

To the State Board of Control:

I submit the biennial report of the School for Feeble-Minded and Colony for Epileptics for the period ended June 30, 1934.

POPULATION

During the period covered by this report there were 624 admissions. The total number cared for was 2,854. At the close of the period there were 2,305 enrolled, of whom 2,205 were actually present and 100 temporarily absent.

Of the 624 admissions, 262 were under fifteen years of age; 207, between fifteen and twenty-five years; 155, over twenty-five years of age; 129 had intelligence quotients under .25; 146, between .25 and .50; 340, between .50 and .75; and 9, above .75.

Three boys and two girls were discharged as normal; thirty-three girls were paroled to clubs; and 249 boys and girls were returned to their homes or placed in carefully selected homes under family supervision. Forty-nine boys and fifty girls were transferred to the Colony for Epileptics at Cambridge.

All degrees of feeble-mindedness are represented in the population, and no age qualifications are required for admission. The twenty-seven separate buildings provide ample means for classification of the different grades of mental deficient and temperamental types.

The three functions of the institution are: 1. The education of the high-grade pupil by properly adapted school, shop and farm occupations, in preparation for life outside the institution under favorable conditions. 2. To tenderly, humanely and economically care for the very helpless child whose presence in the home entails a burden too heavy and exacting for the family to bear. 3. To provide the intermediate grade, incapable of adaptation in the outside world, useful employment, congenial companionship and a good home.

MEDICAL SERVICE

The general health of both pupils and employes has been good. We have had no serious epidemic and little acute illness among the higher mental grades.

Staff meetings have been held weekly, at which meetings all new pupils are examined. A thorough study of each case is made. Symptoms, diagnosis, prognosis and treatment are discussed, and the case assigned to the appropriate department of the school.

Medical treatment includes hydrotherapy, light and electrotherapy, massage and graded physical exercises.

Dr. C. J. Plonske, consulting oculist and aurist, has rendered valuable service in the diagnosis and treatment of the eye, ear, nose and throat conditions.

Dr. George D. Eitel and Dr. A. L. Herman have performed all major surgical operations, including the sterilization of 193 women and twenty men. Their skillful surgical work has been uniformly successful. We owe a very special debt of gratitude to Drs. Eitel and Herman and the surgical nurses who have worked with them. Since the passage of the sterilization law in 1925, sterilization operations have been performed upon 600 women and fifty-nine men.

Under the direction of Dr. George Wood, the dental department has taken very satisfactory care of the teeth of our patients.

EDUCATIONAL WORK

The educational department has been conducted most successfully. Academic, manual and social training are coordinated, emphasizing each according to the individual needs of the child. The training of our children is not confined to the classroom. Social and industrial training is continued in the daily life of the child in the living room, dining room, dormitory, upon the playgrounds, in the shop and on the farm. Special attention is given to social training and physical development, as these are most important in bringing about social adaptation. Even though the child may have acquired both academic and hand training, if he has not gained social adaptation and physical vigor he is not likely to get along satisfactorily in life. The higher-grade children, if properly adjusted socially and not burdened with a sense of intellectual inferiority, have little difficulty in acquiring sufficient academic training and skill of hand for adaptation outside the school.

Only short lessons are given. The child is not subjected to the discouraging experience of competing with normal children or being urged to do work which is beyond his mental level.

Special attention is given to manual work that will help in the home and the community. Reading and writing are taught by methods that are attractive to the child. From the commencement of training, special attention is given to physical exercise.

The older boys are trained in shop and farm work, milking and gardening included; the girls, in all branches of housework and needlework.

Intelligence tests of all children are given by the Division of Research of the State Board of Control. Mechanical ability tests have been given and

in many cases have brought to light a degree of mechanical ability far above the level that would be expected from the intelligence quotient obtained by a general intelligence test. This has enabled us to direct the course of manual training along lines which give greatest promise of fitting the individual to become a useful member of society.

Religious services are conducted regularly by both Protestant and Catholic clergymen.

LIBRARY

There are two excellent libraries, one for the children and one for the employes. Both are well supplied with books, which are added to from time to time under the supervision of the supervisor of institutional libraries, the appreciation of whose selection is evidenced by the very great use of the libraries by both children and employes.

