets and fruits were distributed to the inmates on the Christmas days.

Waltair.—The patients were encouraged to take part in games like badminton, chess and playing cards. They were also given occasional amusements by professional jugglers and acrobats. A motor lorry formerly used for coastal malarial reliefwork in the Vizagapatam district was allotted to the Mental Hospital, Waltair, for conveying the patients for recreation and consultation with specialists at the King George Hospital. The patients are regularly taken to the local cinemas twice a week. Thanks are due to the proprietors of 'Poorna' theatre and of the 'Select' Talkies who kindly made arrangements for shows being exhibited to the patients.

There was only one treat at the expense of Government for the patients in April 1946 when the usual annual sports were held.

21. *Religious ministrations.*—Facilities for religious observances were provided, as usual.

22. *Training of mentally defective children.*—The training centre for mentally defective children in the Mental Hospital, Madras, continued to work satisfactorily.

23. *Visitors.*—As usual, all the official and non-official visitors attended the monthly meetings regularly. Besides the above, Brigadier Thomas A. Munro, Consultant in Psychiatry, India Command, visited the Mental Hospital, Madras, during the year. Consequent on the shifting of the headquarters of the District Medical Officer, Vizagapatam, to Chicacole, some monthly meetings of the Mental Hospital, Waltair Visiting Committee, could not be held till the Professors of Medicine and Therapeutics of the Andhra Medical College were declared as medical officers for the purpose of the visiting committee.

24. *Verification of stock registers and service books.*—The service books of the staff and the stock registers of all the three mental hospitals have been verified for the year 1946.

25. *Buildings.*—No new buildings were constructed during the year 1946. The existing buildings were however maintained in an efficient state of repairs.

26. *General.*—The administration of the three mental hospitals was carried on efficiently by the Superintendents of the hospitals and I would like to place on record my appreciation of the manner in which the administration of the mental hospitals was carried on during the year under report.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
J. P. HUBAN, MAJOR-GENERAL, I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

ANNEXURE

Statement—I Showing the admissions, discharges, etc., of lunatics in the mental hospitals the Madras Presidency during the year 1946 and provincial totals for the two previous years.

Statement—II Showing cases admitted for observation into the mental hospitals during 1946 and provincial totals for the two previous years.

Statement—III Return of criminal lunatics in the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency for the year 1946 and the totals for two previous years.

Statement—IV Return showing the religion, sex and residence of patients admitted into the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency during the year 1946 and the totals for the two previous years.

Statement—V Return showing the ages of patients admitted into the mental hospitals in Madras Presidency during the year 1946 and the provincial totals for the two previous years.

Statement—VI Statement showing the form of mental disorder in the admissions, discharges, recoveries and death during the year ending 31st December 1946.

Statement—VII Statement showing the probable cause of insanity in the patients admitted in the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency during the year ending 31st December 1946.

Statement—VIII Statement showing the cash account of the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency for the year 1946

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Statement showing the admissions, discharges, etc., of lunatics in the mental hospitals in the

(1)	Remained at the beginning of the year.			Admitted.			Re-admitted.			Total population.			Discharged.												Died.		
													A			B				C			D				
													Cured.	Transferred to friends.			Other-wise.	Total.									
														Improved.	Not improved.												
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.				
(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)				

MAD

Compulsory ..	931	388	1,319	359	136	495	1,200	524	1,814	122	33	155	50	23	73	13	10	23	24	26	50	20	9	92	301	66	17	83
Voluntary boarders	61	22	83	127	73	200	188	95	283	31	12	43	28	26	54	2	2	4	17	5	22	78	45	123	4	1	5	
Total, 1946	992	410	1,402	486	209	695	1,478	619	2,097	153	45	198	78	49	127	15	12	27	41	31	72	28	137	424	70	18	88	

The capacity of the Madras Mental Hospital at 60 square feet per European patient equals { Males .. 85
Females .. 102
Total .. 187

The capacity of the Madras Mental Hospital at 45 square feet per Indian patient equals { Males .. 316
Females .. 153
Total .. 469

WAL

Compulsory	167	29	196	99	47	146	268	78	346	24	4	28	35	15	50	1	1	22	3	25	81	23	104	14	5	19
Voluntary boarders	..	..	..	2	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, 1946	167	29	196	101	49	150	268	78	346	24	4	28	35	15	50	1	1	22	3	25	81	23	104	14	5	19

