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CHARITABLE AND LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.

1897.

Name of Parish or District in which situated	Hospital	Lunatic Asylum	Alms-house	Other Institutions
Valletta	...	...	...	Orphan Asylum
Floriana	Central	...	...	...
"	British Merchant Seamen's	...	...	...
Notabile	Santo Spirito	...	...	...
Attard (3rd Country District)	...	Lunatic Asylum	...	...
Luca (5th Country District)	...	...	Asylum for the Aged and Incurables including Magdalen Asylum & Foundling Hospital	...
Gozo	Hospital	...	...	...
"	...	...	Ospizio	...

PUBLIC DISPENSARIES.

Medical and Surgical assistance afforded in 1897

to Out-door Patients to In-door Patients During Night Vaccination Successful Unsuccessful

MALTA.

Valletta	...	3,817	1,752	235	147	147	—
Floriana	...	918	353	102	82	74	8
Sliema and St. Julian's	...	1,897	877	125	343	240	103
Misida and Pietà	...	2,920	914	98	104	96	8
Hamrun	...	2,423	2,543	255	191	150	41
Cospicua	...	6,287	2,333	173	173	163	10
Senglea	...	955	250	56	112	111	1
Vitoriosa	...	1,130	449	26	115	108	7
1st Country District { Notabile and Rabato	...	3,030	971	28	162	126	36
Dingli	...	620	287	3	19	19	—
2nd Ditto { Zebbug	...	4,816	700	6	159	159	—
Siggiewi	...	2,774	408	37	129	71	58
3rd Ditto { Birchircara	...	5,541	1,127	75	230	230	—
Lia, Attard, and Balaun	...	2,193	603	56	69	89	10
4th Ditto { Naxaro	...	695	395	72	86	61	25
Garguz	...	642	124	12	44	40	4
Musta	...	1,801	392	28	164	164	—
Melleha	...	958	288	26	90	86	4
5th Ditto { Curmi	...	5,623	789	37	187	187	—
Luca	...	4,385	230	21	83	83	—
Tarxien, and Paula	...	1,441	578	56	104	100	4
6th Ditto { Zurrico, Safi, Chircop	...	1,288	1,643	106	284	284	—
Crendi	...	669	394	31	110	110	—
Micaliba	...	719	389	21	92	92	—
Zeitun	...	3,340	876	53	275	272	3
7th Ditto { Zabbar	...	1,899	736	28	184	179	5
Asciak, and Marsascirocco	...	924	96	6	57	57	—
Gudja	...	507	134	6	28	27	1
Total Malta	...	61,425	20,661	1,758	3,859	3,531	328

GOZO.

Victoria, Garbo and Zebbug	...	2,932	1,128	86	198	197	1
Nadar, Kala, Ghainsielem and Comino	...	6,279	1,210	43	152	146	6
Xeuchia, Caccia, and Sannat	...	6,164	1,334	55	170	165	5
Total Gozo	...	15,375	3,672	184	520	508	12
Grand Total	...	76,800	24,333	1,942	4,379	4,039	340

Institutions.

No. of inmates in 1897	How supported	REMARKS
108	...	For Orphans of both sexes between the age of 6 and 16. With but few exceptions, the children are orphans of both parents. The building was formerly the Hospital for Men.
2,601	...	This Institution is for the reception of Male and Female patients, and contains 200 beds.
100	...	This Hospital, which was opened on the 20th March 1882, is adjoining the Central Hospital and contains 26 beds intended only for seamen who contribute 2/6 per day each for their maintenance and treatment therein.
496	...	Enlarged in 1850, capable of containing 72 patients 42 Males and 30 Females. This Hospital is partly used for convalescent patients from the Central Hospital.
729	...	Hospital for mental disorders. The building is situated at <i>Wied Incitta</i> , between Notabile and Attard. It was opened on the 16th of July 1861, on which day the Patients were transferred thereto from the Asylum at Floriana.
1,121	...	For the reception of the aged and disabled poor, above the age of 60, and of persons affected with incurable disease, both sexes; of women who led a dissolute life and are anxious to repent; and of foundlings and deserted infants until nurses can be found for them in the country or they become of age to be admitted into the Orphan Asylum.
421	...	For both sexes, and capable of containing 60 patients, 30 of each sex.
159	...	Can afford asylum to 160 aged and disabled poor, 80 of each sex, above 60 years of age, with few exceptions, there being no Institutions for incurable cases in Gozo.

Hospital dues are levied in certain cases—*vide A page 7.*

Statement showing the number of Persons relieved or maintained in the Charitable Institutions, during the year 1896-97.

Average number of persons receiving out-door relief from public Funds, during the financial year 1897.

Institutions	Number of persons relieved or maintained	Average daily number during the year 1896-97	Average number of persons receiving out-door relief from public Funds, during the financial year 1897.						No.
Central Hospital ...	2,608	176	Valletta	District	...	...	...	...	580
British Merchant Seamen's Hospital	104	12	Cottonera	do.	...	...	...	...	272
Santo Spirito Hospital ...	499	73	First Country	do.	...	...	...	...	100
Hospital at Gozo ...	* 426	† 36	Second	do.	do.	...	...	...	80
Lunatic Asylum ...	790	666	Third	do.	do.	...	...	...	142
Asylum for the Aged and Incurables...	1,176	948	Fourth	do.	do.	...	...	...	103
Magdalen Asylum ...	—	—	Fifth	do.	do.	...	...	...	71
Foundling Hospital	—	—	Sixth	do.	do.	...	...	...	107
Orpizio—Poor House (Gozo) ...	* 164	† 132	Seventh	do.	do.	...	...	...	146
Orphan Asylum ...	117	101	Total Malta ...						1,601
Malta ...	(a) 5,294	(b) 1,976	Island of Gozo do. ...						175
Gozo ...	* 590	† 168							
Total ...	5,884	2,144	Total ...						1,776

In Malta { (a) At the rate of £ 6 12 10½ each person per annum.
 (b) At the average rate of £ 17 15 11½ each person, daily maintained, per annum.