RECREATION

A program of entertainment is carried on throughout the year. This includes two dances a week for the children, and moving pictures at least once a week. During the summer months two picnics are held each week. The institution band gives weekly concerts on the lawn throughout the summer. Out-of-door games are provided, and playgrounds are well furnished with swings, sand piles and suitable apparatus. The day rooms are provided with musical instruments, pianos, phonographs, radios and games.

SOCIAL SERVICE

The social service department has carried on a tremendous amount of routine work, particularly in the study of children being considered for parole, and in conducting groups of students interested in social welfare through the school, and giving information concerning the methods in vogue in the training and treatment of the feeble-minded.

In the past few months the institution has been visited by the following: Ten college and university classes; twenty-five teachers training classes and high schools; ten groups from clubs and organizations interested in social welfare.

FARM

The farm has 587 acres under cultivation, which includes twenty-seven acres rented from the Seabury Mission and twenty-two acres from the School for the Blind; 100 acres of meadow and 196 acres of pasture, including thirty-five acres rented.

Although weather conditions have not been favorable during the two years covered by this report, the farm has provided all feed and hay to take care of all livestock.

The dairy herd has shrunk from 103 head in 1932 to eighty-four head June 30, 1934, due to the loss of forty-four cows which gave positive reaction to Bang's disease and which were eliminated from the herd. Notwithstanding this loss in members, the herd produced 1,567,634 pounds of milk, which was greater than the amount produced in the previous biennium. The daily average milk production for the past four years was as follows: 1931, 1,980 pounds; 1932, 1,985 pounds; 1933, 2,234 pounds; 1934, 2,175 pounds.

With the increase in population this is not sufficient for our needs. A calf barn is needed to house young stock to build up the herd.

Seventy-five acres were planted with potatoes, with poor yield owing to the drouth; 5,978 bushels were produced the first year and 3,525 the second.

The garden of eighty acres, including twenty-two acres of sweet corn, provided an ample supply of vegetables. In addition to an abundance of fresh vegetables served during the summer, 7,067 gallons of tomatoes were canned in the kitchen. Sweet corn was served abundantly in season and the balance put up at a local canning factory, providing sufficient canned corn to meet our requirements throughout the year. A large supply of pumpkins was raised and traded at the canning factory for canned peas.

The following trees and small fruits have been planted: Seventy-two apple trees, forty plum trees, 100 currant bushes, 250 gooseberry bushes, 250 grapevines.

A sufficient number of hogs are raised to consume the garbage. After deducting cost of young pigs purchased and all labor and expense, the mature hogs sold yielded a net profit of \$1,125.21 the first year and \$2,166.38 the second year.

Tabulating the farm charges and credits from July 1, 1932, to June 30, 1933, shows a profit of \$4,713.53; and from July 1, 1933, to June 30, 1934, a profit of \$10,547.15.

BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Although no major building operations have taken place, much has been accomplished in modernizing and fireproofing old buildings and increasing the facilities of the plant.

Springdale cottage was remodeled. A day room constructed at small expense provided accommodations for thirty-two additional boys.

Natural-gas-burning equipment has been installed in the power plant under four 300 h. p. boilers, with oil-burning standby equipment and oil storage of 60,000-gallon capacity. Since January 1, 1934, natural gas has been used exclusively in the heating of the main group of buildings and the production of steam for all purposes. The use of natural gas as a fuel has proved most economical and satisfactory.

New brick settings and retubing four 300 h. p. boilers was necessitated by the installation of natural gas, as the old boilers, which had been in service over twenty years, could not with safety stand up under the extreme heat obtained from the burning of natural gas. These boilers are now in excellent condition and should give satisfactory service for many years to come.

Fireproofing with reinforced concrete base and terrazzo finish has been completed in Skinner Hall, Sunnyside and Cottages 1 and 11.

A four-ton mechanical refrigeration plant was installed in the kitchen to replace the old ice coolers. The new plant is giving excellent results.

The main kitchen has been provided with a modern exhaust-fan ventilating system, with canopies over the range, steamers and kettles.

Ventilating systems with exhaust fans and canopies were also provided in the kitchens at Grandview and Walcott.

Radios were installed in most of the day rooms throughout the institution.

