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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
28th March 1871.*

No. 125. Read the following letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Cuddapah, 8th March 1871, No. 14:—

I have the honour, with reference to paragraph 3 of Government Order, 5th April 1867, No. 358, and paragraph 3 of Government Order, 16th February 1871, No. 209, Public Department, to submit, for the information of Government, copies of the marginally-noted papers, relating to the Civil Dispensary at Madanapally and its progress during 1870.

2. Mr. Storr's report contains all the necessary particulars, and it does not seem necessary for me to recapitulate them.

3. The Visitors' Book shows that the public deem Madanapally fortunate, both in its Dispensary and in the Apothecary who has charge of the institution.

4. I have already addressed Government on the subject referred to in the last paragraph of the Sub-Collector's letter.

From E. STORR, Esq., Acting Sub-Collector of Cuddapah, to the Collector of Cuddapah, dated Voilpaul, 3rd March 1871, No. 86.

I have the honour to reply to your docket, No. 141, of February 22nd, and to submit a copy of the remarks entered in the Visitors' Book at the Madanapally Dispensary, together with an account of the receipts and disbursements during the year 1870.

2. The Dispensary was established at the close of 1869, and was opened for in-patients only in April 1870. During the past year, there has been a continual increase in the number of patients, and the people generally are beginning to feel confidence in the Medical Officer in charge.

3. The total number of cases treated during 1870 amounted to 4,502, of whom ninety-seven were in-patients. A considerable number of these came from Mysore and Punganoor in the North Arcot District. The Punganoor Zemindar himself, with several of his family, has been constantly under treatment, and he fully appreciates the advantages of the European system of medicine.

4. Forty-four capital and minor surgical operations were performed during the past year.

5. The Dispensary is supported partly by the interest on vested capital, and partly by local subscriptions. A grant of only 60 Rupees a month is allowed from the General Dispensary Fund of the District, a sum which has not sufficed to pay for the ordinary supplies of perishable articles and European and country medicines which had to be purchased during the year. The cost of dieting the sick, the salaries of the servants, &c., have been met entirely from local subscriptions, which amounted to Rupees 871-9-6.

6. The Punganoor Rajah gave a donation of Rupees 500 for the Dispensary, but this was absorbed into the General Fund at Cuddapah.

7. I observe it is stated, in paragraph 2 of your letter, No. 5, of 31st January 1871, that a sum of upwards of Rupees 1,800 was paid during the year for up-keep of the Madanapally Dispensary. The actual sum received from Cuddapah was Rupees 1,811-8-11; of this, Rupees 720 was the monthly allowance of Rupees 60 from the interest of funded capital, and Rupees 180 was this same allowance due, but not paid for the last three months of 1869. The remaining sum of Rupees 911-8-11 was expended in repairs and building, but from this should be deducted the Rupees 500 given by the Punganoor Zemindar, which was credited to the General Fund. It will thus be seen that, with the exception of a monthly allowance of Rupees 60 only, Rupees 411-8-11 were really received during the past year from the General Dispensary Fund.

8. It is in contemplation, should funds be forthcoming, to build a small detached building for venereal and contagious diseases. It is not fair on the other patients that they should be kept in the same wards with those suffering from such ailments.

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28th March 1871.

9. There is no doubt that the Dispensary has hitherto proved a complete success, and has met a want much felt in this part of the Cuddapah District. I attribute this, in a great measure, to the exertions of Mr. Ward, the Apothecary in charge, who has taken the greatest interest in the institution, and who has won the confidence generally of those under his treatment. His thorough knowledge of the language and his previous local experience in these parts have been of very great service. I much regret to see that his removal to Bellary has been ordered. A rude and ignorant people have generally faith rather in the practitioner than in the system practiced, and I much fear that his removal will be attended with a falling-off in the numbers now resorting to the Dispensary for treatment.

Dispensary at Madanapally.
ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1870.

		Remained and admitted.	Cured.	Discharged, relieved, no better, or absented.	Died.	Remaining.	Average daily sick.
Europeans.	In-patients	37	37		...	...	0.86
	Out do.	97	63	13	10	11	9.99
Natives	In-patients	4,368	3,812	485	4	67	53.57
	Out do.						
Total...		4,502	3,912	498	14	78	64.42

The Hospital was opened for in-patients on the 18th April 1870, and the number of applicants at times has been more than the institution could afford to support.

