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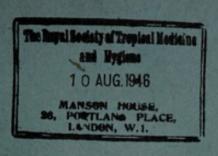
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## CITY OF PIETERMARITZBURG

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

For the Twelve Months
1st JULY, 1944, to 30th JUNE, 1945.

CITY OF PIETERMARITZTURG
PUPLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF
HEALTH ON THE PUBLIC HEALTH &
SINITARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CITY
OF PIETERMARITZPURG FOR THE YEAR
ENDED JUNE 30th, 1945.

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MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.



#### INTRODUCTORY.

# CITY OF PIETERMARITZBURG. PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

To

Madam Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Pietermaritzburg.

Madam and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present the Annual Report on the Health and Sanitary Circumstances of the City of Pietermaritzburg, for the year ending 30th June, 1945.

The period under review must be regarded as one of the blackest, from the point of Infectious Diseases, experienced in Pietermaritzburg for many years. There were sharp epidemic outbreaks of Smallpox and Anterior Poliomyelitis (Infantile Paralysis), part of the larger epidemics of these diseases occurring throughout the Union. Notifications of Tuberculosis were almost double those of the previous year.

Despite this the Death Rates improved slightly for all races except Natives. The Birth Rates improved slightly for all races except Europeans.

A big forward step has been accomplished in respect of Housing, by Council's decision to proceed with the construction of a total of 164 houses.

I wish to express my thanks to all members of the Staff for the manner in which they responded to the demands of the emergency caused by the Smallpox epidemic, and for the high level of efficiency maintained in the Department throughout the year.

In conclusion I wish to record my appreciation of the support readily given to me at all times by the Mayor and the Chairman and members of the Public Health Committee, and of the cordial co-operation of the various Municipal Heads of Departments.

I have the honour to be,

Madam and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

M. MAISTER.

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.

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#### CLIMATE AND RATEABLE VALUE.

Latitude - 29 degrees, 36 minutes, 4 seconds south. Longitude - 30 degrees, 22 minutes, 46 seconds east. Altitude - At Market Square : 2160 feet.

## TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL :

	RAINFALL	ATMOSP	HERIC TEMPE	RATURE	RFLATIVE HUMIDITY
	INCHES.	Av. Daily Maximum.	Av. Daily Minimum.	Av. Daily Mean.	Aver. Daily Percentage.
1944.					
July August September October November December	0.00 0.24 5.97 2.42 3.57 1.50	71.7 77.8 73.3 77.8 76.6 83.2	39.0 48.0 51.7 59.0 61.5 59.8	55.3 62.9 62.5 68.4 69.0 71.5	80.8% 75.5% 77.5% 79.1% 83.3% 59.1%
1945.					
January February March Abril May June	5.17 5.74 10.98 0.32 1.06 0.00	79.3 82.7 76.3 77.2 73.3 69.9	61.6 65.0 60.5 58.8 41.2 33.2	70.4 73.8 68.4 68.0 57.2 51.5	73.8% 74.8% 81.4% 85.5% 81.3% 71.1%
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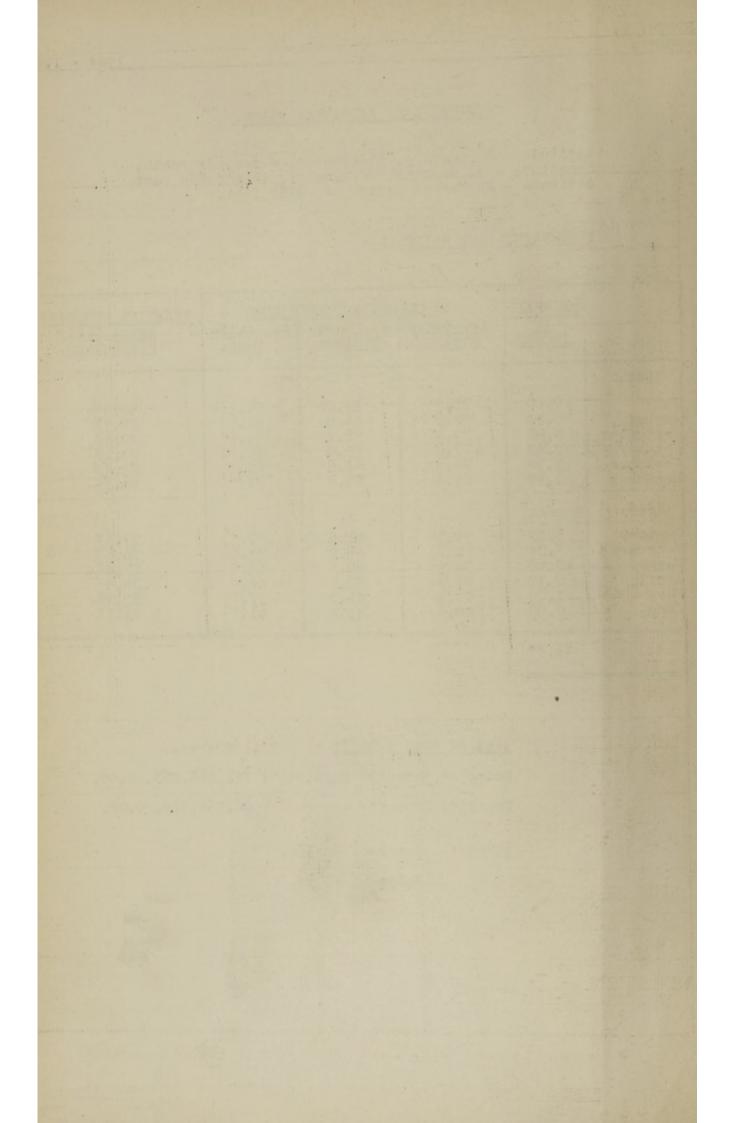
AREA OF MUNICIPALITY: 31,154 acres.

Value of Rateable Property : £11,068,065. 0.0d.

Exempted Property : £4,565,385. 0.0d.

RATES: General - 3ad.

Water - 2d.



CITY OF PIETERMARITZBURG.

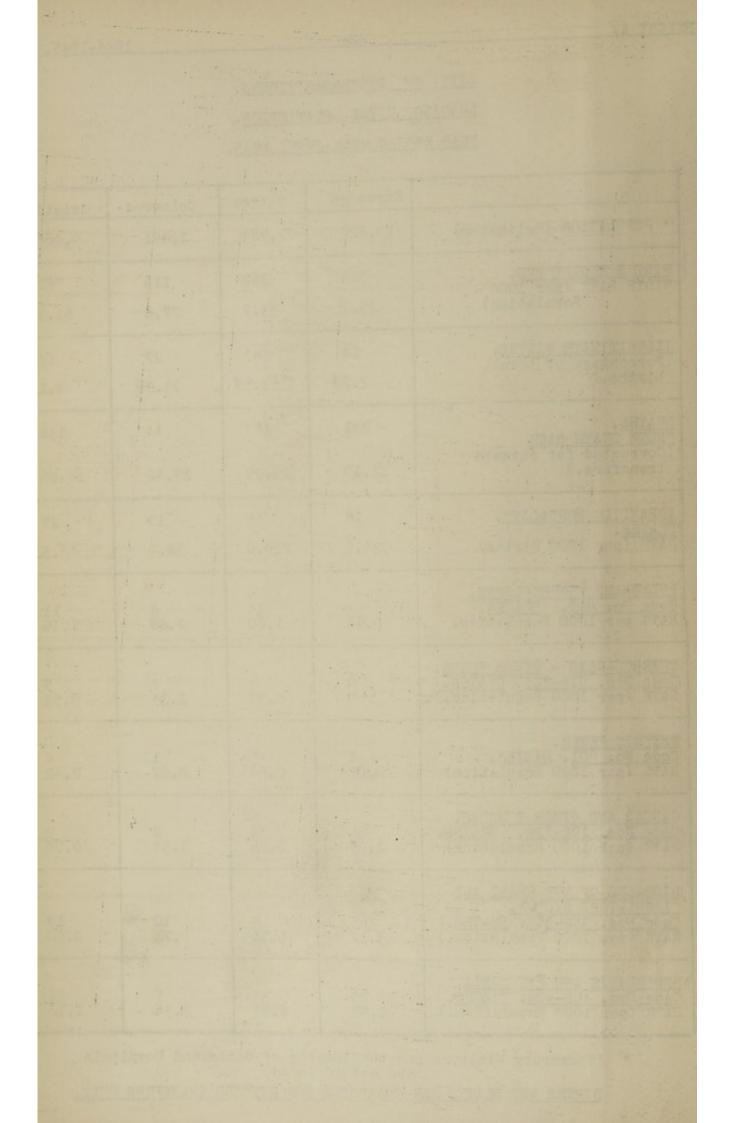
LEADING VITAL STATISTICS.

YEAR ENDING 30th JUNE, 1945.

	T	T		
	European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic
* POPULATION (Estimated)	20,825	7,783	1,491	9,480
BIRTHS REGISTERED. BIRTH RATE (per 1000	526	262	116	581
Population)	25.3	33.7	77.8	61.3
ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS. (Percentage of total	14	141	27	12
births.)	2.7%	53.8%	23.3%	2.1%
DEATHS. CRUDE DEATH RATE	231	185	44	138
(Corrected for outward transfers.)	11.10	23.77	29.52	14.56
INFANTILE MORTALITY.	18	55	10	27
RATE (per 1000 Births)	34.2	210.0	86.2	46.5
PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.  Code No. 015. DEATHS.  RATE per 1000 Population.	0.14	14 1.80	2.68	11 1.16
TUBERCULOSIS - OTHER FORMS.  Code Nos. 016-025. DEATHS.  RATE (per 1000 Population.)	0 0	0.39	1.34	0.53
ENTERIC FEVER.  Code No. 001. DEATHS.  RATE (per 1000 Population)	0.05	0.64	0.67	0.42
CANCER AND OTHER TUMOURS.  Code Nos. 100-136. DEATHS.  RATE (per 1000 Population)	26 1.25	0.26	2 1.34	0.74
DISEASES OF THE HEART AND CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.  Code Nos. 350-368. DEATHS.  RATE (per 1000 Population.)	65 3 <b>.</b> 12	1.16	10 6.71	19 2.00
BRONCHITIS AND PNEUMONIA. Code Nos. 402-406. DTATHS. RATE (per 1000 Population.)	20 0.96	33 4.24	3.36	1.16

<sup>\* (</sup>Temporary Visitors and the Inmates of Gaols and Hospitals are not included)

BIRTHS AND DEATHS ARE CORRECTED FOR OUTWARD TRANSFERS OF LY.



#### (1) VITAL STATISTICS.

#### POPULATION:

This is an estimate of the population as at June 30th, 1945, calculated for Vital Statistical purposes. Temporary Visitors, the inmates of the Mental Hospital and Fort Napier Mental Institution, the prisoners in the Gaols and the patients in the Hospitals and the Sanatorium are excluded.

-	-	-				
	European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic	All Non-Eur.	All Races
Male	9.795	4.111	656	1 . 763	9.530	10 225
Female	77.030	3 642	835	11100	0,224	20,054
DDDGGGG		1 3 365			73664	20,224
PERSONS	20,825	17,703 1	1,491	9,480	18.754	39.579
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#### BIRTHS.

#### TOTAL BIRTHS REGISTERED

#### (1) RESIDENTS.

	ropean   255   tive   58   8   8   1   1   1   1   1   1   1			male		sons	Total	Percentage of illeg. to all births	Birth rate
European	-	9	257	5	512		526		25.26
Native Coloured Asiatic	51	82     63     50     121     141     262       13     38     14     89     27     116       9     277     3     569     12     581		53.8% 23.3% 2.1%	33.67 77.80 61.29				
All Non- Europ.	401	104	378	76	779	180	959	18.8%	51.15
All Races	656	113	635	81	1,291	194	1,485	13.1%	37.52

#### (2) NON-RESIDENTS.

-		ale Illeg.	-	nale Illeg.		rsons   Illeg.	Total	Percentage of Illeg. to all Births.
European	136	2	137	1	273	3	276	1.1%
Native Coloured Asiatic	384 14 25	210 5 1	388 8 21	211 1 1	772 22 46	421 6 2	1,193 28 48	35.3% 21.5% 4.2%
All Non-Eur.	423	216	417	213	840	429	1,269	33.8%
All Races	559	218	554	214	1,113	432	1,545	28%

The European Birth Rate dropped a little, from 26.3 to 25.3, but all other rates showed an increase.

The <u>Native Birth Rate</u> increased from 33.6 to 33.7. The <u>Coloured</u>

<u>Birth Rate</u> rose from 67.8 to 77.8 and the <u>Indian Birth Rate</u> increased

from 56.3 to 61.3.

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#### DEATHS

#### TOTAL DEATHS REGISTERED

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(1) RECIDENTS.				_	Inna and				
	M	ale	Fe	male	PERS	ONS			
	Deaths	Rate per 1000 Male Population	<u>Deaths</u>	Rate per 1000 Female Population	Deaths	Doath Rate			
European	117	11.95	114	10.34	231	11.10			
Native Coloured Asiatic	109 21 83	26.52 32.01 17.43	76 23 55	20.70 27.54 11.66	185 44 138	23:77 29:52 14:56			
All Non-Europ.	213	22.35	154	16.70	367	19.58			
All Races	330	17.08	268	13.24	598	15.11			

#### (2) NON-RESIDENTS.

European :	159
Native	894
Coloured	21
Asiatic	: 61
All Non-Eur.	976
All Races	1,135

DEATHS. (Pages 5 - 7)

The European crude death rate dropped slightly from 11.35 to 11.10. 52% of the deaths occurred in people over 65 years of age.

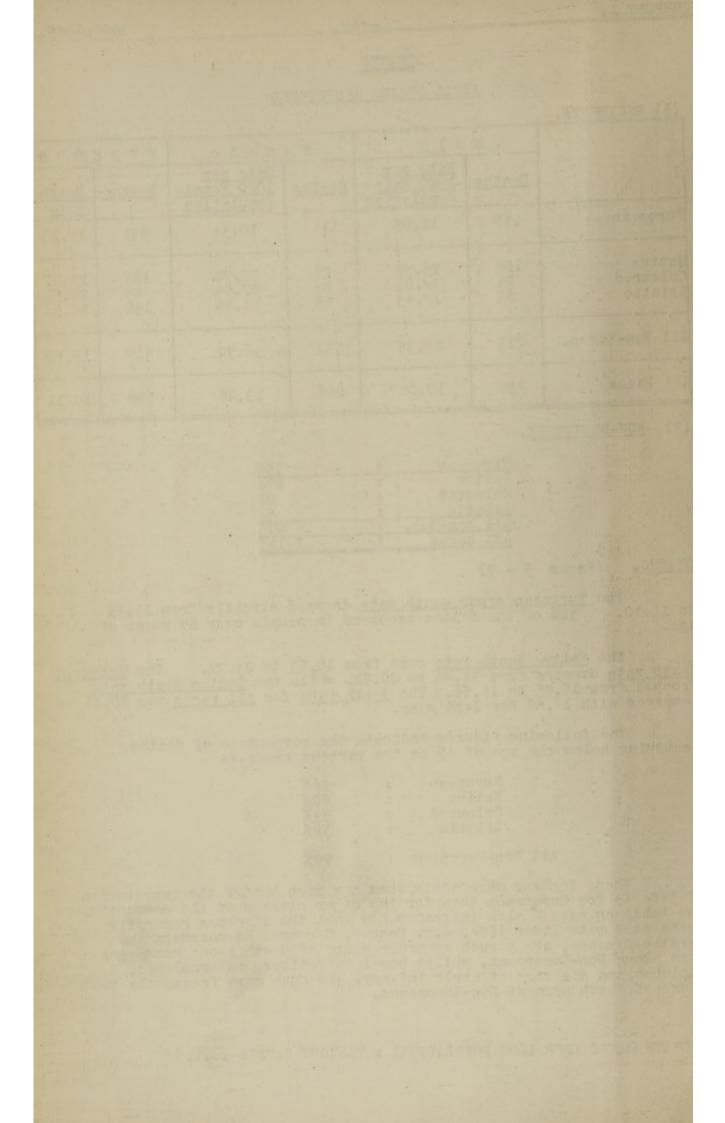
The Mative death rate rose from 18.53 to 23.77. The Coloured death rate dropped from 31.94 to 29.52, while the Indian death rate dropped from 15.95 to 14.56. The death rate for all races was 15.11 as compared with 14.69 for last year.

The following figures indicate the percentage of deaths occurring below the age of 45 in the various races :-

European : 26% Native : 80% Coloured : 59% Asiatic : 59%

All Non-European : 70%

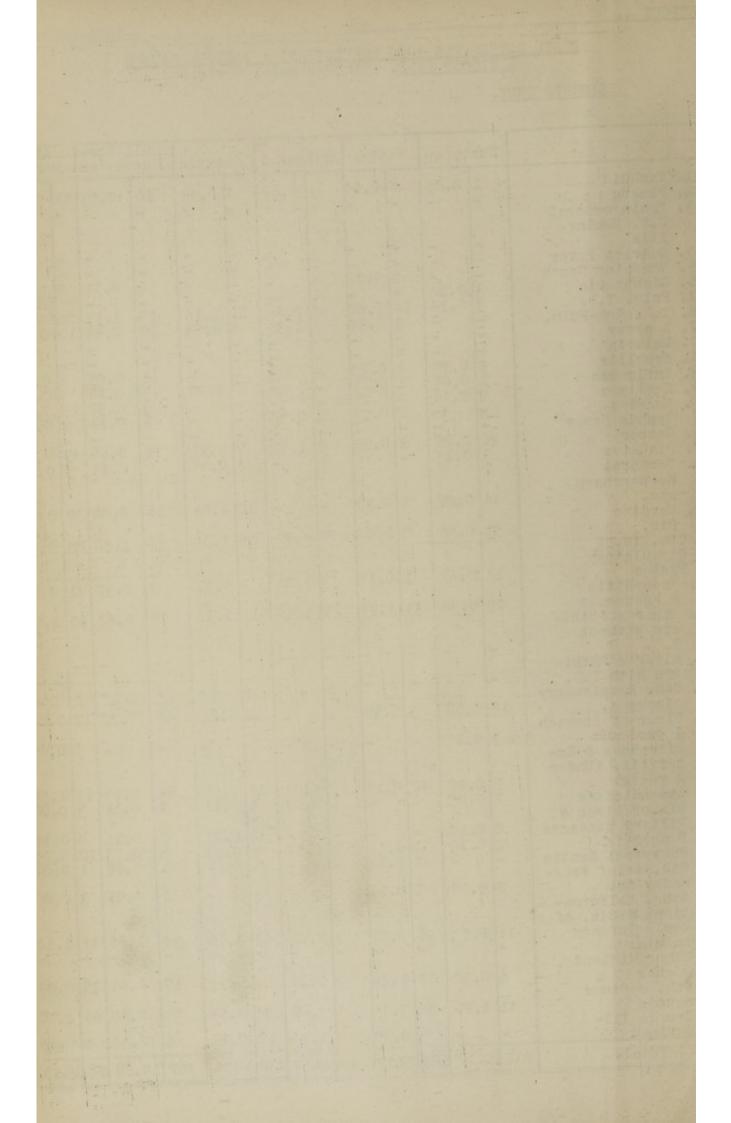
These figures once again show how much better the expectation of life is for Europeans than for the other classes of the community. The table on page 7 also indicates how that the diseases generally associated with later life, e.g. Cancer, Cerebral Haemorrhage and Cardiac disease, are a much commoner cause of death among Europeans than among Non-Europeans, whilst bowel infections, tuberculosis, violence, and diseases of early infancy, are much more frequently the cause of death amongst Non-Europeans.



# DEATH RATES (PER 1000 POPULATION): VARIOUS CAUSES A RIDGED LIST. (5th Decennial Revision)

RESIDENTS ONLY.

							-		T	g	-	-
	Eur	opean	Na	tive	Col	oured	As	siatic		l Non- opeans		All
1. Typhoid	1 2	0.05	5	0.64	1	0.67	1 4	0.42	10	0.53	177	0.28
2. Plague	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 -	-	-	1	-	0.20
3. Meningococcal C.S. Mening-		1	1				1					
itis	-		1 -									
4. Scarlet Fever		-	-						_	-	-	-
5. Whooping Couch	-	-	1 2	0.26	_	-	-	-	2	0.11	1 2	0.05
6. Diphtheria	3	0.14		1 -		-	-	-	-	-	1 3	0.08
7. Pulm. T.P. 8. T.P. Non-Pulm.	3	0.14		1.80		2.68		1.16			32	0.81
9. Leprosy			3	0.39	2	1.34	5	0.53	10	0.53	110	0.25
10. Malaria	-	-	-	-				_		1 -	-	_
ll. Syphilis	2	0.10	1	0.13	-	-	-	-	1	0.05	13	0.08
12. Influenza 13. Smallpox	1 9	0.05	1	0,13	-	-	2	0.21	3	0.16	14	0.10
14. Measles	2	0.43	6	0.77	ī		1 -	-	6		15	0.38
15. Typhus Fever	_	-	1 =	1		10.07	-	_	2	0.11	5	0.05
16. Cancer	26	1.25	1 2	0.26	2	1.34	1 7	0.74	11	0.59	37	0.03
17. Diabetes 18. Cerebral	3	0.14	-	-	-	-	2		2	0.11		0.13
Haemorrhage							1			1		
etc.	14	0.67	1 2	0.39	_	_	120	1.06	13	0 60	100	0.68
19. Cardiac		1	1	1			1 10	1.00	13	0.00	121	0.00
Dis.	51	2.45	8	1.03	7	1.70	1 16	1.69	31	1.66	182	2.07
20. Oth.Dis.of							-					
Circulatory System	7.4	0.67	1 7	0.13	2	2.01	1 -	0 25	F1	0 00		
21. Bronchitis	Tak	0.07	1	0.13	)	2.01	1 3	0.31	7	0.37	151	0.53
& Pneumonia	20	0.96	33	4.24	5	3.36	111	1.16	49	2.61	60	1.74
22. Miner's Phthi-												
sis without												
23. Minor's Phthi-				-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
sis with T.T.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	_	-	_
24. Oth. Respiratory	70	0 00	1	0 00				0.03	,,	0 00	7.0	0 12
diseases. 25. Ulcer of Stomach	15	0.58	3	0.39	-	-	-	0.21	2	0.27	17	0.43
& duodenum	3	0.14	-	_	-	-	-	_	-	_	3	0.08
26. Diarrhoea & En-	,											
teritis. (Under								0	/-	/		
2 years) 27. Appendicitis	2		40	5.14	6	4.03		1.58	61	3.26	63	0.08
28. Dis. of Liver &	1	0.05		-	-	0.67	1	0.11	-	0.11	3	0.00
Biliary passages !	2	0.10	-	-	-	-	2	0.21	2	0.11	4	0,10
129. Nephritis	2		1		1	0.67	6	0.63	8	0.43		
30. Puerperal Sepsis 31. Oth.Dis.of Preg-	-	-	1	0.13	-1	-	-	-	1	0.05	1	0.03
nancy &c.	2	0.10	1	0.13	-	_	-	-	1	0.05	3	0.08
32. Cong. Malforma-					1							
tions & Dis. of								/		. 0.		
Barly Infancy	11	0.53	20	2.57	3	2.01	11	1.16	34	1.81	45	1.14
33. Suicide 34. Other Violent	-	-	-	-		-				-		
deaths	8	0.38	10	1.29	2	1.34	5	0.53	17	0.91	25	0.63
35. Oth. defined										0 00		
Causas	41	1.97	26	3.34	4	2.68	24	2.53	54	2.88	95	2,40
36. Chuses ill- defined	_	_	3	0.39	2	1.34	1	0.11	6	0.32	6	0.15
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#### SEASONAL OCCURRENCE OF DEATHS

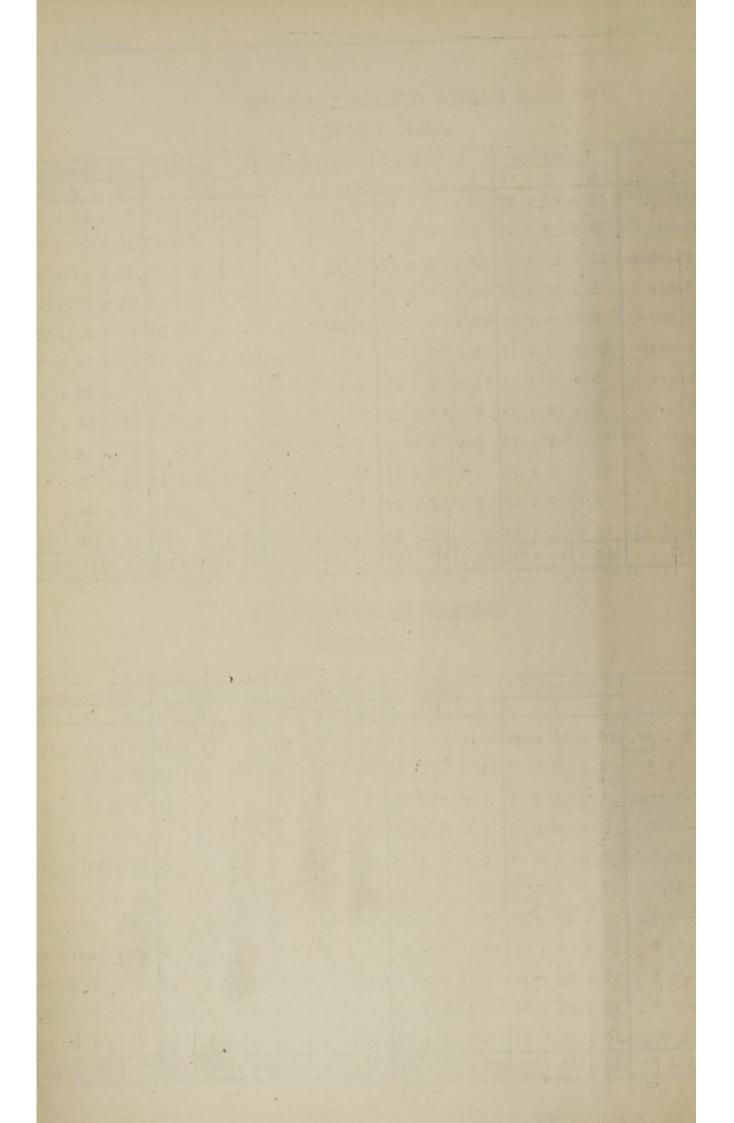
#### AMONG RESIDENTS

	E	u	rope	a	n			Nat	i	ve		Co	101	ire	d		-	lsi	nt	ic	All	Non-Eur		or.	
	M	-	F	-	P	M		F		P	M	-	F		P	M		F		P	M		F		P
July 1944	13	:	12	:	25	9	:	5	:	14	3	:	3	:	6	12	:	7	:	19	24	:	15	:	39
August	6	:	7	:	13	5	:	8	:	13	0	:	3	:	3	5	:	7	:	12	10	:	18	:	28
September	16	:	14	:	30	12	:	6	:	18	0	:	0	:	0	4	:	6	:	10	16	:	12	:	28
Octobor	6	:	10	:	16	16	:	7	:	23	0	:	2	:	2	5	:	3	:	8	21	:	12	:	33
November	8	:	9	:	17	15	:	5	:	20	.1	:	3	:	4	7	:	6	:	13	23	:	14	:	37
December	10	:	7		17	12	:	7	:	19	2	:	2	:	4	11	:	7	:	18	25	:	16	:	41
January	8		6	:	14	11	:	9	:	20	2	:	4	:	6	7	:	2	:	9	20		15	:	35
February	6		7	:	13	6	:	5	:	11	3	:	1	:	4	6	:	5	:	11	15	:	11	:	26
March	14	:	5	**	19	5	:	1	:	6	3	:	0	:	. 3	6	:	3	:	9	14	:	4	:	18
April	11	:	7	:	18	6	:	5	:	11	1	:	0	:	1	6	:	3	:	19	13	:	8	:	21
May	7	:	9	:	16	5	:	12	:	17	2	:	4	:	6	9	:	4	:	13	16	:	20	:	35
June 1045	12	:	21	:	33	7	:	6	:	13	4	:	1	:	5	5	:	2	:	7	16	:	9	:	25
Total	117	:	114	:	231	109	:	76	:	185	21	:	23		44	83	:	55	:	138	213	:	154	:	367