In Gozo { * At the rate of £ 4 7 7½ each person per annum.
 † At the average rate of £ 15 7 8 each person, daily maintained, per annum.

i.e. at the rate of about 2/9½ each per month in Malta and 2/9½ per month, in Gozo.

The number of children farmed out in 1897 was 72 in Malta and 3 in Gozo.

The monthly average 22 at the rate of about 3/3½ each, (Malta) and 2 at the rate of about 6/1½ each, (Gozo).

Statement showing the total expense of the Charitable Institutions, in Malta, during the financial year 1896-97.

ESTABLISHMENTS. <i>a. Personal Emoluments</i>		£	s	d	£	s	d
					9,987 11 9		
EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS. <i>b. Other Charges.</i>							
Provisions, Fuel and Lightage:							
<i>Hospital for the Sick—</i>							
Central Hospital	£ 2,864 2 5						
British Seamen's Hospital	225 12 9						
Santo Spirito Hospital	910 7 4					4,000 2 6	
<i>Asylums—</i>							
Asylum for the Aged and Incurables including Magdalen Asylum and Foundling Hospital	8,400 12 10						
Lunatic Asylum	5,493 16 8						
Orphan Asylum	884 18 4					14,779 7 10	
Clothing, including great coats for inmates of Hospitals and Asylums; bedding, washing, furniture, utensils and necessaries; raw materials to be worked up by inmates of the several Institutions into objects of domestic economy; and cost of new, and repair of instruments and tools, including £ 280 4 0 paid to the Crown Agents for the Colonies in London						3,349 8 2	
Medicines, surgical instruments, appliances and materials including £ 745 13 3 paid through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in London £ 94 7 5 paid on account of the Hospital for Infectious Diseases, the Public Dispensaries and the Hospital at Gozo not included						1,276 17 10	
Objects of amusement and mental occupation for the Lunatics and other inmates of the Charitable Institutions						27 11 10	
Depuration of Hospital wards, and infirmaries of Asylums						5 15 6	
Cultivation of the yards of Hospitals and Asylums						96 8 7	
Rent of rooms occupied by the offices of the Charitable Institutions at the Monte; the rent of the house attached to Santo Spirito Hospital						52 10 0	
Ecclesiastical—Clerical service in Malta and expenses for burial of paupers						302 5 6	
Transport of provisions, stores, &c., carriage and boat hire and conveyance of indigent sick to Hospital						151 13 11	
Fees to trade Masters for training male Orphans and prizes to female Orphans for proficiency in industrial occupations						7 15 5	
Stationery, bookbinding and petty expenses						138 13 3	
Expenses for the maintenance of the Hospital for contagious diseases including Drugs						412 3 9	
Uniforms for Ward Attendants and Nurses, &c.						126 17 5	
For spiritual assistance to Maltese at Tunis						—	
Water supply						440 5 1	
Prizes to Nurses for Proficiency						5 0 0	
Cost of one Lath, one set Stock and Die and Pipe Cutter for the Poor House						30 1 6	
Cost of Typewriter for the Comptroller's Office						23 5 6	
<i>Charitable Allowances—</i>							
Alms to out-poor						2,699 16 1	
Wages to Wet nurses and Foundling out of Hospital						43 3 8	
<i>Public Dispensaries—</i>							
Medicines, surgical instruments &c.						407 5 1	
Total						£ 38,457 0 2	

Statement showing the total expense of the Charitable Institutions in Gozo, during the financial year 1896-97.

ESTABLISHMENTS (including District Medical Officers' Salaries, £ 345)		£	s	d	£	s	d
					1,273 16 3		
EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.							
Provisions, Fuel and Lightage:							
Hospital at Gozo						383 16 2	
Ospizio at Gozo						777 10 1	
Clothing, bedding, washing, furniture, utensils and necessaries; raw materials to be worked up by inmates of the Ospizio into objects of domestic economy						1,160 16 2	
Medicines, surgical instruments and appliances						222 9 6	
Expenses for maintenance of Hospital for Contagious Diseases						39 13 7	
Depuration of Hospital wards						11 2 8	
Cultivation of the yards						1 1 7	
Expenses in connection with the "Dry Earth Conservancy System"						4 18 8	
Ecclesiastical—Clerical services and expenses for burial of paupers						6 16 0	
Transport Expenses for sending patients to and from Hospital &c.						20 0 1	
Bookbinding, Stationery and petty expenses						22 1 10	
Uniforms for Nurses and attendants						8 0 0	
Rent of house annexed to Hospital						—	
Water Supply						1 10 0	
						19 3 10	
<i>Charitable allowances—</i>							
Alms to out-poor						356 17 9	
<i>Public Dispensaries—</i>							
Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.						293 7 0	
Rent of house at Victoria, used as Public Dispensary						70 2 0	
						5 0 0	
Total						£ 3,159 19 2	