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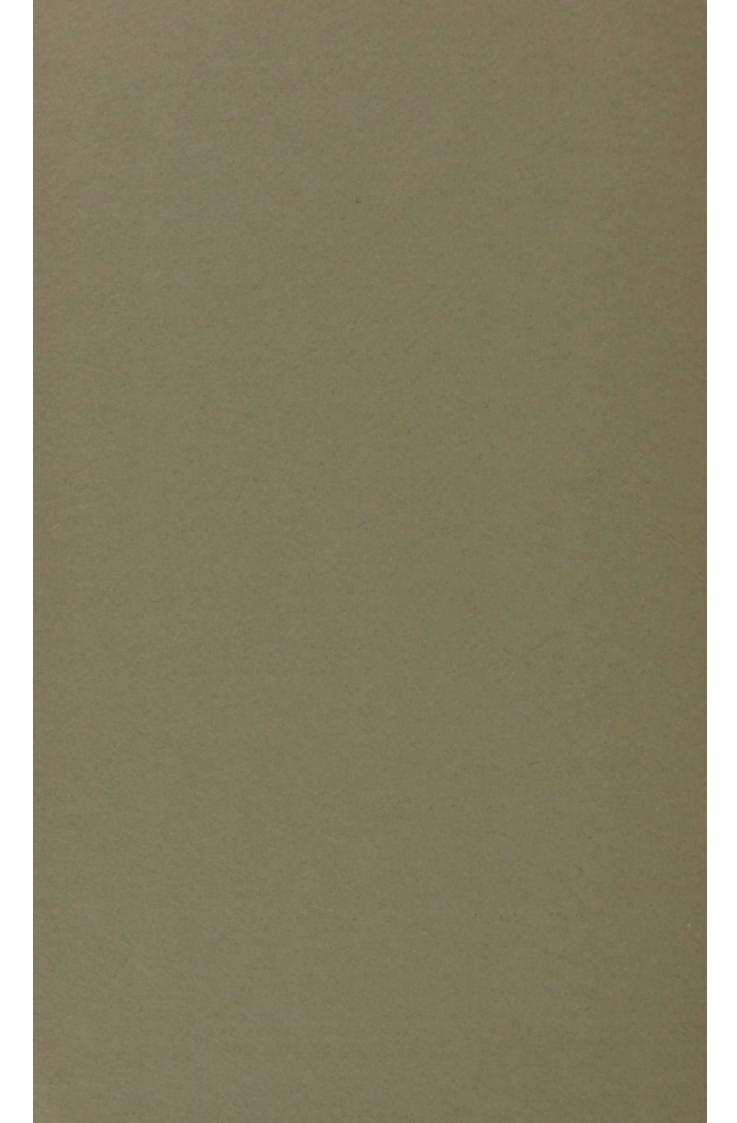
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J. H. Sutcliffe, L.D.S.

P. J. George, L.D.S.

Nursing Staff:

Superintendent Nursing Officer:

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†Mrs. I. M. Williams, S.R.N., S.C.M. † Undertake School Nursing under dispensation by Welsh

Board of Health.

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Chief Clerk: Mr. R. I. Jones. Senior Clerk: Mr. R. E. Page.

School Medical Services Clerk: Mr. T. Jones.

Consultant Staff of the Welsh Hospital Board who provide Specialist Services for the Education Committee:

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E. A. Aslett. M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.T.M. & H. (Eng.), D.P.H.

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H. G. W. Hoare, M.A., M.B., B.Chir., F.R.C.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O.M.S.

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Brynmawr.

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TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BRECONSHIRE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen-

I have the honour to present to you the Fifty-third Annual Report of the School Medical Services in the County, during the year ending 31st December, 1963.

The health of Breconshire's school population is very

satisfactory indeed.

During the year, 1,151 children attending Primary Schools were medically examined, and 1,596 children who were attending County Grammar and County Secondary Schools.

Of these 2,747 children, only 1 child attending a Primary School was found to be unsatisfactory medically.

Handicapped Pupils—Special Schools —In parts VI and VII appended to this report will be found full details of handicapped children in the County, including those for whom places have been found in Special Schools.

Penoyre Open Air Residential School for Delicate Pupils—During the year 1 delicate child was admitted to this school and 2 pupils were discharged. On the 31st December, 1963, 4 Breconshire pupils were still resident at the school.

When it is recalled that Breconshire has 18 places "earmarked" at this school for its own pupils, it is gratifying to know that most of these places are not filled or are not wanted, because the children are healthy.

Against this however, is the fact that because the school is not filled to capacity with delicate children, the cost per pupil week for each child actually there, is extremely high.

Education Act, 1944, Section 57.—During the year two children were referred by the School Medical Services Sub-Committee to the Local Health Authority under Section 57 of the Education Act, 1944, as being unsuitable for education in school.

School Closures—No schools were closed on account of infectious disease during the year.

Educational Psychologist—Mr. John H. Davies, B.Sc. (Special), D.E.P. (Birmingham), commenced duty as the County Educational Psychologist on 2nd September, 1963.

Speech Therapist.—Miss G. A. Samuel, L.C.S.T., commenced duty as your County Speech Therapist on 1st October, 1963, and holds regular fixed clinics in the County and also visits children in their homes when required.

I stated in a previous annual report that these two appointments should be made and I more than welcome these officers to Breconshire. For many years now, I have had to rely partly on the co-operation and generosity of colleagues in the neighbouring authorities of Merthyr Tydfil, Hereford, Swansea and Carmarthenshire for expert assessment and treatment of the Breconshire handicapped pupil. Now that these officers have been appointed, a fully integrated School Psychological Service can be developed in Breconshire.