A 40"x94" dry tumbler was installed in the laundry to replace an old, worn-out sectional dryer. An automatic safety cover was provided for the 48" extractor.

Recreation rooms and additional storage space were provided by the cleaning out of basements and laying cement floors. The greater part of the work was done by CWA workmen.

The old coal bunker was remodeled into a storeroom and a cement lime storage house constructed.

An athletic field has been provided with an excellent baseball diamond and a stand for spectators, protected by a wire-mesh screen.

A modern street and ground lighting system has been installed throughout the grounds to replace the old wooden poles and overhead wires.

The driveway from the entrance to the main building has been improved by the construction of cement curbing and gutters, the installation of drains where necessary, and the road resurfaced with tarvia.

An additional fire hydrant has been placed near the Colony buildings.

New roofs, gutters and valleys have been provided for the greater part of the main building, the assembly hall and the north and south wings of the hospital.

A great deal of painting, both interior and exterior, has been carried on, much of this by CWA workmen.

Hard-maple floors were installed in six schoolrooms.

A vast amount of general repairs throughout the institution has been taken care of.

NEEDS OF THE INSTITUTION

Appropriations are recommended for the following: New hospital building, \$275,000; equipment for same, \$27,500; addition to Sunnyside Annex I, \$30,000; remodeling power house, \$34,500; alteration to locked building, \$2,500; remodeling old hospital building, \$40,000; improvement of sewage plant, \$5,000; power plant equipment, \$29,000; water treatment plant, \$19,000; water storage tank for boiler feed water, \$1,500; fireproofing, \$43,505; natural gas installation, \$7,225; farm buildings, \$18,100; repairs to roofs and gutters, \$10,557; tuck pointing exterior stonework, \$10,000; remodeling boiler, \$6,500; new elevators, \$12,630; two Rapid Action laundry washers, \$8,750; new boiler at Colony, \$4,000; damper equipment, \$1,500; hot water circulating pump and equipment, \$2,000; new fire hose and extinguishers, \$1,000; six-barrel dough mixer, \$2,500; industrial equipment, \$2,000; library, school and musical equipment, \$6,500; furniture and furnishings, \$3,000; improving grounds, \$2,000; general repairs and replacements, \$40,000.

CONCLUSION

I desire to record my appreciation of the generous and efficient assistance given me by the medical staff, the teachers and the heads of departments. To them and to all officers and employes who have aided me in conducting the affairs of the institution, I tender my sincere thanks.

The service cheerfully rendered by the pupils on the farm, in the shops and in work of all kinds throughout the institution, has been most helpful.

The sympathetic aid and cooperation of the Children's Bureau have been of inestimable assistance and are sincerely appreciated.

I particularly desire to express my appreciation for the cooperation of Mildred Thomson, supervisor of the feeble-minded, whose thorough understanding of our manifold problems has been of inestimable value to me and to the institution.

To you, the honored members of the State Board of Control, I tender my thanks for your wise counsel and support.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. MURDOCH,
Superintendent.

1933, was 647; for the year ended June 30, 1934, 739. The total number cared for was 1,038. At the close of the period there were 822 actually present and forty-four temporarily absent on vacations and escapes, making our total population 866, an increase of 266 patients during this period.

The number of applications for admissions are steadily increasing, particularly from the higher and middle grade class of patients.

Admissions, excluding transfers, are classified as follows:

	Male	Female	Total
Feeble-Minded:			
School -----	2	20	22
Custodial -----	19	41	60
Farm Colonies -----	7	0	7
Epileptics:			
School -----	39	59	98
Custodial -----	55	37	92
Others -----	32	22	54
Incurable -----	3	0	3
Total -----	157	179	336

MEDICAL SERVICE

The consistent endeavor to improve the quality of our medical service has met with some success. The medical department has been constantly taxed to its utmost capacity, due to the rapid growth of the institution and the steady admission of new patients. All patients upon admission are given a complete physical and neurological examination, also the usual laboratory tests, including urinalysis, blood counts, throat cultures, smears, Widal's and Wassermann (both blood and spinal fluid), and wherever indicated an x-ray examination.

With the opening of our last two cottages and the admission of 200 additional patients, we were forced to expand our hospital facilities so that at present we have fifty-two beds (twenty-six male, twenty-six female) for hospital use only, and at times this is hardly adequate to meet the needs of the institution. Our hospital cared for a total of 991 cases.