There was a steady increase in the Out-patient Department also : towards the end of the year the daily attendance was frequently over a hundred.

Forty-four capital and minor operations were performed during the period under review.

The average monthly cost of up-keep was Rupees 120-13-8, this includes servants' salaries, diets, wines and spirits, perishable articles, country medicines, and European medicines purchased from Dispensary funds.

The average monthly receipts by subscriptions, including the 60 Rupees from the interest of the funded capital of the General District Fund, amounted to Rupees 122-10-1.

The Hospital and Dispensary are situated to the north-west of the town, which is about a quarter of a mile distant. The road from Cuddapah to Vellore runs along the southern border of the compound and leads to the town; opening upon this road is the Hospital gate.

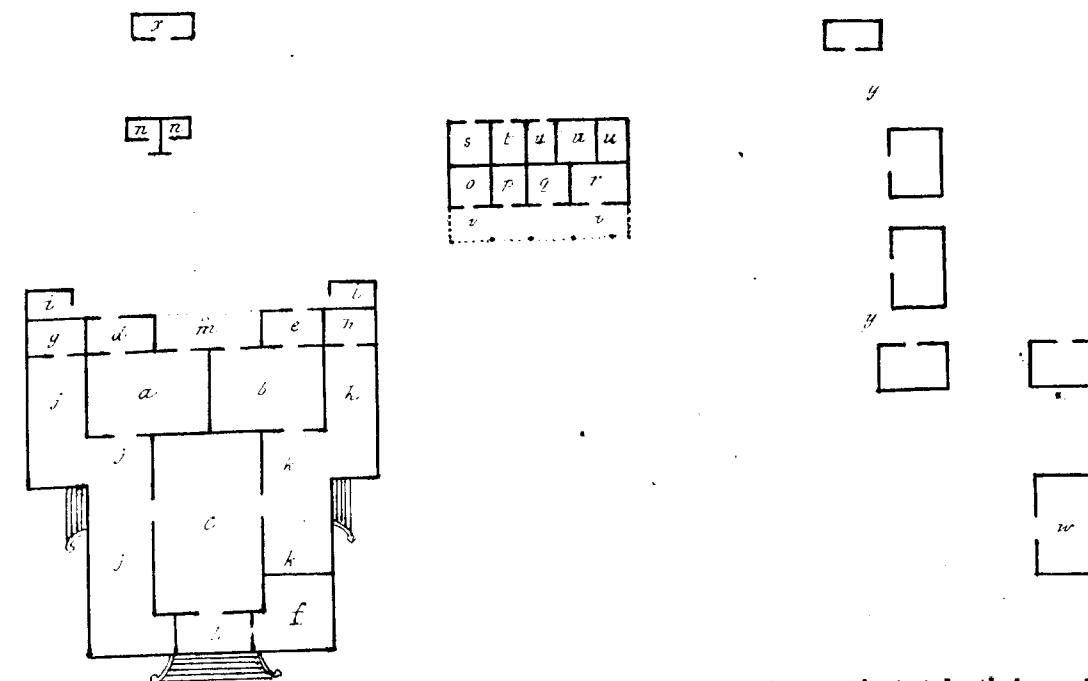
The Hospital compound is about eight acres in extent. It is an elevated open spot, having fields of both wet and dry cultivation on the east and north, and the road on the west and south, with a well marked fall from west to east and north-east, so that the drainage is perfect. The soil is a sandy loam; underlying it, is a bed of granite, which crops up in some places above the surface. Between the surface soil and the granite, where the latter dips deeply, there is a hard gravelly soil, which seems to be a mixture of quartz and sandstone.

A few small trees, chiefly "Kanaga" (*Pongamia glabra*) are scattered about the compound and along the hedge, which is of *Euphorbia tirucalli*.

A deep well in the compound affords a plentiful supply of good water for all purposes. A slight qualitative analysis of the water proved its freedom from any great impurity. There was only a trace of organic matter, probably of vegetable origin; chlorides in very small proportion, a trace of sulphate of lime; and "hardness" very slight.

