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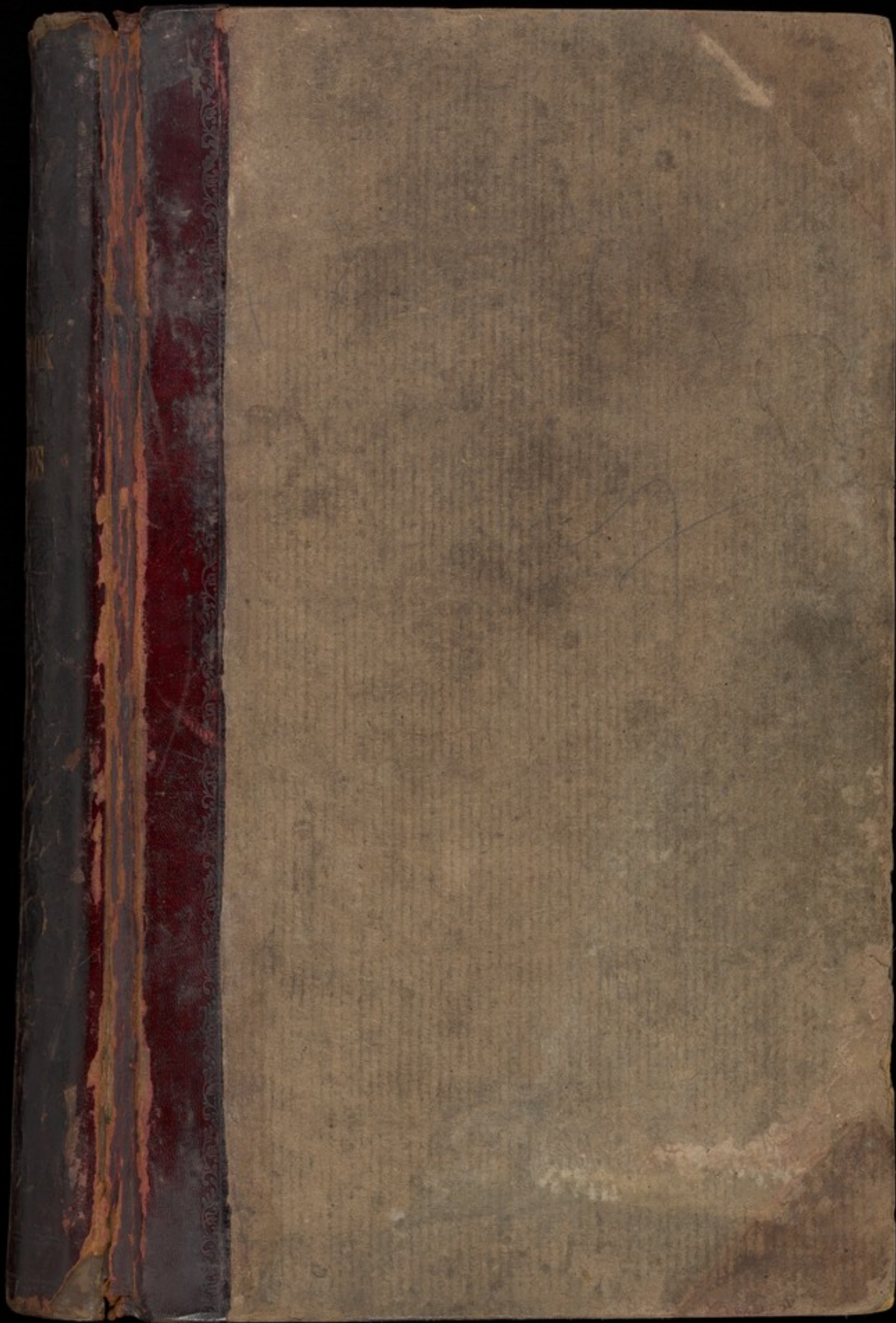
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CASE BOOK.

Rules 12 and 13 made by the Commissioners in Lunacy with the approval of the Lord Chancellor, dated June 26th, 1895.

12.—Within seven days after the admission of a Patient there shall be entered in the Medical Case Book for Patients the following particulars:—

(a.) A statement of the name, age, sex, and previous occupation of the Patient, and whether married, single, or widowed, and a copy of the statement of facts contained in the medical certificates accompanying the reception order.

(b.) An accurate description of the external appearance of the Patient upon admission:—of the habit of body and temperament; appearance of eyes, expression of countenance, and any peculiarity in form of head; physical state of the vascular and respiratory organs, and of the abdominal viscera, and their respective functions; state of the pulse, tongue, skin, &c.; and the presence or absence, on admission, of bruises or other injuries.

(c.) A description of the phenomena of the mental disorder:—the manner and period of the attack, with a minute account of the symptoms, and the changes produced in the Patient's temper or disposition; specifying whether the malady displays itself by any, and what delusions, or irrational conduct, or morbid or dangerous habits or propensities; whether it has occasioned any failure of memory or understanding; or is connected with epilepsy, or ordinary paralysis, or general paralysis.

AS (d.) Every particular which can be obtained respecting the previous history of the Patient:—what are believed to have been the predisposing and exciting causes of the attack; what were the previous habits, whether active or sedentary, temperate or otherwise; whether the Patient has experienced any former attacks, and if so, at what periods; whether any relatives have been subject to insanity or other nervous disease, or phthisis; whether the present attack was preceded by any and what premonitory symptoms; and whether the Patient has undergone any, and what, previous treatment, or has been subjected to restraint of personal liberty.

13.—Subsequent entries describing the course and progress of the case, and recording medical and other treatment, with the results, shall be made in the Case Book for Patients at times hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, once at least in every week during the first month reception, and oftener when necessary; afterwards, in recent or curable cases, once at least every month, and in chronic cases, subject to little variation, once in every three months. But special circumstances affecting the Patient, including seclusion and mechanical restraint, and accidents and injuries, must be at once recorded. A printed copy of this and the last preceding entry shall be inserted at the beginning of every Case Book for Patients.

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✓	Pegg.	Eliza Emily	101 1/2
✓	Prosser	Helen	315 1/2
✓	Peach -	Annie	391 1/4

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	Russell-	Caroline Matilda	35.	✓
✓	Roso.	Mary Frances Holland	57 ² died	✓
	Robertson-	Elizabeth Caroline	139	✓
✓	Renton	Maryann	181 ^{1/2}	✓
✓	Riggs -	Eliz: Mary	187 ^{1/2} died	✓
✓	Rivers -	Naomi Ward.	207 ^{1/2}	✓
✓	Rose	Beatrice Emma	25. Died	
✓	Raphael-	Maud.	399 ^{1/2}	

	Shears.	Annie	29	Died
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	Smallpage-	Harriet Lucy	169	"
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Miss Phillimore (from B)

- March 15. 1905 There is no mental change. Physical health
 fair - Catamenia normal S.H.P.
- June 25 Patient continues very restless and excited, frequently
 8st. 8. violent - often requiring a hypnotic at night.
 Her physical health is good. S.H.P.
- Sept. 11. Patient has been extremely troublesome at night
 8st. 4. lately, entering the other patients' beds or banging
 hammering at the doors of the dormitory. She is
 fairly quiet throughout the day, quite unoccupied.
 She has required a hypnotic at night, usually 3 or 4
 gr for the last month. Her physical health is good.
 Catamenia regular.
- Dec. 19 Patient continues very troublesome at night, has a
 hypnotic regularly (usually 3 or 4 gr). She is near
 1906 and unoccupied during the day. S.H.P.
- March 23 Patient has been very excited lately - has had to be
 kept apart from the others as she is so noisy and
 violent. She is very destructive - frequently disrupts
 Her physical health is good. S.H.P.
- June 26 Patient continues acutely excited at times, violent
 requiring to be kept apart from the other patients.
 Destructive and noisy. When not excited she
 is silent and quite unoccupied. Her physical
 health is excellent.
- Aug 28 Patient was discharged today, not
 going to Wells. She was examined
 carefully and found to be in good
 health and free from marks of
 insanity.

Discharged.

Agnes Elizabeth Phillimore (cont'd p: 24)

March 19-01 Continues very stuporous with marked
S.C. mental confusion & delusions of identity - a few nights
back was extremely noisy restless & incoherent - next
morning for about an hour "wakes up", talked quite sensibly
but again relapsed. Phys: health fair - is still anemic -
but is putting on weight. A. R.C.D.

June 3. Went to Hove Villa on May 23- R.C.D.

July 17- Returned July 2. unchanged- R.C.D.

Sept. 16. Continues weak-minded - stuporous, dull listless
S.C. & anergic - with marked mental confusion - rarely
occupies herself & very seldom speaks voluntarily,
her reactions even to questions being very slow - usually
requires to be waked several times. Phys: health
fair but her circulation is poor - one period on Aug. 16
after amnesia for 3 years - R.C.D.

Dec: 31 As on last note - A continues R.C.D.

March 22-02. Continues very stuporous automatic & anergic
S.C. & very rarely speaks or occupies herself. Phys: health
good. A. R.C.D.

June 26. Continues unaltered. A²C¹A¹ R.C.D.

Sept. 18. Continues stuporous, automatic & anergic but
S.C. is somewhat less dazed - Phys: health somewhat
improved of late. (This year A¹C¹A²C¹.) R.C.D.

Jan. 14-1903. Pt. remains silent.

Oct. 18th. She is very troublesome about taking her
food. a.u.l.

March 12. She continues automatic, listless & anergic
S.C. but she is a trifle less stuporous than she was - she
rarely speaks voluntarily & only answers questions in
monosyllables. is troublesome about food - catamenia
re-established last 7 months R.C.D.

May 20. The last week she has been very restless
& excited - chattering to herself in a foolish incoherent



way - generally only in
meaningless phrases strung
together without connection.
She appears ^{to be} under the
influence of auditory hallucina-
tions - starting up as if in answer
to voices - so restless & noisy
at night - Phys: health impaired R.C.D.

June 30. She continues very restless & excitable with
S.C. marked auditory hallucinations both by day & night. R.C.D.

Aug. 29. She continues restless & excitable, incapable
S.C. of conversation or of useful occupation - chatters
much to herself. Phys: health fair - c 2 R.C.D.

Nov. 24. She continues as above - very weak-minded
S.C. deluded - restless & excitable with marked auditory
hallucinations - Phys: health fair. A²C¹ R.C.D.

Feb. 29-04. She has been more restless & excitable of late, the
S.C. auditory hallucinations being very troublesome - Phys: health
impaired - the anemia is slowly yielding A²C² R.C.D.

May 25. Continues very restless & excitable - noisy
S.C. & restless at night - sent to H.S. on account of the
restlessness - Phys: health impaired R.C.D.

Aug. 5. Has been very restless & excited the last week - noisy
S.C. & incontinent - refuses to keep on her clothing & it is
S.C. difficult to keep her in a padded room - soles make
frequent wild dashes at the door - R.C.D.

Sept. 5. Is quite & less excited - keeps on her clothing R.C.D.
S.C. Has improved to some extent - returned Oct 14
to Hove Villa R.C.D.

Nov. 18 Has returned today - seems just as usual

Jan. 8-1905 Patient very restless, quite unoccupied S.C. is
S.C. somewhat less excitable Catamenia regular

Jan. 30- Patient acutely excited - very restless at night

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Ad. May 13. 98
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Frances Brundell Goode.

Single - aged 26. of no occupation.
Ch: of Eng: - Pres: Abode Monmouth
House, Chard - 1st attack of about 6
months' duration - Cause "unknown"
(see below) not E.S. or D.

1st caty: Irrational, incoherent & unmanageable at
times. Excitation well marked, has various
delusions, such as, she informs me she is
married & has children, thinks Mrs Powne
is the Queen of England & talks to women as
if they were men - without doubt it is a case
of nymphomania (Com?) extremely restless
erotic in her movements, sometimes considers
herself a married woman with children,
often times she is engaged to various people
May 12. 98 (signed) B. S. Powne
of Monmouth House Chard
corroboration -
May 10. 98. (signed) N. W. Spicer -
D. urator - Chard.

Pres: Has had several several attacks of "hysteria"
but habits active, housekeeper for the family, did it well, about 4 years ago her
because ill, and since the age of 17. Last 4 months has been
of her movements, P. went (signed) her from the 17th of July 97. full responsibility much. I became worse
her to attend her, (signed) worse. 4 months ago sent under care to Dr Powne
of Chard. refusing food - stuporous, in a semi
catleptic condition at times - hysterical turns -
very variable - somewhat unipolar. took food better
but continued listless, slept badly (took
chloralamide gr 10 nightly) worse again last 2
or weeks - has developed hallucinations of hearing & of
sight - wet by night & day but habit is fairly
easy checked - very erotic & attacks of excite-
ment are much worse before & after menses -
catamenia regular - some menorrhagia - had habits

Gen: health good -
musical - plays tennis. acquit 90.

Fam: Hist: Father mine - sev: tons at Weyford Ho: Exeter.
did fr: Paralysis. ^(tertiary) throat (secondary) in
Mother - did from ^{somewhat} common ⁱⁿ head.
Eldest sister, ^{hypochondriacal} - youngest now
in state suffering from ^{pre} phthisis -
B. 2. 53. P. 2nd in family.

Condition on Admission -

A. Physical

Gallery VII P. is a tall well formed girl - muscles
H.C. somewhat flabby - well nourished - much
W. 9. 8 adipose tissue - complexion muddy - some
acne. Eyes grey pupils dilated but equal.
Tongue clean. some tumors of tongue & of facial
muscles. No P.S. of disease in thoracic or
abdominal organs. Pulse 84. slight enlarge-
ment of thyroid - von Graefe's & Stoffer's signs
not present. pupils react very readily to
L. & A. of consensually - Kerejiko brisk.
cranial reflex present.
[Catamenia regular - some menorrhagia]



B. Mental

Hysterical mania.

P. is extremely variable. at times can talk
coherently & behave in a fairly rational
rationality manner. at others is silly & erratic with
marked hallucinations of sight & hearing - Has
numerous delusions of identity - some of which
are most grotesque & mistook the electric
light for the Prince of Wales - when in this
condition her conversation is incoherent &
disjointed, consisting of meaningless phrases

Strung together - conduct erratic. excited & noisy at times - takes food fairly well but sleeps badly.

May 17. Gallery IV. Keeps very silly & irritable - yesterday was continually rushing to the door & consequently was sent to Gallery IV. RCB

May 26. Silly & incoherent - frequently excited & violent - rushing wildly about the gallery, hitting out wildly at anyone near her - RCB

May 30. Much excited - 2 or 3 days ago smashed up a chair - yesterday struck another P. (Miss de Witt) severely - behaves in a very wild way at table, smothering at the food of other patients, turning the cups & plates about & upsetting food & wine on the cloth - RCB

June 6. Continues excited & incoherent - rushing wildly about the corridor with hair & dress disheveled - RCB

June 14. Still excited & erratic - frequently impulsively violent - RCB

July 2. Continues excited, more or less incoherent - frequently violent & destructive - erratic & inclined to tear off her clothing RCB

August 2. No change since last note (63) M.H.C.

Sept. 6. Has somewhat improved of late, rather less violent & excited & although there is still a marked tendency towards incoherence she can make a few sensible rational remarks - less often tears off her clothing - still much upset by the presence of men - sleeping better at night etc RCB

Oct 4. Is still constantly excited & noisy and at times violent. E.H.

March 99. Occasionally will answer a question rationally

but often quite incoherent - Excited at times - walks up & down gallery the greater part of the day laughing to herself - but a duty is her habit E.H.

Jan 8. Miss Cook at June 30th 1898 no very excited & noisy - roaming restlessly with Betty was told that is she ought smile on her face to put a cap on she thought that she would put the cap on wet & dirty -

are there any bills against wieder I Let your lo. Go

She thought that she would Susan for Frances Carr

She was a fine Wn

These excited & for days whenever not - quite unexcited confusion with loss

of memory - often wet & dirty - Physically she is in good health but continues thin - taking of: morphia cum mastic RCB

Dec: 23. Continues very restless & incoherent with most dirty & revolting habits - at times is very violent - mental confusion very marked is taking food better & is sleeping rather better has gained 18 1/2 lbs in last 3 months. announced since July - RCB

March 15. 1900 Restless unoccupied - always very restless very taking 5 minutes of work etc - rest - dirty - taking food rather better - unimpaired

Strung together - conduct erratic. excited & noisy at times - takes food fairly well but sleeps badly.

May 17. Gallery IV. Keeps very silly & irrational - yesterday was continually rushing to the door & consequent ly was sent to Gallery IV. RCD

May 25. Silly & incoherent - frequently excited & violent - rushing wildly about the gallery, hitting out wildly at anyone near her - RCD

May 30. Much excited - 2 or 3 days ago smashed up a chair - yesterday struck another P. (Miss de Witt) severely - behaves in a very wild way at table, smothering at the food of other patients, throwing the cups & plates about & upsetting food & wine on the cloth - RCD

June 6. Continues excited & incoherent - rushing wildly about the corridor with hair & dress disarranged - RCD

June 14. Still excited & erratic - frequently impulsively violent - RCD

July 2. Continues excited, more or less incoherent - frequently violent & destructive - erratic & inclined to tear off her clothing RCD

August 2nd No change since last note. (S) M.H.L.

Sept. 6. Has somewhat improved of late, rather less violent & excited, although there is still a marked tendency towards incoherence she can make a few sensible rational remarks - less often tears off her clothing - still much upset by the presence of men - sleeping better at night - eats ravenously RCD

Sept 9th. Is still constantly excited & noisy and at times violent. S.H.

March 99. Occasionally will answer a question rationally

but often quite incoherent. Excited at times - walks up & down gallery the greater part of the day laughing to herself - but a duty is her habit S.H.

June 7. Continues very excited restless & noisy - roaming up & down restlessly with a foolish smile on her face laughing & chattering to herself - wet & dirty - at times for a few minutes she is quiet & collected, & talks rationally, asking to go home & being much depressed at her own want of self control. Physically good. continues RCD

July 16. Today was seen to be choking - on exam. was found to have swallowed a piece of bone (from some other patient included for dining) this was brought up on a probe being passed - RCD

Sept. 18. Condition unaltered - very restless excited & noisy, continually rushing for doors whenever these are opened - often violent - quite unoccupied - there is much mental confusion with loss of memory - often wet & dirty - Physically she is in good health but continues thin - is taking 2 1/2 markum cum mastic RCD

Dec. 23. Continues very restless & incoherent with most dirty & revolting habits - at times is very violent - mental confusion very marked is taking food better & is sleeping rather better has gained 18 1/2 lbs in last 3 months. continues since July - RCD

March 15. 1900 Restless unoccupied - always very restless noisy taking 5 minims of dose or more - wet & dirty - taking food rather better - unimproved S.H.

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Constance Butterworth

May 13. 98 single - aged 24. Congregationalist. Pres; abode 127 Fordingch Rd. West Hampstead - 1st attack of about a week's duration - supposed cause "bicycle accident" - Not E. S. or D.

1st entry: She is morose - says she has committed the unpardonable sin; that the devils have taken possession of her & that she is hopelessly lost. She is violent at times; her manner & conduct are totally at variance with her usual habits (C.M.S.) refuses her medicine on the ground that her friends are trying to poison her.

May 13-98 (signed) J. B. Wells, M.B. of 127 Fordingch Rd. West Hampstead

2nd carbamate. May 13. 98. (signed) E. A. H. Corlett of 27 Fordingch Rd. NW.

Prev. hist. She always been nervous & "hysterical" - had attacks of "acute hysteria" - youngest of 5.

3 weeks ago had a bicycle accident - was run into by a cab. received no injury but suffered much from shock - since then much depressed with paroxysms of excitement in which she screamed & cried - has developed delusions of unpardonable sin & of her having committed some great crime - has been under the charge of 2 nurses, taking food fairly. has had several nephritis injections.

Gen: health fair - but has frequent attacks of some dyspepsia - jaundice 7 yrs. ago.

Catamenia regular - no dysmenorrhoea but has always been "odd" after monthly tenses.

Habits erratic - needlework - games - a little tennis & croquet - but has never kept to any occup.

Family hist. said to be nil

Condition on Admission -

A. Physical

Galley T P. is fairly developed & fairly nourished - looks younger than she is - complexion dark HF. Hair dark & abundant. Eyes dark brown. Pupils dilated & react very readily to L & R of consensually. Thyroid very palpable. Mucous mem: anaemic - no P.S.D disease detected in thoracic or abdominal organs - beyond a slight systolic murmur at apex & a venous bruit in jugulars. Tongue furred - breath foul. Monthly period now on - kneejerk high - other reflexes present.

B. Mental

Acute mania.

P. is quite incoherent, her conversation being a meaningless jumble of phrases - she has marked apprehensions of evil, thinking she is about to be killed or tortured. Her delusions of unpardonable sin & thinks any punishment is quite fair & just. Says she is "utterly lost", that the "devils have quite taken possession of her". She is somewhat vainly being at times excited at the trying to rush wildly out of the room - at others lies in a somewhat cataleptic condition - all muscles braced & stiff - Her hallucinations of hearing & of sight - Refuses food & was on admission fed by tube - sleeping badly.

May 16. Taking food fairly - but rather but very at times

May 24. Has distinctly improved but is dazed & stuporous. R.C.D.
 May 31. Dazed & stuporous & very childish - taking food better - to gallery of R.C.D.
 June 7. Impaired on the whole but is childish & emotionally unstable. R.C.D.
 June 14. Slowly improving but is still very stuporous & childish - cerebral slow - Phys: health some what impaired since admission R.C.D.
 July 2. Slowly improving but is still very childish & stuporous - requires to be fed by spoon, not having initiative sufficient to feed herself - often retains a mouthful of food in her mouth from one meal to another. R.C.D.



usual attitude - head bent, arms falling to side.

August 2. Still improving slowly.
 August 6. P. has not been so well, refusing food. Sleeping badly. restless. Had to be fed by tube (S) & HC.
 Sept. 6. Has been a little brighter until last week - when she is restless, refusing food & showing marked delusions of imminent danger - says she hears someone calling her upstairs for some "awful punishment" & flies to the window in answer. Has vague idea of sacrificing herself for some unknown person's benefit - Very childish &

emotional instability - frequently wakes up with "night terrors", bathed in perspiration & is calmed with difficulty. R.C.D.
 Sept. 19. The acute attack is passing off but she is still very emotional & erratic & impulsive varied by ^{periods} attacks of stupor - there is a marked difficulty in getting her to take sufficient food - sleep somewhat restless R.C.D.
 Oct. 12. Has been very suicidal past 2 or 3 days. Today has been under special care & attention. Today was put on a suicidal caution, having succeeded in pushing a hair pin down her throat. This was easily retracted & has been repeatedly asking the nurses to set her on fire etc. Physical health fair R.C.D.
 Nov. 26. Continues very suicidal, making constant attempts to procure different things to force down her throat with suicidal intent - a few days ago snatched a fork from a table & tried to ram it down her throat. Is constantly held by a nurse. Physical health fair. R.C.D.
 Dec. 6. P. has somewhat improved since last note. is distinctly less suicidal, is less stuporous & depressed - is taking food & her own accord & is sleeping much better. R.C.D.
 Jan. 7. P. remains in same condition. R.C.D.
 Feb. 25. She is less depressed & distinctly less suicidal than she was, but is more weak-minded & silly - she usually sits unoccupied smiling foolishly to herself & occasionally bursting into fits of meaningless laughter - requires to have much done for her. is sleeping better & now rarely suffers from "night terrors". R.C.D.

