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CHARITABLE AND LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.

1898.

Name of Parish or District in which situated	Hospital	Lunatic Asylum	Almshouse	other Institutions
Valetta ... ..	...	...	...	Orphan Asylum ...
Floriana	Central ..	...	...	...
"	British Merchant Seamen's	...	...	...
Sliema	Manoel ...	...	...	...
Notabile	Santo Spirito	...	...	...
Attard (3rd Country District) ... ..	...	Lunatic ...	...	...
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 1898					
		to Out-door Patients	to In-door Patients	During Night	Vaccination	Successful	Unsuccessful
MALTA.							
Valetta ... ..	...	4,095	1,613	213	303	287	16
Floriana ... ..	...	1,421	294	87	145	145	—
Sliema and St. Julian's ... ..	...	2,511	999	116	307	274	33
Misida and Pietà... ..	...	3,507	882	35	339	318	21
Hamrun... ..	...	2,073	1,831	193	364	302	62
Cospicua ... ..	...	5,516	2,122	169	116	116	—
Senglea... ..	...	819	307	45	104	103	1
Vittoriosa ... ..	...	967	222	52	130	125	5
1st Country District {	Notabile and Rabato	3,290	1,056	26	182	145	37
	Dingli	770	198	8	39	38	1
2nd Ditto {	Zebbug	3,992	561	7	169	169	—
	Siggieui	2,345	384	39	129	101	28
3rd Ditto {	Birchircara	5,355	1,165	64	235	223	12
	Lia, Attard, and Balzan	2,345	502	37	286	271	15
4th Ditto {	Naxaro	741	298	76	160	137	23
	Gargur	665	75	2	56	42	14
	Musta	1,475	359	18	242	236	6
	Melleha	700	292	26	96	92	4
5th Ditto {	Curmi	5,597	761	58	321	321	—
	Luca	1,225	306	3	89	89	—
	Tarxen, and Paula	931	450	69	116	102	14
6th Ditto {	Zurrico, Safi, Chircop	1,343	1,513	95	177	177	—
	Crendi	704	392	26	116	116	—
	Micabiba	680	358	29	75	75	—
	Zeitun	2,917	754	52	225	225	—
7th Ditto {	Zabbar	1,806	565	28	186	170	16
	Asciak, and Marsascirocco	886	76	4	56	56	—
	Gudia	402	80	3	33	31	2
Total Malta		58,988	18,415	1,580	4,796	4,486	310
GOZO.							
Victoria, Garbo and Zebbug ... ..	...	2,948	1,141	70	189	185	4
Nadur, Kala, Ghainsielem and Comino ... ..	...	6,490	608	68	152	147	5
Xeuchia, Caccia and Sannat ... ..	...	6,731	1,276	71	140	132	8
Total Gozo		12,169	3,025	209	481	464	17
Grand Total		71,157	21,440	1,789	5,277	4,950	327

LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.

No. of Inmates in 1898	How supported	REMARKS
110	...	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.
2,656	...	
94	...	This Institution is for the reception of Male and Female patients, and contains 200 beds.
157	...	
549	BY GOVERNMENT Hospital dues are levied in certain cases— <i>vide A page 7.</i>	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.
770		Hospital for infectious diseases.
1,096		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.
456		Hospital for mental disorders. The building is situated at <i>Wied Incita</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.
170		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.
...		For both sexes, and capable of containing 60 patients, 30 of each sex.
...	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.	

Statement showing the number of Persons relieved or maintained in the Charitable Institutions, during the year 1898.

Average number of persons receiving out-door relief from public Funds, during the financial year 1898.

Institutions	Number of persons relieved or maintained	Average daily number during the year 1898	Average number of persons receiving out-door relief from public Funds, during the financial year 1898.				No.
Central Hospital ...	2,663	178	Valletta	District	...	...	572
Seamen's Hospital ...	98	11	Cottonera	do.	...	...	262
Manoel Hospital ...	161	8	First Country	do.	...	...	106
Santo Spirito Hospital ...	552	76	Second do.	do.	...	...	84
Hospital at Gozo ...	461	37	Third do.	do.	...	...	134
Lunatic Asylum ...	837	701	Fourth do.	do.	...	...	97
Asylum for the Aged and Incurables...	1,168	928	Fifth do.	do.	...	...	75
Magdalen Asylum ...	—	—	Sixth do.	do.	...	...	109
Foundling Hospital	—	—	Seventh do.	do.	...	...	156
Ospizio—Poor House (Gozo)	175	139	Total Malta ...				1,595
Orphan Asylum ...	119	105	Island of Gozo	do.	...	...	175
Malta ...	(a) 5,598	(b) 2,007	Total ...				1,770
Gozo ...	* 636	† 176					
Total ...	6,234	2,183					

In Malta { (a) At the rate of £ 6 15 5 1/2 each person per annum.
 (b) At the average rate of £ 18 17 10 1/2 each person, daily maintained, per annum.