The capacity of the Walait Mental Hospital at 50 square feet per Indian patient equals { Males .. 129
Females .. 35
Total .. 164

CALI

Compulsory	306	89	394	122	25	147	463	119	582	38	5	43	32	8	40	1	1	23	4	27	94	17	111	60	8	68
Voluntary boarders	12	4	16	11	1	12	27	6	33	5	..	5	2	2	4	1	1	..	..	..	8	2	10	3	..	3
Total, 1946	317	93	410	133	26	159	490	125	615	43	5	48	34	10	44	2	2	23	4	27	102	19	121	63	8	71

The capacity of the Calicut Mental Hospital at 50 square feet per Indian patient equals { Males .. 274
Females .. 90
Total .. 364

PRESI

Total, 1946	1,476	532	2,008	729	284	1,004	6,466	2,236	8,222	3,058	229	54	274	147	74	221	17	13	30	8	38	124	470	179	649	147	31	17
Total, 1945	1,370	517	1,887	595	203	798	7,501	2,008	7,277	2,735	160	43	203	139	63	202	20	17	37	69	27	96	388	150	538	144	45	189
Total, 1944	1,407	530	1,937	467	184	651	8,511	1,917	7,222	2,639	152	39	191	119	56	175	16	13	29	98	19	117	385	127	512	162	78	240

MENT I.

Madras Presidency during the year 1946 and provincial totals for the two previous years.

Remaining at the end of the year.			Daily average strength.			Daily average sick.			Percentage of											
									Daily average strength.						Admissions.					
									A.			B.			C.			D.		
									Cured.			Died.			Cured.			Died.		
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)		

RAS.

1,015	415	1,430	1,068	39	439	29	1,507	68	188	08	99	14	287	22	14	32	10	24	13	13	6	55	4	33	5	83	12	96	7	66	11	37	6	17	2	87	5	17
104	49	153	1,068	39	439	29	1,507	68	188	08	99	14	287	22	14	32	10	24	13	13	6	55	4	33	5	83	12	96	7	66	11	37	6	17	2	87	5	17
1,121	464	1,585	1,068	39	439	29	1,507	68	188	08	99	14	287	22	14	32	10	24	13	13	6	55	4	33	5	83	12	96	7	66	11	37	6	17	2	87	5	17

The maximum number of lunatics confined during any one night was on 18th December 1946, viz. —

Males .. 1,134
Females .. 469
Total .. 1,603

Recoveries on new admissions 63 16 79
Deaths on new admissions 30 6 36

TAIR.

173	48	221	179	24	41	91	221	15	20	37	3	61	23	98	13	39	9	54	12	66	7	81	11	93	8	59	8	91	6	12	8	00	28	57	20	00	26	32
173	48	221	179	24	41	91	221	15	20	37	3	61	23	98	13	39	9	54	12	66	7	81	11	93	8	59	8	91	6	12	8	00	28	57	20	00	26	32

The maximum number of lunatics confined during any one night was on 1st October 1946, viz. —

Males .. 244
Females .. 52
Total .. 296

Recoveries on new admissions 39 15 54
Deaths on new admissions 4 1 5

CUT.

309	94	403	}	318	92	410	115	35	150	14	5	12	20	9	17	13	3	12	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
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The maximum number of lunatics confined during any one night was on 20th December 1946, viz. —

Males .. 330
Females .. 98
Total .. 428

Recoveries on new admissions 23 1 24
Deaths on new admissions 10 2 12

DENCY.

1,619	610	2,229	1,565	63	573	2	2,138	83	323	45	137	75	461	20	14	05	9	42	12	81	9	39	5	4	8	32	17	36	11	27	15	63	6	11	3	16	5	27
1,476	532	2,008	1,414	06	517	09	1,931	15	314	12	138	96	453	08	11	31	8	31	10	52	10	18	8	70	9	78	12	77	9	36	11	90	4	70	5	91	5	01
1,370	517	1,887	1,375	11	529	66	1,904	77	302	19	129	99	432	18	11	05	7	36	10	02	11	78	14	72	12	60	17	55	7	60	14	74	6	42	6	5	6	48

Return showing the religion, sex and residence of patients admitted into the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency during the year 1946 and the totals for the two previous years—cont.

