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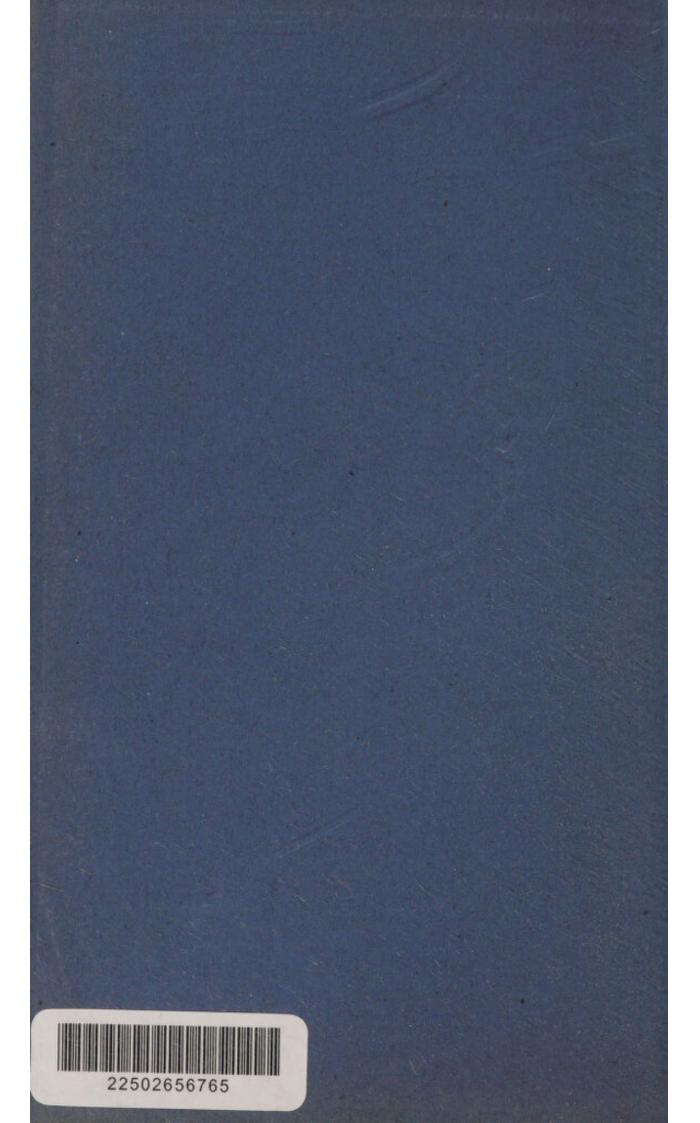
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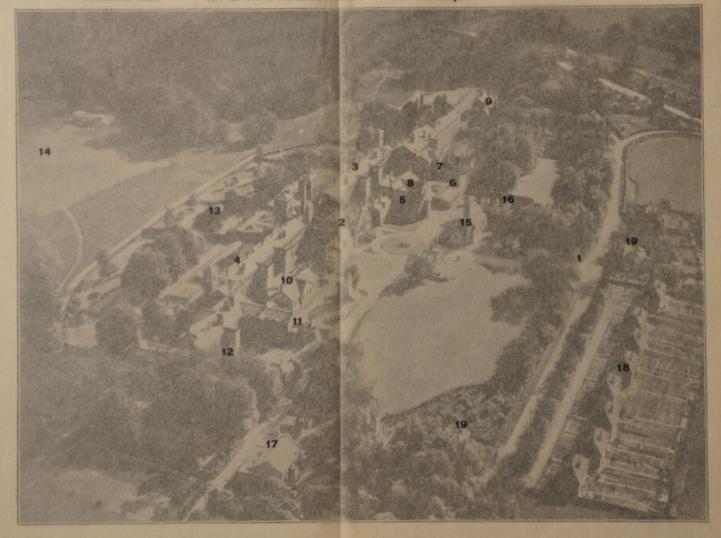
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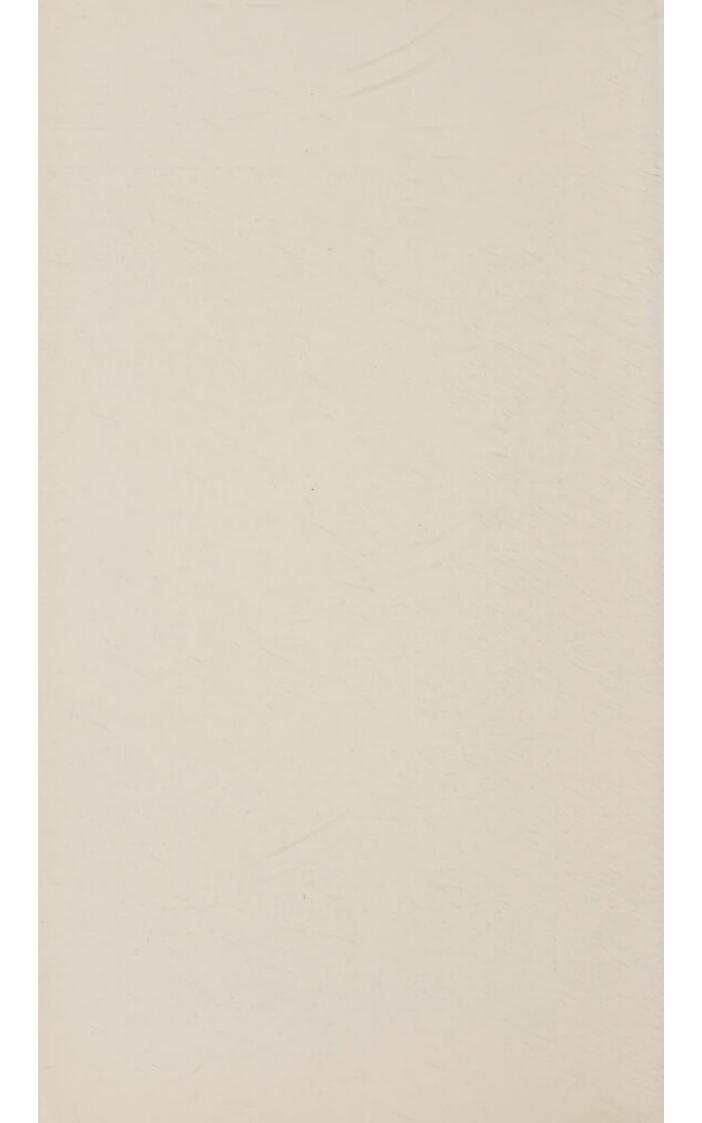
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4.—Male Wards.
5.—Recreation Hall.

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9.—Medical Superintendent's House.
10.—Male Arts and Crafts Room.

11.—Workshops.
12.—Fire Station.
13.—Ward Gardens.
14.—Recreation Ground.
15.—The Chapel.

16.—Nurses' Home. 17.—Power Station. 18.—40 Staff Houses. 19.—Officers' Houses.







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MEMBERS OF THE VISITING COMMITTEE.

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WITH THE DATE OF THEIR APPOINTMENT.

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ALDERMAN SIDNEY CRESPIN THOMPSON, J.P. (Ch 6, Nizell's Avenue, Hove.	
ALDERMAN WILLIAM GEORGE WELLMAN, 14, Harrington Villas, Brighton.	Nov., 1920.
ALDERMAN GILBERT NORMAN JACKLIN, 41, Queen's Park Terrace, Bright	Nov., 1928. on.
ALDERMAN ERNEST MARSH, 14, Powis Square, Brighton.	Nov., 1929.
ALDERMAN JONATHAN BURBERRY, 15a, Stanford Avenue, Brighton.	Nov., 1931.
ALDERMAN RICHARD MAJOR, 124, Chester Terrace, Brighton.	Nov., 1932.
ALDERMAN SIDNEY GLOVER GIBSON, 22, Clifton Road, Brighton.	Nov., 1933.
ALDERMAN JOHN CARTER, 35, St. George's Road, Brighton.	April, 1934.
ALDERMAN MISS MARGARET HARDY, M.B.E., J.P., 193, Dyke Road, Brighton.	Nov., 1936.
COUNCILLOR JAMES HENRY BASSETT, 40, Freshfield Street, Brighton.	Feb., 1933.
Councillor Sir Charles George Grey, Bt., "Greyland," Mallory Road, Hove.	July, 1934.
COUNCILLOR HENRY WILLIAM MURSELL, 17, Clermont Terrace, Brighton.	Nov., 1931.
COUNCILLOR GEORGE SIMCOCK, 10, Paston Place, Brighton.	Nov., 1933.
COUNCILLOR MISS DOROTHY ELSIE STRINGER, "Hillesden," Osmond Road, Hove.	Nov., 1933.
COUNCILLOR JOHN FRANK LESLIE TERRY, 80, Graham Avenue, Withdean, Br	July, 1936. righton.
COUNCILLOR ALFRED ARTHUR ILLMAN, 37b, Crescent Road, Brighton.	May, 1938.
Co-opted Member: WILLIAM ARTHUR COWLEY, Esq., J.P., "Woodingcote," Ovingdean, Road,	Nov., 1929. Brighton.
Clerk to the Visiting Committee: JOSEPH GARDINER I Town Hall, Brighton, 1.	OREW, Esq.,
Treasurer: R. W. E. Bunn, Esq., Borough Tre Town Hall, Brighton, 1.	easurer,

OFFICERS.

Medical Superintendent	W. McCartan, M.D., (Belf.). M.R.C.P. (Lond.), D.P.H.,
Deputy Medical Superintendent and	D.P.M.
First Assistant Medical Officer	F. H. Guppy, M.C., M.R.C.S., Eng., L.R.C.P., Lond., and D.P.M.
Second Assistant Medical Officer	J. Carson, M.B., Ch.B., Dip. Psych. (Edin.).
Third Assistant Medical Officer	F. A. Bleaden, M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.).
Consulting Surgeon	A. Geoffrey Bate, F.R.C.S.
Pathologist	L. R. Janes, M.B., B.Chir., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
Dental Surgeon	S. F. Glassington, L.D.S., R.F.P.S., Glas.
Chaplain	The Rev. W. G. Frostick.
R.C. Priest	The Rev. R. Phillips.
Clerk of the Hospital and Steward	W. E. Mitchell.
Deputy Clerk and Steward	W. N. Hay.
Storekeeper	E. E. Doughty.
Matron	Miss N. C. Morris.
Chief Male Nurse	J. T. Weller.
Engineer	E. C. Rees.

