

School for Feeble Minded and Colony for Epileptics

Faribault

The legislature in 1879 authorized the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Institute for the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind to open an experimental department for feeble-minded children. In July of that year a small class was organized with fifteen children, transferred from the Rochester and St. Peter State Hospitals. In 1881 the legislature directed that the School for Idiots and Imbeciles be connected with the Minnesota Institute for Deaf, Dumb, and Blind, and granted an appropriation of \$25,000 for the erection of a building. This building was occupied the following year. In 1887 the school was made a department of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives. The present name was adopted in 1905. The buildings include an administration building with wings, several custodial buildings for boys and girls, a cottage for working boys, a cottage for boys employed at the dairy, Hillcrest cottage for boys, Riverview cottage and Lilacs cottage for girls, general hospital, infirmary buildings for boys and girls, central kitchen, and bakery, laundry, powerhouse, superintendent's cottage, building for women employees, and six colony buildings for boys, situated some distance from the main institution in connection with the farm, garden and dairy. The farm group includes modern dairy barns with accommodations for 120 cows. This is the largest institution in the Division of Public Institutions.

E. J. Engberg, M. D.	Superintendent
A. L. Haynes, M. D.	Senior Physician
Ethel R. Beede, M. D.	Junior Physician
George L. Kennedy, M. D.	Junior Physician
Josephine Tofte, M. D.	Junior Physician
George D. Eitel, M. D.	Consulting Surgeon
F. W. Stevenson, M. D.	Consulting Oculist & Aurist
Leonard S. Hugunin, D. D. S. (on military leave)	Dentist
Alexander Lestico, D. D. S.	Acting Dentist
Chas. S. Lewis	Steward

Capacity of Institution	2,400
Number of patients June 30, 1944	2,585
Area of grounds, acres	1,183
Leased, acres	66
Acreage under cultivation	738
Value of lands and buildings	\$3,098,293.00
Value of personal property	659,194.00

Expenditures for year ended June 30, 1944:	
Current Expense -----	\$284,927.13
Salaries -----	380,695.75
Repairs and replacements -----	11,946.08
Permanent improvements -----	9,843.13
Gross per capita cost, current expense and salaries ----	265.72
Number of officers and employees, June 30, 1944 -----	336

To the Director, Division of Public Institutions:

I have the honor to submit the biennial report of the School for Feeble-minded and Colony for Epileptics for the period ended June 30, 1944.

POPULATION

During the year ended June 30, 1943, there were 245 first admissions and 45 re-admissions; total number receiving care was 2,846. On June 30, 1943, 2,565 were enrolled of whom 128 were temporarily absent. The average daily population was 2,564.

During the year ended June 30, 1944, there were 181 first admissions and 39 re-admissions; total number receiving care was 2,795. On June 30, 1944, 2,585 were enrolled of whom 135 were temporarily absent. The average daily population was 2,575.

MEDICAL SERVICE

Health conditions have been satisfactory. Our surgical consultant, Dr. George D. Eitel, has performed sterilization operations upon 59 women and 54 men. This has brought the total to 1,435 women and 370 men sterilized since the law was passed in 1925.

Forty committed women and girls were admitted for prenatal care and confinement. To these were born forty children. One was stillborn, and four died soon after birth. The others were returned to their county soon after reaching three months of age.

In 1943 the policy of transferring active tuberculous patients to other institutions was discontinued and isolation units were established for them in our hospital. The Tuberculous Control Program has been further modified to conform with the plans recommended by Dr. H. A. Burns since he became head of the Tuberculosis Control Unit in the Division in November, 1942.

Dr. F. W. Stevenson has continued to act as consultant in eye, ear, nose and throat conditions.

Dr. George Kennedy and Dr. Josephine Tofte were added to the resident medical staff.

Dr. Ruth Lundberg, resident physician, resigned.

DENTAL DEPARTMENT

The Dental Department is in charge of a full-time dentist serving the dental needs of approximately 2,600 patients. This includes those living on the main campus proper and those in more remote buildings.