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28th March 1871.

The accompanying is a rough ground-plan of the hospital, showing the relative position of the out-offices:—



- a. Ward for men.
- b. Do. for women.
- c. Dispensary.
- d. Room for one male patient.
- e. Do. do. female do.
- f. Operating-room.
- g. Store-room.
- h. Room for one patient.
- i. i. Bath-rooms.
- j. j. j. Verandah used as waiting-room.
- k. k. k. Verandah.
- l. Verandah.
- m. Verandah where patients take their meals.
- n. n. Latrines for men and women.
- o. Hospital kitchen.
- p. q. r. Rooms for patients.
- s. Contractor's store-room.
- t. Room for one patient.
- u. u. u. Open places for self-dieting patients to cook in.
- v. v. Thatched verandah.
- w. Thatched place for bad cases.
- x. Dead-house.
- y. y. Servants' quarters.

Detailed Statement of Accommodation.

Ward or room.	Length.	Breadth.	Height of walls.	Superficial space.	Cubic space.	Superficial space per bed.	Remarks.
a	18½	13½	14½	249½	4,127½	62½	Ward for men.
b	18½	13½	14½	249½	4,127½	62½	Do. for women.
d	11	6½	7½ & 12½	71½	715	71½	Room for one patient, male.
e	11	6½	7½ & 12½	71½	715	71½	Do. do. female.
h	12	6½	7½ & 12½	78	772½	78	Do. do. male or female.
p	9½	8½	6½ & 12½	78½	746½	78½	Do. do. do.
q	9½	8½	6½ & 12½	74	703	74	Do. do. do.
r	9½	8½	6½ & 12½	78½	746½	78½	Do. do. do.
t	9½	7	6½ & 12½	64½	615½	64½	Do. do. do.
w	24½	9½	6	238½	2,149½	1,074½	Thatched place for bad cases.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
28th March 1871.*

All the servants are resident on the premises in dwellings constructed for the purpose.

The rain-fall in the sub-division has been good, sufficient to ensure a fair average of both wet and dry crops.

The inhabitants generally have been healthy.

A few cases of small-pox were heard of in the early part of the year; fever did not prevail epidemically, and cholera was almost absent—a few cases were said to have occurred in villages of the Madanapally and Voilpad Taluqs, adjoining the Chittoor District. Of the three cases treated here in June, one died and two recovered. Cholera was prevalent at the time in Punganoor (fourteen miles distant). From about the 27th May, after some great festival, thirty-five deaths were heard of up to the 7th June, and the epidemic ceased about three weeks after.

(True Extract.)

MADANAPALLY,
1st January 1871.

(Signed) THOS. WARD,
Apothecary, in medical charge.

No. 126. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1871, No. 410.

The Government notice with satisfaction, from the papers above recorded, that the usefulness of the Dispensary established at Madanapally, in the District of Cuddapah, at the close of 1869, is appreciated by the people generally, and that there has been, during the year 1870, a continuous increase in the number of patients treated at the Institution.

2. The receipts during the year 1870, including the balance in hand, amounted to Rupees 3,554-8-5, and the expenditure to Rupees 2,997-14-5, leaving a balance of Rupees 556-10-0.

3. It is observed that, in Order, dated the 23rd instant, No. 389, sanction has been accorded for Mr. Ward continuing, for the present, in charge of the Dispensary.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Collector of Cuddapah.

„ Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.

Collector's Office /
Cuddapah.

8th March 1871.

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From C. G. Master Esquire
Collector of Cuddapah.

To.
The Honorable P. S. Ellis C. B.
Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

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From Sub Collector dated
3rd March 1871 No 86.
Annual Report of the
Dispensary at Ma-
danapally for 1870
dated 1st January
1871
Account Current
of the Receipts and
Disbursements -
during 1870 -

Govt. of 1871 3rd March.

PUBLIC.

To
THE COLLECTOR OF CUDDAPAH,
Cc., Cc., &c.

Dated March, 28th.
Recd. Sent.

G. O., 28th March 1871, No. 410.

MARCH.
Nos. 125-126.

Reviewing the Report on the Madanapally Civil
Dispensary for the year 1870.

on the subject referred to in the last paragraph
of the Subcollector's letter.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt Servant

Wm. A. C. -
Collector.