Brighton County Borough Mental Hospital.

THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL
REPORT OF THE VISITING COMMITTEE,
(Pursuant to Section 190 of the Lunacy Act, 1890),

BEING THE SEVENTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT SINCE THE FOUNDATION OF THE INSTITUTION.

To the Council of the Borough of Brighton.

The Visiting Committee submit their report for the past year.

The number of patients on the books on the 31st December last, and the corresponding date of the previous year, was as follows:—

	1936.	1937.
Males	 372	365
Females	 561	585

The numbers are divided as follows:-

			Males.	Females.	Total.
From County	Boroug	gh of			
Brighton			258	395	653
From County	Borou	gh of			
Eastbourn			63	114	177
From Napsbur	y Ment	al			
Hospital				15	15
Out-Borough			6	3	9
Private	***		13	58	71
Service	***	***	23	_	23
Ex-Service			2	-	2

The weekly maintenance rates for rate aided patients for the four quarters of 1937 were 24/6, $25/4\frac{1}{2}$, $25/4\frac{1}{2}$ and 27/5 respectively.

Members of the Committee have regularly visited the patients and inspected the wards at each monthly meeting.

Deputations from Public Assistance Committees have visited the patients in the Institution chargeable to their respective Districts, and have expressed their satisfaction with what is being done for the care and comfort of the patients.

In celebration of the Coronation of H.M. King George VI. the patients were provided with a special dinner on Coronation Day and each member of the staff was given one day's holiday with pay.

Exhibitions of Occupation Therapy work undertaken by the patients have been displayed in the windows of Electric House, Brighton, and Electricity Showrooms, Eastbourne, by the courtesy of the respective Electricity Committees.

The twenty-four Staff Cottages have now been erected.

The Committee have decided to erect a house on the Estate for the Chief Engineer, at an estimated cost of £1,090, and it is anticipated the work will be put in hand at an early date.

The question of proceeding with the erection of the proposed Assistant Medical Officer's House has been placed in abeyance pending the coming into office of the new Medical Superintendent.

The Admission Hospital building, which will provide accommodation for 50 recoverable mental patients is now completed and in process of being equipped. The grounds surrounding the Hospital will be laid out over a period of four years by the Hospital Staff to plans prepared by Mr. B. H. MacLaren.

The Hospital Electricity supply is being augmented by the installation of a new reciprocating engine and other incidental equipment in order to cope with increasing demands.

The Committee have continued the gradual refurnishing of the wards during the year.

The principal works of improvement include the following:—

- (1) Provision of new central range and refrigerator in main kitchen (£679.)
- (2) Modernisation of four sets of W.C's (£220).

In June last the Committee reported to the Council with a synopsis of the accounts for the year ended 31st March, 1937, and these accounts appear in the Committee's Blue Book.

It has been agreed with the Waterworks Committee to rent 301½ acres of land at Standean for a period of fourteen years as an extension to the Committee's farmland.

During the year considerable changes have taken place in the personnel of the Committee's staff. The Rev. C. F. W. Hatchell resigned from the office of Chaplain in September last and the Rev. W. G. Frostick was appointed to succeed him. Dr. Harper Smith, who has completed 26 years' service with the Hospital, tendered his resignation from the post of Medical Superintendent, which he has occupied for the past 13 years, to take effect on the 1st February, 1938. Miss J. Goodwin has resigned from the position of Matron after completing a similar period of service with the Hospital. The Committee have expressed appreciation of the valuable services rendered by these officers.

Mr. William McCartan, M.D., M.R.C.P., Deputy Medical Superintendent of Banstead (L.C.C.) Mental Hospital, has been appointed to succeed Dr. Harper Smith. Superannuation allowances have been granted during the year to the following:—

Dr. G. H. Harper Smith, Medical Superintendent.
Miss J. Goodwin, Matron.
Chief Male Nurse F. W. Keeling.
Relief Deputy Chief Male Nurse L. White.
Nurse Dorothy M. Hill.
Staff Nurse W. Davey.
Staff Nurse W. H. Kingswood.

The Administration of the Mental Hospital continues to be satisfactorily carried on by the Medical Superintendent, his medical colleagues, the Clerk and Steward and the general staff.

On behalf of the Committee,

(Signed) S. C. THOMPSON,

Chairman.

5th February, 1938.

THE

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

31st January, 1938.

To the Visiting Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to submit the Medical Superintendent's Report.

The admissions during the year 1937 (including 4 male and 17 female patients, who were regraded) have been: Males 89, Females 200, total 289. Of the male admissions 34 were certified patients, 51 voluntary and 4 temporary. Of the female patients 90 were certified, 99 voluntary and 11 temporary.

Comparison of Admissions with 1936.

	1936	3.	1937.							
	M.	F.	M.	F.						
Voluntary	37	50	51	99						
Temporary	5	6	4	11						
Certified	47	87	34	90						
	89	143	89	200						

The discharges and transfers during the year have been:—Males, certified 21, voluntary 46, temporary nil, total 67. Females, certified 59, voluntary 62, temporary 6, total 127.

The deaths during the year have been:—Males, certified 20, voluntary 4, temporary 1, total 25. Females, certified 26, voluntary 4, temporary 1, total 31.

In 39.6 per cent. of the deaths, the age was over 65.

Compared with the year ended 31st December, 1936, the number of patients on the Registers chargeable to Brighton has increased by 5. The total number remaining on the Registers has increased by 17.

The average daily number on the Registers during the year has been:—Males 370, Females 583, total 953. The number of patients in the Hospital on 31st December, 1937 was, Males, certified 336, voluntary 27, temporary 2, total 365. Females, certified 510, voluntary 75, temporary nil, total 585. Total males and females 950, an increase of 17 patients since 31st December, 1936.

The average daily number of patients present during 1937 was 953 compared with 922 for 1936.

The patients were chargeable as follows:-

	Males.	Females.	Total.
County Borough of Brighton	258	395	653
Other County or Borough Councils	. 6	3	9
Private Patients	. 13	58	71
Service and Ex-Service Patients	25	_	25
Patients under Contract -: Napsbury Mental Hospita		15	15
County Borough of Eastbourne	. 63	114	177

The number of indirect admissions, that is patients transferred from other Mental Hospitals, was Males 2, Females 10, total 12.

Thirty-seven Males and seventy Females were discharged recovered during the year, giving a percentage of recoveries, calculated on direct admissions of 44.6 per cent. for males, and 40.7 per cent. for females.

The following casualties occurred during the year:—
R. M. B. left colles fracture, slipped and fell in ward.
M. R. fracture, dislocation right shoulder, pushed over

by a patient. H. A. N. fracture right tibia, fell in ward. B. T. E. fracture fifth right metacarpal, fell in ward. F. H. L. fracture trans. process 3rd lumbar vertebra, fell in ward scullery. L. D. B. fracture right humerus, cause unknown. A. H. fracture left femur, slipped in ward. A. P. fracture neck left humerus, accidentally pulled over by another patient.

The death rate for the year was 6.8 per cent. for males, and 5.3 per cent. for Females.

Two male patients were notified as suffering from Tuberculosis during the year.

The average number of male patients on full parole has been 15, and on "ground" parole 90. The average number of female patients on full parole has been 58.

The low percentage of deaths, and the high percentage of recoveries, is proof that the Medical and Nursing work in the Hospital is highly satisfactory.

The results of the Examinations for Nursing Certificates show that the training of the Nursing Staff is of a very high standard.

The contentment and happiness of the majority of the patients show that their recreations have been well considered.

I am very satisfied with the valuable work that is being done by the Occupational Therapy Officers.

Excursions for Male and Female Patients continued during the Summer months, and these Outings are greatly appreciated by the Patients.

The Nondescript Society has increased in membership, and the Meetings are greatly appreciated by the Patients.

The Female Patients are particularly delighted with the new dresses that have been issued during the year, each dress being made to the patient's own measurement. Week-end leave has been granted to 13 Male patients, and 27 Female patients.

Deputations from the Eastbourne Public Assistance Committee visited the Hospital on the 28th April and 15th December, and interviewed the patients chargeable to their County Borough.

Doctor A. Edward Evans and N. C. Croft-Cohen, Esq., Commissioners of the Board of Control visited the Hospital on the 20th and 21st May, 1937.

In conclusion, I wish to thank you, Mr. Chairman and the Members of the Committee for the great assistance you have given me in the administration of the Hospital.

I also wish to thank all Officers and Members of the Staff for their continued help and loyalty.

I have the honour to be, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

G. H. HARPER-SMITH,

Medical Superintendent.

REPORT ON THE CLINICS FOR NERVOUS DISORDERS FOR 1937 IN BRIGHTON.

A Clinic is held at 2.30 p.m. on each Monday, at 3, Buckingham Place, and at 4 p.m. on each Wednesday, at the Royal Sussex County Hospital.

CLINIC AT 3, BUCKINGHAM PLACE.

The number of Clinics held during the year was 47. The number of attendances was male 124, female 115, total 239. The average attendance per Clinic was 5.8. The number of new patients was male 24, female 25, total 49.

The 49 patients were suffering as follows:—

Neurasthenia 3, Discharged from the Mental Hospital 12, Melancholia 4, Mania 3, Mental Defectives 9, Acute Delusional Insanity 3, Dementia Praecox 4, Ex-Service Welfare Society Patients 4, Chorea 2, G.P.I. 3, Epilepsy—petit mal. 1, Jacksonian 1,=2.

During the year, 4 patients were admitted to the Mental Hospital as Voluntary patients.

Since the Clinic was opened in January 1926, 1037 Patients have received treatment.

I wish to thank Dr. S. E. Gill and Nurse Stockwell for their great help.

CLINIC AT ROYAL SUSSEX COUNTY HOSPITAL.

The number of Clinics held was 52.

During the year 60 new Patients have attended and received treatment on 310 occasions.