All new x-ray equipment has been added to our armamentarium and has proved to be a valuable aid to diagnosis and treatment.

The general health of both patients and employes has been very good. We have not had any severe epidemics of any kind and only a few cases of contagious diseases: Erysipelas, 5; scarlet fever, 2; diphtheria, 1; chicken pox, 1.

We have not performed any major surgery in the institution. Two acute surgical conditions have been sent to the University Hospital and our cases for sterilization have been transferred to the School for Feeble-Minded

at Faribault. Dr. George D. Eitel has been appointed consulting surgeon, and from now on certain surgical work will be taken care of in the institution.

Dr. Chas. N. Spratt, our consulting oculist and aurist, has rendered a valuable service and has visited the institution whenever called upon. During the period he has handled 151 cases.

The routine treatment work in venereal infections has been systematically carried on with quite gratifying results.

Dr. Theodora Wheeler, of Rochester, Minnesota, continued her work on the seizure records for the first year of this period. This has been productive of considerable interest and is a big improvement on anything heretofore used.

With the valuable assistance and untiring efforts of the director of dietetics we have succeeded in improving our diets and general menus, so that all of the patients' food and eating is now under very close supervision and is much better fitted to the needs of this type of patients.

During this period we have had several medical meetings at the institution, including the East Central Medical Society and the Minnesota Society of Neurology and Psychiatry. Also the quarterly conference of superintendents.

DENTAL SERVICE

Dr. G. A. Anderson, our local dentist, has promptly taken care of all dental work in the institution. Laboratory work has been eliminated, and he has devoted his entire time to treatment work. The institution aims to furnish all examinations, treatments, cleanings, extractions, amalgam, porcelain and cement fillings, x-ray and ordinary plate repairs, and to do such prophylactic work as is possible. All crown, bridge, inlay and plate work and gold fillings are done privately at the patients' or relatives' expense. Every patient has been carefully checked and at present our dental work is in good condition.

Summary of Dental Work

Examinations	1,318
Appointments	1,036
Extractions	655
Cleanings	358
Prophylaxis	46
Amalgam fillings	240
Porcelain fillings	88
Plate repairs	12
Jaw fractures	1
Vincent's Angina	5

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

Very good progress has been made in our school department, which now consists of a principal, one music teacher, one manual training teacher, three literary teachers and two occupational therapy teachers. We have endeavored to place all improvable patients under the age of eighteen years in the literary division of the school department for full or part time, and all patients of sufficient mentality, regardless of age, have had access to the music, industrial and occupational divisions.

The class work in the literary rooms is ungraded, but we carry on the regular school work, which corresponds to the eighth grade in the public schools, for those patients who are able to take advantage of this.

In the industrial department we teach manual training, sloyd, loom work, weaving, knitting, plain sewing, embroidery, cut work, hooked rugs, lace making, caning, basketry, drawing and painting; and in our occupational departments the male patients receive training in carpentry, shoe repairing, farming, gardening, dairying, painting, cement work, and general maintenance, while the women are trained in mending, tailoring, plain sewing, laundry work, cooking, baking, dish washing, dining room and general housework.

This work is of great value and serves as occupation and employment to the patients, as well as having a very definite therapeutic value. The patients have derived much benefit and pleasure from it, and many have materially improved. They have succeeded in turning out some very good work.

The greatest progress has been made in the musical division and we have developed a fine orchestra of fourteen pieces, which now plays for all of our dances and entertainments. In addition to our regular orchestra, which is composed of the more advanced pupils, we have about thirty-five additional patients learning to play the various instruments.

The vocal work has been carried on as a mixed choir, a male chorus, a girls' chorus and a mixed chorus.

During this period we had 514 pupils enrolled in the school department, 151 in the literary and 363 in the industrial divisions, and the classes were well attended. Small operettas have been presented from time to time, as well as appropriate programs for the observance of special holidays.

We have also had an exhibit at each State Fair, showing the different activities of the institution, at which times we have disposed of all of our handwork.