E. C. C. -

Subcollectors Office
Vellore
3rd March 1871

No. 86.

From E. Storr Esquire
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Subcollector of Huddarah.

To C. G. Master Esquire
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dence in the Medical Officer in charge.

3. The total number of cases treated during
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A considerable number of these came from Mysore
and Channarayana in the North Arcot district. The
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family have been treated under treatment and

Received of the
Collector of Huddarah
the sum of Rs. 100/-
on account of the
Huddarah Dispensary
for the year 1870.
Dated 3rd March 1871.
C. G. Master Esquire
Collector of Huddarah.

Recd 1871 22nd

From The Collector of
(Huddarah)

The Chief Secretary
Government
Madras

Dated 3rd March 1871.
C. G. Master Esquire
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No. 141

Submits for the information
of Government Esquire
from the Acting Sub Collector
at Madanapally and other
Districts and other
all the necessary details, no
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I have the
pleasure of E. Moss
of Sub Collector

10 June 1871

E. Moss
Collector

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Pocahontas
1871

has a letter from the
of Canada for dated 24
Nov 1871. 10/11/71

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1870.

Dispensary at Madanapally Annual Report for the year 1870.

Natives, Europeans		Remained and admitted	Cured	Discharged, Patients, No letter or admitted	Died	Remaining	Average daily list
	In Patients	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Out	87	37	-	-	-	286
	In Patients	97	63	13	10	11	9.99
	Out	4368	3812	485	4	67	53.57
Total		4502	3912	498	14	78	66.62

The Hospital was opened for In. Patients on the 13th April 1870, and the number of appearances at times has been more than the Institution could afford to support.

There was a steady increase in the out Patient Department also - towards the end of the year the daily attendance was frequently over a hundred.

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Recd. 28 Nov. 1871
at 13. 10/12/71

in Rs. 4 54/100

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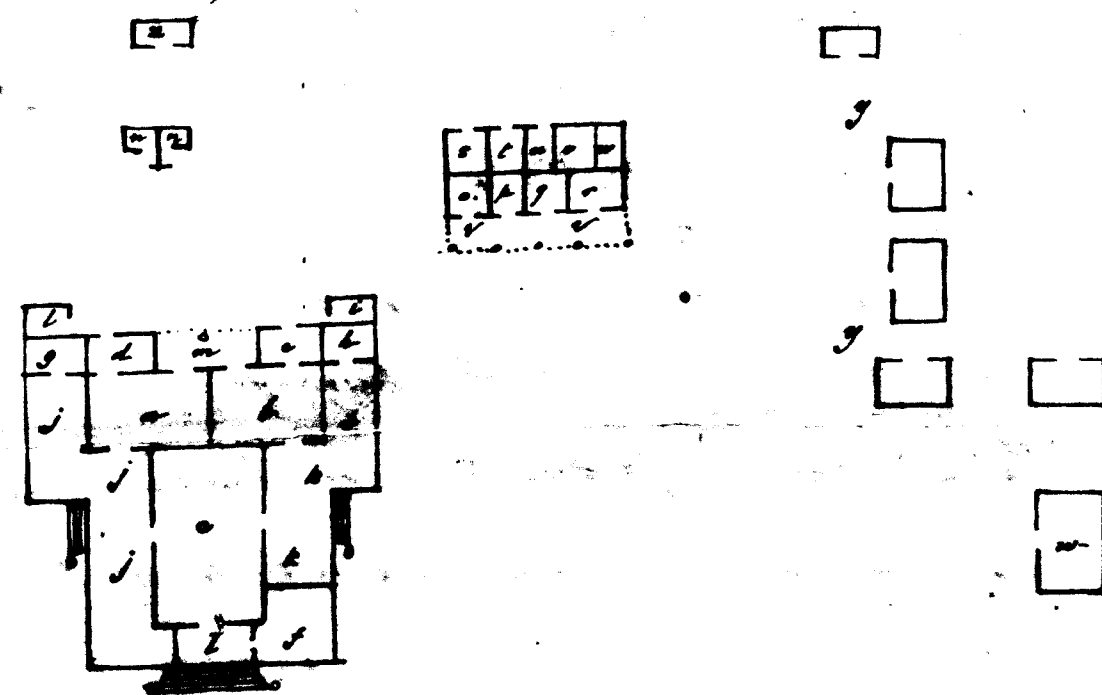
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| l. Verandah. | |

Detailed Statement of accommodation.