Dental operations cover prophylaxis, extractions, fillings, denture work, minor oral surgery, and X-ray examinations.

The state provides alloy, silicate, and cement fillings without charge to the patient. Gold work is done where relatives are able to pay cost of material.

Lacking only a dental x-ray unit, the office has modern equipment.

The endeavor of the dental department is to maintain as high a degree of oral hygiene as possible among inmates.

Statistical report for July, 1942, to July, 1944: Number of patients, 8,764; cement fillings, 673; synthetic fillings, 420; amalgam fillings, 2,207; prophylaxis, 5,567; extractions, 1,791; treatments, 696; examinations, 719; dentures, 55; repairs, 40; adjustments, 204; x-rays, 15; gold fillings, 5; bridges, 5.

EDUCATIONAL

The school department consists of seven academic class rooms ranging from kindergarten through fifth grade. An average of 225 boys and girls attend these classes and also the industrial and vocational classes. In addition, an average of 200 are trained to do sewing, cooking, weaving, knitting, embroidery, needle-point, net, caning, brush and mat-making in the various school rooms of the institution.

The older girls are trained to do laundry work, waitress work and household tasks. The older boys help in the shops, gardens, laundry, kitchen, bakery, greenhouse, and at the farm.

All recreational activities of the institution are in charge of the school department. School programs are given by the children under the supervision of the teachers. The boys' band and orchestra furnish music for the school dances which are held every other week on Tuesday and Friday evenings, as well as for the weekly band concerts held during the summer. The Sunday choir is selected from the vocal music classes. A news-reel is shown every Wednesday during assembly period and moving pictures are shown twice a month. Each film being run three times to accommodate all the patients.

At Christmas Santa Claus and the band visit all the buildings distributing candy, peanuts, and gifts to all. A Christmas tree with colored lights is placed on each grade.

Picnics are held during the summer for the various buildings. A

Fourth of July program is arranged on the campus including games and refreshments in the afternoon and a band concert in the evening.

Each year the institution arranges an exhibit at the State Fair. The articles shown are made by the boys and girls in school.

Non-denominational religious services are held each Sunday morning. In addition, Catholic and Lutheran clergymen from Faribault hold special services for patients of these faiths.

LIBRARY

The library has two main purposes, educational and recreational. During the school year, teachers bring their academic classes to the library once a week. Those who are capable of personal reading are allowed to draw books as from a public library. They are also given instruction in the proper use of books and in methods of locating material for themselves. Younger children and those incapable of reading easily, listen to stories read aloud by the librarian. Older patients draw books from the library once a week for recreational reading. The librarian takes books to patients in the hospital and to those in other cottages who are unable to visit the library themselves. Once a week, the librarian furnishes a program for chapel exercises, either reading aloud, or, presenting a good student reader. In the summer months all reading takes on a more recreational tone.

The reading interests of patients cover a wide field, even though reading ability is limited. Many of them receive great satisfaction from picture books and illustrated magazines. There are 3,096 books in our library and a magazine subscription list of ten. Many popular magazines are also donated for our use. In the past two years, 40,653 books and magazines were circulated. There was no library service during the months of June, July, and August, 1943, when the position of librarian was unfilled. A partial quarantine existing during the spring and early summer of 1944, reduced the total circulation figures for that period.

A medical library and a library for employees are also under the librarian's care. The circulation of professional magazines to staff physician's, and circulation of books for an employees book club are important parts of this service.

SOCIAL SERVICE

The work of the Social Service Department consists of the preparation of case histories for use in the weekly staff conferences. These include the records of patients who are new admissions and others who are being considered for community placement. In addition, those who present special problems within the institution are studied and reports received from immediate supervisors. After careful consideration, recommendations are made regarding them to the proper persons or agencies and training programs

are planned for those within the institution. Another activity of the department is the formulating of correspondence relative to patients, and the interviewing of relatives, social workers, and members of the institution staff for specific information regarding patients.

