

## INSANE.

There are 18 asylums for the insane in Canada, most of which are supported entirely by Government, aided in some cases by municipalities, and the following table gives particulars of the number of patients, &c. :—

## ASYLUMS FOR THE INSANE IN CANADA.

## INMATES AND DEATHS.

PROVINCES.	Number of Asylums.	Year Ended.	NUMBER TREATED DURING THE YEAR.			Number of Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to Total Number of Inmates.
			Males.	Females.	Total.		
Ontario, 1901.....	7	Sept. 30..	2,960	2,989	5,949	305	5.13
Quebec, 1900 .....	5	Dec. 31	1,784	1,637	*3,603	472	13.10
Nova Scotia, 1900. ....	1	Sept. 30..	247	256	503	26	5.17
New Brunswick, 1900....	1	Oct. 31..	368	306	674	70	10.39
Manitoba, 1900 .....	2	Dec. 31..	332	190	522	29	5.55
British Columbia, 1901 ..	1	" 31..	134	117	251	19	7.57
P. E. Island, 1901.....	1	" 31..	291	86	377	25	6.63
Total .....	18	.....	6,116	5,581	11,879	946	7.96

\* Including 182 sex not given.

In Ontario, on September 30, 1901, there were 5,256 persons in the provincial asylums, and 17 in the Homewood Retreat, Guelph; 36 insane convicts in Kingston penitentiary, and 95 insane persons in the common jails, making a total of 5,404 persons of unsound mind under public accommodation, while there were 476 applications for admission on hand, making a total of 5,880 persons of unsound mind known to the Provincial Government.