District.	Christians.																		Total.		
	European and Anglo-Indians.			Indians.			* Hindus.			Muslims.			Other castes.								
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
MADRAS—cont.																					
Voluntary boarders—																					
Ceylon	10	5	15	16	11	27	49	39	88	5	1	6	..	..	..	1	56	136			
Madras	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	..	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	80	..	80			
Chittoor	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2			
Madabar	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4			
Madura	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3			
Cuddapah	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3			
Arcoot, South	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1			
Arcoot, North	..	..	..	1	1	2	3	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	6			
Chingleput	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1			
Kistna	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	4	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	3	6			
Nellore	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1			
Secunderabad	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	4			
Coimbatore	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3			
Anantapur	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	6			
Trichinopoly	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1			
East Godavari	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2			
Salem	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2			
Tinnevely	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1			
Tanjore	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1			
Guntur	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1			
Karaikal	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	2			
Kurnool	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Bezwada	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1			
Orissa	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
South Kanara	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1			
Bangalore	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Total	11	6	17	18	15	33	90	51	141	8	1	9	..	..	..	127	73	200			
Grand total, 1946	24	13	37	50	35	85	360	152	512	50	8	58	..	..	..	484	208	692			

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District.	Christians.																	
	Europeans and Anglo-Indians.			Indians.			Hindus.			Muslims.			Other castes.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
MADRAS.																		
Compulsory boarders—																		
Madras	8	4	12	14	12	26	133	68	201	22	7	29	..	..	..	177	91	268
Chingleput	1	..	1	..	..	..	21	3	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	4	32
Arcot, South	..	..	..	6	3	9	59	20	79	12	..	12	..	..	..	77	23	100
Madura	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Tanjore	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5	10
Tinnevely	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Nellore	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Cuddapah	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	5	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	5	8
Malabar	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vizagapatam	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chittoor	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem	..	..	..	..	12	12	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Arcot, North	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gombatore	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bellary	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1
Gudayari, East	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Triplichothy	1	..	1	4	1	5	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Anantapur	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Guntur	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Karnool	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ramanad	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cuddalore	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Pudukkottai	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Bombay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Punjab	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pondicherry	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Secunderabad	..	..																

Name of hospital.	Under 20 years.			20 to 40.			40 to 60.			Upwards of 60 years.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Madras	40	7	47	233	90	323	74	37	115	3	5	8	359	136	495
Waltair	10	4	14	72	32	104	26	16	42	8	3	11	127	73	200
Calicut	4	2	6	93	20	113	56	7	63	5	1	6	99	2	147
				11	2	13	4	..	4	..	..	6	158	30	188
												15	2	17	
Provincial total for 1946	62	16	78	501	195	696	180	73	253	17	6	23	769	290	1,059
Provincial total for 1945	39	18	57	479	146	625	114	41	155	6	5	11	638	210	848
Provincial total for 1944	58	34	92	347	121	468	99	35	134	6	2	8	510	192	702

V = Voluntary.

STATEMENT VI.

Statement showing the form of mental disorder in the admissions, discharges, recoveries and deaths during the year ending 31st December 1946.