May 24. Has distinctly improved but is dog
of stupor. R.C.

May 31. dog of stupor very childish - taking
Gallery; better - To Gallery; R.C.

June 7. Improved on the whole but is childish & emotions
6th. 6. unstable. R.C.

June 14. slowly improving but is still very stupor
childish - cerebration slow - Phys: health as
what improved since admission R.C.

July 2. slowly improving but is still very childish &
6th. 1. stupor - requires to be fed by spoon, not
initiative sufficient to feed herself - often ut
a mouthful of food in her mouth from one meal
another. R.C.



August 2. Still improving slowly.

August 6^a. P^r has not been so well, refusing food. 56
5th. 13. badly. restless. Had to be fed by tube (2

Sept: 6. Has been a little brighter until last week - who
is restless, refusing food & showing marked
delusion of imminent danger - says she
saw one calling her upstairs for some "an
punishment" & flies to the window in answer
Has vague idea of sacrificing herself for a
unknown person's benefit - Very childish &

emotionally unstable - Frequently wakes up
with "night terrors", bathed in perspiration & is
calmed with difficulty. R.C.

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& is sleeping much better. R.C.

6th. 7. P^r remains in same condition R.C.

Feb. 8th P^r remains in same condition R.C.

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silly - she usually sits unoccupied smiling
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1949.

Annie Curtis - married - wife

Ad. May 14. 98 of medical mem. of no occupation. Ch. 1)

R.O. Feb: 13. 97 Eng:- Transferred from Peterborough

C. in d. May 16. 98 Home: Fulham, not E. but S. D. age 51 1st attack of 2 yrs duration cause climacteric

1st certif: Very talkative & rambling - said there was nothing the matter with her, & never had been though I have seen her in a state of acute mania - very wild & excited appearance -

Feb: 12. 97 (signed) T. B. Turner.

2nd " found the patient excited & of a wild appearance & complaining of the hearing of voices - she has no idea of time. (contd) she is at times very noisy excited & violent - she uses very bad language & has a tendency to injure herself.

Feb: 11. 97 (signed) Ross Sinclair

Pres: Hist: Gen: health good - M: 24 yrs: children 1-7 1/2: m: 0. always very active - household management - parish work - etc. Parity & works well - surgery - 4 yrs ago severe influenza - never 'same since'.

3 yrs ago attack began suddenly - very excited for 1 month. treated at home with nurses - became stuporous for some weeks - again excited - hallucinations of sight & hearing -

to Peterborough House Feb: 97 - Menopause - catamenia ceased about a yr - irregular before - said to be nil.

Fam: Hist: G: father gouty - Father & 3 sisters died of Phthisis

Condition on Admission A. Physical

Gallery V P: is a small & lightly built - poorly nourished - muscles flabby - complexion fairly clear - Eyes very bright - pupils equal & somewhat dilated - react to L.A. & consensually. Tongue clear - chest moves fairly - there are no P.S. disease in thoracic or abdominal

viscera. Kneejerk brisk - other reflexes normal.

Urine 1018. ac: clear trace of alb: - no blood ples or indican -

small scars on both shins - flexible & white B. Mental. Mania

P: has a wild & excited appearance. is quite unoccupied - sits looking about her in a foolish vacant manner, talking continuously in an absolutely incoherent manner - at times can answer a question intelligently or can make a sensible remark on her surroundings but for the most part her talk is a meaningless string of phrases.

She has numerous delusions, & has no idea of number of time - states that she has had over 1000 children & had given birth to 5 in the course of the night before - that this is the year 1856. has no the least idea of the day of the week or the month of the year. & cannot tell if it is morning or afternoon. She is at times much excited & is then very noisy - so far has made no attempt to injure herself. She has numerous hallucinations of hearing - sleeps fairly & takes food well.

May 21. Very incoherent & excited - noisy at night shouting & clapping her hands loudly. 7:45

May 28. Incoherent & excited - rather less noisy at night - full of delusions R.C.

June 7. Taking food well. quite incoherent & much excited at times. can be roused to answer a few questions sensibly then relapse into her meaningless talk. Phys: health good R.C.

June 14. Continues as at last note - R.C.

July 2. Continues very noisy excited & violent, both
 7567 by day & night - quite incoherent. R.C.D.
 August 2 Has been very troublesome lately, talking
 constantly, & incoherently. Noisy - (8:30 PM) R.C.D.
 Sept: 6. Has been very noisy shouting for hours at a
 time - & frequently violent - but has been
 quieter for the past week, & can frequently
 talk quite rationally for 2 or 3 minutes at a
 time - Is sleeping rather better than she did -
 Phys health fair - but owing to her constant
 restlessness she is thin R.C.D.
 Sept: 30. Is much quieter talking rationally & able
 65612 to be in No VII - Phys health impaired R.C.D.
 Oct: 27. Has continued fairly rational, occupied & interested
 76.1 in all that went on till last 2 or 3 days - is now
 back in No V. with an acute attack pending R.C.D.
 Nov: 10. Very dazed & confused with a marked tendency towards
 - incoherence. Yesterday told her husband over her eyes
 when asked why she had done so, declared that her eyes had
 burnt out on her cheek only a few hours before. Very
 restless at night. R.C.D.
 Dec: 4. somewhat variable - can usually talk more or less
 - coherently for a few minutes at a time but
 then breaks out into meaningless phrases.
 She is restless & will not keep in bed at night &
 there is a marked tendency to edema of the legs -
 2 days ago on the edema being as high as the knees,
 P was sent to bed & a cardiac tonic given R.C.D.
 [Jan 24] R has been up the last month. edema has
 quite disappeared after 2 weeks in bed. Still
 very restless & at times she talks quite rationally.
 at others is quite incoherent. Rash on body remains
 in same condition in spite of treatment - S.C.S.
 March 5. Has been very excitable & - sleeping very badly.

65610 violent - constantly talking but quite incoherent.
 Rash on body varies much. at times almost
 disappearing. R.C.D.
 April 20. Still incoherent, talking incessantly &
 very restless - rash now gone under
 vigorous treatment. R.C.D.
 May 9. Yesterday was quite coherent, entering
 into conversation quite rationally - occupying
 herself in a quiet & reasonable manner. R.C.D.
 June 7. Very excited, incoherent & restless - the quiet
 7568 interval above noted only lasted for about a day
 She appears to have marked hallucinations of sight &
 hearing, so when quite alone she addresses
 various friends by name, gesticulates to them &
 appears to follow them about with her eyes - &
 holds long conversations with them, answering &
 asking questions. Physical health on the whole
 improved - she is much stronger but owing to
 her constant standing there is a marked tendency to
 edema of the feet. R.C.D.
 July 28. Is now quiet & is talking coherently - occupies
 herself a little in shelling peas, picking currants
 Is less restless - is stronger but no edema
 still edematous. R.C.D.
 Aug: 28. Has been distinctly better & later is usually now
 quiet & coherent, though with marked loss of memory &
 much mental confusion. with short intervals of
 restless excitement, during which she is quite
 incoherent - Physically is stronger & the ankles are
 not now edematous - she has 3 patches (size)
 of spot perforation left elbow - the other 2 on R forearm of
 a dry scaly appearance - (C. cecina pomiformis) R.C.D.
 Nov: 29 & 30.7 Has continued to steadily improve - is now
 coherent & fairly equable - occupies herself
 well, & can enter readily into conversation.

1950
 Ad. May 21. 98 outfitter - aged 47 - Ch: of Eng: - Previous
 R.O. May 17. 98 abode - 14 Park Village - West Regents Park N.W.
 C. ind. May 21. 98 1st attack of about 2 years duration -

Katie Maule - married - wife of
 supposed cause intemperance - Not E.S. or D.
 nowhere previously treated -

1st certif: Said the people in the house were going to kill her
 & that they were cruel to her, whereas they are most
 anxious about her welfare - Has seen her daughter
 Minnie (who died last year) & two other children who
 are away in Somerset passing the house several
 times within the last month - (Contd) She is often
 very violent - threw a box containing a brass into the
 street -- shouts at people & behaves in such a
 manner as to attract a crowd -

May 11. 98. (signed) Walter H. Tisd
 of 65 Sturlope Terrace - N.W.

2nd " corroborates - & adds "dresses imaginary
 snakes about the room & tries to hit them with
 her boot"

May 11. 98. (signed) Ed: Gray M.B. Ch.
 of 15 Gloucester Rd N.W.

Pres: Hist: Gen: health always fair - some dyspepsia -
 R.F. when a child, aged about 10 -
 Has been drinking on & off for some years - said to
 become very excitable on very little -
 Last 12 months much worse - after the death of a
 daughter - halluc^{ns} of sight, seeing her daughter (dead)
 about the room, occasionally snakes & rats -
 some of hearing, complaining of people whispering
 about her when none were present - some
 delusions of identity - sleeping badly - noisy at
 night - appetite fair -
 M^{at} 25 yrs: children 8²⁴ - 9²⁴ - 1 still born

Family list, said to be none.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical

Gallery 41
 H^c
 W^c 74-5"



P.S. is somewhat undernourished. poorly
 developed - sternum sunk. some scoliosis
 complexion blotchy & mottled - appearance
 dishevelled & untidy. Hair dark & scanty.
 Eyes grey. Pupils small. react to light
 & consensually but slowly - chest narrow
 poorly - no P.S. disease detected beyond
 a slight dilatation of the cardiac area. H.A.B.
 in 5th space in nipple line - dulness to R^{ic}
 border of sternum - Pulse fair - about 72 -
 but somewhat variable. Liver palpable -
 constipation - abdomen full - & walls
 thick. Knee-jerks dull - super:
 reflexes dulled - Tongue furred. white
 now clearing in patches. Tremulous & there
 is tremor of fingers & facial muscles.
 Catamenia - said to have had amenorrhoea
 past 4 months -

B. Mental - Married (alcoholic)
 P.S. is very confused & dazed - is suspicious

restless - looking apprehensively about her, rarely sitting down. Has some delusions of identity, thinking she knows several of the people here. Memory very poor. She does not know the month of the year, the day of the week nor how long she has been here. Cannot remember a name she has just been told. Has no apparent hallucinations in the day time but at night has hallucinations of sight & hearing. Noisy at night. Takes food fairly.

May 28 Very excited at times with no memory of delusions of identity & of suspicion. R.C.D.

June 7. Continues excited with no idea of place or time. Last night fought with another. R.C.D.

June 14. Excited with numerous delusions - quarrelsome & frequently impulsively violent. R.C.D.

June 21. somewhat impaired in the whole but is still restless, almost unresponsive with marked loss of memory of delusions of identity with hallucinations of sight & hearing occasionally at night. R.C.D.

July 5. Restless & noisy - still cannot state the day of the week nor whether it is morning or afternoon. At times impulsively violent. R.C.D.

August 6 Condition as before. Pl. has a small patch on back of neck suggestive of *Tinea tonsurans*. Examined microscopically, but diagnosis not confirmed. (32) M.H.C.

August 20. Cultivation made of diagnosis confirmed - the trichophyton is short & has few spores. restless & noisy. R.C.D.

Sept. 6. Patch nearly cured but owing to 7th marked delusions of suspicion it is impossible to rub in the lotion sufficiently thoroughly. Very restless at night, with marked hallucinations of sight & hearing - stating that she saw a large black bull, a snake or

a black dog in her room, hears her child calling her opposite names - has various delusions of identity - Has little or no memory & is at times violent. Phys health fair R.C.D.

Oct 6. Patch entirely cured. mental condition as on last note. R.C.D.

Nov 1. Still many delusions. Physical health fair. Patch on neck returned. R.C.D.

Nov 13. Patch at back of neck remains the same. Has been very restless & noisy again at night. Delusory hallucinations still continue very marked. D at times violent. R.C.D.

Dec 21. Continues much the same. unimproved, with little memory & has numerous delusions of suspicion & of identity - with constant hallucinations of sight & hearing esp: at night. Has no idea of place or of time. Tinea apparently cured. R.C.D.

Sept 18 Continues quite unaltered - the tinea patch reappeared in August & was painted with pencil. R.C.D.

Dec 22. Unchanged - on the whole but is somewhat less restless than she was. & is sleeping better. Has numerous delusions of identity & of persecutions & suspicion - hallucinations of sight & hearing of a very marked - her memory is much impaired & she has little idea of time & place - is at times excited & occasionally violent - Phys health good. R.C.D.

Jan 15.00 Continues as on last note - Phys health keeps good & she is sleeping better. R.C.D.

June 30. Restless & rarely occupied with numerous delusions as above - but she continues to be somewhat quieter at night - Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Sept 24 Continues so on last note. Phys health good R.C.D.

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- 7th 1. Still many delusions. Physical health fair. Patch on neck returned. P.C.D.
- Dec 31st 6th 13. Patch at back of neck remains the same - Has been very restless & noisy again at night. Delusory hallucinations still continue very marked. D at times violent. E.H.
- 10 March. 99 6th 9. Continues much the same - weakened, with little memory & has numerous delusions of suspicion & of identity - with constant hallucinations of sight & hearing esp. at night - Has no idea of place or of time - Time apparently cured. R.C.D.
- Sept. 18 6th 7. Continues quite unaltered - the tinea patch reappeared in August & was painted with pencil. R.C.D.
- Dec. 22. 6th 22. Unchanged - in the whole but is somewhat less restless than she was - & is sleeping better - has numerous delusions of identity & of persecution & suspicion - hallucinations of sight & hearing often very marked - her memory is much impaired & she has little idea of time & place - is at times excited & occasionally violent - Phys. health good - R.C.D.
- March 15. 00 7th 1. Continues as on last note - Phys. health keeps good & she is sleeping better - R.C.D.
- June 30. 7th 32. Restless & rarely occupied with numerous delusions as above - but she continues to be somewhat quiet at night - Phys. health good - R.C.D.
- Sept. 24 7th 32. Continues as on last note. Phys. health good. R.C.D.

Frances Arundell Cooke (cont'd p: p: 4) -

July 2 -
7 25 10 1/2



Very restless & irascible quite unoccupied - often refuses food - very destructive & there is marked difficulty in inducing her to keep on any clothing at times she is most filthy - but still occasionally she can talk rationally for a few minutes - Phys health fair but she is thin -

Taken May 30.00 (of p: 2)

July 11.00

P: discharged yesterday to Weyford House - Exeter -

She has continued as on last note - was carefully examined before discharge - found no scars or marks or bruises beyond 2 very small abrasions over left iliac crest - & a small acne spot on left knee.

Discharged July 11-1900

Annie Curtis (cont'd p: p: 12)

on the ordinary topics of the day & takes an interest in the amusements & occup^t of the place - Phys health improved & she is gaining weight & vigour - R.C.D.

Jan: 9-1900

Has continued to improve steadily - she can now sustain a long conversation without difficulty & ~~there~~ ^{without} ~~comes~~ ^{having} ~~any~~ ^{any} mental confusion - she is squabble & has lost the emotional instability - she has lately had several teeth extracted under nitrous ether & an artificial set fitted - for a few hours after the nitrous ether she was somewhat delirious & garrulous - but this soon passed off - R.C.D.

Jan: 16-

P: was discharged today - going to Devon with her husband & son for a fortnight before resuming her ordinary life

Discharged Jan: 16-1900

Rec: 26. heard from today - is evidently keeping well

1952

Agnes Elizabeth Phillimore

Ad. May 26. 98 Single - aged 23 - of no occupation - Ch. of Eng.
R.O. May 26. 98 Previous address Invalid Home - East Street.
C. ind. " 27 " Warrimater. (not) 1st attack of about one week's duration. Supposed cause: unknown. Not E. S. or D.

1st certif: She entertains unfounded views as to her parentage without being able to adduce the slightest reason for such belief, except that a Dr Woods hypnotized her & suggested it to her. She believes she has cancer of the uterus because her aunt (whom she says is her mother) suffers in that way. She says that these worries & troubles have so affected her that she cannot rest & can think of nothing else (com^g) besides no sound sleep for a week. She has cut off her hair & torn up books & photographs without reason.

May 25. 98 (signed) J. Z. S. Hosking of Warrimater

corroborates.

May 25. 98 (signed) R. Lewis Willcox of Warrimater.

Family Hist. two paternal aunts are in an asylum.

Pres. Hist:

Condition on Admission. A. Physical

Gallery I
H:
W: 8 1/2 9.



P. is well developed & fairly nourished. is a pleasant looking girl with short dark curly hair & dark eyes - Eyes pupils equal, somewhat dilated & react very readily to light. A of corneally - ^{to skin stimulation} complexion clear with a few acne spots - mucous membranes fair - Tongue clean - somewhat tooth indented. She presents no P. S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs, beyond the fact that the heart sounds have a somewhat tonic character - ACO, HAB normal. some dyspeptic flatulence & palpitation at times. Respiratory brisk - other reflexes normal - cranial reflex just present. Catamenia regular - some menorrhagia (see P. 15) no dysmenorrhoea - m: p: now on. Urine 1024. ac: turbid with mucus - no albumen. Teeth - most molars absent or carious.

B. Mental. Warrimater with delirium. P. is "nervous" & emotionally unstable - hesitates in her speech & frequently stammers if asked a question suddenly. She has several delusions about her own family, states that her mother is not her mother but her

account, though she can give no reason for this belief - she has various wild ideas, among others that of taking sole charge of two insane aunts at present in asylums - one of these aunts she states is her mother, & this statement she persists in & allows to influence her actions. Her memory is impaired, she states that she feels "confused & muddled & not like her own self" - She has various hypochondriacal ideas, & states that she has heart disease & cancer of the uterus. She sleeps badly, & has poor appetite.

- June 3. Emotionally unstable & childish but is amenable & occupies herself fairly under supervision - appetite & sleep rather better. R.C.D.
- June 10. somewhat more stable emotionally - R.C.D.
- June 20. She has distinctly improved since admission - has settled down well, occupies herself under supervision - she is weak-minded & childish, but is less confused & is more stable emotionally - Physically she is improving - sleeping & eating better & is getting off her hypochondriacal ideas R.C.D.
- June 26. Continues to improve - but is childish & emotionally unstable. R.C.D.
- July 8. Very silly & emotionally unstable last 2 days - crying much of the day & making silly remarks - brought an unfounded charge against another P.S. of spilling green paint on her violin - R.C.D.
- Aug. 22. Very morbid & silly - mildly depressed & uncooperative - appears to consider herself responsible for the care & treatment of all in this place & speaks of the other ladies as "her patients" - R.C.D.
- Aug. 26. Yesterday tore up a quantity of her clothing, & when asked for her reason for so doing, stated that she did

so on account of the name "Phyllis" being marked on them - denied that this was her name. Refused to get up stating that she had a large abdominal tumor - very silly & irrational - sent to No. 61 R.C.D.

- Sept: 5. Has been going on better in No. 61 - has not been further destructive since the last note, & is less emotionally unstable than she was though she is still very silly & there is a marked tendency to incoherence R.C.D.
- Sept: 29. Last 2 or 3 days an acute attack has begun. She is incontinent, restless & unoccupied - restlessly roaming about the gallery, making wild noises at doors, windows, or dancing & gesticulating with meaningless laughter & exclamations. Down No. 61. R.C.D.
- Oct Nov: 9. Has been a little better & is again in No. 61 - but now is very incontinent & restless - conduct irrational & silly, occasionally impulsive & violent & is very annoying to the other ladies constantly interfering with them & thinking herself responsible for their treatment.
- Nov: 11. So today very acutely excited - this morning tore up 6 ribbons & pushed it down the front of her clothing & threw it out of the window R.C.D.
- Nov: 24. Has improved since last note (continuing after that date restless & incontinent for some few days) until yesterday - when she again tore up all her clothing - screamed & shouted & ran restlessly about the gallery - is incontinent, jabbering more or less incessantly & making many personal abusive & very rude remarks on all the ladies & nurses near here. She is in fair health but is thinner & paler than she was R.C.D.

Dec: 6. continues restless & more or less incoherent
at times uses the most foul & disgusting
language - frequently runs impulsively about
the gallery with the most grotesque gestures, often
fighting & quarrels with the other ladies - often
noisy at night. R.C.D.

Jan 24th Still continues very restless & noisy & is
at times violent & destroys her clothes -
A week ago she broke a window on going
to bed and inflicted a small superficial
cut on the back of the R. hand. For 3 days
in the early part of the month she was quiet
& well behaved - often noisy at night. R.C.D.

March 3rd No change. She is just now rather quiet but has
been very noisy & excited. Has had patches of time
circinate on arms & legs. The latter still remain. R.C.D.

April 15. Has been dazed & confused for past fortnight
or so - yesterday very noisy & excited &
night before attacked another P. (misc. Sams)
however inflicting no injury. one small
patch of time on ant surface of R. thigh not
quite gone - rest cured. R.C.D.

April 24. Very noisy & excited, frequently impulsively violent
& often very destructive - more or less incoherent &
full of the delusion that she is not the daughter of her
parents - runs & abuses to the other ladies - time
cured. R.C.D.

June 21. Is rather less noisy & excited but is very confused
& dazed, retains her delusion & is frequently red
& abusive - still sometimes destructive &
occasionally impulsively violent - Phys health
fair - but looks somewhat white & thin -
amnesia persists R.C.D.

Sept: 19 Very confused & dazed with marked loss of

7th 2 memory - is becoming distinctly more weak
minded - frequently uses very foul language
much dirt - rarely occupies herself at all -
Phys: keeps white & thin - time long since
cured - amnesia persists - R.C.D.

Jan: 8. 1900. Is slowly becoming more weak minded &
confused. she now rarely speaks of her own
(Nov) 7th 1900 accord & her reaction to question is poor -
Jan: 8th 1900 when fed frequently uses very foul language
has almost always to be fed by spoon -
keeps white & thin - amnesia persists - R.C.D.

Jan: 18. Being fed by spoon with a large amount of food
n^o 3 & is slowly gaining weight 7 1/2 lbs in last
2 months. now in n^o 3. R.C.D.

March 15 Is somewhat less stuporous & confused &
8th 1900 will occasionally, though rarely, make feeble
attempts at picking or at easy needlework -
there is much mental confusion & she rarely
speaks voluntarily - frequently has to be fed
by spoon. at times by tube - amnesia persists - R.C.D.

July 3. Continues as on above note. R.C.D.

Sept: 3. There are again some signs of trouble in the
7th 1900 antrium of the lungs - some slight swelling,
occasional twinges of pain, & a darkening of the
shadows on electric illumination - it is thought better
not to operate as it seems fairly quiet. She
now takes food voluntarily, & is able to take
during meal - amnesia persists.

