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To the Honorable Charles E. Church,

Commissioner of Public Works and Mines:

SIR .-

I have the honor to submit the Annual Report of the operations of the Nova Scotia Hospital for the Insane.

ADMISSIONS.

There were 76 of whom 14 had formerly been inmates—13 once, and 1 three times.

We have as usual had a large number out on trial all the time, partly to make room for the many applicants and as well to feel satisfied of the recovery or fitness of the patients to reside at bome. All our discharges as recovered had been for months at home before being discharged, and we had received favorable reports of them before removing their names from the register. The number out on trial, varied from 13 to 57. Only a very small number of those allowed to go home on trial are returned for treatment.

DISCHARGES.

There were 99 discharges, of which 36 were classed as recovered, 30 improved and 2 stationary. There were 31 deaths from the following causes:

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Epilepsy	2 2 4
Diarrhœa	2 3 5
General Debility	1 5 6
Paralysis.	1 0 1
Bright's Disease	1 0 1
Old age	1 1 2
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The death rate is a little over our general average (6 per cent) being 7.8 on general average of daily resident and 6.5 on the whole number under treatment.

RECOVERIES.

There were 36 recoveries, being over 47 per cent. on the admissions a little above our general average (46).

IMPROVEMENTS.

During the past year, a new kitchen, 22 feet wide and 30 feet long, single story has been erected, which will relieve a pressing need.

Many forms of ice closets and cold chambers have been tried with most indifferent success, and when getting the new kitchen, the walls were extended 20 feet to include a double cold chamber—one for milk and butter, and one for meat—each is surrounded by a double air space and quite separate from the other.

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The ice receptacle is in the centre of each room at the top.

It has so far proven satisfactory and at a very small expenditure of ice. This will be a great saving, for we have been unable to store sufficient ice to supply the wasteful plan that has obtained. This past summer for the first time, the ice gave out very early, and we were two months without any—but this was partly due to the poor supply that was obtained the past winter.

The ordinary class of cows we have had all gave poor returns in milk, for the expense of keeping them, and last year, three Holstein heifers were purchased, one of which has since calved, and there is a fair prospect of having a large herd of this valuable stock.

They were purchased by funds obtained from the sale of our annual surplus of pigs.

REQUIREMENTS.

We are much in need of a store room for storing dry goods, and like stores—that are now kept in the basement which cannot be kept free from dampness and mildew.

We are also in great need of more barn accommodation. Last year we were forced to stack outside a large portion of the hay raised on the farm for want of place within.

Had we room to store it, hay and straw could be purchased 25 per cent cheaper, were we able to take advantage of the market.

It is not desirable to put up additional structures convenient to those now existing, not only for the greater danger in case or fire—but also because there is not adequate space.

Those, we at present have, should be removed to the eastern side of the "passage road" where there is every convenience for them as well as room, and in addition we would get rid of an eyesore. We want to utilize the ground in the vicinity of the Hospital for the comfort of the patients as we are at present too much restricted for airing and exercise ground.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Rev. C. Underwood, P. P., had service every second Sunday, and Rev. Mr. Mellor, the third Sunday of each month.

At other times we have been favored by the Revds. Dr. Burns, P. M. Morrison, Robert Laing, T. W. Smith, J. McMillan, W. H. Cline, W. C. Brown, J. L. George, J. Strothard, Dr. Lathern, Mr. Dawson, D. M. Gordon. C. W. Williams, G. F. Johnson and Mr. Raven.

Miss Adams as usual presides at the organ on Sundays, and we have also been favored every other Sunday by Miss McKenna, of Dartmouth.

The directors of the Halifax and Dartmouth S. S. Co., and their obliging Secretary, Mr. VanBuskirk, placed S. S. "Mic-mac" at our service for an excursion on the harbor last summer, which was as usual much enjoyed.

To Mrs. Wilbe for donation of papers.

To clergyman of all denominations, who always come at the request of any of the inmates who desire their services; and we have many such vi-its.

The press of Halifax and throughout the Province contribute their regular issues; and, in common with the world outside, our patients are most interested in this form of literature.