	Remaining on 31st December of the preceding year.			Admissions during the year.			Total.			Discharges.			Deaths.			Remaining on 31st December.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
MADRAS.																		
1 Mental deficiency	125	64	189	16	11	27	141	86	267	57	20	77	20	25	45	9	1	10
2 Manic depressive insanity	17	3	20	4	..	4	21	3	24	..	..	..	6	2	8	2	1	3
3 Mania	84	23	107	97	63	160	181	86	267	57	20	77	20	25	45	9	1	10
4 Melancholia	32	4	36	1	4	5	33	12	45	1	3	4	1	1	2	1	1	2
5 Schizophrenia including Dementia Praecox	373	165	538	243	91	334	616	256	872	60	18	78	60	51	111	21	8	29
6 Secondary Dementia	50	29	79	1	..	1	50	29	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7 Paranoia and Paranoid states	40	18	58	1	..	1	41	18	59	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8 Epilepsy and Epileptic insanity	72	20	92	32	16	48	104	36	140	..	..	..	9	3	12	2	1	3
9 Psychosis—																		
(a) Acute confusional insanity	16	5	21	2	6	8	18	11	29	4	2	6	..	1	1	2	1	3
(b) Alcoholic Psychosis	19	..	19	..	..	..	21	..	21	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
(c) Canabis Indicae Psychosis	71	..	71	..	..	..	76	..	76	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..
(d) Of Endocrine origin	5	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(e) In relation to child-bearing	..	35	35	..	..	..	35	35	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..
(f) In relation to other constitutional diseases	25	2	28	..	..	..	25	3	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	3	28
10 Organic Psychosis—																		
(a) General Paralysis	5	..	5	16	..	16	21	..	21	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
(b) Cerebral syphilis	8	..	8	12	..	12	20	..	20	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
(c) Arterio-pathic and Senile Psychosis	31	20	51	26	20	46	57	40	97	3	2	5	14	7	21	3	2	5
(d) Encephalitis	6	..	6	3	..	3	9	..	9	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
(e) Other cerebral lesions	2	1	3	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 Neurosis and Psycho Neurosis	..	1	1	14	..	14	11	1	15	6	..	6	5	..	5	2	..	2
12 No appreciable disease	5	1	6	7	..	7	12	1	13	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 Not yet diagnosed (discharged before certification)	..	2	2	2	1	3	2	3	5	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..
14 Psychopathic Personality	3	..	3	2	..	2	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 Morphism	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	989	406	1,395	487	212	699	1,470	618	2,094	153	45	198	134	92	226	70	18	88

NOTE.—Observation cases are excluded from this statement but included seven observation cases remaining at the commencement of the year.

WALTAIR.																		
1 Mental deficiency	1	..	1	4	2	6	5	2	7	11	1	26	4	..	4	1	1	2
2 Manic depressive insanity	24	8	32	15	11	26	39	20	59	15	11	26	4	..	4	1	1	2
3 Mania	8	3	11	12	3	15	18	6	24	8	..	8	2	..	2	1	3	6
4 Melancholia	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5 Schizophrenia including Dementia Praecox	39	1	40	18	9	27	48	10	58	12	3	15	3	..	3	1	..	1
6 Secondary Dementia	9	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7 Paranoia and Paranoid states	7	..	7	1	..	1	8	1	9	2	1	3	1	..	1	..	..	..
8 Epilepsy and Epileptic insanity	21	2	23	3	1	4	24	3	27	..	..	..	3	..	3	2	5	18
9 Psychosis—																		
(a) Acute confusional insanity	3	..	3	3	2	5	6	2	8	4	2	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
(b) Alcoholic Psychosis	11	..	11	7	..	7	18	..	18	5	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	1
(c) Canabis Indicae Psychosis	25	..	25	17	..	17	43	..	43	7	..	7	1	..	1	2	..	2
(d) Of Endocrine origin	..	2	2	6	..	6	..	9	9	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
(e) In relation to child-bearing	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	5	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
(f) In relation to other constitutional diseases	6	1	7	2	6	8	8	6	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 Organic Psychosis—																		
(a) General Paralysis	1	..	1	8	5	13	9	5	14	5	1	6	1	1	2	..	1	3
(b) Cerebral Syphilis	5	4	9	3	1	4	10	5	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	5
(c) Arterio-pathic and Senile Psychosis	6	1	7	3	1	4	9	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
(d) Encephalitis	4	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(e) Other cerebral lesions	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 Neurosis and Psycho Neurosis	2	1	3	4	..	4	6	1	7	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..
12 No appreciable disease	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 Not yet diagnosed (discharged before certification)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	166	28	194	101	49	150	267	77	344	60	21	81	20	3	23	14	5	19

NOTE.—Observation cases are excluded from this statement.

CALICUT.																		
1 Mental deficiency	32	2	34	..	..	..	32	2	34	..	..	..	2	30	2	32	..	..
2 Manic depressive insanity	3	27	30	30	1	31	33	28	61	4	1	5	3	1	4	13	14	25
3 Mania	114	5	119	93	19	112	207	24	231	51	5	56	13	2	15	15	2	17
4 Melancholia	36	8	44	2	..	2	38	8	46	1	..	1	6	..	6	30	8	38
5 Schizophrenia including Dementia Praecox	76	14	90	34	4	38	110	18	128	12	6	18	4	19	2	21	75	10
6 Secondary Dementia	7	8	15	..	..	..	7	8	15	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	8	13
7 Paranoia and Paranoid states	13	3	16	..	..	..	13	3	16	..	..	..	..	..	1	11	3	14
8 Epilepsy and Epileptic insanity	16	1	17	3	1	4	19	2	21	1	..	1	..	..	3	15	2	17
9 Psychosis—																		
(a) Acute confusional insanity	6	6	..	2	2	..	8	8	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	5	5	..
(b) Alcoholic Psychosis	1	2	3	3	..	3	4	2	6	3	..	3	..	..	..	1	2	3
(c) Canabis Indicae Psychosis	10	..	10	4	..	4	14	..	14	5	..	5	2	..	2	..	..	..
(d) Of Endocrine origin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(e) In relation to child-bearing	..	13	13	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(f) In relation to other constitutional diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

