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GENERAL REVIEW

Despite the many adverse conditions under which the Guyana Prison Service operated during 1978, it was nevertheless able to function in keeping with National policies and objectives, in the process, strengthening its programmes for the equipping of prison officers with the correct skills and attitudes, and for the promotion of the philosophy of self reliance within the Service.

The sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) was provided for Capital Expenditure towards the improvement, efficiency and effective performance of the Service. This amount compared favourably with the sum of twenty-eight thousand dollars (\$28,000.00) which was provided in 1977.

The sum allocated was spent on:-

- (a) the purchase of a Power Chain Saw to enable self-sufficiency of the service in fuel supply;
- (b) the purchase of a Portable Water Pump to service the various farms;
- (c) the construction of eight (8) large sluice boxes at the Lusignan farm to improve the drainage/irrigation facilities;
- (d) the purchase of two (2) Mitsubishi Canter Trucks for general transportation;
- (e) the rehabilitation of the engine for the Launch which was used for transportation between the Mazaruni Prison Compound and Bartica, and
- (f) the construction of the new (prisoners) reception office at the New Amsterdam Prison.

STAFF TRAINING:

Training, educating and motivating workers continued to hold high priority in the programme of the Service.

During the year, officers of both junior and senior rank received training locally and overseas as follows:

OVERSEAS TRAINING:

- (a) Comrade Joseph Quamina, Prison Farm Supervisor continued his four (4) year Degree Course in Poultry and Animal Science at the Tuskegee Institute, United States of America.

- (b) Comrade Philip Alexander, Prison Officer continued studies in the field of Fish Plant Operation in Cuba.
- (c) Comrade Edwin Pratt, Chief Prison Officer continued his Law Studies at the University of The West Indies (Cave Hill).
- (d) Comrade Morris Layne, Prison Officer, commenced a one (1) year course leading to the Bachelor of Science Degree (Social Work) at the University of the West Indies (Mona).
- (e) Comrade Durga Singh, Farm Supervisor, completed a three (3) month course of training in Veterinary Medicine and Animal Breeding in the German Democratic Republic.

LOCAL TRAINING:

- (a) Cde. Sydney Walcott, Chief Prison Officer, attended the third Junior Officers Course at the Police Training School, Eve Leary.
- (b) Cde. Ulric Williams completed his training in Nursing at the Public Hospital, Georgetown.
- (c) Cdes, Gourrick Kistoo and Nandram Seepaul, Principal Officers/ completed the Certificate Course in /successfully Agriculture at the Guyana School of Agriculture.
- successfully/(d) Cde. Philip Alexander, Storekeeper/ completed the Diploma Course in Industrial Relations and Social Studies at the Critchlow Labour College.
- successfully/(e) Cdes. Daniel Griffith and Elston Lewis, Principal Officers, and Prison Officers Satinand Rambarran and Morris Layne/completed the two (2) year Diploma Course in Social Work at the University of Guyana.
- (f) Cde. Nabbi Bacchus continued studies for the Diploma in Social Work at the University of Guyana.
- (g) Cde. Stanley Cooke - Tutor Organiser (ag.) completed the seven (7) month course in the Basic Principles of Marxism at the Cuffy Ideological Institute.
- (h) Cde. Kantashwar Dahari, Clerk III, continued studies for the Degree in Management at the University of Guyana.
- (i) Cde. Jennifer Sealey - Clerk II, continued studies for the Degree in Economics at the University of Guyana.
- successfully/(j) Cde. Petal Crockwell - Assistant Prison Officer/completed a one (1) year course in Industrial Relations and Social Studies at the Critchlow Labour College.

- (k) Cde. Livingstone Paul - Principal Officer, completed a seven (7) month course for supervising teachers at the Cuffy Ideological Institute.
- (l) Cdes. Wilfred Trotman - Principal Officer and Jeffrey Wills - Trade Instructor attended the Guyana Developers' Course.
- (m) Cde. Stanley Cooke - Tutor Organiser (ag.) and Cde. Sydney Walcott Assistant Superintendent of Prisons (ag.) commenced the two (2) year Diploma Course in Social Work at the University of Guyana. Also three (3) Basic Training Courses for Recruits were mounted during the year.

CO-OPERATIVES:

A majority of the staff of the Service were involved in the various Co-operative Organisations i.e. the Credit Union, Consumer Co-operatives, Scholarship Fund and Sports and Games Fund.

CREDIT UNION:

The Credit Union continued to progress and to facilitate its members by way of increased loans. During the year, four hundred and six (406) loans totalling One Hundred and Sixty-three Thousand, One Hundred and Twenty-nine Dollars and Nine Cents (\$163,129.09) were granted to members.

Also Share Capital of Thirty-one Thousand, Nine Hundred and Forty-Nine Dollars and Forty Cents (\$31,949.40) was subscribed by two hundred and Fifty-Eight (258) members.

Additional investments stood at fifteen thousand, seven hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty-eight cents (\$15,774.58) at the end of the year.

Each member's share and loan were ~~covered~~^{covered} by insurance in the sum of Four and Ten Thousand Dollars, respectively.

The Credit Union continued to gear itself to cope with the varying demands of its members and as such training in this field was emphasised.

CONSUMERS CO-OPERATIVES:

During the year the Mazaruni Branch of the Consumers Co-operative improved its service and the management earned much praise from the patrons for its performance.

Regrettably the service provided at the Georgetown branch deteriorated to the extent that the grocery section was closed on the advice of the Co-operative Department.

The Snackette however continued to be in operation and offered satisfactory service. At year end, efforts were continuing to have the Georgetown branch fully operative again.

SCHOLARSHIP FUND:

During the year bursaries totalling five thousand, two hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$5,265.00) were awarded to members' children.

SPORTS AND GAMES FUND:

This Fund continued to provide for the needs of officers in terms of sports and games. It financed sporting activities which involved officers of all ranks at the various prisons.