The following papers are regularly received:

- " Acadian Recorder," (tri-weekly).
- "Wolfville Acadian."
- "Christian Messenger and Visitor."
- "Church Guardian."
- "Colchester Sun," (Truro).
- "Colonial Standard," (Pictou).
 "Courier," (Digby).
- "Eastern Chronicle," (New Glasgow).
- "Morning Chronicle," (daily).
- "Morning Herald," (daily).
- "North Sydney Herald," (Cape Breton).
- "Advocate," (Sydney, Cape Breton).
- "Island Reporter," (Sydney, Cape Breton).
- " Progress," (Lunenburg).
- "Weekly Monitor," (Bidgetown).
- "Spectator," (Annapolis).
- "Tribune," (Windsor).

The annual sleigh ride was, as usual, appreciated, and as well the regular dance evenings.

Arrangements are made for regular lantern entertainments.

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THE PAST YEAR.

Our work for the past year has been as usual satisfactory.

The female wards have not been crowded the past year, but the wards on the men's side have been much overcrowded.

During the past year Cape Breton and Inverness counties have made provision for their chronic insane and according to Chap. 44, of Acts of 1886, they have removed 23 men and 16 women.

The vacancies thus made on the male side, are being rapidly filled up and further accommodation must be provided.

Colchester county occupied from $\frac{1}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{10}$ of the capacity of this institution for the past year, and at present there are in the hospital from that county 36 inmates; Cumberland has 24, Kings 26, Halifax and Pictou have also large numbers, but they are of a class that require mere care and attendance than the majority of those in the above list, as they have removed the quieter ones. Cumberland county has relieved us of a few, but Colchester and Kings have taken no practical steps.

In order to make room for the many applicants, we discharged on trial, all those that might be either benefitted, or treated at home and at present, there are 57 of these on register.

Dr. Page at the instance of the executive made careful examinations of the institution, a duty which he performs in a most gentlemanly and painstaking manner.

The Commissioner of Public Works and Mines and the Secretary pay their regular visits of inspection and advise in the general management.

My thanks are due to all our officials for prompt, willing and satisfactory service, without which our efforts would tail, and to the Assistant Superintendent as usual for his valued assitance, and as well for aid in preparing the statistical tables included in this report.

To you, Sir, I desire to express my appreciation of the assistance, courtesy and kindness always manifested in our official intercourse and in your visits of inspection.

I am, respectfully, Your obedient servant,

A. P. REID,

Medical Superintendent.

Nova Scotia Hospital for Insane. January 1st, 1890.

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Admission of Patients. Discharge of Patients. Forms of Certificates.

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TABLE V.-- Showing the Cause of Death each year, from the

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Showing the length of Treatment of those Discharged Recovered, and those who Died, in the year 1889. TABLE VI.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE,		RECOVERED,			DIED.	
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Total	22	14	36	13	18	31

TABLE VII.

Showing the duration of the Disorder on Admission, of the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths in the year 1889.

DURATION OF DISEASE, &C. IN FOUR CLASSES

TABLE VII.

Showing the duration of the Disorder on Admission, of the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths in the year 1889.

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TABLE VIII.

Showing the Age of Admissions, Discharges and Deaths during the year 1889.

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" 50 to 60 "	11	ေ	14	4	2	9	5	4	6	67	67	4
" 60 to 70 "	4	9	10	1	ಣ	4	:	:	:	2	4	9
" 70 to 80 "	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	1	:	1
Total	44	32	92	22	14	36	21	11	32	13	18	31

TABLE IX.

Condition as to Marriage in the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths during the year 1889.

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Single	19	14	33	13	4	17	6	9	15	4	9	10
Married	23	12	35	00	10	18	6	4	13	2	00	15
Widowed	53	9	00	1	:	1	ෙ	1	4	61	4	9
Total	44	32	26	22	14	36	21	111	32	13	18	31

TABLE X.

Showing the probable causes, apparent or assigned, of the Disorders, in the Admissions of the year 1889.

CAUSE.	Тн	E Admissi	ONS.
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Religious excitement		1	1
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Failure in business			1
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Grief			
Anxiety	1		
Old Age			1
Cause unknown	4	5	9
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Hereditary predisposition	20	20	40
Intemperance	1		1
Overstudy and overwork	3	2	5
Injury			
Onanism	2		2
Epilepsy	1		1
Sunstroke	1		1
Fever	2		5
Lactation		1	1
Puerperal			
Climacteric			
Unknown and re-admission	3	1	4
Paralysis	3		3
Syphilis	1	1	2
Congenital	2		2
Total	44	32	76

TABLE XI.