The 60 Patients were suffering as follows:-

Dementia Praecox 1, Mania 1, Melancholia 17, Congenital Mental Deficiency 6, General Paralysis of the Insane 4, Epilepsy 1, Chronic Delusional Insanity 5, Neurasthenia 22, Graves' disease 1, Insular Sclerosis 1, Malingerer 1.

G. H. HARPER-SMITH,

Medical Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE PATHOLOGIST.

3rd February, 1938.

To the Visiting Committee.

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

I have the honour to submit my Annual Report for the year 1937, along with a tabular statement showing the corresponding figures for 1936. In this report routine examinations have been excluded.

During the year 248 specimens were taken for special examination and 359 investigations made, compared with the respective figures of 292 and 356 for 1936.

The following statement	is an	analy	rsis of	these
investigations :			In-	De-
	1937.	1936.	crease.	crease.
Histological. Section of tissues	5	26	-	21
Blood counts	29	20	9	_
Biochemical examinations	66	50	16	-
Including blood sugar esti-				
mations, blood urea esti-				
mations, Colloidal gold test				
Estimation of B.M.R.				
Bacteriological examinations	33	47		14
Including Inflammatory pro				**
ducts, Sputa, Urines, Faeces				
	,			
Swabs for K.L.B., Milks				
Serum Reactions.				
1. Wassermann reactions			22	
(blood)	127	106	21	-
2. Wassermann reactions				
(C.S.F.)	13	10	3	_
3. Agglutination reactions				
(per organism)	25	35	_	10
Examination for parasites				
(Malaria, etc.)	23	31		8
T have the beneve to be			741	

I have the honour to be, Ladies and Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant,

L. R. JANES,

Pathologist.

REPORT OF THE CHAPLAIN.

1, Sunnywood Drive,

Haywards Heath,
26th January, 1938.

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to report to you that since I took over the Chaplaincy of the Hospital on October 1st, 1937:—

(1) I have conducted services in the Church on Sundays at 8.30 a.m., 10 a.m., and 3 p.m. Also every Thursday and Saints Day. There were two services on Armistice Day. After the Sunday services there have been short services in some of the Wards. I have also conducted a service at Beechmont every Sunday morning at 9.30 a.m.

I am happy to report that there has been a steady increase in the number of patients attending the Sunday services and there was a record number of Communicants on Christmas Day.

- (2) The Wards have been visited regularly and much time and care have been devoted to individual cases at the request of the Medical Officers.
- (3) The Library has been opened regularly each week—and the books in the Wards regularly changed. With the help of one or two of the patients the Library has been re-catalogued.

A small Staff Library was started on November 19th, 1937, which has been much appreciated; 254 books were borrowed from it between November 19th and December 31st.

The volumes from the Staff Library will pass into the general Library as they are replaced by new ones.

- (4) There were 19 Funerals during the year; 7 of these since October 1st which I conducted. I should like to record my appreciation of the conduct and reverence of the members of the Staff detailed for this duty.
- (5) I am most grateful to the Visiting Committee for so readily accepting the proposals for the improvement of the Church. The work has been started and I am convinced that when completed the Church will not only be improved in appearance, but will be very much more convenient for those who use it.
- (6) I should like to express my sincerest thanks to the Visiting Committee—the Officers and the Staff for their warm welcome and ever ready help in all I have undertaken to do. Their valued support and backing has not only helped to get things done, but also made the doing of them a very real happiness.

I have the honour to be, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

W. G. FROSTICK, Chaplain.

REPORT OF THE DENTAL SURGEON.

"Snowdon House,"
Sydney Road,
Haywards Heath.
1st February, 1938.

The Dental Surgeon has the honour to lay before the Committee his Annual Report.

The number of patients who attended during January, 1937, has been 887; Males 418, Females 469.

The number of teeth extracted was 755, gas being administered in 29 cases, general anaesthetics 5, and the remainder being extracted with local anaesthetic.

The number of fillings completed was 4, and 86 patients had their teeth scaled and cleaned.

A number of patients have had their dentures attended to.

The Dental Surgeon wishes to thank the Medical Officers for their kind assistance in the administration of N2O Gas.

S. F. GLASSINGTON,
L.D.S., R.F.P.S., GLAS.,

Dental Surgeon.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE BOARD OF CONTROL.

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL HOSPITAL,
HAYWARDS HEATH,
21st May, 1937.

We began our visit yesterday morning by inspecting, in the company of Dr. G. H. Harper-Smith, the Medical Superintendent, Dr. F. H. Guppy, the Deputy Medical Superintendent, and Mr. C. L. Clayton, the architect, the new Admission Hospital which is in course of erection. Good progress has been made with the work, and when this unit is completed—and it should be completed by the autumn of this year—it will be a most valuable addition to the Hospital.

Since the visit of our colleagues in October last a good deal of redecoration has been carried out, and more will be done in the immediate future, while improvements continue to be made in the furnishing of the wards throughout the Hospital. The most important recent addition is the erection of a shelter and covered way in the garden of Female Ward 5 (the Infirmary Ward), 24 Staff Cottages have also been built.

An addition which we should like to see made, and which we have mentioned to Dr. Harper-Smith, is the provision of a water-closet on the Verandah of the Female Sanatorium Ward—this should be feasible at no great cost, and the existing arrangements are not in our opinion satisfactory.

At the present time, in addition to the erection of the Admission Hospital, the recreation ground is being levelled, a large undertaking, but one which will add greatly to the amenities of the Hospital when the work is finished.

There are at present 946 patients (367 male and 579 female) resident in the Hospital, and this total includes

91 (26 male and 65 female) Voluntary and 6 Temporary patients: all the Temporary patients are women. During 1936, direct admissions numbered 204 (79 male and 125 female), including 83 voluntary (33 male and 50 female) and 10 Temporary (5 male and 5 female) patients. During the same period 119 patients (50 male and 69 female) departed or were discharged, and 51 patients died. Money allowances were granted to 4 Certified patients of either sex on their discharge.

We regret that no patients are boarded out under Section 26 or Section 57 of the Lunacy Act, 1890, and we hope that this question will receive due consideration by the Committee: there is some overcrowding in the Hospital, and if suitable patients could be boarded out, some contribution at least would be made towards solving this problem.

There is one matter to which reference has been made before in these entries to which we feel bound again to refer. This is the continued existence in this Mental Hospital of a considerable number of mental defectives who should without doubt be accommodated in a Colony. Their presence is unfair to the other patients and makes very difficult the proper classification of patients in the wards, and we do not feel that the problem of overcrowding is likely ever to be satisfactorily solved until suitable accommodation for the mental defectives is provided elsewhere.

We saw, we believe, all the patients in residence, and found them orderly, neatly dressed, and as contented with their lot as their mental conditions permit.

Clearly, the relations existing between the patients and the medical and nursing staffs is excellent, and we have been much pleased to hear of the interest taken by many discharged patients in the welfare of the Hospital.

The women's clothing here is particularly good individual marked sets of underclothing are provided for each patient, while frocks of modern and attractive design are made and fitted in the workrooms, each patient capable of appreciating the privilege being allowed to select the style and colour which most appeals to her.

The men's clothing too is satisfactory, and we were glad to see that those engaged in work in the grounds, etc., are provided with boiler suits to protect their clothes. We have however asked Dr. Harper-Smith to consider the provision for the younger patients of flannel trousers and tweed coats to replace the tweed suits now in use. This has been done now in a number of hospitals, and the change is one which is generally appreciated. We are glad to learn that pyjamas are being substituted for night shirts on the male side.

Recreation receives much attention in the Hospital, and we were interested to hear of an organisation, on the female side called the Nondescript Society. This Club, which is run by an ex-patient, is conducted on the lines of a Women's Institute. There are weekly meetings which we are sure are much enjoyed, and outings during the summer. Those women patients who have parole frequently attend the meetings of the local Women's Institute, of which some of them are members. The Female Wards also have "God-mothers," ladies who interest themselves in the Hospital and who each make themselves responsible for a ward—who without doubt do very much to add to the happiness and contentment of the patients.

There is an excellent Canteen, well stocked and well conducted, and here we were pleased to see offered for sale, in addition to all the usual articles of food, etc. (including fresh fruit in variety) a good selection of toilet articles and cosmetics.

A point which calls for congratulation is that nowhere in the Hospital are table-cloths in use. There are a large number of dark oak circular tables, but these are gradually being replaced by tables with dark bakelite tops. Everywhere small tables and chairs are provided. We saw yesterday 350 women patients enjoying a good mid-day meal in the dining hall, and the small tables, many of them decorated with flowers, made the scene reminiscent of a large restaurant, and as little like an institution dining hall as possible.

We were everywhere impressed by the profusion of cut flowers and well-grown pot plants in the wards, and by the beautiful appearance of the ward gardens and grounds: we have seldom seen better kept turf, and it is evident that this is a matter which here receives the attention which it deserves but which so often it does not get.

The dormitories and dayrooms are generally in very good order, and all are well kept. A feature of the dayrooms throughout the Hospital is the presence in them of a great number of bird cages and aviaries. The budgerigars and canaries are, we understand, very popular with the patients, many of whom take great interest in their welfare.

At Beechmont, the drawing room has recently been redecorated and the Furniture re-covered, and this fine room is now very attractive indeed.

The Kitchen and Laundry are well kept, but we thought the latter somewhat cramped for space, and when the additional work caused by the opening of the new Admission Hospital is received we think it probable that some additional ironing plant and some re-planning of the available space will become necessary.

The dietary of the Patients is generous and well varied, and we are glad to know that suppers are provided, while working patients receive extra diet.

The death rate during 1936 was 4.3% on the male side and 6.3% on the female. Since the last visit seven months ago, 16 men and 21 women have died, and in 29 cases post-mortem examinations were conducted. Among the causes of death, heart disease was the most prominent (there were 20 cases) 4 patients

died of pneumonia and 2 of tuberculosis. At present 3 men and 4 women are under treatment for this latter disease, but none of the male cases is regarded as active.

One woman, whose mental condition had not previously given rise to a suspicion of any desire to injure herself, hanged herself with a scarf last February. An inquest was held on her death.

Early this year some 100 patients, mainly men, as well as 16 members of the staff, were attacked by influenza. One nurse was taken ill with enteric fever last November, and 5 women from Ward 6 in December and 2 others in the following two months were treated for diarrhoea. No infective organism was however isolated. One woman from Ward 2 has recently had a pyrexical illness without further symptoms, and so far her serum reaction has been negative for any intestinal infection.