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b	18 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2	269 3/4	4137 5/8	62 1/16	Ward for women.
c	11	6 1/2	7 1/2	71 1/2	715	71 1/2	Room for one patient male.
d	11	6 1/2	7 1/2	71 1/2	715	71 1/2	— — — female.
e	12	6 1/2	7 1/2	78	772 1/2	78	— — — male or female.
f	9 1/2	8 1/2	11 1/2	78 5/8	766 15/16	78 5/8	— — — — —
g	9 1/2	8	11 1/2	74	703	74	— — — — —
h	9 1/2	8 1/2	11 1/2	78 5/8	766 15/16	78 5/8	— — — — —
i	9 1/2	7	11 1/2	66 3/4	615 1/8	66 3/4	— — — — —
j	26 1/2	9 3/4	6	238 2/3	2169 2/3	107 5/16	Thatched place for bad cases.

All the servants are resident on the premises in dwellings constructed for the purpose.

The rain fall in the sub division has been good sufficient to ensure a fair average of both wet and dry crops.

The inhabitants generally have been healthy.

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in June, one died and two recovered. Cholera was prevalent at the time in Punganur (14 miles distant,) from about the 27th May, after some great festival — 35 deaths were heard of up to the 7th June, and the epidemic ceased about three weeks after.

(True Extract)

Madanapally }
1st January 1871.

Signed, Thos. Ward
Apothecary
In Med^l Charge

for the City

Collector

Handwritten signature

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See letter from the C. O.
at Cuddalore dated 8th
Jan. 1871. 1014

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Extracts from Visitor's Book

2nd May 1870 The State of the Civil Hospital is creditable to Mr. Fallowell. In and out Patients alike seemed to receive proper attention from him, and the super-
 signed J. Hope
 P^{ost} Act Collector

5th August 1870 Hospital clean and comfortable - Surgery &c in order. This institution reflects great credit on the Apothecary Mr. Fallowell and his subordinates.
 Signed J. Shortt M.D.
 Surgeon
 Supt. General of Vaccines
 Madras Presidency

5th September 1870 During the past 18 months have frequently visited the Civil Hospital and ever found it clean and showing great care and attention on the part of Mr. Fallowell.
 Signed J. L. Morris Esq.
 J. L. Morris Esq.

16 November
1870

Hospital and
Dispensary very
clean and in
excellent order
Jas J. H. Ellis
Collector of Customs

Yours extracts

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off Apr 1871
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Annual Medical Report of the
Civil Dispensary Society, for
the year 1870.

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The amount of relief afforded
to the In & Out Patients at this Dispensary
during the year 1870, was somewhat
less than the preceding year. Their
number was 3,297, viz In Patients
84. Out Patients 3,213, and which
arranged according to race, is as
follows.

Europeans & East Indians	7
Indians	213
Native Indians	108
Europeans	653
Chinese	374
	3,205

Remained last year	
In and Out Patients	92

Total 3,297

Showing a decrease of 409 cases
among the Out. and of 1 case
among the In Patients. This
falling off in admissions
is attributable to the greater
healthiness of the year, and to
the improved sanitary condition
of the town.

The number of deaths during

1870-30th June 1871 from

11/1/71

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in the city of

the year in as 8.

This station has enjoyed a singular immunity from epidemic disease this year, though Cholera was rife in an adjoining Estate Weekly Rajawothpoom, about 20 miles distant, and lying in an easterly direction. This Estate is one of the most fertile, healthy, and sanitary places in this district. The disease it was said was first introduced into the place, by Pilgrims, on their way from Mergu to Panaisameram. The number of deaths reported by the Police was 110. Cholera Pills without opium were distributed through the Agency of the Police, several cases, attributing their recovery to the use of these Pills. Two men, in the service of this Town who had been to Rajawothpoom on business, returned immediately on the outbreak of Cholera, these individuals, after their return home, were seized with, and died of the disease, as other persons occurred after this.