Monthly Admissions and Discharges from January, 1859, to December 31st. 1889.

1859 To 1888.	January.	February.	March.	JirqA.	May.	.ennt	July	August.	September.	October.	лочетье?.	December .	Males.	Females.	латоТ.
Admitted Discharged	166	135	148	212	213 151	246 162	242 193	198 175	224 167	187	190	164	1262 1086	1064	2326 1942
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Remaining	395	399	393	398	404	397	406	401	399	388	390	372	194	178	372

TABLE XII.

Alleged Ages of All Admitted.

1889.	1859 to 1888.	TOTAL
From 5 to 10 years 10 to 20	4 162 641 553 386 278 132 44 1 125	4 166 664 567 397 292 142 44 1 125

TABLE XIII.

Civil Condition of All Admitted.

	Married.	Single.	Widowed.	Unknown,	Re-Admitted.	Total.
1859–1888 { Males Females	408 387	585 407	45 77	20 10	204 183	$1262 \\ 1064$
1889 { Males Females	20 10	16 10	1 5		7	44 32
Total	825	1018	128	30	401	$-\frac{32}{2402}$

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TABLE XIV.

Former Residence (Corrected by Separation of Re-admissions.)

		188	89.	1859-	-89.		
		Admission.	Re-Admission.	Admission.	Re-Admission.	Total. 1859-89.	Population, 1881.
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TABLE XV.—Former Occupation, so far as Ascertained.

	1	889.	185	9-88.	To	OTAL.
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Architect and Wife			1		1	
			1	1	1]
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Dancis and Wives			1	1	1	1
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Dasket Makers.			4		4	
DICWEL				2		2
DOOK-GINGER	1		1		1	
TOURIER.	1		5	1	5	1
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- " CHCI Sand WIVES	1. 1		1.		1	
Cook.			4	2	4	2
William Makers and William	1			2		2
carpenters and wives			3	1	3	1
Conductor's Wife	1	1	46	40	47	41
Clerks, Book-keepers and Wives				1 .		1
Officers of Customs			28	6	28	6
Cabinet Makers and Daughters			5	1	5	1
Coopers and Daughters			6	3	6	3
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Engineers and Wisses		6 .		41		47
Engineers and Wives.	1 .		8	9	9	9
actory Employes.		2 .		1		3
armers' Wives, Sons and Daughters.	14	12 4	106 2	10	120	224
ishermen, Wives, Sons and Daughters	4	1	74	45	78	46
ardeners and Wives			1	3	1	3
entlemen and Women		1	12	45	12	46
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Miners and Wives			2	2	2	2
Moulders and Wives				2		2
Nurse Daughtars	1		7	2	8	2
Physicians, Wives and Daughters			6		6	
Priests			11	1	11	
Printers	1		12	6	13	-
Painters and Wives			2	6	2	(
Pensioners and Wives and Daughters			9	2	9	. !
Pedlars and Wives	1		2		3	
Photographers	1		8	1	8	
Plumbers, Tinsmiths, and Wives			2		2	
Reporters			1		1	
Rope Maker	8 3	1	24	20	27	2
School Teachers, Wives and Daughter	. 1	1	14	14	15	1
Ship Captains, Wives, Stevedores	. 1		2		2	
Sextons	. 2		63	37	65	3
Seamen and Wives and Daughters	. 2		17	1	17	
Soldiers, Marines and Wives			23	9	23	1
Shoe Makers and Wives			3		3	
Saddlers				17		1
Seamstresses			. 8	2	9	
Students	. 1		10	2	10	
Shipwrights and Wives			1		1	
Surveyors			2	3	2	
Shop Keepers			3	1	3	
Sail Makers and Wives			4		4	
Stone Cutters			3	3	3	1
Tailors, Wives and Daughters			6	5	6	
Tanners and Wives			. 9	4	10	
Teamsters and Wives	. 1		1	1	1	
Tobacconists			7	3	7	
Traders and Wives			*	9	1	
Telegraph Operators			. 1		1	
Tramps			. 1		1	
Wool Sorters			. 1		1	
Wheelwrights			. 1		11	
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TABLE XVII.