STATEMENT VI—cont.

Statement showing the form of mental disorder in the admissions, discharges, recoveries and deaths during the year ending 31st December 1946—cont.

	Remaining on 31st December of the preceding year.			Admissions during the year.			Total.			Discharges.			Deaths.			Remaining on 31st December.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
CALICUT—cont.																		
10 Organic psychosis—																		
(a) General Paralysis	5	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(b) Cerebral syphilis	4	3	7	..	..	..	4	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(c) Arterio-pathic and senile psychosis	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(d) Encephalitis	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(e) Other cerebral lesions	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
11 Neurosis and psycho neurosis	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 No appreciable disease	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	317	93	410	170	25	195	487	121	608	77	15	92	25	4	29	63	8	71

NOTE.—Seven males observation cases excluded from the last year's statement now included in 1st column. Three males and four females observation cases excluded.

PRESIDENCY.																					
1 Mental deficiency	158	66	224	20	13	33	178	79	257	1	1	8	3	11	12	1	13	158	74	232	
2 Mania or depressive insanity	44	38	82	49	12	61	93	51	144	23	12	35	9	1	10	15	3	18	46	81	
3 Mania	204	31	235	202	85	287	406	116	522	116	25	141	35	27	62	25	6	31	230	58	283
4 Melancholia	70	16	86	3	4	7	73	20	93	2	3	5	1	1	2	6	1	7	64	15	79
5 Schizophrenia including dementia precox	479	180	659	295	104	399	774	284	1,058	84	27	111	67	51	118	41	10	51	332	196	778
6 Secondary dementia	66	37	103	..	..	..	68	37	103	2	1	..	2	..	2	4	..	4	62	37	99
7 Paranoia and paranoid states	60	21	81	2	1	3	62	22	84	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	56	21	77
8 Epilepsy and epileptic insanity	109	23	132	38	18	56	147	41	188	1	..	1	12	3	15	8	3	11	126	35	161
9 Psychosis—																					
(a) Acute confusional insanity	19	11	30	5	10	15	24	21	45	8	7	15	..	1	1	2	1	3	14	12	26
(b) Alcoholic psychosis	31	10	41	12	..	12	43	10	53	13	..	13	..	..	1	..	1	29	10	39	
(c) Cannabis Indica psychosis	106	..	106	26	..	26	133	..	133	12	..	12	5	..	5	6	..	6	110	..	110
(d) Of Endocrine origin	5	3	8	..	6	6	5	9	14	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	5	7	12
(e) In relation to child-bearing	..	52	52	..	2	2	..	54	54	..	1	1	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	49	49
(f) In relation to other constitutional diseases	31	4	35	2	6	8	33	9	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	9	42
10 Organic psychosis—																					
(a) General Paralysis	6	..	6	24	5	29	30	5	35	9	1	10	10	1	11	6	1	7	5	2	7
(b) General Syphilis	21	4	25	15	1	16	35	5	40	1	..	1	5	..	6	8	..	8	21	5	26
(c) Arteriosclerotic and acute psychosis	41	24	65	29	21	50	70	45	115	3	2	5	14	8	22	5	3	8	48	32	80
(d) Encephalitis	6	..	6	3	..	3	9	..	9	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	9	..	9
(e) Other cerebral lesions	6	1	7	..	..	..	6	1	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	6
11 Neurosis and psycho-neurosis	2	3	5	18	..	18	20	3	23	8	..	8	7	..	7	4	..	4	1	3	4
12 No appreciable disease	5	1	6	8	..	8	13	1	14	7	..	7	1	..	1	..	..	..	5	1	6
13 Not yet diagnosed (discharged before certification)	..	2	2	3	1	4	3	3	6	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	3	3
14 Psychopathic personality	3	..	3	2	..	2	5	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	5
15 Morphium	..	..	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	1,472	527	1,999	758	280	1,047	2,230	816	3,046	290	81	371	179	99	278	147	81	178	1,014	605	2,219

STATEMENT VII—cont.