# DEATHS OF RESIDENTS GIVEN IN

#### AGE GROUPS

		F	Su	rope	a	n		Native					Co	loui	re	6	A	si	atio	c		All Non-Eur.			Sur_	
		M		F		P	M		F		P	_ M		F		P	M		F		P	M_		_F		_ P_
Under 1	yr.	10	:	10	:	20	37	:	24	:	61	5	:	6	:	11	17	:	11	:	28	59	:	41	:	100
1	"	2	:	0	:	2	13	:	17	:	30	4	:	3	:	7	5	:	7	:	12	22	:	27	:	49
2-4	yrs.	1	:	3	:	4	5	:	6	:	11	0	:	0	:	0	4	:	6	:	10	9	:	12	:	21
5-14	"	4	:	3	:	7	3	:	1	:	4	1	:	. 2	:	3	3	:	4	:	7	7	:	7	:	14
15-24	"	2	:	2	:	4	11	:	7	:	18	2	:	2	:	4	4	:	7	:	11	17	:	16	:	33
25-34	"	7	:	1	:	8	5		7	:	12	0	:	1	:	1	6	:	3	:	9	11	5	11	:	55
35-44	"	.4	:	10	:	14	7	:	5	:	12	0	:	0	:	0	5	:	2	:	4	9	:	7	:	16
45-54	"	14	:	7	:	21	16	:	5	:	21	1	:	2	:	3	2	:	7	:	9	19	:	14	:	33
55-64	0	17	:	14	:	31	7	:	2	:	9	2	:	3	:	5	22	:	3	:	25	31	:	8.	:	39
65-74	"	36	:	23	:	59	5	:	2	:	7	4	:	3	:	7	11	:	2	:	13	20	:	7	:	27
75 &	Over	20	:	41	:	61	0	:	0	:	0	2	:	1	:	3	7	:	.3	:	10	9	:	4	:	13
Total	l:	117	:	114	:	231	109	:	76	:	185	21	:	23	:	44	83	:	55	:	138	213	:	154	:	367



# (1) <u>Vital Statistics</u> Cont'd.

# SUPMARY OF CAUSES OF DEATH

(Classified into groups and expressed as Percentage of all deaths)

## RESIDENTS ONLY.

Punc															
	European				Na	ative			Co	loured	i	Asiatic			
Acute Exanthemata	13	:	5.69	12	:	6.	5%	2	:	4.55	6 4	:	2.9%		
Tuberculosis (411 forms)	1										1.		11.6%		
Syphilis	2	:	0.99	1	:	0,5	5%	-	:		-	:	-		
Other Parasitic & Infactious Diseases	9	:	3.9%	10	:	5.4	18	-	:	_	6	:	4.3%		
Cancer	26	:	11.4%	2	:	1.1	1%	2	:	4.59			5.1%		
Cerebral Haemorrhage, Thrombosis and Embolism	-		6.1%	1									7.2%		
Cardiac Diseases and Other Diseases of Circulatory System	65	:	28.1%	9	:	4.9%	7	10		22.7%			13.8%		
Respiratory Diseases (Non-Tuberculcus)	1												9.4%		
Enteritis and Diarrhoea (under 2 years)	1												10.9%		
Nephritis			100							7.1			4.3%		
Congenital Malformations and diseases of early infancy															
Deaths from Violence			4.8%							100000000000000000000000000000000000000					
Other Causes			3.5%				1			1			3.6%		
	-	-	19.3%	********			70	M todako o		15.9%		:	18.8%		
TOTAL:	231 :			185	:	IONIANTO I	1	4:			138	:			

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#### TOTAL NOTIFICATIONS OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

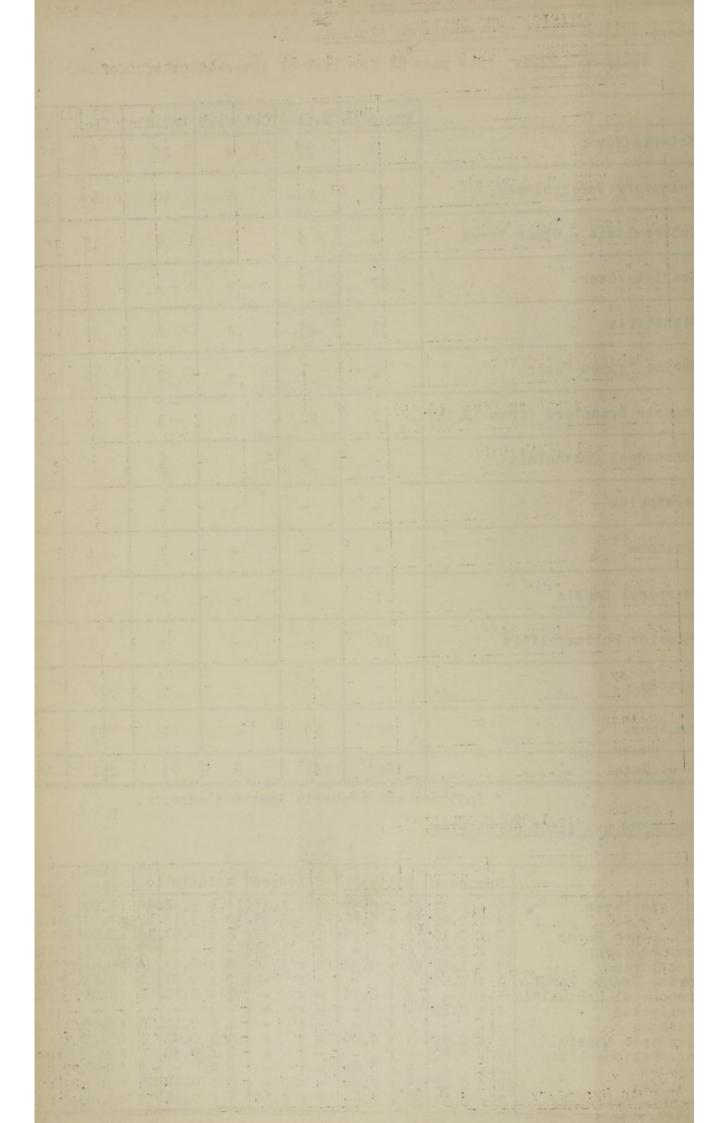
RESIDENTS ONLY. (See page 62 for list of alterations of Diagnosis)

	European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic	All Non Eur.	All
Enteric Fever	9	50	2	14	36	45
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	13	52	5	30	87	100
Tuberculosis - Other Forms	2	6	1	8	15	17
Scarlet Fever	82	-	2	-	2	84
Diphtheria	33	26	2	6	34	67
Murine Typhus Fever	1	-	-	2	2	3
Amoebic Dysentery (from 1.1.45)	7	28	2	3	33	40
Gonococcal Ophthalmia	-	2	-	1	3	3
Erysipelas	"4	-	-	-	-	4
Trachoma	-	-	-	1	1	1
Puerperal Sepsis	1	3	-	4	7	8
Anterior Poliomyelitis	17	-	-	3 .	3	20
Leprosy	-	5*.	-	-	5	5
Smallpox	20	19		4	23	43
Total:	189	161	2.3	76	251	440

<sup>\*</sup> Includes one probably Imported case.

#### INCIDENCE per 1,000 POPULATION.

	Europ	ean	Nat	ive	Co:	loured	Asi	atic		Non-	All Races
Enteric Fever Pulm. T.B. T.B. Other Forms Scarlet Fever Diphtheria Murine Typhus Fever Gonococcal Ophthalmia Erysipelas	13 : 0 2 : 0 82 : 3 33 : 1	0.43 0.62 0.10 0.94 0.58 0.05	20 : 26 : 26 : 2	2.57 6.68 0.76 3.34 0.26	512	1.34 3.35 0.67 1.34 1.34		3.16 0.84 0.63 0.21 0.11	87 : 15 :	4.64	45:114 20:256 17:04: 84:212 67:169 3:008 4:000
Trachoma Puerneral Sepsis Ant. Poliomyelitis Leprosy Smallbox Ancobic Dysentery	17 : 0	0.05	3 : 5 : 10 : 28 :	0.39 0.64 2:44 3.6	2	1.34	4 3 - 4 3	0.11 0.42 0.32 0:42 0.32	23	0.37	20: 05 5: 01 43: 10



#### (2) INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

There were 440 notifications of infectious disease, a sharp increase on the total of 359 recorded for the previous year, due to epidemic outbursts of Smallpox and Anterior Poliomyelitis, and to sharp increases in the notification of Enteric Fever and Tuberculosis. (See Page 8)

#### ISOLATION HOSPITAL (EUROPEAN INFECTIOUS DISEASE) (Page 61 )

Altogether 159 patients were admitted during the year, 126 Borough and 33 Out-of-Borough. Figures for previous years were :-

1936-37: 183; 1937-38: 215; 1938-39: 216; 1939-40: 307; 1940-41: 405; 1941-42: 259; 1942-43: 334; 1943-44: 318.

Cases of Tuberculosis, Puerperal Sepsis and Typhoid Fever are provided for at Grey's Hospital - the Provincial General Hospital - and the King George V. Hospital for Tuberculosis, in Durban. Europeans needing hospitalisation for Venereal Disease are sent by arrangement to Addington Hospital, Durban.

## NON-EUROPEAN INFECTIOUS DISEASE HOSPITAL (Page 62)

Admissions totalled 332, 178 Porough, and 154 Out-of-Borough Cases, as compared with last year's total of 344.

#### AMBULANCE .

The following figures have been furnished by the courtesy of the City Engineer :-

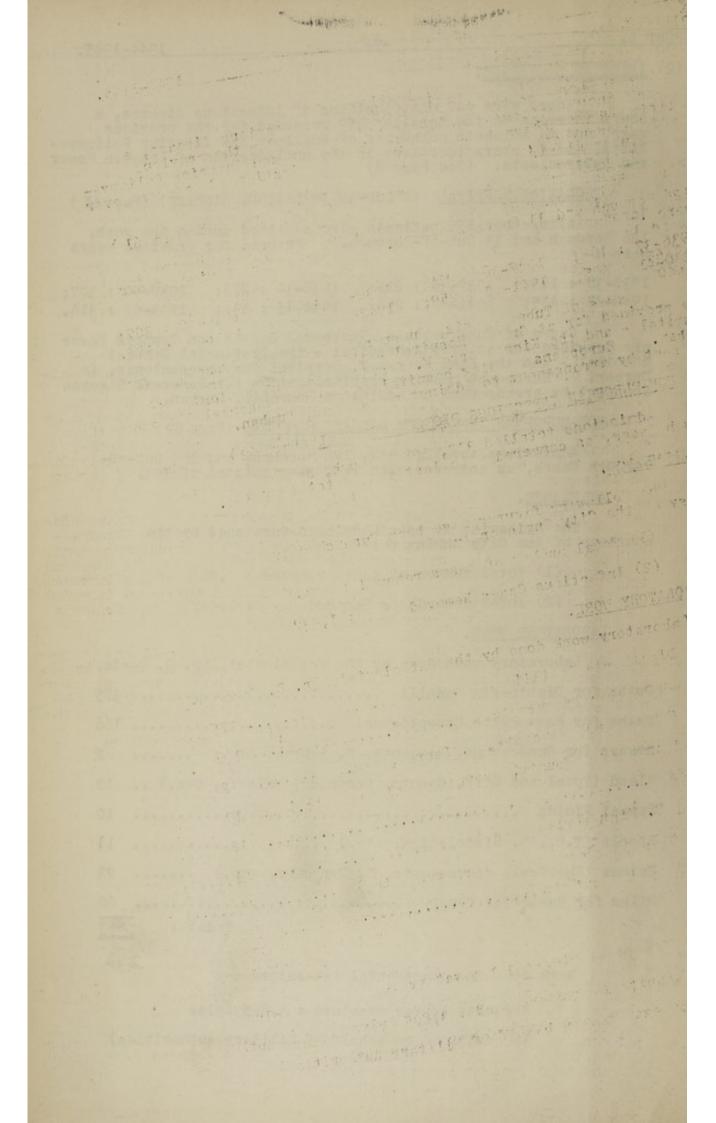
- (1) Total number of cases removed: 4,264
- (2) Infectious Cases Removed : 1,437

#### LABORATORY WORK.

Laboratory work done by the Pathologist, Dr. D. Cowie :-
Swabs for Diphtheria Bacilli 375
Swabs for Haemolytic Streptococci
Smears for Gonococcus, Vincents, B. Leprae, etc., 2
Blood (Total and Diff. Counts, Grouping, Malaria, etc.) 12
Spinal Fluids 10
Stools (T.B., E. Histolytica, etc.)
Urines (Chemical, microscopic, B. Typhosus, etc.) 23
Milks for Bacterial Count 62
Total: 663

Work done in Departmental Laboratory :-

Mosquito larvae examined: 3,805 (plus
350 examined on behalf of Military Authorities)



(2) Infectious Disease continued.

#### NOTIFIABLE INFECTIOUS DISEASE

- (a) ANTHRAX. No cases notified.
- (b) SMALLPOX. A total of 43 cases were notified, 20 Europeans, 19 Natives and 4 Asiatics.

This very large total of notifications was due to the occurrence of a serious epidemic outbreak of Smallpox in the City during the month of September.

In last year's Annual Report which dealt with the position up to June 30th 1944, reference was made to a small outbreak in January, 1944, of Smallpox in the Peri-Urban area of Bishopstowe, consisting of 4 cases, all of whom were treated in the Pieter-maritzburg Epidemic Hospital.

During the month of June, ll native cases of Smallpox were admitted to the Epidemic Hospital, all coming from the surrounding district into Pietermaritzburg. These cases came into Pietermaritzburg by train, in rickshas, in taxis and on foot, seeking medical treatment, mearly all being discovered eventually in the Outpatient Department at Grey's Hospital, finding their way there directly or after varying periods during which they wandered around in Pietermaritzburg visiting friends or relations. One Asiatic female case of Smallpox occurred in the City during this month.

In July, one Native child in the Non-Brichean Infectious Diseases Hospital was cross-infected from a case of Smallpox admitted with the diagnosis of Chicken Pox to an adjoining ward. 3 Native female cases cross-infected while in Grey's Hospital wards, were also admitted. As no known cases of Smallpox had occurred in that ward, it was presumed that they were infected by visitors. In July, 14 cases were admitted to the Epidemic Hospital from the surrounding Native areas.

During August the total of admissions was 3, all coming from outside the Borough. Vaccination, which had been urged on the inhabitants of the City in January and again in June, was carried out for all races, facilities being provided by the Municipal Public Health Department. The monthly total of vaccinations by this Department was as follows:

(No figure is available of the many vaccinations done by Medical practitioners privately)

			00 000
July,	1944	:	20,320
Aug.	11		1,925
			077000
Sept.	"	:	26,808
Oct.	**	:	14,007
Nov.	11	:	2,755
Dec.	"	:	1,393
Jan.,	1945	:	2,581
Feb.	11		2,071
		-	
March	11	:	1,708
April	11	:	1,890
	11		2,018
May			
June	"	:	1,981
	Tota	1:	79,457

There was only one case occurring in a European male child aged 8, who died, and whose death was certified as due to "Polioencephalomyelitis", where the question of a post-vaccinal condition arose. The child had been vaccinated 9 days prior to the onset of his illness. This was a primary vaccination and there were three small "takes".

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A similar clinical condition had occurred three weeks previously in Pietermaritzburg in a European male child, aged 8, who had not been recently vaccinated and who also died, death being certified as due to "Anterior Poliomyelitis - Bulbar Paralysis".

No other cases suggestive of Post-Vaccinal encephalitis occurred.

These figures included many persons, European and Non-European, from outside the City, who alarmed by the outbreak, made use of the facilities offered in Pietermaritzburg.

On the 30th August a Puropean male patient was admitted to the Isolation Hospital, transferred from Grey's Hospital as a case of Tick Bite Pever, and it was not until three days later when the rash had developed further, that the condition was diagnosed as Smallpox. This patient had recently arrived in Pietermaritzburg from another area where cases of Smallpox had occurred. Arrangements were made to nurse him separately, additional Staff being obtained for the remaining hospital patients, all Staff and other patients being, of course, immediately re-vaccinated. This patient died in hospital on the 7th September. On the 19th September, one of the temporary nursing Staff engaged at the Hospital from the 3rd September, i.e. after the European case had been separated, and who had not been near this case, was admitted as a suspect Smallpox. Her re-vaccination had been unsuccessful, but she possessed three good marks (over 50 years old). Her complaints dated from the 14th September, the rash appearing on the 17th. The rash was very mild and atypical, but in view of the long prodomal period, it was decided that she was probably a very modified case of Smallpox and probably cross-infected in Hospital.

Non-European cases were still being admitted into the Epidemic Hospital from the surrounding areas outside of the Borough where there was an epidemic of considerable size. In the next 14 days a sharp Epidemic outburst of the disease involving 29 persons (19 Europeans, 8 Natives and 2 Asiatics) occurred within the City. With the exception of 1 case, all the Europeans were resident in the suburb in which the Isolation Hospital is situated. (One case, not actually resident, was a student at the University which is a few hundred yards away from the Hospital, and is included in the total of Scottsville residents). The last European case in this outbreak was secondary to one of the earlier cases.

Of the 8 Native cases, six were resident in the same suburb, and one was a milk delivery boy who regularly delivered milk in that area, though actually residing outside the Borough on the boundary of the suburb.

Both the Asiatic cases were not resident in this suburb and denied visiting that area.

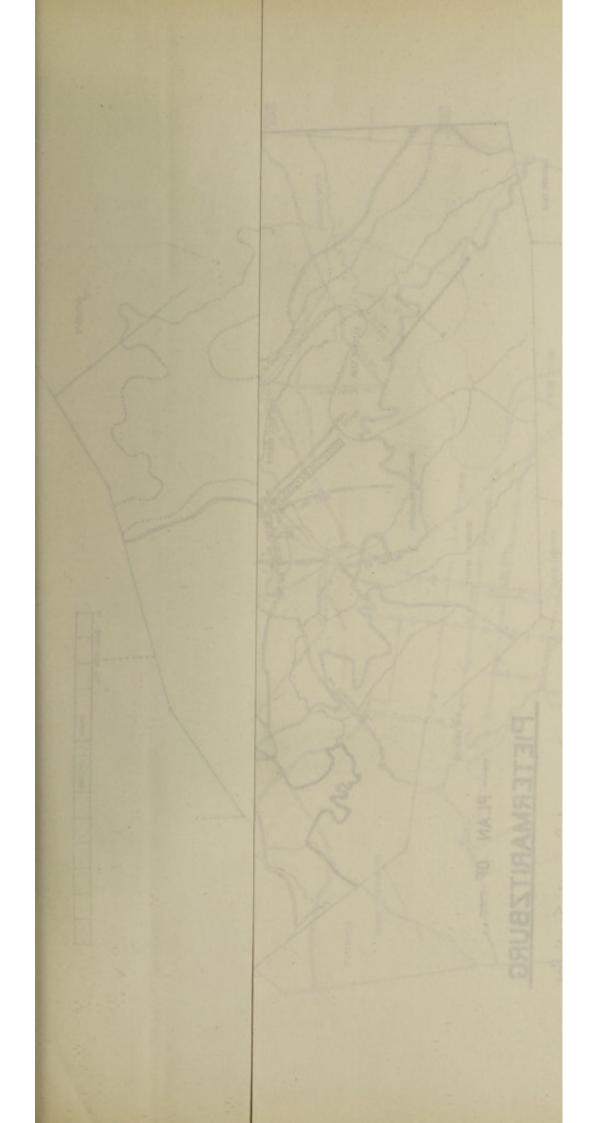
The outbreak, therefore, (despite the 4 non-resident cases) would appear to resemble those outbreaks recorded as taking place in the vicinity of Smallpox Hospitals, and ascribed often to airborne contagion. In this case the outbreak, if it were of this type, could only be secondary to the single European case who was in the Isolation Hospital from August 31st to September 7th.

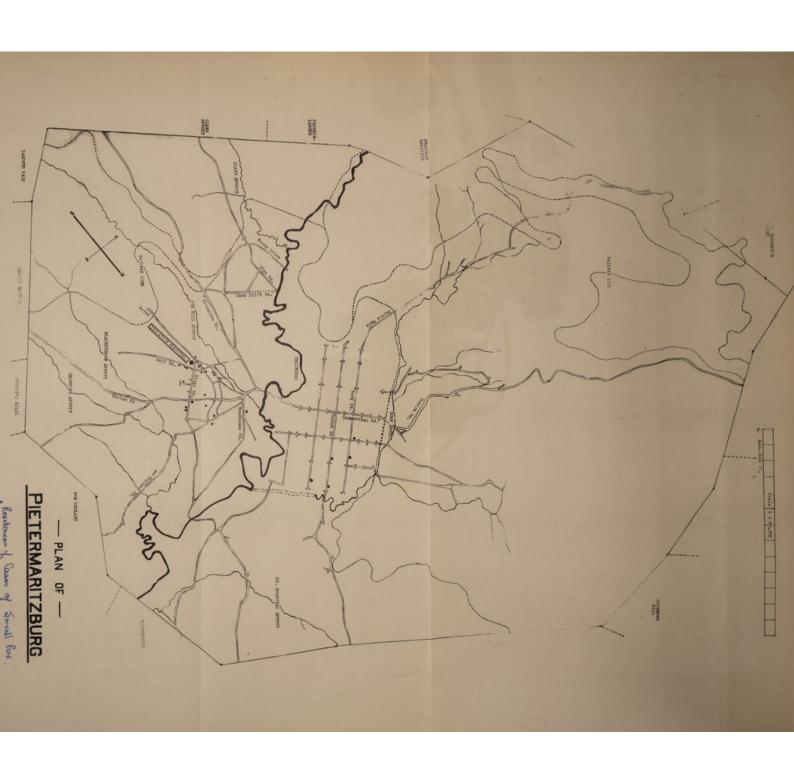
The date of cases occurring in relationship to the date of the first symptoms, where the exact date could be obtained, was as follows:-

SEPTEMBER	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	23rd	2/11
No. of Cases	2 E	1 E	1 E	4 E	7 E	1 E	1 E	1 E	1 E	
(E = European)	-	-	SN	2 N	1 N	-	-	-	TN	5 11
(N = Native )		-	-	1 A	-	-	-		-	-
(A = Asiatic ) TOTAL	2	1	3	7	8	1	1	1	5	2

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#### 2 (b) Smallpox. Cont'd.

The date of appearance of the Smallpox rash, where the exact date could be ascertained, was as follows :-

SEPTEMBER	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	25th	26th	27th
No. of Cases	1 E	2 E 1 N	3 E 1 N 1 A	4 E 1 N	5 E 1 N	1 N	1 E 1 N	2 E	1 N	- 1 N
TOTAL	1	3	5	5	6	1	2	2	1	2

The distances of the Isolation Hospital from the residences involved in the same suburb varied from 100 vards to 1,500 yards, and from the residences of the City proper, cases varied from 13 miles to 24 miles.

The prevailing wind at the time was as follows :-

I		August					tem	ber		
ı	Date	30th	31st	Ist	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
ı	Wind Direction	E	E	E	E	S.W.	W	N.E.	W	N.W.

i.e. roughly from the Hospital towards the area involved. (See ) (Map opposite)

If the epidemic were air-borne it is not clear why quite a number of (generally elderly) unvaccinated persons were found on house-to-house search of the whole of the suburb, who though living near the houses where actual cases developed, escaped infection. Subsequent successful vaccination showed them to be fully susceptible.

The possibility of fly-borne spread must be considered. Although flies were not particularly prevalent, very stringent precautions against flies were only enforced from the 3rd September. Some of the cases were quite distant for that type of spread, but not impossibly so. The control measures adopted were as follows:-

- 1. Prompt removal to hospital of all cases. Terminal disinfection of bedrooms (formalin) and clothing and bed-clothing (steam). Vaccination and house quarantine for 14 days of all contacts, unless there was clear evidence of recent successful vaccination. Daily surveillance of all contacts by the Health Visitors of the Department to check on quarantine and to take daily temperatures.
- 2. House-to-house visitation and survey of the whole suburban area involved, by the Health Inspectorate Staff. All un-vaccinated persons were readily persuaded to be vaccinated at once, and very few resisters required a visit from the medical Staff, which was in all cases successful.
- 3. Provision of facilities for Vaccination by the City Council in the suburb involved, and in the City for all races. The services of medical practitioners, non practising trained nurses, members of the St. John Ambulance Association and the Red Cross Society, and of other volunteers, were used in conducting these sessions and the Department is deeply grateful for this freely offered and most valuable help.

#### 4. Hospital Facilities.

As no alternative accommodation was available for the European cases, the Isolation Hospital to which cases had already been admitted, was used for the treatment of these cases.

All cases of other infectious disease were evacuated to Grey's Hospital or their own homes. Arrangements were made for the admission of other urgent infectious disease cases to one of the /Nursing .......

### 2(b) Smallpox. Cont'd

Nursing Homes in the meantime. Two members of the Red Cross Society volunteered to assist with the nursing of these cases, which was carried out by the Isolation Hospital Staff.

The Non-European cases were treated at the Epidemic Hospital in a portion of the Venereal Diseases Hospital set aside for this purpose, under the unsatisfactory conditions mentioned in last year's report. The Matron and the trained native nurses of the Non-European Infectious Diseases Hospital, with the assistance of untrained native nurses engaged temporarily, took charge of the nursing at this Hospital. I would like to add my own sincere tribute to the Matrons, the trained and untrained nurses and the volunteers of both hospitals who willingly and wholeheartedly undertook this work of nursing what must be the most unpleasant of all diseases requiring nursing.

There was only one secondary case, a European, in this outbreak and this patient was under observation from the onset of her illness as a result of the daily visitation of contacts by the Health Visitors. This patient had been vaccinated two hours after her first contact with the primary case. She had never been vaccinated before. The vaccination was successful, there being 3 'takes', but she died of Haemorrhagic Smallpox 132 days after exposure. One month later a native woman and her infant were admitted from the Native Womens' Hostel in the City suffering from Smallpox. The source of this infection could not be traced. No secondary cases occurred in this crowded Hospital. Subsequently one Asiatic family was discovered concealing the disease. The father in the family had been the first sufferer, contracting the disease about the time of the epidemic outburst, and one child developed the infection 2 weeks later. These cases had remained concealed in an Indian barracks for nearly two months. Legal proceedings were taken in this case when the patients were released from hospital.