Maintenance of Patients in Hospital, December 31st, 1889.

COUNTY.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Annapolis	5	8	13
Antigonish	4	3	7
Cape Breton	15	10	25
Colchester	23	13	36
Cumberland	13	11	24
	6	6	12
DigbyDartmouth (Municipality)	3	6	9
Sartmouth (Mullicipancy)	8	7	15
Auysborough	2		2
St. Mary's District	10	14	24
Halifax City	14	19	33
	6	4	10
Hants, West	2	2	4
East	14	12	26
nverness	12	14	26
Kings	1	4	5
Lunenburg	4	4	8
Town	4	i	5
Chester District	7	12	19
Pictou	6	7	13
Richmond	U	i	1
Shelburne	3	i	4
Barrington District	6		6
Victoria	2	1	6
Yarmouth	í		1
Argyle District	5	1	(
Queens	10	6	16
Province	8	8	16
PrivateBrown and Bell Fund		. 3	1
Totals	194	178	372

TABLE XVIII.

Balance Due Hospital, December 31st, 1889,

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	Current Acct.	Old Balance due 1878.
Annapolis		
Antigonish Cape Breton	. 8 441 61	
Cape Breton	7010	\$3620 2
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Oumberland	00	6166 5
D1g by.	1215	459 2
Guvshorough	4148 83	
St. Mary's District	9312 85	895 79
Halifay Count	4120 34	
Hallfay City Cl.	506 47	809 77
Halifax City County	20375 48	615 43
Dartmonth M		5819 09
Hants, West	2131 11	******
Hants Foot	600 00	
Hants, East. Inverness	313 94	
Inverness Kings	126 29	
Kings. Lunenburg	8294 30	19 91
Lunenburg		19 91
Lunenburg Town. Chester District	312 95	
Pictou	119 80	
	1351 88	2000
	527 23	2896 73
helburne	495 25	7.100
Barrington District		1423 67
ictoria	1058 98	
armouth	3442 31	117 70
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TABLE XIX.

Showing the amounts received from Counties and other sources during the year 1889.—(Income).

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		-
Annapolis	\$2450	00
Antigonish		
Cape Breton	2000	
Colchester	4900	99
Cumberland	2500	00
Digby		
Dartmouth (Municipality)	592	84
Dartmouth (Municipality)		
Guysboro	400	
St. Mary's District	1500	
Halifax		84
" City	Torms	0.2
Hants, West	1318	00
" East	2020	-
Inverness	0 200	93
Kings		00
Lanenburg	1157	21
Town	373	09
Chester District	600	00
Pictou	5330	13
Richmond	6601	28
Shelburne	634	30
Barrington District	631	00
Victoria	1000	02
Victoria	816	23
Yarmouth	501	-
Argyle District		
Queens	346	
Funds	2887	86
Private Patients	-	00
Provincial Government	12000	
Water Rates	48	00
Sundry Sales	595	24
08 pl	\$76383	93

TABLE XX.

Expenditure.

	manager and advantagement designation
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Apples	
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Beans	$\frac{476}{5}$ $\frac{25}{7}$ $\frac{15}{15}$
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TABLE XX.—(CONTINUED).

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M	SCELLANEOUS.
Marking Ink \$ 16 00 Baskets 7 70 Carriage Lamps 6 50 Trees and Shrubs 23 00 Horse 150 00 Veterinary Surgeon 45 00 Statute Labor 18 00 Inquest 5 00 Patent Mops 3 75 Mats 3 00 Directory 2 50 Hair Cutters 4 50 Brackets 1 20 Expense acct 22 50 Rescuing Patient 10 00 Clocks and repairs 27 10 Spectacles 3 30 P. O. Box 1 00 Organist 40 00 Express charges on parcels 3 23	Return Mainten'ce. \$22 24 Truckage

TABLE XX.—(CONTINUED).