In Gozo { * At the rate of £ 4 5 3 1/2 each person per annum.
 † At the average rate of £ 15 8 1 1/2 each person, daily maintained, per annum.

i.e. at the rate of about 2/9 1/2 each per month in Malta and of about 2/9 1/2 per month, in Gozo.

The number of children farmed out in 1898 was 81 in Malta, and 2 in Gozo.

Monthly average 34 at the rate of about 3/5 1/2 each (Malta), and 2 at the rate of about 6/11 each, (Gozo).

Statement showing the total expense of the Charitable Institutions, in Malta, during the financial year 1898.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ESTABLISHMENTS. a. <i>Personal Emoluments</i>					12,454	6	8
EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS. b. <i>Other Charges.</i>							
Provisions, Fuel and Lightage:							
<i>Hospital for the Sick—</i>							
Central Hospital	£ 3,108	15	5				
British Seamen's Hospital	222	19	7				
Santo Spirito Hospital	896	4	4				
				4,227	19	4	
<i>Asylums—</i>							
Asylum for the Aged and Incurables including Magdalen Asylum and Foundling Hospital	7,955	8	2				
Lunatic Asylum	5,727	15	4				
Orphan Asylum	909	4	7				
				14,592	8	1	
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 £ 156 15 0 paid to the Crown Agents for the Colonies in London				3,282	15	0	
Medicines, surgical instruments, appliances and materials including £ 543 4 0 paid through the Crown Agents for the Colonies in London £ 101 18 10 paid on account of the Hospital for Infectious Diseases, the Public Dispensaries and the Hospital at Gozo not included				862	17	5	
Objects of amusement and mental occupation for the Lunatics and other inmates of the Charitable Institutions				25	10	1	
Depuration of Hospital wards, and infirmaries of Asylums				10	1	2	
Cultivation of the yards of Hospitals and Asylums				104	3	8	
Rent of rooms occupied by the offices of the Charitable Institutions at the Monte; and the rest of the house attached to Santo Spirito Hospital				52	10	0	
Ecclesiastical—Clerical service in Malta and expenses for burial of paupers				350	2	10	
Transport of provisions, stores, &c., carriage and boat hire and conveyance of indigent sick to Hospital				518	4	0	
Premiums to trade Masters for training male Orphans and prizes to female Orphans for proficiency in industrial occupation				11	15	11	
Stationery, bookbinding and petty expenses				136	0	8	
Expenses for the maintenance of the Hospital for contagious diseases including Drugs				687	19	8	
Uniforms for Ward attendants and Nurses, &c.				124	9	2	
For spiritual assistance to Maltese at Tunis				—	—	—	
Water Supply				479	8	6	
Prizes to Nurses for Proficiency				—	—	—	
							6,645
<i>Charitable Allowances—</i>							
Alms to out-poor				2,699	18	8	
Wages to Wet nurses and Foundling out of Hospital				63	18	0	
							2,769
<i>Public Dispensaries—</i>							
Medicines, surgical instruments &c.				437	17	5	
Rent of houses used solely as Public Dispensaries, and Rent of a room for keeping a Porte Civière				44	8	0	
							482
							5
Total					41,172	14	3

Statement showing the total expense of the Charitable Institutions in Gozo, during the financial year 1898.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ESTABLISHMENTS (including District Medical Officers' Salaries, £ 345)					1,291	13	1
EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.							
Provisions, Fuel and Lightage:							
Hospital at Gozo	409	2	10				
Ospizio at Gozo	841	9	10				
							1,250
Clothing, bedding, washing, furniture, utensils and necessaries, raw materials to be worked up by inmates of the Ospizio into objects of domestic economy				203	19	0	
Medicines, surgical instruments and appliances				46	1	8	
Expenses for maintenance of Hospital for Contagious diseases				22	11	8	
Depuration of Hospital Wards				1	19	8	
Cultivation of the yards				4	18	2	
Expenses in connection with the "Dry Earth Conservancy System"				5	10	0	
Ecclesiastical—Clerical services and expenses for burials of paupers				18	9	3	
Transport Expenses for sending patients to and from Hospital &c.				19	19	9	
Bookbinding, Stationery and petty expenses				12	17	1	
Uniforms for Nurses and attendants				17	19	6	
Rent of house annexed to Hospital				1	10	0	
Water Supply				18	13	6	
							374
<i>Charitable allowances:—</i>							
Alms to out-poor							295
<i>Public Dispensaries:—</i>							
Medicines, surgical instruments &c.				78	19	10	
Rent of house at Victoria, as a Public Dispensary				5	0	0	
							83
							19
							10
Total					3,296	1	10