Statement showing the probable cause of insanity in the patients admitted in the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency during the year ending 31st December 1946—cont.

	Predisposing.			Exciting causes.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
CALICUT.									
Mental stress—									
Moral									
Business worry	6	6	12	21	27	48	27	27	54
Domestic worry	28	33	61	63	82	145	91	115	206
Stress of military service	11	11	22	13	24	37	24	24	48
Torins—									
Morphia									
Canabis indica									
Alcohol	4	7	11	7	11	18	11	11	22
Other toxins									
Physical									
Opium									
Bodily illness	6	1	7	6	1	7	12	2	14
Pregnancy									
Child-birth	3	3	6	3	3	6	6	6	12
Climacteric									
Epilepsy	2	7	9	4	6	10	9	4	13
Head injuries									
Infections—									
Encephalitis lethargica									
Influenza									
Syphilis	3	3	6	3	3	6	3	3	6
Other infections	2	2	4	2	4	6	4	4	8
Old age									
Hereditary predisposition	30	36	66	30	36	66	30	36	66
Previous attacks	44	44	88	44	44	88	44	44	88
Unascertained	30	12	42	46	13	59	76	25	101
PRESIDENCY.									
Males.				Males.			Males.		
Females.				Females.			Females.		
Total.				Total.			Total.		
Males.				Males.			Males.		
Females.				Females.			Females.		
Total.				Total.			Total.		

STATEMENT VIII.

Statement showing the cash account of the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency for the year 1946.

Receipts.																		
Mental hospitals.	Received from treasury.			Received from paying patients.			Value of stores received from the manufacturing department less cost of raw materials.			Book receipts, i.e., the total of expenditure entered in columns (19), (20) and (21).			Miscellaneous receipts.			Total.		
(1)	(2)			(3)			(4)			(5)			(6)			(7)		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Madras	8,30,364	0	0	(a) 62,493	0	0	(b) 14,421	0	0	(c) 32,002	0	0	(d) 112	0	0	9,39,392	0	0
Waltair	96,585	14	1	3,072	9	0	2,833	7	5	3,789	8	0	223	1	0	1,07,204	7	6
Calicut	(m) 1,76,740	7	5	11,277	10	0	(n) 4,650	2	1	6,630	1	0	(o) 262	6	0	1,99,560	10	6
Total for 1946 ..	10,93,690	5	6	76,843	3	0	21,904	9	6	42,421	9	0	1,297	7	0	12,36,157	2	0
Total for 1945 ..	9,91,022	12	5	84,176	7	0	24,102	11	6	35,437	6	0	329	11	0	11,35,158	15	11
Total for 1944 ..	8,65,730	14	5	84,394	3	0	21,457	7	11	38,219	14	4	1,417	3	2	10,02,209	10	10

	Charges.											
	Establishment.				Contingencies.							
	Establishment proper.		Superintendence.	Diet.	Clothing and bedding.	Patent medicines locally purchased.	Contingencies proper.	Repairs and maintenance.	Rates and taxes.			
	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)				
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Madras	2,32,076	0	0	6,360	0	0	(e) 5,06,719	0	0	(f) 11,771	0	0
Waltair	24,712	5	0	3,060	0	0	54,318	11	11	2,492	3	6
Calicut	60,221	15	0	600	0	0	(p) 96,235	2	10	(q) 4,389	9	6
Total for 1946	3,17,010	4	0	10,020	0	0	6,57,272	14	9	18,652	13	0
Total for 1945	2,68,232	8	0	12,488	5	0	5,94,742	13	9	26,144	13	4
Total for 1944	2,29,978	2	0	12,868	12	0	5,22,284	4	0	23,513	15	0