Brou	ght forward\$ 23760 9
НО	USE EXPENSES.
Blue \$ 26 40 Bells 2 25 Butter Dishes 7 63 Brooms 92 15 Boots and Shoes 868 85 Brushes 99 67 Buckets 34 80 Clay Pipes 11 25 Candles 4 75 Clothes Pins 25 Crockeryware 149 92 Coal 4338 40 Dry Goods 5909 48 Entertainment 66 18 Furniture 527 51 Funeral expenses 79 00 Ferriage 181 95 Gas Making 597 43 Ice 26 25 Knife Brick 1 50 Knives and Forks 12 50 Matches (safety) 30 13 Dil, Sweet 16 80 Dil, Kerosene 18 79	Pearline \$ 5 00 Razors 2 62 Recreation
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TABLE XX.—(CONTINUED.)

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FARM.			
Oats	\$ 228 674 582 384 143 60	11 20 45 00	
Less Sales, Pigs, &c	\$2072 595		47
REPAIRS.			
Smith-work Lumber Repairs Masons and Helpers' Wages Carpenters' Wages. Engineers' Assistants Wages	\$ 117 363 5191 765 564 1099	40 37 75 00	10
EXTRAORDINARY.			
New Cook House	\$2284 553 605 344	24 68	66
SUMMARY OF EXPENSES FOR YEAR	1889.		
Food	19172 534 15577 3252 1477	25 60 50 66 47 10 66	
		\$72411	54

TABLE XXI.

Statement for Year.

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1889. Jan'y 1. Feb. March. April. May. June. July. August. Sept. Oct. Nov. Dec.	Stock on hand. Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn Warrants drawn	4710 26 5492 12 7100 21 5010 47 4479 67 5935 27 4822 82 5728 91 6376 02 7717 08 6205 74
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1889.	CL. 1		
Dec. 31.	Stock on hand Warrants drawn for the year	\$ 5832 73572	72° 83
		\$79405	55

TABLE XXI.—(CONTINUED).

Statement for Year.

1889.			
	Expenditure as per Table 20\$ deducted from Farm Account	72411 595	54 24
Dec. 31.	Stock on hand	6398	77
		\$79405	55

EARNINGS.

		\$79405	55
Dec.	Deficiency Stock on hand	$17041 \\ 6398$	
	Sales Account, Sundries		
	Interest Account, old balances, &c	3848	16
1889.	Maintenance and Clothing\$	51521	48

TABLE XXII.

Farm and Garden Produce, 1889.

Onions	Tomatoes 23 " Squash 40 " Celery 75 doz. Corn 132 " Cauliflower 68 " Cabbage 54 " Gooseberries 208 qrts. Currants 350 "
Parsnips 46 "Parsnips 8 "	Corn
Crab Apples 60	Currants
Beef	1 11ay 40 tons.

TABLE XXIII.

Articles made by the Female Patients, 1889.

794 Shirts, 333 Drawers, 103 Mitts, 271 Socks, 490 Hose, 216 Collars 285 Chemises, 165 Night Dresses, 378 Petticoats, 240 Dresses, 127 Women's Drawers, 435 Aprons, 150 Waists, 8 Tea Bags, 3 Jackets,	5 Fleecy Suits, 685 Sheets, 46 Table Cloths 280 Bolster Cases, 412 Pillow Cases, 156 Pillow and Bolster Ticks, 90 Bed Sacks, 13 Mattrass Covers, 267 Rollers, 20 Sofa and Chair Covers, 71 Window Blinds, 744 Towels, 10 Ottoman Covers, 46 Clothes Bags,
35 Hats (trimmed). 15 Shrouds,	24 Mattrass Ticks, 58 Bread Bags, 33 Curtains.

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APPENDIX.

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Regulations for the Admission of Patients to the Nova Scotia Hospital for the Insane.

Whenever the admission of a patient is desired, application should be made to the Medical Superintendent, who will at once transmit a blank form (the Statement). This form may be made out by the Physician, nearest relative, or friend, and the answers to the questions therein carefully and accurately written out, as it is the chief source on which reliance can be placed, in so far as the previous history and present condition of the patient is concerned, and is entered on the records of the Hospital. It must be sworn to before a magistrate.

On receipt of the statement, an answer will be transmitted. If the case be one suitable for admission, two blank forms of Medical Certificate, and a blank Warrant in case of Patient chargeable to the Municipality, or blank form of Bond for private Patient, will be sent to the applicant.

The Medical Certificates must be made out by duly qualified Medical Practitioners (those whose names are annually published in the "Royal Gazette,") or they cannot be received. See Clause 21, Chap. 38, Revised Statutes, Fifth Series.