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES:

During 1978 no significant changes were made to the physical facilities for recreational purposes at any of the prisons, nevertheless recreational activities by officers and inmates continued with great enthusiasm.

Officers and inmates took part both jointly and severally in competitions at the Inter-Prison, Inter-Service and National levels. Many of the events were entertaining and educative. Inter Club competitions were also played. Sports and Games activities included Cricket, Football, Athletics, Boxing, Table Tennis, Dominoes, Art and Culture.

CRICKET:

Great interest was shown in the development of cricket within the Service during the year. Substantial sums of money were expended on the provision of gears and other requirements necessary to the game's development. Officers were also granted time off whenever possible for practice sessions. These facilities resulted in many outstanding individual and Team performances in the Inter-Club, Inter-Prison, and Inter-Service matches that were played.

The Inter-Prison Tournament for the Director's Trophy was won by the Mazaruni Prison.

FOOTBALL:

Football was played at all the prisons with both officers and inmates playing together as a Team sometimes, and at other times competing against each other. This involvement was helpful to the Prisons Rehabilitation Programme, as it promoted an easier relationship between officers and their charges.

ATHLETICS:

Great effort and finance were expended in the promotion of athletic sports. The year saw the emergence of Prison Officer Rudolph Callender as a promising National athlete.

The Inter-Prison Athletic Sports meeting was won by the Mazaruni Prison.

BOXING:

Boxing continued to be the most popular sport in the prisons. The Republican Gym under the guidance of Winston Roberts - Prison Officer - recorded significant victories in National competitions during the year. Prison Officer Michael Reid maintained his unbeaten professional record during the year.

ARTS AND CULTURE:

The administration of the Guyana Prison Service continued to attach great importance to the total development of its charges, and as such programmes were initiated to expose each inmate to learning experience with a view to bringing about such development. In this regard, Arts and Culture served a wonderful purpose. It allowed for participants to develop an appreciation for the finer qualities of human relationship.

During the year, cultural workshops continued at the various prisons and many entertaining cultural presentations were staged. Also the Prison Officers' Drame Group, under the leadership of Principal Officer W.H. Trotman, gave a variety of cultural presentations during the year.

POLITICAL EDUCATION:

Political or National Policy Education was part of the curriculum of the Service's formal education programme. This aspect of the programme was significant to the entire process of rehabilitation and it was on-going at all the prisons throughout the year.

INMATES EDUCATIONAL CLASSES:

Literacy and vocational classes continued at each prison during the year. Prison School Teachers conducted the literacy classes while Vocational Training was supervised by Prison Trade Instructors and Farm Supervisors. These programmes enabled both illiterate and semi-illiterate inmates to pursue training in basic Reading, Writing and Arithmetic.

PRISONERS' WELFARE:

Prisoners' Welfare continued to be taken care of during the year. However, the after-care of discharged prisoners remained a problem and a well designed and effective after-care and parole system is considered most desirable.

SPIRITUAL CARE:

Various denominations continued to conduct religious services regularly, Chaplains also continued to have interviews with inmates on various religious matters.

LIBRARIES

Full use was made of the Libraries. During the year reputable magazines and news-letters were obtained and distributed among many inmates.

EARNING AND INCENTIVE SCHEME:

The Earning and Incentive Scheme was continued with the objective of aiding in the promotion of industry, desirable conduct and proper work habits among inmates. It served also to help those persons on the Scheme to develop the spirit of thrift. During the year, six hundred and ninety-four (694) inmates were on the Scheme and they saved a total of One Thousand, Three Hundred and ~~forty-nine~~ ^{was} Dollars and Seventy-Five Cents (\$1,349.75~~¢~~).

BUILDINGS:

The condition of the Prison buildings ~~was~~ ^{was} generally poor. Repeated requests were made of the Ministry of Works and Communication during the year for repairs to be effected. These requests were not successful, however.

GEORGETOWN PRISON:

The Georgetown Prison Buildings were in urgent need of repairs; especially the main cellular blocks, that is, the Wood and Brick Prisons. The age of these buildings is over one hundred years. The roofs were leaking badly; also the beams, uprights, doors, floor boards and external walls, especially of the Wood Block were in need of urgent attention.

In addition, the North Dormitory and the Remands II Division were in need of urgent repairs. The external walls, floor boards and beams of these buildings had become rotten and needed replacing. The ~~state~~ ^{state} of these buildings ~~was a matter of great concern.~~ ^{was a matter of great concern.} The administrative building also was in need of urgent rehabilitation.

NEW AMSTERDAM PRISON:

The buildings at this prison were in a fair condition ^{except} for the male cellular block where urgent rehabilitation was necessary.

MAZARUNI PRISON:

The general condition of the Prison buildings at this prison was fair, except for the wooden cellular block, part of which had to be withdrawn from use pending necessary repairs.

Officers' quarters were also badly in need of repairs and painting.

TIMEHRI PRISON:

The state of the buildings of this prison, as a minimum security prison, was fair.

AGRICULTURE:

Agriculture production remained the main economic activity of the department and as a relevant and valuable means of training for both staff and inmates. Its importance could not be over emphasised.

During the year, the department continued its effort towards self-sufficiency in milk, pork and agricultural products generally.

LAND AND WATER TRANSPORT:

Land and Water Transport remained at a fair level during the year. Land transport was improved with the acquisition of two (three ton) Canter Trucks.

The Personnel of the Department on December 31, 1978 were as follows:-

RANK	ESTABLISHMENT	STRENGTH	VACANCIES
Director of Prisons	1	1	
Deputy Director of Prisons	1	1	
Senior Superintendent of Prisons	4	4	
Superintendent of Prisons	4	4	
Assistant Superintendent of Prisons	4	4	
Steward	1	1	
Chief Prison Officer	13	13	
Principal Officer	28	27	1
Prison Tutor Organiser	1		1
Prison School Teacher	4		4
Prison Farm Supervisor	3	3	
Master Baker	1	1	
Launch Coxswain	1	1	
Driver Mechanic	1	1	
Store-keeper	3	2	1
Prison Trade Instructor	26	26	
Prison Officer	236	228	8
Clerk III General	1	2	
Clerk II General	1	3	
Stenographer	1		1
Typist/Clerk	1	2	
Stores Assistant	1		1
Office Assistant	2	2	
Mess Cook	1	1	
Wardress	1	1	
Assistant Prison Officer	78	70	8
TOTAL	419		25

- *1 Clerk III on Study Leave
- 1 Clerk III on Sick Leave
- 1 Clerk II on Study Leave

RECRUITMENT:

Every effort was made by the administration to recruit personnel into the Service with the correct type of educational background and aptitude to become proficient prison officers.