LIBRARY

In connection with our school department and under the supervision of the supervisor of institutional libraries, we maintain a good library of 1,130 volumes, well supplied with magazines and periodicals. The library is open daily except Saturday and Sunday. The selection of books by the patients is under the supervision of the teachers, so as to help them in their selection and at the same time direct their reading. During this period we had a total circulation of 14,683.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION

A program of entertainment is carried on throughout the year. This includes two dances each week during the school year, a birthday party on the second and third Wednesday of each month, and movies every other Saturday. Every ward in the institution is supplied with a radio, and every building has a piano. The orchestra visits every building at regular intervals and gives a pleasing program.

All day rooms are supplied with tables and suitable games. Throughout the summer vacation we hold two picnics each week, which are supervised by the principal. When the weather permits we have a game of baseball or kitten ball nearly every evening, including a game with some outside team once each week.

We have also had several entertainments by outside talent, but have been compelled to reduce them to a minimum because of lack of space, as we do not have an assembly hall or auditorium or any place where we can have a mass gathering, and under our present arrangement it takes five showings to get all the patients in. We are still exhibiting silent movies, and are having some difficulty in obtaining suitable silent films.

Two of the men's cottages are equipped with pool tables, which are in constant use.

Games on the playgrounds are under the supervision of the attendants in charge.

All holidays are appropriately observed with suitable programs and special dinners on Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's and Easter.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

Lack of space for assemblage purposes has compelled us to divide the institution into four groups, so that our services are conducted in four different buildings each Sunday morning. Services in the administration building are handled by one of the local ministers, and in the other three places by our teachers. This service is rotating. The attendance is voluntary.

Practically all of the patients are anxious to attend. The services are non-denominational in character, but denominational services are held whenever asked for. Reverend Funk, of Princeton, has conducted services regularly for members of the Catholic church.

BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Cottage 7 for boys and Cottage 12 for girls were completed and occupied by patients in February of this year. They are of steel, brick and concrete construction, all fireproof, and corresponding in architecture to the other buildings. Each building has a capacity of 100 patients, with dining rooms, dormitories, day rooms, locker rooms, shower and tub baths, and everything necessary to the comfort of the patients. The buildings are well furnished and are very comfortable in every way. Sidewalks were laid, and the grading about these buildings is about completed.

The remodeling of the old boiler room into the laundry was completed, and one new washer, one new extractor, one new drier, two new pressers, and one new 110-inch 8-roll flat work ironer were installed.

A new machine shed to house all the farm equipment was erected at the farm group.

A new 150 k. w. alternating current generator was installed in the power house.

The entire administration building was weather-stripped.

We laid a new water main from the administration center group to the steward's cottage.

A complete new x-ray equipment was added to the hospital department.

A heavy, second-hand bridge, having a span of 134 feet, was erected across the Rum river just below the power house, giving us access to about 100 acres of land which we own on the other side of the river.

The old tool house for garden equipment was torn down and then erected in a more suitable location.

The wooden bins in the root cellars were remodeled, giving us more capacity.

Two new tennis courts have been constructed of crushed rock and backstops erected.

Considerable new fencing was erected and practically all of the old fences were rebuilt.

New service roads were laid out and all the rough grading done, but they have not as yet been graveled.

A new 12-inch well, 287 feet deep, was drilled and has been equipped with a new centrifugal pump of 350 gallons per minute capacity, and a new pump house erected to house same.

A vast amount of curbing and sidewalk has been laid. Practically all of the grading around the buildings already erected has been completed, and we have hauled considerable black dirt and are beginning to get lawns started.

The landscaping and shrubbery have not progressed as rapidly as the other improvements, due to lack of funds.

Some extensions were made in the ground lighting system, particularly in the region of the new buildings.

The water mains and sewers and fire hydrants for service in conjunction with the new buildings were installed as part of the contract.

A new coffee urn of 65-gallon capacity was added to the kitchen equipment. A power dishwasher was installed in Cottage 7.

All of the recommendations from the inspectors from the State Industrial Commission and the Fire Marshal's department have been carried out.

Under the CWA project we succeeded in getting considerable clearing of land done across the river and some grading around the new cottages.

FARM, GARDEN AND DAIRY

We have gradually extended our farm and garden so that at the present time we have ninety-five acres in field crops, forty acres in garden, a new orchard of one acre, thirty-five acres of meadow land and seventy acres in pasture.