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	Smallpox	Cases	Smallpox Contacts	Smallpox Suspects
July, 1944	E N	A	N	N
to June, 1945.	20 67	7	33	6

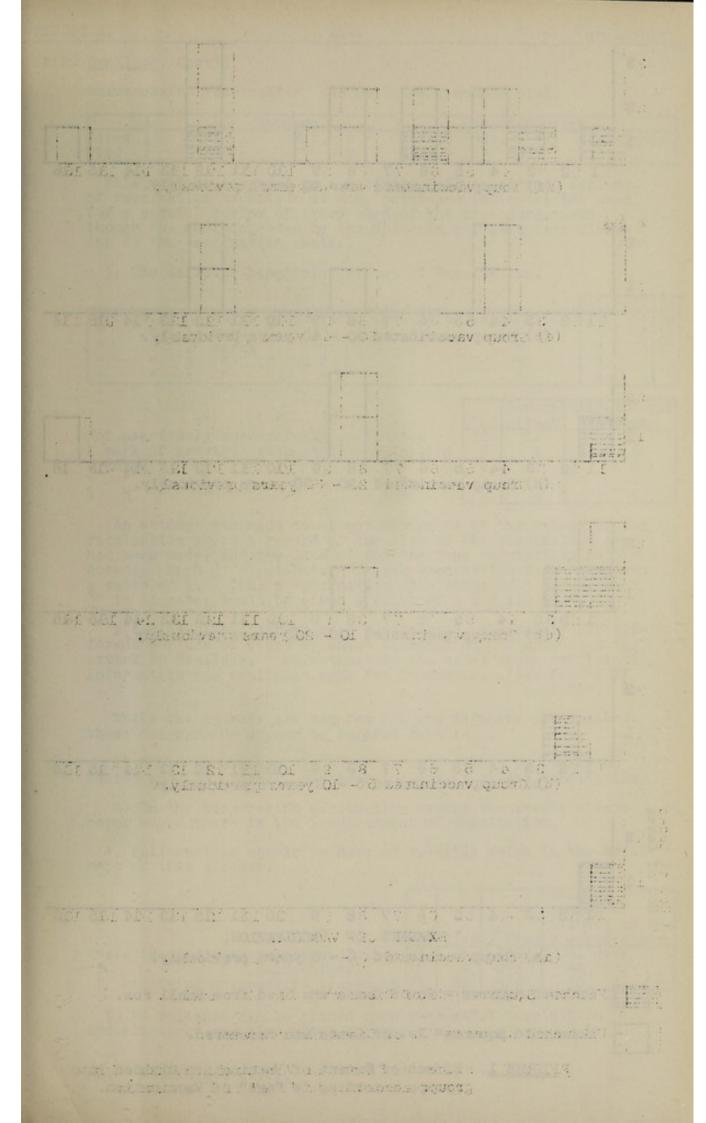
A number of features emerge from our experience with the cases of Smallpox seen in the Municipal Hospitals during this epidemic.

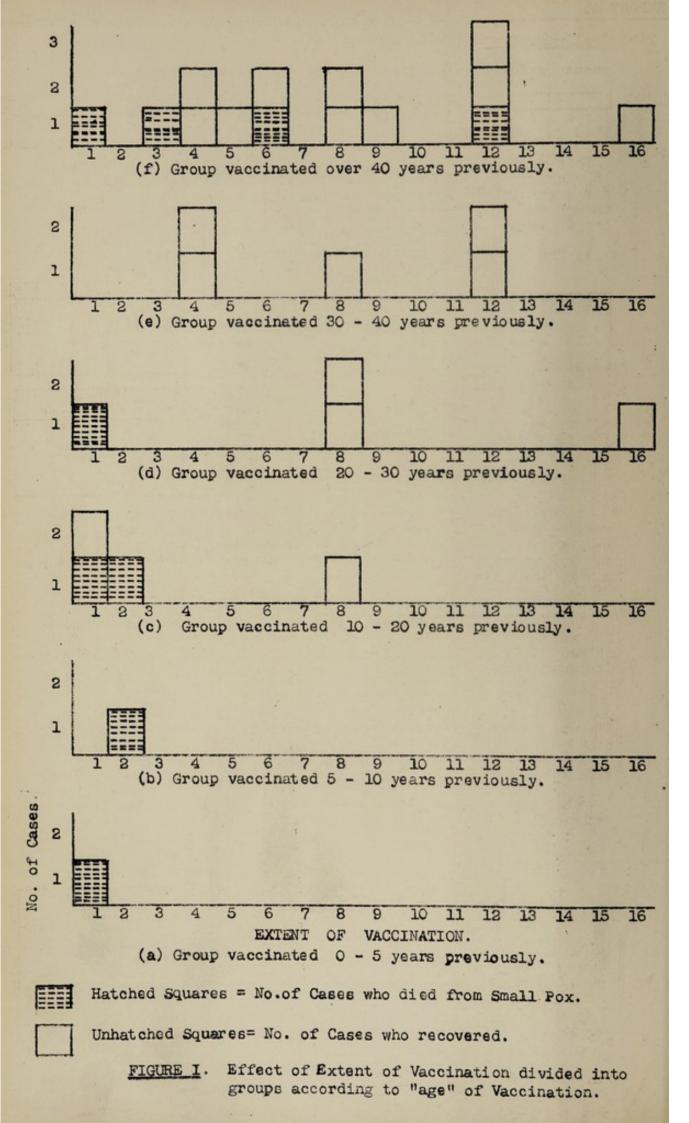
1. At the beginning of the year the cases were all mild, of the "Amaas" type, but from July the nature of the epidemic changed, cases becoming severe, with a large proportion of Haemorrhagic cases particularly, and a high fatality rate. Towards the end of the epidemic, cases again tended to become mild, though not quite so mild as at the commencement of the epidemic.

	European	Native	Asiatic	Total
No. of Mild Cases " Died % Died	12	47	5 -	64
No. Haemorrhagic " Died % Died	6 100 %	15 13 86.7 %	2 1 50 %	23 20 87 %
No. Confluent " Died % Died	=	13 5 38.5 %	1 -	14 35.7 %
No. Other severe cases " Died % Died	66.7 %	77.8 %	-	12 75 %
Total cases " Died % Died	21 8 38.1 %	84 25 30 %	8 1 122 %	113 34 30.1

2. A number of cases of Smallpox gave a history of recent /unsuccessful ......

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### 2(b) Smallpox. Cont'd.

unsuccessful vaccination, and of these a number died.

		В	orough			Out-of-Borough						
Cases	Eur.	1	Nat.	6	1 16	Nat.	1 Asiatic					
Died		-	п	2	1 3	" ,						

This must be regarded as a definite failure through failure of vaccination technique at some point and indicates the need for a careful review of every step of the procedure, even though the panic created by the Epidemic brings crowds flocking to the vaccination centre.

3. The definite beneficial effect of Vaccination.

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Cases	with	no	marks	of	previous	successful	vaccination	116	54	70
11	11	1	mark	11	"	"	"	5	6	11
11	11	2	marks	11	11	!!	11	17	4	11
11-	- 11	3	11	11	11		11	1 2	2	4
"	11	4	11	11	"	11	11	4	3	7

Not previously successfully vaccinated
1 mark of previous successful vaccination
2 marks " " " " "
3 " " " " " " "

Died	Severe	Mild-moderate attack
22	12	36
3	1 -	8 4

An attempt was made to assess the value of the extent of the vaccination where a record of the size of the vaccination scar had been made, and the date of the previous vaccination had been noted. Each 2" of diameter of each vaccination scar was given a value of 1. Thus a vaccination consisting of 3 marks, each 2" in diameter would be given a value of 3 x 2 i.e. 6.

A series of histograms were constructed, separately for different periods of years by which vaccination had antedated the attack of Smallpox. Unfortunately the cases where sufficient information was available were few in number. (See figure 1) (opposite.)

While the numbers are too few for any definite conclusions, these diagrams do appear to suggest that :-

- 1) Where vaccination is 40 years old, it can no longer be relied upon to protect, whatever the extent of the vaccination.
- 2) In the more recent vaccination groups the deaths always occur where there is the least amount of vaccination.
- 4. Sulfonamides appear to have no specific value in the treatment of this disease.

	No.	Died		Average length of illness in re- covered cases
Cases treated with Sulfapyridine "Sulfathiazole	13	6	46% 25%	41 days 34 "
" receiving no specific treatment	171	22	36%	36 "

5. No reliance can be placed upon successful vaccination undertaken at any time after exposure.

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### 2(b) Smallpox. Cont'd.

a. Vaccinated Prior to Exposure to Infection.

							No	of Car		:-
							Escaped attack	Had a mild attack	Had a severe attack	Developed Smallpox & Died
Successfully	vaccinated	1	day	prior	to	Exposure	1	-	-	-
"	"	3	days	, "	11	. "	-	-	-	1 *
"	"	8	"	"	"	11	1	-	-	-

<sup>\*</sup> This was a marasmic native child, aged 14 months, suffering from diphtheritic skin ulceration, who was cross-infected in hospital.

### b. Vaccinated after exposure to Smallpox.

									NO. 01	cases	MUO :-
	- (-			+					Had a	Had a	Developed
								Escaped	mild	severe	Smallpox
								attack	attack	attack	& Died
accinated	2	hours	after	e e	posure	9		-	-	-	1
"	8	days	prior	to	onset	of	symptoms	-	1	-	-
11	7	11	" "	11	"	11	"	-	1,	-	-(0003
11	6	11	-11	11	"	11	. 11	-	개류	- '	1(mons
"	5	11	11	11	11	11	"	-	3	1	-
11	2	11	11	11	"	11	"	-	1	1	-
**	2	11	11	11	11	11	11	-	1	-	-
11	or	day	of ons	set	of syr	not	oms	-	1	-	-
		1									

### (c) DIPHTHERIA.

The total number of cases notified was 67 as compared with 76 for last year. 3 Europeans died from this disease. Immunisation, particularly of pre-school children, was continued throughout the year, a total of 448 children having completed the immunising course at the Infant Clinics, (315 of these being European as compared with last year's total of 447.) Until about three quarters of the child population of Pietermaritzburg is immunised (a goal we are still far from attaining) there is not likely to be any sensational decrease in the incidence of this disease. So far no case of Diphtheria has occurred in any child in Pietermaritzburg who has completed the immunisation course.

### (d) SCARLET FEVER.

84 Cases were notified as compared with 153 last year. The disease continued to be mild.

10 Cases occurred in Adults, 25 in Pre-school children, and the remaining 49 cases amongst school-going children. One (Junior) school had 10 cases, two schools (one Junior) had 5 cases each, one (Junior) school had 4 cases, two schools had 3 cases each, six schools had 2 cases each, and seven schools had only 1 case each. The total of school-going children in Pietermaritzburg is over 5,000 (Eur. and Coloured).

### (e) CEREBRO-SPINAL MENINGITIS.

No cases were notified during this year.

### (f) ANTERIOR POLIOMYELITIS.

Pietermaritzburg shared in the Epidemic Outbreak of Anterior Poliomyelitis, which occurred throughout the Union in the Spring of 1944. A total of 20 cases (17 European and 3 Asiatic) were notified. Notifications were received as follows:

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## (f) ANTERIOR POLIOMYELITIS. Cont'd.

1944, July Nil Aug. : 11 Sept. : Oct. 2 Eur. : 4 " Nov. 1 Asiatic. : 5 " Dec. : 1945, Jan. \*\* 1 Feb. 11 March Nil April : May 2 Eur. June Nil

The Age Incidence of cases and deaths was as follows :-

0 - 1 yrs. Nil 1 - 2 " 4 (1 death) 16 - 25 " 5 (3 deaths) 3 - 5 " 2 26 - 35 " 1 (1 death) 6 - 10 " 6 (3 deaths) 36 & above Nil

There were 8 deaths (6 European and 2 Asiatic).

Up to date no cases have recovered fully, though some further improvement is expected. There is extensive residual paralysis in 3 cases, moderate in 3 cases, and slight in 6 cases.

An analysis has been made of certain epidemiological factors which have been said to be of importance in the spread of this disease. The total number of cases is, of course, too small to permit of drawing any hard and fast conclusions, but the analysis is nevertheless of interest.

1. Swimming Baths have been held to be of importance in the spread of the disease.

In this series 2 of the cases patronised the Municipal Swimming Baths.
" " Private or School " "
" " 14 " " never " any swimming baths at all.

### 2. Prevalence of Flies.

In 1 case Flies were noted as being very prevalent.
" 10 cases " " described as being only few in number.
" 9 " no complaint at all of Flies could be elicited.

3. The method of disposal of excrement was noted as follows :-

15 cases occurred in houses with water-borne sewerage.
2 " " " " septic tank installations.
3 " " " pail removal systems.

4. The virus of Poliomyelitis has been recorded in rodents :

In 10 of the cases rats or mice were noted.
" 10 " " there was no complaint of rats or mice.

5. Contact with a Known case of Poliomyelitis.
This was noted in 2 cases only of the 20.

6. Association with Tonsillectomy.

8 cases had had Tonsillectomy performed. There were 4 deaths in this group.

10 cases had not had tonsillectomy performed. There were 3 deaths in this group.

By arrangement with the Natal Provincial Authorities all cases

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## (f) ANTERIOR POLIOMYELITIS. Cont'd.

in Pietermaritzburg were admitted to Grey's Hospital, which was able to provide for the patients the special facilities required for adequate treatment, viz., the services of an orthopaedic surgeon, Iron Lungs and Physio-therapy.

### (h) TYPHUS FEVER.

3 cases were notified (1 European and 2 Asiatics) which clinically and serologically appeared to be cases of Murine Typhus Fever. In only 1 Asiatic case could rodent-infestation (at his place of work) be demonstrated.

### (i) ENTERIC FEVER.

45 cases were notified, 9 Europeans and 36 Non-Europeans, an increase on last year's total of 27.

In 12 cases (3 Europeans and 9 Non-Europeans) bacteriological or Post Mortem confirmation of the diagnosis was not obtained. In 5 cases (2 European and 3 Non-European) the infection was probably contracted outside of the Borough. In 3 cases (1 European, 2 Non-European) the diagnosis was subsequently altered to some other condition.

Immunisation was performed in 21 contacts of the disease, 4 European, 4 Coloured, and 13 Asiatic. The method employed was 2 injections of Endotoxoid (S.A.I.M.R.).

## (j) PUERPERAL SEPSIS.

8 Notifications were recorded as compared with last year's total of 15, (1 European and 7 Non-European). 5 of these patients were delivered in Hospital and 3 in their homes. In the first (Hospital) group complications were present in 3 cases (Post Abortive Sepsis (Manual Removal of Placenta), Perineal Tear - 2nd degree, Post Partum Haemorrhage; in the second (Home) group (3 cases), one case followed a 2nd degree Perineal Tear.

## (k) AMOEBIC DYSENTERY.

Amoebic Dysentery was declared a notifiable Infectious Disease in Natal from January 1st, 1945. Up to June 30th, 1945, 40 notifications of this disease have been received. The number of notifications is large and the investigation of the cases has proved to be difficult and time-consuming. The investigation of this and other Infectious Diseases will in future require the full-time service of a Health Visitor.

Of the cases investigated, 3 were probably Imported cases, and in 5 cases the diagnosis was not confirmed by Bacteriological investigation. The Laboratory reports showed the presence of Vegetative Forms of E. Histolytica in 9 cases (1 Eur., 5 Nat., 2 Col., 1 As.), and Cystic Forms of E. Histolytica in 5 cases (1 Eur., 2 Nat., and 2 As.)

Only 5 cases gave a history of recent onset of the disease, i.e. within the last month. The average duration of symptoms in 8 cases was 52 months, while in 2 cases the duration of the disease was given as 2 yrs. and 7 yrs. respectively.

Investigation of a native compound where 3 cases had been notified revealed the presence of Cysts of E. Histolytica in the Native cook. 1 European and 1 Coloured household, where only single cases had occurred, were also investigated, with negative results however.

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vacant for 24 hours, and to sun and air mattresses, blankets, etc.

There have not been any cases of infection so far reported that can be ascribed to the cessation of this Formalin Disinfection.

It was carried out, however, during the Smallpox outbreak.

## (3) TUBERCULOSIS. (Pages 45-46)

Notifications of Pulmonary Tuberculosis totalled 100, nearly double last year's total of 55, 13 of these being of Europeans. Notifications of Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis totalled 17 (2 European) as compared with the previous year's total of 8.

35 Borough cases (23 Natives, 2 Coloureds & 10 Asiatics) were admitted to the Tuberculosis block (24 beds) of the Non-European Infectious Diseases Hospital, (8 of these being transferred from Grey's Hospital).

During the year 30 Borough cases were admitted to Grey's Hospital (2 European, 16 Native, 1 Coloured and 11 Asiatic). 14 Cases were admitted direct from the Clinic to Hospital. 2 European cases were sent to the King George V Hospital for Tuberculosis, in Durban.

The scheme of subsidising rentals in tubercular families at the Native Villag, where a larger house was necessary to ensure the isolation of a fifectious case in the home, continued during the year, and 4 ft files were assisted in this way. Close control by the Native Heal . Assistant is maintained to ensure that isolation is observed.

The Natal Anti-Tuberculosis Association made grants to 5 families in Pietermaritzburg (1 European, 2 Coloured and 2 Asiatic), to enable the breadwinner to accept hospital treatment.

The following tables illustrate the trend in notifications and deaths from this disease over the period 1934 - 1945 :-

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSTS

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	N O	TI	FIC	AT	IONS					DEA	ATHS	
No. 1	Eur:		Col:	As:	All Non-Eur:	Total	Eur:	Nat:	Col:	As:	All Non-Eur:	Total
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### (3) TUBERCULOSIS. Cont'd.

This total of Notifications of cases of Pulmonary Tuberculosis shows a very considerable increase on last year's total. It should be noted, however, that there is no increase (actually a small decrease) in the total of deaths from the disease, which would suggest that probably a larger number of the earlier cases of this disease than usual have been notified this year.

Of the total, 17 cases were notified as a result of the Tuber-culin Survey of School Children carried out by Dr. Woods (6 European, 7 Native and 4 Asiatic). Of these cases 4 (2 European and 2 Asiatic) were subsequently removed from the Tuberculosis register as not suffering from the disease in a notifiable form. A further 7 cases were notified as the result of routine examination of contacts (4 Native, 1 Coloured and 2 Asiatic).

A further 4 cases notified (1 Eur., 2 Nat., and 1 As.) were subsequent to further investigation, removed from the Tuberculosis register as not suffering from Pulmonary Tuberculosis. 2 Native cases could not be traced and 2 cases (1 Native and 1 Asiatic) were probably Imported cases.

Allowing, therefore, for Imported and incorrectly diagnosed cases the bulk of the increase this year has been due to the Tuberculin Survey and the routine examination of contacts, confirming the conclusion that more early cases have been notified and brought under treatment this year than previously. As contact investigation has been carried out routinely for many years now, it would appear that Routine Surveys of the population offer the most hopeful method of discovering early cases. The Tuberculin Survey method involving three distinct procedures, viz. application of a patch test, followed by reading and then by x-ray screening, could be replaced by the much simpler single step of Mass Radiography.

### The Tuberculosis Clinic. (Page 51)

The routine clinical and x-ray examination of all contacts of every case of Tuberculosis notified was carried out at the Tuberculosis Clinic. During the year there were 1,028 attendances at the Clinic while 1,584 visits were made to tuberculotics and contacts in their homes. 106 Contacts were examined and x-rayed at the Tuberculosis Clinic. These figures refer to Borough cases only.

### TUBERCULIN SURVEY IN PIETERMARITZBURG.

During the period May - December, 1944, and in June, 1945, a Tuberculin Survey of Salara Children in Metermaritzburg was carried out by Dr. I. Woods, working under the auspices of Dr. B.A. Dormer of the Union Health Department, and I am indebted to them for permission to reproduce the following tables and comments extracted from their report.

"The Vollmer Patch Test (Lederle) was used. Of the 1,725 children who reacted positively to the Patch Test, 1259 were screened, and of these 100 who showed suspicious lung shadows were x-rayed. In addition, 200 European and Coloured children were x-rayed without screening.

The results of the Tuberculin Patch Tests are given in Table 1 (See Page 21).

A marked difference was noted in the rates of Tuberculous infection in the different races of children in Maritzburg. These were consistent with the knowndeath rates from Tuberculosis in the different races in Pietermaritzburg, except that the rate of infection of Native children was much higher

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### (3) TUBERCULOSIS Cont'd

than the published death rate would lead one to expect. This high incidence of infection was corroborated by the number of cases of Active Primary Tuberculosis found in Native children and by the high percentage of calcifications in their lungs and hilar glands. (See Table 2 a & b Page 22)

In general it was found that the degree of sensitivity to tuberculin ran parallel to the percentage of children in household contact with Tuberculosis, the sansitivity being highest in Coloured children, 44% of whom gave a history of contact with tuberculosis in their own homes, and lowest in European children, only 19% of whom had been infected by members of their own families. (See Table 3 Page 23)

The severity and incidence of Active Primary disease was also closely related to the degree of exposure of the children to Tuberculosis and to their poverty or wealth. European children, especially those in the paying schools, showed slight or no evidence of primary disease, whereas in Native children the manifestations of Active disease were frequent and often severe.

In order to determine whether, as in other countries, European children of the poorer classes were more often infected than those of the wealthier, the results obtained in European children attending the free Government Schools were compared with those in children attending the paying Schools. (See Table 4a Page 23) Contrary to expectation the children below the age of 10 at the paying schools gave as high a percentage of infection as those from the Government Schools. The percentage, however, at the paying schools dropped considerably above the age of 15, whereas in the Government Schools, it continued to rise.

A marked difference was observed in the average degree of sensitivity to tuberculin of these two groups of children, the children from the paying schools reacting very much less strongly, especially in the older age groups, than those from the Government Schools (See Table 4 b Page 24)

The percentage of calcification in the lungs and hilar glands was very much lower in children at the paying schools than in those at the Government schools. In both groups the percentage fell in children above the age of 10 years, the drop being most noticeable in children attending the paying schools. (See Tables 5a & b Page 24)

### SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS.

- 1. The degree of sensitivity to the tuberculin and the severity of Active Tuberculosis in the children surveyed was found to be related to the poverty or wealth of the children tested and the percentage of children in household contact with tuberculosis.
- 2. The high incidence of infection in Native children show d that the death rate from Tuberculosis in Native industrial workers was very much higher than the published (general) Tuberculosis death rate for Natives in Hetermaritzburg.

  (The Native population in Pietermaritzburg is composed mainly of domestic servants. The Native children tested, however, were the families of labourers and workers in Industry)
- 3. There is evidence that a number of European children are not infected by members of their own families, but are probably infected in early childhood, either directly or indirectly, by Non-Furopeans. "

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REPORT A.				Age Group 0 - 4	6-5	10 - 14	15 - 19	All Age Groups.	20 & over

Table 2.

## RADIOLOGICAL FOLLOW-UP OF POSITIVE REACTORS.

## (a) ACTIVE DISEASE.

		European			Native			. (	color	red	Asiatic :		
Age		M	F	T	M	F	T	М	F	T	M	F	T
0-5	No. Screened No. Active:-Primary Delayed Total Active	-	-	-	1	2 -	3	-	-	•	-		-
5-9	No: Screened No. Active:-Primary Delayed Total Active	78	85 1 1.2	163	29 4 	24 2 8.3	53 	27	29	56 1 1.8	72 2 2.8	66	138 3 2.2
10-14	No: Screened No. Active:-Primary Delayed Total Active	166	205	2	59 5 8.5	77	136	35	33 1 3.3	68	3	82 1 1 1.2	229
15-19	No. Screened No. Active:-Primary Delayed Total Active	89	79	168	21	18	39	7	2	9	28	2111	30
All Age Graps	No. Screened No. Active:-Primary Delayed Total Active	333	369	702 3 1 0.6	110 9 - 8.2	121 2 - 2 1.7	231 11 - 11 4.7	69	64	5	247 5 1 2.4	150 2 - 2 1.3	397 7 1 8 2.0

## Table 2. (b) CALCIFICATIONS IN THE LUNGS OR HILAR GLANDS.

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Age			M	F	Т	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
0-4		Screened with	-	-		1 -	2	3	-	-	-		-	-
	%	Calcifications with				-	-	-						1
-		Calcifications		- 112		-	-	-	-			- 55	-77	730
5-9	1000	Screened with	78	85	163	29	24	53	27	29	56	72	66	138
	0	Calcifications	17	12	29	4	.2	6	.3	7	10	10	11	21
	70 .	with Calcifications	2.8	14.1	18.0	13.8	8.3	11.3	11.1	241	17.9	14	16.7	15
10-14		Screened		205				136		33	68	147	82	229
	NO.	with Calcifications	31	11	42	11	14	25	.5	.5	10	26	12	38
	70 .	with Calcifications	12.5	5.4	11.5	18.7	18.2	184	143	15.1	14.9	18	14.6	17
15-19		Screened with	89		168		18	39	7	2	9	28	2	30
	4	Calcifications with	10	3	13	5	.4	9	2	-	.2	5	1	6
-	~ .	Calcifications	11.2	3.8	7.7	24	22.2	23	28,6	-	22.2	18	50	20
All Age		Screened	333	369	702	110			69		133		150	397
Groups	NO.	with Calcifications with	58	26	84	20	20	40	10	12	22	41	24	65
-		Calcifications	17.4	7.1	12	18.2	16.5	17.3	14.5	18.7	16.6	16.6	16	16.4

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Table 3.

# FOLLOW-UP OF POSITIVE REACOTRS TO THEIR HOMES. POSITIVE REACTORS IN KNOWN CONTACT WITH TUBERCULOSIS.

Age Group		European	Coloured	Madatia
0 = 4	No. Followed No. in contact with Relative Friend " " Non-European Total No. in household with T.B. Known Contact	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	-	50%
5 - 9	No. Followed No. in contact with Relative " " Friend " " Non-European Total No. in household with T.B. Known Contact	103 14 2 4 20 19%	55 - - 23 42%	107 - - 39 36%
10 - 14	No. Followed No. in contact with Relative " " " Friend " " Non-European Total No. in household with T.B. Known Contact	116 14 2 4 20 17%	46 - - 23 50%	165 - - 51 31%
15 - 19	No. Followed No. in contact with Relative " " " Friend " " Non-European Total No. in household with T.B. % Known Contact	17 3 1 1 29%	7 - - 2 29%	30 - - 6 20%
Total All Ages	No. Followed No. in contact with Relative " " " Friend " " Non-European Total No. in household with T.B. Known Contact	237 32 5 9 46 19%	108 - - 48 44%	304 - - 97 32%

# Table 4. PERCENTAGE OF POSITIVE REACTORS AND DEGREE OF SENSITIVITY OF EUROPEAN CHILDREN TO PATCH TEST.

(a)

### PERCENTAGE OF POSITIVE REACTORS.

Age Group			Fr	ee Gover		Paying Schools				
			M	F	T	M	F	T		
0 - 4	Number %	tested Positive	17 1 5.9	14	31 1 3.2%	19 15.8	15 1 6.7	34 4 11.7%		
5 - 9	Number	tested Positive	446 47 10.5	525 70 13.3	971 117 12.1%	277 37 13.4	193 27 14	470 64 13.7%		
10 - 14	Number	tested Positive	592 108 18.3	662 110 16.6	1254 218 17.5%	507 82 16.2	517 101 19.5	1024 183 17.9%		
15 - 19	Number "	tested Positive	217 61 28.1	178 24 13.5	395 85 21.5%	347 38 11	421 56 13.3	768 94 12.2%		
All Age Groups	Number	tested Positive	1272 217 17	1379 204 14.9	2651 421 15.8%	1150 160 14	1146 185 16.1	2296 345 15%		

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## Table 4. (b) COMPARATIVE SENSITIVITY TO THE PATCH TEST.

Ago		Free	Govt	. Sch	nools	Paying Schools				
Age	V.	Plus	Plus	Plus	Total	Plus Plus		Plus	Total	
5-9	Positive Reactors % of Total Positives	68 58%	42 36%	7 6%	117	45 70%	18 28%	2%	64	
10-14	Positive Reactors % of Total Positives	133	67	18 8%	218	140 77%	40 21%	3%	183	
15-19	Positive Reactors % of Total Positives	54 63%	26 31%	5%	85	<b>79</b> 84%	13 14%	2%	94	
All Age Groups	Positive Reactors % of Total Positives	255 61%	135 32%	30 7%	420	264 78%	71 20%	6 2%	341	

Table 5. RADIOLOGICAL FOLLOW-UP OF POSITIVE REACTORS: EUROPEAN CHILDREN: ACCORDING TO AGE AND SOCIAL STATUS.