Particular care is taken in the handling of the bedding and garments from cases that are suspected of being infectious, but it would be of substantial help in their nursing if, in male wards 5 and 8 and female wards 5, 9 and the Sanatorium, there were provided apparatus for sterilising bed pans and urine bottles, and metal frames or other appropriate receptacles for storing them. The gradual replacement of wooden commode chairs, so difficult to sterilise after use, by metal chairs with bakelite or other seats of special composition would also be a progressive step in ward hygiene.

Although the proportion of patients under care and treatment in bed (over 14% in the case of males and 18% in the case of females) is high, we are glad to see so many of them being nursed under open air conditions. An admirable new verandah for women's beds has recently been constructed, and only awaits the completion of the electric light installation.

Fractures have occurred in the cases of 3 men and 2 women, 2 by the action of other patients, and 3 from falls. We are glad to learn that provision for X-ray apparatus will be made in the new admission unit.

One patient has recently been discharged recovered after treatment for general paralysis by malarial inoculation, and others are under treatment. Among the modes of treatment the use of physical training and occupations here find a valued place.

The former training is conducted daily, but so far no special costume has been provided: this, in many hospitals, is considered an important accessory to the treatment.

On the men's side treatment by occupations has the advantage of a large room, formerly a dining hall, where a good variety of handicrafts is taught both to patients and nurses, 13 of whom have now been trained in this way. During the last six months, 9 men attending this central shop have been discharged, and 3 have been promoted to the routine services of the Hospital. Many of the patients on the male side practise suitable handicrafts while under treatment in bed, and much attention is paid to the occupational needs of patients of more degraded or introverted type.

On the women's side there are occupational groups of patients in wards 1 to 4, and certain patients in other wards are instructed separately. On this side however the organisation of occupations has met with less success than on the men's side, and the number receiving physical training is also lower. We therefore trust that it may be possible to improve the co-ordination of effort necessary to bring to the patients on the women's side the undoubted advantages of this needed treatment which are already available in the Hospital.

The Nursing Staff consists of 77 men and 96 women, of whom the high number of 59 men and 56 women are certificated or registered.

Dr. Harper-Smith is assisted by Dr. F. H. Guppy, the Deputy Medical Superintendent, by Dr. C. M. T. Hastings, and by Dr. H. S. Brodribb, who has recently been appointed.

(Signed) N. C. CROFT COHEN. (Signed) A. EDWARD EVANS. Commissioners of the Board of Control.

REPORT OF THE HEADQUARTERS MEDICAL INSPECTOR, MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL HOSPITAL,
HAYWARDS HEATH.
24th February, 1938.

Since my last visit to this Hospital, Dr. Harper-Smith has retired from the post of Medical Superintendent and has been succeeded by Dr. W. McCartan to whom I am grateful for the arrangements made for my visit.

There is at present an outbreak of scarlet fever among the staff and patients but none of the Service Patients are infected.

There has been among the Service patients one readmission as a voluntary patient who still requires institutional care and treatment and one has been discharged "not improved." I gave to each a personal interview and found them all well nourished, being neat and tidy, and, apart from their delusions, very contented. I saw a good dinner of salt beef and bacon with beans and potatoes being served and much enjoyed. Milk puddings and other extras are given freely to the Service Patients. A copy of the dietary is attached. The wards are warm, bright and comfortable. No Service Patient was confined to bed, but three were isolated as scarlet fever contacts. Twenty-one are employed in some way or other.

The new admission hospital is nearly complete and will be opened very shortly.

There is a good canteen, and good provision is made for amusements. Great interest is taken in the Handicraft Department. There is a consulting surgeon and a dentist visits regularly.

(Signed) Headquarters Medical Inspector, Ministry of Pensions. MALE AND FEMALE NURSES IN THE SERVICE WHO HAVE OBTAINED THE CERTIFICATE OF THE ROYAL MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION.

Annie G. E. Hoxey Ernest Fuller Edith Iron Ada Hodgetts Ethel Fox George Bridger George Bellchamber Ernest H. Vinehill Frank Carter John E. Barnett Alice M. Shelley James A. Rodman Annie Elstob Alfred E. Nunns George F. Mason Thomas G. Parsons Emma L. Stevens Thelma M. Cox Albert King William G. Murrell Lilian A. Webb Lily Paul Lilian Umpleby Agnes M. Howick Daisy M. Bass Winifred Unwin Amy M. Beavis William H. Jones John C. Hughes John E. C. Keeping Albert A. Shaw

John Robson Herbert Barnard Ivv M. Seal Wilfred Rutherford Herbert F. Parry Herbert Bolton Frank M. Barratt Fanny Benjamin Eveline Bromfield Mabel E. Walker John J. Allen Phyllis M. Wadsworth Edwin J. Chadwick Ernest Hague Francis Kane Cyril E. Groves Charles T. Roberts Frank Hillier Teresa Bellchamber Ada Burley Frances M. Adams Fred Beech Charles A. Parkin Phyllis O. Haskell Monica Mc Farlane Jessie Thomas Leslie G. Hughes Gertrude Thissen Elizabeth Dee William J. Allison Norman Fletcher

Bertha Turner George F. Marchant Percy G. Ralfe Frederick R. Baker Henry W. Hollingdale Ellen Arthur Daisy Brown Florence Turner Leslie Room Cyril H. Morton James Yates Archibald A. Herbert Thomas Leeming Albert Hinde Edwin L. Cruttenden George R. Nowell Jack F. Shambrook John Blackburn Patrick L. J. Woodman Charles W. Martin Miriam G. Constable Clifford Gough George W. Draper Susannah M. Bainbridge Gertrude M. Wilson Rose V. A. Bond Edna M. Cook Elizabeth J. Allison

Ida C. S. Butterfield Doris Simm Bessie Hughes M. E. English Hilda M. Crawford Margaret Low Doris E. Beavan Elizabeth N. Johnstone Alice McKitterick Hilda Humphrey Kathleen Jones Iris M. Dyer Queenie K. A. Marks Joan I. Duncan Jessie MacIver Jean McLouchlan John R. Elsey Mary Winward Olive D. Selby Netty H. Lewis Florence Botting Ellen Morley Cecilia A. J. Rowlands Crosby Cummings William Ellis Jane T. Dawson Annie Wiggin

STATISTICAL TABLES

FOR THE

Year ending December 31st, 1937.

TABLE 1.

General Table, showing the movement of the Mental Hospital Population during the Year 1937.

	Ce	Certified.		T	Temporary.	ury.	Vo	Voluntary.	у.		Totals,	
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
On the Register January, 1st, 1937 Total cases admitted during the year	344	508 90	852 124	1+	13	15	51	99	78	372 89	561	933
Total cases under treatment during the year	378	869	976	4	14	18	42	149	228	461	761	1222
Departures, Discharges and Transfers during the year:— Relieved	175 20 20 20	28 30 20 20 20 30	04 6 8 9 9 9 9	1117	*	40	25 16 5	4 238	8000	25023	70 55 31	107 75 12 56
Total Departures, discharged, transferred and died during the year	41	85	126	-	7	00	50	99	116	92	158	250
On the Registers, December 31st, 1937	336	510	846	2	1	61	27	75	102	365	585	950
Average daily number on the Registers during the year	340	511	851	1	5	9	29	67	96	370	583	953
	3	Certified.		Te	Temporary.	у.	Vo	Voluntary.	у.			

*Number of persons under care during the year Number of persons admitted during the Number of persons recovered during the

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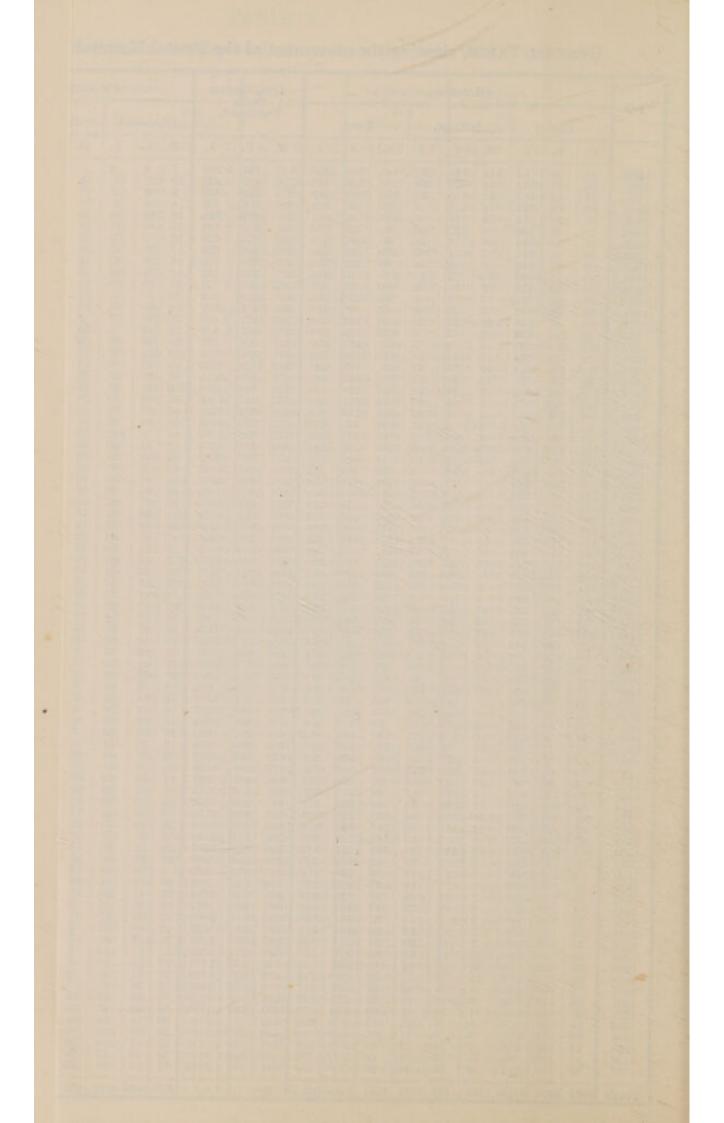
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* i.e.: Separate persons in contradistinction to "cases" which may include the same individual more than once.