Dec: 31. Continues more or less stuporous & confused
7th 1900 delirious of identity both of her own & that of
others - continues to be troublesome about food
she has taken it a little better of late - Phys health
fair - amnesia persists - has lost 10 lbs R.C.D.
(see page before)

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language - frequently runs impulsively at
the gallery with the most grotesque gestures, &
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noisy at night. R.C.D.
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7th 1893 Still continues very restless & noisy & is
at times violent & destroys her clothes
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to bed and inflicted a small superficial
cut on the back of the R. hand. For 3 da
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patch of tumor on ant surface of R. thigh not
quite gone - not cured. R.C.D.
- April 24.
3rd 1893 Very noisy & excited, frequently impulsively vi
& often very destructive - more or less incoherent
full of the delusion that she is not the daughter
parents - runs & abuses to the other ladies - tur
cured. R.C.D.
- June 21.
7th 1893 Is rather less noisy & excited but is very conf
& dazed, retains her delusion & is frequently
& abusive - still sometimes destructive &
occasionally impulsively violent. Phys heart
fair - but looks somewhat white & thin -
amenorrhoea persists R.C.D.
- Sept: 19 Very confused & dazed with marked loss of

- 7th 1892 memory - is becoming distinctly more weak
minded - frequently uses very foul language
wishes duty - rarely occupies herself at all -
Phys: keeps white & thin - tumor long since
cured - amenorrhoea persists - R.C.D.
- Jan: 8. 1900. Is slowly becoming more weakened &
(Nov) 7th 1893 confused. she now rarely speaks of her own
Jan: 8th 1893 accord & her reaction to questions is poor.
when fed frequently uses very foul language.
Has almost always to be fed by spoon -
keeps white & thin - amenorrhoea. R.C.D.
- Jan: 18.
n^o 3 Being fed by spoon with a large amount of food
she is slowly gaining weight - 7 1/2 lbs in last
2 months. now in n^o 3. R.C.D.
- March 15
8th 1893 Is somewhat less stuporous & confused &
will occasionally, though rarely, make feeble
attempts at picking or at easy needlework -
there is marked mental confusion & she rarely
speaks voluntarily - frequently has to be fed
by spoon. at times by tube - amenorrhoea
persists. R.C.D.
- July 3.
7th 1893 Continues as on above note. R.C.D.
- Sept: 3.
7th 1893 There are again some signs of trouble in the
7th 1893 antrium of the lungs - some slight swelling,
occasional twinges of pain, & a darkening of the
shadow on electric illumination - it is thought better
not to operate as it seems fairly quiet. She is
now taking food voluntarily, & is able to do the
daily work - amenorrhoea persists. R.C.D.
- Dec: 31
7th 1893 Continues more or less stuporous & confused
delusion of identity both of her own & that of
others - continues to be troublesome about food tho'
shoes taken it a little better of late - Phys heart
fair - amenorrhoea persists - has lost 10 lbs R.C.D.
(see page before)

1954

Beatrice Emma Rose

Ad. May 28. 98 married - aged 38. of no occup. - Ch. of Eng.
Prew: abode Elise Cottage - Guildford Road -
Fleet. Hants. 1st attack of about 1 year's
duration - supposed cause severe operation.
Previously treated at St Ann's Bath -
not E.O.S. but slightly violent.

1st entry: says she is mesmerized by the nurses in attendance -
says her husband is going to be killed (cont.) screams
very violent & alarms the neighbors -
May 27. 98 (signed) Henry Wilcox
of Fleet.

2nd " she is in a state of mental excitement - she believes
her nurses have mesmerized her & her husband. that he
is entirely under their influence & that she will never see
him again & get away from here. she mutters to herself
is restless & says that at times she becomes
very excited
May 28. 98. (signed) W.W. Floyer
of Egham.

Prew: Hist: see case book X. pp: 259 & 289 -
always nervous of a worrying disposition -
attack precipitated by shock of father's death, followed
by that of sister's, by a severe op. in May. 97 -
died as P. Oct. 12. 97 To Ap. 21. 98. leaving at
urgent wish of husband - still restless & agitated
went on fairly well at home for a few weeks, then
began all delusions of her husband's death, of
mesmerism &c - restless & excited -
M.P. in Ap. 9, just before admission - then
much worse - screamed constantly & was
complained of by the neighbors.

Family Hist: Gout & phthisis - none of vicinity

Condition on Admission A Physical

Gallery V see case book X. p: 262 -
H: (Some dyspepsia - slight anaemia - vague
W: 7 1/2 lb. signs at apex - Reflexes brisk)

B. Mental Subacute Mania with delusions.
P. is very restless, wandering about the
room, picking her hands & biting her nails.
cannot sit down, nor occupy herself at all.
reiterates the statement that her husband
has been murdered, & that both she & her
husband have been mesmerized by the
nurses before admission. She is untidy &
neglectful of her personal appearance.
At times she becomes excited & impulsively
violent - somewhat troublesome about
food & she sleeps badly - Her time - space
is impaired, her time estimate being
increased about 5 or 6 times - Her idea of
distances does not seem to be increased
in proportion - Memory impaired, for
both recent & remote events.

June 7. continues restless. picks her hands & bites
her nails - full of delusions as above - taking
food & sleeping better than on admission.

June 15. Moved from V to Gallery VI.

June 21. has distinctly improved but is still almost
unoccupied, though she is less restless & though she
retains her delusions, she talks less of them & they
do not occupy her mind to the same extent as
before. Physically improving - still anaemic R.C.D.

June 28. much as on last note. R.C.D.

July 3 very noisy last night, had the rumour tea paddled
 room - continues to restrict her delusion that she
 is unremembered, that her husband is murdered, that
 her letters are stolen etc. - examined letter. RCD.

July 8. Rather less noisy than on last note but full
 of her delusions as above - picks her fingers, &
 bites her nails - RCD.

Aug. 22. Continues rather less restless & noisy, & delusions
 are somewhat less marked, & occupy her mind
 less exclusively than they did - she is sleeping
 better - is less anaemic, & worn looking RCD.

Sept. 18. Is less restless & delusive though still present
 are less marked - still bites her nails - sleeping &
 eating better - Last night at midnight had a
 "fainting fit" - lasting about 10 minutes - RCD.

Jan 24th. It has been complaining of cough & "spitting
 blood" - a few minute spots were shown to
 reporter on her handkerchief - Chest examined
 but nothing definite found. Note at both
 apices is impaired - B.S.P. as before - Three
 weeks ago Pt sustained an abrasion of the
 nose when prevented throwing letters over the
 garden wall. S.C.S.D.

March 15th 99. Very restless & many delusions - She now says that
 her hair has been entirely cut off by the nurses at
 night - where as she has a quantity - bites her nails
 & picks her fingers badly. S.D.

May 3. Still restless with many delusions - constantly
 stating that one of the patients (Miss Flood)
 "personates" her & obtains letters & other things
 intended for her - writes innumerable rambling
 letters to try & prove her own identity - yester
 day was very violent, broke a window & put one
 of the nurses a severe blow in the face RCD.

May 5. Today sent to No. 11 with a special nurse RCD.
 on being let, I found her more settled but less restless but is
 constantly restless except when I am near her
 naturally bites & picks
 first time I saw her, she was in a state of
 fits herself very little
 & she had not yet had any sleep for 48 hours
 did letters, complaining
 as, her husband with the delusion, & said
 couple "personating her" &
 he had made arrangements for it. The delusion
 was more at night & day, not eating
 until the other are awake. About 10 o'clock
 she went to the tramcar what will
 double as I have thought of something
 that I could have talked & made any
 stupid mistakes about all these delusions
 does not know an instant when any
 thing is wrong, as the things have
 better are all carried so well to it
 can be I don't imagine. Dr. Deane had
 said I could move my own
 yesterday & now today Miss Flood
 says she will letters & not get post
 which is her, peculiar, husband
 (in 405) personates her,
 Physically fair - thin
 RCD.
 more changed & less
 & occupy herself & take
 things but is very
 retains her delusions
 satisfied by various people
 & having had her identity stolen - Physically fair
 & constipation is markedly less under treatment
 from statements not being at all reliable as to things
 catamenia little irregular - she is somewhat
 anaemic & will not take the iron & alcohol regularly
 March 15.00 Varies much - but on the whole is rather
 S.C.P. 2/2 less restless - has of late done a little needle
 work - goes for walks & takes more interest in
 her surroundings - she usually now recognizes
 that her ideas about electricity, mesmerism
 are delusions - Is less anaemic, & catamenia
 is now regular. RCD -
 went on head yesterday - improvement maintained
 discharged from here today RCD.

July 3 very noisy last night & had the room to a padded room - continues to resist her delusions that she is mesmericized, that her husband is murdered, that her letters are stolen or so - examined letter. RCD.

July 8. Rather less noisy than on last note but full of her delusions as above - picks her fingers & bites her nails - RCD.

Aug: 22. Continues rather less restless & noisy & delusions are somewhat less marked & occupy her mind less exclusively than they did - she is sleeping better - is less anaemic & worn looking RCD.

Sept: 18. Is less restless & delusions though still present are less marked - still bites her nails - sleeping & eating better - Last night at midnight had a "fainting fit" - lasting about 10 minutes - RCD.

Jan 24th has been complaining of cough & "spitting blood" - a few minute spots of blood shown to reporter on her handkerchief - Chest examined but nothing definite found - Note at both apices is impaired & B.S.P. are feeble - Three weeks ago Pt sustained an abrasion of the nose when prevented throwing letters over the garden wall. S.C.S.D.

March 15th 99. Very restless & many delusions - She now says that her hair has been entirely cut off by the nurses at night - where as she has a quantity - bites her nails & picks her fingers badly. S.D.

May 3. Still restless with many delusions - constantly stating that one of the patients (Miss Flood) "personates" her & obtains letters & other things intended for her - writes innumerable rambling letters to try & prove her own identity - yesterday was very violent, broke a window & gave one of the nurses a severe blow in the face RCD

May 5. Today sent to No. 41 with a special nurse RCD.

July 12. Is on the whole somewhat less restless but is very full of her delusions & constantly bites & picks the ends of her fingers - occupies herself very little except in writing long winded letters, complaining of mesmericism & of other people "personating her" & trying to prove that she is herself. Yesterday while in the grounds, she tried to give one of these letters to one of the male patients & when prevented by a nurse, threw her down on her back, fought kicked & screamed - RCD.

Sept: 19. Continues less restless & yesterday occupied herself for a short time voluntarily with a little needlework, as she said "for the first time for two years" - still bites her nails - & retains her belief that Miss Flood (in No. 5) personates her & has stolen her identity - Phys health fair - there is marked constipation - RCD.

Dec: 23. On the whole is rather more cheerful & less restless & will occasionally occupy herself with an interest in her surroundings but is very variable & emotional - & retains her delusions

70512^{1/2} being mesmericized & electrified by various people & to having had her identity stolen - Phys health fair & constipation is markedly less under treatment (from an statement not being at all reliable as to this) catarrh a little irregular - she is somewhat anaemic & will not take the iron & sleep pill regularly

March 15. 00. Varies much - but on the whole is rather less restless - has of late done a little needle work - goes for walks & takes more interest in her surroundings - she usually now recognizes that her ideas about electricity, mesmericism & are delusions - Is less anaemic & catarrh is now regular - RCD.

May 2. Went on death yesterday - improvement maintained - Discharged from hospital today RCD.

1956

Annie Shears

Ad. June 1, 98 Single - aged 25. of no occupation. daughter of abt. rectr. Ch: of Eng. Pres: address Priestwood - Bracknell. 1st attack of about 3 years' duration - nowhere previously under care. (see below) Supposed cause influenza & shock of Mother's death.

1st certif: She is restless excitable, unmanageable, will listen to no one's advice, & will not be guided by any rules or regulations in my house, where she also refuses to stay. Although unable to fix her attention's mind upon any form of occupation she wishes to offer herself as a working sister in a church sisterhood where the rules are very strict & the work very hard. From being a quiet retired reserved young woman, she now discusses very private affairs openly before any one. She is full of morbid feelings about a young doctor &c.

June 1, 98 (signed) Robert Nuttall of Priestwood - Bracknell.

Family Hist: 2 Cousins (maternal) & 2 Cousins (paternal)

Pres: Hist: Gen: Health fair - never very strong - some measles 10 yrs ago. 6 yrs ago severe attack of influenza - 3 years ago her mother died of carcinoma mammae. P: nursed her - & broke down after her death - became restless, & moody - at times excited, at others indolent & depressed - developed a delusion that she was engaged to the doctor attending her

Mother of persecuted mind - much worse last 8 months - reached friends staying with her - & travelled in Switzerland (May, 98) & upon by a day & night exposure & shock of avalanche &c came back worse - went to care of Dr Nuttall Priestwood, Bracknell - became unmanageable & was certified & sent here. Usual habits - parish work - organ &c - a little painting & designing.

Condition on Admission - A Physical

Gallery: P: is poorly developed - fairly rounded but is flabby - Eyes grey - pupils equal, some what dilated - react readily to L, D, A, & consensually. Mucous mem: anaemic Tongue furred & teeth indented - some tremor of facial muscles, of tongue. Hair: light brown - chest mass poorly & breathing is not loud but there are no definite P.S.G. disease. Heart slightly dilated HAB 3/4" inside N.A. in 5th space - 1st sound at apex roughened but there is no definite murmur - faint bruit in jugular. No P.S.G. disease in abdomen: viscera - slight constipation - Catamenia: stated to be regular & scanty - no ovarian tenderness. Urine 1022 - ac: urates - no alk: - no indican Teeth. Kneejerks brisk - other reflexes normal.

B. Mental subacute mania P: is restless - can settle to no occupation - begins to drift & in 5 minutes gets up, leaves it, roams about & then takes up a book etc.

she puts down in a few minutes to begin something else - she says that she has no power of attention - memory impaired - She has a delusion that she is engaged to a young doctor (nursing) & talks of this & of various details in an open way to perfect strangers. She has a small appetite & sleep rather badly. Has no power of attention but is somewhat less restless - her conversation is less "drifted" than it was. R.C.D.

June 14th
Gallery VII
Pt. moved on the 12th to Gallery VII, 205th was ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~was~~ ^{was} irritable about her food. Yesterday she tried to escape from the gallery & was crying all day. R.C.D.

June 15th
Gallery VI
was very troublesome & tried to escape from the Terrace - forcibly taken upstairs. & moved from VII to Gallery VI. R.C.D.

June 26th
Is confused & silly in conversation & actions - yesterday made a disturbance in the dining hall - is restless & has no initiative. R.C.D.

June 27th
somewhat less restless but still very unsettled & silly in action & talk - has had a time of delirium supervening on constipation, passing much mucous bloodstained from rectum. R.C.D.

Miss A. Sherris. June 28, 98.



July 4. Emotionally unstable & very unsettled - occasioning this to escape & was found climbing one of the garden gates. R.C.D.

August 3rd
Pt. has been very restless and unsettled. behaves in a foolish way, & is not able to account for her actions. Very incoherent. Was moved to No 5. (5) M.H.C.

Aug: 22.
Gallery VI
Very variable - usually restless & unsettled - talking more or less incoherently & full of wild plans as to the future - attempts making will rushes for doors & windows & is very resistive - attempts occupying herself & faintly sensible. R.C.D.

pt: 5 -
Sept 11.
Yesterday met G. her father, urging him to come to see her at once, as she had something terrible on her mind - this the father sent on - on questioning her she entered into a long rambling statement, the gist of which was, that she thought her Mother (dead 3 yrs ago) had been buried alive (though she stated that a partial p.m. had been done on her) & had reappeared here as another Pt. (Miss Bernard) though she owned that she was not like her - To somewhat less emotional. R.C.D.

pt: 9 -
Gallery VI
Is very silly & impulsive - today while out for a drive attempted to jump from the carriage & when prevented from so doing, struggled with the nurse during the whole drive - in the afternoon got on the infirmary railway & wall & had to be brought in by 3 nurses - very dazed & confused. R.C.D.

pt: 10 -
Continues very erratic & impulsive - making constant wild plunges for doors, gates &c - somewhat less anxious. R.C.D.

pt: 6 -
Continues erratic impulsive & full of wild ideas.

she puts down in a few minutes to begin something else - she says that she has no power of attention - memory impaired - She has a delusion that she is engaged to young doctor (nursing) & talks of this & of various details in an open way to perfect strangers - She has a small appetite & sleep rather badly - Has no power of attention but is somewhat less restless - Her conversation is less "distracted" than it was. R.C.D.

June 7.

June 14th

Gallery VII

At 2.30 moved on the 12th to Gallery VII, 205th - was ~~was~~ irritable about her food. Yesterday she tried to escape from the Gallery & was crying all day. Her

June 18

Gallery VI

was very troublesome & tried to escape from the Terrace - forcibly taken upstairs & moved from VII to Gallery VI. Her

June 26

Is confused & silly in conversation & actions yesterday made a disturbance in the dining hall is restless & has no initiative. R.C.D.

June 27

somewhat less restless but still very unsettled & silly in action & talk - has had a thin & drinks suppers on consecutive, passing much mucus bloodstained from uterine membranes. R.C.D.

Miss A. Sherris. June 8. 98.



July 4. Emotionally unstable & very unsettled - occasioning trial to escape & was found climbing one of the garden gates - R.C.D.

August 3rd

No 5

Pt has been very restless and unsettled - behaves in a foolish way, & is not able to account for her actions. Very incoherent. Was moved to No 5. (5th) M.H.C.

Aug: 22.

Gallery VI

Very variable - usually restless & unsettled - talking more or less incessantly & full of wild plans as to the future - at times making wild rushes for doors & windows & is very resistive - at times occupying herself & fairly sensible. R.C.D.

Sept: 5-

8th 11.

Yesterday wrote to her father, urging him to come to see her at once, as she had something terrible on her mind - this the father sent for - on questioning her she entered into a long rambling statement, the gist of which was, that she thought her Mother (dead 5 years ago) had been buried alive (though she stated that a parcel p.m. had been done on her) & had reappeared here as another Pt (Miss Bernard) though she owned that she was not like her - Is somewhat less emotional. R.C.D.

Oct: 9-

Gallery VI

Is very silly & impulsive - today while out for drive attempted to jump from the carriage & when prevented from so doing, struggled with the nurse during the whole drive - in the afternoon got on the Infirmary railway & wall & had to be brought in by 3 nurses - very dazed & confused. R.C.D.

Nov: 10.

Continues very erratic & impulsive - making constant wild plunges for doors, gates &c - somewhat less anxious. R.C.D.

Dec: 6-

Continues erratic impulsive & full of ideas.

long idea of, stated that she became insane because an altar cloth for the new RC chapel is being worked in the workroom - RCB.

Dec: 19. Has been much worse last 2 or 3 days, 9th. 4. exceedingly resistant & violent, struggling violently kicking & fighting when taken to bed or meals -

28 Feb. 99. Has been very troublesome. On the 18th she jumped thro' the workroom window & is always trying to get out of the doors - B. violent & destructive. Physical health fair - E.B.

27th March Has been violent & resistant again & been back in the padded room. About 10 days ago flung a parcel of ~~books~~ at the Medical Super. Sleeps fairly & eats well. RCB.

April 1. Somewhat quieter & less resistant since last note, but this morning took up a shoe & smashed a thick pane of glass RCB.

April 28 Has continued very variable & erratic since last note. At times quiet but then very confused mentally, unoccupied & full of wild plans for the near future, which are utterly contradictory & impossible. Frequently very violent & destructive - Today carefully examined - there are no lacerations but two trivial cuts on left right wrist are barely healed. These were caused by her putting her hand through a window - was today transferred to St Andrews Northampton

Discharged April 28. 99

Constance Butterworth (cont'd p: 3)

June 21. Continues very weak-minded & childish but is much less depressed & now rarely suffers from "night terrors" - occupies herself to a slight extent but if left alone sits unoccupied smiling to herself. Phys health fair - catamenia regular. RCB.

7053 Sept: 18 Continues unchanged - though now she very occasionally volunteers a short remark. Phys health fair - RCB.

Oct: 30 Suicidal caution withdrawn today - she has been very down the last 3 months for months RCB.

~~suicidal caution withdrawn~~ Dec: 23. Still very automatic & stuporous - quite unoccupied & requires to have everything done for her - rarely speaks of her own accord, the reaction to questions is very slow - is inattentive to the calls of nature & cannot be fed herself - Phys: health very fair - circulation improved - amenorrhoea since June 15. before which catamenia was regular. RCB.

Nov 7053 Jan 7054 March 15. 00 Continues practically unchanged - in a state of anergic stupor - no trace washed dress & bed - will answer simple questions if time is given to her - Phys health fair - but no cure though better is still poor - she has gained 8 1/2 lbs in last 3 months RCB.

7053 + 8 1/2 March 16. Catamenia recommenced today, after 8 months amenorrhoea. RCB.

July 2. Unaltered - very weak-minded - stuporous & anergic - requiring everything to be done for her - delusions of terror have quite passed off - phys health improved - catamenia re-established RCB.

8054 Sept: 24. There has been a slight improvement of late (Susp: 5)

1959

Caroline Matilda Russell

Ad. June 10, 98 Single - aged 55. of no occupation -
R.O. " 9. " Ch: Presbyterian. Previous address 15 Askew
Cind. " 10. " Road, Shepherd's Bush. 2nd attack of
(not seen) 19 months' duration - cause unknown -
age on 1st attack about 29. treated at
Bethlem Hosp: not E. S. or D.

1st certif: Hallucinations of hearing & taste & smell
violent temper (com?) noises at night -
walks about garden, shouting & tearing her hair
occasional violence

June 8. 98 (signed) David Arthur M.D.
of 276 Nottinghams Rd W.

2nd " corroborative of above " accused her nurse
Caroline Beahm Pitters of above address of procuring
her tea -

June 9. 98 (signed) H.F.F. Harrison
of 33 Shepherd's Bush Lane

Pres: Hist: always excitable - acute attack 22 yrs ago
treated at Bethlem - 3 or 4 attacks since, not
certified - been on sea voyages -

Nov: 96 was - excited - refused food - at Bethlem
fed by tube for "a long time" - remained there till
Apr: 11-97 when she went out on trial - went
on fairly well until last 2 or 3 months - has
developed halluc^{ns} of taste, smell, sight & hearing -
delusions of procuring - has turned against her
relatives - screams & is uncontrollable.

Lives with her 2 brothers - who are not much of the day
Gen: health good - slight rheum. has airt^h teeth
appetite good - restless at night -

Family Hist said the mil. Brother has lately suffered from

epileptic fits.

Condition on Admission H. Physical

Galley 49

H.F.

W.F. 89. 10

Obstinately refuses
to have her photo taken

P.F. is fairly well developed & well nourished.
Eyes light brown - pupils equal - react to light.
Mucous membranes good colour. Tongue & furrow
- fleshy. Hair - grey.
Pulse - nil. Heart not acting vigorously. No murmurs
- reflexes normal.
Respiration very brisk - cranial reflex present, other
- Teeth -
Teeth - mostly shed. few or Indian
Teeth 1025. ac: tucked with metal. No carpal-pulse
Abdomen - nil. Appetite said to be good.

B. Mental Mania with delusions of persecution
Patient is very restless & noisy. Does not eat
her food well, & objects to taking medicine.
Says that the "milk" tasted of piss". Talks
fairly coherently but will not always answer
questions as to when she believes so. Complains
that there is no peace & wants to go away,
trying to escape from the room.

June 11. So noisy & restless that she is to be moved to No. 3.
H.F.

June 15. Declares that she cannot stay here because that someone is marking all the boxes & putting her away, & they have taken her handkerchiefs. (62) H.L.B.

