

HOSPITALS.

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NOTE.—On the first occasion of filling up these Forms, a Plan of each Floor of the Hospital should be sent home. Each such Plan should be the size of the Blue Book sheet. In subsequent years, if there has been no material alteration in the Buildings, or addition to them, it will be sufficient to refer to the Blue Book in which the Plans were sent home.

If the Buildings are afterwards altered or enlarged, fresh Plans should be sent home with the Blue Book of the year in which the alterations were effected.

The Hospital was wrecked in the Typhoon of September, 1874, and temporary Buildings have been hired.

The measurements of the rooms used as Wards are given below.

Hospital Return for the Colony of Hongkong, for the Year 1876.

QUESTION I.

	Number remaining in Hospital at the beginning of the year 1876.	Number admitted during the year 1876.	Daily Average in Hospital during the year 1876.	Attendants.				Patients Discharged.		Number who died in 1876.	Average stay of those		Remaining at the end of 1876.	Specify the longest time for which any one Inmate has stayed.	
				Nurses doing no other duty.		Servants partially or not at all employed as Nurses.		Cured and Relieved.	Not improved.		Dead in 1876.	Discharged.			
				Day Nurses.	Night Nurses.	Not Nurses.	Day & Night Nurses.								
Males,	44	087	37	...	...	7	11	...	053	...	34	8	12	20	124 days.
Females, ...	1	14		...	...	...	1	...	17	...	1	3	19	1	40 days.

QUESTION II.

Give the Name or Number of each Ward.	Length in feet.	Breadth in feet.	Height in feet.	Number of Beds assigned to the Ward.	Amount of cubic space available for each Patient for the average number of Patients in the Ward.	The greatest Number of Patients in the Ward at any one time during the year.	Windows and Ventilating Openings.		Connection of the Privy with the Ward.		Is there any Sink or Drain opening in Wards?		REMARKS.	
							Total area in square feet.	Area capable of opening in square feet.	If Privy in Ward.	If leading out of Ward.	Trapped?	Untrapped?		
No. 2 HOUSE.														
Surgical Ward,	40.0	30.8	14.0	13	1,341	17	430	430	No.	None.	None.	None.	There is one Water Closet and one Latrine in the Surgical block; neither of them connected with the Wards. The Latrine attached to the Medical Ward is situated in the verandah into which the Ward opens. The venereal Latrine is not connected with the Ward.	
No. 6 "	19.0	15.8	14.0	3	1,383	4	162	162	"	"	"	"		
" 7 "	19.0	15.8	14.0	3	1,383	4	162	162	"	"	"	"		
" 8 "	18.0	15.6	14.0	2	1,302	4	162	162	"	"	"	"		
" 12 "	12.9	16.0	13.2	2	1,343	1	57	57	"	"	"	"		
" 13 "	16.0	12.9	13.2	2	1,343	1	57	57	"	"	"	"		
" 14 "	13.0	16.0	13.2	2	1,412	1	62	62	"	"	"	"		
" 15 "	16.8	9.9	13.2	2	1,070	1	57	57	"	"	"	"		
" 16 "	16.0	12.4	13.2	2	1,300	1	119	119	"	"	"	"		
" 17 "	16.8	9.9	13.2	2	1,070	1	119	119	"	"	"	"		
No. 6 HOUSE														
Venereal Ward,	25.3	10.8	14.0	5	1,365	0	208	208	"	"	"	"		
Ward,	25.3	10.8	14.0	5	1,385	0	208	208	"	"	"	"		
Medical Ward,	25.3	10.8	14.0	5	1,385	8	208	208	"	"	"	"		
Ward,	25.3	10.8	14.0	5	1,385	8	208	208	"	"	"	"		
Female Wards,	20.9	15.4	16.0	4	1,016	5	192	192	"	"	"	"		
	16.2	15.4	16.0	2	1,982	2	72	72	"	"	"	"		
	25.0	20.6	16.0	6	1,055	8	152	152	"	"	"	"		

QUESTION II.,—(*Continued.*)

<i>Questions.</i>	<i>Answers.</i>
(I.) What quantity of Water is available for each Patient every day?	Unlimited, but continued supply uncertain.
What is the source of the Water Supply?	Surface and Springs.
What is the quality of the Water?	Good.
(II.) Detail the arrangements as to Baths and Lavatories.	There are six Bath-rooms, for the use of the whole Hospital. Arrangement defective.
(III.) What is the system of Sewerage; and what the condition of the Privies?	There is one water-closet flushed from one cistern: the rest of the Hospital is supplied with pails.

QUESTION III.