TABLE 2.

General Table, showing the movement of the Mental Hospital Population during each year since the year 1859, together with the Recovery and Death Rates.

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	M.	F.	T.	M	F.	T	M.	F	T	M.	P.	T.		1	-	-	-	-	P.	-	- 5	-	T -	-	mber.	-	Register	77	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
1859 1861 1862 1863 1864 1863 1864 1869 1869 1871 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1873 1874 1880 1881 1883 1884 1885 1887 1888 1889 1891 1891 1891 1902 1903 1904 1905 1906 1907 1908 1909	28 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66 66	29. 29. 26. 26. 26. 26. 26. 26. 26. 26. 26. 26	1.57 1541 157 1681 1692 1692 1692 1692 1692 1692 1692 169	1115 141 46 46 470 77 2 2 9 4 4 10 175 9 2 7 4 4 2 5 5 2 6 6 4 4 10 10 19 5 19 4 2 8 10 6 6 6 7 7 7 2 2 9 4 4 1 10 175 9 2 7 7 4 4 2 2 5 5 2 6 6 6 4 10 10 19 5 19 4 2 8 10 6 6 6 7 7 8 5 5 8 8 2 8 2 8 2 8 2 8 2 8 2 8 2 8 2	135 296 1 1 224 4 4 1 2 1 3 2 3 2 4 4 4 1 2 1 3 2 3 2 4 4 4 1 2 1 3 5 3 4 6 7 5 7 3 5 8 8 7 17 7 3 5 4 4 4 1 2 1 1 1 1 5 4 6 8 4	2.50 6.57	31. 143	164 164 66 66 66 67 77 77 77 77 88 88 88 64 19 104 119 119 119 119 119 119 119 119 119 11	11 16 17 18 18 18 18 18 18 18	M. 143 143 143 143 143 143 143 143 143 143	164 164 165 164 165 165 166 166 166 166 166 166 166 166	11. 307 307 41. 307 307 307 307 307 307 307 307 307 307	13 6 6 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	4 222 19 16 18 10 17 25 27 34 25 22 34 44 34 40 34 47 34 31 31 32 34 47 47 31 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 34 44 31 31 32 32 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34	8 3 3 3 3 4 4 2 4 4 4 4 6 6 1 7 3 3 3 4 4 2 4 4 4 4 6 6 1 7 3 6 7 7 8 7 9 1 7 7 8 7 9 1 7 7 8 7 9 1 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7		1 73 73 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75 75	1 4 12 5 33 4 1 1 1	1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1	T. 244 384 85 1 5 2 2 5 49 3 3 2 27 7 25 21 6 15 3 8 8 2 2 27 7 25 2 16 5 3 8 2 2 27 7 25 2 16 5 3 8 5 2 2 12 5 5 8 5 7 9 86 43 90 9 9 1 31 5 2 2 2 16 6 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	M. 42572228366403535528585646661425657575546655757575757575757575757575757	9 19 18 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	12222222222222222222222222222222222222	1366 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	777.75.15.15.15.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.17.	1088	125 1985 225 225 225 225 225 225 225 225 225 2	T	1.4	F. 2.4.2.8.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.	1. 2.0 191.0	7.17.75.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28.7 5.0.2 22.28	13.8 29.3 1.7 23.5 5.7 20.8 31.7 20.8 20.2 1.2 29.4 47.9 20.8 47.7 20.8 447.9 3.4 47.9 3.4 47.9 3.4 47.9 3.4 48.1 20.5 26.1 20.1 20.1 20.1 20.1 20.1 20.1 20.1 20	1.	15.6 15.6 16.1	4.64 4.8.42 5.8.4 10.1 11.9.4 7.7.7 8.4 10.1 11.9.4 11.3	9.118.1. 9.118.1. 9.118.1. 9.118.1. 118.1.



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14. Dementia { a. Senile ... Acute Delirium... Confusional Insanity ... : Insanity with Epilepsy Forms of Mental Disorder. Stupor ... Primary Dementia 12. Volitional Insanity : applicable) Melancholia 1. Intellectual 1 Mania . Moral -010040001 ci 15. œ 6 infantile men-tal deficiency (idiocy or im-becility occur-ring as early in life as it can be observed). Insanity occurring later in Congenital

TABLE 4.

Analysis of the Discharges and Transfers dur

An Analysis of the Discharges and Transfers during the Year 1937.

	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	Т
Discharged as Recovered									
Discharged as Recovered. From Direct Admissions:—									1
First-Attack Cases	25	48	73						
Not First-Attack Cases	10	21	31						
Cases unknown whether First-Attack or not	1	1	2				3		
Total from Direct Admissions				36	70	106			
From Transfers :							3		
First Attack-Cases	-	_	-		-		1		
Not First-Attack Cases Cases unknown whether first attack or not	1	-	1				2		
Total from Transfers				1	-	1			
Total Discharged as Recovered				37	70	107			
	- 1			Re	lieve	d.		Not	
							- m 176	prove	d.
Discharged (not Recovered) as :-	00	10	69	20	49	69			
Relieved	20 7	49	8	20	40	0.5	7	1	1
	-								
Total	27	50	77						
Reasons for such Discharge.	21	48	69				- 3		
To go to Care of Friends	1	1	2						
Mental Hospital (As Voluntary Patient)	3	1	4						
To be Boarded Out Statutory, by Irregularity in Reception Order	1								
escaped and was not recaptured within 14 days		-	-						
Other reasons	2	-	2						
Total	27	50	77						
							1	-	
Transferred as :— Relieved	-	6	6		6	6		-	
Not Improved	3	1	4		7 -		3	1	1
Total	3	7	10						
Destinations of such Transfers.	-								
To other Mental Hospitals, Reg. Hospitals, and							11 1		
Licensed Houses	3	7	10	3					
To "Single Care"			=						
	-		-					1	
Total	3	7	10			- (
Total Discharged and Transferred as :—								- 114	
Relieved	***	222		20	55	75			
							-10		_
							CEE.	100	1
Not Improved							10	2	1

TABLE 5.
Showing principal causes of death during the year 1937 together with ages at death

Cause of Death	Und	ider 16 16-		-19	20	-24	25-		ges 35-	44	45-	54	55-	64	65 upw	and ards	1	[otal	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
General Diseases:—	-	-		-	-			-			-			-	474	-	-112	-	-
Influenza	***	***	***		***											1			
Dysentery	***		22.0		***			***							***				
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	***		100	***	***			4.0					1				1		1
Cancer	***	***	***	***	***		1						2			1	3	1	3
Diabetes	2.83	***		***				***					***						
Diseases of Nervous System :																0.00	1000	1	
Cerebral Hæmorrhage			***	***	***			***		-	***		1200	1				1	1
Softening of Brain	***			***	***			***											
General Paralysis of Insane	***	1	***					***		100			1				1	***	1
Epilepsy	***		***	***										1				1	1
Other Diseases of the Nervous System		***	200	***												***	***		
Diseases of Circulatory System :-											10000					****	0.00	100000	750
Diseases of the Heart				***						1		3	4	5	5	3	9	12	21
Diseases of the Arteries	***							***	***			1	2		5	8	7	9	16
Diseases of Digestive System :-											15000						170	-	-
Duodenal Ulcer	***	***						****		***									
Diarrhoea and Enteritis		***	***					***	***			***						***	
Ulcer of the Stomach		***	***	***	***	***		***	***	***	***						***		
Hernia			***	***	***	***		***	***			***							
Diseases of Respiratory Organs :-										100		****	***		***	***	***	***	***
Broncho Pneumonia	***	1							2	***	1	2		1	1		4	4	8
Other Diseases of the Respiratory										111			***				-	-	
System		***	***		18.00		4.	-				1		1				2	2
Diseases of Urinary System :		4.5		***									***			***		-	-
Chronic Nephritis	***		***											122					
Septicaemia			***		***											•••		358	•••
Other diseases of the Kidneys								1								***	***		ï
Cellulitis																***	100	-	(27)
Asphyxia by Suffocation (not Suicide)								1	***						***		***	1	1
· Totals		1					1	2	2	- 1	1	7	10	9	11	11	25	31	56

RATE-AIDED AND SERVICE PATIENTS' DIETARY SCALE.

BREAKFAST.	Bread Butter-Mixture Coffee or Cocoa			Females. 5 ozs. ½ ., l pt.
with one of	the following Ext Fish Paste or M Paste Tinned Meat Porridge Luncheon Sausag Brawn Marmalade Jam	Meat ge	1 oz. 2 ozs. ½ pt. 2 ozs.	1 oz. 2 ozs. ½ pt. 2 ozs. 2 ., 1½ ,, 1½ ,,
Formula				*

Cocoa, per 100 pints=26 ozs. Cocoa, 3 lbs. Sugar, 1½ gallons Milk.

Coffee, per 100 pints= $1\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Coffee, $2\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. Sugar, $1\frac{1}{2}$ gallons Milk.

Porridge, per 100 pints=183 lbs. Oatmeal, 8 tins Condensed Milk, and 3 lbs. Sugar.

DINNERS.	Boiled Beef or Por Vegetables		Females. 5 ozs. 12 ,,
	Pea or Lentil Soup Bread Fruit Dumpling	4 ozs.	1 pt. 4 ozs. 6 ,,
	Potatoes Bread Suet Pudding	4 ,, 4 ,,	4 ,, 12 ,, 4 ,, 6 ,, 1 ³ / ₄ ,,
		12 ,,	12 ,, 12 ,,
	Roast Beef, Mutt or Pork Vegetables Bread	6 ,,	6 ., 12 ., 2 .,

DINNERS		1	Males.	Females.
(continued)	Stew Bread Bread Pudding		1 pt. 4 ozs. 6 ,,	1 pt. 4 ozs. 6 ,,
	Meat Puddings Vegetables		12 ,, 12 ,,	12 ., 12 .,
	Corned Beef Potatoes Bread Fruit Pudding		$2\frac{1}{2}$,, 16 ,, 4 ,, 6 ,,	$ \begin{array}{c} 2\frac{1}{2} \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ \end{array} $

Blue Peas or Haricots substituted for Vegetables when latter are scarce.