Charges—cont.																				
Book charges.																				
Remitted to treasury on account of paying patients, etc.			Miscellaneous items.			Total of columns (8)–(17).			Charges on account of work done by Public Works Department.			Cost of printed forms and stationery.			Cost of English stores and medicines.			Total of columns (18)–(21).		
(16)			(17)			(18)			(19)			(20)			(21)			(22)		
RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
(A)	64,335	0 0	{ (i) (j)	15,517 8,055	0 0 0 0	8,99,335 8,055	0 0 0 0	{ (k)	20,342	0 0	(l)	762	0 0	10,995	0 0	{ 9,31,337 8,056	0 0 0 0			
Madras	4,147	11 0				97,658	4 1		1,174	0 0		153	6 0	925	8 0	1,02,897	13 1			
Waltair	(s)	11,908	8 0	(t)	7,721	12 3	1,95,541	0 3	(u)	5,093	14 0	106	0 0	1,430	3 0	1,99,560	10 6			
Calicut																				
Total for 1946	80,891	3 0		31,293	12 3	12,00,589	4 4		26,609	14 0		1,021	6 0	13,253	11 0	12,41,850	7 7			
Total for 1945	89,054	1 7		38,414	14 3	10,94,974	12 4		21,939	12 0		901	8 0	10,535	0 0	11,35,158	15 11			
Total for 1944	99,823	0 5		29,796	11 0	9,69,184	6 9		29,171	12 0		916	14 0	7,440	9 0	10,11,219	10 10			

STATEMENT VIII—cont.

Statement showing the cash account of the mental hospitals in the Madras Presidency for the year 1946—cont.

