

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

MARYLAND PENITENTIARY, }
BALTIMORE, November 30, 1862. }

Gentlemen of the Board of Directors :

I herewith submit my report of the health and mortality of the Maryland Penitentiary, during the past twelve months.

One hundred and thirty-six patients have been treated in the Hospital ; and three thousand six hundred and forty-two prescriptions have been given from the office.

The cases treated in the Hospital were as follows :

Abscess.....	10	Brought forward.....	74
Asthma.....	1	Intermittent Fever.....	6
Brain, softening of.....	1	Neuralgia	4
Bronchitis	4	Phthisis	5
Catarrh	7	Pneumonia.....	3
Convulsions.....	1	Pleuritis	1
Diarrhoea	10	Remittent Fever.....	1
Dropsy	3	Rheumatism	16
Enteritis	5	Sprains	2
Erysipelas	1	Scurvy	1
Fistula in Ano.....	2	Syphilis.....	2
Gastric Derang.....	11	Typhoid Fever.....	5
General Debility.....	12	Ulcers	3
Hemorrhoids	1	Wounds.....	13
Influenza.....	5		
Forward.....	74		136

Cases in Hospital,
Prescriptions in Office,

136
3,642