APPOINTMENTS:

The following recruitment was made during the year:

- (a) Forty-two Assistant Prison Officers
- (b) One Wardress
- (c) One Driver/Mechanic
- (d) One Mess-Cook

PROMOTIONS:

- (1) To Steward
Cde. Charles Sam - Storekeeper III
- (2) To Chief Prison Officer:
Principal Officers:- Victor Hecker, Vernon Johnson, Edgar Stephenson, and Mulford Charles.
- (3) To Storekeeper:
Principal Officer Philip Alexander
- (4) To Principal Officer
Prison Officers Noel Jones, Lloyd James, Henry Greene, Nandram Seepaul, Livingstone Paul, Colin Hinckson, Ivan Williams, Joseph Rampersaud and Clifton James.
- (5) To Prison Officer
Asst. Prison Officers Arnim Alexander, Romnel Basdeo and David Payne.
- (6) To Asst. Prison Officer
Wardress Daphne Phillips

RETIREMENTS:

- (a) Cde. Roy Carmichael, Chief Prison Officer
- (b) Cde. Prince Michael, Principal Officer
- (c) Cde. Sanichar, Prison Officer, Retired Medically Unfit.
- (d) Cde. Evelyn Bovell, Prison Officer, Retired Medically Unfit.

RESIGNATIONS:

(1)	Cde. Balgobin	Principal Officer	
(2)	Cde. Ivan Williams	do	
(3)	Cde. Eon Carroll	Prison Officer	#538
(4)	Cde. David Parker	do	#634
(5)	Cde. Gordon Morrison-	do	#643
(6)	Cde. Edward McCollin-	do	#650
(7)	Cde. Kenneth James	do	#658
(8)	Cde. Kenneth Alexander	do	#679
(9)	Cde. James Hunte	do	#683
(10)	Cde. Ingrid Garnett	Woman Prison Officer	# 13
(11)	Cde. Tessa Edwards	do	# 14
(12)	Cde. Simon Lewis	Asst. Prison Officer	#409
(13)	Cde. Lennox Fanfeir	do	#489
(14)	Cde. Charrandeo Rambarran	do	#492
(15)	Cde. Terrence Gardiner	do	#498
(16)	Cde. Gordon Garnett	do	#507
(17)	Cde. Vernon Inniss	do	#513
(18)	Cde. Robert Pearce	do	#522
(19)	Cde. Herbert Caesar	do	#523
(20)	Cde. Lloyd Ramnauth	do	#527
(21)	Cde. Chalton Sampson	do	#528

SERVICES TERMINATED:

(a)	Cde. Kenneth Sewnarine	Prison Officer,	#409
(b)	Cde. Compton Junor	do	#558
(c)	Cde. Rudolph Phillips	do	#692
(d)	Cde. Wennard Crandon	Asst. Prison Officer	#344
(e)	Cde. Harte Darry	do	#425
(f)	Cde. Leroy Griffith	do	#448
(g)	Cde. Kenneth McKenzie	do	#462
(h)	Cde. Charles Campbell	do	#471
(i)	Cde. Gopaul Doodram	do	#487
(j)	Cde. Sydney Vigilance	do	#488
(k)	Cde. Ashton Alleyne	do	#498
(l)	Cde. Winston February	do	#504

TRANSFER:

(1) Cde. Don Talbot, Prison Officer was transferred to the Guyana Agricultural Development Bank.

SECONDMENT:

Cde. Colin Hinckson, Principal Officer, was seconded to the Ministry of Home Affairs as a Stock Verifer.

HONOURS AND AWARDS:

Cde. Edwin France, Director of Prisons was awarded the D.S.M. II for outstanding and dedicated service.

OBITUARY:

Cde. Colin Jones, A.F.O. #496

DISCIPLINE:

A Comparative Analysis of Offences committed for the past five (5) years.

OFFENCES COMMITTED BY OFFICERS	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
Absent from duty	144	115	182	504	273
Insubordination	23	-		03	02
Late for Duty	83	93	63	100	50
Neglect of Duty	6	7		6	6
Prejudicial Conduct	27	18	16	29	27
Asleep on Duty	18	19	15	5	6
Wilful Damage to Property		-		-	
Loss by Neglect	01				
Abusive Language	01				
Use of Personal Violence & Abuse					
Dirty or Untidy Appearance					
Use of Undue Force					
Disobedience Of Orders	06	26	9	17	10
Breach of Rules & Orders	64	45	49	38	42
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>353</u>	<u>232</u>	<u>228</u>	<u>705</u>	<u>416</u>

PENALTIES:

A comparative analysis of penalties for the past five years.

PENALTIES IMPOSED	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
Forfeiture of Pay	180	104	246	515	318
Extra Duty	73	83	32	87	44
Severe Reprimand	27	20	28	30	8
Case Dismissed	1	1	7	5	7
Reprimand	56	28	15	59	11
Value of Property Paid	1		-		
Warning	14	7	10	8	17
Dismissal Recommended	1			-	
Extra Duty And Fined				1	11
TOTAL	353	243	338	705	416

INSPECTION AND VISITS:

Weekly visits and inspections of the Georgetown Prison, and monthly visits and inspections of the Mazaruni, New Amsterdam and Timehri Prisons were made by the Director or Deputy Director of Prisons.

Occasional Visits to these establishments were also made by the Steward.

The following is a list of official visitors to the Prisons during the year.