These Certificates empower two County Magistrates to make out the Warrant and commit the insane person to the Hospital.

N. B.—In any county in which the Municipal Council has appointed Magistrates to commit insane persons to the Hospital for Insane, two of those so appointed must sign the Warrant.

Upon presentation of proper Medical Certificates and Warrant, or Bond, at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works and Mines, an order of Admission may be furnished, with which order and other papers accompanying the patient, admission at the Hospital follows.

In a crowded state of the Hospital, the commissioner must give the preference of admission to presumably curable cases.

Two good suits of clothing at least, should be sent with every patient. A third suit for occasional use is very desirable.

Those about to be committed to the Hospital should *invariably* be informed of it *before leaving home*. Everything like deception must be scrupulously avoided. No promises as to the precise time of their return should ever be made.

In order to be benefitted by hospital treatment, patients should be placed under care at an early stage of their disease.

The following clauses of Chapter 38, of Revised Statutes, Fifth Series, are appended for the information of those desiring the admission of a patient:—

CLAUSE 21. In every case where admission is sought for a patient, a statement in writing in the form of Schedule A shall be filled up and sworn to before some justice of the peace by a party cognizant of the facts therein contained, and forwarded to the Medical Superintendent for examination; and his answer and approval shall be received before the patient is forwarded. No person shall be received into the Hospital for the Insane as a patient without a certificate as in Schedule B, from two qualified medical practitioners in actual practice in the Province, of whom the one shall not be the son, brother, partner, or assistant of the other, the examination therefor having been made not more than 30 days before admission.

CLAUSE 22. In case of private paying patients, a bond shall be given to the Commissioner of Public Works and Mines, with sufficient surieties for payment of expenses, and a payment of one quarter's board shall be made in advance. Such bond may be sued on as often as shall be necessary, and recovery had in the supreme or county courts, according to the amount sued for and according to the ordinary practice of the court in like cases.

CLAUSE 26. In case such person shall have been certified to be insane by only one medical practitioner, before his apprehension, he shall be again examined and certified, as in Schedule B, by two duly qualified practitioners, to be appointed by the Commissioner of Public Works and Mines, before he shall be admitted into the Hospital.

CLAUSE 30. The Commissioner of Public Works and Mines, in the case of patients now in the Hospital for the Insane, or on whose behalf admissions are sought, and where, in his judgment, there are circumstances justifying a departure from the ordinary rates, may make special agreements for the amount and payment of board; and where a patient from violence or otherwise requires a special or extra attendant, such extra attendance shall be charged and paid for in the same manner as the ordinary charges.

N. B.—The Superintendent has no power to admit a patient without the order from the Commissioner Public Works and Mines.

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DISCHARGE OF PATIENTS.

When a patient recovers, the friends are notified, and upon their application, with the Medical Superintendent's certificate, the order for discharge is granted by the Commissioner of Public Works and Mines.

In cases of doubtful recovery, after six months' residence, it is now customary to grant leave of absence "on trial." If a relapse occur before final discharge, the patient is at once re-admitted without any new formalities

SCHEDULE A.—STATEMENT.

To be forwarded to the Medical Superintendent when application is made for the reception of a Patient.

Some member of the family or acquaintance (assisted by the attending physician, if practicable) should give a full and complete answer to each question—all facts thus given will be regarded as private or professional communication.

- 1. Name of patient (in full).
- 2. Where born.
- 3. Son (or daughter) of. Give names of parents, and state whether they are or are not blood relations.
 - 4. Residence , County of
 - 5. Age , last birthday.
 - 6. State as to marriage. Single, married, or widowed.
- 7. Number and age of children. If female, give date of last child-birth.
 - 8. Occupation (or that of father or husband).
- 9. Personal characteristics. Give any physical defects or peculiarities. Habits as a child and since then; disposition and tastes; success in business or condition of life. Has the patient any vicious habits or always led a regular life; is he addicted to the moderate or immederate use of alcoholic beverages, or if a total abstainer.
- immoderate use of alcoholic beverages, or if a total abstainer.

 10. Family history. Give all facts pertaining thereto—if any relations have been insane, hysterical, nervous, or have had fits, convulsions or syphilis, and whether on paternal or maternal side. Have either been addicted to intemperate use of stimulants or narcotics?
 - 11. Education.
 - 12. Religion.