Due to the national emergency, the visits of many college, university, and high school classes have been curtailed. However, many student groups, particularly cadet nurses, have come to the institution, and there has been a real opportunity to interpret the method of care, treatment, and training for the various classifications of patients. A number of County Welfare Board members and many workers from the staffs have also been conducted through the institution and problems relating to the work of the County Welfare Boards have been discussed with them.

FARM AND GARDEN

Six hundred thirty-eight acres have been in farm crops, 100 acres in garden, 472 acres in pasture and hay or waste land, and about 98 devoted to the campus. Crops have been satisfactory except for the tomato crop which has been poor because of adverse weather conditions.

During the biennial period we canned 6,245 No. 10 size cans of rhubarb and 7,189 of tomatoes in our kitchen. In addition, we received 15,663 No. 2 size cans of corn and 12,249 cans of peas from the local canning factory, and 1,020 No. 2½ size cans of pumpkin from the Owatonna Canning factory as our share of that raised and delivered to them.

DAIRY

Milk production for the period has been increased to 2,272,121 pounds from 2,047,131 pounds the previous biennial period.

There has been one positive reactor to the tuberculin test and five positive reactors to the Bang's test. These were sold in accordance with instructions from the State Live Stock Sanitary Board upon receiving the reports of these reactors.

THE INSTITUTION ROLE IN THE WAR EFFORT

Sixteen employees were on military leave of absence serving with our armed forces on June 30, 1944, and we wish, for each of them, a safe return to us when the present emergency has passed.

We were happy to have had seven employees return from military leave of absence after honorable discharge from our armed forces.

Nine of our male employees were granted war industry leaves of absence as they could be and were replaced by handicapped men or by women in accordance with the program outlined by the Minnesota Emergency Manpower Agency created in 1942 by Governor Harold E. Stassen, in order to help meet the manpower needs of the nation for the war effort. Two

of these returned to their duties at the institution before June 30, 1944, but one of them resigned three months after his return to resume war industry work. One of our women employees who had resigned to enter war industry employment was granted a leave of absence in accordance with the provisions of the law passed by the 1943 legislature.

Our employees have cooperated in a commendable manner in all of the special projects necessary during the emergency, viz: acting as air raid wardens, volunteering as blood donors during the visits to Faribault of the St. Paul Mobile Red Cross Blood Donor Unit, contributing to the drives for funds by the Red Cross, the combined Community Chest and National War Fund Drives, and in the payroll deductions and special drives for the sale of War Bonds.

Since August, 1943, the institution has been glad to act at the request of the United States Naval Air Station, Wold Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis, as a weather observer, to give warning by telephone of approaching storms.

NECROLOGY

We regret the passing of the following employees while in our service: Ole Thompson, died October 26, 1942; Joe Felton, died March 22, 1943; C. W. Koelle, died July 13, 1943; William Yule, died September 4, 1943; Joe McGuire, died September 8, 1943; Grover Salisbury, died February 25, 1944.

BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Razed old residence at site of proposed new deep well; built a new double corn crib and machine shed at Walcott, 36x80 feet; built new machine shed at horse barn, 28x120 feet; wrecked old barn near new hospital; built new concrete foundation at piggery and moved the old building on same; built new concrete foundation and repaired old barn at Grandview; repaired concrete ceiling in boiler plant on account of removing old coal handling machine; removed 40 feet of top of old stone tower on west side of main building and re-roofed same; re-roofed kitchen with asbestos shingles; remodeled, repainted and repaired house at Walcott farm; lined side walls and ceiling of sand rock root cellar with concrete blocks; built five new concrete hot beds for garden including sash; removed, repaired, and replaced all wire guards on south side of Sunnyside porch; laid 104 lineal feet of 6-inch drain tile in new cemetery; installed stand-by fuel oil heater in boiler room at power plant; installed single unit natural zeolite pressure type multi-port controlled water-softener unit in the softener room in the power plant; purchased additional fire extinguishers for various buildings as recommended by the State Fire Marshal's office; installed a vertical Read-Co. mixing machine in the bakery of our central kitchen to replace

