

Fortieth Annual Report

OF THE

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

OF THE

NOVA SCOTIA HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE,

1896-7.

TO THE HONORABLE CHARLES E. CHURCH,
Commissioner of Public Works and Mines :

SIR,—

I have the honor to submit the 40th report of the operations of the Nova Scotia Hospital for the Insane.

	M.	F.	Total.
Number of patients on register, Oct. 1, 1896...	176	187	363
Admitted during year ending Sept. 30, 1897...	52	45	97
Total under treatment for year.....	228	232	460
Total discharged for year	62	65	127
Total remaining on register, Sept. 30, 1897....	166	167	333
Daily average	174.79	179.87	354.66
Discharged as recovered.....	31	33	64
Discharged as improved.....	18	15	33
Discharged as unimproved (quiet but demented)	5	3	8
Died	7	14	21
Not insane	1		1
	62	65	127
Percentage of deaths on daily average.....	4.0	7.8	5.9
Percentage of deaths on whole number under treatment.....	3.0	6.0	4.5
Percentage of cures on admissions.....	61.5	73.3	67.4
Number out on trial	3	3	6