	RS.		A. P.			RS.		A. P.	
(a) { Cash collections from paying patients	33,036	0 0			(k) { Book charges	5,651	0 0		
{ Adjustments from foreign provinces	29,457	0 0			{ Bedding and clothing	570	0 0		
Total	62,493	0 0			{ Hospital necessities	11,720	0 0		
					{ Public Works works and repairs	2,401	0 0		
					{ Public Works electric works	..	..		
					Total	20,342	0 0		
(b) { Value of the stores on hand on 1st January 1946	6,435	0 0			(l) { Cost of printing forms	650	0 0		
{ Value of the manufactured goods made over to hospital	10,591	0 0			{ Cost of stationery	112	0 0		
{ Value of the garden produce made over to hospital	2,635	0 0			Total	762	0 0		
{ Value of the garden produce by cash	2,230	0 0							
Total	21,891	0 0			(m) { Value of stores remains on 1st January 1946	3,326	8 1		
Deduct—Cost of raw materials	7,470	0 0			{ From treasury excluding adjustments	1,73,413	15 4		
Net total	14,421	0 0			Total	1,76,740	7 5		
(c) { Charges on account of Public Works works (k)	20,342	0 0			{ Sold to public—				
{ Charges on account of printing forms and stationery (l)	762	0 0			{ Manufactured articles	56	8 0		
{ Charges on account of English stores and medicines	10,898	0 0			{ Garden produce, Made over to Mental hospital	312	0 0		
Total	32,002	0 0			{ Manufactured articles (clothing)	3,732	5 6		
					{ Coir yarn	129	3 0		
(d) { Cost of unserviceable articles sold in auction	112	0 0			{ Garden produce	2,368	8 4		
{ Other miscellaneous receipts	112	0 0			Total	6,598	8 10		
Total	224	0 0			Deduct—Cost of raw materials	1,948	6 9		
					Net total	4,650	2 1		
(e) { Special diets—European	3,967	0 0			(o) { By sale of condemned articles	202	6 0		
{ Special diets—Indian	6,389	0 0			{ Diet charges	93,232	3 11		
{ Hospital diets and extras for European	41,362	0 0			{ Vegetables supplied from hospital	2,368	8 4		
{ Hospital diets and extras for Indian	88,971	0 0			{ Stores remaining on 1st January 1946	2,866	11 4		
{ Ordinary diets—European	17,838	0 0			Total	98,467	7 7		
{ Ordinary diets—Indian	1,74,821	0 0			Deduct—Stores remaining on 31st December 1946	2,232	4 9		
{ Special convalescent—European	2,460	0 0			Net total	96,235	2 10		
{ T.B. diets special	1,70,702	0 0							
Total	5,06,719	0 0			(p) { Clothing supplied from hospital	3,732	5 6		
					{ Clothing—Local purchase excluding book charges	657	4 0		
(f) { Mental Hospital clothing	10,591	0 0			Total	4,389	9 6		
{ Local purchase	1,692	0 0							
Total	12,283	0 0			(r) { Pay of menials plus dearness allowance	6,421	0 0		
Deduct—Book charges	512	0 0			{ Pay of dhobies, barbers including shaving materials	2,829	15 0		
Net total	11,771	0 0			{ House rent	240	0 0		
					{ Purchase and repairs of furnitures	74	11 5		
(g) { Purchase of betel leaves and nuts, etc.	2,774	0 0			{ Purchase of betel leaves, snuff, cigar, beedies, etc.	1,195	13 0		
{ Pay of menials including dearness allowance	24,282	0 0			{ Office expenses, Railway fares for patients	1,810	8 0		
{ Wages of gardener	198	0 0			Total	12,512	0 8		
{ Pay of charges	912	0 0							
{ Pay of dhobies	1,876	0 0			(s) { Received from paying patients	11,277	10 0		
{ Pay of barber	281	0 0			{ By sale of manufactured articles	56	8 0		
{ Pay of cessit coolies	550	0 0			{ By sale of garden produce	312	0 0		
{ Pay of purveyer and stretcher bearers	4,597	0 0			{ Miscellaneous receipts	262	6 0		
{ Dearness allowance	228	0 0			Total	11,908	8 0		
{ Washing materials	700	0 0							
{ Amusement and recreation of patients	57	0 0			(t) { Hospital necessities and other miscellaneous items less book charges	7,510	14 6		
{ Repairs to office cycle	752	0 0			{ Coir yarn supplied from hospital	129	3 0		
{ Office expenses	1,828	0 0			{ Stores remaining on 1st January 1946	459	12 9		
{ Maintenance of motor vehicles	1,536	0 0			Total	8,099	14 3		
{ Telephone charges	796	0 0			Deduct—Cost of stores remaining on 31st December 1946	378	2 0		
{ Electric current charges	507	0 0			Net total	7,721	12 3		
{ Postage and telegraph charges	..	..							
Total	49,655	0 0			(u) { Public Works Department for original works	245	0 0		
					{ Public Works Department for repairs	1,521	0 0		
(h) { Received from paying patients	62,493	0 0			{ Public Works Department for water charges (lorry hire), Government Industrial School for repairs, etc.	379	0 0		
{ Sale of unserviceable articles	112	0 0			{ Jail Department for bedding and clothing, etc.	1,029	7 0		
{ Other miscellaneous receipts	2,230	0 0			{ Government Kerala Soap Institute for soaps	336	13 0		
Total	64,835	0 0			{ Other Government department (cost of mugs supplied by the Collector of Malabar from A.R.P. Stores)	32	13 6		
(i) { Hospital necessities and miscellaneous	20,087	0 0			{ Government oil factory for shark leiver oil	27	12 6		
Deduct—Book charges	570	0 0			{ Telephone charges	273	15 6		
Total	15,517	0 0			Total	5,093	14 6		
(j) Value of stores on hand on 31st December 1946	8,055	0 0							

Government of Madras

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

(Public Health)

G.O. No. 857, 18th March 1947

Report—Mental Hospitals—Administration Report for 1946—Reviewed.

READ—the following paper:—

From the Surgeon-General, dated 28th February 1947, P. No. 12-P.W.

Order—No. 857, P.H., dated 18th March 1947.

Recorded.

2. The number of patients in the three mental hospitals increased from 2,735 in 1945 to 3,058 in 1946. The daily average number of patients increased from 1,931.15 to 2,138.83 and the daily average of sick persons from 453.08 to 461.20. There was a decrease in the percentage of deaths to the daily average strength from 9.78 to 8.32 and an increase in the percentage of patients cured to the daily average strength from 10.52 to 12.81.

3. The drainage scheme for the Mental Hospital, Madras, which was sanctioned some years back but could not be pushed through for various reasons, is expected to be completed shortly.

4. Whole-time Superintendents have been appointed to the Mental Hospitals at Waltair and Calicut instead of the arrangement under which the District Medical Officers, Vizagapatam and Malabar, were holding additional charge of Superintendentships of the institutions respectively.

5. The strength of patients in the mental hospitals is steadily increasing. Proposals for the establishment of a mental hospital at Madura in connexion with the new medical college at Madura and improvements to the Mental Hospital at Waltair and Calicut are under consideration.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

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