Our crops have suffered considerably during this period by two consecutive dry seasons, accompanied by extreme heat. The main crop in this locality is potatoes, but, because of weather conditions, has been very light and of poor quality. The hay crop was exceedingly poor during both seasons.

The garden products that matured early in the summer were very good, but those that came on late were almost a total failure. The raspberry patch yielded very well during the 1933 season. A small orchard of plum and apple trees has been planted and it became necessary to replant our entire strawberry bed.

Toward the close of 1933 our dairy herd became infected with Bang's disease and we disposed of eight infected animals so that at present we have twenty-seven head of cattle and thirty-five hogs. The milk production has been increased.

Farm charges and credits show a net profit of \$1,682.77 for the period.

PERSONNEL

The growth of the institution has necessitated several reclassifications of the patients, particularly when the new buildings were opened in February, 1934, and at this time we had to greatly increase our force of employes to complete the organization. Wherever possible we tried to promote our older trained employes to more responsible positions. There has been very little turnover in our personnel, as we have been extremely fortunate in securing a faithful and efficient group of employes. We have at all times had an exceedingly large waiting list of applicants to fill any vacancies that might exist. The Department of Research of the State Board of Control has been very cooperative and has given all of our patients the intelligence test.

NECROLOGY

It is with deep regret that we report the death of Mrs. Dagmar Swensen on February 20, 1934. Mrs. Swensen was a faithful and loyal employe, who took a deep personal interest in the welfare of the institution. Her passing was regretted by everyone who knew her.

NEEDS OF THE INSTITUTION

The outstanding need of this institution at the present time is a warehouse and assembly hall. By the erection of such a building we can obtain space very much needed to enlarge our kitchen, bakery, dining rooms, etc.

The following appropriations are requested: Current expense, \$440,000; repairs and replacements, \$6,000; furniture and equipment, \$1,000; industrial, library, school and musical equipment, \$3,000; warehouse, store-rooms, and assembly hall (combined), \$110,000; equipment for warehouse and assembly hall, \$15,000; two cottages for inmates, \$260,000; furniture and equipment for new cottages, \$20,000; additional land, \$2,000; addition to root cellar, \$3,000; lumber shed, garage and rough storage, \$875; generator, \$9,000; fencing grounds and road graveling, \$10,000; farm equipment and supplies, \$2,000; Pasteurizing plant, \$2,000; remodeling dining rooms and serving rooms, \$600; remodeling kitchen and equipment, \$3,000; moving and remodeling bakery, \$1,000; bakery ovens, \$3,000; installing basement, new foundation and moving steward's cottage, \$1,000; sewage disposal plant, \$25,000.

CONCLUSION

I wish to acknowledge and commend the faithful and intelligent efforts of the employes who have assisted in carrying on the work here.

We all appreciate the services so faithfully rendered by the patients in helping with the appearance of the institution.

The cooperation and assistance of the Children's Bureau is sincerely appreciated.

To each member of your honorable Board I desire to express my deepest appreciation for your continued encouragement, support and counsel given in all things pertaining to the management of this institution.

Respectfully submitted,

D. E. McBROOM,

Superintendent.

