

situation if the patient population on Jan. 1, 1947, and the admissions and separations during the year are considered. This overcrowded condition was specially marked in New Brunswick, Quebec and the western provinces. Of the 50,203 resident patients in 1947, 37,801 were psychotic, 11,188 were mentally deficient, 770 were epileptic and 444 mental cases were otherwise classified.

At Dec. 31, 1947, the number of resident patients in mental institutions per 100,000 population was 399.8 as compared with 399.5 at the same date in 1946, 396.5 in 1945, 388.0 in 1940, 352.8 in 1935 and 305.4 at June 1, 1931.

Data are not available to indicate to what extent the increasing trend of patients per 100,000 population is due to more complete diagnosis and care than formerly, or to what extent there is an actual increase in the proportion of the population requiring treatment for mental diseases.

11.—Summary Statistics of Mental Institutions, by Provinces, 1947

Item	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario
	No	No.	No.	No.	No.
Institutions reporting.....	1	16	1	8	17
Normal bed capacities.....	250	2,603	900	13,845	15,864
Personnel—					
Medical staff, full-time (interns included).....	1	8	6	70	119
Medical staff, part-time (interns included).....	1	16	1	17	29
Registered nurses.....	1	27	13	160	392
Other nurses.....	22	36	12	187	242
Totals, Personnel.....	75	433	267	2,601	4,181
Movement of Patients—					
Admissions (transfers not included).....	117	695	375	3,044	4,960
Under treatment.....	406	2,981	1,665	17,632	21,023
Separations (transfers not included).....	105	680	306	2,818	4,464
Total patients, Dec. 31, 1947.....	301	2,418	1,766	16,432	18,298
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Receipts—					
Government and municipal payments.....	211,692	886,834	719,921	4,524,723	6,962,614
Fees from paying patients.....	27,901	91,223	58,266	777,515	1,648,577
Received from other sources.....	—	79,161	3,894	860,441	423,688
Totals, Receipts.....	239,593	1,057,218	782,081	6,162,679	9,034,879
Expenditures—					
Salaries (net).....	83,481	374,056	348,120	2,329,837	5,632,151
Provisions.....	76,316	295,032	180,811	1,563,083	1,341,083
All other expenditures for maintenance.....	79,796	356,447	253,150	1,894,112	1,956,745
Totals, Expenditures for Maintenance.....	239,593	1,025,535	782,081	5,787,032	8,929,979
New buildings and improvements.....	—	51,800	71,868	250,459	34,332
Expenditures for other purposes.....	—	13,850	—	485,662	21,928
Totals, Expenditures.....	239,593	1,091,185	853,949	6,523,153	8,986,239