June 24. In a condition of Chronic Mania with marked M.C.S. delusions of persecution. states that poison is put in her food, that her clothes are stolen & used by other patients - is restless & unoccupied, looking suspiciously about her, making a rush for any open door - her conversation has at all times a strong tendency towards incoherence, & when at all excited becomes absolutely incoherent - takes food badly & is sometimes noisy at night R.C.D.

July 1. Continues as above but is rather quiet on the whole - says that her food tastes & smells of "poison" but denies hallucinations of hearing or sight R.C.D.

July 7. Yesterday screamed shrilly, running restlessly about the gallery, gesticulating & shouting out accusations of poisoning & murder - yelling that her blankets & mattresses are soaked in urine, when pressed for her reason for this statement, told reporter that she saw them wet, felt, & smell them - that she smelt & tasted ^{poison in} her food - R.C.D.

July 16. Has somewhat improved but has acute times of excitement when she believes as on above note. R.C.D.

Aug: 22. In the whole is rather quiet but is still liable to acute attacks of excitement. R.C.D.

Sept: 5. Yesterday was extremely noisy shouting & screaming, very abusive & threatening, making wild accusations of murder & torture against every one near her. R.C.D.

Nov: 10. The acute attacks of excitement during which she has hallucinations of taste, smell hearing & sight - persist - R.C.D.

26th Jan-99 is constantly trying to get out of the doors Restless & excited. Hallucinations persist. R.C.D.
7th Feb 13 Still very restless that has been rather quiet -
15 March - ~~Restless~~ in No. 5. R.C.D.

June 21
8th Oct 3 1/2



Restless & excited - rarely occupies herself - has delusions of suspicion, the hallucinations of sight hearing & smell persist but are less definite & she is somewhat reticent about them. Phys health good. R.C.D.
Has improved to some extent - though she is still restless - delusions of hallucinations are less

Aug: 20
2nd vi

marked & she is now in No. 6. R.C.D.

Sept: 19 Continues in No. 6 - hallucinations are less persistent than they were & she is less noisy & excited but is restless with loss of memory & confusion of mind. Phys: health fair - R.C.D.

Dec: 23. Is somewhat less restless & the hallucinations are less persistent - but there is still much mental confusion & marked loss of memory. Phys health very fair - R.C.D.

Jan: 9-1900 In bed with an attack of influenza - see chart.
March 15. Has long since been quite recovered from her attack of influenza - she varies much from time to time - sometimes makes attempt to occupy herself but is usually very restless with much mental confusion & much annoyed by the hallucinations. She has vague delusions of suspicion & is continually worrying everyone (P.P. & staff) & "letting them know". Phys health good but for vague visions which at times give her trouble as she is always on her feet R.C.D.

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1960 Sarah Anne Hyde.

Ad. June 14. 98. Widow - aged 68. of no occupation.
 R.O. - - - Ch. of England. Previous address 17 Amley Rd.
 C in L. - 15. Norwood. S.E. Not first attack. Duration
 of present attack about 5 months. Suspected
 cause - weak heart. Age on 1st attack 57.
 Treated at Bethlem Hospital. Not E.S. or S.
 1st Certif. Patient suffers from delusions; believes that she
 is not Mrs. Hyde but someone else & that she is very
 wicked & is to be taken away to Kew. She
 is melancholy & has refused food lately,
 asserting that it is not hers, has not been paid
 for or I have attended her since October &
 the mental condition dates from January and
 is becoming worse.

June 15. 98. (Signed) Daniel F. Shearer M.D.
 of 39 Amley Rd. Norwood. S.E.

2nd Certif. corroborates, adding that "she thinks she is
 watched by policemen & others."

June 16. 98. (Signed) W.F. Kennedy M.D.
 15 Crystal Palace Park Rd.
 Sydenham.

Pres. Hist. States that she has ^{and} very good heart at
 the whole - was in Bethlem Hospital she
 thinks, but it must have been many years
 ago. Heart attack said to lasted 5 months; 1st
 attack at the age of 57.

50 mg. Always of a worrying disposition - was since entering
 June in 1950. ~~Disappeared~~ about 75 - found recommended
 about 3 years ago for about 4 months. Lately since 2-3 months. till
 50 mg. since then none until 3 weeks before admission. very
 O.C. 2192 taken as at return "fruit". unnecessary for about 3 hours.
 mental organ's dysfunction in bed for a month afterwards.

Pres. Hist. Said to be well.

Condition on admission: A. Physical

Galley III Pt. is well developed & nourished - rather stout.
 HF Hair white. Eyes grey. Pupils small - react well to
 WC 11/11. L. & A. ^{generally} membranes fair color. Complexion clear
 & healthy looking. Tongue furred. No palpitation,
 inclined to diarrhoea. Teeth: none of her own.
 Lungs - nil Heart. Sounds rather tedious.
 regular. (see below)
 ABD. No tenderness.
 Urine. No alb. Urates. 1024. turbid - very acid



B. Mental Melancholia with hypochondria
 Patient looks unhappy & worried, otherwise of a
 pleasant countenance. Is very quiet & does needlessly.
 She is unhappy chiefly because she is so unable to
 be sure as indispensable. She will not take her
 food because it has not been paid for & is rotten.
 Thinks she was never really married, although the
 ceremony was gone through, & therefore she is not
 Mrs. Hyde. Her memory is poor. Has 4
 faintly fed Sleeps fairly. (60) H.S. 2. 2. 2.

June 16: Stomach washed out today. A little more

June 28. Is somewhat less miserable. but retains her
 11/11 delusions of unworthiness & of poverty - occupies
 herself a little - is taking food rather better - R.O.
 June 28. Pulse a little "intermittent" in character & somewhat
 irregular. So heart was examined last night again
 HAB in 6th space 1" inside M.S. A.C. normal - sound

1960 Sarah Anne Hyde.

Ad. June 14. 98. Wilcox - aged 68. of no occupation. Ch. of England. Previous address 19 Arley Rd. Norwood S.E. Not first attack. duration of present attack about 5 months. Suspected cause - weak heart. Age on 1st attack 57. Treated at Bethlem Hospital. Not E.S. or S.

1st Certif. Patient suffers from delusions; believes that she is not Mrs. Hyde but someone else. That she is very wicked & is to be taken away to Klorlyke. Is melancholy & has refused food lately, asserting that it is not hers, has not been paid for & I have attended her since October. The mental condition dates from January and is becoming worse.

June 13. 98. (Signed) David F. Shearor M.D. of 39 Arley Rd. Norwood S.E.

2nd certif. corroborates, adding that "she thinks she is watched by policemen & others."

June 14. 98. (Signed) W.F. Murray M.D. 18 Crystal Palace Park Rd. Sydenham.

Pres. Hist. States that she has ^{had} very good health as the whole. was in Bethlem Hospital 5 1/2 months, but it must have been many years ago. Heart attack said to be about 5 months, 1st attack at the age of 57.

50 August. Always of a worrying disposition - worse since late June in 1950.

Disappearance about 187 - found remain about 3 years ago for about 4 months. lately living 2 1/2 months. In June 1950 - since then none with 3 weeks before admission. Oct 21. 52. taken ill at station "frigid" - unconscious for about 2 months. agonal signs - in bed for a month afterwards.

Pres. Hist. Said to be well.

General III Pt. is well developed & muscular - rather stout. Hair white. Eyes grey. Pupils small - ^{equal} react well to L.S.A. Mucous membranes ^{generally} fair color. Complexion clear & healthy looking. Tongue furred. No emaciation, inclined to diarrhoea. Teeth: none of her own. Lungs - nil Heart. Sounds rather tickles. regular. (see below) Abd. No tenderness.

Urine: No alb. Urates. 1024. turbid - very acid



B. Mental Melancholia with hypochondriacal

Patient looks unhappy & worried, otherwise of a pleasant countenance. Is very quiet & does needlessly. She is unhappy chiefly because she is so unable to be sure as unpardonable. She will not take her food because it has not been paid for & is not hers. Thinks she was never really married, although the ceremony was gone through, & therefore she is not Mrs. Hyde. Her memory is poor. Has got fairly fed. Sleeps fairly. (64) H. 2. 3. 1950

June 16: Stomach washed out to-day. A little more

June 23. Is somewhat less miserable. but retains her delusions of unworthiness & of poverty - occupies herself a little - is taking food rather better - R.C.D.

June 28. Pulse a little "water hammer" in character & somewhat irregular - so heart was examined last night again. H.A.B. in 6th space 1" inside N.Z. A.C.D. normal - small

Toneless, have a somewhat muffled character - clear at apex. at aortic anasthesis is a rough presystolic murmur, passing into the 1st sound, 2nd & 3rd markedly accentuated. this murmur is only conducted for about 1 inch. Pulse at R.C.D. 84 but is somewhat irregular in force & rhythm. aortic hard, tortuous. so that the above description is probably due to atheroma of the aorta. R.C.D.

- July 4. Continues to state she is "not Mrs. Hyde," & cannot have been properly married - is still fed by spoon & she refuses food, stating she is stealing that of others & cannot possibly pay for it. R.C.D.
- July 12. Somewhat less depressed. R.C.D.
- July 19. Continues to repeat that she is not Mrs. Hyde ^{but} is very troublesome about food - somewhat less depressed but is still almost completely unoccupied. R.C.D.
- Aug. 15. Somewhat less depressed but continues to hold delusion of great sinfulness & reiterates that she is not Mrs. Hyde - still very rarely occupies herself & is still troublesome about food, frequently requiring to be fed by spoon - Pulse more regular than it was. R.C.D.
- Sept. 6. Continues to improve though very slowly - pulse much more steady & somewhat less irritable in character. R.C.D.
- Oct. 31st. Continues much the same - Has been horrible lately with some diarrhoea - but that is now better. Does not eat well. S.C.D.
- 3 March 99. depressed - rarely talks. tho' will generally answer when addressed - occasionally writes dirty - Gets fairly. sleeps well. S.C.D.
- June 22. Unoccupied, & stands about all day - rarely speaks of her own accord but answers questions fairly though her reaction is slow - is rather less depressed

than she was. & is taking food better - Phys: health improved - pulse is much steadier R.C.D.

Sept. 19. Is less actively depressed than she used to be - but is still unoccupied, rarely speaks of her own accord & then only to ejaculate "oh damn or wicked" - is less troublesome about food & has not been wet & dirty of late - Phys: health fair - pulse steadier & stronger. R.C.D.

Dec. 22. Is distinctly less depressed - & has begun to occupy herself a little - will now more often make voluntary remarks & takes some interest in her surroundings - takes food better & is not now wet & dirty - Phys: health improved - pulse much better R.C.D.

March 15. 00. Is less acutely depressed, though she is still energetic ^{there is much} of a personal depression - she occupies herself under supervision & talks a little voluntarily. Has vague delusions of unworthiness, wh: affect her conduct. & unless prevented, she will always stand ("she is too wicked to sit down in the presence of others") she gets no bed at night (should not be comfortably) &c. Phys: health fair - pulse usually steady. R.C.D.

June 9. She has continued less depressed and being quiet and so particular to be told she was discharged today thru home for the authorisation of the petition. Discharged. Relieved.

Discharged June 9. 1900.

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Alice Lewis Street

Ad. June 23. 98 married - aged 46 - wife of baker. Chi. of
 R.O. June 20. 98 Eng. - Pres: address Tubster Restaurant.
 C. ind. July 1. 98 Wokingham Rd. Reading - 1st attack about
 4 months' duration - supposed cause influenza
 of climacteric - not epileptic nor dangerous
 but slightly suicidal -

1st certif: She is suffering from melancholia - she is depressed &
 believes she is forsaken of God & is lost - she says that
 ideas of suicide recur to her mind - she confesses that
 she has put a stocking round her throat & has contemplated
 throwing herself into the river - (cont.) has changed in
 her disposition & has neglected her duties & is restless -
 June 22. 98. (signed) W. W. Poyser
 of Egham -

2nd " corroborates -
 June 24. 98 (signed) Robert Mitchell
 of Priestwood, Bracknell.

Family hist: mother "melancholic"

Pres: hist: Gen: health not good - some uterine trouble, said to
 be "an ulcerated womb" always of a worrying dispⁿ
 Oct. 97. a severe attack of influenza & has never
 been the same since - some business worries of late,
 over which she has brooded. Characteristic of late -
 last 4 months much worse - very depressed - taking
 food badly - not sleeping well - ideas of unpardonable
 sin - restless & unable to do her household duties.
 Has made 3 mild attempts at suicide by trying
 stocking & handkerchief round her throat & trying to strangle
 herself with her fingers - has threatened to drown herself -
 always worst in the early morning -
 not 18 years - children 2¹⁷/₁₅ mis: 0

Condition on AdmissionA Physical

Height P. is small & poorly developed. complexion
 Weight sallow - mucous membranes: somewhat anaemic
 Gallery vi poorly nourished - Eyes grey. pupils
 equal somewhat dilated. react readily to
 L & R, consimulaneously. Has a complete set
 of artificial teeth. Tongue tooth indented,
 somewhat fissured. Constipation 3.0. 2.5.4
 some facial tumour. No P.S. disease in
 thoracic or abdominal organs but heart & a
 are tonused. H.A.B. in 5th space of "inside N.A.
 Kneejoints brisk other reflexes normal.
 P. complains of slight discomfort of flatulency
 1 hour after food. No headache.
 No uterine symptoms. slight to ovarian
 tenderness -

Urine 1022. ac: - some mucus. no alk: blood
 pus but a distinct trace of indican -
 appetite poor. sleeps very lightly.

B. mentel. Melancholia.

P. is somewhat depressed - is apathetic
 & anergic - says she feels that "all life is
 a trouble to her & she can settle to nothing"
 none to having thoughts, having attempted
 suicide but states that now she sees how
 wrong & foolish her attempts were & would
 not like to renew them. Has ideas of
 having committed various crimes but cannot
 detail or specify these. Has an impaired
 memory - no apparent hallucinations nor
 delusions other than above.

June 29. Has considerably improved since admission -
 is much less depressed & occupies herself
 fairly under supervision - Dyspepsia less R.C.D.

Mrs. Stuart, June 27, 98.



Taken June 27, 98

- July 6, 98 Has steadily improved since admission - is less depressed, & automatic, & occupies herself fairly - Phys: health improved - is less anemic & dyspepsia is much less. R.C.D.
- July 12 - Continues to improve steadily. R.C.D.
- July 19 - Much less depressed, & is occupying herself fairly - less anemic & dyspepsia. R.C.D.
- Aug: 15 - Improvement is maintained - she is much less depressed, & automatic - has more initiative, & self reliance - occupies herself well, & states that she "feels quite a different creature to what she did when she came here". Phys: health improved - much less anemic, & the dyspepsia virtually cured. R.C.D.
- Aug: 24 - Improvement maintained - & P. was discharged today.

Discharged Aug: 24, 98

Caroline Matilda Russell (cont'd on p: 46)

- April 10, 1900 Yesterday went to Home Villa - R.C.D.
- June 28 Was seen yesterday at Home Villa - continues very restless & "explosive" - & full of her delusions, & hallucinations? Phys: health appears to be fair - R.C.D.
- July 4 Returned yesterday - somewhat note. R.C.D.
- Aug: 23. Went on leave yesterday - mental condition unchanged. She is restless & "explosive" but makes attempts at occupying herself. The Varicella virus esp: the left sphere have been troublesome, & very large, & left - as she refuses to put up her feet for more than a few minutes at a time, & will not wear a rubber bandage. R.C.D.
- Sept: 20 Said the gonorrhea will abate. R.C.D.
- Dec: 4 Was today discharged from leave.

Discharged Dec: 4, 00

Ellen Norton. married - wife of

Ad. June 20. 98 stockbroker - aged 35. Ch: 9 Eng: - 2nd attack
R.O. " 27. 98 of about 3 weeks' duration. Cause unknown
C. ind. " 28 " age on 1st attack 27. " not E.S. or D.

(not seen) Pres: address Holmstead House, Holmwood, Surrey
1st certif: constantly crying apparently without any reason, then suddenly breaking out laughing. Rambling in conversation, no connection between sentences. No delusory viz: that she is to be summoned for assassination of murder. Has hallucin^{os} of sight & sound viz: sees people looking in at the window & hears people on the roof. (Con?) Troublesome of late - excited in manner, is under the delusion that all the telegraph wires have been cut & all her letters are stopped & that she cannot understand why

June 23. 98 (signed) Hugh Blekenny
of Lonsdale House, Dorking

2nd certif: corroborates
June 25. 98 (signed) J.D. Rawlings M.D.
of Dorking Surrey

Family hist: said to be nil.

Pres: hist: some history of intemperance -

Condition on Admission. A Physical

allergy vii
H?
W?



Pf is well developed & is fairly nourished - ~~muscles~~
fair - ~~muscles~~ somewhat anemic -
Complexion rather callow. Eyes grey - pupils equal,
somewhat dilated. react to L.H. & consensually -
Tongue furred & teeth indented - marked constipation
B.C. 2.5.4 Chest more fairly well. No P.S. of disease
in thoracic or abdominal organs - beyond the fact
that heart sounds are a little toneless. No ovarian
tenderness. Catamenia stated to be regular as a
rule - one period missed about two months ago - last
m.p: about a week ago - profuse. ~~Lower~~ ~~rectal~~ very high
superf: reflexes all brisk - cranial reflex present
Urine 1024 - ac: urates - no alb: blood or pus. ~~Traces of~~
Teeth - fair -
No v. access veins. No headache at present but Pf
states that she is liable to attacks of prostrating
headache lasting 2 or 3 days - not limited to one side &
not accompanied by visual hallucin^{os}.
Some dyspnoea - flatulence & pain after food.

B. Mental - Subacute mania with hallucin^{os}
Pf can talk intelligently & reasonably & can give
a clear account of her mental state - she states that
"feels different to what she did before - her nervous

Ellen Norton. married - wife of

Stockholm - aged 35. Ch: 9 Eng: - 2nd attack of about 3 weeks' duration - Cause unknown
R.O. " 27.98
C. ind. " 28 " age on 1st attack 27 - ^{trichotomies} not E S or D.

Prev. address Holmestade House, Holmwood, Surrey
1st certif: constantly crying apparently without any reason then suddenly bursting out laughing - Rambling in conversation, no connection between sentences. In delirious viz: that she is to be summoned for accusation of murder. Has hallucinations of sight, & sound viz: sees people looking in at the window & hears people on the roof (Cov?)
Troublesome of late - excited in manner, & is in the delirium that all the telegraph wires have been cut, & her letters are stopped, & that she cannot understand why

June 23.98 (signed) Hugh Blekeney of Sandale House, Dorset

coroner's

June 25.98 (signed) J B Rawlings M.B. of Dorset Surrey

Family hist: said to be nil.

Prev. hist: some history of intemperance -

Condition on Admission. A Physical

Gallery VII

H?

W?



Pf is well developed & is fairly nourished - muscles fair - muscles somewhat anemic - Complexion rather sallow. Eyes grey - pupils equal, somewhat dilated - react to L.H. & consensually - Tongue furred & teeth indented - marked constipation B.O. 2.5.4 Chest more fairly well. No P.S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs - beyond the fact that heart sounds are a little toneless - No ovarian tenderness. Catamenia stated to be regular as a rule - one period missed about two months ago - last m.p: about a week ago - profuse. Menstruation very high supinf: reflexes all high - cranial reflex present. Urine 1024 - ac: urates - no alk: blood or pus trace - Teeth - fair - No varicose veins - No headache at present but Pf states that she is liable to attacks of paroxysmal headache lasting 2 or 3 days - not limited to one side & not accompanied by visual hallucinations. Some dyspepsia - flatulence & pain after food -

B. Mental - Subacute mania with hallucinations Pf can talk intelligently & reasonably & can give a clear account of her mental state - she states that "feels different to what she did before - her memory

feel all in a twitter". she "feels irritable & is upset by causes which she would not have noticed 2 or 3 months ago". she can settle to no occupation but feels restless & unsettled. Memory impaired

delusions at times she has delusions that she is followed about by people. & that she is about to be arrested for some crime she feels she has committed. usually murder & assassination. sometimes these ideas are very real, at others she knows them to be delusions.

hallucinations at times she has hallucinations of sight, seeing people look in at the window to arrest her. & she has seen others in the room. She frequently has hallucinations of hearing - rather more marked on the right. these began as a "rushing in the ear" then as "pulsating sound" till they gradually formed themselves into words. now they are very definite words, often more distinct than objective voices, they usually accuse her of some crime usually assassination. at times she knows they are subjective & tries to disregard them, at others they seem very real. She has remarked hallucinations of smell taste & of common sensation. At times she says she becomes excited when she is very suspicious, thinks her letters are stolen or is cutoff from all means of communication with her friends, she feels an utter want her appetite is poor. & she does not sleep well.

July 5. She has considerably improved since admission. but is very variable, worse usually at her wakening in the morning, & improving as the day goes on. Had a bad turn of a few hours on July 1, constantly stating that she was "condemned" & about to be tortured - appetite impaired. R.C.D.

July 8. Says she is about to be imprisoned & when asked for her reason for so saying, states that her blankets had a 2 on them. R.C.D.

July 15. Eyes examined today - slight myopia
 $V = R^c - T$ at 10 inches = T_2
 Somewhat less apprehensive & delusions less marked than on last note. R.C.D.

Aug: 15. Has distinctly improved - she has brightened up considerably, occupies herself fairly well, & takes an interest in all that goes on around her - she is sleeping & eating fairly well. She states that the aural hallucinations have almost passed off & that they now rarely amount to words. She is still somewhat emotionally unstable & is readily depressed & elated by trivial causes & is still at times somewhat apprehensive. R.C.D.

Sept: 7. Has steadily improved since the last note - is now cheerful & equable - has much more self reliance & has apparently lost the feeling of apprehension. Today went on leave with a nurse to Shiptonville R.C.D.

Nov: 29. Was today discharged from leave - husband writing to say that she is keeping well.

Discharged Nov: 29. 98.

Constance Brittenworth (cont'd p: 34)

7⁵13¹/₂ she is somewhat less stuporous, & is taking a faint interest in her surroundings - she eats voluntarily & can dress & undress herself under supervision - she however is incapable of conversation, though she can answer easy questions with slow reaction & of useful occupation. Phys health fair - catamenia re established RCD.

Dec: 19
7⁵13 She continues to very slowly improve - she can now sometimes do simple needlework & looks about her a little - she still rarely speaks voluntarily though she will give monosyllabic replies to simple questions - Phys health improved c.r. since Feb: - RCD.

March 16. 01
7⁵19 The improvement is maintained but is not increased - she rarely speaks & does not always answer the simplest questions - Phys health good - A. last 3 months - RCD.

June 21.
7⁵23 Continues somewhat less stuporous - she can now dress & undress herself, do simple needlework under supervision & feeds herself but she still rarely speaks & can only answer the simplest questions & then very slowly - Phys health good c.r. since last visit RCD.

July 17 -
Aug: 10 Went on July 2 to Honesville RCD
Returned yesterday - looks well physically but mentally continues unchanged - very childish, weak-minded & stuporous - RCD

Sept: 16.
7⁵24 Continues very stuporous - does not speak voluntarily & her reaction to questions is very slow, her replies never more than a mere yes or no - she continues to feed & dress herself under supervision but has absolutely no initiative. Phys health good - c.r. RCD.

Dec: 31 continues very automatic & stuporous. Phys health good - c.r. RCD.

