

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Name of Parish or District in which situated.		Hospital	Lunatic Aylum	Alms-house
	Town or Village			
MALTA.	Valletta	Incurables ..	.. .. .	.. .. .
	"
	Floriana	Central ..	.. .. .	.. .. .
	" .. .. .	.. .. .	Lunatic Aylum	.. .. .
	" .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Ospizio ..
	"
	"
	Città Vecchia ..	Santo Spirito..	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Rabato in Gozo ..	.. .. .	.. .. .	Ospizio. ..
	"	Hospital for the Sick.	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Valletta .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Floriana .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Cospicua .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Senglea .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Vittoriosa .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
1st District	Città Vecchia and Rabato.	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Dingli .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
2nd Ditto	Zebbug .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Siggieui .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
3rd Ditto	Birchircara .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Lia, Attard and Balzan St. Julians and Sliema Pietà .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
4th Ditto	Naxaro and Gargur ..	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Musta .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Melleha .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
5th Ditto	Curmi .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Tarxen Ascias Paula and Gudia.	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
6th Ditto	Luca .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Zurricco .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Crendi and Micabiba ..	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
7th Ditto	Chircop and Safi ..	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Zeitun .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
	Zabbar .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Gozo	Nadur, Sannat, Caccia, Garbo, Xeuchia, and Zebbug. }

N.B.—*Chercop, and Safi are supplied from Luca Dispensary.*

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Other Institutions	Number of Inmates 1856.	How supported	When opened	REMARKS																																																																																																																																																																								
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(*) From the time of the Order of St John.

Approximate Statement showing the total expense of the Charitable Institutions and Charities during the year 1856.

		£	s.	d.		
ESTABLISHMENTS, including Inspector's Salary		5,353	1	10		
EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.						
<i>Hospitals for the sick.</i>						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Provisions	2,093	0	5½			
Medicines (including £ 213 0 8 remitted by the Cashier to the Agent General)	542	17	10			
Bedding and Clothing	379	15	9			
Rent of premises attached to the Central Hospital.	8	0	0			
				3,023	14	0½
<i>Asylums.</i>						
Provisions,	£	s.	d.			
Incurables	1,613	10	10½			
Ospizio (Malta)	3,620	16	9			
Ospizio (Gozo)	703	1	0			
Lunatic Asylum	1,395	16	9			
Orphan Asylum	813	2	9			
Bedding Clothing, &c.	732	7	4			
				8,878	15	8½
Public Dispensaries				89	15	9½
Interments, and other Religious expenses				93	10	10½
Transport of Stores, Provisions &c.				119	19	11
Lodgings to Commissioners of Charities in Gozo				4	0	0
				12,209	16	3½
Repairs (including those under the Comptroller)				306	6	8½
				17,869	4	9½
Alms to out poor				2,984	8	0
Foundling or deserted infants				106	1	2½
Distressed Maltese abroad				345	4	8
Distressed British and Foreigners				7	11	11
				21,312	10	7½
Clerical Services in Malta				446	18	8½
Clerical Services in Tunis and Tripoli				30	3	3
				21,789	2	6½
TOTAL		£		21,789	2	6½

Average Constant Number of Persons supported in Public Institutions during the year 1856.

Hospitals in Malta	No.	128	
Ditto in Gozo.		36	164
Poor House at Floriana (Ospizio) including 10 Penitents.		710	
Hospital of Incurables		240	
Lunatic Asylum		156	
Orphan Asylum		140	
Ospizio (Poor House) in Gozo		150	
		1,396	
TOTAL		1,560	

i.e. at the rate of about £ 12, each person per annum.

Average Number of persons receiving relief from public Funds during the year 1856.

Valletta District	No.	550
Cottonera ditto	"	410
1st Country District	"	86
2nd ditto	"	155
3rd ditto	"	210
4th ditto	"	80
5th ditto	"	105
6th ditto	"	140
7th ditto	"	190
Island of Gozo	"	215
TOTAL		2,141

i.e. at the rate of about 2s. 4d. each per mensem.