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The prevailing diseases have been Tricus 1893, Catarrh of Ophthalmia 1894, Diseases of the Digestive System 1895. The whole of the cases, were of the ordinary type, and readily yielded to treatment.

Vaccination is regularly kept up by the 5 Vaccinators, attached to this Estate.

The fall of Rain registered, was 56 inches, being $9\frac{1}{2}$ inches more than 1869.

The Dispensary has been regularly visited twice a day, and often when very busy.

The servants attached to this Institution have one and all given satisfaction.

Arrival of } 1st January 1871
Departure of } 1st January 1871

Annual Report

Capital District, San Francisco
For the year 1870

General observation
bearing on the climate
seasons &c.

The information re-
quired on this head
has been given in the
Sanit Report for this year

A detailed narrative
of any epidemic &c.

is very mild & history
of cholera, and the war-

ning of which had been given, reached the
town late in August; making it
the same parallel with the prevailing winds.
A case was admitted to hospital, but 10 deaths
were reported to have taken place in the town
between August 26th and September 21st. The dis-
cussion and schools fortunately escaped and
its ravages were confined to the cleanest and
best kept part of the town; the town being and
densely populated localities escaped altogether.
The total number of cases treated during
the year has been 2057 including 4 Europeans
of this number 150 have been in and 1898
and patients compared with the last year; it
will be seen that there has been a slight in-
crease in the number, and an increase in the number
admitted in the hospital.

The following tabular statement shows the number
admitted in the hospital for the year.

Annual Medical Report
of the Civil Dispensary
San Francisco, for the year
1870

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1867/71

March 30th San Francisco

Aug. 27 28 March 1871
San Francisco

San Francisco

	admitted in 1889	discharged in 1890	deceased in 1890	mean age in 1890
In Patients	152	187	"	13
Out Patients	321	1863	22	"

The small decrease in the number of in patients is entirely due to the chronic character of the cases treated; a large proportion of those admitted during the year were more fitted for a hospital for incurables than any other, the old and helpless seek admission to hospital, when their friends grow weary of their long and fruitless struggle with chronic Rheumatism of syphilitic origin aggravated by the abuse of mercury, generally nature's doctors, who apply and where there is no alternative, but to admit them, as they would otherwise die miserably in the streets. The beds in consequence have generally been wholly occupied and more than the number short of the previous years admissions have been turned away from the hospital.

The hospital has been so frequently described in former Reports, that it may suffice to say that it is a commodious brick and tiled building, containing two hundred and one beds, the wards, by the way, the male ward contains 8 iron cots for which

the male space affording a superficial area of 72 feet with a cubic capacity of 1836 feet for each. The female ward contains 8 iron cots each, having a superficial area of 72 feet and a capacity of 1800 feet, they are both well ventilated by means of ridge openings in addition to doors and windows.

There are also two small separate rooms for special cases each contains one bed and has an area of 72 feet and a cubic capacity of 1800 feet, they are also well ventilated.

The buildings being only 10 years old are in good condition. The roof sustained some damage in loss of tiles, during a heavy snow storm in the winter of 1889-90, repaired at a cost of Rs. 3. 14. 0.

The floor is the only part of the hospital requiring repair, being of chunam, it is constantly wearing into holes and is very difficult to keep clean, in consequence, it would be very advantageous to have this either asphalted or flagged, but unfortunately this is beyond our present means.

The site of the hospital has been badly chosen it is surrounded on three sides by low lying, sandy fields, at the extreme western extremity of the tower, which is two miles long, the site is a mile beyond the eastern extremity each visit to both places entails a 6 miles journey from the Medical Officer's residence.

The house is considerably small & has been for some time in a state of decay & requires repair. It is situated in a good position & is well adapted for the purpose of a school.

The Committee of management consist of the principal European and native gentlemen meet periodically to investigate the business and other matters connected with the working of the Institution; it is very unfortunate that our principal, the Collector, has too far and too much to do to attend to these matters.

The financial position of the Institution is very satisfactory & has been improved during the year and is better than it was before. The principal support is from the Government, but the private contributions are also considerable.