GEORGETOWN PRISONS:

Cde. Vibert Mingo - Hon. Minister of Home Affairs.

Cde. N.F. Skeete - Permanent Secretary, M.H.A.

NEW AMSTERDAM PRISON:

- (1) Cde. E. France, Director of Prisons
- (2) do A. Morrison, Deputy Director of Prisons
- (3) do N.F. Skeete, Permanent Secretary, M.H.A.
- (4) do E. Cumberbatch, Member of the Visiting Committee
- (5) do Dowden do
- (6) do Mohamed Haniff do
- (7) do Hilton Beharry do
- (8) do M. Williams do
- (9) do A. Knights, Personnel Guyana Fire Service
- (10) do Christie do Ministry of Works
- (11) do George do do
- (12) do Thornton do do
- (13) do M. Irvine Social Worker
- (14) do C. Hinckson Stock Verifier Ministry of Home Affairs.

MAZARUNI PRISON

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| (a) | Cde. E. France | Director of Prisons |
| (b) | Cde. K. Bancroft | Regional Minister Bartica/Potaro |
| (c) | Cde. I. Leal | Regional Development Officer. |
| (d) | Cde. E. Gravesande | Asst. Commissioner of Police |
| (e) | Cde. Stewart | Supt. of Works |
| (f) | Cde. N. Semple | President - Public Service Union |
| (g) | Cde. C. Mercurius | Permanent Secretary, Regional Ministry |
| (h) | Cde. C. Ramsaroop | Chairman - People's National Congress |
| (i) | Cde. S.P. Narine | Ministry of Works & Communication |
| (j) | Cde. W. Griffith | Manager, Transport & Harbours Department |
| (k) | Cde. W. Adams | Traffic Manager, Transport & Harbours Dept. |
| (l) | Cde. F. Dorway | General Manager, Upper Mazaruni Development Authority. |
| (m) | Cde. O. Clarke | Regional Minister, East Berbice |
| (n) | Cde. Stewart | Co-operative Officer |
| (o) | Cde. L. Paul | Second Lieutenant, Guyana Defence Force
and a party of Guyana Defence Force Soldiers. |
- (p) Eighty (80) National Service Cadets and Teachers.
- (q) Twenty-five (25) Scouts and thirty (30) Teachers from the Cyril Potter College of Education.

TIMEHRI PRISONS.

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| (1) | Cde. E. France | Director of Prisons |
| (2) | Cde. N.F. Skæte | Permanent Secretary, Min. of Home Affairs |
| (3) | Cde. A.H. Morrison | Deputy Director of Prisons |
| (4) | Cde. C. Padmore | Deputy Director of Prisons (ag.) |
| (5) | Cde. C. Sam | Steward |

CLASSIFICATION OF PRISONERS:-

- (1) UNCONVICTED PRISONERS:
- (a) Persons sent to Prison to await deportation or extradition
- (b) Persons sent to Prison Remanded to Await Trial and Appellants.
- (ii) CONVICTED PRISONERS:
- (a) YOUNG OFFENDERS: Prisoners under 18 years of age
- (b) STARS:- Adults who have not yet been previously imprisoned or convicted and whose record or character the officer-in-charge considers not likely to have an unfavourable influence on others, or adult prisoners who have previously been convicted but/ whom the officer-in-charge is satisfied, (having regard to the nature of the previous offences, the length of time served and the prisoners' general conduct, that they) are not likely to be a bad influence on others.

(c) ORDINARIES:- These are adults with a record of previous convictions. Those in classes (a) & (b) serving sentences of six (6) months or over are kept at Sibley Hall Prison; those in category (c) serving sentences of six (6) months and over are kept at Mazaruni Prison. Those in classes (a) & (b) serving less than six (6) months are kept at New Amsterdam Prison which also has a special section for female prisoners. Georgetown Prison houses all classes of male prisoners before they are transferred.

PRISON POPULATION AND STATISTICS

The population of the prisons at 31.12.78 was 1095.

The daily average population was 1101.5 In comparison, the daily average in 1977 was 964.

	GEORGETOWN		MAZARUNI		NEW AMSTERDAM		T.R.C.		MABARUMA		ENA-LE-CHU THEM				TOTAL		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Sibley Hall Prison - 1.1.78	477	-	219	-	161	12	129	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	986	12
Georgetown Prison - 31.12.78	452	-	268	-	138	22	125	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1073	22

DAILY AVERAGE POPULATION

	GEORGETOWN		MAZARUNI		NEW AMSTERDAM		T.R.C.		MABARUMA		ENA-LE-CHU THEM				TOTAL		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
US-REMANDS	253	-	-	-	32.5	11.5	91	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	378.5	11.5
PRISONERS CONVICTED	244	-	257.5	-	104	9.5	42.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	651.5	9.5
APPELLANTS	455	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.5	1
DEBTORS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	542.5	-	257.5	-	138.5	22	135.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	1079.5	22

THE FOLLOWING IS THE DAILY AVERAGE POPULATION FOR THE LAST FIVE (5) YEARS

1974	1,173
1975	1,134
1976	924
1977	964
1978	1,101

COMMITTALS FROM COURT

	GEORGETOWN		MAZARUNI		N/A		T.R.C.		MABURUMA		ENACHU		LETHEM		TOTAL		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
US-REMANDS	826	-	-	-	495	25	192	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	1524	25
APPELLANTS	386	-	-	-	430	60	481	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2299	60
TOTAL	2212	-	-	-	925	85	673	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	3823	85

	G/TOWN		MAZI		M/A		T.R.C.		MABARUMA		ENACHU		LETHEM		TOTAL
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
UNDER 10 YEARS	3	-	-	10	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
13 25 Yrs.	315	-	-	105	7	155	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	578	7
25 50 Yrs.	478	-	-	324	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	810	16
OVER 50 Yrs.	30	-	-	56	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86	2
TOTAL	826			495	25	192						11		1524	25