Extras:-

When in Season: Stewed Rhubarb or Fruit with Rice and Sugar or Fruit Pies or Puddings.

When in Season: Salads with dressing.

Formulæ-

Soup, per 100 Patients = 18 lbs. Split Peas or Lentils, 50 lbs. Bones, &c., 50 lbs. Vegetables.

Fruit Dumpling, per 100 lbs. weight=56 lbs. Flour, 14 lbs. Suet, 9 lbs. Currants, 9 lbs. Raisins.

Bread Pudding, per 100 Patients=12½ lbs. Bread, 3 lbs. 2 ozs. Sugar, 2 lbs. 2 ozs. Fat, 2 lbs. 2 ozs. Currants, and Sweet Sauce.

White Sauce, per 100 Patients=28 ozs. Flour, 12½ ozs. Butter Mixture, Vinegar a sufficiency.

Meat Pies and Puddings, per 100 Patients=20 lbs. Flour, 61 lbs. Suet, 25 lbs. Meat.

Stew, per 100 Patients=25 lbs. Meat, 50 lbs. Vegetables, with Pearl Barley or Curried Rice.

Suet Pudding, per 100 lbs. weight = 56 lbs. Flour, 14 lbs. Suet.

		Males.	Females.
TEAS.	Two evenings—Bread Butter-Mixture Fish or Meat Paste		5 ozs.
	Three evenings-Bread Butter Mixture Golden Syrup, Jam or Honey	1	5 ½ 1 .,
	or one evening Fish Ca	akes.	
	Two evenings—Cake (Currant)	7 ozs.	6 ozs
	Each evening—Tea	1 pt.	1 pt.

Lettuce and Onions are given when supplies permit.

Stewed Fruit is given when supplies permit, instead of Jam.

Formulæ for making Cake, per 100 lbs.=64 lbs. Flour, 14 lbs. Currants, 14 lbs. Sugar, 21 lbs. Fat or Butter-Mixture, ½ lb. Spice.

Tea, per 100 pints=1 lb. Tea, 3 lbs. Sugar. 1½ gallons Milk.

EXTRAS.

For Supper Male and Female Patients receive ½ pt. Oxo and 4 ozs. Bread.

Extra Bread for all meals is issued above the scale if required.

All Milk is unskimmed.

Fresh Raw Fruit when supplies permit.

EXTRAS FOR MALE WORKING PATIENTS.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ pint Cocoa, 4 ozs. Bread, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Cheese for lunch. Tobacco, Snuff and Sweets.

EXTRA DIET FOR FEMALE WORKING PATIENTS.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ pint Cocoa, 4 ozs. Bread, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Cheese for lunch. 4 ozs. Bread, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Butter-Mixture, $\frac{1}{2}$ pint Tea at 4.0 p.m.

EXTRA DIET FOR SICK PATIENTS.

Steak, Mutton Chop, Mince Meat, Fowl, Fish, Eggs, Mutton Broth, Beef Tea, Essence of Beef, Milk, Arrowroot, Rice Pudding, Custard Pudding, Barley Water, Gruel, Oranges, Jellies, Stout, Wines, Spirits and Minerals.

STAFF DIETARY.

BREAKFAST:

Tea, $3\frac{1}{2}$ ozs. weekly. Sugar, $8\frac{3}{4}$ ozs. weekly. Butter, $3\frac{1}{4}$ ozs. weekly. Bread, 4 ozs. daily. Milk, $\frac{1}{4}$ pint daily.

with one of the following extras daily:-

Ham, 4 ozs.
Eggs, two.
Bacon 4 ozs. and 2 ozs. Tomatoes.
Bacon 4 ozs. and one Egg.
Bacon 4 ozs. and 2 ozs. Potatoes.
Tinned Pilchards (1 tin containing 1 lb.
between 3 persons).
Fish (at a cost not exceeding 3d. per head).
Sausages, 4 ozs. (two per person).

LUNCH :-

Bread, 4 ozs. daily. Cheese, 1 oz. daily. Coffee or Tea, 3½ ozs. weekly. Sugar, 8¾ ozs. weekly. Milk, ½ pint daily.

DINNER :-

Meat, 6 ozs. daily, or Fish, 8 ozs.
Vegetables (2 kinds) 1 lb. per day.
Condiments.
Puddings daily selected from—
Milk Puddings.
Tarts.
Suet Pudding.
Fruits and Custard.
Bread, 2 ozs. daily.
Fresh Fruit (thrice weekly).

TEA :-

Tea, 3½ ozs. weekly.
Sugar, 8¾ ozs. weekly.
Butter, 3½ ozs. weekly.
Bread, 6 ozs. daily.
Milk, ½ pint daily.
with one of the following extras daily—
Jam, 2 ozs.
Cake, Scones, etc., 4 ozs.
Honey, 2 ozs.
Sardines, 2 ozs.
Tinned Pilchards, 4 ozs.

DIETARY FOR PRIVATE PATIENTS IN THE MAIN BUILDING AND AT HURSTWOOD PARK HOSPITAL.

(Private Patients at "Beechmont" are not on a Fixed Dietary).

BREAKFAST Coffee, Bread and Butter, and (selected from)
Egg, Bacon and Potatoes, Ham, Sausages,
Fish.

DINNER ... First Course (selected from) Roast or Boiled Meat, Meat Stews, Steak, Chops, Meat Pies and Puddings, Meat and Potato Pies, Fish, Poultry.

Bread with each meal.

Two Vegetables with each meal except when Fish is served.

Second Course (selected from) Sweet Puddings, Milk Puddings, Tarts, Stewed Fruit with Custard, etc., Trifle.

TEA ... Tea, Bread and Butter, and (selected from) Cake,
Tinned Fish, Meat or Fish Paste, Jam, Honey,
Fish Cakes, Scones.

SUPPER ... Milk Puddings or Beef Tea daily.

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL HOSPITAL,
HAYWARDS HEATH.

ACCOUNTS

for the Year ended 31st March, 1938.

Maintenance Account

			ME	inter	an	ce	ACC	oui	nE.
EXPENDITURE.									
SALARIES AND WAGES-	£	s.	d.	£	S.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries and Wages (exclusive of sums									
paid for labour appearing in the									
Farm and Garden Account or com-									
prised in the Building and Repairs									
Fund Account)	2000		10						
Medical Staff	3098	6	10						
Nursing Staff Other Staff	$20056 \\ 9625$		10						
Superannuation Allowances and Con-	0020	10	10						
tributions returned under the Asy-									
lums Officers' Superannuation Act,									
1909	3553	15	10						
				36334	13	6			
PROVISIONS (including Farm and Gar-									
den Supplies) for Patients and Staff				17040	15	11			
For Staff	797	7	e						
T T 1	737 2176	7	9						
For Patients	2170	10	3	2914	6	3			
DRUGS AND MEDICAL AND SURGICAL				2014	0	0			
APPLIANCES				613	0	6			
FUEL, LIGHT, WATER AND LAUNDRY				8969		7			
DOMESTIC RENEWALS, REPAIRS AND									
Additions (Furniture, Etc.)				4735	3	7			
AMBULANCE AND OTHER TRANSPORT				352	9	0			
FUNERAL AND REMOVAL EXPENSES				38		11			
RATES AND INSURANCES				3060	Carlo Coli	9			
				3000	1.4	U			
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES—									
Freight and Carriage	37	9	7						
Stationery and Printing	645	2	2 7						
Periodicals and Newspapers	140 204	8	6						
Incidental Expenses Allowances to Service Patients	148	0	0						
Allowances to Patients "On Trial," et		5	2						
Postages and Telephones	330								
Patients Amusements and Library									
Books	380		10						
Tobacco, etc., for Patients	847								
Advertising	610	5	8						
Grounds, Greenhouses and Ornamen-	201	0							
tal Gardens	304 431		3						
Bank Charges Occupational Therapy	487		0						
Clinics, etc., under Mental Treatment	401	10	0						
Act	168	0	0						
	277			5022	18	10			
					-	_			
Total Expenditure				79081	13	10			
BUILDING AND REPAIRS FUND-									
Excess Weekly Charge on Out-									
Borough Patients transferred	4206	13	9						
Excess Weekly Charge on Private									
Patients transferred	4146	9	4						
-		-	-	8353	3	1	E EN TOPEN	10130	4/8/
TOTAL EXPENDITURE AND TRANSFERS							87434	16	11
EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDI-									
TURE CARRIED TO BALANCE SHEET							4201	0	2
							001-		-
						-	£91635	17	1

for the Year ended 31st March, 1938.

INCOME.									
		s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	a.	d.
Amount in hand at commencement of									
year							10578	6	9
MAINTENANCE OF PATIENTS-									
Rate -aided Patients :—									
County Borough of Brighton	45439	3	7						
Other Counties and Boroughs Treasurers of other Mental Hospitals and Authorities for Patients re- ceived under Contract—	1001	15	9						
Middlesex Mental Hospital, Naps- bury	1345	0	4						
County Borough of Eastbourne		9	0						
Section 2 and the West Control of			-	63592	8	8			
PRIVATE PATIENTS— Relatives and others for maintenance									
	13561	10	6						
OTHER PATIENTS—									
Ministry of Pensions for Service									
Patients	1929	10	3						-16
Board of Control for Ex-Service									
Prison Commissioners	157	12	6 2						
Prison Commissioners	20	12		15676	16	5			
FUNERAL AND REMOVAL EXPENSES-									
County Borough of Brighton	46	11	1						
Other Counties and Boroughs	3	10	2						
Treasurers of other Mental Hospitals and Authorities for Patients re- ceived under Contract— Middlesex Mental Hospital, Naps									
bury	2	15							
	16	19	11						
Ministry of Pensions				69	16	2			
FARM AND GARDEN ACCOUNTS—			-						
Surplus on Farm Account	327		8 2						
Surplus on Kitchen Garden Account	244	12		572	3	10			
SUPERANNUATION, UNDER THE ASY- LUMS OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1909—									
Proportion of Pensions repaid by County Councils and other Mental Hospitals				432	12	11			
MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—									
Sale of Kitchen Stuff, Old Stores, etc. Sundries	0.00	0 11	5 11						
Bank Interest		-							
Rent of Farm and Garden (Estimated	140	0	0		12	4			
TOTAL INCOME			1	-10		-	81057	10	4