(a)

ACTIVE DISEASE.

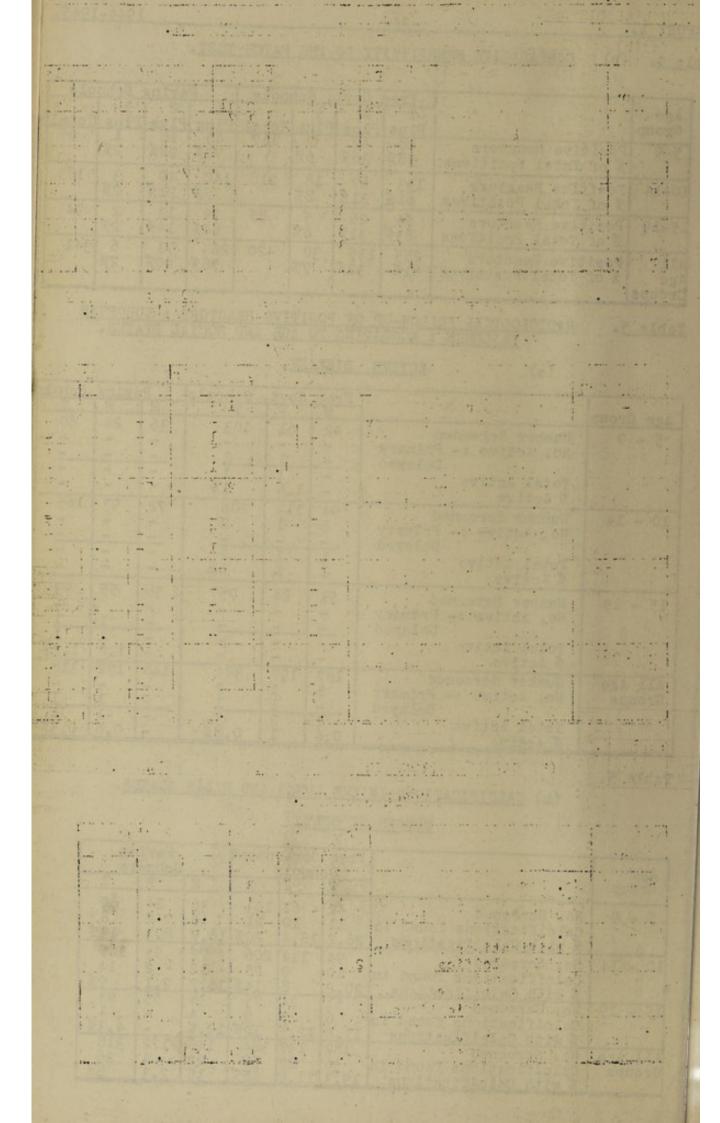
Age Group		Free	Govt	Schools	P	aying	Schools
5 - 9	Number Screened No. Active :- Primary	42	61	103	36	24	60
	Total Active Delayed	=	1	1%	=	-	=
10 - 14	% Active Number Screened	94	112	206	72	93	165
	No. Active :- Primary Delayed Total Active	-			=	-	-=
	% Active	ī	ī	2 1%	-	-	-
15 - 19	Number Screened No. Active :- Primary	51	24	75	38	55	93
	Total Active Delayed % Active		-	= \	-	1.8	1.2%
All Age Groups	Number Screened No. Active :- Primary	187	197	384	146	172	318
	Total Active  % Active	0.6	2 1	0.8%		0.6	0.3%

Table 5.

## (b) CALCIFICATIONS IN THE LUNGS AND HILAR GLANDS.

### EUROPEANS ONLY.

Age			Gove	rnment s	Paying Schools			
Group	•	M	F	T	M	F	T	
5 - 9	No. Screened Calcifications found in % with Calcifications	42 11 26.2	61 10 16,4	103 21 20%	36 16.7	24 8.3	60 8 13%	
10 - 14	No. Screened Calcifications found in % with Calcifications	94	112	206 28 14%	72 12 16.7	93	165 14 9%	
15 - 19	No. Screened Calcifications found in % with Calcifications	51 6 11.8	24 12.5	75 9 12%	38 10.5	55	93 4 4.3%	
All Age Groups	No. Screened Calcifications found in % with Calcifications	187 36 19.3	197 22 11.2	384 58 15%	146 22 15	172	318 26 8%	



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### (4) VENEREAL DISEASE. (Pages 52 - 60)

- (a) (b) Clinics for all races are held once weekly at Grey's

  \* (c) Hospital and are conducted by the Medical Officer of

  Health and the Assistant Medical Officer of Health. One

  European Health Visitor, 2 Native Nurses, 1 Native Orderly

  and 3 Native Health Assistants, assist at the Female Cli
  nics, while the Health Visitor, a European Male Nurse, a

  Native Orderly and 3 Native Health Assistants assist at the

  Male Clinics. Two Native Health Assistants devote their

  full time to Venereal Diseases. The European Male Nurse,

  one Native Nurse and the Native Orderly are from the Staff

  of the Non-European Venereal Diseases Hospital, thus pro
  viding an effective link between the Clinic and the Vener
  eal Diseases Hospital.
  - (d) Every effort is made to trace contacts and to follow-up cases to ensure completion of treatment. A European Foolth Visitor deals with the investigation and follow-up of European, Coloured and Asiatic cases.

It has been found that the Health Visitor is quite readily able to deal with the Male and Female cases, and to achieve useful results in all of the races in regard to improved attendance of defaulters at the Clinics. In the European and Coloured Males, particularly, it is being found that information about contacts given is so vacue that in only a few cases has it been possible to reach an infected contact. This appears to be deliberate in a number of cases, but in other cases, appears to be contacted use to the casual nature of the contact.

(e) This Local Authority does not conduct the Ante-Natal Clinics held in Pietermaritzburg. The Medical Superintendent, Grey's Hospital, advises that the results of routine Wassermann Tests at the Ante-Natal Clinics are as follows:-

Jan. 1945 - June 30th, 1945 - 4.2% 4.4% 13.4% 3.8%

(f) The average attendance of patients suffering from venoreal disease at the Clinics was as follows :-

		EURO	PEAN	Ī	NATIVE				COLOURED				ASIATIC			2_
	Bor.		0/	O/B Bor.		0)	0/B · I		Bor.		0/B		Bor.		0/B_	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	25	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1943-44	14.1	3.7	2.5	6.7	3.5	2.8	2.9	4.1	2.7	6.1	2.4	2.6	3.5	3.5	7.3	1.1
1944-45	7.6	11.2	3.5	7.0	9.8	7.7	4.7	6.7	7.5	11.2	16.2	8.9	7.7	19.3	9.0	8.0

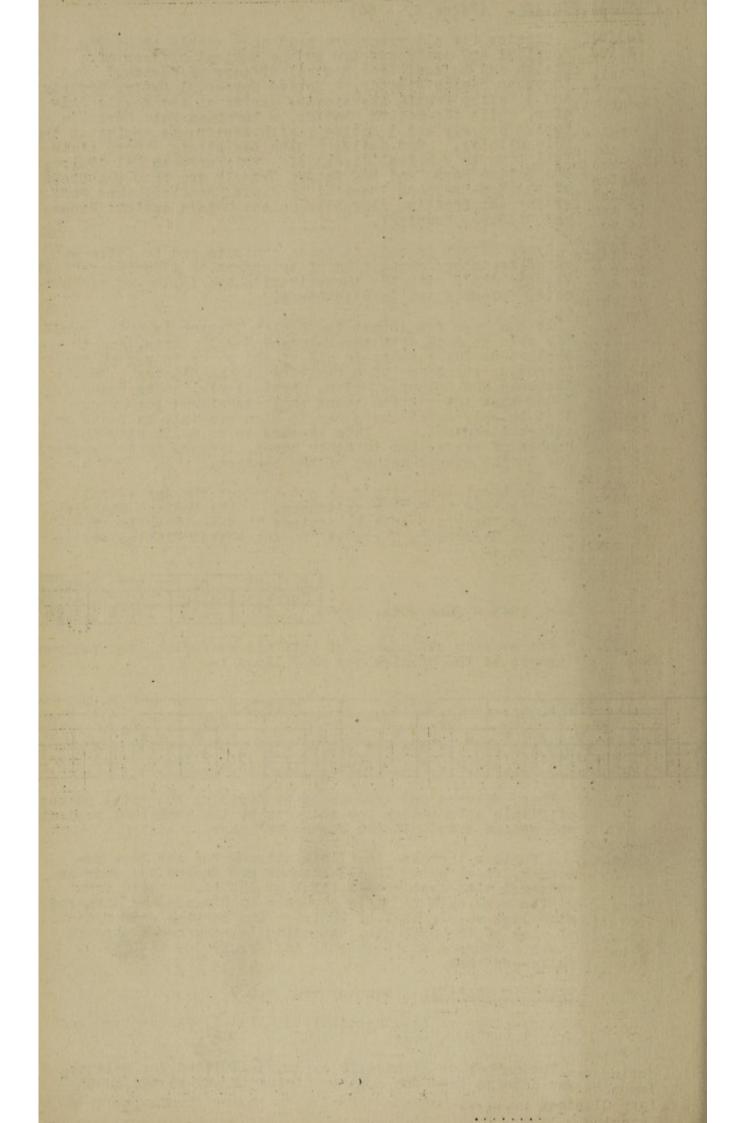
These figures are arrived at by dividing the total number of Clinic attendances for the year by the number of patients who attended the Clinics during the year.

(g) A further increase in Clinic attendances has been recorded, there being 18,813 attendances during the year as compared with last year's total of 18,034. 2210 Home visits were paid to cases of Venereal Disease, as compared with last year's btal of 2821. The regular attendance of many of the patients, extending in many cases through 5 and 6 courses of treatment, is largely due to this follow-up work.

## EPIDEMIC HOSPITAL (Non-European V.D.)

Admissions to this Hospital totalled 1,523, as compared with 1,539 last year.

The number of Syphilitic cases re-admitted for relapse, who came in from the country districts and stated that they ......



### (4) VENEREAL DISEASE Cont'd.

they had been unable to continue with regular treatment, although they had been taught the necessity for this at the Epidemic Hospital, because, though they have applied for further treatment, they have not been able to afford the cost of such further treatment, is still disturbingly large.

The most practical solution for this problem is the employment of the semi-intensive methods of treatment, which have now been worked out and which, although requiring rather longer hospitalisation (some 4 - 6 weeks instead of the present average of 2 - 3 weeks) will give a high percentage of cure combined with safety in treatment. In addition, penicillin appears to be promising as an even safer drug for use in intensive treatment. The organisation of this procedure will call for extensive alterations in the Epidemic Hospital. Increased Staff, medical and nursing, and improved facilities are absolutely essential for the application of detailed treatment of this nature. The present hospital, which is of wood and iron and over 50 years old, is unsatisfactory for detailed treatment and the City Council has already under consideration a proposal to build an entirely new and suitable v.D. Hospital. At present this is held up by the fact that this plan is bound up with a decision to rebuild the European Isolation Hospital. It has been recommended to Council that all the Municipal Infectious Diseases hospitalisation be centralised.

### (5) PLAGUE.

No case of plague occurred in this locality during the year. Regular inspection of new shops and warehouses in the course of erection has been carried out and their rodent-proofing has been supervised very carefully by this Department. Some progress has also been made in the rodent-proofing of existing premises. During the year a Rodent Officer was appointed for this work and more thorough investigation and control has resulted as a result of this appointment. No rodent work has been carried out on commonage.

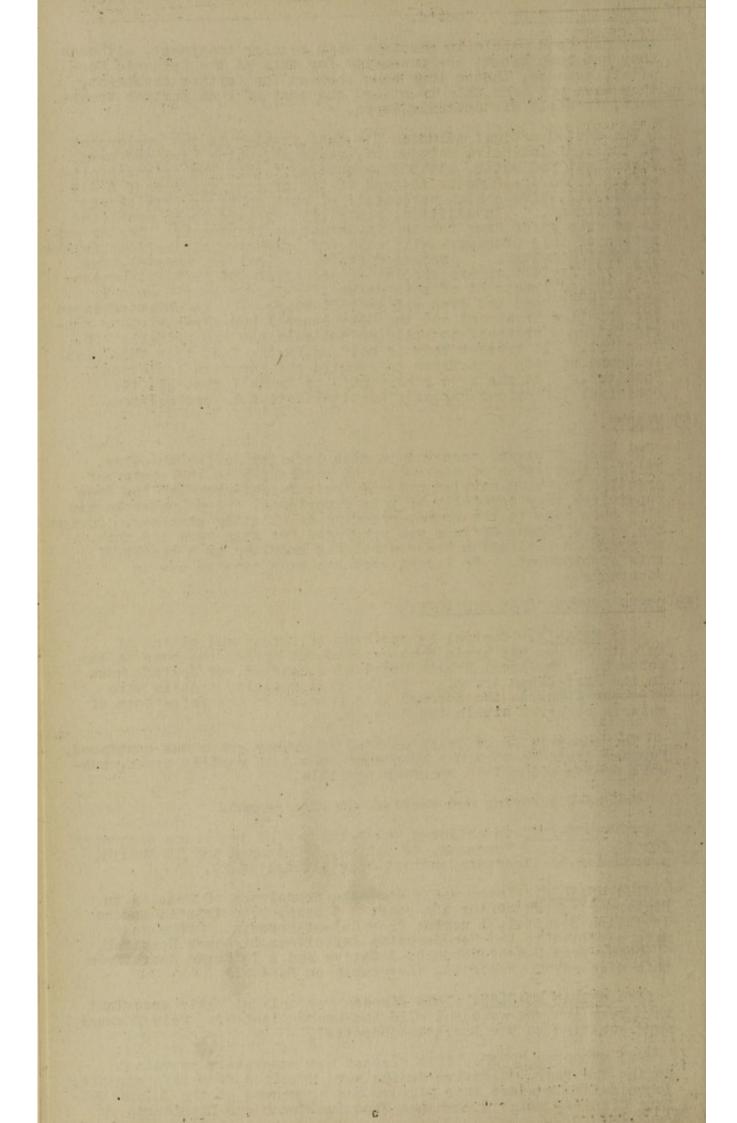
## (6) OTHER COMMUNICABLE DISEASES:

(I) MALARIA. Control by spotting of larvae and oiling of selected areas has again been carried out during the year in the Borough. The Local Health Commission carried out control work in the Peri-Urban Areas. No Malarial mosquito vectors were discovered inside the Borough this year. No new infections of malaria occurred within the Borough.

The supervision of Trees planted in swampy areas was continued. Further drainage work has been carried out in certain areas, subsoil drains being laid wherever possible.

No check spraying was carried out this season.

- (II) ENTERITIS in children under the age of two years accounted for 63 deaths, 2 European, 40 Native, 6 Coloured and 15 Indian, a considerable increase on last year's total of 29.
- (III) MEASLES. There was a moderate prevalence of Measles in Pietermaritzburg during the year. 5 cases were treated in the Isolation Hospital, 1 coming from Out-of-Borough. 90 cases were admitted to the Non-European Infectious Diseases Hospital, 55 being from Out-of-Borough. 1 Native and 1 Coloured death from this disease were reported. (See table on Page 61)
- (IV) GERMAN MEASLES. This disease was only slightly prevalent this year and was as usual mild and uncomplicated. Only 2 cases were admitted to the Isolation Hospital.
- (V) WHOOPING COUGH. This disease was moderately prevalent during the year. 2 Native deaths were reported from this disease. Immunisation against this disease was commenced at the Infant Welfare Clinics, using a combined Whooping Cough and Diphtheria /vaccine ....



(6) OTHER COMMUNICABLE DISEASES: Cont'd.

vaccine. (See Page 29)

(7) WATER SUPPLY. (See page

The water supply of Pietermaritzburg is under the control of the City Engineer's Department. It is derived from streams coming from hilly country lying to the west of the Town. From the Storage Dam at Henley the water is piped to the Purification Works, where it is treated with Ammonium Sulphate, Lime, and Alumina-ferric before filtration. Liter filtration the water is chlorinated before being distributed to the four service reservoirs.

The supply from the Purification Works and each of the service reservoirs has been bacteriologically examined each week by the biochemist in charge of the Purification Works. The use of Chloramine for water purification was not resumed because it was not possible to obtain supplies of Ammonium Sulphate. All employees at the Purification Works have been Vi Tested and this examination is now routine with such employees.

Early in November a sudden outbreak of Diarrhoea and Enteritis in the boarding establishment of a Girls' School, was investigated. No article of food could be incriminated but sampling of water revealed an unusually high Coli Count (5,9, and 16). As the Service Reservoir of the area showed a Nil Count, a local pollution was considered to be the cause. Cases of Enteritis, however, developed in the adjoining area, a total of 30 persons being affected out of a population of 382 involved. Check Coli Counts revealed B. Coli in one main line supply. Superchlorination of the line and service reservoir rapidly restored the position to normal.

There were no fatal cases and the illness was not severe in any of the cases.

Outside of the area affected there were a small number of cases scattered over the town, but not more than were usual at this time of the year.

The contamination was probably due to a burst in the main which had been detected and repaired a short while prior to the outbreak.

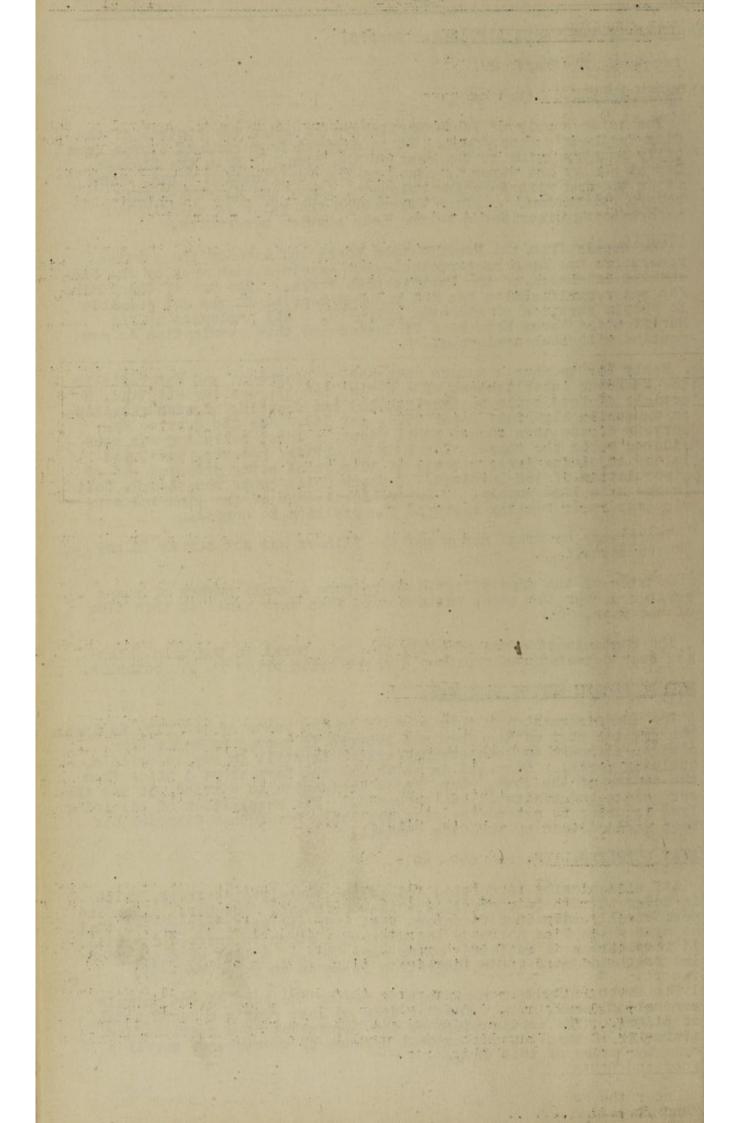
## (8) NIGHTSOIL AND REFUSE DISPOSAL.

The administration of this work is in the hands of the City Engineer. The greater part of the Town and Suburbs is served by water-borne sewage, although the conservancy system is still in use in certain outlying parts. Disposal is on the sewage farm about 3 miles from the centre of the Town, where broad irrigation is carried out and the screenings and nightsoil are trenched. The acquisition of adjoining land in order to extend the area available for sewage disposal has been decided upon by the City Council.

## (9) MEAT SUPPLIES. (Pages 68 - 69)

All slaughtering is carried out at the Municipal Abattoir, which is under the direct control of this Department. Butchers' shops are periodically inspected to ensure that they are satisfactory and that no meat which does not bear the Municipal stamp is exposed for sale. 73 inspections of butchers' shops were made. A list of meat, fish and fowl condemned after inspection is shown on pages 66 - 67)

The Abattoir Manager reports that during the year 41,964 animals were slaughtered, i.e. a further drop on last year's reduced total of 54,285. The continuation by the Government of a meatless day, rationing of supplies and control because of shortage of supplies were the cause of this drop.



### (9) MEAT SUPPLIES. Cont'd.

Despite the promise of the Food Controller to provide additional accommodation for the Government Officials now working at the Abattoir, nothing has been done as yet. During the year this Department took over the slaughtering at the Abattoir, when the private firms operating at the Abattoir ceased to carry out this work.

All condemned meat and offal is transported in drums to a privately owned By-Products Plant at Bisley, just outside of Pietermaritzburg. The City Council has decided to build its own By-Products Plant, and has now acquired property adjoining the Abattoir for the purpose of expansion.

ANTHRAX, etc. No cases were reported during the year.

### CYSTICERCUS BOVIS & CELLULOSAE ("MEASLES").

The following table shows the number of carcases infected with "Measles" during the past 5 years :-

	19 19 1	CATTLE			CALVES		PIGS			
	Slaugh- tered	%In- fected	% Con-	Staugh-	% In-	% Con-	Slaugh- tered	% In-	% Con-	
41 42 43 44 45	9,874 10,843 15,500 10,319 10,317	7.06 5.88 7.46 9.96 9.47	1.01 0.91 0.95 1.38 1.21	827 832 701 818 3,682	3,69	3.86 4.92 5.56 5.86 2.36	1,948 2,514 2,673 2,698 3,837	2.26	0.82 1.47 1.64 0.88 1.88	

The higher percentage of cattle infected with "Measles" noted in the last two years is probably due to cattle being drawn (owing to the scarcity of stock) from "Black Areas" (areas highly infected with "measles") which in normal times would have been avoided by local butchers.

### (10) MILK SUPPLIES.

The milk supply has been carefully controlled throughout the year. It is derived from 54 producer-distributors, of whom 39 are in the Borough, and 15 Outside the Borough. In addition to these there are 97 producers, 9 Borough and 88 Out-of-Borough, who send their milk to a pasteurization plant from where it is distributed after pasteurization. All these dairymen are recistered with this Department and their premises are inspected regularly. Approximately two-thirds of the milk sold in Pietermaritzburg is pasteurised.

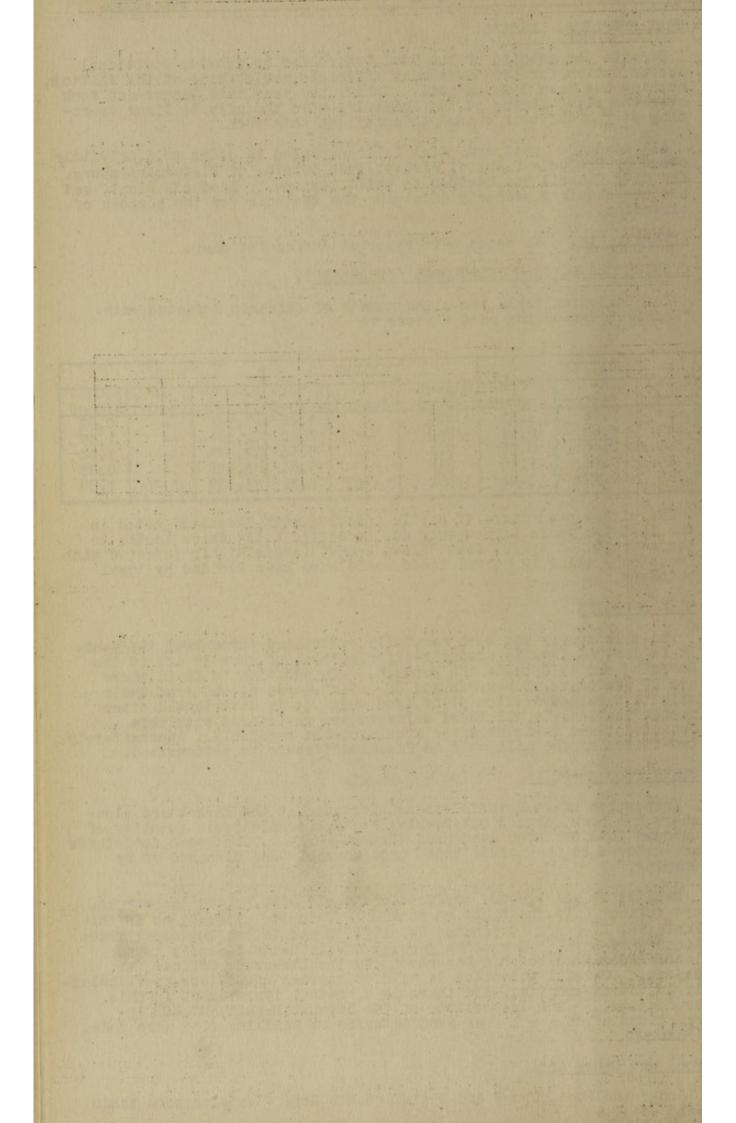
## (11) OTHER FOOD SUPPLIES. (pages 64-65)

Inspection of foodstuffs exposed for sale at the Market and elsewhere has been carried out regularly and a considerable quantity of unsound food has been condemned (Pages 66-67). Condemned foodstuffs are removed to the refuse tips, made unusable and disposed of by dumping.

Details of all licence applications dealt with be the Department, are reflected in the table on page 70. Oring to alterations in the Municipal Licences Ordinance No. 19/1942 and in the Municipal Trade Licence By-Laws, the routine renewal of all trade licences is no longer submitted to this Department by the Licensing Officer for report. Careful attention is paid to storage conditions, particularly to rodent-proofing, and there is a gradual improvement in this connection. 286 Inspections of the Borough Market and 608 inspections of other resemble manufacturing or handling food were made. (Page 71).

### Food and Drugs Act.

Under the Food, Drugs and Disinfectants Act, 4 samples were taken



#### (11) OTHER FOOD SUPPLIES. Cont'd.

and the results of the analyses were as follows :-

Milk:

No sampling was done as it was not possible to procure suitable bottles for this purpose.

Mince Meat: 2 samples; 1 in accordance with requirements, 1 contained preservative. 2 " ; both " " 11 Sausage: requirements.

A prosecution was instituted in regard to the Mince Meat sample which was certified by the Government Analyst to contain preservative.

#### (12)MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE. (Page 63)

The European Infantile Mortality Rate rose from last year's figure of 29.09 to 34.2.

The Coloured Infantile Mortality Rate dropped from 134.63 to

The Indian Rate dropped from 74.14 to 46.5.

The Native Infantile Mortality Rate was 210. As far as it is possible to ascertain the registration of Native births in Pieter-maritzburg is fairly complete now, and the figures obtained should be fairly reliable. This rate is higher than last year's rate of 164.2.

The main causes and age groupings of Infantile Mortality in the different races are shown on pages 43-44?