This introduction would be incomplete without reference to the co-operation and ready assistance afforded by the Chief Education Officer and his teaching and administrative staff, and the loyal and conscientious service rendered by the medical, nursing and clerical staff of the School Health Service.

I have the honour to be,
Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

R. G. EVANS,

Principal School Medical Officer.

County Health Department, The Watton, Brecon. June, 1964.

BRECONSHIRE SCHOOL CLINICS.

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Educational y Psychologist	As and when required,	2nd Wednesday and 4th Tuesday in month a.m. and p.m.	Is: and 3rd Fridays in month a.m. and p.m.	1st Monday in month a.m. and p.m.	2nd Tuesday in month a.m. and p.m.		4th Wednesday in month a.m.	3rd Monday in month a.m. and p.m.
Speech Therapy	Thursdays a.m.	Fridays p.m.	Wednesdays a.m. and p.m.	Tuesdays a.m.	2nd, 3rd and 4th the Thursdays p.m.	1	Fridays a.m.	Tuesdays p.m.
Dental	Fridays	and Mondays p.m.	n. Mondays	2nd and 4th Thursdays in month, p.m.	1st and 3rd Tuesdays in month.	1	1 1st and 3rd 1. Tuesdays p.m.	- u
orthopaedic	ayFridays p.m.	lst, 2nd, 3rd 5th Mondays	Wednesdays p.m. Mondays	4th Monday in the month a.m.	1st Thursday in the month p.m.	1st Tuesday in the month p.m.	3rd Thursday in the month p.m.	- 4th Trursday in the month a.m.
Special Clinics (Minor Ailments) Etc.	1st and 3rd WednesdayFridays p.m. in month p.m.	2nd and 4th Mondays in the month a.m.	1st and 3rd Mondays in the month a.m.	2nd and 4th Wednesdays in the month a.m.	1st and 3rd Wednesdays in the month a.m.		1st and 3rd Wednesdays in the month a.m.	2nd and 4th Wednesdays in the month p.m.
CM	1st in	 ni	:	da da	. 1s da	:	de	2n
Address of Clinic	Watton Offices, Brecon	Clinic, Lower Bailey Street, Brynmawr	School Clinic, Derwen Road, Jeffreys Hill, Ystradgynlais	Clinic, Park Road, Builth Wells	School Clinic, Ysgol-y-graig, Cefn Coed	Clinic, Town Hall, Talgarth	Clinic, Market Hall, Crickhowell.	Clinic, Oxford Road, Hay-on-Wye

In addition to the above sessions provided by the Authority. the County Ophthalmic Surgeon attends when required at the Brecon, Brynmawr, Builth and Ystradg ynlais Clinics, and the Orthopaedic Specialists attend at the Brecon, Brynmawr and Ystradgynlais Clinics when required.

TABLE OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY AND COUNTY GRAMMAR SCHOOL CHILDREN

Number of	Departments		 94
Number of	Scholars on the	Roll	 9228

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNISATION.

Number of children immunised by the Council's Medical Officers and by General Practitioners during the year ended 31st December, 1963:—

District	Primary Reinford Immunisation Doses					
	Under 5	5-14	Totals			
Brecon Urban	94	-	94	321		
Brynmawr Urban	57	4	61	139		
Builth Urban	31	21	52	62		
Hay Urban	24	5	29	67		
Llanwrtyd Urban	8	1	9	3		
Brecon Rural	100	3	103	122		
Builth Rural	36	1	37	46		
Crickhowell Rural	98	12	110	139		
Hay Rural	51	-	51	102		
Vaynor Rural	43	6	49	175		
Ystradgynlais Rural	133	11	144	363		
Totals	675	64	739	1539		

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

Number of Children examined:-

	Males	Females	Totals
Routine Inspections	 431	428	859
Special Inspections	 6	4	10
Re-Inspections	 128	154	282
Totals	565	586	1151

SECONDARY AND COUNTY GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

Number of Children examined:-

Routine Inspections Special Inspections Re-Inspections	Males 623 1 173	Females 766 6 27	Totals 1389 7 200
Totals	 797	799	1596

TREATMENT OF VISION.

Table of Cases Examined by the Eye Specialist.

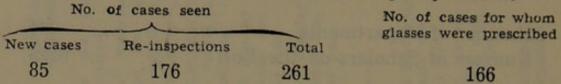


Table of Cases seen by the Deputy County Medical Officer and Assistant Medical Officer.

No. of cases tested 91

No. for whom spectacles prescribed

No. referred to Eye Specialist.

ORTHOPTIC TREATMENT.

The Orthoptist employed at the Brecon Hospital continues to treat children referred to her by Mr. Hoare from his School Clinics and this work has increased to such an extent that the Orthoptist now attends at the Hospital more often than the one session per week originally allotted for this work when the scheme first commenced in 1960. This arrangement for orthoptic treatment for our children works very satisfactorily.

Orthoptists are also employed at Merthyr General Hospital Swansea General Hospital and the Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, and these facilities can also be used by

Breconshire children if required.

ORTHOPÆDIC SCHEME.

Mrs. N. G. Neat, the County Orthopædic Nurse, holds

regular Orthopædic Clinics throughout the County.

A number of children were seen by the Orthopædic Surgeon, Mr. Roy Treasure, F.R.C.S., at the monthly clinics held at Brecon Hospital, when your Orthopædic Nurse attends to assist the Specialist by arrangement with the Regional Hospital Board.

By arrangement with the Regional Hospital Board, Mr. Treasure held Orthopædic Clinics at the Brecon Clinic on

4 occasions during 1963.

The details of school-children seen at these clinics are given below These figures do not include children of underschool age who were seen.