the old worn-out machine; purchased a Union dough moulder which will, upon delivery, be installed in the bakery of our central kitchen to replace the obsolete one; installed in hospital a new 68.7 cubic foot electrical refrigerator in the main kitchen to replace the old obsolete ice box; built and installed at Walcott, filter tank on cold water supply system in order to eliminate red rust deposit in the system; the Peerless Deep Well Turbine Pump at Grandview was taken out, cleaned, and repaired; two new Blakeslee dishwashing machines have been installed in main building and one in the Sunnyside building to replace old and obsolete ones; installed permanent electric lights with a new conduit and moisture-proof cable in sand rock root cellar; repaired and installed a new governor pin on 26x30-inch Murray engine in power plant; new fence post extension arms were installed and welded in place on the fence enclosing the playground at the main boys' annex; replaced a number of poles and cross-arms on our high voltage transmission lines; completed a great deal of pipe work and plumbing repairs in basements and subways and of considerable pipe covering and patch work in power plant and tunnel; and repaired and welded steel water tank at Colony.

NEEDS OF THE INSTITUTION

Current expense (exclusive of salaries), \$668,200; general repairs, \$50,000; freight elevator, \$5,500; fire fighting equipment, \$1,500; renewing old plumbing fixtures, \$25,800; remodeling porch of main boys' annex, \$1,200; enlarging fence—playground area at main boys' annex, \$1,195; flour weigher for bakery, \$750; dough divider for bakery, \$1,400; dough moulder for bakery, \$1,600; steam kettles for kitchen, \$1,500; two potato steamers for kitchen, \$1,500; power potato peeling machine, \$800; power meat grinder and slicer, \$700; laundry extractor, \$3,300; high speed drying tumbler, \$5,000; 15 modern dishwashing machines, \$7,500; radiator guards, Sunnyside annex I, \$750; industrial equipment, mortising and boring machines, \$1,100; electric welding machine, \$500; furniture and furnishings, \$1,500; two upright pianos, \$900; three Mellophones, \$225; two cornets, long model, \$170; one clarinet, \$125; improve roads on institution grounds, \$13,000; new vacuum pumps at power plant, \$5,000; four high pressure boilers, \$150,000; plant metering equipment, \$3,300; modernizing x-ray equipment at hospital, \$2,000; natural gas range for hospital kitchen, \$500; new five-passenger automobile with ambulance equipment, \$2,000; dump truck, \$1,800; stake body truck, \$1,500; building to house pasteurization plant, \$7,500; addition to bathroom at Sunnyside annex II, \$500; construct fence about proposed new playground for Sunnyside annex II, \$438; new barn at Walcott, \$15,000; remodeling and fire-proofing dairy barn, \$15,000; new addition on west end of central kitchen,

\$25,000; new addition on east side of central kitchen, \$4,000; building for canning equipment, \$6,000; canning equipment, \$8,500; replace old greenhouse, \$7,500; building for filing x-ray pictures, \$3,500; completion of sand rock cellar, \$8,000; retaining wall at root cellar, \$1,500; pump house, \$1,000; milk house, \$1,000; drain tile for farm and garden, \$2,979; fire alarm system, \$3,500; individual Zeolite water softening units for Walcott and dairy farm buildings, \$1,500; sealed unit type electric refrigerators, \$3,000; refrigeration unit for hospital diet kitchen, \$400; mortuary cooler, \$3,000; dental x-ray equipment, \$1,000; ice cube freezing unit, \$250; purchase of real estate, \$10,000; fireproofing in various buildings and installation of terrazzo floors, \$58,900; new terrazzo floors in old hospital building and plastering all ceilings in main part, \$9,000; laundry mangle, \$10,500; connect our sewage system with the new sewage disposal plant of the City of Faribault, \$45,000; state's share of construction of same, \$40,000; new gymnasium, \$100,000; new school building, \$150,000; re-appropriation for construction of four dormitory buildings and remodeling of and additions to the present equipment, \$756,500.