Gastro-enteritis again assumed first place as a cause of Non-European Infantile Mortality. Prematurity, Bronchitis and Pneumonia were the next most frequent causes of Infantile Mortality for all races.

This Department continued to supply milk to necessitous infants up to the age of 2 years. (See page 63).

Diphtheria immunisation was continued throughout the year as one of the activities of the Infant Welfare Clinics, a total of 448 children being immunised (European: 315; Coloured: 2; Native: 125; Asiatic: 6).

In addition, the use of a combined Diphtheria and Whooping Cough Vaccine was commenced in infants, and of the total given, 71 Euro-pean, 28, Native and 6 Asiatic infants were immunised against Whoop-ing Cough at the same time as against Diphtheria. 116 Schick Tests were also done in Europeans.

Child Welfare Clinic attendances were as follows :-

Indian 3,291 Coloured 1,066 Native 2,774 European 5,312 1944-1945

The fall off in numbers was due to the cancellation of all clinics during the Smallpox epidemic.

The Registrar of Vaccination reports the following total of Vaccinations for Pietermaritzburg.

Successful Vaccinations: Under 2 years of Age Over 2 " " "

Insusceptible to Vaccination Over 2 years of Age : 2

Maternal Mortality.

The only deaths recorded were from Puerperal Embolism (1 Europ an) Puerperal Infection (1 Native) and 1 Native death, cause unspecified.

The registration and supervision of all midwives practising in the /Borough

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### (12) MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE. Cont'd.

Borough has continued throughout the year. 4 inspections of Midwives' Bags have been made.

The Midwifery Training School at Grey's Hospital provides midwifery services for all races in the wards of Grey's Hospital, and district midwifery services in Pietermaritzburg for Europeans, Coloureds and Asiatics. In addition Ante-Natal Clinic services for all races are provided.

The following figures have been supplied by the courtesy of the Medical Superintendent of Grey's Hospital:-

Borough Cases: (From 1st July, 1944 to 30th June, 1945) :-

### Ante-Natal Clinic Attendances:

### District Midwifery Visits:

Europeans	:		Europeans:	653
Natives	:	838		
Coloureds	:		Coloureds:	470
Asiatics	:	553	Asiatics :	3,538
Total	:	1,821	Total :	4,661

The Municipal Native Midwife conducted 6 confinements and paid 54 confinement visits during the year.

Pietermaritzburg is a "Prescribed Area" under Section 39(b) of the Medical, Dental & Pharmacy Act No. 13 of 1928, within which no person other than a medical practitioner or a midwife registered under the Act, shall attend any lying-in woman for gain. There is one untrained midwife (an Asiatic) "listed" in Pietermaritzburg, and she conducted 12 confinements in the year.

### (13) BY-LAW NOTICES AND PROSECUTIONS. (Pages 71 - 73)

1,027 Notices and formal letters were served regarding breaches of the Borough By-Laws. 37 Prosecutions were initiated in the Magistrate's Court, as detailed on page

## (14) OTHER MATTERS OF HEALTH AND SANITATION.

Nursing Homes. The 3 Nursing Homes in the Borough have been inspected during the year.

Complaints from Burgesses. 227 complaints were received and attended to during the year.

Medical Examination of Natives.

mber Examined	Rejected	Rejected (V.D.)	Referred T.B. Clinic	Vaccinated.
: 21,842	469 : 2.1%	85: 0.4%	247 : 1.1%	
ale: 110	18: 16.4%	9:8.2	7: 6.4%	
1 : 21,952	487 : 2.2%	94:0.4%	254: 1.2%	30,214

#### Other reasons for Rejection:

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### (14) OTHER MATTERS OF HEALTH AND SANITATION. Cont'd.

The number of Native female domestic servants coming forward for examination is still very small. The large total of Native Vaccinations is due to the use of the Pass Office as a centre for Native Vaccination on a large scale during the year. The practice of re-vaccinating every person appearing at the Pass Office who did not possess indisputable evidence of recent successful vaccination, was carried out.

### Native Village Dispensary:

This Dispensary, which is purely an Outpatient Dispensary, continued to be conducted by this Department. Three sessions are held each week, attended by the Assistant Medical Officer of Health, while a full-time Native Nurse, who lives at the Village, assists at the Clinic, does the necessary dressings and follow-up treatment and visits patients in their homes. This visit is also utilised for the purpose of teaching simple health lessons, e.g. on the subject of cleanliness, nutrition, etc..

Number of new Patients attending Dispensary: 698
Re-attendances at Dispensary : 213
Home Visits : 4,666
Surgical Dressings : 8,631

### State-Aided Butter Scheme:

During the year 6,866 lbs. of butter were distributed, 1,351 lbs. to Europeans, 5,515 lbs. to Coloureds.

### Health Propaganda:

During the year the following address was given by your Medical Officer of Health :-

1. "The Municipality and the Public Health" - A lecture to the Social Study Group for Senior Scholars of the Natal Schools.

The following addresses were given by your Assistant Medical Officer of Health:-

- 1. "The Child Welfare Home and the Health of the Pre-school Child" address at the General Meeting of the Child Welfare Society.
- 2. A course of lectures on "Hygiene and Health" to a Red Cross Society class.
- 3. A course of lectures on "Infant and Child Hygiene and Nutrition' to a Red Cross Society Class.

During the year pamphlets on "Poliomyelitis" were distributed to the public, and in addition, a circular letter on the subject of 'Food Poisoning', giving details of the sanitary precautions to be observed in the prevention of this condition, was distributed to all Hotals, Tearooms and Boarding Houses in the City.

### (15) STAFF.

The Staff of the Department at the end of June, 1945, was as follows :-

### ADMINISTRATIVE AND OFFICE

Medical Officer of Health: M.Maister, B.A., M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.

Asst. Medical Officer of Health: L.E. Gellman, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.,
D.T.M. & H.

Chief Clerk : E. Bastow (Recalled from Active Service)
Junior Clerk : D.C. Johnston (Released from Active Service)

/ Senior Woman Clerical Assistant ....

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### (15) STAFF. Cont'd

Senior Woman Clerical Assistant: Miss E.M. Hughes. Temporary Junior Clerk. Temporary Junior Women Clerical Assistants (2). One Native Messengen.

### INSPECTORATE.

Chief Health Inspector:
Health Inspector (Dairy)

C.F. Wyatt, Cert. R.S.I. Meat & Other
Foods Cert. R.S.I. (Recalled from Active
Service)

Health Inspector : R.E. Bunn, Cert. R.S.I.

Health Inspector : Mrs. E.A. Thompson, Cert. R.S.I.

Rodent & Fumigation Officer : K.B. Rasmussen. (On Active Service).

Temporary Rodent and Fumigation Officer.

One Indian Fumigation Assistant.

### HEALTH VISITING STAFF.

Senior Health Visitor: Miss E.M. McDougall, Health Visitors' Cert. (Scotland); Health Visitors' Cert. R.S.I., Mothercraft Certificate (New Zealand).

Health Visitors : Miss G. Buttery, Health Visitors' Cert. R.S.I.

: Mrs. C.S. Wilken, S.A.M.C. Cert. (General and Midwifery)

: Mrs. R. Browne, S.A.M.C. Cert. (General & Midwifery)

Clinic Clerk

: Mrs. C. Butler.

## NATIVE NURSING AND HEALTH ASSISTANT STAFF.

Native Nurse and Midwife: Nurse Keziah Mbanjwa. S.A.M.C. Cert. (General and Midwifery).

Native Nurse (Native Village Dispensary): Nurse Sophia Masongoa, Health Visitors' Cert. R.S.I.

Native Health Assistants: A. Ntombela, G. Skosana and T. Ngubane.

### ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

Acting Matron : R.M. Wickenden.
Special Sisters
Temporary Sister
1 Housekeeper
6 Native domestic servents.
1 Native Night Watchman.

## NON-EUROPEAN INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL.

Acting Matron : Mrs. C. Le Steers, S.A.M.C. Cert. (General and Midwifery)

l Housekeeper Native Staff Nurses : 8 Native Domestic Staff : 13

### EPIDEMIC HOSPITAL.

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(15) STAFF. Cont'd.

### ABATTOIR.

Manager: .G.B. Lupton, Cert. R.S.I., Meat & Other Foods Cert. R.S.I.

Meat Inspector: C.W. Reid, Cert. R.S.I., Meat & Other Foods Cert. R.S.I., (Recalled from Active Service)

Stockyard Foreman: G.A. McIntosh, Cert. R.S.I., Meat & Other Foods Cert. R.S.I. (On Active Service)

1 Temporary Meat Inspector: H. Dreyer, Cert. R.S.I., Meat & Other Foods Cert. R.S.I.

Temporary Stockyard Foreman.

### (16) PERI-URBAN AREAS.

The Local Health Commission's control in the Edendale and Slangspruit Area is steadily expanding. The Commission has taken over the Malaria Control of the other peri-urban areas surrounding Pietermaritzburg.

No definite steps have as yet been taken to bring the other smaller peri-urban areas - New England, Ockert's Kraal and Raisethorpe - under control. The Mkondeni settlement has now disappeared, the tenants having left and the shacks having been demolished.

### PORT B.

### (1) HOUSING.

Owing to shortage of staff no adequate re-survey of housing needs in Pietermaritzburg has been possible.

The 100 Sub-economic houses being built for Natives at the Native Village will be completed in 1946. Only a very small proportion of the necessary Asiatic housing has been provided (50 sub-economic houses were completed at the 'beginning of 1940), and so far no sub-economic housing for the European and Coloured population has been provided. The Council European Economic Housing Scheme of 50 houses in the "Gardens" suburb was completed 4 years ago and is continually fully occupied.

Powers under the Borough By-Laws have been exercised very sparingly in dealing with insanitary dwellings owing to present conditions. Powellings were condemned for demolition under Public Health By-Law 19(b) and 3 dwellings were voluntarily demolished following representations by this Department.

### Plans.

All plans of new buildings are submitted to this Department and 260 have been scrutinised. Of these 113 were approved out-right, 124 approved subject to minor alterations and 23 disapproved.

The City Engineer reports that during the year 44 dwellings were rected for Europeans and 6 for Non-Europeans, as compared with last year's otal of 33 and 22 the year preceding.

## (2) HOUSING OF NATIVES, NATIVE OR ASIATIC LOCATIONS OR BARRACKS.

The Pietermaritzburg Native Village, situated about 3 miles from the Centre of the Town, comprises 354 houses and various public buildings, with a population of about 1,700. Water is supplied by communal tandpipes from the Corporation water supply, and sanitation is by the all system, separate for each house.

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## (2) HOUSING OF NATIVES, NATIVE OR ASIATIC LOCATIONS OR BARRACKS. Cont'd.

There are three Corporation Hostels for single Natives. For Males there is the East Street Hostel (and annexes) housing 399 Natives, and the Ortman Road Hostel with a capacity of 127. The Women's Hostel in Church Street houses 174 women. These Hostels are under the control of the Municipal Native Administration Department, and two European Superintendents are employed. Extensions to the Men's and Women's Hostel have again been under consideration during the year. 132 temporary licences have been granted during the year to house unexempted Natives under the Natives (Urban Areas) Act, pending the provision of more accommodation at the Village and Hostels.

About two-thirds of the Natives resident in the Town are domestic servants, living in quarters provided on the property of their employers. These quarters are the subject of inspections by this Department and in general are satisfactory.

### ASIATIC HOUSING.

The Corporation owns two compounds which house the sewage farm workers and the scavenging gangs. These compounds are well constructed in brick, and house respectively 32 and 27 Asiatic labourers, together with their wives and families.

The 50 sub-economic Indian houses completed at the beginning of 1940 have been fully occupied continuously. The Health Visitor pald 1,809 visits in supervising this Scheme.

(3) REMARKS AND RECOMMENDATIONS, AND HOUSING MATTERS OF SPECIAL IMPORTANCE REQUIRING ATTENTION.

A summary of the results of the various Slum surveys made since 1939, in this City, shows the following :-

Europeans: 25 houses required. Coloureds: 43 " " Natives: 200 " " Asiatics: 350 " "

During 1944 an estimate was made independently of any survey, utilising the figures available of occupied houses and of voters in the case of Europeans and Coloured, and the number of rooms occupied and the estimated average of persons per room (based on a recent survey by this Department) in the case of Asiatics. The figure for Natives was arrived at in collaboration with the Manager of the Native Administration Department from local knowledge.

The figures estimated by these methods were on the whole similar to those arrived at by the previous Surveys and were as follows :-

Europeans and Coloureds : 100 houses Asiatics : 240 " Natives : 300 "

In April, 1945, Municipal Census forms were distributed in Pietermaritzburg for the purpose of the Burgess Roll, and in an attempt to estimate the present day housing requirements, a questionnaire was circulated at the same time. An arbitary standard, the Manchester Standard was utilised in the assessment of the returns. This is a widely recognised standard, viz. 22 population units per bedroom (a child under the age of 10 counting as 2 a unit), and corresponds quite well to the Maritzburg standards of 100 sq. ft. as the minimum floor space permitted a room under the Building By-Laws, and the requirement of 40 sq. fi floor space per adult occupant.

The following results were obtained as a result of the Questionnaire :-

ANALYSIS OF REPLIES TO HOUSING QUESTIONNAIRE (CIRCULATED APRIL, 1945).

PLEASE NOTE: 1. The Standard of overcrowding adopted is the Manchester Standard, viz: 22 units of population per bedroom.

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(A child under the age of 10 counts as 2 unit).

2. The analysis is only accurate in as far as the forms are accurately completed by the recipients.

-		Eur:	Nats	Col:	Asi
1,	TOTAL HOUSES	3536	4	39	181
2.	No. of Houses Overcrowded	98	-	14	104
3:	No. of population units constituting overcrowding	169	-	292	2502
	No. of Houses overcrowded where overcrowding) will be reduced by probable departures.	20	-	-	4
5.	No. of population units probably leaving P.M.Burg	33	-	12	142
5.	No. of Houses holding more than 1 family	324	-	5	52
7.	No. of families in excess of 1 per house comprised in 6	383	-	7	84
3.	No. of families in excess of 1 per house probably leaving Pietermaritzburg	113	-	-	4

No. of Hotels and (not included :	Boarding Hein analysis	ouses sub above)	mitting Re	turns	:	53
No. of Businesses	submitting		(Not incl		:	8
Spoilt Returns				••••	:	12
TOTAL RETURNS					:	3749

No exact or authoritative conclusions can be drawn from a survey of this nature, but it is felt that the following conclusions were justified:-

- (1) The European returns are estimated to comprise about 70% of the total possible returns, and therefore are worthy of analysis.
  - (2) Natives were not reached at all by this method of survey.
- (3) The Coloured and Asiatic populations are not at all adequately surveyed, but the relatively high proportion of overcrowding both as to houses and population units in the returns submitted, is felt to be significant, and the large proportion of houses holding more than 1 Asiatic family is probably also significant.

An examination of the European figures suggests the following:-

- (a) There is definite overcrowding amongst the European population surveyed, though not as much as was anticipated. This would probably be relieved by the provision (on the basis of 5 persons per house) of about 27 houses, or pro rata, about 40 for the whole population.
- (b) Accepting a single family to a house as a General European standard of living, there is a large number of families "doubling or trebling up" in houses; 270 in the Return. This excludes probable departures, but does not exclude a number of dwellings (exact total unknown), which have been suitably subdivided into Flats to hold 2 or perhaps 3 families. Boarding Houses and Hotels are excluded, and probably there are a number of families in these who also desire their own separate houses. Probably therefore 250 houses would be a conservative estimate of additional houses required by the portion of the population surveyed, or pro rate, say 360 for the whole population.

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(c) In considering the question of accommodation for returning soldiers, it must be remembered that they may possibly be included in the group of families described under paragraph (b).

The survey gives no information as to the economic status of the families affected and thus no information as to whether they can or will be catered for by private building interests, or even whether they desire to purchase homes or merely to rent them. Such information can only be obtained by detailed house-to-house visitation and enquiry.

During the years 1937-1942, the average yearly total of new houses built for Europeans in Pietermaritzburg (all economic) was 68.

During the year the City Council resolves to proceed with the following housing schemes :-

- 1. Sub-economic Housing Scheme 11 houses for Europeans.
- 2. " " 28 " " Coloureds.
- 3. National Housing Scheme 25 " " Europeans (primarily for) (returned soldiers)

It is hoped that these houses will be completed by the end of 1946.

No decision has been taken as regards the provision of Asiatic Housing as agreement on the question of a suitable suite for such housing has not yet been arrived at.

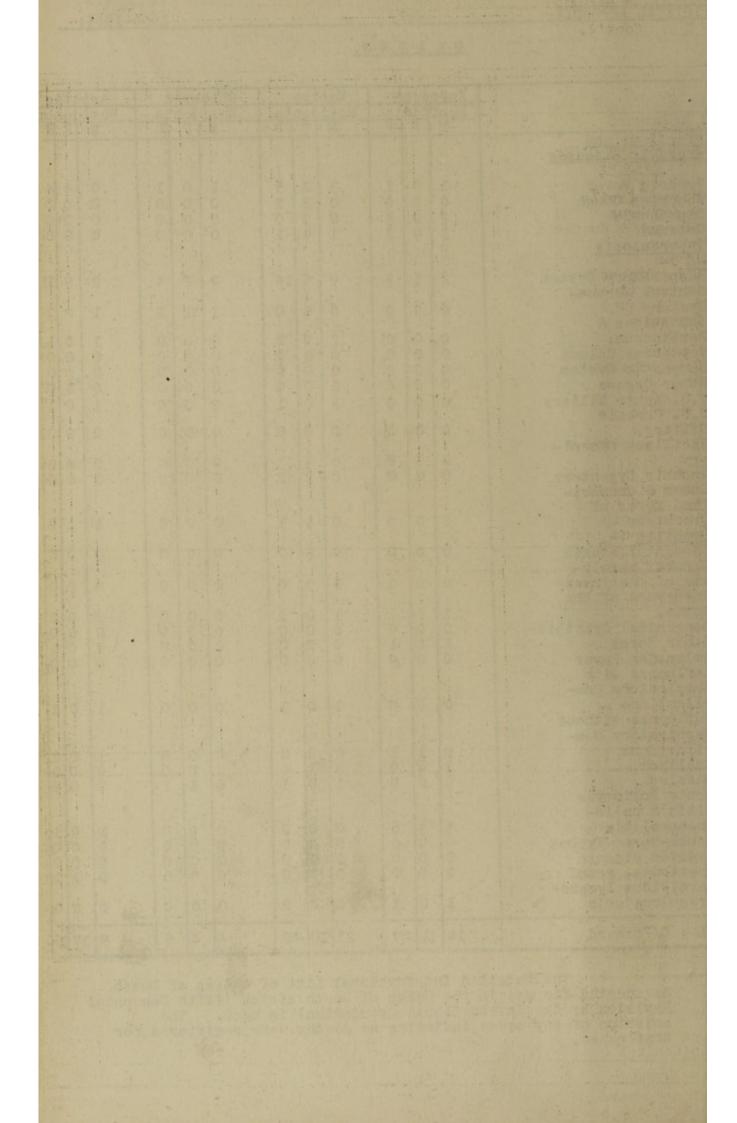
The 100 additional houses being built by Native labour at the Native Village are now nearing completion and should all be completed by April, 1946. The City Council has resolved to build a further 100 houses at the Village when this batch is completed.

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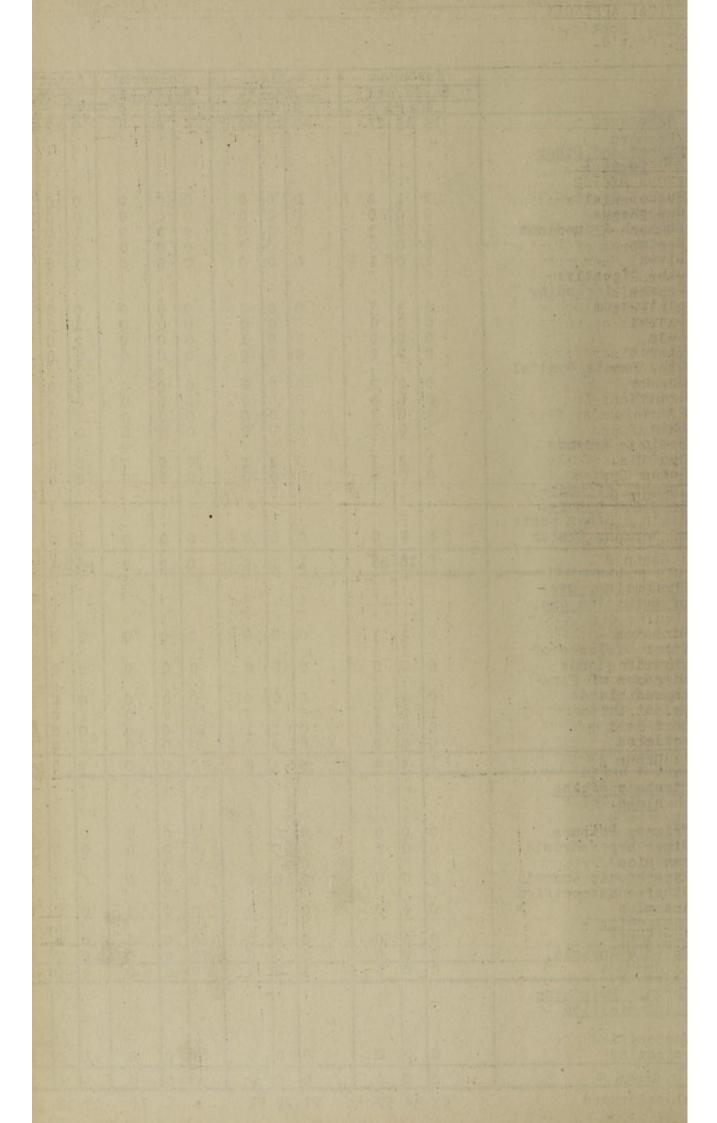
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2. Diphtheria	1	12		1 0	20	10	1	0	10	10		000	10	
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8. Vertebrae Column	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	1		10	
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3. Other Organs	1 0	10	10	1 0	10	10		0	0	0	1	0	0	10
4. T.B. Acute Miliary	0	10	0	1 1	10	1		0	0	0	1	1	10	11
5. T.B. Chronic	1	1		1	1.	1					1			1
Miliary.	0	10	0	0	10	0	1	0	0	0	!	0	0	10
2. Bacillary Dysent-		1 -	1	1	1.	1 -		_			1		1	1
ery	0	0	0	0	132	3		0	0	0	1	0	10	
. Amoebic Dysentery	0	0	10	0	15	1 5	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	10
. Other & unspeci-			1		1		1				1			1
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Dysentery	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	12
Syphilis :-	1 0	10	1 0	1 0	10	1 0	1	0	^			_	10	10
. Locomotor ataxia	0	10	10	0	10	0	1	0	0	0		0	0	10
l. General paraly-		1 -	1 .		1 .	1	1	-		_	1		1 -	1
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Congenital Syphilis	1 0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0		0		
4. Other Forms	1 5	0	0	0	00	00		0	00	00		0	00	10
Relapsing Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	U		0	0	10
Influenza with														
Respiratory Com-	1 0	10	1	1	0	1	11-1	0	0	0		7	1	1,
plications	0	10	0	1	0	1	13.0	01	0	0		1	0	1
. Influenza without								1	1					1
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plications	0	1	Ţ	0	0	0		01	0	0		0	0	0
Smallpox	30	160	190	3	3	6		00	0	0		0	00	10
. Measles	1 0	0	0	1	0	1		0	1	1		0	U	10
Acute Poliomye-											100			
litis & polio-	1	1 -		0	1	0		0	0	0		7	0	1,
encephalitis	3	30	6	0	0	0		0	0	0		T	0	17
Louse-borne Typhus	3 0		0	0	00	00	100	0	0	00		0 0 0	0 0 1	0
Hydatid disease		0	0	0	0	0		0	00	0		0	0	0
Nematodes, round	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0		0	T	T
· Pernicious lympho-		_	7	0		0		0	0	0			0	10
granulomatosis	1	0	1	0	0	0		0	0	0		0	0	0
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TOTAL : C/Forward	1 14	13	27	52	18	40		4!	4	8		91	17	60

The Detailed International List of Causes of Death as adapted for use in the Union of South Africa (fifth Decennial Revision by the International Commission) is used. The omission of any cause indicates no deaths were registered for that cause.