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL

Buildings and Repairs Fund

EXPENDITURE	expenditure on Capital Account.	on Reve	ure			
	£ s. d.		d.	£	s.	d.
Ordinary Repairs (materials and						
wages)		6376 16	6			
Nurses' Home, Lavatory Basins		4 12	2			
Female 5 Garden Shelter		18 14	3			
Repairs to Farm Piggeries		204 5	7			
Redecorations to Laundry		57 17	0			
Outside Painting of the Hospital		861 11	5 2			
Levelling Recreation Ground		607 10				
Urinals, Male General Gardens		88 11	11			
New Boiler for Farm Dairy		80 11	2			
New Boiler for Pig Swill		74 12	10			
Repairs to Roads		148 16	6			
Outside Approach to Vegetable Room		28 4	1			
Erecting Swill and Dairy Boilers		22 5	11			
Cleaning Reservoir and Water Tanks		51 18	1			
Replacement of Water Closets		373 17	7			
New Lavatory and W.Cs. Male		117 0	-			
Ward 8		115 2	5			
Refrigerator, Main Kitchen		198 6	0			
Aga Cooker, Main Kitchen		188 13	9			
Redecorations to Female Ward 5		81 12	11			
Renewal of Tile Floor in Vegetable		07 10				
Room		27 12	5			
Redecorations to Kitchen		100 10	8			
Redecorations to Male Ward 1		137 0	10			
Redecorations to Male Ward 4		147 4	11			
Modernising Male Ward 5 Bathroom		81 9	11			
Admission Hospital, Laying out of						
Grounds		1 19	0			
Improvements to Chapel		54 5	2			
Redecorations to various rooms—		32 30	-			
Female Ward 8		13 16	10			
Footpath to Kents Road from new		10 10	- 72			
Staff Cottages		66 15	4			
Redecorations to Male Ward 2		151 11	2			
Renewing Water Main to Farm		23 2	5			
Hack and Plaster Walls, Female		1000				
Sleeping Gallery		101 19	6			
Redecorations to Upholsterer's Shop		26 8	11			
Repairs to Gardeners Shed		22 0	3			
Fire Hose Renewals		20 3	8			
Superannuation Allowances		488 14	2			
Tithe Rent Charge		21 16	4			
Insurance, etc		971 3	11			
	15857 18 7					
Admission Hospital (Clerk of Works)	345 9 0					
Admission Hospital, (Equipment)	2334 11 5					
Admission Hospital (Architect)	400 0 0					
Enlargement of Sewage Ejector	0.00					
Station	251 15 10					
Staff Cottages (Paths and Steps)	80 15 8					
Staff Cottages	792 4 11					
Making up Road to Admission Hos-	105 1 2					
pital	125 1 6					
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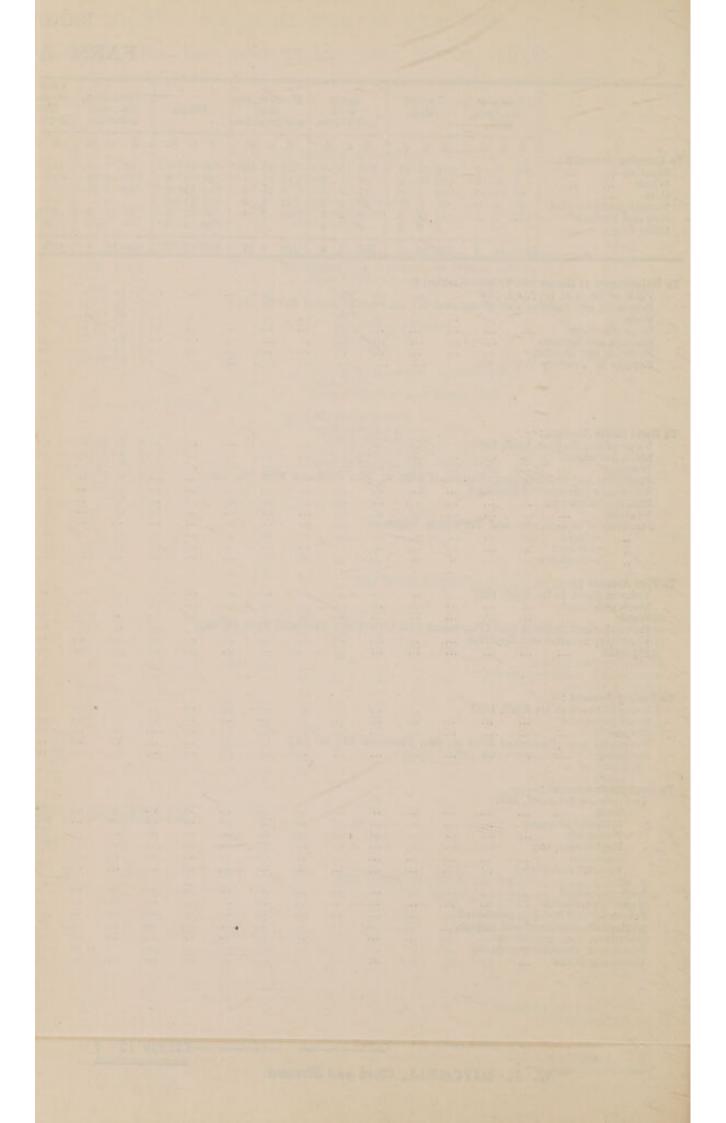
HOSPITAL, HAYWARDS HEATH.

Account for the Year ended 31st March, 1938.

INCOME.	Income on Capital Account.	Revenue	
County Borough of Brighton, for Ordinary Repairs, etc	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d
	19314 16 4 873 0 7		
Proportion of Pensions repaid by East Sussex County Council, etc.		71 1 3	
Rents Sundry Sales		1551 8 11 88 13 6	
Transfers from Maintenance Account Excess weekly charge on Out- Borough Patients		4206 13 9	
Excess Weekly charge on Private Patients		4146 9 4	

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL HOSPITAL, FARM ACCOUNT for the year ended 31st March, 1938.

	1st April, 1937,	Right	used and Plan	manus and Sa	res, etc. ted indries.	Wages	Thates one, South	and long	Phograin	Threshing and Cutting.	Total.			Sales.	Supplies to Hospital and Gurden.	grown on farm and used for Live Stock.	produce grown at 31st March, 1938.	Tenant Right.	Total.
To Cropping Accounts :— Potations		E s. d. 218 11 11 188 10 0 33 3 8 91 0 11 115 17 8 1 9 2		0 277 1 6 11 1 0 5 1 5 42 6 43	7 10 7 4 8 8 4 9 3 4	E s. d 100 10 1 41 4 1 15 15 4 101 15 4 49 12 3 30 14	8 s. 18 7 10 3 10 3 1 10 3	6 4 10 1 10 3	4 19 5 7 11 5 10 10 9 4 10 9	2 s. d. 3 11 1 3 11 0	£ s. d. 1348 7 9 306 13 11 131 10 7 308 0 4 306 10 8 55 2 6	By Cropping Accounts 1— Potatices Vibrat Manupolds and Sweder Hay and Persture Other Crops		g s. d. 94 19 8 150 15 3 12 0 0 19 18 1	£ s. d. 965 6 7	£ s. d. 106 0 0 88 0 0 147 15 0 187 6 0 20 0 0		4 - 4	E n. d. 1835 18 6 373 9 9 188 5 10 207 8 6 430 11 3 56 10 0
	#316 14 9		389 4	5 381	LB	416-13	50 10	8 11	2 1 7	7 9 0	2526 14 9			277 12 10	903 10 9	547 1 0	272 7 3	1155 11 0	3222 3 4
To Maintenance of Horses Value of Stock at hat Provender and Bedde Wages Stock purchased Harness and Repairs Medicine and Shoring Repairs to Tractor,	April, 1967 ng used (Purci	Account 1—	. Od.; Prod	uced £84	5k. 0d.)				000	2 s. d. 329 i 3 s. 5 0 s. 5 0 s. 61 19	T13 19 T	By Minitenance of Herea and Tracter Account Value of Work done, Complete Accounts Postators Wheat Mangolia and Sweden Hay and Fasture Other Cings Cartin, Fluidling and Repain Account Sales Value of Stock at Sist March, 1858					# 14 19 15 4 7 12 19 7 7 24 18 4 18	200 0 0	713 19 7
70 Dairy Cattle Account: Value of Stock at 1st Stock purchased Wages Provenier and Beddi Veterinary Services a Stilk recording, etc. Supplier Supplier Head Wages Standton Sundries Sundries Sundries Sundries Sundries Sundries	April, 1907 ing used (Pure	hined 4879	ea. 2d.; Pro	oduced #S	9 164 6	M.1				1344 0 0 215 0 0 420 9 8 1218 0 7 7 4 6 2 28 10 130 6 6 150 0 0 153 1 5		By Dulry Cuttle Account: Special Street of Hospital Mills (20000) gallal Mills (2000)	2)				- 200	1863 A 2 368 13 D 1805 13 D	
Ye Pign Account :— Value of Stock at 1st Stock purchased Wages Provender and Fields Veterinary Services a Pig Swill		based £1074	16. 10d.;	Produced	£100 Sc.	od.)				428 10 0 348 8 0 170 0 2 1183 9 10 17 1 6 27 15 0	3748 0 7	By Pigs Account :— Supplies to Hospital— Port (1881 lb.s.) Sales Value of Stock at Stat March, 1989	=	000 100 140 340 000 000	 			384 3 6 1467 4 10 825 16 6	1065 14 2
Provender used (Pure Medicine	hased £370 S	s. 3d.; Prod	luced £15 0	m. 0d.)						244 12 3 60 3 6 130 16 11 185 9 3 3 10 9		By Poultry Account :— Supplies to Heavital— Supplies to Heavital— Supplies to Heavital— Poultry (1229) Sales Value of Stock at Stat March, 1889				000 000 00 000 000 00 000 000 00		100000000000000000000000000000000000000	835 6 2
To Dead Stock Account: To Stocks at 1st April Stocks at 1st April Stocks Artificial Manur Provender Implements, etc. Medicine Paraffin and Pet			 					- 1	85 3 88 8 37 17 18 6 10 0	H 9 9 9		By Dead Sorick Account: Cropical Accounts Soris Manures Petrol and Paraffin economical Medicines, seto, used Tatching Stow		 					
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To General Account: Rates, Taxes and Ins Wages Estate Work Coal, etc. Carriage Stocktaking Valuation Soudies Estimated Rent of Fa	e e e	014 1-1 010 010 011 010 011 010 011 010 011 010 011 010								25 11 10 490 3 9 118 15 1 59 14 31 15 15 0 35 8 8 112 0 0	201 0 0	By General Account; — Sundry Sales Supplies to Hongetal — Rabbits Manures supplied from Farms to Garden	111					42 18 6 8 3 1 24 19 6	
Value of Tenant Right Balance, being Profit	at 1st April, 1 for the Year er	937 ided 31st Ma	reb, 1928	444 4			TCHE	N GA	PDI		294 1 0 327 11 8 011NT for	Value of Youani Right at 21st March, 1938 the year ended 31st March, 1	028	***	***			Ē	338 17 0 6638 12 7
To Valuation at Lat 1	1907					Al	CILL			f t. d.			730.					5.3	I. E a. d.
To Valuetion at 1st April, Serts Dread Stock Dread Stock Carden Copys, M. Raice and Taxes Wages Hoose Seeds Actificial Manuee Ananous, r.c., supposed Implements and Repair Provender Result of Land (Estimate Sundries	anure and Ter	ant Right						112 141 436	12 3 0 11 1	650 9 4 36 9 2 788 6 9 40 8 6 83 19 4 5 6 9 28 6 9 31 18 6 12 5 4 27 10 2 28 0 0 10 5 2	4	By Supplies to Hospital : Postators Vocetables Pentl Enbert Sales Value of Stock at 3 Set March, 1938; Horse Seeds Dead Stock Garden Copp, Maune, etc						No.	1330 11 2 19 6
Sundries Balance, being Profit for		ed Sist Marci	b, 1938		-	***	77 77	744		-	1721 4 3 244 12 2 1965 16 5				w.	е, мітснеі.	L, Clerk and		21965 16 5