March 22. 02
7⁵24 continues automatic & stuporous - rarely speaks & then only in answer to a very simple question & in monosyllables. Phys health good - c.r. RCD.

June 26.
7⁵24¹/₂ continues quite unwell - Phys health good - c.r. RCD.

Sept: 18.
7⁵25¹/₂ continues very childish & automatic - hardly ever speaks & is incapable of useful occupation - Phys: health good - c.r.: RCD - Pt. much the same. C³. am R.

Feb. 15. 1903
6⁵12¹/₂

March 12.
7⁵25¹/₂ Automatic & stuporous. unoccupied & picks her hands - has lately begun to talk a little to herself in meaningless phrases. Phys health good but her circulation is poor - c.r. RCD.

June 30.
7⁵26

Aug: 29.
7⁵27

continues unchanged. Phys health improved RCD
Talks to herself in a low monotonous croon & the words being meaningless - picks her hands & requires to be attended to like a young child - Phys health fair - c.r. RCD.

Nov: 28.
7⁵28 Was yesterday transferred to the Manor, Epsom - was examined before leaving & found to be in good physical condition & free from marks or lesions - RCD.

Discharged Nov: 27. 03

uncontrollable laughter - She is occupying a little less of herself with dreaming in her hands folded in her lap, & a foolish vacant smile on her face - She is sleeping better - R

Sept: 6. Has improved since last note & the fits of silly uncontrollable laughter are less frequent than they were. She occupies a little more, is a little less childish, & a little more sensible. Phys health fair - RCD

Dec: 31st 7059 Continues as above note. RCD
28th Feb. 99. Continues to improve. The last month has been working in the new room. Much more occupied & less childish & silly. Physical health improvement is maintained. EWS

27th March 705^{1/2} Improvement continues. but she is weaker & sillier & erratic - Phys health good & she is sleeping well - amensurable - RC

Sept: 19- Continues weak-minded, silly & erratic - has initiative or power of decision, is very active & silly - occupies herself fairly & amensurable supervision - Phys health good - m: 1. R regular last 2 months after 5 months amenon

Jan: 10. 1900 Is weak-minded & silly but is somewhat less erratic than she was - occupies herself fairly well. sleeps & eats well. Phys health good - catamenia now fairly regular - RCD

March 15. On the whole is less erratic & occupies herself well. is weak-minded & childish & if left to herself sits unoccupied & vacantly at nothing. Phys health good catamenia again irregular. RCD

June 28. Continues weak-minded, childish but is less erratic & occupies herself fairly well and supervision - Phys health good. RCD

July 4 Went yesterday to Hareville RCD

Aug: 2 Returned today - quite unchanged. RCD

Sept: 24 Weak-minded but occupies herself well - is much less erratic - Phys health good - catamenia now re established

Dec: 31 Weak-minded & childish but there is less mental confusion & she occupies herself well under supervision - Phys health good - she is less fat, having lost 17 1/2 lbs this year with advantage. cat: reg. RCD

March 19. 01 Continues as on last note - c. r. - continues to lose weight but is still well rounded RCD

June 21. She is now in her usual state of weak-mindedness - she is cheerful, occupies herself well under supervision & her conduct is much less erratic & impulsive - there is still some mental confusion Phys health good - c. r. RCD

July 17. Went on July 2 to Hareville RCD

Aug: 10. Returned yesterday - as on last note. Phys health good. RCD

Sept: 16 Is going on very well. is weak-minded but cheerful & amenable & occupies herself well under supervision - talks concerning on easy topics & her conduct is reasonable. Phys health very fair - c. r. RCD

Dec: 31. Continues as above - works well in simple museum - is amenable & quiet - Phys health good - A 3 RCD

March 22. 02 Unsettled - weak-minded but cheerful & there is much less mental confusion - & her conduct is reasonable though somewhat childish & autocratic Phys health good. RCD

June 26. Continues as on last note - A 1 RCD

July 22. Was yesterday discharged - Discharged July 21. 02

1970 Mary Frances Holland Ross
Ad^t July 1. 98 married - wife of laundry proprietor - aged
RO. 44 - of no occupation - Ch: 3; Eng: - Pres:
C in cl. address Brightfield - Inver Heath - Bucks -
not 1st attack - age on 1st attack 42. This
attack has been almost continuous since -
nowhere punisively treated - Cause "rapid
child bearing" - not E. S. O. D.

1st certif:

She is constantly writing letters to all kinds of people
containing absurd & most unreasonable matter - She
says she writes to the Queen because she considers the
Queen ought to sleep with the children. She writes because
she cannot resist the impulse - She denies that her
husband is her husband, although she admits they were married
in church - she wanders about the country by herself &
refuses to have a companion & is absolutely uncontrolled
in her movements.

June 29. 98. (signed) John Davidson
of 57, 3 Andrews. Washbridge

2nd "

corroborates.

June 29. 98 (signed) H. Stedwell
of Monsey. Washbridge

Trinity Hist:

Two uncles witnesses -

Pres: Hist:

Always nervous & of a nervous disposition
M^t 16 years - 1st pregnancy a severe miscarriage
children 10¹⁴/₂₅ has never been really right
since her last child was born - 25 years ago -
restless - talkative & will talk herself of late much
more - has had some financial worries & late
writing innumerable letters to various people
unknown to me - some of a very scurrilous character -
moving at night &c.

husband denies any history of ~~intemperance~~,
beyond that "of ordinary people."

Condition on Admission & Physical
Gallery W: P: is fairly developed & is fairly nourished,
H: though she is thin - complexion somewhat
W: sallow - muscles none - acromioclavicular - Hair dark
pilo equal,
A, consciousness
constipation
lesions in
& a blurring
sensory
somewhat
normal.

The Sematorium.
St. Anne's Heath.
Perpinnia Water.
July 9. 1898.
My dear Susan.
"Then are Mr. & Mrs. Perkins
& I going to be married?
It is the voice & it is the
music that links the threads of progress
with the Past, not the
pierced heart & womanly side
of womanhood to bear ^{by reference to}
own suffering & heavy ^{homograph}
they seem
Yours faithfully
M. L. Ross.

of more or less ~~conversations~~ -
veering towards melancholy, constantly
repeating the same phrases & sentences. Her
attention is rapid - She states that she has not
felt herself for some time - that her husband has
completely changed & late & that she is not sure that
he is her husband, though she admits that they were
legally married - She admits having written to

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Mary Frances Holland Ross

Ad^d July 1. 98
RO.
C ind.

married - wife of laundry proprietor - aged 44 - of no occupation - Ch: 9 by: - Pres: address Brightfield - Inner Heath - Bucks - not 1st attack - age on 1st attack 42. This attack has been almost continuous since - mother furiously treated - Cause "rapid child bearing" - Not E.S.O.D.

1st certij:

She is constantly writing letters to all kinds of people containing absurd & most unreasonable matter. She says she writes to the Queen because she considers the Queen ought to keep her & the children. She writes because she cannot resist the impulses - She denies that her husband is her husband, although she admits they were married in Church - she wanders about the country by herself & refuses to have a companion & is absolutely uncontrolled in her movements.

June 29. 98. (signed) John Davidson of 57 St Andrews, W. bridge

conductor.

June 29. 98 (signed) H. Stowell of Monmouth, W. bridge

Family hist:

Two uncles insane -

Pres: hist:

Always nervous & of a nervous disposition. Mt 16 years - 1st pregnancy & severe miscarriage children 10-14 has never been really right since her last child was born - 2 1/2 years ago - restless - talkative & writes herself - of late much more - has had some financial worries & late writing innumerable letters to various people unknown to us - some of a very scurrilous character - moving at night etc.

husband denies any history of ~~intemperance~~, beyond that "of ordinary people."

Condition on Admission

Galley 4th H: W: PF is fairly developed & is fairly minded, somewhat

To the Queen of England & Empress of India. Windsor Castle.

Ms. H. P.

The Sanatorium, No 200 St. Anne's Road, Virginia Water. July 9. 1898.

My dear Queen.

When are you going to be married? It is the voice & it is the music, that links the heart with the heart, not the pierced heart & wounded spirit. A woman has to bear her own suffering & heavy heart these years.

Yours faithfully M. F. H. Ross.

legally married - She admits having written to

is - Hair dark pupils equal, & A, consciousness - constipation disease in and a blurring (nausea) somewhat as normal. of fingers. containing flow conversation - constantly enters. Her that she heard her husband has she is not sure that they were

1970

Mary Frances Holland Ross -

Ad^d July 1. 98

RO.

C ind.

married - wife of laundry proprietor - aged 44 - of no occupation - Ch: 5 Eng. - Pres: address Brightfield - Iwer Heath - Bucks. - not 1st attack - age on 1st attack 42. This attack has been almost continuous since - nowhere pharmically treated - Cause "rapid child bearing" - not E.S.O.D.

1st certif:

She is constantly writing letters to all kinds of people containing absurd & most unreasonable matter. She says she writes to the Queen because she considers the Queen ought to keep her 5th children. She writes because she cannot resist the impulses. She denies that her husband is her husband, although she admits they were married in Church - she wanders about the country by herself & refuses to have a companion & is absolutely uncontrolled in her movements.

June 29. 98.

(signed) John Danden of 57 St Andrews, Walsbyrg

corroborate.

June 29. 98

(signed) H Stedwell of Monsey, Walsbyrg

Trinity Hist:

Two uncles witnesses -

Pres: Hist:

Always nervous & of a nervous disposition. At 16 years - 1st pregnancy & severe miscarriage children 10¹⁴ - 25 has never been really right since her last child was born - 25 years ago - restless - talkative & writes herself - of late much worse - has had some financial worries & late writing numerous letters to various people unknown to me - some of a very scurrilous character - many at night etc.

husband denies any history of intemperance, beyond that "of ordinary people."

Condition on Admission

Physic

Galley W^y

H:

W:

Pf is fairly developed & is fairly nourished, though she is thin - complexion somewhat sallow. ~~muscular~~ muscles: anemic - Hair dark long & straight. Eyes grey - pupils equal, rather dilated - react readily to light, consensually. Tongue furred & teeth indented - Constipation B.O. 1/2 She presents no P.S.G disease in thoracic or abdominal viscera, beyond a blurring of 1st sound at P.A (due to the anemia) Catamenia said to be regular - somewhat profuse - no dysmenorrhoea. Knee-jerk brisk - other reflexes normal. Urine

Tremor of facial muscles, tongue & of fingers.

Utterly refractory to photography.

B- Mental

Subacute mania.

Pf talks volubly & with a continuous flow of more or less disconnected conversation - veering towards incoherence & constantly repeating the same phrases & sentences. Her attention is rapid - She states that she has not "felt herself for some time" - that her husband has completely changed & late & that she is not sure that he is her husband, though she allows that they were legally married - She admits having written to

the Queen & various other high personages unknown to her, making various claims upon them - says that she thinks the Queen should support her & her family but can give no reason for her so doing - She says that she has numerous uncontrolled impulses, to which she "must give way" or she would burst - these urge her to write innumerable letters, towards about 20. She is restless & can settle to no occupation. Her memory is impaired - She admits having been noisy & restless at night, wandering about the room & house & frequently starting out, says she cannot prevent herself from screaming at times. Her appetite is fitful.

July 7.

She continues talkative & elated with rapid ideation & is noisy at night. R.C.D.

July 15.

Was today transferred to S. Andrew's

Discharged July 15. 98.

Katie Maud (cont'd p. 16)

Dec: 31

709 1/2

She continues restless & unoccupied - is continually roaming up & down the gallery, airing coat rubbing her hands together, asking when the next train goes back to London - Hallucinations of sight & hearing are much less vivid than they were - but there is marked mental confusion & loss of memory - Phys. health somewhat improved, she now sleeps & eats well - after long anorectic & indolent period on Nov 17 - Has gained 9 1/2 lbs this year. R.C.D.

March 19. 01

705 1/11

Continues as on last note - eats well, is sleeping much better - continues to gain weight. A. R.C.D.

June 21

705 1/3

+2

She continues weak-minded with much mental confusion - & has numerous delusions (that her children are here & being tortured in neighbouring rooms, that "awful doom" are to happen to her & her family, that all her relatives are here & so) & hallucinations of hearing - she is restless & is continually asking for the "next train to London" - but she now occasionally occupies herself a little under supervision - Phys. health good - A. R.C.D.

Sept: 16.

705 1/11

Dec: 31

Continues as on last note - Phys. health good & quite unchanged - Phys. health good & she sleeps & eats well - R.C.D.

March 22. 02

705 1/11

Almost unoccupied - is restless & starts constantly going up to everyone & asking them the next train to London - Retains her delusions & hallucinations of hearing - Phys. health good - R.C.D.

June 26.

705 1/11

Sept: 18.

705 1/8

Dec: 30.

Continues as on last note. A. R.C.D.

Continues quite unaltered - Phys. health good R.C.D.

She continues as above. R.C.D.

Mar: 16: 95.
RCD 750 2 1/2
March 12: 650 1/2

Pt. remains in same condition delirium persistent. Physical health good. AAR. Continues restless & unoccupied, with many delusions (of her children being on the roof, of imminent torture to herself & others) is continually asking for the next train to London. Phys. health good. RCD.

June 20.
Aug: 26
Nov: 24.
750 3/4
750 1/2



Unchanged RCD. As on above note RCD. Restless & unoccupied with marked delusions as above & hallucinations of sight & hearing - Phys. health good - RCD. She continues unaltered RCD.

March 04

May 25.
750 6

Restless & very deluded & the hallucinations of sight & hearing are very marked. She sees her children on the roof - hears them talk outside the door etc. Phys. health good. RCD.

Aug: 20.
750 7
Nov: 15.
750 7 1/2

She continues as on last note - very deluded quite unoccupied with hallucinations of sight & hearing RCD. She continues restless & unoccupied & full of delusions & hallucinations - she sees men & her children on the roof though she will admit at the same time that what she sees is a chimney-foot. she hears her children call to her - she is continually asking for the next train to London. Phys. health good. RCD.

Dec: 3.

Was discharged yesterday - was examined before leaving (by next train) & found to be free from marks or lesions

Discharged Dec: 2. 04

March 22
950 3.

Agnes Elizabeth Millmore from page 61. She has been much less excited lately, still quite unoccupied. She is often very restless at night requiring a hypodermic (see final page) (Adams) Regulus. 5/10/97

1968. Matilda Robertson Milligan.

Ad. June 30. 98 single - aged 79 - of no occupation - Presby Termin
R.O. " " " Pres: address. St Ann's Heath, Virginia Water as
Cin 7 July 1 " V.B. 1st attack of doubtful duration - supposed
cause old age - nowhere previously treated -
not S. E. or D.

1st certif: There is loss of mental power. Her memory is ^{very} defective
she does not know where she is, nor her age - & cannot give
a proper account of herself. She says she has just come from
Scotland, which is not true. She is talkative & scoldish
is very suspicious of intimacy

June 22. 98 (signed) Wm W. Floyer

2nd " corroborates of Egham -

June 24. 98 (signed) Robert Nuttall
of Bracknell -

Family Hist. very good - P's comes of a long kind family.
F. died of apoplexy at 77 - Mother at 81. of old age
& grand parents averaged 82 yrs: at death & all of
"kept their faculties to within a week or two of death"

Pres: Hist. Has gradually lost her memory of late, has become
garrulous & childish - had influenza 3 yrs: ago &
mild attacks each winter since - Has been worse
past few months - frequently wet - restless - & requires
constant attention - memory failing more -
Was admitted as V.B. March 16. 98 (see XT. p. 99)
has become more restless & it was thought better
to certify her -

Condition on Admission A Physical

Galley III P.F. is a strong looking old lady, walks firmly
H.F. Spc: considering her years (about 80) is well
W.F. 9688 marbled, though somewhat flabby - Eyes grey
marked arcs senilis in both. pupils equal but
small, react fairly to L & R conversually.
H.F. rds fair - aortic 2nd sound somewhat accentuated

Pulse a little hard, tension rather +. H.A.B. is
probably in 5th space but is difficult to localize on
account of her stoutness. Knee-jerk brisk - all
reflexes present. constipated unless carefully
treated - Tongue fairly clean - Frequently
wet ^{occasionally} & dirty. Urine 10:8 ac: clear, slight
cloud of albumen - Uruckles show slight
arthritic (senile) changes. Has occasional
slight "bilious attacks" - is slightly deaf.

M. R. Milligan.



Taken July 1. 98

B. Mental. Senile dementia.
P.F. is a cheerful talkative old lady - she
is somewhat restless, rarely sitting down
but trotting about the gallery nearly all day,
chattering to her friends. She is quite ~~incapable~~
quite incapable of reading but will look at
pictures for a few minutes. Can answer
questions & occasionally makes rather smart
remarks. She has little or no memory, not
knowing the day of the week, nor the month of the year,
& cannot remember a name she has just been
told - nor often even her own Christian name.
She has no idea of time or place. Having
been here for over 3 months, she states that she
came from Scotland yesterday - She is untidy &
requires to be dressed & often undressed. She is
inattentive to the calls of nature & is often wet &

July 7. sometimes dirty. Continues quite unchanged R.C.D.
 July 15. Continues cheerful but is unoccupied, restless with almost complete loss of memory - Phys health fair - R.C.D.
 July 30. No change since admittance. (63) M.H. Cucksham
 Aug: 28. continues in a state of senile dementia - unoccupied but of rooms restlessly about the gallery of court - cheerful & continually taking inquiring journeys to Scotland R.C.D.
 Sept: 19. quite unchanged. R.C.D.
 Oct: 20. Senile dementia: restless & unoccupied R.C.D.
 Dec: 31. Continues as above - S.C.S.
 28th Feb. 99. Very cheerful & talkative - no memory of - quite unoccupied. S.C.S.
 15 March. No change. S.C.S.
 June 2. unchanged - restless & unoccupied with no memory - cheerful & talkative - hoards up little "treasures" (often rubbish) in a bag which she always carries about with her - occasionally wet & dirty & requires constant care in this respect. Her inquiring journeys to Scotland are not taken as frequently as they were. Phys health fair - but she has occasional "bilious" headaches. R.C.D.



Sept: 19. Quite unchanged since last note. R.C.D.
 Dec: 27. continues in a state of cheerful senile dementia - Phys health good - but there is marked ataxia causing occasional headaches & she is liable to mild attacks of bronchitis - R.C.D.
 March 26. 00. Continues as on last note - she has lately begun to do a little easy needlework - Phys health

good for her age - R.C.D.
 July 4. She continues in a state of senile dementia cheerful & bright, very sociable & interested in anything around her but with no memory & is quite incapable of occupation or of conversation on any but the easiest topics Phys health good - R.C.D.
 Sept: 24. Continues quite unaltered - Phys health excellent for her years (81) but she has occasional attacks of headache & giddiness, probably due to ataxia - R.C.D.
 Dec: 31. Dementia - unoccupied & incapable of conversation but is interested in all that goes on & is a great gossip, though with no memory - Phys health good - some over 81 - has had less headaches of late - R.C.D.
 March 19. 01. Continues as on last note - R.C.D.
 June 21. Continues unchanged - in a state of senile dementia - Phys health good - R.C.D.
 Sept: 16. Unchanged - unoccupied & has no memory - is somewhat restless but usually bright & cheerful. Phys health good for her years, (she was 82) but she has aged of late. R.C.D.
 Dec: 31. As on last note R.C.D.
 March 22. 02. Senile dementia - happy & cheerful Phys health good - R.C.D.
 June 26. Unoccupied - restless - very garrulous. Her conversation being rambling & disconnected - requires to have much done for her Phys health good for her age (83) R.C.D.
 Sept: 18. As on last note - in a state of partial senile dementia - Phys health good for her age R.C.D.
 Dec: 15. 03. Pt. has had a cold & has been in bed - is now better than she has been in conversation (at 84) and

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Letitia Catharine White

Ad. July 8. 98 single - aged 32 - of no occupation -
Ch: of Eng: - Pres: address St. Peter's Vicarage
R.O. " " " " " "
C. ind. " 9. " Paddington - 2nd attack of about one's

of months duration - Age on 1st attack 27
Previously treated at S. Luke's Hospital, London
in Sept: 793 Cause unknown - not E.S.D.

1st entry: She is very excited & violent - States she is
possessed by evil spirits; that she is the cause of
all the sufferings of the people about her, & that
her soul is lost.

July 6. 98. (signed) W.T. Drew

of Egham, Surrey

2nd " She sits with her eyes fixed on the ground in an
acutely depressed state - after great difficulty as
ascribed is she in misery I gather to answer questions
& she tells me that through her fearful wickedness
she has killed her mother who came down today as
a matter of fact to see her.

July 6. 98

(signed) Robert Ormrod
of Priestwood, Bracknell.

Pres: Hist: At 11 months menstruated regularly for 10 months -
then not again for 10 years - when it came on regularly
was always backward at her lessons, but strong
& energetic - At 15 went to school at Verney - at 18
had some dysmenorrhoea for 3 months & amenorrhoea
for 2 or 3 years - At 27 mentally bad - excited with
marked dilatation of pupils - in S. Luke's for 7 months -
got suddenly well & catamenia regular - 5 or 6 yrs.
well - 9 late has been dreaming of odd - hyperchlored
has developed ideas that it was her duty to marry
her cousin - admitted as V.B.

Playa violin - pain; humminium - parite & embrioides

Family Hist: Uncle mine after amputation

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Condition on Admission - Gallery III.

A. Physical

Pf: is well developed & well nourished -
muscles fairly developed but flabby -
Complexion pale muddy & sallow - Hair light
brown - soft fine & abundant. Eyes grey
pupils equal & react readily to L.A. &
consensually - markedly dilated - She
presents no P.S. of disease in thoracic or
abdominal organs - There is a marked
tendency to constipation, controlled with
difficulty - Tongue still furred but
clearing at the edges - Mucous membr:
somewhat anaemic - No ovarian tenderness -
no P.V. made (see pres: hist) as it was
not thought advisable - Knee jerks brisk,
other reflexes exaggerated.

Urine

Catamenia - see pres: hist: last period 23rd June

B. Mental

Pf: was depressed anergic & indolent,
when she came in - with morbid ideas of
great sinfulness - see Boarder book II. p121
She has rapidly grown worse - the morbid
vague ideas of crime have developed into
a delusion that she has killed her mother -
she states that she is "possessed by a devil"

"sheds an evil influence around her" - she declares that the people in her gallery look quite different since she came to it, & she is the cause of "all the trouble here of all the people". This afternoon she suddenly began to violently scream, yelling out "oh stop the train, stop the train" - could give no reason for so doing (Hallor² of hearing) was moved into Gallery V. She sleeps badly & has a poor appetite.

July 14. Has quieted down considerably. Still very depressed & is still unoccupied & very apprehensive with delusions of great sinfulness. R.C.D.

" 30 Very much improved. Is depressed, & is always begging to be allowed to go home.

Occupies herself a little. (R.C.D.) Mrs. Crickbank

Aug: 10. Has much improved, is less depressed & occupies herself fairly - she has lost the delusion that she has killed her mother but she is still morbid with ideas of great sinfulness & continues to think that she sheds an evil influence around her - she is sleeping rather better though she is still often restless & is taking food pretty well. R.C.D.