13. Previous attacks. State if patient has ever had convulsions. fits, or any previous attack of insanity. The age at time of attack, its character, duration and treatment employed. If sent to an asylum state where, and the result of treatment. Give particulars of any subsequent attacks, if any.

14. Previous health. Has the patient ever had sunstroke, or any injury of head, or any other serious injury, or any serious disease, such as fever, ague, syphilis, gout, rheumatism, consumption, or affection of lungs, heart, brain, kidney, or other organ. Has patient ever been

delirous, and if so, give supposed cause.

15. Present attack. Give date of any change in the usual condition of habits, disposition and temper. What was the change? Has he been rash or speculative of late in business, or has he exaggerated notions of his ability, strength, power, &c. What has been done so far as regards care or treatment?

16. Assigned causes. Give supposed cause or causes, predisposing or remote, and the exciting or present cause.

17. Duration of present attack. Give date of its commencement.

18. Whether subject to epilepsy. State if patient has falling sickness or fits of any kind.

19. State as to sleep. Sleepless or restless at night?20. Appetite for food. Natural, depraved, fastidious or absent.

21. If dangerous to others, how? Give full particulars. State every attempt to injure others. Was it from sudden passion or premeditation? Has the patient been subject to mechanical restraint or confinement, and if so, where and in what form, and for how long a time?

22. If suicidal, in what manner. State whether attempted or

threatened, and how often?

23. Present condition. Whether in usual health, or feeble and emaciated, is the voice natural, or is there hesitancy or stammering in speech? Is there any paralysis, or loss of power of limbs? Is sight and hearing natural? Is patient excited or quiet, pleasant or moody and irritable? What is the occupation during the day or night? Is there failure in memory, or are his ideas exagerated?

24. What delusions. Give their characteristics. Are there false impressions concerning the individuality or surrounding? Are the ideas connected, or is the mind continually wandering? Is a word drropped or forgotten in conversation, or mispelled or absent in his

writing

25. Present habits and propensities. Is the patient filthy in habits or language, or destructive of clothing, furniture or glass? Is there indulgence in secret vice, and if so how long?

26. Pecuniary circumstances, and to whom chargeable. Answer

both questions.

27. Names and addresses of

Physicians.

II. Party giving the history.

III. Correspondent to whom letters may be addressed.

IV. Telegraphic address.

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NOTE. illness, or communi I, A. B., make oath and say that to the best of my knowledge the above particulars are correctly stated, and I hereby request you to receive the above-named———, whom I saw at————, on the——day of————(being within one month from this date), as a person of unsound mind, as a patient into the Nova Scotia Hospital for the Insane.

Sworn to before me, one of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the County of———, this———day of———, 18—.

Name,

J. P.

Address.

Degree of relationship (if any) or other circumstances of connection with the patient.

N. B.—If any of the particulars in this statement be not known, the fact is to be stated. No patient to be sent to Hospital until a reply shall have been received to this statement.

Note.—All letters of enquiry will receive a prompt reply. Severe illness, or the occurrence of anything of moment, will be immediately communicated. Stamps must be enclosed to prepay replies.

SCHEDULE B.—CERTIFICATE.

(a) Name in full.	I, the undersigned	7)	
full. (b) Qualification.	being ^(b)		and in actual practice,
	hereby certify that I,	on the	day of
(c) Locality.	$18 \text{at}^{(c)}$	in the Cou	nty of
(d) Name in full.	separately from any ally examined (d)	other Medical	Practitioner, person-
(e) Residence. (f) Occupation	$of^{(e)}$	(f)	and that the said
			is a person of unsound
	mind, and a proper detained under care formed this opinion of	person to be and treatmen	taken care of, and at; and that I have
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1. Facts, indicating insanity, observed by myself:*

1. Appearance 2. Conduct. 3. Conversation

2. Facts, indicating insanity, communicated to me by formation, others: (9) and from whom.

Name,

Place of Residence.

Date.

N,B,-Two Certificates, (dated within one month of the commitment) are required in every case. The second should not be signed by the father, brother, son or assistant of the Medical Practitioner who signed the first certificate.

 $^{^{\}circ}$ The facts upon which (from personal observation) the opinion of insanity has been formed, should always be specified.