The amount requested for current expense and salaries should be supplemented by whatever amount may be necessary if any new dormitory buildings will be completed for occupancy before June 30, 1947, as the amount requested will be required for our present number of inmates.

CONCLUSION

Special credit is due many supervisors and employees with long records of service who have often carried extra duties and worked overtime because of the shortage of experienced personnel due to the abnormal employment conditions created by the war emergency. Their devotion to duty is deeply appreciated. To them and to new employees who have helped carry the work of the institution in spite of the disadvantages during these times, goes my sincere thanks and appreciation.

I desire to express my appreciation to you as Director, to your staff and to all state departments with which the institution has contact in the performance of its duties, for the interest taken in our problems and to thank you sincerely for the assistance and advice we have received.

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. ENGBERG, M.D.
Superintendent

Colony for Epileptics

Cambridge

The legislature in 1919 authorized the State Board of Control to select from the public lands of the state sites for a colony for feeble-minded and a colony for epileptics. In 1923 the law was amended to permit the purchase of a site for a colony for epileptics. Land was secured at Cambridge and the institution opened in 1925.

The buildings comprises an administrative center group, consisting of the front main center building for administrative offices and quarters for officers and employes; a rear center building, including dining rooms for patients and employes; kitchen, bakery, vegetable room, laundry, and quarters for employes; and ward buildings at either side of the front main center, for sleeping quarters, day rooms, etc., for inmates; also our hospital wards, physicians' offices and laboratories, pharmacy, X-ray rooms, operating room, and dental office and laboratory; ten cottages for patients; central power plant; warehouse and auditorium; garage; root cellar; hog house; a cottage for the farmer; and the dairy barn and milkhouse.

D. E. McBroom, M. D.	Superintendent
R. J. Gully, M. D.	Assistant Superintendent
A. L. Arends, M. D.	Senior Physician
G. D. Eitel, M. D.	Consulting Surgeon
C. N. Spratt, M. D.	Consulting Oculist and Aurist
W. P. Curran, D. D. S.	Dentist
R. F. Gregory.	Steward

Capacity of institution	1108
Number of patients June 30, 1944	1080
Area of grounds, acres	359
Acreage under cultivation	147
Value of lands and buildings	\$1,640,598.00
Value of personal property	241,798.00
Expenditures for the year ended June 30, 1944 :	
Current expense	\$123,856.55
Salaries	151,905.18
Repairs and replacements	4,045.10
Permanent improvements	5,239.18
Per capita cost, current expense and salaries	263.63
Number of officers and employees June 30, 1944	139

To the Director, Division of Public Institutions :

I have the honor to submit the biennial report of the Colony for Epileptics covering the period ended June 30, 1944.