Centre-Brecon. Consult	ant-Mr	. R. 7	reasu	re, F.	R.C.S.
Contro Diccom		19.2.63	21.5.63	20.8.63	17.12.63
1. No. called up for examination		20	16	18	39
2. No. present and examined		14	15	14	32
3. No. found not to require treatment	nt	2	4	-	-
4. No. found to require domiciliary	or			1	
clinic treatment		11	9	7	28
5. No. found to require hospital tre	atment	2	2	1	7
6. No. for X-rays	-	3	-	6	14
7. No. recommended to see Consulta	nt again	12	13	6	28

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DENTAL SERVICE, 1963 BY THE PRINCIPAL SCHOOL DENTAL OFFICER,

MR. J. H. SUTCLIFFE, L.D.S.

I have the honour to present to you a report on the School Dental Service for the year ending 31st December, 1963.

There has been no change in the staff of two dental officers and the vacancy for a third dental officer remains unfilled.

One of your two dental surgery assistants, Miss G. M. Mills, reigned in April and Miss D. Jones was appointed to

fill the vacancy.

Regular fixed clinics have been held at Brecon, Brynmawr, Builth Wells, Cefn Coed, Crickhowell and Ystradgynlais and additional sessions held following routine inspection of adjacent schools.

The clinics at Hay and Tirabad have been visited for treatment, following routine school inspections. The minor clinic at Maesydderwen School has been visited for four fixed sessions per month and additional sessions held to suit

requirements.

The new clinic at Cefn Coed is now under construction and new equipment of modern design will be installed in due course. The old premises at Ysgol-y-Graig have been unsatisfactory for many years as the equipment was out of date and treatment had to be carried out in a room which was used for many other purposes, chiropody, orthopaedic, infant welfare, etc. The old dental engine (drill) can still be used to advantage at Maesydderwen School and the dental chair will be of some use in the medical inspection room at Gwernyfed School.

The extreme weather conditions of January and February seriously interfered with the programme of work during these months. Snow bound road made it difficult and sometimes impossible to visit the distant clinics and on several occasions one arrived at the clinic to find that there was no water supply owing to frozen pipes. Brecon clinic

was without water for nearly three weeks.

During the year 4,876 children (including 294 specials) were inspected and 3471 or 72% were found to require treatment. The percentage of children requiring treatment was the same in 1962.

One eleventh of your officers' time was made available to the treatment of expectant and nursing mothers and pre-

school age children.

I would like to express my appreciation of the cooperation and assistance received from Head Teachers and their staffs. I also take the opportunity of thanking the Committee for permitting me to attend the annual conference of the British Dental Association.

DENTAL TREATMENT.

In addition to the figures in Part IV, 5 dentures were repaired.

POLIOMYELITIS VACCINATION.

This is a service provided under Section 26 of the National Health Service Act. I would, however, like to express my appreciation to the Head Teachers of schools in the County for their co-operation in allowing pupils to attend at the Clinics for vaccination.

During the year the age range of persons eligible for vaccination remained at 6 months to 40 years, and open sessions were held at the various centres in the County. In addition a certain amount of vaccination was carried out by general practitioners on their own patients.

In April, 1961, the Ministry recommended that a fourth dose should be given to school children between the ages of 4 years and 12 years and this policy was continued in Breconshire during 1963.

I give below the figures of children between 4 years and 15 years of age who had been vaccinated by the end of the year:—

No. of children born between 1948 and 1959 inclusive who had received two injections of Salk Vaccine or 3 doses of Oral Vaccine up to the end of 1963

8995

Of these children, number who had received three injections by the end of 1963 (or two injections and one oral dose) ...

8500

Of these children, number (born between 1949 and 1959) who had received four injections by the end of 1963 (or three injections and one oral dose)

6593

In addition, the issue of oral vaccine (Sabin) was commenced by the Ministry in 1962 and this was brought into use in our clinics, where patients now have the option of either Salk vaccine injections or Sabin oral vaccine which is taken with sugar or syrup. The primary course of oral vaccine consists of three doses given at monthly intervals whereas the primary course of Salk vaccine consists of 2 injections at an interval of three weeks; this is followed at an interval of 7 months by a third re-inforcing injection.

B.C.G. VACCINATION AND TUBERCULOSIS.

In 1959 proposals were submitted by the County Council to the Welsh Board of Health for the extension of the Council's original scheme, which was approved in 1954. The extension of the scheme provides for the skin testing or re-skin testing annually of all pupils over the age of 13 years and for vaccination or re-vaccination, if necessary. This extended scheme was carried out by your Medical Officers in 1963, and details of the work are given in Part VIII of this report. Details of the X-ray examinations resulting from these skin tests are shown in Part IX.

T.B. SERIAL TESTING IN SCHOOLS.

In addition to the annual skin testing and B.C.G. vaccination of children over 13 years of age in schools, a scheme was introduced in Breconshire in 1961 whereby school children of all ages are skin tested annually and positive reactors X-rayed.

Annual tuberculin testing of all school children provides accurate and reliable information regarding the number of children infected from natural sources during any

period of twelve months.

The annual conversion rate of non-reactor children will serve as a reliable index of the prevailing risk of infection in the community. When the conversion rate is found to be abnormally high in any class, school or district it indicates that viable tubercle bacilli are being disseminated freely and that intensive case-finding investigations should be applied, including possibly the mass radiography service.

A teacher disseminating viable tubercle bacilli would also be detected early and the spread of infection would be

stopped.

Investigations should also be carried out among the home contacts of the convertors in an attempt to discover the source of the infection.