LIABILITIES.

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL

BALANCE SHEET,

£ s. d. 8072 210 0 5

Overdraft at Bank (Treasurer's Account) ... 17715 4 9 ... 1068 6 6 Add Unpresented Cheques

Sundry Creditors

Private Patients

- 18783 11 3

Maintenance Account—Balance at Credit thereof 4201 0 2 Due to Borough Treasurer on account of Building and Repairs 199 6 9

£31466 4 4

31st MARCH, 1938.

			ASSETS								
			ASSE 1S	•		£	s.	d.	£	S.	d.
SUNDRY DEBTOR	s					_		-			-
For maintenan	ce of Pati	ients									
County Borough]	1683	15	7			
Other Counties a						341	10	10			
Treasurers of othe	er Mental	Hosp	itals and	Aut	horities	4395	5	9			
Relatives and oth	ners of Pr	ivate	Patients	3	1	244	18	2			
Ministry of Pensi	ons, etc.		***			535	7	10			
OTHER DEBTORS-								7	17200	18	2
County Councils		Mon	tal Horn	itale	/Pro-						
portion of Pens				itais	(110-	272	1	10			
Farm and Garden		***				139		10			
Sale of Kitchen S		Store	s. etc.				12	7			
Sundry Sales						116	3	7			
7 0				10	85				533	13	10
PRECEPTS ON BO	ROUGH TE	REASU	RER-								
Ordinary Repairs							_				
Admission Hosp						1193	5	6			
7						-		-	1193	5	6
STOCKS IN HAND	(at Cost	Price))—								
Provisions	***					705	1	10			
Uniforms						320	-	10			
Clothing						1858		9			
Fuel, etc	***	***	***			492	12	0			
Domestic Renewa	als					1853	11	8			
Farm and Garden	a (as per S	Stock	taker's	Valu	ation)	7106	1	0			
	- Harrison						31	-	12336	18	1
CASH TAKINGS IN	HAND-										
Private Patients'	Receipts					0	9	0			
Sundry Receipts						76	100000	9			
1 1 11								-	77	5	9
CLERK AND STEW	ARD—Cas	sh at	Bank			107	3	0			
11 11 11			Stamps			17	0	0			
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W. E. MITCHELL, Clerk and Steward.

TABLE SHOWING THE WEEKLY CHARGE FOR MAINTENANCE OF PATIENTS CHARGEABLE TO THE COUNTY BOROUGH OF BRIGHTON.

YEAR	March.	June.	Sept.	Dec.
V-02402-0	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1903				12 6
1904	12 6	11 1	10 9	10 6
1905	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0
1906	10 0	9 6	9 6	9 6
1907	9 6	9 6	9 6	10 0
1908	10 0	10 9	11 0	11 0
1909	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
1910	11 0	10 9	10 0	9 9
1911	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
1912	10 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
1913	11 6	11 6	11 6	12 0
1914	12 6	12 6	12 6	12 6
1915	12 6	13 6	13 6	13 6
1916	13 6	13 6	13 6	14 0
1917	15 6	16 6	17 6	18 6
1918	18 6	18 6	20 0	20 0
1919	19 6	20 0	25 0	25 0
1920	28 6	28 6	30 0	31 0
1921	31 0	31 0	31 0	30 0
1922	30 0	28 0	27 0	25 0
1923	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0
1924	24 0	24 0	24 0	24 0
1925	24 9	24 9	24 9	24 6
1000	24 6	24 6	24 6	24 6
1007	24 6	24 6	24 6	24 6
1927	24 6	24 6	24 6	24 21
1020	24 21	24 6	24 6	25 1
1000	25 1	25 1	25 1	25 1
1001	$\frac{25}{24} \frac{1}{9\frac{1}{2}}$		$\frac{25}{24} = \frac{1}{9\frac{1}{2}}$	$\frac{25}{24} \frac{1}{9\frac{1}{2}}$
A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR		$\frac{24}{24} \frac{9\frac{1}{2}}{21}$		23 71
1932	24 6	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	23 11	
1933	$ \begin{array}{ccc} 23 & 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 23 & 7\frac{1}{2} \end{array} $	$\frac{23}{2}$ $\frac{7\frac{1}{2}}{2}$	$\frac{23}{22}$ $\frac{7\frac{1}{2}}{99}$	$\frac{23}{29}$ $\frac{7\frac{1}{2}}{99}$
1934	$\frac{23}{22}$ $\frac{7\frac{1}{2}}{9}$	22 9	22 9	$ \begin{array}{cccc} 22 & 9 \\ 22 & 5\frac{1}{2} \end{array} $
1935	22 9	$\frac{22}{22}$ $\frac{5\frac{1}{2}}{51}$	$\frac{22}{22}$ $\frac{5\frac{1}{2}}{51}$	
1936	$\frac{22}{54}$	23 71	23 71	24 6
1937	24 6	25 41	$\frac{25}{20}$ $\frac{4\frac{1}{2}}{11}$	27 5
1938	27 5	$29 5\frac{1}{2}$	30 11	

BRIGHTON COUNTY BOROUGH MENTAL, HOSPITAL.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AVERAGE COST PER PATIENT PER WEEK ON MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31st March, 1938.

	I'	ITEMS			Weekly Average Cost per Patient.		
0.1.						s. d.	£ s. d.
Salaries and Wage	s:						
Medical Staff			***		***	1. 2.9	
Nursing Staff	***	***		***		8. 0.5	
Other Staff	22.2	***	***	***	22.7	3.10.4	10 1 0
Superannuation A	llowance	es and	Contri	bution	S.		13. 1.8
returned	***		***	***			1. 5.1
Provisions :-							
Purchased						4. 8.9	
Supplies from F						2. 1.1	
ouppites from a	COLUMN COLOR	Louit	ICII.				6.10
Clothing for Patie	nts						0.10.5
Uniform for Staff							0. 3.5
Drugs, Medical an							0. 2.9
Fuel, Generating					ale		0. 2.0
and Laundry					110		3. 7.2
Furniture, Beddin					wate		0, 1.2
and Handicra			···				2. 1.2
Transport and Tra		Evno	nene				0. 1.7
Rates and Taxes,				***	***		1. 2.7
reaces and rakes,	Cuc.		***	****	***		** *
Other Expenditur	e:					d.	
Stationery, Prin	iting an	d Post	tages			4.7	
Newspapers, etc						2.5	
Tobacco, etc.				***		4.1	
Incidentals						8.4	
						-	1. 7.7
							1.11. 6.3
Less Surplus on F	arm and	Gard	len Acce	ounts		2.8	1.11. 0.3
Less Sundry Rece							
						9.1	
Superannuation				***	***	2.1	
Sundry Sales at						3.4	
"Excess" on I			ts retain		Main-	1 10 =	
tenance Ac	count	***	***	***	***	1.10.5	2. 6.8
			40				£1.8.11.5

Average daily number of Patients in Hospital = 956.

W. E. MITCHELL, Clerk and Steward.

"BEECHMONT."

Ladies are received at "Beechmont" either as Voluntary, Temporary or Certified Patients.

"Beechmont" with an Estate of 27 acres is quite separate from the Mental Hospital Buildings and occupies a delightful position with a South aspect. It stands about 300 feet above sea level and commands fine panoramic views over the Weald of Sussex with the South Downs as a background.

"Beechmont" has up-to-date systems of lighting and heating and is attractively furnished on modern lines.

The Terms are from Three Guineas to Ten Guineas per week and are inclusive with the exception of clothing.

Relatives are invited to make frequent visits to the Patient there, and visiting is allowed at all times.

Application for admission should be made direct to the Medical Superintendent, Brighton County Borough Mental Hospital, Haywards Heath, who in the event of the Patient being accepted will forward the appropriate Admission Forms.

HURSTWOOD PARK HOSPITAL.

This Hospital was opened in May, 1938 and has accommodation for Private Patients of both sexes at fees ranging from 3 to 10 guineas per week. All modern aids to diagnosis and treatment are available including Pathological Laboratories, Operating and Dental Theatres and Hydrotherapy departments.

All the rooms face south and there is ample verandah accommodation.