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	Resi		nts	Resi	der	its			lents	F	esi	d
al B/Forward		13	27	22	18	40	M	F 4	18	1 9	17	
) Cancer and Other										1	1	-
Tumours		-										
. Buccal Cavity . Oesophagus	1 0	10	2	00	00	0	00	00	0	00	00	
. Stomach & duodenum	1 0	20	3	0	10	0	0	12	2	11	0	)
Rectum Liver	0	00		0	100	0	00	00	0	0	0	
. Oth. Digestive	1	1	1	-	0	0	10	10	1	1	0	
Organs (including peritoneum)	0	1 2	2	1 0	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	
. Larynx	0	3	3	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	00	
. Lung . Uterus	00	0 2	0 2	1 0	0	1 0	00	00	00	2	0	
. Oth. Female Genital	1				0	0	0	0	0	10	0	
Organs Breast	00	26	26	00	00		00	00	0	00	0	
. Prostate	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	
. Skin . Brain & Nervous	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
System	1	2	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Bones Tumours of unde-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
termined nature.				-								
. Brain & other parts of Nervous System	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	ı
AL: Group 2	8	18	26	1	1	2	0	2	2	6		i
) Rheumatism, Dis.			MARKET SEC.	-		-		312	THE REAL PROPERTY.	1	-	-
of Nutrition etc.												I
. Diabetes	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	-
. Other Diseases of												1
Thyroid glands Diseases of Para-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
throid glands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
Malnutrition Beri-Beri	0	00	1	5	2	7	0	00	0	1 0	0	
Beri-Beri . Pellagra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ļ
AL : Group 3	1	3	4	5	3	8	0	0	0	3	0	ļ
Diseases of the Blood												-
. Primary Purpura	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
• Other hyperchromic anaemias	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
. Hypochromic Anaemia	. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
• Other & unspecified Anaemias	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Leukaemias -							0	0	0	0	0	i
· Leukaemic · Splenic Anaemia	0	00	0	0	0	00	0	0	0	ol	0	L
AL : Group 4	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0_	0	0	7
) Chronic Poisoning & Intoxication												
· Unspecified							i					
poisoning	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
PAL : Group 5		0	0	0	Oi	0	of	01	0 1		6.18	e de



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1 B/Forward	23	34	57	29	22	51	4	0	10	17	1	10
Diseases of the Nervous System												1
Intra-cranial abscess	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	00	00	10	1:
Other Forms	1 0	0	0 2	0	00	00	00	00	0	0	0	1
Pneumococcal Meningitis Other Forms of Meningitis	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ö	ı	0	1
Cerebral Haemorrhage	5	7	12	1	1	2	0	0	0	6	1	1
Cerebral embolism &											1	
thrombosis	0	5	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	i
Hemiplegia & other			-									1
paralysis of unstated origin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Mental disorders &											1	1
deficiency	0	00	0	0	00	0	0	0	0	0	00	
Epilepsy	1	0	1	1	1		0		-		1	1
Convulsions in children under five												1
years of age	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Paralysis agitans	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Other Dis. of the	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Nervous System	0	-				5	0	1	1	10	3	
AL : Group 6	8	10	18	3	2	2	0	1	1	10	2	۴
) Diseases of the Circulatory System												-
Acute endocarditis	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-
. Valvular disease -		-	-		_	0	0	0	0	2	0	
Rheumatic	1 1	1 0	1	00	00	00	0	0	.0	20	0	1
· Valvular dis. others · Acute myocarditis	l i	3	4	O	1	1	0	1	1	2	0	ı
. Chronic " -											-	ŀ
rheumatic	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ı
. Other chronic	1 74	4	18	2	1	3	3	2	5	4	4	ı
myocarditis	14	4	10	"		2	٦	-				
Dis. of the coronary arteries & angina	1					1			100			ı
pectoris	14	11	25	2	1	3	0	1	1	4	0	1
. Aneurysm, except of	1 .	1		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
heart & aorta	3	0	7	0	0	00	0	0	0	O	1	ı
· Arterio sclerosis · Other dis. of the	1 3	-	-			-						
arteries	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
. Diseases of the					0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Veins	0 2	05	07	0	0	0	1	2	3	2	0	
High blood Pressure	1 2	2	/		-	-	-	-	3		1	
. Other diseases of the circulatory				1					1 98		-	
system.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
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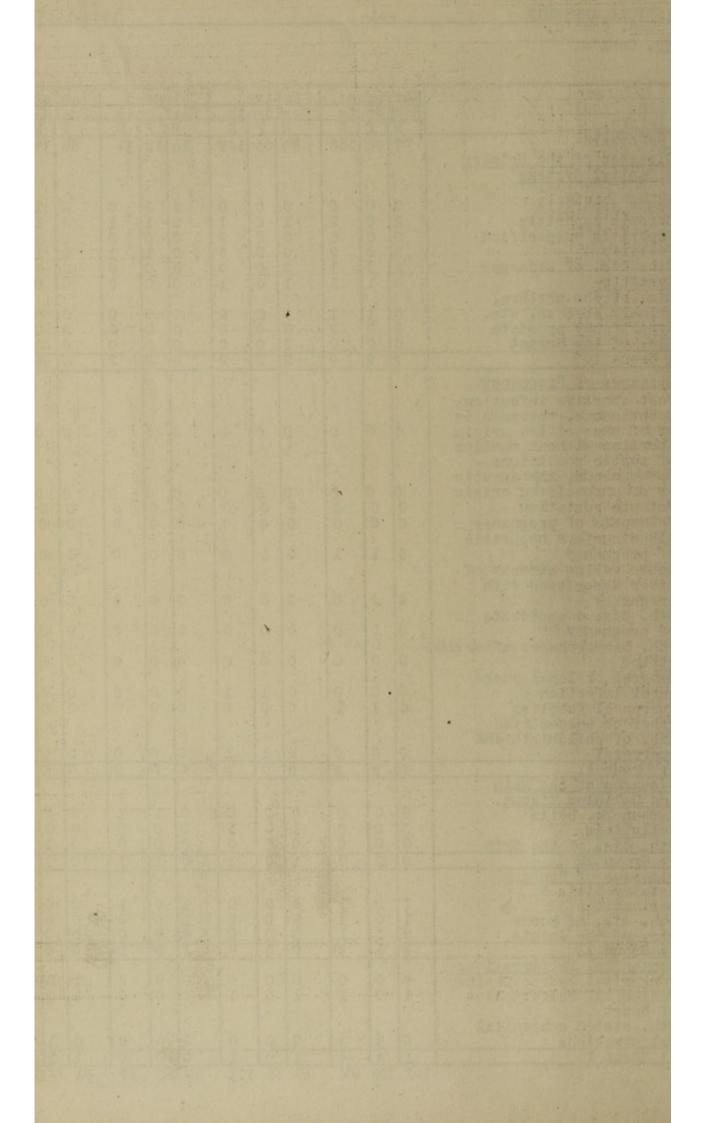
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	Res:			Res	ide:		Res	ide		Re		ents
al B/Forward			140	37		65		13		43	26	
Diseases of the							-					
Respiratory System.					-							
Dis. of the nasal										1		
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Dis. of the larynx	0037200	0	0	000	0	0				0	0	0
Acute Bronchitis	0	113121	11		0	0	0000	010010	1 0	0	0	
Chronic Bronchitis	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	00650
Broncho Pneumonia	7	3	10	13	8	21	1	0	1	3	3	6
Lobar Pneumonia	2	1	327	138	8 2 1	10	2	1	30		3	5
Pneumonia Unspecified	0	2	1 2	1	1	2	0			0	0	0
Empyema Other unspecified	0	1	1	0	0	0	. 0	0	0	0	0	0
Other unspecified forms of pleurisy	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0	0
Haemorrhagic in-	0	0	0	. 0	1	0		1	0	0	0	0
farction of the												
lungs	2	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chronic or unspeci-	-	-	2		-	1	1	1		1		
fied congestion of										1		
the lungs	1	3	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	1 1	0	7
Asthma	1	310	4 2	1	00	1	00	0	0	1	00	1 1 0
. Pulmonary emphysena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
. Miners' phthisis,												
without T.B.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
. Miners' phthisis,					1000				1000			1000
with T.B.	0	0	0	0	0	0	00	0	0	0	0	0
· Abscess of Lung	0	0	.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
. Other dis. of the												
respiratory system								11 13				
not specified as	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
occupational. AL: Group 8		-			12		3	2	5	9	4	13
	10	14	32	24	15	20		-		7		1
) Diseases of the												
Digestive System				1 8								
. Diseases of the									_			-
oesophagus	1 2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	00	0	00	0
. Ulcers of Stomach	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	00	0	0	0	4
Daouellam	0	1	1	0	0	U	0	0	0	0	0	
. Other diseases of stomach	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
. Diarrhoea & Enteritis	0	1	1	0	0	0		0	0			0
(under 2 years)	1	1	2	21	19	40	4	2	6	9	6	15
. Diarrhoea & Enteritis	-	-	-	27	-7	7				1	Ĭ	
(over 2 years)	0	0	0	1	5	6	0	0	0	2	2	4
· Appendicitis	1	0	1	1 0	50	0	1 0	0	1	1		1 0
. Intestinal obstruction	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	01	0
. Other dis. of Intes-												
tines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
· Cirrhosis of liver		10				12			_			-
without alcoholism	1 0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
. Oth. dis. of Liver	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
· Cholecystitis without			1	-	-	_		0	0	0	0	0
Biliary Calculi	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.		1		-	_	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
. Diseases of the	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
· Diseases of the Pancreas	1							1000			1000	
Diseases of the Pancreas Peritonitis without			-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	01	0
· Diseases of the Pancreas	0 8	1	1	0 22	0	0	5	0	0	0	9	23

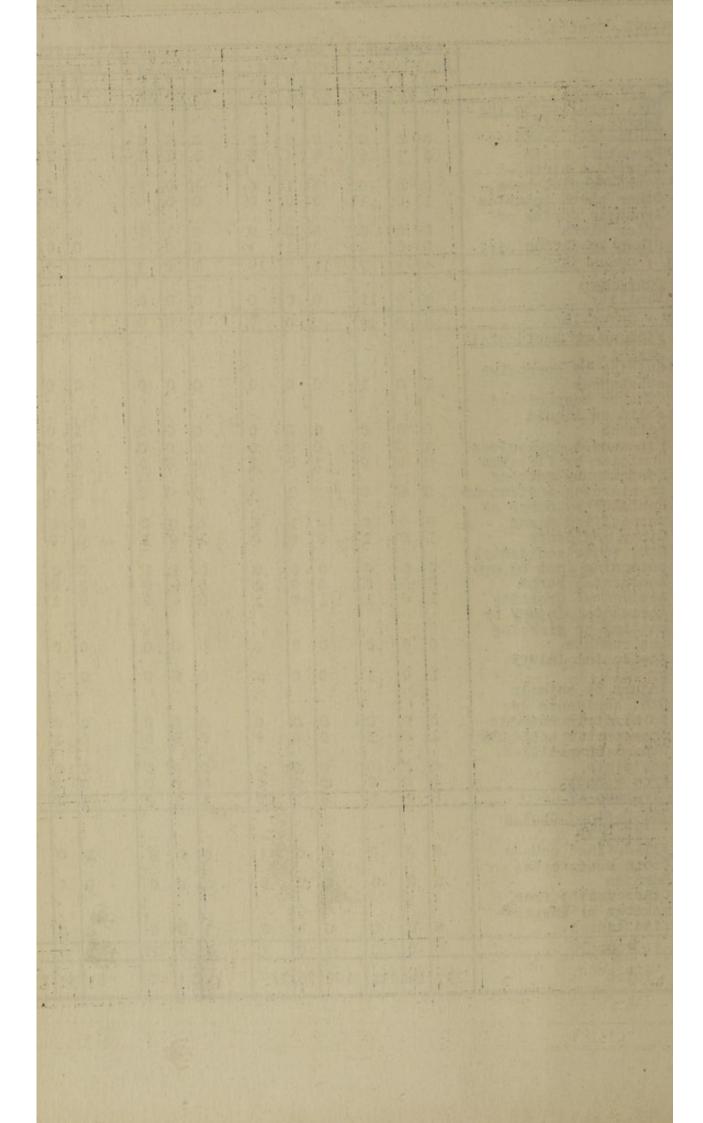
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Residents   Resi					100						410	
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OTAL B/Forward   10   Diseases of the Urinary & Genital Systems   92   94   186   83   64   147   16   17   33   66   39   18   39   14   30   39   18   30   30   30   30   30   30   30   3											Resi	
10) Diseases of the Urinary & Genital Systems  00. Acute nephritis	THE RESERVE AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY.	the second second second								the section 1	02	OTAL B/Forward
01. Chronic nephritis	39 00	00	33	1/	10	14/	O.F	03	100	74	72	10) Diseases of the Urinary
06. Cystitis 08. Dis. of the urethra,	0 1 :	0	0	0	0			0	0			
06. Cystitis 08. Dis. of the urethra,	200000000000000000000000000000000000000		0	0	0				0	0		
06. Cystitis 08. Dis. of the urethra,	0 1 7	. 0	1	1	0				2		2	
Urinary abscess, etc.	0 0 0		100						i		Ö	06. Cystitis
09. Hypertrophy prostate	0 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	
0TAL: Group 10         7         2         9         2         0         2         2         4         6           11) Diseases of Pregnancy         50. Post abortive infection Spontaneous, therapeutic or of unspecified origin         0	2 0 2	2							2	0	2	09. Hypertrophy prostate
50. Post abortive infection Spontaneous, therapeutic or of unspecified origin 52. Abortion without mention of septic conditions - Spontaneous, therapeutic or of unspecified origin  54. Ectopic gestation 58. Eclampsia of pregnancy  59. Albuminuria & nephritis of pregnancy  60. Acute yellow atrophy of Liver associated with pregnancy  62. Oth. dis. & accidents of pregnancy  63. Oth. haemorrhages after child- birth.  67. General or local puer-											7	
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or of unspecified origin	.											of septic conditions -
54. Ectopic gestation	0 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Spontaneous, therapeutic
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birth.			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		of pregnancy
nerel infection	0 0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	birth.
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69. Puerperal Embolism 75. Other or unspecified	9 9	0	0		V	0	0	0	1	1	0	69. Puerperal Embolism 75. Other or unspecified
dis. of childbirth and	0 00	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	dis. of childbirth and
OTAL : Group 11 0 2 2 0 2 2 0 0 0				0	0	2	2				0	OTAL : Group 11
12) Diseases of the Skih												12) Diseases of the Skih
00; Carbuncle, boils			1						1000			00; Carbuncle, boils
02. 0th. dis. of the Skin 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	0 1 1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	02. Oth. dis. of the Skin
OTAL : Group 12   0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1	0 1 1	0	1	-1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	OTAL : Group 12
13) Diseases of Bones 50. Osteomyelitis & 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0	0 0 0	0	7		7		0	0	-		-	50. Osteomyelitis &
neminetitie   1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	0 0 0	0	0	0		0	0	0	i	0	1	periostitis
52. Dis. of the Joints   0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0								1		0	52. Dis. of the Joints
14) Congenital Malformations	1 0 1	7				0						(14) Congenital Malformations
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08 Oth stated congenited										1		of heart
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(15) Dis. Peculiar to the	105	THE.	204	8.7	00	153	17	20	37	7-7-	47	118
lst Yr. of Life.					1		1		1			
750. Congenital debility	0	0	0	0	2	2 8	1 0		0	1 2	2 2	4 4
751. Premature Birth	3	13	6	4	4	8	0	1	11	1 3	2 2	4
752. Injury at birth - Intra-cranial haem.	0	0	0	=	1	6	1	10	1	1	1	1 7
753. Other birth injuries	1 1	10	1 1	50	10	0	1 0		10	1		
754. Asphyxia during or		1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1		
after birth	0	10	0	0			1 0		1		0 0	
758. Other Specified dis.	0	10	0	2		3	0		0		0 0	
TOTAL : Group 15	4	1_3	7	11	8	19	1	2	1 3	4	1 5	9
(16) <u>Senility</u>	1	1			1							
300. Senility	3	9	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1 1	
TOTAL : Group 16	3	19	12	0	10	0	0	0	0	, 1	1 1	5
(17) <u>Violent or Accidental</u>												
Deaths.		-			1		\$10 PM	1				1
850. Suicide by corrosive substances	1 7	0	1	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	1 (	ol c	0
552. Oth. or unspecified	1	1	-		1	1		1	1		1	
solid or liquid							1000	1	1		1	
poisons	0		0	0			0				1 0	
358. Firearms & explosives	3	0	30	0		0	C				0 0	
65. Homicide by firearms 66. Homicide by cutting	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
or piercing instrument	B 0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	ol o	d
367. Homicide by other or												
unspecified means	0	0	0	4	1	50	0	0	0			0
71. Other accidents	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
389. Oth. acute accidental	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 7	7		10	0
poisoning (not by gas) 391. Accidental burns	00	0	00	0	0		0	1 0	0	0	0	2
93. Accidental drowning	i	0	1	ĭ	0	0	Ö	0	Ö	0	1	1 1
395. Accidental injury by											1	
cutting or piercing				000							1.	
instruments	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
396. Accidental injury by fall	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0
199. Injury by animals	-		1					1			1	
904. Oth. accidents due	100								1,13			
to electric currents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
906. Anaesthetic accidents	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	. 1
908. Oth. & unspecified accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0
10. From wounds	0	ő	o!	Ö	0	0	Ö	0	0	Ö		00
OTAL : Group 17	8	0	8	8	2	10	1	1	2	3	2	5
(18) <u>Ill-Defined Causes</u>										Called Service (	1	
of Death	2 100			(4)								1
951. Ill-defined causes	0	0	0	3	0	3	2	0	2	1	0	1
152. Found dead, cause											-	
unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
253. Other deaths from				1				4 9				1
unknown or unspeci- fied causes.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ol
OTAL : Group 18	0	0	0	3	0	3	2	0	2	1		7
	0	U	-									
TOTAL	117	114	231	109	76	185	21	23	44	83	55	138
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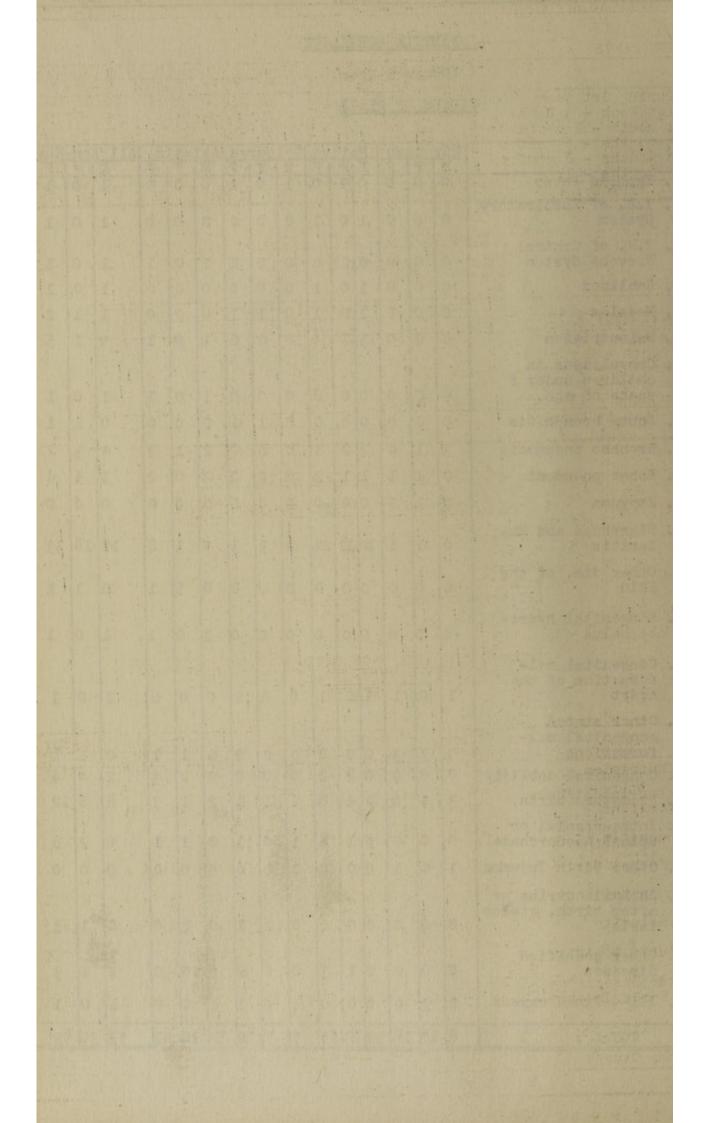


## INFANTILE MORTALITY

(Under 1 Year)

### CAUSES OF DEATH

		cope				ve				IAS:					Eur:
001. Typhoid Fever	M	T O	P	M	FO	PO	M	F	P	M	F	I P	M	F	P
	0	10	10	10	10	10	1	0	1	0	10	0	1	0	1
015. T.B. of Respiratory System	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
016. T.B. of Central Nervous System	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
050. Smallpox	0	0	0	1	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
052. Measles	0	0	0	1	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	2
163, Malnutrition	0	0	0	3	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	1	5
310. Convulsions in children under 5 years of age.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
402. Acute bronchitis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
404. Broncho pneumonia	3	1	4	2	2	4	0	0	0	2	1	3	4	3	7
405. Lobar pneumonia	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	3	1	4
407. Empyema	. 0	1	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
458. Diarrhoea and En- teritis	0	1	1	10	12	22	2	1	3	5	3	8	17	16	33
602. Other dis. of the Skin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
700. Congenital hydro- cephalus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
702. Congenital mal- formation of the heart	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	. 0	1
708. Other stated congenital mal-formations	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
750. Congenital debility	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	2	4	2	4	6
751. Premature birth	3	3	6	4	4	8	0	1	1	2	1	3	6	6	12
752. Intra-cranial or spinal haemorrhage	0	0	0	5	1	6	1	0	1	0	1	1	6	2	8
753. Other birth Injuries	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
754. Asphyxia during or after birth, atelectasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
758. Other specified diseases	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
951. Ill-defined causes	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTAL:	8	10	18	31	24	55	5	5	10	17	10	27	53	39	92



#### RESIDENTS

## INFANTILE MORTALITY

	European M: F: P	Native M.R.D	Coloured	Asiatic	All Non-Eur:
During 1st Week 1st Week - 3 Weeks 1 month - 2 months 3 months - 5 months 6 months - 8 months 9 months - 11 months TOTAL:	5 4 9 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 4 1 1 2 2 1 3 8 10 18	11 6 17 1 3 4 4 2 6 3 3 6 7 4 11 5 6 11 31 24 55	1 1 2 1 1 2 1 1 2 2 0 2 0 0 0 5 5 10	2 3 5 3 2 4 3 3 6 5 0 2 17 10 27	M:F:P  14 10 24  5 6 11  7 5 12  8 6 14  12 6 18  7 6 13

## INFANTILE MORTALITY RATE. (DEATHS PER 1000 BIRTHS)

	Et	ir	opean		Va	tive	C	51	oured	A	siatic
During 1st Week	9	:	67.1	17	:	64.9	2	:	17.2	5	: 8:6
9 months - 11 months	0 4	:	00.0 00.0 7.6 3.8 5.7	6	::	15.2 22.9 22.9 41.9 41.9	5	: :: ::	17.2 17.2 17.2	54652	8.6 6.8 10.3 8.6
Infantile Mortality Rate	18	:	34.2	55	:	209.7	10	:	86.2	27	: 46.5

## PERCENTAGE OF DEATHS AT ALL AGES

### OCCURRING IN THE FIRST YEAR OF LIFE.

European : 7.8
Native : 29.7
Coloured : 22.7
Asiatic : 19.6
All Non-European : 25.1
All Races : 18.4

# INFANTILE DEATHS FROM VARIOUS CAUSES EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE OF ALL INFANTILE DEATHS

	Eur	co	pean	N:	at	ive	Co.	Lour	be	As	si	atic	All	No	a-Eur.
	No.	1	%	No.	1	%	No.	:	%	Nb,	:	%	No.		%
Malnutrition	0	:	0.0	4	:	7.7	0	: 0	.0	1	:	4.2	5	:	5.1
Gastro-Intestinal Infections	1	:	5.9	22	:	42.3	3	: 3.	T	8	:	33.3	33	:	39.3
Bronchitis & Pneumonia	5	:	29,4	6	:	11.5	1	:12.	.5	5	:	20.8	12	:	14,3
Malformations	4	::	23.5	1	:	1.9	0	: 0.	.0	2	:	8.3	3	:	3.6
Congenital Debility	0	:	0.0	2	:	3.8	0	: 0	.0	4	:	16.7	6	:	7.1
Prematurity	6	:	35.3	8	:	15.4	1	:12	.5	3	:	12.5	12	:	14.3
Injury at Birth	1	:	5.9	6	:	11.5	1	:12.	.5	1	:	4.2	8	:	9.5
Other Disease peculiar to Early Infancy	0	:	0.0	0	:	0.0	1	:12.	.5	0	:	0.0	1	:	1.2
Syphilis	0	:	0.0	0	:	0.0	0	: 0.	.0	0	:	0.0	0	:	0.0
Other Causes	0	:	0.0	3	:	5.8	1	:12.	.5	0	:	0.0	4	:	4.8
	17	:		52	:		8	:		24			84		-

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## PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.

## DEATHS IN MONTHS OF THE YEAR

RESIDENTS	77														
	M	FOD	ean	Ma	tiv	P	M	lou:			iat		All		-Eur.
July	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	P	M	F	P 1	M 1	F	P 2
August	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	3
September	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	3	2	2	4
October	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	2
November	0	0	0	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	2	6
December	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
January	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	4	5
February	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
April	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	1	3
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
June	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL :	2	1	3	9	5	14	2	2	4	2	9	11	13	16	29

### PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS DEATH RATES PER 1000 POPULATION

European : 0.14
Native : 1.80
Coloured : 2.68
Asiatic : 1.16
All Non-European : 1.55

ALL PERSONS : 0.81

### DEATHS IN AGE GROUPS

	Eu	rope	ean	N	ati	ve	Co	lou	red	A	sia	tic	All	Nor	-Eur
	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	LP	M	F	P	M	F	P
0 - 1 year	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
1 - 2 years	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
2 - 4 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 - 14 years	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2
15 - 24 years	0	0	0	3	1	4	2	2	4	1	3	4	6	6	12
25 - 34 years	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	2	3
35 - 44 years	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
45 - 54 years	1	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	4
55 - 64 years	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
65 - 74 years	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2
75 - and over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL :	2	1	3	9	5	14	2	2	4	2	9	11	13	16	29

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## NON-PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS

## DEATHS IN MONTHS OF THE YEAR.

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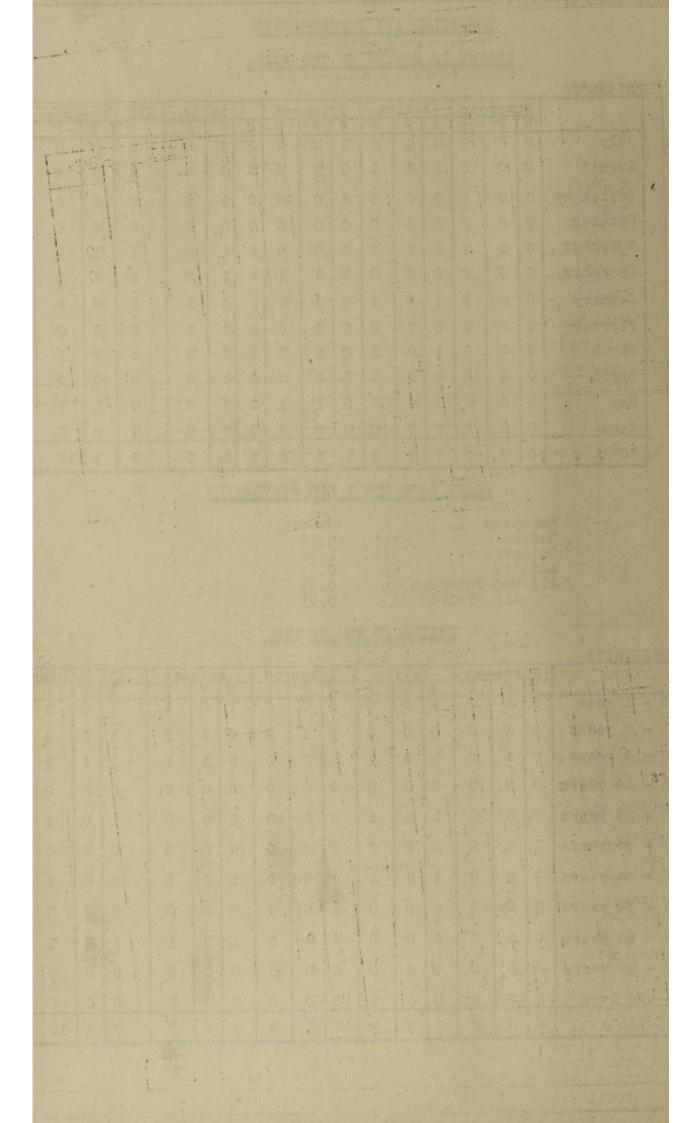
		rop	ean	N	ati	ve	Co	lou	red	A	sia	tic	All	Von-	Eur.
	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P
July	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 .	0	0
August	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
September	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
November	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	2
December	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	2	1	3
January	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2
February	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
April	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
June	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL :	0	0	0	3	0	3	1	1	2	3	2	5	7	3	10

### DEATH RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION

European : 0:00
Native : 0:39
Coloured : 1:34
Asiatic : 0.53
All Non-European : 0.53
ALL PERSONS 0.25

## DEATHS IN AGE GROUPS

RESIDENTS	SPERSON DE								and with						
	Eu	rop	ean		lati	ve	Co	lou	red			tic	All		n-Eur.
	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P
0 - 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
1 - 2 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	3
2 - 4 years	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2
5 - 14 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 - 24 years	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
25 - 34 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35 - 44 years	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2
45 - 54 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
55 - 64 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
65 - 74 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 and Over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL :	0	0	0	3	0	3	1	1	2	3	2	5	7	3	10



## CANCER

## DEATHS IN AGE GROUPS

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	Eu	rope	ean	1	Vati	ve	Co	lou	red	T A	sia	tic	A11	Non	-Eur J
	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P
Under 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
l year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 - 4 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 - 14 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 - 24 years	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	2
25 - 34 years	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
35 - 44 years	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 - 54 years	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
55 - 64 years	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3
65 - 74 years	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	2
75 and Over	2	6	8	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	2	2
TOTAL:	8]	18	26	1	1	2	0	2	2	6	1	7	7	4	11