Aug: 22. Very variable - occupies herself fairly but is still full of morbid ideas of paranoia, though the actual delusions of fixed crimes have gone. R.C.D.

Sept: 6. Is improving - is more equable & less morbid occupies herself well. R.C.D.

Sept: 19. On the whole has considerably improved - is more equable, less depressed, talks less of her delusions of unworthiness & occupies herself fairly - but is still morbid & apprehensive - yesterday was upset by hearing a time "how sweet home" threw herself on the sitting room floor, screamed kicked & sobbed - resumed after a short rest. R.C.D.

Oct: 12. Last 2 or 3 days has been very silly & confused & wandering restlessly about the gallery, rambling in a confused sort of way about her "unjust detention here" - very childish & weak-minded. Today her m: p: came on. [17 since June 22] R.C.D.

Nov: 8. Has improved since last note but is still very dazed & emotionally unstable. Today went on leave. R.C.D.

Nov: 9. This morning her father telegraphed for two nurses to fetch her back as she was very noisy at home continually abusing all her people - so she returned today & went to N° 6. R.C.D.

Nov: 21. Has been very dazed confused depressed & sullen since she returned - very emotional & crying readily on little or no provocation sleeping badly - today went to Harroville. R.C.D.

31 Jan. 99. Discharged 6:24 from Harroville. R.C.D.

Discharged. 31 Jan. 99.

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Maudie Robertson Milligan (cont'd from p. 66)

March 14. 03. Continues in a state of senile dementia - has little or no memory - conversation rambling & disconnected - is restless & unoccupied - Phys: health good for her age - nearly 84. R.C.D.

June 30.



Continues unwell - has lately opened her right ankle. R.C.D. Ankle lay since well - she slowly fails mentally & bodily - but is still up all day & out for a few hours when the weather is suitable - she is less restless than she was & now does a little in the day time - R.C.D.

Aug: 29
85 2 1/2

Nov: 24.
85 5 1/2

She continues quite unchanged - but that she is a little more feeble, consequently is less restless than she was - R.C.D.

Feb: 29. 04.
85 7 1/2

Slowly becoming more feeble body & mind - no more R.C.D.

May 25.
85 8

Continues in a state of senile dementia - slowly failing - is more somnolent than she was. R.C.D.

Aug: 30
85 8

She sleeps most of the day & now rarely speaks - R.C.D.

Nov: 16.
85 6

She continues in a state of senile dementia - does away much of the day - has no memory, addresses everyone as "Dolly" - Phys: health good for her age - now nearly 84 R.C.D.

Jan. 18. 1905
85 7

Patient does by the fire most of the day - her memory is quite gone and she addresses everyone as Dolly. Her physical health is good. S.M.R. She continues unwell - S.M.R.

March 14
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Holloway Sanatorium Hospital,
Virginia Water

NOTICE OF DEATH

In pursuance of Reception Order, the 30th day of June 1898. hereby give you Notice, That Maudie Robertson Milligan late Patient, received into this Hospital on the 30th day of June 1898, died therein on the 13th day of July 1906

Signed W. D. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer.

Dated the 12th day of July 1906 One-Thousand

To the Commissioners in Lunacy.

STATEMENT RESPECTING THE ABOVE-NAMED PATIENT.

Name - Maudie Robertson Milligan
Age - female 87
Married, single, or widowed - single
Profession or occupation - none
Place of abode immediately before being placed under care and treatment (if known) - 43 Schubert Road Putney
Probable cause of death - Senile Decay

Other or not ascertained by post-mortem examination - no.

Are there any unusual circumstances attending the death; also a description of any injuries known to exist at time of death or found subsequently on body of deceased - 9.15 a.m. No unusual circumstances. No marks or bruises.

Signature of disease of which patient died -

Names and description of persons present at the death - Miss Maudie Francis Lady Maud

Whether or not mechanical restraint was applied to deceased within seven days previously to death, with its character and duration, if so applied - no

Signed W. D. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer.

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- June 26 Patient continues in a state of senile dementia
 9th 66 failing gradually in bodily strength but still
 able to go out a little. Appetite good. S.H.P.
- Sept. 11 There is no mental change. Physically she fails
 11th 81 gradually. S.H.P.
- Dec. 19 Patient continues unacted gradually failing physically
 1906 March 25 Patient fails gradually but is able to spend the
 day in her chair and to walk about the room
 with assistance. Her appetite is good. S.H.P.
- April 25 Patient has been ⁱⁿ for two days (evening temperature
 the 102° F now 99° F) with a slight cough and
 loud asthmatic breathing. Expiration is prolonged
 all over the chest. There are signs of slight
 consolidation of the middle lobe of the right lung
 and coarse crepitations at the bases of both
 lungs. S.H.P.
- May 28 Patient still in bed gradually growing weaker, temp
 rising at night frequently to 101° F, 100° F or 99° F
 morning. The abdominal expectorant mixture has been
 changed to a mixture of Nymphone and Algidin.
 Physical signs in the lungs are unchanged. S.H.P.
- June 3 Since last note patient has improved - is less
 cyanosed somewhat brighter and has improved
 nourishment well. S.H.P.
- June 26 Patient continues to fail gradually - gets very
 breathless after any exertion. S.H.P.
- 1906 July 13 Patient sunk gradually and died this morning
 Died. S.H.P.

1974

Florence Howson - single

Ad. July 9. 98 aged 27. Ch: 5 Eng. - Pres: address Clifton Road
R.D. " 9. 98 Wallington - Surrey. 2nd attack of about 3 months
Cind. " 11. 98 duration - age on 1st attack 21, then treated at Helling
Sanatorium Sept 1886 to Jan 89. Cause unknown
not E.S. or D.

1st certif: She sits steadily staring in front of her, if spoken to,
makes attempts to utter sounds but will not speak.
Told to get up, walks she obeys in a mechanical
manner only (cont) will not get out of bed. most
often will not dress herself, never speaks. when mad
to go out of doors, gets excitable - is morose, most
irritable in manner with her relatives -

July 7. 98 (signed) W. Giffner
of The Poplars, Wallington

2nd " corroborates.

July 7. 98 (signed) W.S. M.S. Doyall
of Wallington

Family hist:

Mother had a paralytic stroke 4 yrs ago - bedridden since

Pres: hist:

Always rather silent & morose.
Was here as P.F. Sept 88 to Jan 89 - see large book 176.
excited - discharged recovered & went on fairly well
for about 2 years. then had a "slight relapse" not bad
enough to be sent away from home. Has been depressed
of late, unoccupied & very indolent - has of late
years had much nursing to do for her mother,
who is bedridden - refuses to go out - last month
refused to get out of bed - will often not dress
herself - excited at times.

Condition on Admission -

A. Physical -

Galley's P.F. is a pale sickly looking girl - poorly
developed & poorly nourished - complexion sallow
H's muscles poorly: anemic - muscles poor &
W's flabby - markedly especially about the shoulders
Anemic heart somewhat dilated - H.A.B. in 5th space 1/2"

inside N.L. dulness to R. edge of sternum -
sounds turbid - faint systolic soft bruit at
apex & at P.A. Venous hum in jugulars -
Pulse 64 - soft - Chest moves poorly &
entry of air is poor. no adventitious sounds -
No P.S.G. drives in abdomen - Flatulence -
Urine

Catamenia

Constipation - colon packed with faeces.

Eyes

pupils dilated - react to light &
concomitantly - horizontal fair - other reflexes
normal -



B. Mental. Melancholia cum stupore.

P.F. is dull listless & anergic - sits for hours
with hands folded in her lap, staring in front of her
in a vacant foolish manner - quite unresponsive
very automatic in her actions - when told to walk
slowly obeys but mechanically puts one foot in
front of another & moves like a machine - if asked to
put out her tongue or move her hand, there is a
distinct interval before the movement is effected -

takes an immense time to dress herself & requires much assistance in the process - eats very slowly & requires constant urging & persuasion. Carabati very slow - will not speak & will rarely answer questions & then only very slowly & in monosyllables. sleeps badly - (probably on account of flatulency)

July 15.

Is improving - less stuporous & averse & at times somewhat excited - rather apprehensive - taking food rather better than she did -

R.C.D.

July 25.

Sleeping & eating better. Still very dazed, hardly ever speaks, movements very slow.

Aug. 1st

Condition as before.

(03) M.H. Cruikshank

Aug. 10.

still dazed confused & stuporous. carabati though still very slow, has somewhat improved since admission.

R.C.D.

Sept. 6.

Very dazed & confused - does not speak - movements all quite automatic - there is marked rigidity of the muscles - especially at elbow joints - slight tremor of smaller muscles & some exophthalmos - has to be attended to in all respects like a baby - washed dressed & fed & is quite unresponsive to the calls of nature R.C.D.

Sept. 19.

Considerably improved last few days - less dazed & confused - feeds herself & clothes - talks a little & willingly answers questions - occupies herself a little - Eyes examined - Refraction = -10 D discs congested - to rest her eyes & then glasses in a wk. $V = -$ J^2 at 3" R.C.D.

Oct. 20.

Has much improved - is bright & cheerful, takes an interest in all that goes on - occupies herself well - Eyes yet improved - $V = -$ J^1 at 8" - reads & works well with - 10 D - discs examined today & congestion has passed

Nov: 4. off under treatment
was discharged - recovered today.

R.C.D.

Discharged Nov: 4. 98.

[Faint, illegible handwriting in cursive script, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. The text is mirrored across the page.]

1975 Sybil Mary Trenchard Pickard

Ad^d July 11. 98
R.O.
Cin. L. (urgency)

Single - aged 25. of no occupation -
Chi of Eng. - Pres: address 5 Canterbury Road
Oxford - 1st attack of about 10 days' duration -
supposed cause "overstrain" from learning Nursing
in Hospital - 1st attack - not epileptic but
doubtfully suicidal & occasionally violent -
speaks incoherently, lies in bed rocking to & fro in an
aimless way. Imagines she is unable to rise except
her head is supported on one hand. Has delusions viz:
imagines she had a bug for breakfast. (cont) imagines
she is followed by detectives, that God is in the garden
& that she must go to Him - tried to force a handkerchief in the
mouth & to jump out of window.

July 11. 98 (signed) W.T. Brooks
of 32 Holywell St. Oxford.

2nd " She is acutely insane, morose excited & incoherent.

July 11. 98 (sd) Robert Mitchell
of Priestwood - Bracknell.

Family hist. Sister here as P^r see casebook vii p:117. acute
mania (suicidal) May 1904 to Sept. 04. discharged 4p:95

Pres: hist. Always somewhat excitable, easily up & down. is a
clever girl - 4(1/2) yrs ago in Holloway College for 1/2 years
became somewhat morbid then - Last year Sept. 07
developed tetanus after a trivial abrasion on hand -
treated by anti tetanic serum (in Oxford) & recovered -
Lately became somewhat anemic & run down -
weeks ago went as probationer to Hsp. -
broke down - became sleepless - removed home - &
developed acute mania - tried to jump out of window
& to force handkerchief in mouth -

Condition on Admission - A. Physical

Gallery V P^r is fairly developed, some scoliosis -
H^c muscles flabby - complexion pale & sallow -
W^c mucous ~~membr~~: anemic - Hair light, stringy
& abundant - Tongue furred & teeth indented,
breath very foul - Heart 0.40 tonsils - ACD
& H&B normal - faint venous bruit in jugular
Eyes grey - pupils dilated & equal - react to
L.A. & consensually - Knee jerks exaggerated
triceps reflex & others super: & deep very marked.
cranial reflex present - No P.S. of disease
detected in abdomen - but colon is loaded
with faeces - (aperient given) marked
tremor of facial muscles, & of small muscles
of hands.

Wished (strongly) photo not
to be taken

B. Mental acute mania.

P^r is exceedingly restless, refuses to keep on
her clothing - moving aimlessly round the padded
room - sometimes turning somersaults, at other
times placing herself in grotesque & irrational attitudes.
She appears very apprehensive & seems to have
some delusion that police are after her to take
her off to prison - She has hallucinations of hearing,
stating that "they" tell her to turn somersaults, to
call out to - doubtful hallucinations of sight, as she
gazes fixedly in one direction, apparently seeing

somebody, something, nothing, & talks to it -
She is quite incoherent & will not answer
questions, being too much taken up with her
own thoughts & ideas - at other times she
leans back against the wall, in a stuporous
condition, gazing vacantly in front of her -

July 14.

Has somewhat improved - this morning can
talk a little & answer questions - for the past 2
days she has kept on her rightness, & has taken food
better - sleeps only with hypnotics. Still very
apprehensive - at times can realize her degree of
confused state of mind - R.C.D.

July 17.

Gallery #

Has distinctly improved since last note. She
can now enter into an easy conversation,
is properly clothed, & is taking food fairly well,
is much less apprehensive - however she is
dazed & confused & by night is still restless with
hallucinations & dreaming (e.g. distorted reports last night
that they "kept" telling her to turn somersaults) & a
tendency to excitement & noise - R.C.D.

July 21.

Gallery #

Has continued to improve - now talks coherently,
recognizes that she has been mentally wrong, has
begun to occupy herself a little - at night is still
somewhat troubled by the usual hallucinations & is restless -
yesterday was moved into Gallery #. R.C.D.

July 30

Much better. Talks quite sensibly. Occupies herself.
Has been sleeping fairly well. (85) M.H.C.

Aug: 11-

Continues to rapidly improve - is occupying herself
well & takes an interest in all that goes on - plays
tennis, bicycles etc - She can now easily sustain a
conversation & is pleasant & sociable - She states
that the usual hallucinations have now almost quite
passed off - She has been suffering from toothache which
has kept her awake the past night or two - she has now

had a carcinoma back molar removed under
gas, with marked benefit. Still markedly
anaemic, but is taking iron. R.C.D.

Aug: 28

Improvement maintained - she occupies herself
well. Has done periods of walks & bicycles a
good deal. anaemia improving but she has
had a cold of late - R.C.D.

Aug: 31.

Discharged Today recovered.

Discharged Aug: 31: 98.

S. Ann's Hall
Virginia, W.Va.
July 16th 98

My dear Mother

I don't know when I may
next see you, & I rather think I
have seen you since I have seen
you. Everything has seemed so strange,
& topsy turvy, but I hope to see
daylight now, & that I believe they
have given me some chance, still when I
am home again. I always hope to see

somebody, something nothing, talks to it - She is quite incoherent & will not answer questions, being too much taken up with her own thoughts & ideas - at other times she leans back against the wall, in a stuporous condition, gazing vacantly in front of her.

July 14. Has somewhat improved - this morning can talk a little, & answer questions - for the past 2 days she has kept on her right side, & has taken food better - sleeps only with hypnosis. Still very apprehensive - at times can realize her degraded & confused state of mind. R.C.D.

July 17. Has distinctly improved since last note. She can now enter into an ease is properly clothed, & is taking so much less apprehensive - dazed, & confused, by night & hallucinations of dreaming (eg distorted thinking) kept talking her to some tendency to excitement & g

July 21. Has continued to improve. now recognizes that she has been in hospital & has begun to occupy herself a little - somewhat troubled by the amnesia yesterday was moved into Gallie

July 30. Much better. Talks quite sensibly. Has been sleeping fairly well.

Aug: 11. Continues to rapidly improve well & takes an interest in all things, bicycles etc. - She can converse & is pleasant, & that the amnesia have passed off - She has been suffering has kept her awake the past m

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It was I visited today. He said I was an idiot, & I really thought he was long to be left alone than let the police know somewhat later. I thought morning tomorrow come. being shut up with these bundles makes me feel quite mad myself, & really I think I have been a bit off my head from tomorrow here since. I have been here. The first day was dreadful, as I couldn't see what they were

going to do with me. I think I must have got a sort of headache. I scarcely know the person from another. Last night I thought you were all in the hospital with me, some were from the deed & thought of course it must have been a sort of dream I was told that if they stick like the morning it would be all right, but when morning came it was the same as ever & I had to

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July 17.

Gallery II

Has distinctly improved since last note. She can now enter into an easy conversation, is properly clothed, & is taking food fairly well - is much less apprehensive - however she is dazed & confused, & by night is still restless with hallucinations & dreaming (e.g. distorted reports last night that they "kept" telling her to turn some accounts) & a tendency to excitement & noise. R.C.D.

July 21.

Gallery II

Has continued to improve - now talks coherently, recognizes that she has been mentally wrong, has begun to occupy herself a little - at night is still somewhat troubled by the usual hallucinations, & is restless - yesterday was moved into Gallery II. R.C.D.

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Woke at 1/2 past bed without any clothes on, in the presence of 4 men in the hospital. I cried, she I thought I should have cried my eyes out. This in the garden, it was almost worse, as I was draped about, she was quite dead. Has I suppose I shall put on my in with some members, as I was by no means a learner, had a small bit of something puzzled. And we go as ever
G.H.P.

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1980

Amy North Jackson

Ad^d July 17, 98 widow - aged 52 - (wife of medical man)
R.O. " 16 " Ch: 5) Eng: - Pres: address 62 Ledbrooke Grove
C. in L " London W. (medical name) 1st attack of about 3
weeks' duration - supposed cause climacteric
& probably alcohol - nowhere previously treated
not E. S. or D.

1st certif: That she persists in saying people are watching
her continually to do her harm & also listening
outside the door which is not true. That people
want to make her a Roman Catholic wh: is not true
she called out for police because people wanted to
do her harm - (cont^d) she says that people have
been drugging her & that she has signed away all
her money neither of which are true.

July 15, 98 (signed) R. M. Williams
of 35 Kensington Park Gardens

2nd certif. corroborates.
July 15, 98. (signed) J. R. Lunn
of 35 Margate Road, Margate, W.

Pres: Hist: Never very strong - no definite illness, but has
suffered much from dyspepsia & constipation -
many pecuniary worries & much mental
strain some years back for a long time - ^{disturb^d} ^{miss^d} 2.
Menopause Jan 98. Periods rather uterine
sy^m (sacral pain &c) uterus replaced & a pessary
inserted by Dr Williams as above. Work for some months
always of a nervous & worrying disposition - had
an attack of influenza in -96 - again in Oct. 97 - has
been worse since - probably taken rather too much
stimulant at times when depressed -
3 weeks ago developed delirium of people plotting
against her - of being followed by detectives for some
imaginary crime - & of great poverty - frequently

stated she was about to be put into the sea - conduct
not much affected - has been able to be in ordinary
lodgings until a few days before admission -
Taking food fairly - some ideas of its being
"drugged" - sleeping rather badly -

Family Hist

Condition on Admission -

Gallery II
W^c
H^c

A. Physical

P^c is fairly developed - fairly nourished -
muscles soft & flabby - ~~muscles~~ muscles
anemic - marked acne on chin & lower half
of face - Hair medium brown - beginning to
turn grey. Eyes grey - pupils somewhat
dilated but equal & react readily to L & R
consensually - Tongue furred - small & teeth
indented - chest somewhat pigeon breasted in
shape - nerves rather poorly - breath^s ^{to} poor -
Heart a little dilated - HAB 2" inside N. L.
dullness to R^c border of sternum - s^c clear but
tenseless - Liver palpable below costal margin
dullness not extended upwards - marked
constipation - no uterine symptoms -
Urine
Kneejerk fair - other reflexes normal -

B. Mental Melancholia -

Pt. is depressed & apathetic; she states that she feels no interest in anything, she only occupies herself under supervision & from a sense of duty - she has a delusion that "police are waiting to run her in" for some crime, the nature of which she cannot specify - she also thinks that she is followed about by detectives for the same purpose - she says that "she" feels quite different to what she did before & thinks the difference must have been "caused by something given to her", she suggests arsenic given to her as medicine - she has vague ideas of a conspiracy to make her an R.C., also of having signed away all her money. She is emotionally unstable, weeps readily without cause. Her memory is defective, especially for recent events. Her appetite is small & she does not sleep well. No hallucinations obtained -

July 28 Patient seems better, but still full of hallucinations. Very apathetic & does not care to do anything, unless made to

Aug 8th Pt. faint at breakfast on Aug 6th. Was very dazed afterwards, & thought her daughter Lily was in the building. Condition much the same as on last note. (Sth) M.H.C.

Aug 15- Very dazed & confused & still has an idea that her daughter is concealed about the place - attempted to climb the turnstile gate in order to escape, & has been sent to Gallery vi. R.C.D.

Aug 20. Less dazed & depressed & is again back in No 2. R.C.D.

Aug 27. Rather less confused but is taking food badly & is sent to the Infirmary R.C.D.

Sept 6. Is less dazed & depressed & is taking food rather better than she did - to No 11. R.C.D.

Oct: 4. Has improved since last note but is still apprehensive & depressed. R.C.D.

Oct: 15. Was removed today to single care "releived" by authority of her daughter the petitioner

Discharged Oct: 15. 98

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Emma Spink - married - wife of

Ad. July 22, 98 diamond merchant. of no occupation. aged
R.O. May 20, 98 ~~42~~ Baptized. not 1st attack, age on 1st attack
C. in L. 34. then treated at Virginia Water. (Feb: 90 to Aug: 99)

this attack of a few days' & months' duration.
supposed cause: "unknown" - (?heredity)
Has threatened suicide (no attempt) somewhat
violent, not epileptic -

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at 2 Chesham Parade but is now becoming unmanageable.
Is developing a homicidal tendency. This morning attempted
to strangle Miss Bracewell. Is excited & when agitated will
do anything desperate. Is dangerous to others when threatened
(con?) is untruthful, filthy in her habits, prying listening
behind doors & most cunning. She steals things & hides
them away. She requires constant watching. Two days
ago she believed Mr Spink meant to knock her down with a
garden seat, she tried this morning to strangle her washing
& drawing tight the necktie she was wearing.

May 20, 98. (signed) T. Elliott M.D.
of Chancery Lane, Tavistock House

and " corroborates -
May 20, 98. (signed) Geo. L. Watson
of Tavistock House

Family hist: Father formerly P. at Bethlem - & attempted suicide.
Two sisters "weak-minded" -

Pres: hist: Here as P. Feb: 7, 90 to Aug: 13, 90 see case book III, 119
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capable of managing house &c. - then became restless &
grandsome - had difficulties with the servants &c.
grew worse during pregnancy - child born Jan: 1906 -
somewhat impaired afterwards.

July, 1906 worse - gave up her house - went to Broadstairs



Emma Spink
Hills St. East
Easter 1905.

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July 1906 worse - gave up her house - went to Broadstairs
 with child - who had a long illness & died - P. just died
 much - practically shut herself up in bedroom
 during 97. Dec: 1907 had a little girl -

Jan: 98 to Southend very excited - threatened to
 jump into the sea, out of the window, to take poison
 & to cut her throat - made no attempt. had a mental
 nurse for about 10 days - improved & could control herself.
 Feb: 98 worse again - many attacks of excitement
 frequently took alcohol -

March 98. to private care - very excited - throwing
 furniture about &c - escaped one night & spent 6-8
 hours in soaking rain - tried to strangle nurse & was
 carted - sent to Dr Harman's at Hadlow - improved
 Had a night's sleeping draught for over a year, not
 so many of late -
 Gen: health fair - children 7 ¹⁵ months: nice!