Institutions for Feeble-Minded and Epileptics

Classification	Year Ended June 30, 1934			Year Ended June 30, 1933		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
POPULATION						
In institutions at beginning of year	1,392	1,413	2,805	1,389	1,344	2,733
Admitted:						
First admissions	228	272	500	145	221	366
Readmissions	18	24	42	9	23	32
Received by transfer	55	74	129	3	11	14
Returned:						
From summer vacation	341	227	568	298	160	458
From escape	30	8	38	32	3	35
Total under care	<u>2,064</u>	<u>2,018</u>	<u>4,082</u>	<u>1,876</u>	<u>1,762</u>	<u>3,638</u>
Discharged:						
As normal	6	5	11	2	---	2
As unimproved	71	143	214	51	114	165
As insane	---	1	1	---	---	---
Died	64	39	103	49	37	86
Paroled for summer vacation	330	236	566	324	182	506
Escaped	36	12	48	52	2	54
Transferred to other institutions	51	61	112	6	14	20
In institutions at end of year	1,506	1,531	3,027	1,392	1,413	2,805
Average population	<u>1,473</u>	<u>1,475</u>	<u>2,948</u>	<u>1,430</u>	<u>1,407</u>	<u>2,837</u>
PERSONS ADMITTED						
Feeble-Minded:						
School	62	36	98	37	40	77
Custodial	116	192	308	33	145	178
Farm colonies	7	---	7	6	---	6
Epileptics:						
School	17	27	44	22	32	54
Custodial	21	34	55	49	27	76
Others	26	22	48	6	---	6
Incurable	2	---	2	1	---	1
Total	<u>251</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>562</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>398</u>
AGE GROUP						
Under 5 years	9	3	12	6	4	10
5 to 9 years	38	39	77	17	18	35
10 to 14 years	80	59	139	41	39	80
15 to 19 years	51	71	122	23	33	56
20 to 24 years	23	51	74	20	53	73
25 to 29 years	11	24	35	10	32	42
30 to 34 years	10	17	27	6	20	26
35 to 39 years	7	11	21	5	19	24
40 to 44 years	5	13	18	7	9	16
45 to 49 years	5	10	15	5	9	14
50 to 54 years	4	4	8	3	4	7
55 to 59 years	2	3	5	5	1	6
60 years and over	6	2	8	6	3	9
Age unknown	---	1	1	---	---	---
Total admissions	<u>251</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>562</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>398</u>
MARITAL CONDITION						
Single	237	267	504	142	187	329
Married	10	35	45	10	44	54
Widowed	2	5	7	2	6	8
Separated	1	1	2	---	3	3
Divorced	1	2	3	---	4	4
Unascertained	---	1	1	---	---	---
Total admissions	<u>251</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>562</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>398</u>

Institutions for Feeble-Minded and Epileptics—Continued

Classification	Year Ended June 30, 1934			Year Ended June 30, 1933		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
NATIVITY						
United States -----	237	303	540	134	229	363
Austria -----	---	1	1	---	1	1
Belgium -----	---	---	---	1	---	1
Canada (includes Newfoundland) -----	2	---	2	2	3	5
Denmark -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
England -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Europe (not otherwise specified) -----	---	1	1	---	---	---
Finland -----	---	1	1	3	---	3
Germany -----	3	1	4	2	2	4
Greece -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Italy -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Norway -----	2	1	3	1	---	1
Poland -----	1	---	1	1	2	3
Russia -----	---	---	---	---	1	1
Sweden -----	2	1	3	3	1	4
Unascertained -----	---	2	2	7	5	12
Total admissions -----	<u>251</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>562</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>398</u>
PARENTAGE						
Native parentage -----	142	170	312	74	106	180
Mixed parentage -----	38	37	75	19	40	59
Foreign parentage -----	48	54	102	40	64	104
Parentage unknown -----	23	50	73	21	34	55
Total admissions -----	<u>251</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>562</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>398</u>
PHYSICAL DEFECTS						
Physically defective:						
Blind -----	3	1	4	---	1	1
Deaf -----	1	1	2	---	---	---
Crippled, maimed or deformed -----	3	3	6	7	2	9
Paralytic -----	10	5	15	5	5	10
Epileptic -----	46	57	103	65	48	113
Two or more defects -----	26	44	70	24	52	76
Dumb -----	9	10	19	4	7	11
Not physically defective -----	153	190	343	52	149	201
Total admissions -----	<u>251</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>562</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>398</u>
DISPOSITION OF INMATES DISCHARGED						
To custody of parents -----	33	44	77	27	56	83
To custody of other relatives -----	12	56	68	6	25	31
To custody of self -----	23	4	27	10	7	17
To custody of others -----	9	45	54	10	26	36
Total discharged -----	<u>77</u>	<u>149</u>	<u>226</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>167</u>
AGE AT DEATH						
Under 5 years -----	4	---	4	3	1	4
5 to 9 years -----	2	1	3	2	5	7
10 to 14 years -----	9	6	15	6	7	13
15 to 19 years -----	13	1	14	10	3	13
20 to 24 years -----	5	7	12	7	4	11
25 to 29 years -----	4	5	9	2	3	5
30 to 34 years -----	3	5	8	4	3	7
35 to 39 years -----	2	3	5	4	2	6
40 to 44 years -----	2	4	6	4	---	4
45 to 49 years -----	4	2	6	1	1	2
50 to 54 years -----	4	---	4	2	3	5
55 to 59 years -----	1	3	4	1	4	5
60 years and over -----	8	2	10	3	1	4
Total -----	<u>64</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>103</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>86</u>