TRANSFERS

COMPARATIVE TRANSFER FIGURES FOR THE LAST FIVE (5) YEARS

	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
From Mazaruni to Georgetown Prison	424	509	370	349	348
From Georgetown to Mazaruni Prison	440	453	337	362	453
From New Amsterdam Prison to Georgetown Prison	30	40	39	38	62
From Georgetown to New Amsterdam Prison	139	56	16	29	4
From Lethem to Georgetown Prison	1	-	-	1	-
From Georgetown to Timehri Prison	-	-	36	12	65
From Timehri to Georgetown Prison	-	3	6	2	15
TOTAL	1034	1061	804	793	947

OFFENCES FOR WHICH IMPRISONMENT RECEIVED

	GEORGETOWN		MAZARINI		NEW AMSTERDAM		TIMEHRI		LETHEM		TOTAL												
	Peremp- tory Imprison- ment	Option of a Fine	Peremp- tory Imprison- ment	Option of a Fine	Peremp- tory Imprison- ment	Option of a Fine	Peremp- tory Imprison- ment	Option of a Fine	Peremp- tory Imprison- ment	Option of a Fine	Peremp- tory Imprison ment	Option of a Fine											
	Y.O. A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.	Y.O.A.D.											
Offence Against the Person.	1	294	-	243	-	-	4	49	2	68	20	66	3	15	-	1	-	-	25	410	5	326	
Offence Against Property with Violence.	-	59	-	30	-	-	-	52	-	24	9	35	3	11	-	-	-	-	9	146	3	65	
Offence Against Property without Violence.	-	103	-	44	-	-	4	54	1	52	-	6	-	1	-	10	-	-	4	163	1	97	
Murder	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	
Sex Offences	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	1	
Arson	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
Maintenance and Affiliation Arrears	-	-	-	165	-	-	-	-	-	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	325	
In Default of Payment of Debt.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Breach of Traffic Regulation	-	10	-	96	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	123	
Breach of Spirit Ordinance	-	6	-	45	-	-	-	16	-	132	1	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	28	-	178	
Miscellaneous	-	1	-	92	-	-	-	5	50	1	85	1	2	-	3	-	-	-	6	53	1	180	
TOTAL	2	489	-	715	-	-	-	13	198	4	545	31	115	6	36	-	11	-	-	46	820	10	1296

There were no admission to the Mabaruma Lock-up during 1978.

RELIGION OF PRISONERS ADMITTED

	GEORGETOWN		MAZ		N/A		T.R.C.		MABARUMA		ENACHU		LETHEM		TOTAL	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
PROTESTANTS	134	-	-	-	117	5	35	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	288	5
ROM. CATHOLICS	130	-	-	-	27	3	41	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	204	3
MUSLIMS	139	-	-	-	62	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	215	-
HINDUS	215	-	-	-	248	16	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	498	16
NON BELIEVERS	57	-	-	-	38	1	48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	143	1
OTHERS	151	-	-	-	6	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	176	-
TOTAL	826	-	-	-	495	25	192	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	1524	25

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS OF PRISONERS WHO PAID FINES AFTER IMPRISONMENT

	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
GEORGETOWN PRISON	119	119	125	62	62
NEW AMSTERDAM PRISON	81	59	73	66	42
TIMEHRI PRISON	-	7	8	1	-
MAZARUNI PRISON	-	-	-	-	-
MABARUMA PRISON	-	-	-	-	-
ENACHU PRISON	-	-	-	-	-
LETHEM PRISON	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	200	185	206	129	104

TABLE SHOWING LENGTH OF SENTENCE

	GEORGETOWN		MAZ		N/A		T.R.C.		MABARUMA		ENACHU		LETHEM		TOTAL	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
UNDER (1) MTH.	16	-	-	-	9	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-
(1) MTH-(6) Mths	581	-	-	-	363	20	110	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	1065	20
OVER (6) Mths. 2 Yrs.	179	-	-	-	113	5	76	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	5
OVER (2) Yrs.	50	-	-	-	49	25	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	-
TOTAL	826	-	-	-	495	25	192	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	1524	25

RECIDIVISM:

	GEORGETOWN		MAZ		N/A		T.R.C.		MABARUMA		ENACHU		LETHEM		TOTAL	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
FIRST OFFENDERS	363	-	-	-	173	19	139	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	686	19
ONE PREVIOUS	127	-	-	-	105	1	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	252	1
TWO PREVIOUS	52	-	-	-	40	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	109	-
RECIDIVIST DIST	284	-	-	-	177	5	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	477	5
TOTAL	826	-	-	-	495	25	192	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	1524	25

THE FOLLOWING IS A COMPARATIVE TABLE OF OFFENDERS FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

	1974		1975		1976		1977		1978	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
FIRST OFFENDERS	795	40.75	720	42.	701	43.55	670	43.6	705	46.
ONE PREVIOUS CONVICTION	411	31.07	284	16.5	293	18.19	297	19.6	253	16.
TWO PREVIOUS	151	7.74	112	6.5	146	9.07	115	7.6	109	7.
RECIDIVISTS	594	30.44	602	35.	470	29.49	443	29.2	482	31.
TOTAL	1951	100.	1718	100.	1610	100.	1525	100.	1549	100.

WOMAN PRISONERS:

During 1978, eighty-five (85) prisoners were admitted to custody. This was an increase of twelve (12) compared with 1977. Sixty (60) of these prisoners were sent to prison for safe keeping, while the remaining twenty-five (25) were convicted.

Of the convicted prisoners, twenty (20) received sentences in the category of six (6) months to two (2) years. 76% of the convicted prisoners were first offenders, 4% had one (1) previous conviction and 20% were recidivists.

THE DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF WOMEN PRISONERS IN PRISON FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS WAS AS FOLLOWS:

1974	-	13
1975	-	15
1976	-	16
1977	-	14
1978	-	21

young

YOUNG OFFENDERS:

Of the total of 1,556 convicted prisoners admitted to Prison during the year, 50 or 3% were young offenders, i.e. less than 18 years of age. These young offenders were generally put to do Pig Farming, Animal Husbandry, general agriculture, tailoring and shoe-making.