Through an report made by the Chairman the Committee of trustees has been induced to pay up his promise subscription amounting to 200 Rs. The Committee of Shri. R. S. 105 and the Committee of Shri. S. 50, but have

been to see the natives generally are much interested in the progress of the Institution and are very anxious to see it flourish. The Committee of Shri. R. S. 105 and the Committee of Shri. S. 50, but have been to see the natives generally are much interested in the progress of the Institution and are very anxious to see it flourish.

The Board of Directors with its members have been 10000 in the year 1869.

has obtained an unvariable notoriety for its most odorous condition due to offensive effluvia & stagnant water causes its low lying site rendering efficient drainage impossible.

The principal body has done much to remedy these evils by filling up at considerable cost the more objectionable pools and by laying down substantial well constructed & deep stone channels along the sides of the principal streets, all the streets are swept daily and rubbish is removed to a distance from the town.

1st Chap Hospital Assistant A.C. Macleod has continued to be attentive to his duties, his health is fair at present, but he has been subject to occasional attacks of fever and asthma during the year, these however have not prevented his attendance at hospital.

The Prisons are kept under lock and key in a separate Khmirah.

A copy of this Report has been forwarded to the collector as directed in Circular Memo No 1288 dated April 8th 1869.

Bombay
1st January 1871.

W. D. D. D.
Jillah Engineer
Bombay

Extract from the Visitors Book of the Civil Dispensary,
 Hampshire for the year 1870

All seemed right
 24th March 1870 (Signed) W. B. Otley
 Chaplain

All well
 8th July 1870 (Signed) W. B. Otley
 (12) Room Chaplain

All satisfactory every thing as before.
 11th July 1870 (Signed) W. B. Otley
 Chaplain

11-7-70
 (Signature)
 (Signature)

Everything looks clean and comfortable and this
 institution is a credit to the district
 26th July 1870 (Signed) J. H. M. Surgeon
 Public Health Officer

XVI
 14/9/71
 Visited (No. 27) Dispensary 1871
 since the report is
 the building up of the
 Dispensary for the
 year 1870 -

The building and out houses very clean the compound
also very clean and healthy this institution is a credit to
the district. The keeper appears to me to be a very good
and faithful servant. I have always found him present
at his post and I have been to this place during all hours
during the day.

27th July 1870 (Signed) J. D. Harris
Executive Engineer

Committee day

Every thing appeared clean and orderly in the after
in the room commonly called the operating room or where
the patient ~~was kept~~ was commingled and ~~was~~

present a station. The Committee resolved accordingly,
10th October 1870 (Signed) H. W. Miley
J. H. M. Chaplain

I found every thing in ~~and~~ about the building in excellent
order: 10 patients in the wards which are well cared for.
A post or rafter in the operating room has given away
under the terrace roof it may be replaced by a beam
and carefully let in to the wall on either side 1 foot
at least 9 inches. The removal of the present post
must be carefully done and it must be supported
during

during the process of removal the new post should be close
by the top against the terrace roof by under pinning with
wooden wedges, which should be carefully secured by well
prepared masonry
(Signed) J. D. Harris
13th October 1870 Executive Engineer

I find every thing in and about the Hospital in excellent
order: The post in the operating room under terrace roof
replaced a spar and I have no doubt in my
mind a little gilding and chunam plastering remains
to be done before the ceiling and the post which will
be done tomorrow the keeper informs me.

(Signed) J. D. Harris
Executive Engineer

(True Copy)

R. W. Miley
Gilliat Surgeon
Perhampton

Perhampton
1st January 1871

Annual Medical Report of the Civil Dispensary Chicago for the year 1870.

LP
28/1/71

The institution has given relief
to 2919 Patients during the year, Commencing
from 1st January to the 31st December 1870
i.e. European and Native In-Patients 109
and European and Native Out-Patients
2810, showing a decrease of 20 In-Patients
and 310 Out Patients from last year, owing
chiefly to the healthiness of the year.

A few of the deaths which
have occurred during the year among the
Native In-Patients were of Mendicants and
Pilgrims who applied for medical aid at the
last stage of their disease.

A few of the people who
have received medical aid from the
institution as In-Patients during the year
were not dependent on it for their diet
well to do friends having administered

Δ V.
11/9/71.
New 2nd 1st January 1871.