Institutions for Feeble-Minded and Epileptics—Concluded

Classification	Year Ended June 30, 1934			Year Ended June 30, 1933		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
CAUSE OF DEATH						
Erysipelas -----	1	---	1	---	1	1
Tuberculosis of the lungs -----	16	8	24	11	5	16
Other forms of tuberculosis -----	---	---	---	3	---	3
Cancer and other malignant tumors -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Cerebral hemorrhage and softening -----	4	---	4	---	4	4
Forms of mental alienation -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Epilepsy -----	8	9	17	6	2	8
Other diseases of the nervous system -----	2	---	2	---	---	---
Organic diseases of the heart -----	3	5	8	1	6	7
Diseases of the arteries -----	2	---	2	1	---	1
Pneumonia -----	14	11	25	19	11	30
Diarrhea and enteritis -----	---	3	3	2	1	3
Nephritis and Bright's disease -----	3	---	3	---	---	---
Forms of violence -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
All other causes -----	8	3	11	6	7	13
Total -----	64	39	103	49	37	86

School for the Blind

Classification	Year Ended June 30, 1934			Year Ended June 30, 1933		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
POPULATION						
Previously enrolled -----	60	35	95	54	38	92
First admissions -----	18	11	24	17	7	24
Total attendance -----	78	46	119	71	45	116
Discharged or left -----	7	2	9	3	---	3
In institution at close of school -----	68	44	110	68	45	113
Average population -----	68	44	112	69	44	113
DEGREE OF BLINDNESS						
Totally blind -----	5	5	10	3	2	5
Partially blind -----	8	6	14	14	5	19
Total admissions -----	13	11	24	17	7	24
AGE WHEN BLINDNESS OCCURRED						
At birth -----	5	2	7	10	7	17
After birth and under 2 years -----	4	3	7	2	---	2
2 to 4 years -----	1	1	2	---	---	---
5 to 9 years -----	1	2	3	3	---	3
10 to 14 years -----	1	3	4	1	---	1
15 to 19 years -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Unknown -----	---	---	---	1	---	1
Total admissions -----	13	11	24	17	7	24
CAUSE OF BLINDNESS						
Causes affecting the cornea:						
Corneal ulcers -----	---	1	1	---	---	---
Leucoma -----	1	---	1	---	---	---
Other causes -----	---	---	---	2	---	2
Causes affecting the iris:						
Veneral diseases -----	---	1	1	---	---	---
Other causes -----	1	---	1	3	---	3
Causes affecting the lens:						
Cataract -----	1	4	5	3	---	3
Other causes producing opacity of eye:						
Glaucoma -----	1	---	1	1	1	2
Nervous apparatus affected:						
Optic atrophy -----	2	2	4	---	---	---
Unclassified:						
Congenital -----	2	2	4	7	5	12
Different causes for each eye -----	4	1	5	---	---	---
Other causes -----	1	---	1	1	---	1
Unknown -----	---	---	---	---	1	1
Total admissions -----	13	11	24	17	7	24
AGE GROUP						
6 to 7 years -----	---	2	2	3	---	3
8 to 9 years -----	2	---	2	3	2	5
10 to 11 years -----	2	3	5	2	1	3
12 to 13 years -----	3	1	4	4	1	5
14 to 15 years -----	2	2	4	2	1	3
16 to 17 years -----	3	1	4	2	1	3
18 to 19 years -----	---	2	2	---	---	---
20 years and over -----	1	---	1	1	1	2
Total admissions -----	13	11	24	17	7	24
NATIVITY						
United States -----	13	11	24	17	7	24
Total admissions -----	13	11	24	17	7	24
PARENTAGE						
Native parentage -----	6	9	15	14	4	18
Mixed parentage -----	7	2	9	---	3	3
Foreign parentage -----	---	---	---	2	---	2
Parentage unknown -----	---	---	---	1	---	1
Total admissions -----	13	11	24	17	7	24