Condition on Admission - A. Physical
 Gallery VII P. is fairly developed - & is well nourished -
 H.C. muscles fair - Complexion ruddy - some capillary
 W.S. injection over malar. Hair dark, turning grey
 mucous mem: normal - Eyes grey pupils
 somewhat dilated but equal & react to L.H. &
 consensually - Tongue fairly clean - B.O.
 She presents no P.S. lesions in thoracic or
 abdominal organs.
 Urine -
 Catamenia stated by P. to be regular & painless.
 Kneejerks brisk - other reflexes normal. Cremic
 reflex present.

B. Subacute Mania -

P.F. can enter into a conversation & answer questions reasonably. She is somewhat confused in manner & talk & there is a slight tendency towards incoherence. She states that she does not "feel herself" & is conscious of a want of self-control which leads her to excitement & "foolish acts" at times. Her conduct is fairly reasonable & she seems to have no delusions nor hallucinations. She sleeps fairly & takes food well.

Refuses to have
her photo taken

July 28 Has improved. & says that she feels quite well, & has got over the nervous feelings she had. Wishes to go home. (at) M.C. Talks coherently. Sleeps & eats well.

Aug. 3^d The improvement has not continued. Has to be washed and dressed in the morning. Is unsettled & restless. Talks rationally, & says she feels quite well. H.H.

Aug: 11- Is unsettled & restless, continually worrying about going home - there is still some trouble about the washing & dressing in the morning - There is still a marked tendency towards incoherence R.C.D.

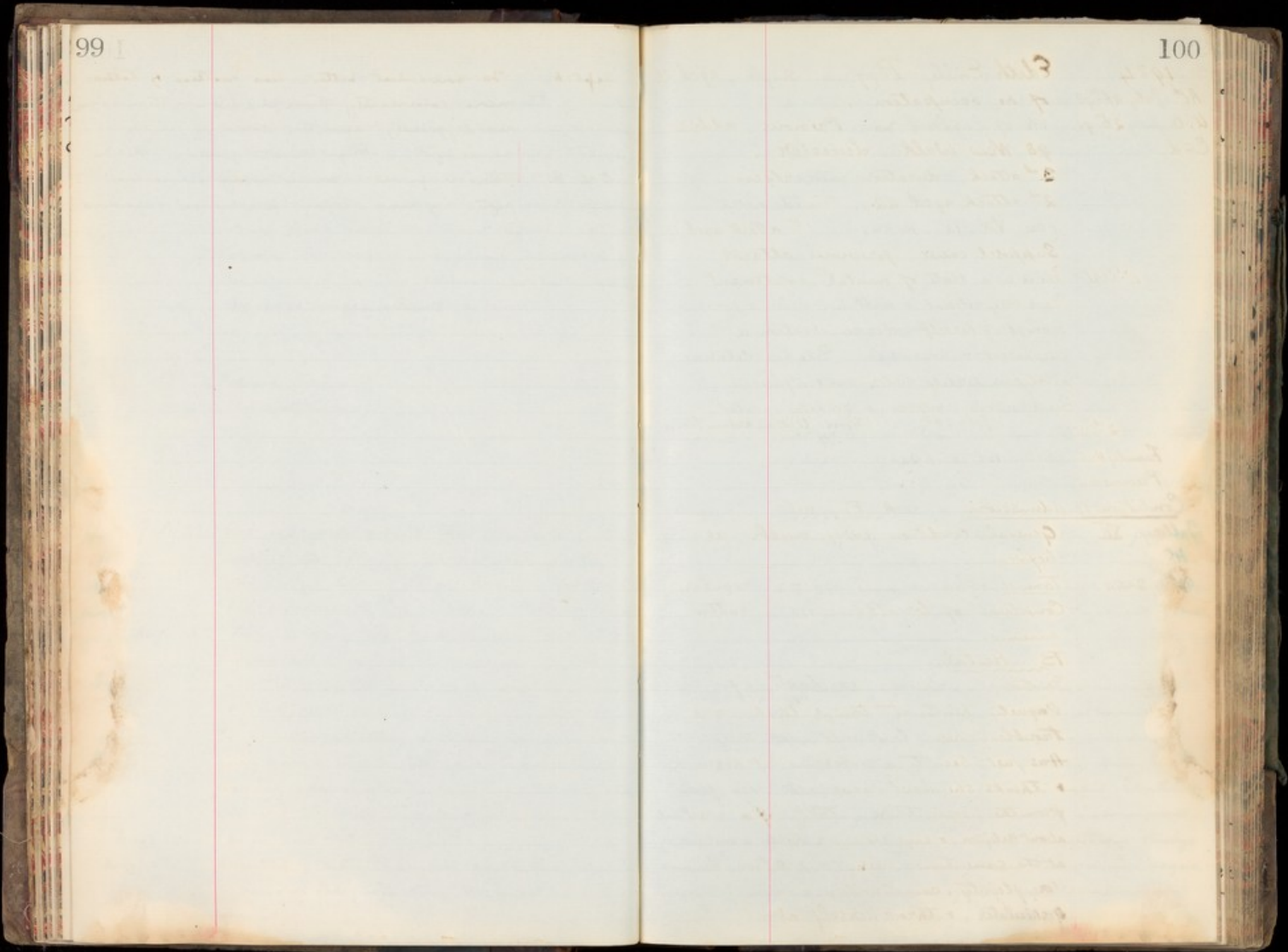
Aug. 19- As on last note. R.C.D.

Aug: 28. Unsettled & restless - cannot understand why she is here nor recognize that she is not right mentally. R.C.D.

Sept: 6. To somewhat better - less restless & talks more coherently than she did - & there is no difficulty about the dressing in the morning. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Oct: 8: Has improved considerably since last note. & was today discharged recovered.

Discharged Oct: 8. 98.



1984

Ad^d July 26th 98
U.O July 26th 98
C. in d.

Edith Emily Pegg. Single, aged 24
of no occupation.

Ch. of England no Previous address
98 New Walk. Leicester.

3rd attack, duration uncertain.
2nd attack aged 22, treated here.
(see Vol. IX. p. 221) 1st attack aged 12.

Supposed cause, previous attacks.

1st Cert. She is in a state of mental excitement -
She is very reticent & will not give a proper
account of herself. Her conversation is
incoherent & nonsensical. She has delusions
& believes herself under some influence.

She is restless, irritable, & readily excited.
July 26th (Signed) William Witham Rogers
of Egham, Surrey

2nd Cert

Family Hist. See Vol IX. p 221

Previous Hist

Condition of Admission A. Physical

Gallery VII

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General condition very much as
before.

Tongue clean. Pulse 72. regular.
Complains of breathlessness, rather
anaemic.

B. Mental

Emotional. Laughs ^{apparently} constantly for no
reason. Vaguely hints at things that are
troubling her, but will not say exactly.
Has just been to a conference at Keswick,
& thinks she must have got "low fever"
from the people there. Talks of a great deal
about religion, & says she hopes to be a missionary
at the same time using very strong language.
Very flighty, cannot follow a train of thought,
gesticulates, & throw herself about. Says

she hates everyone, & that it is necessary to
watch one's words here as none is to
be trusted. Has behaved fairly well
since admittance, but cannot bear to be
contradicted.

August 3rd

Pt is very restless & emotionally unstable.
Made a disturbance at dinner, & had to be taken
out of the hall. She is rude to the other
ladies, and uses very strong language.
Occupies herself with needlework. H.H.

Aug: 10.

Restless irritable & emotionally unstable. She
smiles freely on little or no provocation, is flighty,
eratic in conduct & conversation. Occupies
herself to some extent but can settle to nothing
more than a few minutes at a time. Phys: health fair
but is somewhat anaemic. R.C.D.

Aug: 18.

Condition as on last note. R.C.D.

Aug: 26

Exceedingly restless & irritable - using foul
language - often destructive at meals,
throwing cups & plates about, brandishing
knives & forks, threatening to murder others. R.C.D.

Sept: 6.

Restless & irritable. There is rapid ideation &
her language is very strong & inconsequent.
Talks vaguely & hints at mysterious things
& "hateful people who have done various vague
murders" - she is often excited, abusive &
threatening - Phys: health fair. R.C.D.

- Oct: 8. Restless & variable - almost entirely uncontrolled - swears freely on little or no provocation, & frequently uses foul language - is impulsive & erratic in conduct - Phys health fair. R.C.D.
- Nov: 10. Restless & erratic - language very strong, swears & curses freely on no provocation - Phys health fair. R.C.D.
- Nov: 22. In violent at times - yesterday struck a P. & twisted another's arm. R.C.D.
- Dec: 20. Has been more equable & less erratic & impulsive & language has improved - until past 2 or 3 days when she has been very noisy & troublesome. R.C.D.
- Jan 31st 99 No change. S.C.B.
- 2nd March Very variable - easily irritated - but on the whole improved - less restless & occupies herself in various ways. S.C.B.
- April 20. Distinctly improved - less flippant & irritable occupying herself well - language now much improved & she rarely curses. R.C.D.
- May 17- Improvement maintained till past 3 or 4 days when she has been rather erratic & variable - as arrangements had been made for her to go on leave, it was thought best not to postpone it & P.F. went today to her sister. R.C.D.
- Aug: 1- P.F. has continued on leave - is reported to have gone on well - & was today discharged.

Discharged Aug. 1. 99

1907

Ad. August 3 1898
R.O July 29, 1898
Cind.

Eleanora Susannah Turner, widow
of no occupation - aged 31 -
Protestant - 1st attack, commenced
last Easter week, supposed cause "worry,"
Not E. S or D.

1st Cert.

The patient is very sullen, and at first
pretended to be unaware of my presence
keeping her eyes shut. She allows flies
to crawl all over her face without
driving them away. She absolutely
refuses to answer any questions, or
take any notice of me.

Cornelia, Amelia De Ros, % H^{rs} Salmonson
Saxphatistraat, Amsterdam, a nurse. says
that the patient is always sullen, often now passes
her water in bed, thinks she is never in the right in
anything she says or does, is violent & tries to scratch
the said nurses face or throws things at her
Miss King % Miss Chaplin, Southend-on-Sea, a nurse
says the patient is very violent at times -

27th July 1898. (Signed) H. Leonard Snell
of 4 Green Lane, N.T.
Southend-on-Sea

2nd Cert.

Corroborates

26th July 1898 (Signed) Avery, Clough, letters
of Whitby, Southend-on-Sea

Family History

Said to be none.

Previous History

Infirmaries
Ht 57 1/2 (inches) thin.
Wt 62 1/2 lb.



Aug 20, 98

Condition on Admission A. Physical

Pt is fairly well developed. badly nourished
pupils equal, small. Muscles flabby & small.
Complexion pale. Hair dark.

Eyes - react to light & accommodation?
Breath v. offensive. All the teeth of the
upper jaw absent. (has artificial plate)
Nothing abnormal detected on exam:

Heart. A.B. 4th space. 4 N 4.
Reflexes - Knee jerks exaggerated. Slight
ankle clonus. Plantar reflexes diminished
Urine 10 25. ac. turbit & urtic. trace; alb. some
indican - urea = 1.5% - Amenorrhoea for months

B. Mental Melancholia & Stupor

Patient has not spoken since admittance,
lies on her left side with her knees drawn
up. Can do nothing for herself. has to be
fed. Expression extremely melancholy, angles
mouth drawn outwards, as if she were going
to cry. Occasionally eyes fill with tears.
Gives no sign of intelligence, except that she
opened her eyes when she was told to.
Pt is wet & dirty.

Aug 5th Pt unable to walk but can do nothing for herself
sits with her eyes shut, taking no notice of her
surroundings (A.D.) M.H.C.

Aug: 13. Still in a state of stupor - sits with her head bent, hands
folded in lap, mouth half open & dribbling saliva -
has to be fed, washed & dressed & attended to, in all
respects - refuses to part & does not appear to

understand what is said to her - is taking
 Ext. thyroide grt table. Temp 97° 4/10 R.C.D.

Aug: 21. Do less stuporous but is very depressed,
 attends very restless - last night tied her
 night gown sleeve round her throat, & is consequently
 sleeping under observation. P. 96. R.C.D.

Aug: 28. Continues almost unchanged. still very
 8058 stuporous - has to be washed dressed & fed but
 takes a little notice of her surroundings & her
 usual expression is less melancholic R.C.D.

Sept: 4. A trifle less stuporous - she looks about her a little
 & seems to take a faint interest in things around
 her - still has to be fed washed & dressed. R.C.D.

Sept: 16. Do improving - though she is still very stuporous,
 8059 she takes some notice of her surroundings &
 she now feeds herself & will frequently undress
 & even help to dress herself - She has some
 slight initiative - eg. now brushes off flies, etc:
 formerly she allowed to crawl over her face, will settle
 a cushion more comfortably for herself etc. R.C.D.

Oct: 18. Strongly improving - will now feed herself &
 8060 undresses herself & helps to dress. R.C.D.

Nov: 14. Improvement does not increase but is maintained
 7069 she still feeds herself & occasionally though very
 rarely, makes a remark - still sits with head
 bent gazing into vacancy quite unoccupied
 phys health fair - R.C.D.

Jan 20th Condition as last note; still requires assistance
 8064 in dressing & undressing & in consequence
 of her slowness - Eats & sleeps well - Very
 faintly talks even when addressed P.C.S.

Feb 28th The last 2 weeks has been much brighter - Has
 8062 volunteered a remark occasionally & will
 answer questions readily - Occupies herself with

work &c & has written some letters - takes
 some interest in what goes on around her - P.C.S.

11th March. Has much improved - She does not remember
 7073 coming here, but very faintly what has occurred during
 the last few months. Says she thinks she must have
 had a nervous illness - Her general appearance
 is altogether changed since she has quite lost
 the melancholy dyspeptic look, she had on admission.

June 22. Improvement maintained
 8061 she is still somewhat weak
 minded & facile but has lost
 the stupor & automatism.
 She is now cheerful & occupies
 her time in a fair amount of
 & somewhat emotional. Her
 memory has returned, though
 there is a hiatus of some
 months - Her phys: health is
 satisfactory - she has gained
 20 lbs: since admission - &
 8062 catamenia has been regular since Jan: 99 - yet
 went on leave - R.C.D.

July 22. Was discharged today - being reported as going
 8063 away well at home -

Discharged July 22, 99



1989

Ad^d Aug: 10. 98
R.O. " 12. "

C. ind. " "

Matilda Henrietta King - widow

aged 68. Ch: of Eng:- Pres: address 15 Clifden Road - Lower Clapton - [Hackney Infirmary,

Homerton] of no occupation - 1st attack of about 2 weeks duration - Supposed cause: "arranged by neighbours" - not epileptic

1st certf:

She is depressed, melancholic, says she is tired of her life, wants to die, that she feels something dreadful is about to happen to her, that someone is going to ill treat her, she is confused as to time & date. (Com?) struck herself with a hammer & is under the delusion that the work would not get done in the house if she went to sleep at night.

Aug: 11. 98

(signed) J. J. Gordon

Hackney Union Infirmary

2nd "

Coroner's

Aug: 11. 98

(signed) J. H. Fittle M.D.

of The Poplar, Gessoguel St. Hackney

Family Hist:

Father insane in old age.

Pres: Hist:

Conditions on Admission -

A. Physical

General III

H^c

W^c

P^c is somewhat poorly developed & is poorly nourished - Hair black turning very grey - There is some slight bruising over her cheek & round the orbit, said to be due to a self inflicted blow with a hammer before admission - Eyes pupils small & react badly to L & R. arcus senilis

in both - Tongue furred small & dry. Some arthritic changes in fingers with ulnar deviation - There is some dyspepsia, pain of flatulence about 2 hours after food. Marked constipation. Arteries somewhat atheromatous. Pulse, tension rather high but it is fairly regular - Chest moves poorly - AEB normal but apex is difficult to percuss, H^c & L^c are louder, aortic 2nd & 3rd accentuated - There is some flattening of note at 5 apex & breathing is poor here. Abdomen is markedly pendulous - Walls very flabby but thick - There is marked constipation -

P^c complains of slight dragging pain over sacrum for which she has had a ring - she is terrified at the idea of this again being missed & a P.V. examⁿ is consequently not thought advisable & would be useless at present on account of the constipation - She states that there is no retention of Urine. Appetite poor - but she takes food under protest.

B. Mental. Melancholia - P^c is very depressed; says she is "sick of weary of life", & that "her life is only a trouble to her" - she is unoccupied, sitting brooding over her imaginary troubles - She has delusions of suspicion, thinking that every one who approaches her, is about to injure her - she states that she has been "tortured" by her neighbors before admission but will not specify these so-called tortures. She has a sense of impending doom, is "sure that something terrible & too awful for words" is about

To happen to her - she sleeps badly.

Aug: 21. Is somewhat less depressed & is taking food better than she did - R.C.D.

Aug: 25. Continues depressed & unoccupied but her delusions of approaching torture are less marked than they were & she is taking food rather better than she did. R.C.D.

Sept: 4. Is somewhat less depressed & has been occasionally seen to smile - & has occasionally occupied herself a little - taking food rather better - R.C.D.

Sept: 15. Is slowly becoming less depressed - occupies herself a little & is taking food much better - though she is still somewhat apprehensive, she seems to have almost lost her delusions of imminent torture. Phys: health improving - moved into Gallery II R.C.D.

Oct: 16. Has been less depressed but is now again very apprehensive & restless - moved into R.C.D. Utters bulky P's - there is slight R.C.D.

Nov: 10. Continues very restless & apprehensive - sleeping badly, but is now beginning to somewhat improve again. R.C.D.

Dec: 6. Delusions of imminent torture persist - but she is somewhat less restless & is sleeping rather better - is moved into the new infirmary R.C.D.

Jan 23rd 99. Holidays. Pt was not very well - not able to stand well - some drooping of R. eyelid. Pupils unequal - R. being dilated & l. contracted. It is present but also present in R. eye - in l. eye. Pulse good - taking food - slight diarrhoea from which she suffered the latter end of last month has entirely ceased for a fortnight - this morning Pt is improved. R.C.D.

February 1st. Pt has been up & apparently in her usual health since last note - This morning she was found to be very drowsy - Breathing heavy &

NOTICE OF DEATH

Date of Reception Order, the 12th day of August 1896

I hereby give you Notice, That Matilda Henrietta King a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the thirteenth day of August 1896 died therein on the third day of February 1899

Signed *W. D. Moore M.D.*
Medical Officer

Dated the third day of February One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety nine
To the Commissioners in Lunacy

STATEMENT RESPECTING THE ABOVE-NAMED PATIENT

Name - Matilda Henrietta King

Sex and age - female 69

Married, single, or widowed - widowed

Profession or occupation - none

Place of abode immediately before being placed under care and treatment (if known) - 15 Clifden Road, Lower Clapton

Apparent cause of death - Cerebral Haemorrhage

Whether or not ascertained by post mortem examination - no

Time and any unusual circumstances attending the death; also a description of any injuries known to exist at time of death or found subsequently on body of deceased - 12:55 a.m.

Duration of disease of which patient died - three days

Names and description of persons present at the death - Miss Violet Ross, Lady Nurse

Whether or not mechanical restraint was applied to deceased within seven days previously to death, with its character and duration, if so applied - no

Signed *W. D. Moore M.D.*
Medical Officer

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Pale on face quite shrunken. Piles full.
 regular. Paralysis of R. side of face & body.
 R. Ths absent on R. side & present L. side. also
 Plantar reflex. Occasional twitching of L. arm.
 Face flushed. No rise of temperature. S.C.D.
 P^t gradually became more & more comatose
 during yesterday. Was unable to swallow -
 nutrient enemata were given & retained -
 P's opened naturally early this morning -
 Pupils very markedly unequal. S.C.D.
 Condition remained the same during yesterday.
 At 6 p.m. temperature rose to 102.4. Pulse
 quicker. Death occurred at 12:55 a.m.
 this morning - S.C.D.

bird 3 February 99.

1990.

Hannah Frances Nixon

Ad: Aug: 13, 98
R.O.
C. ind.
(Trumpy)

single - aged 37. Ch: D Eng: of no occupⁿ.
The Priory, Rockampton
Pres: address Crichton Royal Institution, Dumfries
2nd attack of "about 19 months' duration" - age
on 1st attack 27. Pres: treated (see below)
Cause unknown: - "not epileptic - paroxysmal heart
strokes if excited -"

1st certif: She talks continuously, passing rapidly from one subject
to another, although she apparently thinks that she is
continuing the same subject. For instance whilst seemingly
discussing politics, the Princess League in which she is
much interested she would very anxiously to have my opinion
about clipping of horses & talked about Napoleon, the occupation
of Rome by the Goths & Vandals. (Cont) talks to herself & goes
off into inmoderate fits of laughter even during meals
without apparent cause, that she appears at times to be
answering the voices of unseen people, that when in the
garden she jumped about & waved her arms (sic), that
she jumped one strain in the drawing room.

Jan: 16. 98 (signed) W. F. Sheppard M.D.
of 21 Upper Richmond Rd., Putney

corroborates

Jan: 16. 98 (signed) G. S. Bigg F.R.C.S.
of 119 Victoria St. S.W.

Pres: Hist: Primarily treated in St Patrick's Asylum. 1887.
at Morningside 1888. at Crichton Institute Dumfries
1888 till 1895; Vardun Asylum Montreal Jan: to Apr: 97
Crichton Institute again May 97 to Jan: 11. 98. at the Priory
Rockampton Jan: 98 to present time

Family Hist. said to be nil

Condition on Admission -

A. Physical

Gallery VII. P. is a tall stout woman. muscles soft
& flabby - complexion pale - mucous
membrs: fair - Tongue clear - She presents
no P.S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal
organs - Eyes pupils equal & react
readily to L.L. & consensually to skin
stimulation - Kneejerk brisk - other reflexes
normal.



Internia

B. Mental

Chronic Mania -

P. can answer simple questions intelligently
but is quite incapable of entering into a
conversation - Her conversation being a mere
meaningless string of phrases - if asked if her
garment is blue, she answers correctly "yes, it
is marked with my name" then rambles off "I am
never excited except on the Atlantic, cocoa is good,
the horse is black, asses & sheep" - Her ideation is
rapid but the connection between her ideas
is practically impossible to trace - there seems to
be no association either by ideas or by sound.
Her language is at times stony & forcible,
chiefly in answer to hallucinations of hearing -
of these she will give no account but say
that "they talk after all day long" - She frequently
bursts into fits of inmoderate laughter without
apparent cause - She is frequently noisy,
shouting in answer to the subjective voices -

consequent restlessness of her conduct is eccentric. Her memory is much impaired but she has some idea of time & place. & correctly stated the name of this place when asked where she was, & knew the date of her arrival here. She has apparently no definite delusion. She takes food well & sleeps fairly.

Aug: 21. Condition continues unchanged. she is often restless & noisy at night. R.C.D.

Aug: 28. Talkative & almost incoherent alternis excited & noisy - somewhat restless & noisy towards morning. R.C.D.

Sept: 6. Condition as on last note. R.C.D.

Sept: 13. Her condition is quite unaltered. she is usually in a state of mild excitement. chatters constantly to herself in answer to hallucinations of hearing - uses strong language & swears freely. restless & noisy at night. Phys health good. R.C.D.

Sept: 28. Very excited & restless. Today while playing tennis suddenly screamed out & complained of pain in her R.C. calf. a satisfactory exam. could not be made on acc. of her excited condition. but a bandage & lotion was applied. R.C.D.

Oct: 3. Signs quite well. & she is less excited. R.C.D.