Extract from the Visitation
Book of the Civil Dis-
pensary for the year 1870

M. J. 26 March 1871
in B. N. 123.

in Public 1871/72

to their wants during their detention in
the Hospital. The Dispensary has thus been
relieved of the expenditure of diet which
it would have otherwise incurred for their
feed of these people, they were consequently
returned as Out-Patients.

No Epidemic has prevailed
in the town except a few cases of Small
Pox and Chicken Pox of which none proved
fatal.

In the month of August Cholera
was said to have made its appearance at
Ponglamoor 30 miles away from Calicut
on the Berhampore road, and Pills were
sent to the Local Authorities for distribution
on application.

The prevailing diseases during
the year were Fevers, Bronchial affections
Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Pneumonia and
Cutaneous affections.

I have great pleasure
in reporting the continued favorable opera-
tion of the institution and its beneficial
influence among the inhabitants of the

237
town and the neighbouring villages, and to
my knowledge many have come from some
distance for treatment and were relieved.

The In-Patients are very well
provided from the liberal Subscription of
His Highness the Maharajah of Vizianagaram
H. C. S. I. and European Gentlemen of
the District and also respective Natives of
the town.

We have had very heavy rains
during the monsoons, and the rain fall was
45 inches and 28½ Cents.

The Vaccination has been
kept up by myself, Subordinates and as
Municipal Vaccinator of the town. The
total number Vaccinated during the year
by Med. Establishment 70 of which 30
Successful and 34 Unsuccessful; and by
Municipal Vaccinator 143 of which number
86 Successful and 57 Unsuccessful. The
Lymph is good.

The working of the Municipality
during the past year in keeping
the town clean and all

Sanitary requirements has been satisfactory

Dr. J. H. K. K.

Chicago

7th January 1871

Asst. Surg. Gen.

In Med. Charge

Station Chicago

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Extract from the Visitor's book
of the Civil Dispensary Chicago

I have much pleasure in recording
the clean and tidy appearance, the Dispensary
presents. The patients seem comfortable and
contented. The Surgery clean and everything
in its place.

Sigs J. Short M.D. Surgeon
Chicago
8th August 1870
Supt. General of Vaccination
Marion Presidency

Visited the Hospital this
morning, 11 patients, everything clean
and in good order.

Nov 10. 1870.
Sigs H. Ellis
Off. Collector

I have frequently visited the
Dispensary during the last 3 years and have
been always satisfied with the state in which
it is kept. It is a pity that the local sub-
scriptions should have so greatly fallen
in consequence of the
of the same

present new Canbles seem to be wanted
and the Compound well to be repaired. This
should be paid for out of the funds to the credit
of the Hospital in the Tiding Treasurers

Wm. J. Hope

Principal Agent Collector

25th Decr 1870.

/ True Copy /

Deu. J. H. Pais
Principal Agent
Collector
Station Chicago

Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from

the collector of Cuddapah
dated 8th March 1871 No. 14

Order thereon 25 March 1871 No. 410.

The Government
write with satisfaction from
the papers above recorded
that the usefulness of the
Dispensary established at
Madanapally in the District
of Cuddapah at the close
of 1869 is appreciated by the
people generally, and that
there has been during the
year 1870, a continuous in-
crease in the number of
patients treated at the
Institution.

2 The receipts during
the year 1870 including

Annex E. No. 2.

Report of the Civil

Dispensary, Chinnacote,

for the year 1870.

W. S. S. S. S.

W. S. S. S. S.

224/71.

Recd 22 February 1871.
From C.O.

PS. 1728 March 1/71

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including the balance
in hand amounted to
Rs 3554-8-5, and the
expenditure to Rs 2997-14-5,
leaving a balance of
Rs 556-10-.

3 It is observed that
in Order dated the 27th
instant Rs 389 sanction
has been accorded for Mr
Ward continuing for the
present, in charge of the
Dispensary.

To The Collr. of Buddapah
- Insp. Genl. I M. Dept.

28/4
212/4

Bout. of 1871 300 adms.

To Public

To John of Fiddlers

Dated March 28 } 1871, No. 410
Recd.

Nos. 125, 126

Receiving the report on
the Fiddlers' Civil
Disputes for the year
1870.