Hospital for Inebriates

Classification	Year Ended June 30, 1944			Year Ended June 30, 1943		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
POPULATION						
In institution at beginning of year	23	11	34	47	5	52
Admitted:						
First admissions	85	17	102	72	17	89
Readmissions	17	2	19	22	5	27
Returned from parole and escape	18	11	29	25	4	29
Total under care	143	41	184	166	31	197
Discharged	13	—	13	15	3	18
Paroled	81	32	113	97	17	114
Escaped	27	3	30	30	—	30
Died	2	1	3	1	—	1
In institution at end of year	20	5	25	23	11	34
Total	143	41	184	166	31	197
Average population	28	8	36	30	6	36
MARITAL CONDITION						
Single	30	1	31	15	2	17
Married	57	11	68	72	12	84
Widowed	6	6	12	1	6	7
Separated	—	—	—	—	—	—
Divorced	9	1	10	6	2	8
Total admissions	102	19	121	94	22	116
AGE GROUP						
25 to 29 years	1	1	2	—	1	1
30 to 34 years	5	3	8	12	7	19
35 to 39 years	15	4	19	14	4	18
40 to 44 years	21	4	25	15	3	18
45 to 49 years	15	1	16	15	5	20
50 to 54 years	22	3	25	9	—	9
55 to 59 years	8	2	10	15	1	16
60 to 64 years	6	—	6	8	1	9
65 to 69 years	7	1	8	5	—	5
70 to 74 years	2	—	2	1	—	1
Total admissions	102	19	121	94	22	116
NATIVITY						
United States	89	19	108	87	17	104
Belgium	—	—	—	1	—	1
Canada (includes Newfoundland)	2	—	2	1	2	3
Finland	6	—	6	—	1	1
Norway	2	—	2	1	—	1
Russia	—	—	—	1	—	1
Scotland	—	—	—	—	1	1
Sweden	3	—	3	2	—	2
Yugoslavia	—	—	—	1	1	2
Total admissions	102	19	121	94	22	116
PARENTAGE						
Native parentage	29	7	36	27	8	35
Mixed parentage	22	6	28	27	4	31
Foreign parentage	46	5	51	36	10	46
Parentage unknown	5	1	6	4	—	4
Total admissions	102	19	121	94	22	116

Institutions for Feeble-minded and Epileptics

POPULATION	Year Ended June 30, 1944					Year Ended June 30, 1943				
	Feeble-minded	Epileptic	Total		Total	Feeble-minded	Epileptic	Total		Total
			Male	Female				Male	Female	
Classification at beginning of year (including paroles & escapes):										
Mentally defective but not epileptic	2479	192	1348	1323	2671	2465	202	1333	1334	2667
Epileptics but not mentally defective	—	72	26	46	72	—	96	49	47	96
Both mentally defective and epileptic	78	829	469	438	907	79	800	435	444	879
Neither mentally defective nor epileptic	8	3	3	3	11	6	4	5	5	10
Total	2565	1096	1851	1810	3661	2550	1102	1822	1830	3652
On books at beginning of year:										
In institution	2437	1011	1724	1724	3448	2404	1002	1672	1734	3406
Paroles and escapes	128	85	127	86	213	146	100	150	96	246
Admitted:										
First admissions	181	76	131	126	257	245	93	199	139	338
Readmissions	39	23	31	31	62	45	16	39	22	61
Received by transfer	10	5	7	8	15	6	1	4	3	7
Total under care	2795	1200	2020	1975	3995	2846	1212	2064	1994	4058
Discharged:										
Mental defectives—										
Under age of self-support (18 yrs.)	8	3	9	2	11	8	—	7	1	8
Capable of self-support	90	—	52	38	90	142	2	58	86	144
Capable of partial self-support	27	2	10	19	29	32	6	16	22	38
Epileptics—										
As improved	—	20	10	10	20	—	21	17	4	21
As unimproved	—	47	27	20	47	—	45	31	14	45
Neither mentally defective nor epileptic	18	—	12	6	18	18	1	12	7	19
Transferred to other institutions	6	14	12	8	20	7	14	13	8	21
Died:										
In institutions	61	34	55	40	95	74	24	57	41	98
Paroles and escapes	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	1	3
On books at end of year:										
In institutions	2450	992	1721	1721	3442	2437	1011	1724	1724	3448
Paroles and escapes	135	88	112	111	223	128	85	127	86	213
Total	2795	1200	2020	1975	3995	2846	1212	2064	1994	4058
Average population:										
In institutions	2505	1046	1773	1778	3551	2500	1044	1776	1768	3544
Paroles and escapes	70	37	62	45	107	64	52	64	52	116
Classification at end of year (including paroles and escapes):										
Mentally defective but not epileptic	2456	186	1306	1336	2642	2479	192	1348	1323	2671
Epileptic but not mentally defective	—	68	25	43	68	—	72	26	46	72
Both mentally defective and epileptic	124	825	501	448	949	78	829	469	438	907
Neither mentally defective nor epileptic	5	1	1	5	6	8	3	8	3	11
Total	2585	1080	1833	1832	3665	2565	1096	1851	1810	3661
MENTAL DIAGNOSIS OF FIRST ADMISSIONS										
Mental defectives:										
Idiot	43	—	25	18	43	64	—	40	24	64
Imbecile	37	—	16	21	37	58	—	32	26	58
Moron	83	—	34	49	83	100	2	42	60	102