Give the number of Visits of Inspection paid to the Hospital during the year 1876.

Specifying the Character of the Visit in respect to Notice.	And stating the Official Position of the Visitors.		
	By the Governor or Colonial Secretary.	By a Government Inspector.	By a Committee of the Governing Body.
By Appointment,	His Excellency the Governor, <u>once.</u>	} Occasionally by Colonial Surgeon.	None.
Of Surprise,	Colonial Secretary, once.	Justice of the Peace, twice.	„

(I.) In reference to the above Table, state whether or not the Register Books were produced on every occasion; and if not, on how many occasions they were not so produced.

Register Books produced on each occasion.

(II.) And if on any occasion when they were examined, they were found not to be properly made up to date of examination.

Found made up to date.

(III.) State also how many Reports of the following kinds have come under the notice of the Governor:—

(a.) Reports of a Financial and Statistical kind, especially such as show the system on which Money and Store Accounts are kept and audited.

Collector's Account and Store Account, each Month.

(b.) Reports by Persons charged with the immediate management of the Hospital.

The Superintendent reports every year to the Colonial Surgeon; *vide* Annual Report of latter appended.

(c.) Reports by a Government Inspector, independent of the Governing Authority of the Hospital.

None.

(Append copies of his Reports, if any.)

QUESTION IV.

Fill up the following Table of Cases of each kind of Disease treated in the Hospital in the year, with the Number of Deaths from each such Disease:—

** See Colonial Surgeon's Report for 1876 in the *Appendix*.

And fill up the next Table of Cases of the following Diseases occurring amongst Patients and also amongst Officers:—

Name of Disease.	Occurring amongst Patients.			Occurring amongst Officers.			
	Number of Cases.	In Case of Patients attacked <i>while in Hospital</i> , state how long the Person had been in Hospital before his attack, and for what Disease he was admitted.	Number of Deaths.	Resident Officers.		Non-Resident Officers.	
				Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Yellow Fever or other Endemic Fever,	See Colonial Surgeon's Report for 1876 in the <i>Appendix</i>	None.	None.	None.	None.
Plague,				
Typhus,				
Small Pox,				
Scarlatina,				
Enteric (or Typhoid) Fever,				
Erysipelas,				
Pyæmia,				

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	Number remaining in Hospital at the beginning of the year 1870.	Number admitted during the year 1870.	Daily Average in Hospital during the year 1870.	Attendants.					Patients Discharged.			Average stay of those		Remaining at the end of 1870.	Specify the longest time for which any one Inmate has stayed.	
				Nurses doing no other duty.		Servants partially or not at all employed as Nurses.			Cured.	Relieved.	Not improved.	Number who died in 1870.	Average stay of those			
				Day Nurses.	Night Nurses.	Not Nurses.	Partial Day Nurses.	Partial Night Nurses.					Dead in 1870.			Discharged.
Females,.....	10	168	7	1	...	3	...	...	173	...	...	...	...	173	5	83 days.

Give the Name or Number of each Ward.	Length in feet.	Breadth in feet.	Height in feet.	Number of Beds assigned to the Ward.	Amount of cubic space available for each Patient for the average number of Patients in the Ward.	The greatest number of Patients in the Ward at any one time during the year.	Windows and Ventilating Openings.		Connection of the Privy with the Ward.		Is there any Sink or Drain opening in Ward?		REMARKS.
							Total area in square feet.	Area capable of opening in square feet.	If Privy in Ward.	If leading out of Ward.	Trapped?	Untrapped?	
1	31	24½	10½		11,180		235	235	No.		None.	None.	
2	12½	10½	14½		1,040		104	104	"		"	"	
3	31	23½	14½		10,428		252	252	"		"	"	
4	31	34½	14½		15,426		438	438	"		"	"	
5	31	17½	14½		7,070		284	284	"		"	"	
6	31	17½	14½		7,070		217	217	"		"	"	
7	31½	24½	13½	11	932	11	319	319	"	In Verandah leading from Ward.	"	"	
8	31½	23½	13½	11	892	11	201	201	"		"	"	
9	35	31	13½	16	899	16	438	438	"		"	"	
10	30½	18½	13½	8	918	8	322	322	"		"	"	
11	41	12	13½	6	598	6	246	246	"		"	"	
12	31½	18½	13½	8	553	8	258	258	"		"	"	
13	17½	15½	12	1	3,339	1	109	109	"		"	"	
14	17½	15½	12	1	3,339	1	109	109	"		"	"	
15	17½	15½	12	1	3,339	1	109	109	"		"	"	
16	17½	15½	12	1	3,339	1	109	109	"		"	"	