REMANDS

REMANDS AWAITING TRIAL AND APPELLANTS

	REMANDS AWAITING TRIAL AND APPELLANTS			
	MALES	FEMALES	MALES	FEMALES
IN CUSTODY ON 1.1.78	363	7	44	-
ADMITTED DURING 1978	2297	60	43	1
TOTAL	2660	67	87	1
CASES DISPOSED OF DURING 1978	2240	55	39	-
IN CUSTODY ON 31.12.78	420	12	48	1
DAILY AVERAGE IN CUSTODY	378.5	11.5	50.5	1.

APPEALS WERE DISPOSED OF AS FOLLOWS:

UPHELD OR ACQUITTED	-	1
DISMISSED	-	-
WITHDRAWN	-	2
RETRIAL	-	-
REFUSED	-	-
OUTSTANDING	-	56
TOTAL		59

ESCAPES:-

Twenty (20) prisoners escaped during the year and fourteen (14) were recaptured. Four (4) prisoners who had escaped during previous years were also recaptured during the year.

EXECUTIONS:

There were no executions during the year. Two (2) prisoners who were under sentence of death were freed after successful appeal to the Appeal Court. Also a retrial was ordered for a third prisoner under sentence of death.

REMISSION OF SENTENCE:

Every convicted prisoner serving a sentence of over one (1) month imprisonment was given one third of his sentence as remission for good conduct and industry provided that his sentence was not reduced to less than thirty-one (31) days after remission was deducted.

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT:

	ADULTS		YOUNG OFFENDERS	
	CAT -O-NINE TAILS	TAMARIND SWITCH	CAT -O-NINE TAILS	TAMARIND SWITCH
Against the Person with Violence	-	17	-	-
Against the Person without Violence	-	1	-	-
Against Property with Violence	-	-	-	-
Against Property Without Violence	-	-	-	-
OTHER OFFENCES	-	-	-	-
GRAND TOTAL	-	18	-	-

COMPARATIVE FIGURES OF AWARDS FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS.

YEAR	SENTENCE AT COURT	PRISON OFFENCE
1974	32	1
1975	32	-
1976	31	-
1977	16	-
1978	18	-

HEALTH AND DIET

The general health of inmates and sanitation of prisons were at a high standard throughout the year.

THE FOLLOWING FIGURES SHOW THE INCIDENCE OF ILLNESS ETC. AMONG PRISONERS:-

In hospital on January 1, 1978	5
In Prison Infirmaries on January 1, 1978	8
Total Number of Cases reporting ill	132,356
Admitted to Prison Infirmaries during 1978	582
Admitted to Public Hospital during 1978	66
Admitted to Best Hospital during 1978	
Admitted to Mental Hospital during 1978	3
Daily Average in Hospitals during 1978	5
In Hospital on December 31, 1978	6
Total Number who received Dental treatment	684
Total Number who received treatment at Public Hospitals & Clinics.	1,807
Deaths	

MENTAL ILLNESS:

During the year three (3) mentally ill prisoners were transferred to the Mental Hospital. The period spent in the Hospital counted towards their sentences.

DISCIPLINE:-

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF PUNISHMENT FOR OFFENCES AGAINST DISCIPLINE FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS

NATURE OF PUNISHMENT	1974		1975		1976		1977		1978	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
CORPORAL PUNISHMENT	1	-								
P.D.I.	227	1	248	1	199	2	217	3	227	3
P.D.II.	-	-								
P.D.I. & Loss of Remission	86	-	101	1	32	1	44	1	52	2
P.D.I. & II.	4				24		2		3	
Loss of Remission Only	526	8	430	1	283		272		313	4
P.D.I. & II & Loss of Remission	1	-	1		40		2			
Forfeiture of Privileges	2	-	9		3		1			
Non Association	5	1	2	1	1	4	5			
Case Dismissed	3	-	17		18		10		11	
Warned	347	3	190	5	149	2	197	4	181	
Severe Reprimand	-	-	16		6	1		1		
Loss of Remission and Forfeiture of Privileges.	-	-	1		1	1	1			
P.D.I. & II. And Loss of Remission & Privileges.										
P.D.I. & Non Association	-	-	1						1	2
P.D.I. & Forfeiture of Privileges.	-	-	4		5		5		7	
Reprimand	-	-	12	1						
TOTAL	1202	13	1032	10	761	11	756	9	795	11

APPENDIX "A"

GEORGETOWN PRISON
12 Camp Street,
9th January, 1980

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Health
Brickdam, Georgetown.

Comrade,

I have the honour to submit the annual report on the Medical Services of the Georgetown Prison for the year ended 31st December, 1978.

Dr. L.H. Wharton performed the duties of Prison Surgeon throughout the year.

Dr. Long visited and did extractions when it was necessary. Dr. Goel (Eye Specialist) visited when it was necessary. Dispenser V. Ritchie (Senior Government Dispenser) attached to the Georgetown Prisons, worked throughout the year, and was at all times on twenty-four (24) hours duty call.

The Hospital Officers, three (3) in number, who usually assist the dispenser in administering treatment, have all performed their duties well. In addition to their duties, they at all times maintained discipline.

For the year 1978 no Psychiatrist visited the Georgetown Prison. However prisoners were referred to the Georgetown Hospital to Dr. Bose where they received the necessary treatment.

The General health of the prisoners were good. The majority of prisoners were treated for colds, coughs, influenza, and general pains. Other ailments treated were disorder of the alimentary tract, dhoobie itch, dermatitis, ring worm, finger infection, back ache, Arthritis, Eye, Ear, Nose and throat disorders, Chronic Ulcers, minor injuries i.e. wounds, abrasions, burns sprains, etc. There was no out-break of any infection or epidemic.

PRISON INFIRMARY:

Remaining in the Infirmary on 31.12.78	5
Admitted to the Infirmary during 1978	115
Discharged from the Infirmary during 1978	117
Remaining in the Infirmary on 1.1.77	3

The following cases were treated at the Georgetown Prison Dispensary during the year under review.