Serial tuberculin testing therefore provides a method of detecting sources of infection which otherwise would not have been discovered until later.

Details of this work carried out in 1963 are shown in Table IX and the resulting X-Ray examinations are given in Table XI.

School Psychological Service.

Mr. John H. Davies, B.Sc. (Special), D.E.P. (B'ham) commenced as County Educational Psychologist at the beginning of the Autumn Term, 1963. During that term he was engaged in carrying out a preliminary survey of the County to ascertain the extent of the psychological problems with which he had to deal. It is anticipated that in the school report for the year 1964, and subsequently, there will be interesting information available about this service.

School Speech Therapy Service.

Miss G. A. Samuel, L.C.S.T., commenced as County Speech Therapist during the Autumn term 1963. Arrangements were made for her to hold fixed clinics in the County and next year figures of the children seen and treatment undertaken will be reported fully.

PART 1.

MEDICAL INSPECTION OF PUPILS ATTENDING MAINTAINED PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS (Including Nursery and Special Schools) TABLE A. — PERIODIC MEDICAL INSPECTIONS

Physical Condition of Pupils Inspected. Satisfactory. Unsatisfactory.						treatr	found to nent (exc al disease tion with	luding
Age Groups Inspected (By year of Birth).	No. o Pupil Inspect		% of Col. 2.	No.	% of Col. 2.	For defective vision (excluding squint).	For other condition recorded at Part II.	Total Individual Pupils.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
(1) 1959	(2) 260	(3) 260	100%	(0)	_	3	18	22
and later		200	100 /6			1181		
1958	291	291	100%	-	-	5	21	25
1957	177	176	99.43%	1	0.57	5	15	19
1956	73	73	100%	-	-	3	3	5
1955	21	21	100%	-	-	3	1	4
1954	13	13	100%	-	_	1	-	1
1953	14	14	100%	-	-		1	1
1952	298	298	100%	-	MATE !	23	13	35
1951	346	346	100%	-	-	25	27	48
1950	133	133	100%	-	-	5	8	13
1949	404	404	100%	-	-	26	12	34
1948 and earl	218 ier	218	100%	-	-	17	14	26
Totals	2248	2247	99.95%	1	0.05	116	133	233

These figures are sub-divided as follows into Primary, Secondary and County Grammar Schools and also into the numbers inspected by each of the four doctors.

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PERIODIC MEDICAL INSPECTIONS - 1963.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

DR. J. K. JONES.

Age Groups Inspected (By year	No. of Pupils Inspected		SFACTORY		SFACTORY
of Birth) (1)	(2)	No. (3)	% of Col. 2	No. (5)	% of Col. (6)
1959 and later	69	69	100	-	-
1958	58	58	100	_	-
1957	15	15	100	_	-
1956	9	9	100	_	_
1955	4	4	100	-	-
1954 1953	2	2	100	-	-
1952	3	3	100	-	-
1951		-	- Table 1	1901	The state of
nd earlier					
Totals	160	160	100	_	_

DR. C. M STENNER-EVANS.

Totals	139	139	100	-	71000
1951 nd earlier	-				-
1953 1952	1	1	100	-	-
1954	1	1	100	_	=
1955	2	2	100	-	-
1956	1	1	100	-	-
1957	17	17	100	-	-
1958	41	41	100	_	_
1959 and later	76	76	100	_	-

PERIODIC MEDICAL INSPECTIONS — 1963.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS (Continued).

DR. C. E. EDWARDS

Age Groups Inspected	No. of Pupils	SATIS	FACTORY	UNSATIS	FACTORY
(By year of Birth)	Inspected	No.	% of Col. 2	No.	% of Col.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1959 and later	28	28	100	11-	-
1958	90	90	100		
1957	85	85	100	-	-
1956	36	36	100	-	-
1955	5	5	100	-	1 18-0 3
1954	2	2	100	-	-
1953	2	2	100	-	-
1952	2	2	100		-
1951 and earlier	_		_	-	-
Totals	250	250	100	-	

DR. M. W. EVANS.

Totals	310	309	99.68		0.32
1951 nd earlier	3	3	100		1
1952	4	4	100		7710
1953	9	9	100		1 12 19 15 10
1954	8	8	100	1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 2 2 2 2
1955	10	10	100	-	_
1956	27	27	100	1	1.67
1957	60	59	98.33	1	1.00
1958	102	102	100		
1959 and later	87	87	100	10.10	-

PERIODIC MEDICAL INSPECTIONS — 1963. Summary of Totals—Primary Schools.

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		Physic	al Condition	of Pupils In	nspected
Age Groups Inspected	No. of Pupils		FACTORY		FACTORY
(By year of Birth)	Inspected	No.	% of Col. 2	No.	% of Col. 2
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1959 and later	260	260	100	-	10-10
1958 1957	291 177	291 176	100	_	4
1956	73	73	99.43	1	0.57
1955	21	21	100 100	-	-
1954	13	13	100	-	TOTAL BOX
1953	14	14	100	The state of the s	12.0
1952	7	7	100		The second
1951	3	3	100		
and earlier					-
Totals	859	858	99.88	1	0.12
DR. J. K	. JONES				1
1952 and later	157	157	100	-	-
1951	136	136	100	_	_
1950	51	51	100	-	-
1949	226	226	100	NOT THE PARTY.	10 mm and
1948 and earlier	57	57	100	-	-
and earner					
Totals	627	627	100	-	-
DP C M	STENNE	PEVANS	AL .	- 20	100
DR. C. W.	. SIENNE	IV-E VAIVE			1
1952	134	134	100	-	-
and later	000	007	100	1	1000
1951	207	207	100	100	1
1950	82	82	100	1 30	
1949 1948	178 161	178 161	100 100	1	A SHALL SHOW
and earlier	101	101	100		
		The same of the sa	100	The second second second	

100

762

Totals

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PERIODIC MEDICAL INSPECTIONS - 1963.