## DEATH RATES PER 1000 POPULATION

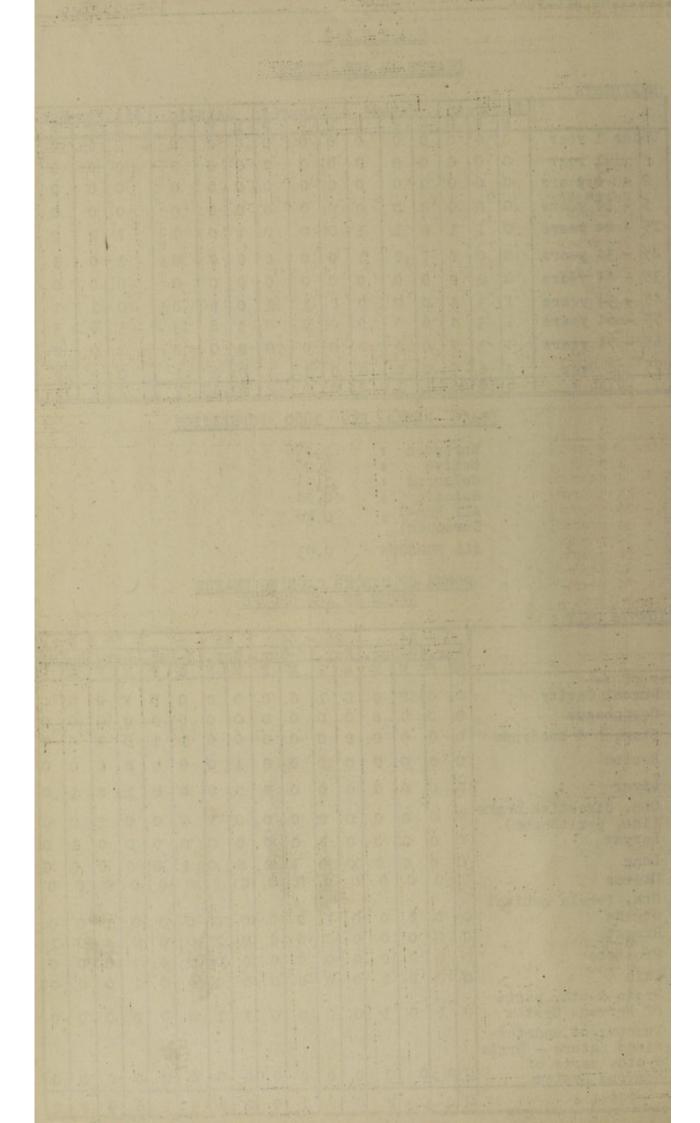
European : 1.25 Native : 0.26 Coloured : 1.34 Asiatic : 0.74 All Non-) : 0.59 European)

ALL PERSONS 0.93

## FORMS OF CANCER CAUSING DEATHS GIVEN IN AGE GROUPS

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Como		M	F	M	F	16	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
100.	er of :- Buccal Cavity	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
101.	Oesophagus	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
102.	Stomach & Duodenum	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1
103.	Rectum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Contractor	Liver	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	. 0	0	1	0	1	0
106.	Oth. digestive organs (inc. peritoneum)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
	Larynx	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
109.	Lung	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Uterus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
111.	Oth. female genital	-	1	0	0	1	,	_	0		^	0					
112.	Organs Breast	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	4	0	2
	Prostate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0
116.	Skin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
117.	Brain & oth. parts of Nervous System	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
135.	Tumours of undeter- mined nature - Brain				TO IN												
	& oth. parts of Nervous System	0	0	0	01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
-	TOTAL:	0	1	0	2	0	2	1	0	2	6	3	1	6	9	2	2



# DEATHS DUE TO BRONCHITIS AND PNEUMONIA.

(Code Nos. 402 - 406)

# RESIDENTS: (Given in Months of the Year)

	Eur	ope	an		Vati	ve	Co	lou	red	As	iat	ic	TA1	l No	n-Eur.
	Mi	F	P	M	LF	P	M	F	1 P	M	F	P	M	F	P
July	1	1	2	2	0	12	1	0	11	1	0	1	4	0	4
August	2	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	O	0	0	0	1	1
September	3	0	3	2	1	13	0	0	10	! 0	17	1	2	1 2	4
October	Ĭ	1	12	4	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
November	2	1	3	2	0	2	0	10	0	3	0	3	5	0	5
December	1	0	ĭ	3	1	1 4	0	0	0	1 0	1	1	1 5	2	5
January.	1	0		ĭ	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1
February	0	0	ō	i	ĭ	1 2	0	0	0	7	0	7	2	7	2
March	0	0	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	+	2	0	2
April	1	7	2	2	3	1	0	0	0	1	7	1	2	1	6
May	0	7	7	2	7	10	7	3	2	0	+	+	4	4	11
June	0	3	3	3	0	1	+	6	1 3	1	1	1	3	6	11
TOTAL:	12	2	20	22	77	122	3	2	-	7	1	77	22	77	49

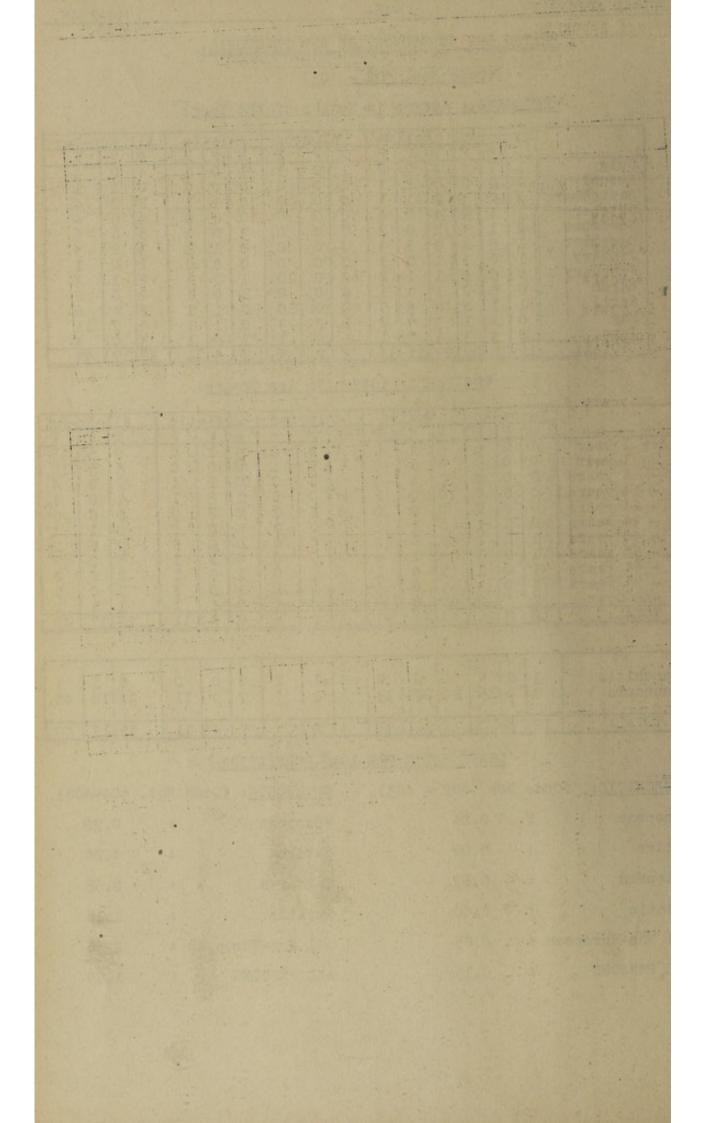
### RESIDENTS: (Given in Age Groups)

	Eur	ope	an	1	Vati	ve	Co	3.011	red	l A	sia	tic	All	l Na	-Eur.
	M	F	P	M	F	! P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P
Under 1 year	4	2	6	5	3	8	. 0	2	2	4	1	5	9	6	15
l year	0	0	0	4	5	9	1	. 0	1	0	0	0	5	5	10
2 - 4 years	0	0	0	2	1	1 3	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	4
5 - 14 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	1	1	0	1
15 - 24 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 - 34 years	0	1	1	0	1	1 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
35 - 44 years	1	0	1	2	0	2	0	0.	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
45 - 54 years	1	0	1	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	2	7
55 - 64 years	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	2
65 - 74 years	3	0	3	3	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	1	5	0	5
75 and Over	2	5	7	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1.	1	2
TOTAL:	12	8	20	221	11	33	3	2	5	7.1	4	11	32	17	49

Bronchitis Pneumonia	3 9	26	5 15	0 22	0	0 33	0 3	1	1 4	07	04	0 11	0 32	16	1 48
TOTAL:	12	8	20	22	11	33	3	2	5	7	4	11	32	17	49

### DEATH RATES PER 1000 POPULATION

BRONCHITIS: (Cod	le Nos. 40	02 - 403)	PHEUMONIA:	(Code	Nos.	404-406)
European	: 0.24		European			0.72
Native	: 0.00		Native		: *	4.24
Coloured	: 0.67	,	Coloured		:	2.68
Asiatic	: 0.00	)	Asiatic		:	1.16
All Non-European	: 0.05	5	All Non-Eur	opean	:	2.56
ALL PERSONS	: 0.15	5	ALL PERSONS		:	1.59



# DISEASES OF THE HEART AND CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.

(Code Nos. 350 - 368)

### DEATHS IN AGE GROUPS

	Eur	ope	an		Nat	ive	Co	loui	red	Ā	sia		All	No	n-Eur
	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P	M	F	P
Under 1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1 year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 - 4 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 - 14 years	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	2
15 - 24 years	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
25 - 34 years	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	00	1	1	2	1	1	2
35 - 44 years	1	1	2	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	3	5
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# DEATH RATE (PER 1000 POPULATION)

European	:	3.12
Native	:	1.16
Coloured	:	6.71
Asiatic	:	2.00
All Non-European	:	2.08
ALL PERSONS		2.63

## DEATHS DUE TO DIARRHOEA AND ENTERITIS

(Under age of 2 years) (Code No. 458)

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### DISTRICTS OF RESIDENCE OF CASES OF ENTERIC FEVER AND TUBERCULOSIS

	Notifications of Enteric Fever	Deaths from Tuberculosis
P.M. Burg Central	25	26
Zwartkop Valley	0	2
Wembley	2	0
Scottsville (in water supply area) Scottsville (outside water supply	4 0	1 0
Mountain Rise area)	0	2
Pentrich (in water supply area)	7	3
Pentrich (outside water supply area)	1	0
Chase and Town Bush Valleys	4 :	0
Native Village	3	8
Hathorn's Hill	1	0
Asiatic Housing Scheme	0	0
TOTAL:	45	42

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TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC

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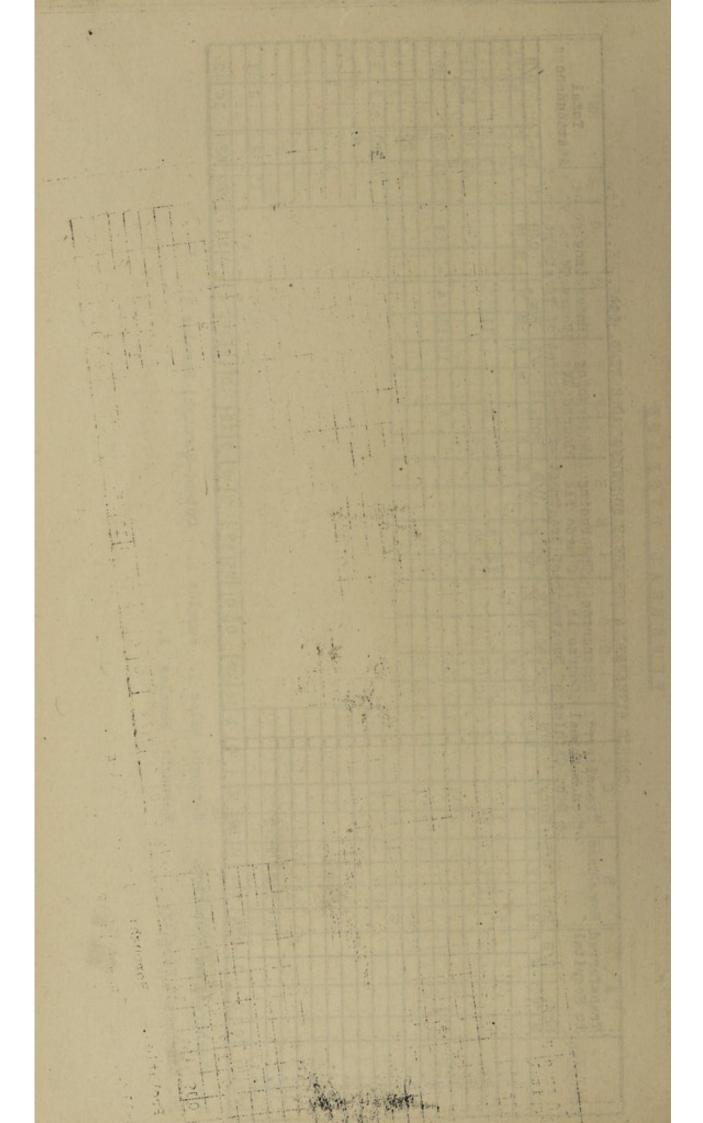
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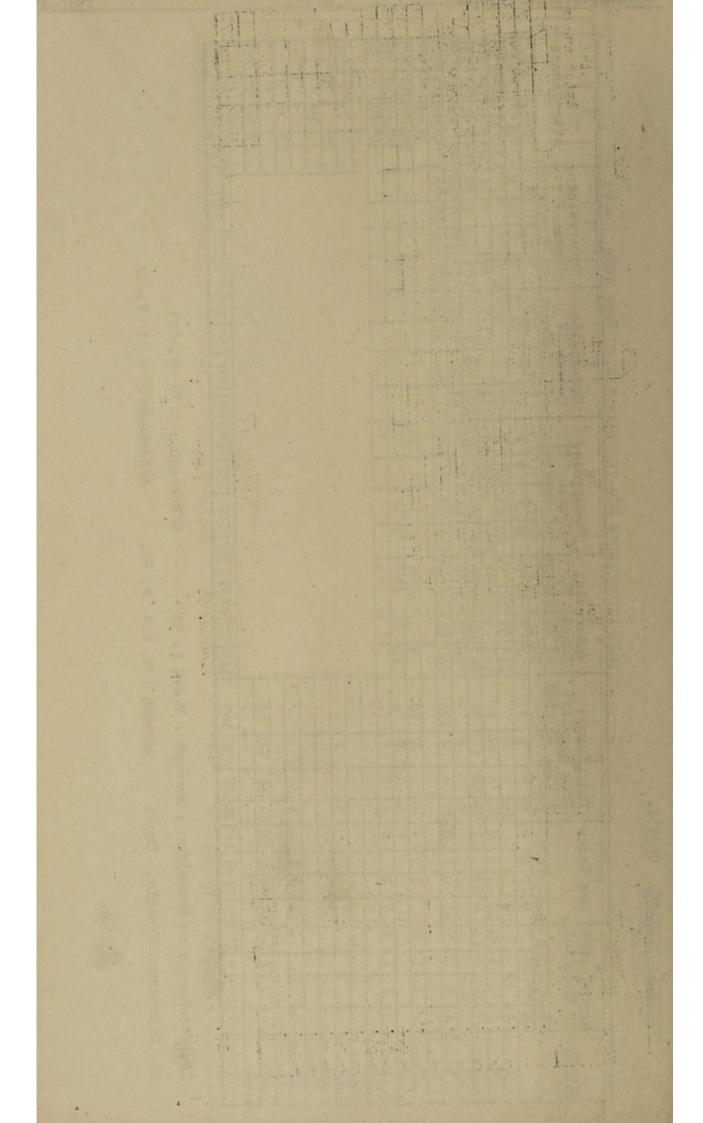


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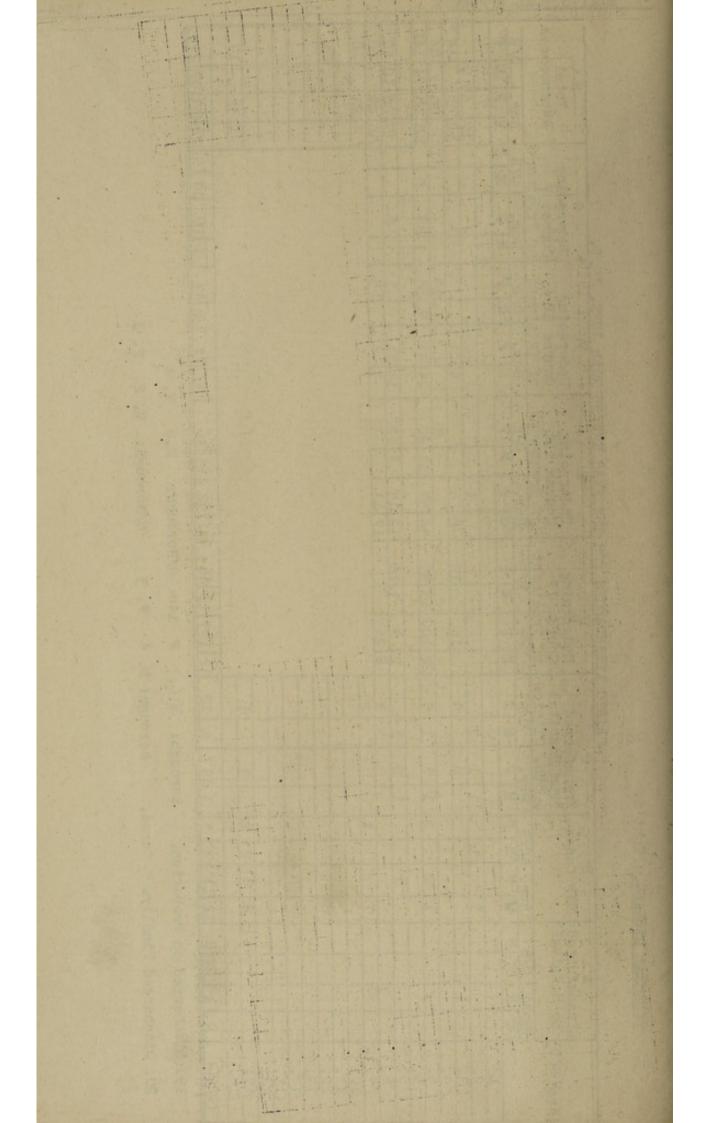


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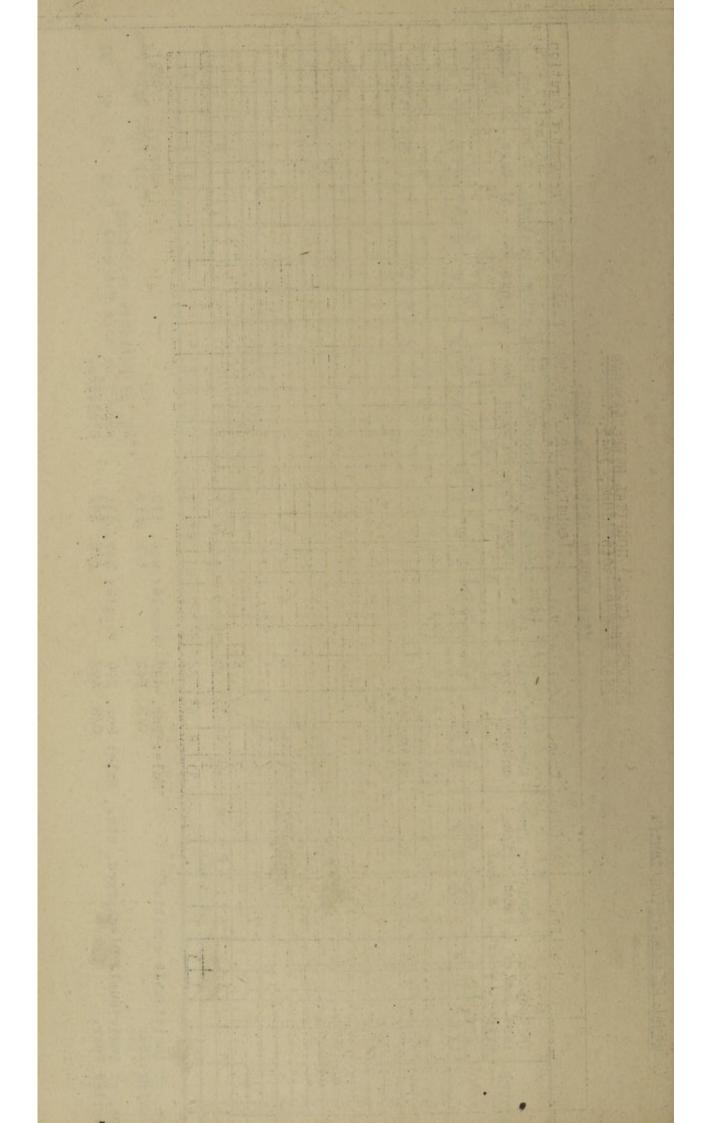
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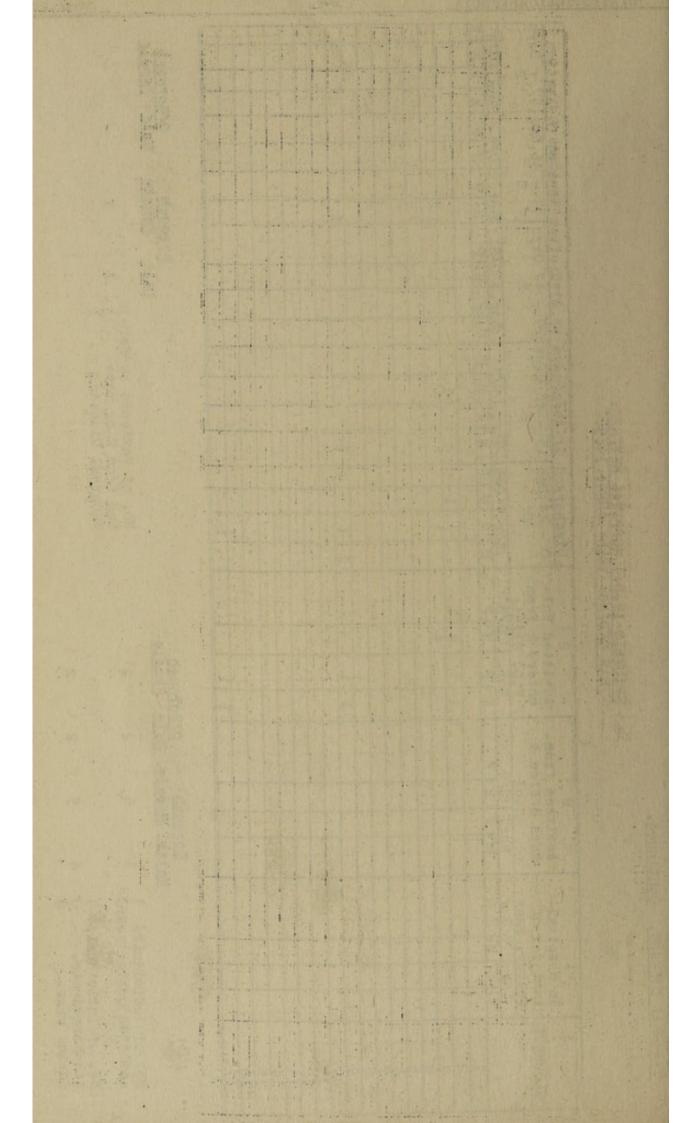
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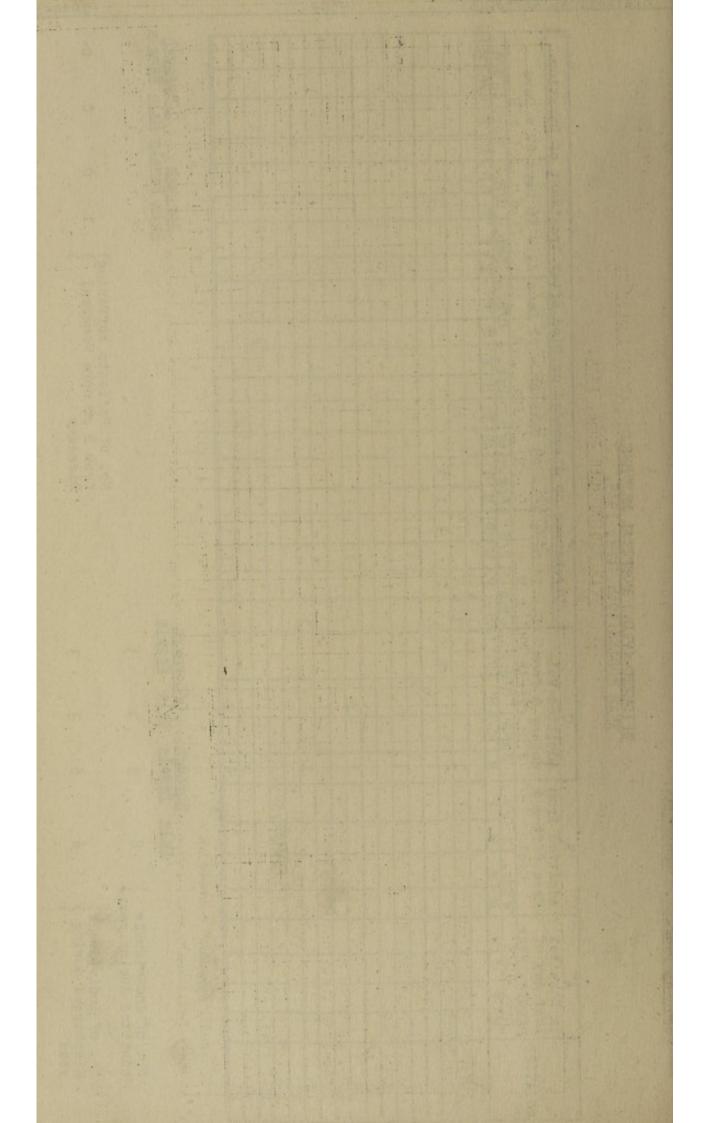


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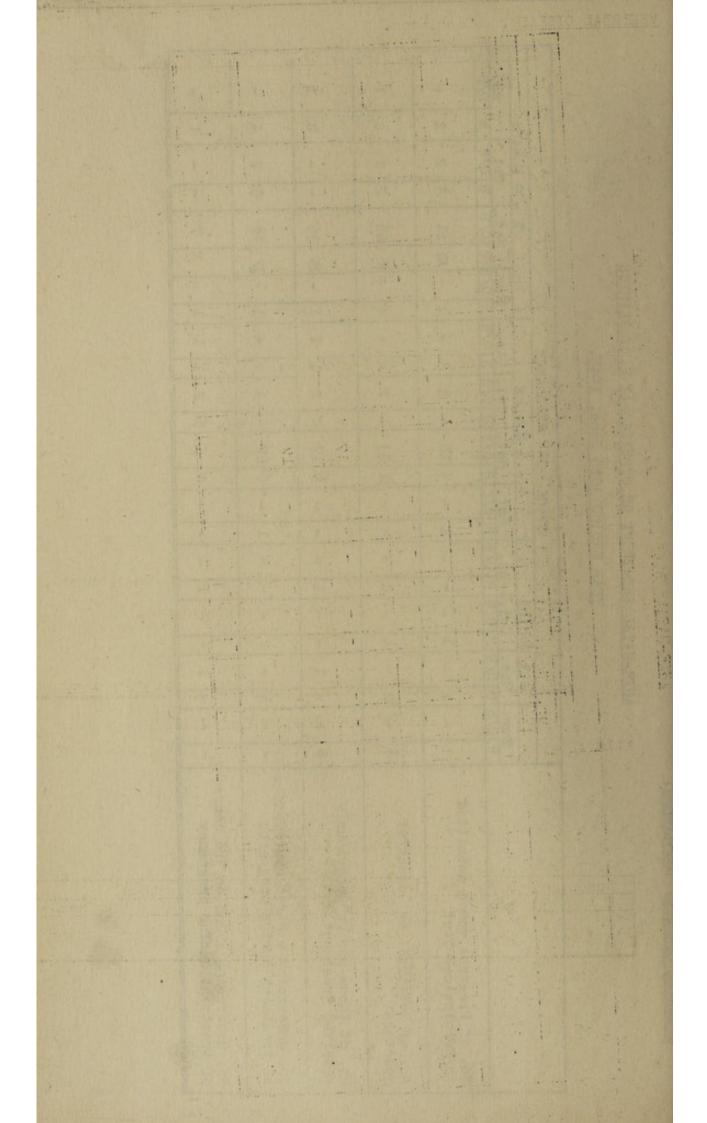


VENEREAL DISEASE. Continued.

