REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT,

FOR THE YEAR

1875.

To the Hon. THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS AND MINES:

SIR,—I have the honor to submit the Eighteenth Annual Report of the Nova Scotia Hospital for the Insane—with a series of Statistical Tables, exhibiting the numbers admitted and discharged, as well as the results of treatment, from its opening in 1859.

The admissions for 1875 have been one hundred and fourteen (114), and the discharges seventy-five (75); of which number forty-three (43) were recovered, seven (7) improved, one (1) unimproved, and twenty-four (24) died. At the close of the year the number remaining in Hospital is three hundred and eighteen (318).

The whole number under care for the past year was three hundred and ninety-three (393). The daily average has been three hundred (300), being greatly in excess of any previous year.

During the past seventeen years one thousand and ninety-three (1,093) have been admitted, of whom seven hundred and seventy-five (775) have been discharged, as follows, namely: two hundred and twenty (220) have died; twenty-one (21) have been removed unimproved; eighty-one