Summary of Totals—Secondary Schools.

		Physic	cal Condition o	f Pupils In	spected			
Age Groups	No. of	SATI	SFACTORY	UNSATISFACTORY				
(By year of Birth)	Pupils Inspected	No.	% of Col. 2.	No.	% of Col. 2			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)			
1952	291	291	100	Per Livery	1 -			
and later				_	_			
1951	343	343	100	-	-			
1950	133	133	100	_	-			
1949	404	404	100	_	_			
1948	218	218	100		361 38			
and earlier			1000		-			
Totals	1389	1389	100	-	22			

PART I. TABLE B — OTHER INSPECTIONS.

Number of Special Inspections Number of Re-inspections	 17 482
Total	 499

PART I.

TABLE C - INFESTATION WITH VERMIN.

Primary, Secondary and County Grammar Schools.

(i) Total number of examinations in the schools by school nurses or other authorised persons	11,525
(ii) Total number of individual pupils found to be infested	78
(iii) No. of individual pupils in respect of whom cleansing notices were issued (Section 54 (2) Education Act, 1944)	Nil
(iv) No. of individual pupils in respect of whom cleansing notices were issued (Section 54 (3) Education Act, 1944)	N
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PART II.

DEFECTS FOUND BY MEDICAL INSPECTION DURING THE YEAR.

TABLE A — PERIODIC INSPECTIONS.

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PART II.

DEFECTS FOUND BY MEDICAL INSPECTION DURING THE YEAR.

TABLE B - SPECIAL INSPECTIONS.

Special Inspections

				- Tell
Defect Code No.	Defect or Disease		Requiring Treat- ment	Requiring Observa- tion
(1)	(2)		(3)	(4)
4	Skin		4	19
5	Eyes— (a) Vision (b) Squint (c) Other		60	40 —
6	Ears— (a) Hearing (b) Otitis media (c) Other		2 2	<u>2</u> _
7	Nose and Throat	3.7	6	25
8	Speech		12	3
9	Lymphatic Glands		-	7
10	Heart		4	12
11	Lungs		1	9
12	Developmental— (a) Hernia (b) Other	b	1_	4
13	Orthopaedic— (a) Posture (b) Feet (c) Other		8 3 2	18 3
14	Nervous System— (a) Epilepsy (b) Other		1	
15	Psychological— (a) Development (b) Stability	-::	in Water	2
16	Abdomen		2	1
17	Other	23.0	4	2

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PART III.

TREATMENT OF PUPILS ATTENDING MAINTAINED PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS (Including Special Schools).

Table A — Eye Diseases. Defective Vision and Squint.

Table A — Eye Diseases. Defective Visi	on an	d Squint.
		f cases known to have been dealt with
External and other, excluding errors refraction and squint	of	3
Errors of refraction (including squint)		352
Total		355
No. of pupils for whom spectacles v	vere 	215
Table B — Diseases and Defects of Ear	, Nos	e and Throat.
		of cases known to have been dealt with
Received operative treatment—		
(a) for diseases of the ear		-
(b) for adenoids and chronic tonsi	litis	9*
(c) for other nose and throat condit	ions	-
Received other forms of treatment		5*
Total		14*
* This is the number of children keep operated on, but the true figure will as hospitals do not generally notify treated.	be gr	eater than this
Total number of pupils in school have been provided with hearing aids:		are known to
(a) in 1963	****	35- N.

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(b) in previous years

PRIMARY, SECONDARY AND COUNTY GRAMMAR SCHOOLS

PART III (Continued).

Table C — Orthopaedic and Postural Defect	S.
(a) Pupils treated at clinics or out-patient departments	1336
(b) Pupils treated at school for postural defects	mod_
Total	1336
Table D — Diseases of the Skin (excluding	uncleanliness).
No. of cases treated or under treatment by the authority:—	during the year
Ringworm—(a) Scalp Scabies (b) Body	1
Impetigo	d) m24-23
Other skin diseases	20
Total	25
Table E — Child Guidance Treatment.	
No. of pupils treated at Child Guidance Clinics under arrangements made by the Authority	6
Table F — Speech Therapy.	
No. of pupils treated by Speech Therapists	65
Table G — Other Treatment Given.	
(a) Pupils with minor ailments	17
(b) Pupils who received convalescent treatment under School Health Service arrangements	- Per
(c) Pupils who received B.C.G. Vaccination	368
(d) Other than (a), (b) and (c) above	-
Total (a) to (d)	385

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PART IV.

Dental Inspection and Treatment carried out by the Authority during the year ended 31st December, 1963.

iority during the year ended sist December, 190	٥.
ental and Orthodontic Work.	
No of pupils inspected by the Authority's Dental Officers—	
i. At Periodic Inspections 4582 Total I 4	1876
. No, found to require treatment	3471
No. offered treatment 3	3337
No. actually treated	1916
ental work (other than orthodontics) (N.B.: Figure 1 lating to orthodontics should not be included ection (b)).	
Number of attendances made by pupils for treatment, excluding those recorded at (c) i below 2	2461
Half days devoted to:	
i. Periodic (School) Inspection 84 Total II ii. Treatment 658	742
Fillings:	
i. Permanent Teeth 1573 Total III 1 ii. Temporary Teeth 252	1825
Number of Teeth Filled:	
i. Permanent Teeth 1384)	
ii Temporary Teeth 232 Total IV 1	616
Extractions:	
i. Permanent Teeth 653)	-
ii. Temporary Teeth 2072 Total V 2	725
61	ntal and Orthodontic Work. No of pupils inspected by the Authority's Dental Officers— i. At Periodic Inspections 4582 ii. As Specials 294 Total I work found to require treatment No. offered treatment Some actually treated Intal work (other than orthodontics) (N.B.: Figure ating to orthodontics should not be included ection (b)). Number of attendances made by pupils for treatment, excluding those recorded at (c) is below Some attendances with the second statement and second statement in the second statemen