Acute Gastritis	117
Accidental Injury	212
Allergy	3
Abscess	91
Asthma	4
Common Cold	1529
Ch. Ulcers	14
Diabetes	11
Diarrhoea (Dysentery)	17
Epititis	19
Fracture	6
Filariasis	5
Haemorrhoids	15
Jaundice	21
Hypertension	23
Influenza	74
Heurasis Psychiatric	82
Otrexua	64
Tonsilitis	72
Mental Observation	27
Rheumatoid Arthritis	21
Measles	7
Chicken Pox	17

The number of cases transferred to Georgetown Hospital were	42
Average number of prisoners treated were	57
Average number of prisoners on sick parade daily	267
Number of out patients treated at Infirmary for emergency	.371
Number of out patients treated during 1978	97,476
Prisoners referred to Georgetown Hospital for Specialist treatment and examination were as follows:-	

SOCIAL DISEASE CLINIC:

(a) Acute Gonorrhoea	335
(b) Ulcer of the penis	152
(c) Wart	7
X-Ray Department	58
Dermatology	19
Orthopaedic	51
Medical Out Patients	49
Surgical Clinic	177
Psychiatric Clinic	61
Physiotherapy Department	43
Casualty Department	64
Central Medical Laboratory	152
E.N.T. Clinic	279
Dental Clinic	97
Polio Rehab	3
Eye Clinic	68

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT admitted as ordered by the court are as follows:

FLOGGING	NIL
WHIPPING	7
Number of prisoners requested extraction	481
Number of teeth extracted for 1978	384
Filling	NIL

Repairs to Dentures

Upper Dentures	1
Lower Dentures	NIL
Partial Upper Dentures	NIL
Partial Lower Dentures	2

SPECTACLES:

Number of prisoners received spectacles	NIL
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SANITATION:

The sanitary condition of the Buildings and compound etc was at all times satisfactory.

Cell and dormitories were thoroughly cleaned, cots and mattresses were treated at regular intervals with insecticides. Clothing and bedding were boiled and washed daily.

DIETARY:

The food served to inmates of the prison was at all times of a reasonable standard, well prepared and of sufficient quantity. There were no complaints from inmates about insufficient quantity or improperly cooked food. Fresh fruits, greens and vegetables were served to inmates whenever available in sufficient quantity.

Prescriptions dispensed to Officers and their families were - 1,562

To Officers	1872
To Officers' Families	426

I have the honour to be Cde,

Yours Co-operatively,

Sgd. L.H. Wharton
.....
PRISON SURGEON

c.c. Chief Med. Offr. Min. of Health
Govt. Pharmacist
Dir. of Prisons
S.S.P. G/town Prison
Dr. L.H. Wharton

APPENDIX "B"
"WAR ON WASTE"

New Amsterdam Prison,
 Penitentiary Walk,
 Berbice.

23rd January, 1979

ANNUAL MEDICAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1978:-

1. Medical examinations by the Medical Officer.
 All prisoners were examined by the Resident Dispenser and by the Medical Officer on admission, on transfer and on discharge.

2. (a) Treatment in the Infirmary during 1978	Males	-	68
(b) Remaining under treatment on 31.12.78	Males	-	6
(c) Died under treatment while in prison	Males	-	NIL
	Females	-	NIL

MALES: FEMALES:

3. Treated at Mental Hospital Clinics	14		2
Died at Mental Hospital as inpatients			

4. <u>PUBLIC HOSPITAL BERBICE:</u>	<u>MALES:</u>		<u>FEMALES:</u>
(1) Attended Surgical Clinic	14		
(2) Attended Skin Clinic			
(3) Attended Fracture Clinic	11		
(4) Attended Chest Clinic			
(5) Attended Medical Clinic			
(6) Attended Eye Clinic	16		5
(7) Attended Gynaecological Clinic			6
(8) Attended Pre-Natal Clinic			4
(9) Attended Anti-Natal Clinic			2
(10) Attended Dental Clinic	80		24
(11) Medical X-Rays	10		4
(12) Medical Laboratory Investigations	20		6

Referred to Out Patients Department	41		10
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Admitted to wards	6		4
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Died in Hospital

Number of times prisoners reported ill	27061		654
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Number of times Medical Officer examined prisoners	615		284
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Sgd: John Erskine
 J. Erskine
 Government Dispenser, N.A. Prison.

APPENDIX "C"

Mazaruni Prison Compound,
Essequibo River.

22nd January, 1979.

Principal Medical Officer
Ministry of Health

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The following is the list submitted for Mazaruni and Sibley
Hall Prisons Medical Services for the year ending December, 1978.

MEDICAL SERVICES

MAZARUNI AND SIBLEY HALL PRISONS	MAZARUNI	SIBLEY HALL	TOTAL
In Sick Cell or Hospital Cell room on 1.1.79		2	2
Admitted during the year 1978	103	145	248
Discharged during the year 1978	104	143	247
Discharged - No Abnormality Detected			
Admitted at Public Hospital, Bartica.	4	1	5
Prisoners seen by Eye Specialist on visit			
Prisoners referred to Eye Clinic Public Hospital, Georgetown.	5	1	6
Prisoners referred to X-Ray - Public Hospital, Georgetown.	1	3	4
Prisoners referred to Fracture Clinic	3		3
Prisoners referred to Psychiatric Clinic		1	1
Prisoners referred for Barium Meal X-Ray Public Hospital, Georgetown.			
Prisoners seen by Psychiatrist			
Prisoners referred to Social Disease Clinic. Public Hospital, Georgetown.	1		1
Prisoners referred to Dermatologist, Clinic Hospital, Georgetown.			
Prisoners referred to Surgical Outpatient Department, Public Hospital, Georgetown.	5	2	7
Prisoners referred to Prison Surgeon, Georgetown Prison.	34	4	38
Prisoners treated for minor ailments	14,056	13,275	28,131
Average daily treatment	40	36	76
Average weekly numbers in Hospital Cell	2	3	5
<u>WORK DONE BY DOCTOR OF DENTAL SURGERY</u> <u>PUBLIC HOSPITAL, BARTICA.</u>			
Extractions - officers and residents	35		35
Extractions - prisoners	65	91	156

MAZARUNI & SIDLEY HALL PRISON MAZARUNI SIDLEY HALL TOTAL

Extractions done by G.M.O.