Institutions for Feeble-minded and Epileptics—Continued

	Year Ended June 30, 1944				Year Ended June 30, 1943					
	Feeble-minded	Epileptic	Male	Female	Total	Feeble-minded	Epileptic	Male	Female	Total
Epileptics:										
Idiopathic	1	10	6	5	11	—	9	8	1	9
Symptomatic	—	2	2	—	2	—	6	3	3	9
Both mentally defective and epileptic	17	—	8	9	17	—	—	—	—	—
Idiopathic idiot	—	3	1	2	3	—	8	5	3	11
Idiopathic imbecile	—	6	5	1	6	—	11	7	4	11
Idiopathic moron	—	13	8	5	13	—	14	7	7	14
Symptomatic imbecile	—	2	2	—	2	—	8	8	—	8
Symptomatic moron	—	2	1	1	2	—	14	13	1	14
Symptomatic idiot	—	1	1	—	1	—	2	2	—	2
Unclassified	—	37	22	15	37	—	19	14	5	19
Neither mentally deficient nor epileptic	—	—	—	—	—	23	—	18	5	23
Total first admissions	181	76	131	126	257	245	93	199	139	338

MENTAL DIAGNOSIS OF READMISSIONS

Mental defectives:										
Idiot	1	—	—	1	1	4	—	3	1	5
Imbecile	7	—	4	3	7	12	—	7	5	17
Moron	31	—	14	17	31	29	—	17	12	29
Epileptics:										
Idiopathic	—	1	1	—	1	—	3	3	—	3
Symptomatic	—	3	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—
Both mentally defective and epileptic:										
Idiopathic idiot	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1
Idiopathic imbecile	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1
Idiopathic moron	—	9	7	2	9	—	10	7	3	10
Symptomatic idiot	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Symptomatic imbecile	—	3	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—
Symptomatic moron	—	3	2	1	3	—	—	—	—	—
Unclassified	—	3	2	1	3	—	1	1	—	1
Total readmissions	39	23	31	31	62	45	16	39	22	61

AGE OF FIRST ADMISSIONS

Under 5 years	15	—	9	6	15	28	—	17	11	28
5 to 9 years	32	9	23	18	41	35	17	40	19	52
10 to 14 years	38	18	38	18	56	49	23	53	19	72
15 to 19 years	33	19	23	29	52	56	19	38	37	65
20 to 24 years	26	8	12	22	34	34	8	21	21	42
25 to 29 years	10	4	8	6	14	9	8	8	9	17
30 to 34 years	11	2	4	9	13	17	7	9	8	17
35 to 39 years	10	4	6	8	14	10	4	6	8	14
40 to 44 years	2	4	2	4	6	3	4	1	6	7
45 to 49 years	3	2	2	3	5	3	—	2	1	3
50 to 54 years	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
55 to 59 years	—	1	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1
60 years and over	—	5	3	2	5	1	2	3	—	3
Total first admissions	181	76	131	126	257	245	93	199	139	338

MARITAL CONDITION OF FIRST ADMISSIONS

Single	163	70	124	109	233	221	89	190	120	310
Married	11	5	7	9	16	23	3	8	18	26
Widowed	4	1	—	5	5	1	—	—	1	1
Divorced	3	—	—	3	3	—	1	1	—	1
Total first admissions	181	76	131	126	257	245	93	199	139	338

NATIVITY OF FIRST ADMISSIONS

United States	181	74	129	126	255	245	92	198	139	337
Canada (includes Newfoundland)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1