V		No. of general anaesthetics given for extractions	46
	ii.	No. of half days devoted to the administration of general anaesthetics by:	
		A. Dentists B. Medical practitioners 3 Total VI	3
VII	I. Nu	mber of pupils supplied with artificial	19
VIII	. Otl	her operations:	
	i.	Crowns	
	ii. iii	Inlays $\dots \frac{-}{661}$ Total VIII	661
(c)	Ortho	dontics:	
	i.	No. of attendances made by pupils for orthodontic treatment	61
	ii.	Half days devoted to orthodontic treat- ment	. 7
	iii.	Cases commenced during the year	9
	iv.	Cases brought forward from the previous year	13
	v.	Cases completed during the year	11
	vi.	Cases discontinued during the year	8
	vii.	Number of pupils treated by means of appliances	10
	viii.	Number of removable appliances fitted	4
	ix x.	Number of fixed appliances fitted Cases referred to and fitted by Hospital Orthodontists	_

PART V.

PRIMARY, SECONDARY AND COUNTY GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

Summary of Weekly Reports of School Nurses, 1963.

No. of M.I.s or	Cleanliness Inspections Follow Up	Subsequent Visits	1	1	-	1	1	4	1	1	1	+
l No. of	Cleanliness	First Visits	1	1	. 1	1	3	7	1	1	1	10
	Numbers Verminous	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	Body
	Numbers	Head	5	65	1	1	2	1	1	4	1	77
	s Dirty	Body	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
	Numbers Dirty	Head	5		1	4	1	1	14	38	45	108
	Total Number of	Examinations.	295	5069	99	1724	1088	622	1800	1864	1725	11525
	of of ts paid	by Nurses to Schools	5	22	2	49	13	20	30	24	24	189
		School District	:	%	BRYNMAWR (Llanelly)		WELL	RURAL	HAY and TALGARTH		YNLAIS	:
tv	four	Schoo	BRECON	BRYNMAWR	BRYNMAN	BUILTH	CRICKHOWELL	BRECON RURAL	HAY and	VAYNOR	YSTRADGYNLAIS	Totals

HANDICAPPED PUPILS. 31st December, 1963. PART VI

CATEGORY	CATEGORY		CATEGORY			In	Schools	In	Schools	Not at	School	TOTAL	
(a) Blind		В	G	В	G	В	G	В	G	В	G		
2—4 years								1		1			
5—10 years													
11—14 years	!												
Over 15 years		1								1			
(b) Partially Sighted						1							
2—4 years					100					-:	1		
5—10 years		1			1			1	1	1	1		
11—14 years	!		1	1				-		1	1		
Over 15 years													
(c) Deaf							-						
2—4 years			1										
5—10 years						2				2			
11—14 years			1								1		
Over 15 years		1								1			
(d) Partially Deaf													
2—4 years 5—10 years					1						1		
11—14 years			1	1						1	1		
Over 15 years					1						1		
(e) Educationally Sub	normal												
2—4 years													
5—10 years			2						2	The second second	11		
11—14 years Over 15 years		3	1	17	10000		3		2	20	13		
Over 15 years		1		2						1	2		
(f) Epileptic													
2—4 years									1				
5—10 years		1	1	5	1					6	2		
11—14 years				6	3					6	3		
Over 15 years		200		1						1	17		

PART VI - HANDICAPPED PUPILS (Continued).

CATEGORY		In	Schools	In	Schools	In	Schools	Not at	School	TOTAL	
(g) Maladjusted		В	G	В	G	В	G	В	G	В	G
2—4 years 5—10 years 11—14 years Over 15 years				1 2						1 2	
(b) Physically Handicapp	ed										
2—4 years 5—10 years 11—14 years Over 15 years		2		7 3 1	6 1		1 1	1 4 1	2 1 2	1 11 4 3	2 8 4
(i) Speech Defects										0	
2—4 years 5—10 years 11—14 years Over 15 years				13	6 3	9				13 5	6 3
(j) Delicate											
2—4 years 5—10 years 11—14 years Over 15 years		1	2 1	21 22 7	1 11 21 2			1		24 22 7	1 11 23 3
Totals	!	13	10	121	72	2	5	9	10	144	99

HANDICAPPED PUPILS, 1963, PART VII.

Special Schools and Independent Schools at which Breconshire Children are accommodated.

					No.						
	January 1st,			Admitted during year		Admitted during year		year	December	31st, 1963	
	В	G	В	G	В	G	В	G			
Blind Pupils Blind School, Bridgend	1						1				
Partially Sighted Pupils Blind School, Bridgend Condover Hall, Nr. Shrewsbury		1	1 1		i		1	1			
Deaf Pupils Llandrindod Residential School for the Deaf Wessington Court, Woolhope, Hereford	1 2	1					1 2	1			
Partially Deaf Pupils Wessington Court, Woolhope, Hereford Special School for Deaf Children, Trehopcyn, Glam.	1				1						
Educationally Sub-Normal Pupils Hilston Park Special School, Mon Cyfronydd School, Nr. Welshpool	4	1 1 1 1 1	1	1 1	1	···· 1 ·· 1 ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ··	4	 2 1 2			
Physically Handicapped Pupils Irton Hall, Holmrook, Cumberland Erw Delyn Special School, Penarth, Glam Further Education Centre, Tonbridge	1	2					1 1	2			
Maladjusted Pupils St. Anne's Special School, London				1		1					
Delicate Pupils Open Air School, Penoyre, Nr. Brecon		3		1	1	1		3			
Epileptic Pupils Maghull Homes for Epileptics Soss Moss School, Liverpool	2			1	1 1	1	1 1	1			
TOTALS	15	13	1	1	1	4	15	15			

PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS—PART VIII. B.C.G. Vaccination.