Repairs to partial dentures

Extractions done by Dispenser 2 2

List of Cases treated Sick and otherwise for the year
1978.

NUMBER OF DISEASES	MAZARUNI	S/HALL	RESIDENTS	TOTAL
1. Chicken Pox		1		1
2. Measels		1		1
3. Hypertension	14	3	9	26
4. Bronchial Asthma	7	2	6	15
5. Mental Observation		1		1
6. Haemorrhoids	10	6	12	28
7. Dyspepsia	52	32	23	107
8. Allergy	1	3	8	12
9. Headache	85	70	50	205
10. Sprains	16	22	5	43
11. Abrasions	08	10	7	25
12. Filariasis				
13. Debility	77	42	103	222
14. Tonsillitis	3		7	10
15. Insomnia	47	20	21	88
16. Adenitis of the Groin	3		1	4
17. Lacerated wounds	16	14	9	39
18. Conjunctivitis	40	32	37	109
19. Abscesses	23	17	14	54
20. U.R.,T.I.	12	22	89	123
21. Back Pain	81	61	41	183
22. Epidimo-Orchitis				
23. Plantis-Warts				
24. Fungus Infection	45	40	27	112
25. Otitis Media				
26. Diarrhoea	49	71	78	198
27. Removal M.F.B.		2	1	3
28. Epilepsy	2	2	9	13
29. Diabetes			24	24
30. Jaundice			24	24
31. Bronchial Pneumonia				
32. Mumps				

SOCIAL DISEASES

1. Urethritis
2. Urethral Discharge
3. Penile Ulcers
4. U.D.R.L. Test P.H. Bartica

AMOUNT

7
31
17
32

Yours Co-op.,
Sgd: Crawford
Govt. Dispensez
Mazaruni Prison.

Prescription dispensed to officers families and residents for 1978 - 1,381.

APPENDIX "D"

REMAND CENTRE,
Timehri,
E.B. Demerara
16th January, 1979.

The Chief Medical Officer,
Ministry of Health,
Brickdam.

Dear Comrade,

I have the honour to submit to you the Medical Report of the Remand Centre for the year ending 31st December, 1978.

Prison Officers and Prisoners were seen by the Resident Dispenser and necessary treatment given.

Dental Surgeon Dr. Tan and his assistants visited and did extractions where necessary.

There were no visits by any Government Medical Officer.

The Hospital Officer attached to the dispensary assisted in administering treatment and maintaining discipline on the sick parade.

PRISON INFIRMARY:

No prisoners were admitted in the Infirmary for security reasons. However 41 inmates were lodged in 'C' dormitory during 1978.

The following cases were treated in the Dispensary during 1978:-

1. Abscess	68.	17. Glossitis	30
2. Accidental Injury	43	18. Filariasis	
3. Acute Gastritis	58	19. Haemorrhoids	3
4. Allergy	40	20. Head Lice	30
5. Anaemia	74	21. Hypertension (officers)	2
6. Arthritis	6	22. Influenza like illness	40
7. Asthma	3	23. Jaundice	2
8. Chicken Pox	Nil	24. Observation	
9. Chronic Ulcers	5	25. Orchitis	30
10. Common Cold	410	26. Other U.R.T.I.	68
11. Constipation	90	27. P.T.B.	Nil
12. Diabetes	Nil	28. Pubic Lice	10
13. Diarrhoea	30	29. Pyrexia of unknown origin	25
14. Epilepsy	2	30. Ringworm	84
15. Epistaxis	3	31. Scabies like rashes	65
16. Fractures	2	32. Tonsillitis	4

The daily average number of patients treated 42.

The number of prisoners sent to Georgetown Hospital for admission

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Prisoners referred for Specialist Examination and treatment:

1. Social Disease Clinic	
(a) Gonorrhoea	80
(b) Ulcer on penis	16
(c) Warts on penis	6
2. X-Ray Department	4
3. Orthopaedic Clinic	4
4. Surgical Out Patients	2
5. Medical Out Patients	3
6. Physiotherapy	Nil
7. Casualty	Nil
8. E.N.T.	3
9. Dermatology	12
10. Psychiatric Clinic	2
11. Eye Clinic	14
No. of carious teeth extracted during 1978	69
No. of Prisoners requesting extraction during 1978	58
Dental appliances supplied to prisoners	Nil
Prescriptions dispensed to Prison Officers and their families	229

SANITATION:

The Sanitary condition of the buildings and compound has been of fair standard. Spraying with malathion was done regularly.

DJETARY:

The food served to the inmates was at all times of a reasonable standard, well prepared and of a sufficient quantity. The prison farm produced abundantly thereby enabling the inmates to receive a large amount of greens and vegetables throughout the year. Fruits were also served when available.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. The dispensary is in the bottom flat of the building and several times water and dust fell from the floor above. This was reported to the local administration several times and also to the Director of Prisons. Up to the time of reporting no positive action has been taken.

I therefore recommend that either the floor above the dispensary be properly sealed to prevent any leakage or the Dispensary be removed to a more suitable area.

2. The dispensary is in need of a Hot plate.
3. A telephone extension is needed in the dispensary.
4. An electric fan is needed as the dispensary is in the bottom flat of the building in an enclosed area.

I have the honour to be,

Yours Co-operatively,

Sgd: Fitzgerald Nurse
FITZGERALD NURSE
Government Dispenser

c.c. P.S., Min. of Health
Snr. Govt. Pharmacist
Director of Prisons
S.S.P. Timehri Remand Centre