Institutions for Feeble-minded and Epileptics—Continued

	Year Ended June 30, 1944				Year Ended June 30, 1943					
	Feeble-minded	Epi-leptic	Male	Female	Feeble-minded	Epi-leptic	Male	Female	Tot.	
Sweden -----	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Unascertained -----	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total first admissions	181	76	131	126	245	93	199	139	338	
PARENTAGE OF FIRST ADMISSIONS										
Native parentage -----	129	39	87	81	168	161	48	129	80	209
Mixed parentage -----	22	8	17	13	30	33	13	27	19	46
Foreign parentage -----	18	5	8	15	23	26	9	12	23	35
Parentage unknown -----	12	24	19	17	36	25	23	31	17	48
Total first admissions	181	76	131	126	245	93	199	139	338	
DEATHS										
Mental defectives:										
Idiot -----	37	1	18	20	38	38	1	22	17	39
Imbecile -----	14	—	8	6	14	21	—	13	8	21
Moron -----	8	—	7	1	8	12	1	8	5	13
Epileptics:										
Symptomatic -----	—	2	2	—	2	—	1	1	—	1
Idiopathic -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
Unknown -----	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Both mentally defective and epileptic:										
Idiopathic idiot -----	—	9	7	2	9	—	3	—	3	3
Idiopathic imbecile -----	—	8	4	4	8	—	4	2	2	4
Idiopathic moron -----	—	8	4	4	8	—	11	7	4	11
Symptomatic moron -----	—	5	2	3	5	—	—	—	—	—
Unclassified -----	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	2
Neither mentally defective nor epileptic										
-----	2	—	2	—	2	3	—	3	—	3
Total -----	61	34	55	40	95	74	24	57	41	98
AGE AT DEATH										
Under 5 years -----	16	—	8	8	16	16	—	13	3	16
5 to 9 years -----	6	2	5	3	8	5	—	2	3	5
10 to 14 years -----	2	7	4	5	9	8	1	6	3	9
15 to 19 years -----	7	—	5	2	7	4	—	2	2	4
20 to 24 -----	7	10	11	6	17	6	6	8	4	12
25 to 29 years -----	6	3	5	4	9	4	4	5	3	8
30 to 34 years -----	3	1	1	3	4	4	4	1	3	4
35 to 39 years -----	4	3	4	3	7	4	3	2	5	7
40 to 44 years -----	3	4	6	1	7	5	1	2	4	6
45 to 49 years -----	2	2	2	2	4	3	2	3	2	5
50 to 54 years -----	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	3	4
55 to 59 years -----	2	1	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	2
60 years and over -----	3	1	3	1	4	12	4	11	5	16
Total -----	61	34	55	40	95	74	24	57	41	98
CAUSE OF DEATH										
Nephritis and Bright's disease										
-----	—	2	1	1	2	2	—	1	1	2
Tuberculosis of the lungs										
-----	8	5	8	5	13	3	3	3	3	6
Other forms of tuberculosis										
-----	1	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	2	2
Cancer and other malignant tumors										
-----	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Cerebral hemorrhage and softening										
-----	1	—	1	—	1	5	1	4	2	6
Form of mental alienation										
-----	9	—	5	4	9	1	1	—	2	2
Epilepsy										
-----	1	11	6	6	12	9	1	7	3	10
Other diseases of the nervous system										
-----	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	4	2	6
Organic diseases of the heart										
-----	15	4	8	11	19	12	4	6	10	16
Diseases of the arteries										
-----	1	—	—	1	1	—	2	2	—	2
Pneumonia										
-----	11	5	9	7	16	11	7	12	6	18
Diarrhea and enteritis										
-----	2	—	2	—	2	6	—	4	2	6
Forms of violence										
-----	1	—	1	—	1	1	2	2	1	3
All other causes										
-----	11	6	13	4	17	18	1	12	7	19
Total -----	61	34	55	40	95	74	24	57	41	98