Details of this work during 1963 are as follows:-

						Results.		
School	No. given skin tests Positive Negative			No. given B.C.G. Vacc.	No. re-skin tested	No. converted To positive	No. not converted and given further B.C.G. Vacc.	
Brynmawr Grammar and Brynmawr Mod. Sec	117	8	109	109	99	95	4	
St. Davids Convent	35	.4	31	27	24	22	2	
Cefn Coed Cty. Sec	87	21	66	66	67	65	2	
Christ College	21	3	18	18	99	78	21	
Crickhowell Mod. Sec	13	-	13	13	6	6	-	
Tymawr School	37	4	33	31	25	23	2	
Brecon Girls' Grammar	35	2	33	31	112	99	13	
Gwernyfed Mod. Sec	38	5	33	29	37	37	-	
Totals	383	47	336	324	469	425	44	

PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS—PART IX. T.B. Serial Testing.

Details of this work during 1963 are as follows:—

		given	Results		P	Results		
SCHOOL		Number giv skin tests	Positive	Negative	Number re skin tested	Natural Positive	B.C.G. Positive	Negative
Mount St. C.P. Mxd. Cathedine C.P. Llan-Taiyllyn C.P. Postern V.P. Llanspyddid C.P. Talybont V.P. Llanfrynach V.P. Mount St. Infants Builth C.P. Cwmdu V.P. Llangattock V.P. Crickhowell V.P. Llangynidr V.P. Llandefalle V.P. Llandefalle V.P. Llanfilo C.P. Crickadarn V.P. Gwenddwr V.P. Llwynmadoc V.P. Glasbury V.P. Bronllys V.P. Llanigon V.P. Velindre V.P. Tirabad C.P. Llangammarch C.P. Llangammarch C.P. Llanbedr V.P. Gilwern C.P. Llanwrtyd C.P. Darenfelin C.P. Infants Darenfelin C.P. Mixed Clydach C.P. Infants Llangorse V.P. Llanfaes C.P. Infants Llanfaes C.P. Infants Llanfaes C.P. Mixed Clydach C.P. Infants Llanfaes C.P. Mixed Clydach C.P. Llanganten C.P. Llangan	nar }	31 3 6 15 5 10 2 46 40 9 13 38 2 7 4 2 8 1 3 7 10 5 9 4 3 4 13 18 6 13 9 1 4 6 36 20 10 9 6 8 5 8 5 8 6 8 7 9 7 9 8 9 8 9 9 1 9 9 1		31 3 6 15 4 10 2 46 40 9 12 38 2 7 4 2 8 1 3 7 10 5 8 4 2 4 13 18 6 13 9 1 4 34 18 10 9 12 18 49 19 31 6 6 8 19 31 10 9 10 9	127 15 10 48 25 21 18 67 110 30 45 92 39 15 9 3 12 7 5 19 27 26 22 11 20 31 20 31 20 12 51 20 31 20 31 31 20 31 31 31 31 31 31 31 31 31 31 31 31 31	1 1 1 1 1	18 1 3 1 1 4 9 7 4 3 6 8 7 4 — — 1 — — 1 4 4 4 — 3 1 1 1 — 2 5 8 — — 4 3 3 2 — 1	108 14 7 47 24 17 9 60 105 26 38 83 32 11 9 3 10 6 5 19 26 22 18 11 17 30 20 119 19 20 119 20 119 20 119 20 119 119 119 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120
Hay V.P. Infants Brynmawr C.P. Mixed		10 44	1	10 43	10 153	=	3	10 150

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PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS—PART IX T.B. Serial Testing (Continued).

	The second secon	Number given skin tests	Results			Results		
SCHOOL			Positive	Negative	Number re- skin tested	Natural Positive	B.C.G. Positive	Negative
Brynmawr C.P. Infants Cray C.P. Senny C.P. Aberpedwar C.P. Brynmawr V.P. Mixed Brynmawr V.P. Infants Brynmawr R.C. Talgarth C.P. Mixed Talgarth C.P. Infants Upper Chapel C.P. Llandefaelog V.P. Llaneglwys C.P. Penycae C.P. Penrhos C.P. Mixed Penrhos C.P. Mixed Cynlais C.P. Mixed Cynlais C.P. Infants Cynlais C.P. Infants Colbren C.P. Sennybridge C.P. Trecastle C.P. Yniscedwyn Welsh Caehopkin C.P. Trallong V.P. Llan-Nant-Bran V.P. Llanwrthwl V.P. Elan Village V.P. Battle C.P. Merthyr Cynog C.P. Gurnos C.P. Infants Cefn Coed County Sec. Gurnos C.P. Mixed Cwmtwrch C.P. Mixed Cwmtwrch C.P. Mixed Abercrave C.P. Glyntawe C.P. Glyntawe C.P. Cefn C.P. Mixed Ystradfellte C.P. Cefn C.P. Infants Ysgol Thomas Stephens Penderyn C.P. Christ College Crickhowell Sec. Mod. Brecon Girls' Grammar Gwernyfed Mod. Sec.		76 4 1 3 18 36 13 10 22 1 2 7 5 8 15 6 8 6 18 7 27 8 4 3 4 6 7 2 28 26 15 14 4 16 3 18 37 8 83 12 11 10 7 1 11		76 4 1 3 18 36 12 10 21 1 2 7 5 8 15 5 8 6 17 6 27 8 4 3 4 6 7 2 2 8 8 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	57 15 3 7 57 24 14 57 31 4 57 35 53 35 63 27 51 59 25 89 49 6 13 6 13 7 45 45 45 88 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18		7 1	50 14 3 7 53 24 14 45 20 4 45 20 4 45 20 4 45 21 47 43 5 13 6 12 7 40 41 85 16 16 17 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18
Totals		1302	28	1274	3398	21	266	3111

CHEST X-RAYS-PART X.