ANTE-NATAL TREATMENT OF SYPHILIS AT V.D. CLINICS

YEAR ENDING 30th June, 1945.

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### VENEREAL DISEASE. Continued.

# KEY TO VENEREAL DISEASE CLINIC AND HOSPITAL RETURNS

- 1. Seronegative Primary Syphilis.
- 2. Seropositive Primary Syphilis.
- 3. Secondary Syphilis.
- 4. Tertiary Syphilis (clinical).
- 5. Endosyphilis (Serological).
- 6. Neurosyphilis.
- 7. Congenital Syphilis under 1 year.
- 8. Congenital Syphilis over 1 year.
- 9. Gonorrhoea.
- 10. Gonococcal Vulvo Vaginitis.
- 11. Gonococcal Ophthalmia.
- 12. Ulcus Molle.
- 13. Lymphopathia Venereum.
- 14. Granuloma Venereum.
- 15. Venereal Warts.
- 16. Phagedaena.
- 17. Suspected Venereal Disease which proved Non-Venereal.
- 18. Suffering from 2 or more venereal diseases.

### DAILY AVERAGE OF IN-PATIENTS AT MUNICIPAL EPIDEMIC HOSPITAL

### (Non-European Venereal Diseases)

MALE: 34

FEMALE: 21

TOTAL :

55

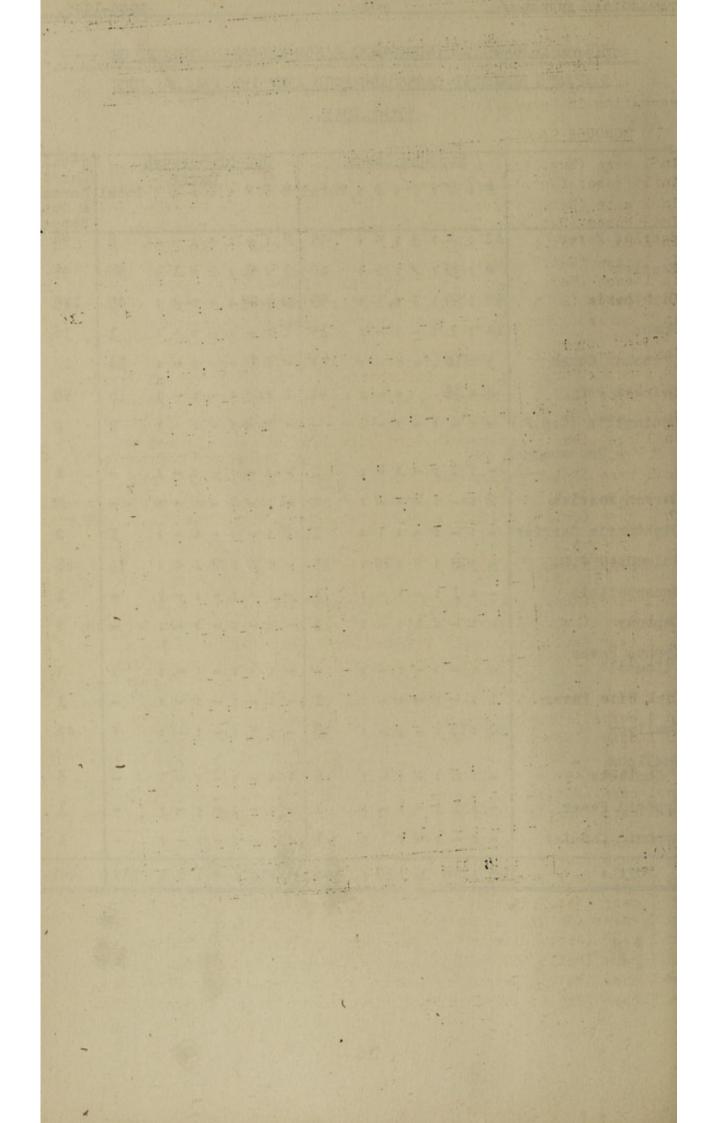
### VENEREAL DISEASE HOME VISITS

European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic	Total
M: F	M : F	M: F	M : F	M: F: Person
131 : 110	1008 : 517	92 : 160	89 : 103	1320:890: 2210

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# ISOLATION HOSPITAL (EUROPEAN) & NON-EUROPEAN INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL CASES ADMITTED JULY 1st 1944 to JUNE 30th, 1945.

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Measles	4	:	32	:	2	:	2	:	40	1	:	51	:	2	:	1	:	55	95
Diphtheria	32	:	29	:	3	:	5	:	69	21	:	25	:	-	:	3	:	49	118
Mumps	14	:	1	:	-	:	-	:	15	1	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	1	16
Thesoing Cough	3	:	10		-	:	-	:	13	-	:	14	:	-	:	-	:	14	27
Chicken Pox	8	:	26			:	-	:	34	1	:	15	:	-	:	-	:	16	50
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German Measles	2	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	5	-	;	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	2
Diphtheria Carrier	-	:	-	:	-	:	1	:	1	1	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	1	2
Pulmonary T.B.	-	:	23	:	2	:	10	:	35	-	:	27	:	2	:	4	:	33	68
Encephalitis	-	:	1	:	-	:	-	:	1	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	1
Leprosy	-	:	-	:	1	:	-	:	1	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	1
Typhus Fever (Louse)	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	1	:	3	:	-	:	-	:	3	3
Tick Bite Fever	1	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	1	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	1
Smallpox	20	:	18	:	-	:	-	:	38	-	:	5	:	-	:	-	:	5	43
Smallpox - Contacts	-	:	6	:	-	:	-	:	6	1	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	6
Typhoid Fever	-	:	1	:	-	:	-	:	1	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	1
Typhoid Carrier	-	:	-	:	-	:	1	:	1	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	:	-	1
TOTAL:	126	:	148	;	11	:	19	:	304	33	:	142	:	4	:	8	:	187	491



### ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND NON-EUROPEAN INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL.

The following alterations in Diagnosis were made following observation in Hospital:-

### BOROUGH CASES.

In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis Scarlet Fever altered to Toxic Rash. In 14 cases (Nat.) diagnosis ? Smallpox altered to Not Smallpox. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis 11 altered to Myositis. In 2 cases (Nat.) diagnosis 11 altered to Influenza. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis 11 altered to Syphilis. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis 11 altered to Frontal Sinusitis. In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis Diphtheria altered to Capillary Bronchiolitis. In 2 cases (1 Eur. & 1 Nat.) diagnosis Diphtheria altered to Quinsy. In 7 cases (3 Eur. 1 Col. & 3 Nat.) diagnosis Diphtheria altered to ) Follicular Tonsillitis ) In 1 case (1 Eur.) diagnosis Diphtheria altered to N.A.D. In 1 case (Eur) diagnosis Diphtheris altered to Laryngeal Spasms. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Chicken Fo altered to Smallpox. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Measles attered to Broncho Pneumonia. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Pulmonary Tuberculosis altered to Not Pulmonary Tuberculosis. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Measles altered to Nil Abnormal In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Typhoid Fever altered to Broncho-Pneumonia In 1 case (As.) diagnosis Typhoid Carrier altered to N.A.D. a Carrier.

### OUT-OF-BOROUGH CASES.

In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis Scarlet Fever altered to N.A.D. In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis 11 altered to Toxic Erythema In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Chicken Pox altered to Smallpox In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Pulmonary T.B. altered to Syphilitic Heart Disease. In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis Diphtheria altered to Diphtheria Carrier. In 4 cases (Eur.) diagnosis 11 altered to Tonsillitis. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis altered to Retropharyngeal Abscess. In 1 case (As. ) diagnosis altered to Laryngitis. In 1 case (Nat.) 11 altered to Congenital Syphilis diagnosis In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis Diphtheria Carrier altered to Non-virulent Carrier. In 1 case (Eur.) diagnosis altered to Nil Abnormal. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis altered to Stomatitis. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis 11 altered to Influenza. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis altered to Chronic Laryngitis. 11 In 2 cases (Nat.) diagnosis 11 altered to Quinsy. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis ? Smallpox altered to Not Smallpox. In 1 case (Nat) diagnosis Smallpox altered to Scabies. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Meades altered to Broncho-Pneumonia. In 1 case (Nat.) diagnosis Whoo ping Cough altered to Bronchitis.

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### INFANT WELFARE.

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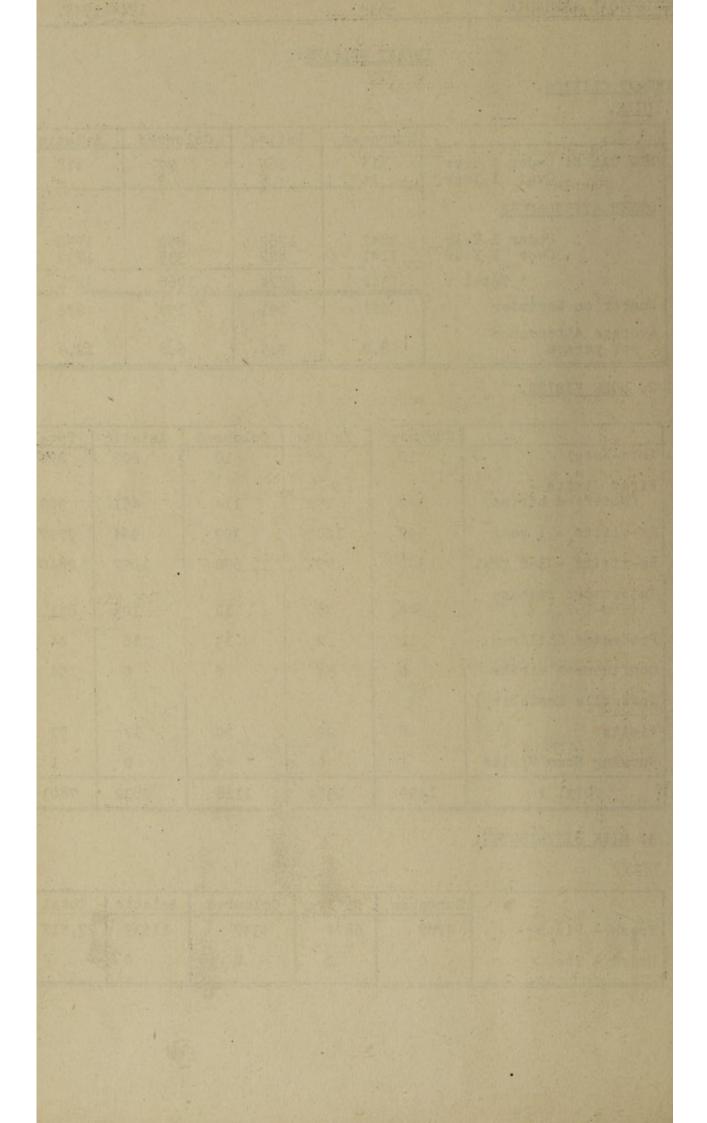
	European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic
NEW CASES: Under 1 Year Over 1 Year	315	165 5	77 2	118
OTHER ATTENDANCES				
Under 1 Year Over 1 Year	3842 1141	1782 822	652 335	1º36 1237
Total:	5312	2774	1066	3291
Number on Register	661	291	157	256
Average Attendance per person	8.0	9.5	6.8	12.9

### 2. HOME VISITS.

	European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic	Total
Ante-Natal	10	48	10	202	270
First Visits - (Notified births)	102	152	114	451	909
Re-visits - 1 year	337	1207	309	944	2797
Re-visits - 1-6 yrs.	300	7°3	650	1007	2840
Infectious Disease (Non-T.B.)	640	76	12	103	831
Protected Children	11	2	13	18	44
Confinement Visits	0	54	0	0	54
Infantile Mortality)	7				
Visits	8	22	10	17	57
Nursing Home Visits	1	0	- 0	0	1
TOTAL:	1499	2354	1118	2832	7803

### 3. MILK DISTRIBUTED.

	European	Native	Coloured	Asiatic	Total
Fresh - Pints	4767	6874	4337	11539	27,517
Dried - lbs.	0	0	0	0	0



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### FOODSTUFFS.

### 1. MILK.

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Bacteriological Examination
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Samples with less than 30,000 bacteria per c.c.: 32 (inc. 2) (Pasteu-)
                                                             (rised )
              between 30,000 and 200,000 bacteria): 12
                                            per c.c.)
              more than 200,000 bacteria per cc. : 18
                                                            (inc. 2)
(Pasteu-)
(rised)
                                             Total:
                                                             (rised
Samples with B.Coli present in 1/100 c.c. or)
                                                       : 31 (inc. 1 )
(Pasteu-)
                                              less)
                                                             (rised )
              B. Coli
                                in 1/10 but not)
                                                       : 13 (inc. 1 )
(Pasteu-)
                                in 1/100 c.c. )
                                                             (rised )
              B.Coli absent in 1/10 c.c. or)
                                                       : 18
                                                        62 (inc. 2)
                                            Total:
                                                            (Pasteu-)
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Chemical Examination (By Government Analyst) - Nil.

### 2. SAUSAGE.

Samples of Sausage conforming to standard : 2

" " not " " " : 0

Total: 2

### 3. MEAT.

Samples of Mince Meat conforming to standard: 1

" " not conforming to standard: 1

Total: 2

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STATISTICAL APP	ENDIX	-65-	1944-1945.
FOODSTUFFS. C	Cont'd.		
4. WATERS. (	Bacteriological		
(	pacter1010K1ca1	examination by Bio	-Chemist - City ment)
(Results recorded in accordance with matheway			
Ministry of Health, Publication No. 71, 1939)			
MUNICIPAL WATER SUPPLY.			
Probable No. of Organisms in 100 c.c.			
211_			No. of Samples
		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• 193
		••••••	• 46
		••••••	. 19
		••••••	. 19
	5		2
*			1
16	••••••	••••••	3
18	•••••		_ 1
		Tot	al: 284
MUNICIPAL SWINDING BATHS			
Probable No. of Organisms in 100 c.c. No. of Samples			
	0	•••••	39
	1		1
		Tot	al: 40
OTHER SWIMMING BATHS.			
Probable No. of Organisms in 100 c.c. No. of Samples			
			No. of Samples
William P. Bollego	1	••••••	43
-			3
	0		
OTHER CAMPT	DC MAYDY	Tota	al: <u>48</u>
OTHER SAMPLES TAKEN.  Probable No. of Organisms			
in	100 c.c.		No. of Samples
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# FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

The following foodstuffs were inspected and condemned in the Municipal Market and in Shops within the Borough:-

Artichokes	5 bags
Avocado Pears	20 trays, 4 boxes
Apples	6 cases
Beans	131 Pockets
" Baked	10 tins
Bananas	9 boxes
Bringal	10 pockets
Cabbages	38 sacks
Cauliflower	bag
Cucumber	25 pockets, 1 tray
Chocolate	
Cane Syrup	7 tins
Cheese	3 pkts.
Condensed Milk	8 tins
Carrots	15 lots, 13 bags, 22 tins
	2 cartons
Chutney	6 bottles
Cornflour	1 packet
Cochineal	1 hottle
Duck (Dressed)	17
Eggs	28 doz., 1 case
Fowls (Dressed)	76, 2 cartons, 1 box.
Fowls (Not Dressed)	1
Fowls (Guinea)	
Fish Paste	9 tins, 1 bottle
Fillet	176 lbs.
Fish (tinned)	20 tins, 4 tin Curried Fish
Fruit - tinned	2 tin
Guavas	9 trays
Giblets	5 pkts
Gravy Powder	2 cartons
Kippered Herring	1 tin
Kippers	3 cases, 1 box
Jam	94 tins, 6 Jars
Lamb and Green Peas	2 tins

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#### STATISTICAL APPENDIX -67-1944-1945. FOODSTUFFS CONDEMNED AS UNFIT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION. Cont'd. Lobster \* 11 tins Mangoes ........ 4 trays Mustard ......... 1 bag, 2 bottles Macaroni ..... 1 packet Mayonnaise 5 bottles ......... Milk, dried ..... 1 tin ......... bag Meat (tinned) ........ 66 tins Meat & Vegetables ..... 4 tins Meat Extract ...... 368 tins Meat Paste ..... 2 tins Oats \* 2 pkts, 2 cartons Onions ........ 15 bags Onions, pickled ..... 6 bottles Pumpkins ...... 3 bags Pineapples ..... 1 box 2 boxes, 8 trays, 1 bag Peaches \* 142 sacks, 16 pockets Potatoes ..... Potatoes (Sweet) ....... 3 bags Paw-Paws ..... 12 boxes, 25 lots

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Pilchards .....

Sardines ......

Sandwich spread ......

Sauce ......

Tomatoes ......

Unlabelled Packages ......

Venison ......

Vegetables .....

.........

Pickles

Sausages

spaghetti

Sweetmeats

Tomato Juice

Tomato Puree

Tomato Sauce

Watermelons

Xmas Puddings

Peas

191 bottles

peas - 3 tins

11 tins, 27 jars

181 trays, 77 cases

25 tins, 1 bottle

85% lbs. 8 carcases, 2

(H. Quarters)

2 pockets, 12 bags, tinned

18 tins

3 tins 37 tins

1 tin

1 tin

3 tins

3 tins

90 cartons

12

6 bottles

3 bottles

62 bottles

1 packet

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# ABATTOIR

## 1. ANTMALS SLAUGHTERED:

Cattle	:	10,317
Calves	:	3,682
Sheep	:	23,232
Pigs	:	3,837
Goats	:	896
Total	:	41,964

# 2. AN MAL EXAMINED AFTER SLAUGHTER IN OTHER ABATTOIRS:

Quarters Beef : 6492 Carcases Mutton : 4792 Carcases Pork : 47 Carcases Veal : 31 Carcases Goat : 210

## 3. INCIDENCE OF CERTAIN DISEASES

	Carcases Examined	% Infected	Carcases Condemned	% Condemned
CATTLE - "Measles" (Cysticercus Bovis)	10,317	9.47%	125	1.21%
CALVES - "Measles" (Cysticercus Bovis)	3,682	3.69%	87	2.36%
PIGS - "Measles" (Cysticercus Cellulosae)	3,837	2.26	68	1.88%
CATTLE - Tuberculosis	10,317	0.35%	8	0.08%
CALVES - Tuberculosis	3,682	0	0	0
PIGS - Tuberculosis	3,837	2.45%	13	0.34%

#### 4. SUMMARY OF MEAT CONDEMNED:

	Carcases	Approx. Weight
BEEF	176	81,345 lbs.
BEEF: Portions of Carcases, Organs etc.	-	155,095 lbs.
VEAL	177	7,240 lbs.
VEAL: Portions of Carcases, Organs etc.	_	300 lbs.
PORK : Organs, etc.	97	10,450 lbs. 4,010 lbs.
MUTTON : Organs,	40	1,305 lbs.
etc.		26,980 lbs.
		286,725 lbs.

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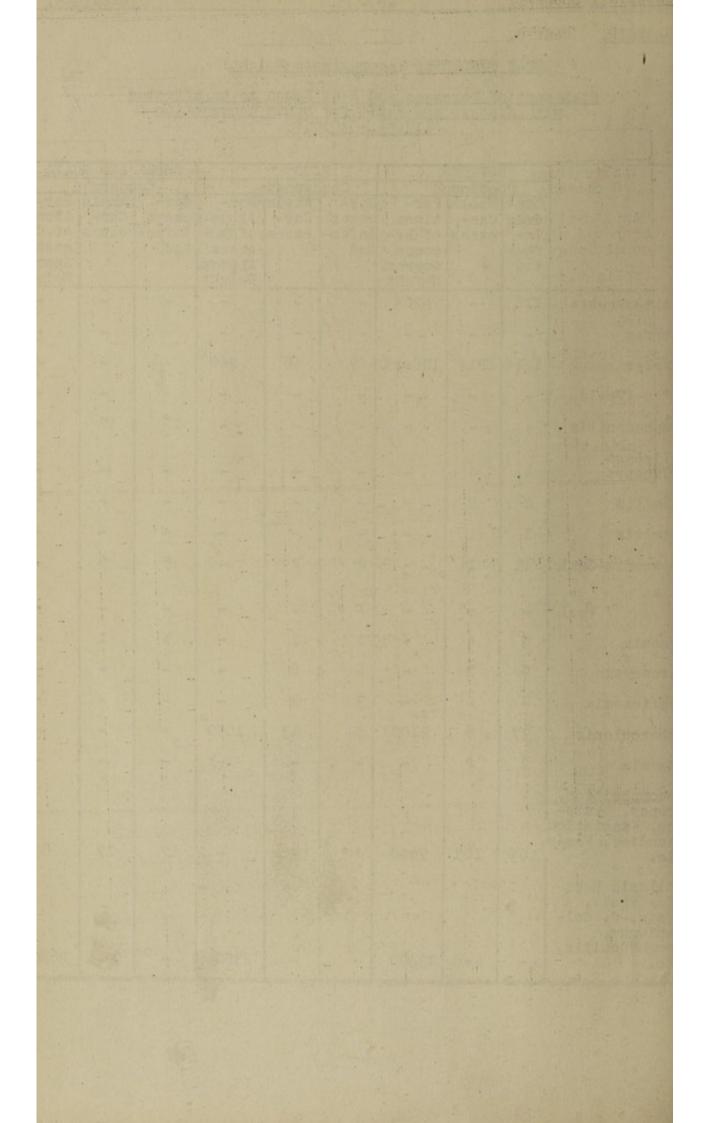
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# MEAT CONDEMNED (Approximate Weight)

Statement of Carcases and Meat Found to be affected with disease and unfit for human consumption:

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Actinomycosis	116	-	5205	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Anthrax	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Measles	1214	214	128,250	87	68	260	-	-	-	
" (Veal)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Lymphadenitis .	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	17		
Malignant Tumours	4.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mammitis	2	2	-	-		-	-	-	-	
Metritis	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pneumonia-Septic	11	11	-	2	2	-	5	5	-	
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Veal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pyaomia	4	4	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	
Sarcocysts	2	2 .	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	
Septicaemia	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	
Tuberculosis	37	8	1100	94	13	1050	-	-	-	
Anaemia	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Decomposition, Dropsy, Bruis- ing, Emaciation Jaundice, Fever etc.	103	105	7040	4	4	-	17	17	83	
Stilesia Hepa- tica Fluke, Cysts, O. Col- umbianum, Lymphadenitis, etc.		-	13,500	-	-	2300	-	-	26,900	



### LICENCE APPLICATION

# Applications dealt with under Licenses (Control) and Municipal Licenses Order No. 19 of 1942 and the Borough By-Laws. (1)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Applications Received	69	9	1	11	19	0	5	213	7	11	. 0	126
Applications approved without conditions	55	7	1	8	14	0	3	205	5	7	0	113
Applications approved subject to conditions since carried out	8	0	0	1	4	0	1	3	1	1	0	6
Applications withdrawn	0.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Applications in abeyance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Applications not in order	6	2	0	2	1	0	1	5.	1	4	0	7

#### KEY TO ABOVE TABLE :-

- 1. General Dealers. 2. Aerated Water Manufacturers & Dealers.

- 3. Butchers.
  4. Boarding Houses.
  5. Eating & Refreshment Rooms.
  6. Bakers.

- 7. Hairdressers. 8. Hawkers & Pedlars.
- 9. Laundries.
- 10. Produce Dealers.
- 11. Places of Entertainment. 12. Others.

(Owing to alterations in the Municipal Licenses Ordinance) (No. 19/1942 and in the Municipal Trade Licence By-Laws, ) (the routine renewal of all trade licenses is no longer ) (submitted to this Department by the Licensing Officer. )

(2) Applications dealt with under Urban Area Act. Applications Received Applications Returned "Not in Order" ..... Applications Approved Subject to conditions Applications Approved for Temporary Licence 21 The same of process that the observed another than the same

# SANITATION

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Total of Inspections (General) carried out Total of Inspections by Rodent and Fumigation Officer	10,383
Total of Notices and Letters served re Contravention o	f By-Laws 1,027
INSPECTION (GENERAL) GIVEN IN DETAIL 1.7.44 t	0 30.6.45.
1. Public Markets	286
2. Butchers' Shops	73
3. Dealers and General Dealers (Food)	
4. Dealers and General Dealers (No Food)	
5. Fish and Poultry Shops	
6. Bakers' Shops (without Backhouse)	
7. Bakehouses	32
8. Milkshops (Purveyors of Milk)	
9. Ice Cream (Purveyors and Manufacturers of)	41
10. Tea Shops, Cafes, Restaurants & Eating Houses .	99
11. Residential Hotels, Boarding Houses	46
12. Aerated Water Manufacturers	15
13. Other places where food is manufactured	0
14. Hawkers! Premises	0
15, Hawkers' Carts	0
16. Butchers' Carts and Carriers	0
17. Milk Delivery Carts	0
18. Bakers' Carts	0
19. Ice Cream Carts	0
20. Theatres and Bioscopes	12
21, Common Lodging Houses	3
22. Barracks	110
23. Other House Inspections	118
24. Hairdressers	18
25. Laundries	68
26. Factories and Workshops	79
27. Courts, Lanes and Alleys	9
28. Open Ground	452
30: Horse Stables	145
31. Dairy Stables and Dairies	1710
32: Cattle Dealers' Premises	3
33. Visits in connection with Infectious Disease .	1117
34. Standing Water, Catchpits, re Mosquitoes, etc. 35. Undrained premises	2 .
36. Public Sanitary Conveniences	742
37. Refuse Tips	9
38: Other Visits	2775
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Total :

# B/Forward .... 8311 INSPECTION BY RODENT AND FUMIGATION 46. Rodent Inspections ..... 369 47. Premises fumigated for Vermin ...... 129 47a. Other visits in connection with fumigation ... 191 48. Disinfections ..... 21 49. Disinfection of Bedding and Clothing ...... 55 50. Other inspections by Rodent Officer ...... 215 980 REPORTS FOR TRANSMISSION TO OTHER MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENTS (1) City Engineer's Department 40. Stopped Drains ...... 3 41. Defective Water fittings ..... 0 42. Other Defects ...... 76 43. Unauthorised structures ..... 0 44. Sites, etc., re plans ..... 361 440 (2) <u>Municipal Native Administration</u> <u>Department</u> 45. Inspection of Premises under) 91 91 Urban Areas Act (3) Licensing Department 51. Inspection of Premises re) Licence Applications )

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## PROSECUTIONS: 1944 - 1945.

Total	Number of Presecutions insti	tuted: 37
Under	Public Health By-Laws	8
"	Dairy By-Laws	10
11	Public Health Act	5
"	V.D. Hospital Regulations . Total	14 37
Total	No. in which accused found guilty and penalty imposed	27
"	found not guilty (acquitted, withdrawn) (or Prosecutor declined) (to prosecute.)	10 37

## CONDEMNED PREMISES

## Rooms and Buildings Condemned and / or Demolished

	Under Public Health By-Law No. 19(a): (Closing Order):	
(p)	Under Public Health By-Law No. 19(b) : (Demolition) (Premises)	2
(c)	Under Slums Act :	0
(a)	Voluntary Demolitions :	
	Premises	3
	Total:	5

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