(In connection with B.C.G. Vaccination).

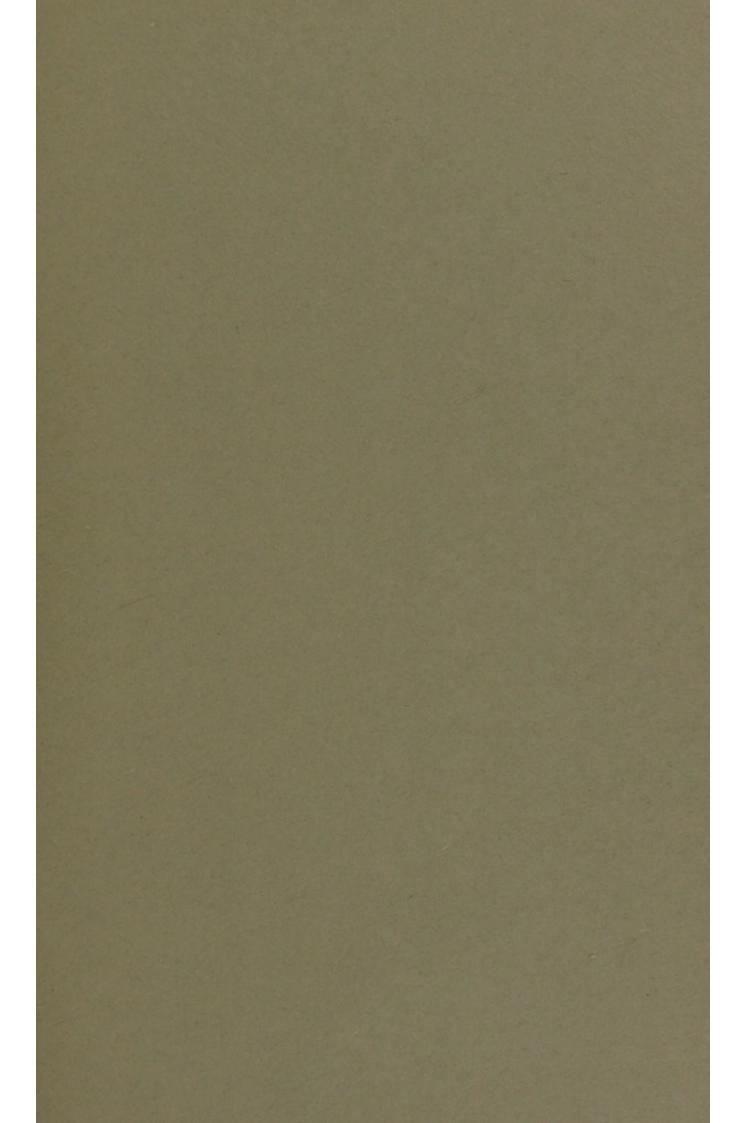
School	No. Done.	No. satis- factory.	No. unsatis- factory.
Brecon Girls' Grammar	 10	10	-
Brynmawr Grammar and Brynmawr Mod. Sec.	 7	7	_
St. David's Convent, Brecon	 4	4	-
Cefn Coed County Sec.	 9	9	-
Christ College, Brecon	 3	3	-
Tymawr School	 2	2	-
Brecon Girls' Grammar	 2	2	-
Gwernyfed Sec. Mod.	 4	4	_
Totals	 41	41	-
			The state of the s

CHEST X-RAYS PART XI.

(In connection with T.B. Serial Testing).

School.	No. Done,	No. satis- factory.	No. unsatis- factory.
Mount St. C.P. Mixed	 1	1	_
Llanspyddid C.P	 1	1	_
Builth C.P.	 1	1	_
Cwmdu V.P.	 1	1	_
Llangattock V.P.	 2	2	
Crickhowell V.P.	 1	1	_
Llanafanfawr C.P.	 2	2	
Llanigon V.P.	 1	1	
Tirabad C.P.	 1	1	_
Llanfaes C.P. Infants	 2	2	_
Llanfaes C.P. Mixed	 2	2	_
Brynmawr Cty. Grammar and	1		
Brynmawr Mod. Sec.	 1 1	1	-
St. David's Convent Brecon	 4	4	
St. Joseph's R.C., Brecon	 1	1	
Brynmawr C.P. Mixed	 1	1	_
Brynmawr V.P. Mixed	 2	2	_
Brynmawr R.C.	 1	1	_
Talgarth C.P. Mixed	 2	2	
Talgarth C.P. Infants	 3	3	_
Penrhos C.P. Mixed	 1	1	
Sennybridge C.P.	 1	1	_
Trecastle C.P.	 1	1	
Cefn Coed County Sec.	 9	9	-
Glanrhyd C.P.	 1	1	
Penderyn C.P.	 1	1	
Brecon Girls' Grammar	 1	1	-
Totals	 45	45	-

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