Nov: 10. Is less excited on the whole during the day time but constantly talks to herself, frequently using very strong & coarse language & alternis shouts loudly in answer to hallucinations of hearing. Frequently very noisy at night, shouting loudly. R.C.D.

Nov: 14. Discharged today - to single care of Dr Proudfoot. High street Oxford

Discharged Nov: 14. 98

Aug: 26. 98. Mrs. Marriott
The Procu Bella
Victoria
Vancouver Island
British Columbia
America
Potatoes
and Clabber
Garden
from H.F. Mason

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Discharged Nov. 14. 98

1993

Cecilia Agnes Esch single - aged 24

Ad. Aug: 21. 98 of no occupation - Roman Catholic - 1st attack of about 3 weeks duration. Supposed cause: "unknow" (dull life & repression of all amusements) now when previously treated - Here as U.B. - from Aug: 11. 98. Pres: address 43 Revere Hall Rd Stamford Hill London N. Not E. S. or D.

1st certif: She is dull & demented, will hardly answer a single question - has absolutely no knowledge of her surroundings or of the month or year - Helpless & futile.

Aug: 16. 98 (signed) Robert Nuttall of Priestwood, Bracknell.

2nd " corroborates Aug: 16. 98 (signed) W. W. Floyer of Egham - Surrey.

Family Hist: Sister epileptic

Pres: Hist: always rather "nervous" & dyspeptic but has had no serious illness. Home very dull - Mother dead, P. looks after house & many brothers & sisters, Father objects to all amusement of all kinds - P. has been much alone & "going in strongly for religion" - worrying about not confessing a small sin at age of 7, thinking that all confession since has been sacrilegious. Dysmenorrhoea.

Condition on Admission A. Physical

Galley III P. is fairly developed - & fairly nourished - muscles flabby - ~~muscles~~ ~~meat~~: anaemic - Complexion sallow, some acne - Tongue pale & throat indurated

(now clear) There are no P.S. of disease in thorax or abdominal organs, beyond a faint systolic murmur at Pulm: area & a general torpidness & hypoplasia of cardiac sounds - slight dyspnoea & marked constipation. Uterus

Catamenia: Uterus dark grey, pupils equal, somewhat dilated - react readily to L. & A, consensually, to skin stimulation - Korvitz's brick, other reflexes normal.



B. Mental Melancholia cum Stupore P. is depressed, dull & apathetic - cerebral tone is very slow, when asked a question she often does not answer at all, stammers only answers in monosyllables after an interval. She rarely speaks of her own accord - Her memory is much impaired - she is not fully conscious of her surroundings & is very vague as to time & place - cannot give the date nor her own age.

She is quite unoccupied, sits with hands folded in lap, with a dull vacant expression on her face - Has to be fed, washed & dressed & usually even undressed. She has vague delusions of suspicion & of persecution, states that the "fairies mock her" - that "every one annoys her" - that "signs are made to torture her" -

She apparently has hells of hearing, though these are not definite - she states "they" call her names & that "they" annoy her - when no one is by - but will not own to definite voices.

1993

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R.O. Aug: 21. 98
C. ind. Aug: 22. 98

Cecilia Agnes Esch, single-age
of no occupation. Roman Catholic - 1st at
of about 3 weeks duration. Supposed cause
"inborn" (dull life & repression of all amusements
nowhere previously treated - here as U.B. from
Aug: 11. 98. Pres: address 43 Reverdale Rd. 5th
Hill London N. Not E. S. or D.

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Family Hist:

Sister epileptic

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always rather "nervous" & dyspeptic but has had
serious illness.

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many brothers & sisters, latter objects to all amusements
of all kinds - P. has been much alone & "going
strongly for religion" - worrying about not confessing
a small sin at age of 7 & thinking that all confessions
since has been sacrilegious.
Dysmenorrhoea.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical

Galley III
H:
W:

P. is fairly developed & fairly nourished - mucous
flabby - mucous membranes: anemic - Conjunctivae
sallow, some acute - Tongue pale & tooth white

(now clear) There are no P.S. of disease in the
lungs or abdominal organs, beyond a faint systolic
murmur at Pulm: area & a general tenderness
synopsis of cardiac sounds - slight dyspnoea & marked
constipation - Uterus
Cataleptic

Eyes dark grey, pupils equal, somewhat
dilated react readily to L., R., consensually,
to skin stimulation - Kneejerk brisk, other
reflexes normal -



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Aug: 28 Has somewhat improved - is less depressed & has begun to occupy herself a very little - is taking food better. R.C.D.

Sept: 4. Has considerably brightened up last 2 or 3 days. stupor has passed off to a great extent, she is beginning to occupy herself voluntarily & to take an interest in her surroundings - ran in the 5000 yds. yesterday & came in 3rd in an 80 yds race. Taking food fairly. R.C.D.

Sept: 13. Improvement is maintained - the stupor has nearly passed off though she still requires help in dressing undressing etc - occupies herself fairly & will talk a little of her own accord. R.C.D.

Sept: 20. Improvement steadily maintained - she is much brighter, occupies herself well & is losing many of her morbid ideas. R.C.D.

Oct: 20. on the whole continues to improve but there is still some difficulty about food R.C.D.

Dec: 6. Continues brighter but is still somewhat dreamy & morose - & she does not take food well. R.C.D.

Dec: 21. Improvement steadily maintained - Discharged Today

Discharged Dec: 21. 98

1998

Florence Tex-Blake

Ad. Sept. 3. 98
R.O. Sept. 3. 98
C. ind. Sept. 5. 98.

Single - aged 40 - Ch: of Eng: - of no occupation - Pres: address Craig House Morningside Edinburgh - 1st attack of about 3 years duration - Cause "not known" not E. S. or D.

1st certif:

Her manner of appearance are peculiar - she appears vacant & wanders about. She cannot enter into any sustained conversation & gives her replies to questions in a childish manner. She has no idea where she is, nor where she comes from. She is very restless, appears to be very much afraid. She is suspicious.

(Com²) hears voices - Sept. 3. 98 (signed) W. W. Sloger

2nd

corroboration.

Sept. 4. 98 (signed) Robert Muthall.

Family Hist

said to be nil.

Pres: Hist:

In 1892 about 1/2 much distressed in connection with an engagement - man said to have behaved very badly.

Nov: 1894 to work in the Delhi mission - had a bad attack of "fever" Jan: 95 - which seems to have upset her considerably - letters much perturbed, at times very rambling & morbid - work seems to have worried her - In Nov: 95 suddenly left the mission & went to pay a visit to a lady friend - very strange in manner & eccentric in conduct - lady refused to let her stay in her house & she went to Allahabad. Taken care of by missionary (lady) became rather better - & was sent home in charge of nurse - Very strange, silent & developed delusions - in doctor's house for some months - developed delusions of poisoning & of electricity - To Morningside July: 96 where she has continued until present time - on admittance

there was very thin, "pulled down" - refused food - impaired physically - read voices - threw bedding &c out of window to imaginary people whom she heard below her window asking for it. Catamenia scantiest irregular - formerly dysmenorrhoeic

Condition on Admission

A Physical

Galley vi

H:

W:

P: is tall & is well developed - marked hypertrichosis, both on upper lip & chin - complexion fair - Hair dark & straight - mucous membranes: not anaemic - Tongue clean - Palate arched - & asymmetrical - of the "neurotic" type - Eyes grey - pupils equal & react to light - She presents no P.S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal viscera - Spleen just palpable (hist. of "fever" 95) Heart 1st & 2nd - Pulse reg. & of good tension - slight constipation - Catamenia still to be more regular & there is no dysmenorrhoea at present - no ovarian tenderness - Urine - Mucous & other reflexes normal, cranial reflex present.

B. Mental

Subacute Mania

P: sits looking about her in a restless suspicious manner - does not occupy herself except with a book which she does not really read but only sits looking at - She cannot sustain a conversation but answers simple questions in a hesitating childish way - speaks in a low hurried voice with a semi-lisp - She is very suspicious & states that she is about to be killed or tortured - she seems to have lost the delusion of unseen agency & her suspicions are now very vague & indistinct - She

has little memory, cannot remember the names of people she used to know nor those which she has been told 5 minutes previously - she is not sure of her age, the year, the month or the day of the week but has some idea of her surroundings, giving the address correctly, at the time of day - She has marked several hallucinations, which she does not recognize as subjective - repeatedly jumped up from the dinner-table stating that she heard her father calling her - & left her seat in Chapel, saying that Dr Bruce (of Edinburgh) was speaking to her - She has an idea that both are in this building, though she has been repeatedly told that they are not here - She takes food well & sleeps well.

Sept: 10. Continues in the same state, is restless & impulsive - continually hearing & obeying several hallucinations - quite incapable of a connected conversation, though she can answer simple questions rationally. R.C.D.

Sept: 18. Condition remains as on last note - artificiality declared invalid by order of Commissioners - are being given by Dr Bruce (of Edinburgh) - consequently she was discharged & readmitted today.

Discharged Sept: 18: 98.

2005 re certified Sept: 18: 98.
1st certif: as on page 125. Sept: 16. (04) W.W. Dyer
2nd " "Smiles foolishly - will hardly answer a question, is highly suspicious, asks me several times if I am really a doctor - using the voice of her

Miss Fox Blake.
Oct 14: 98.

Oct. 14 -

Sept: Dearest mamma
This is only to tell you that I am quite well & give you a great deal of love - I have been for another drive - & I hope so much that you are all quite well.
Nov: 98
Dec: 15 & have no colds or anything.
Your loving daughter
Florence

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as on page 125. Sept: 16. (64) W.W. Storer
"Smiles foolishly - will hardly answer a question, is highly suspicious, asks me several times if I am really a doctor - admits to hearing the voices of her father & Dr Bruce - she knows none are in the building

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has little memory, cannot remember the names of people she used to know nor those which she has been told 5 minutes previously. she is not sure of her age, the year, the month or the day of the week but has some idea of her surroundings, giving the address correctly, also the time of day. She has marked several hallucinations, which she does not recognize as subjective - repeatedly jumped up from the dinner-table stating that she heard her father calling her - & left her seat in chapel, saying that Dr Bruce (of Edinburgh) was speaking to her. She has an idea that both are in this building, though she has been repeatedly told that they are not here. She takes food well & sleeps well.

Sept: 10.

Continues in the same state, is restless & impulsive - continually hearing & obeying several hallucinations - quite incapable of a connected conversation, though she can answer simple questions rationally. R.C.D.

Sept: 15.

Condition remains as on last note - certificate declared invalid by order of Commissioners - on being given by Dr Bruce of Edinburgh - consequently she was discharged & readmitted today.

Discharged Sept: 18: 98.

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re certified Sept: 18: 98.

1st certif:

as on page 125.

Sept: 16. (63) W.W. Styer

2nd "

"Smiles foolishly - will hardly answer a question, is highly suspicious, asks me several times if I am really a doctor - admits to hearing the voices of her relatives calling her whereas none are in the building the whole behaviour is highly irrational

Sept: 16: 98.

(63) Robert Nuttall

Sept: 26.

Continues much the same - she seems to have now settled in well & consequently is less restless - the auditory hallucinations persist, & her conduct is flighty & irrational. R.C.D.

Oct: 3.

Less restless but only occupies herself with a little reading - auditory hallucinations persist. R.C.D.

Refuses to have her photo. taken.

Nov: 10-

Has been somewhat better for past 2 or 3 weeks but today yesterday was constantly trying to address herself in the gallery - is very weak-minded & has no self confidence or power of decision. R.C.D.

Dec: 15.

Continues weak-minded, restless & almost entirely unoccupied with marked loss of initiative - is apprehensive & suspicious - Is constantly worrying one of the ladies in her gallery (Miss Bredman) who has short hair, & had told her the rumour that she thought she is a man. She makes remarks to her of a very annoying tendency. The auditory hallucinations are very marked & her conduct is very irrational & flighty. R.C.D.

2nd March 99

Continues in same weak-minded condition - rarely speaks above a whisper & her replies are very slow - Aud: hallucinations apparently still persist - Has had some lucid intervals but now and

June 3.
8064



Taken May 29-97

Catamenia regular. Jan: 6. Feb: 11. Mar: 8. Ap: 8. May: 8. Trichia improved - The patches of Trichia reappeared but is now cured. R.C.D.

July 16.
8068

Last 2 or 3 days has been excited, talking incessantly more or less incoherently, about founding a cathedral in a slave market &c. - restless & unoccupied - sleeping badly at night R.C.D.

Sept. 19.
8073

Excitement above noted did not persist for more than a very few days - & she continues unchanged - dreamy confused weak-minded & unoccupied - restless roaming about the room making disjointed remarks & quoting long passages of Scripture - Phys: health very fair - catamenia regular. R.C.D.

Oct: 20.

Went yesterday to Las Vegas. R.C.D.

Nov: 23.

Returned yesterday, quite unaltered. R.C.D.

Jan: 10. 1900

Unchanged - weak-minded & unoccupied - with much mental confusion & restlessness continually roaming about turning her hands & muttering long passages of Scripture - Phys: health satisfactory - catamenia regular. R.C.D.

Jan: 22.
8085

Last 3 days has been excited, more restless & continually chattering more or less incoherent nonsense. Phys: health fair - very restless at night

March 27.

She is more restless than she was; is R.C.D.

Catamenia unchanged - weak minded, very restless & unoccupied - when addressed answers simple questions in a childish facile way but is quite incapable of entering into conversation - usually prowls restlessly about the room making disjointed remarks in a silly hesitating and gazing foolishly at the P. before mentioned - Phys: health good -

8064

Continually roaming about the room, given lately fragments of Scripture - is almost entirely unoccupied - there is marked mental confusion & she is quite incapable of originating a conversation, though she will occasionally make a few consecutive remarks on a subject that interest her - Phys: health good - catamenia regular R.C.D.

July 1 -

Catamenia as on last note - but has been somewhat more excited of late. R.C.D.

Sept: 3.

Was today transferred to Trechard - Catamenia as on note of March 27 - Phys: health good -

Discharged Sept: 3. 00

June 3.
806 1/2



Taken May 29, 99
Cataracts regular. Jan 6. Feb 11. Mar 8. Ap 8. May 8. Tri

July 16.
806 3

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in's slave market &c. - restless & unoccupied
sleeping badly at night R.C.

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& quoting long passages of Scripture - Phys: health
very fair - cataracts regular. R.C.

Oct 20.

Went yesterday to Las Villes - R.C.

Nov: 23.

Returned yesterday, quite unaltered. R.C.

Jan: 10. 1900

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of originating a conversation, though she
will occasionally make a few consecutive
remarks on a subject that interest her -
Phys: health good - cataracts regular R.C.

July 1 -

Continues as on last note - but has ~~been~~
been somewhat more excited of late. R.C.

Sept: 3.

Was today transferred to Trecheurst - continues
as on note of March 27 - Phys: health good -

Discharged Sept: 3. 00

1999

Caroline Bridge married

Ad^d Sept: 11. 98 aged 44. of no occupation - Wesleyan. Prev:
R.O. " 11 " address Holloway Barnet in as V.B. since Aug: 10
Cind. " 12 " 98. [has address 22 North Park. Lowestoft]
direction of attack uncertain - cause uncertain
"1st attack (melancholia) not E or D but has
threatened suicide.

1st certif: She is suffering from melancholia - she is very depressed
& unhappy - believes she has committed the unpardonable
sin - she is emotionally unstable - there is indication
she says that ideas of suicide present themselves to
her but she is afraid of the future -

Sept: 10. 98. (signed) W. W. Floyer
of Egham. Surrey.

2nd " corroborates
Sept: 10. 98 (signed) Robert Mitchell
of Priestwood. Birkbeck.

Family hist: brother insane.

Prev: hist: Never very strong - always easily depressed &
nervous - m^d 18 yrs: children 2¹⁷ 11
14 yrs ago was much depressed for 4 or 5 months -
5 yrs ago depressed for 2 or 3 months, recovered
after a long sea voyage -
June - 98 became depressed & restless - went for 3
week voyage to Norway - improved a little - but soon
dropped back - came home as V.B. Aug: 10. 98. see B. Bk
II. p: 135. has lately become worse. more depressed
& watched & has threatened suicide so was placed
under certificate.
has been very deaf for over a year - & this compulsory
isolation has made her mentally worse.

Condition on Admission - A. P. Physical.

Gallery ii Fairly developed & well nourished. muscles
H: fleshy - Hair Eyes brown. pupils
W: 102 lb somewhat dilated, but equal. react readily
to L&A conservatively & to skin stimulation.
Mucous memb: somewhat anaemic.
Tongue raw clean but both indurated - there
is a marked tendency to constipation.
Note at to base somewhat flattened & breathing
is here weak (P: states she has had pneumonia
& this is probably due to thickened pleura) Pulse
76 - rather soft. Slight dyspepsia & P: states
that she occasionally feels a slight pain on R side
near umbilicus. (nothing tangible to feel)
Catamenia started to be regular & painless
Hearing very bad - to ear practically nil
for ear or bone conduction. R ear now $\frac{10}{30}$ (on
admission E:) mucus very small - tympanum
fixed & drab. Mucopurulent exudate with a copious
deposit of mucus, much adenoid tissue - strips
of Eustachian tubes still very much thickened
& blocked. but the condition after a month's treat-
ment is excellent - Throat congested & there
is much tough mucus although less than
before treatment - slight "howling" cough.

Sept: 19. Condition somewhat improved & mental
various



B. Mental. Melancholia -

Pf. is exceedingly depressed. states that she feels utterly miserable, that she can settle to nothing, & can "think of nothing but her troubles" - she is morbid & religious - broods incessantly over what she terms her unbelief - now says that she cannot pray, that whereas on admission she was fretting about not believing in the Trinity, now she cannot believe in God himself. She only occupies herself from a sense of duty & only under supervision & if left to herself sits brooding with hands folded in lap & with a most woeful expression of face. She has a very poor appetite & does not sleep well. She has apparently no hallucinations - & her memory is fair -

- Sept. 19. Continues very depressed & emotional with various morbid ideas - very introspective - Phys. health fair but for her depression R.C.D.
- Sept. 26. Very depressed & morbid - rather worse today as her monthly period is beginning & this always makes her markedly worse. R.C.D.
- Oct. 3. M.P. now passing off & she is rather less depressed & morbid - occupies herself a little R.C.D.
- Oct. 12. Somewhat less depressed but still very morbid & religious - R.C.D.
- Nov. 10. Continues very depressed & thinks & talks of little but her delusions & religious ideas - occupies herself very little - sleeps badly. R.C.D.
- Dec. 12. Very depressed & morbid with numerous morbid religious ideas - rarely occupies herself voluntarily - sleeps badly but eats fairly well - continues to lose weight. R.C.D.
- Dec. 21. Continues much the same. was today transferred to Bethel Hosp. Norwich
Discharged Dec. 21, 25

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2000

Louisa Lovegrove single-aged

Ad. Sept. 11. 98 62. of no occupation - Ch: of Eng: - Presin
R.D. " " " address 13 Park St Windsor - here as V.B. since
C. ind. " 12 " Aug: 23. 2nd attack of unknown duration -
supposed cause loss of friends of previous attack
Previously treated 5th Ann's death - March 27th
May 6. 98. Not E.S.O.D.

1st certif: She is restless excitable, highly nervous &
emotional. Tells me she is frightened because she feels
she has made enemies, who might be dangerous, feels
most insecure (this is not ^{all} the fact. She has various
passages of dreadful men staring at her through the
windows, has ideas that she is persecuted & interestingly
amused by people whenever she goes.

Aug: 30. 98 (signed) Robert Mitchell

2nd "

corroborates
Aug: 30. 98 (signed) W^m W. Flyger
of Egham. Surrey.

Family Hist: Said to be nil

Prev: Hist: Here as P^t March 27. 98 to May 6. 98. see X p: 395.
went to stay with friends - got post. came back as
V.B. June 3. 98 to July 4th from July 20th Aug: 3.
(See Bk II. p: 115) Has again become restless & nervous
& came here as V.B. Aug: 23 - since then has become
very unsettled, constantly hearing & obeying
audible hallucinations - e.g. goes down passages in
her nightdress to get a niece whom she still he
hears calling her - pushes man in the window sill
in obedience to voices so - & hence was certified.

Condition on Admission

A Physical

Galley II see casebook X. p: 395.
HF slight hypopnea - tumor of facial muscles, tongue
WF & fingers - Urine contains some albumen. Has

lost an eye -

B. Mental - Subacute mania.
P^t is restless & unsettled - she makes attempt
to occupy herself but can settle to nothing for
more than a few minutes at a time. She is
childish & undisciplined in manner, & asks
advice about the most trifles. She has
constant hallucinations of hearing by night &
by day - these she obeys, doing various foolish
& eccentric acts in obedience to them - e.g. put
her money outside the window sill, gets up from her
chair, twirls it round & sits down again - is
constantly thinking that the trivial acts of
others are done with reference to her & in
purpose to annoy her - Has various delusions of
suspicion, thinks that others steal her things
& that her "enemies" are likely to do her harm.
She is restless at night but eats well.

Sept: 18. Is less restless & emotional - & says that the
auditory hallucinations now annoy her less.
Physicist fair - is sleeping better - R.D.
[does not wish prob taken]

Sept: 27. Continues to improve - she can now sustain
an ordinary conversation for some few
minutes - the auditory hallucinations are still
present but annoy her much less than they
did & she is sleeping much better - R.D.

Oct: 3. Improvement is continued - she is much
less restless & irritable - & she states that
she has nearly lost the auditory hallucinations - is
now sleeping fairly well - R.D.

Oct: 11. Is now equally sociable & occupied - hallucinations
ceased. Discharged today

2000

Louisa Lovegrove single - ag

Ad. Sept. 11. 98 62. of no occupation - Ch: of Eng: - Pres
R.D. " " " address 13 Park St Windsor - here as V.B. and
Cind. " 12 " Aug: 23. 2nd attack of unknown duration
supposed cause loss of friends & injuries after
Previously treated 5th Ann's death - March 27 to
May 6. 98. Not E.S.O.D.

1st conf: She is restless excitable, highly nervous &
emotional. Tells me she is frightened because she
she has made enemies, who might be dangerous,
most vicious (this is not all the fact: She hears
faces faces of dreadful men staring at her through
windows, has seen that she is persecuted & intensely
annoyed by people whenever she goes.

Aug: 30. 98 (signed) Robert Mitchell

2nd " corroborates
Aug: 30. 98 (signed) W^m W. Poyser
of Egham. Surrey

Family Hist: Said to be nil

Prev: Hist: Here as P^{er} March 27. 98 to May 6. 98. see X p: 395
went to stay with friends - got post - came back
V.B. June 3. 98 to July 4, from July 20 to Aug: 3 -
(See Bk II. p: 116) Has again become restless & nervous
& came here as V.B. Aug: 23 - since then has been
very unsettled, constantly hearing & obeying
and hallucinations - e.g. goes down passage
her nightdress to get a niece when she still
hears calling her - pushes man in the window:
in obedience to voice etc - hence was certified

Condition on Admission

Physical

Galley T see casebook X. p: 395.
HF slight hypoplasia - tumor of facial muscles,
WF 3 fingers - Urine contains some albumen.

lost an eye -

B. Mental - Subacute mania.

P^{er} is restless & unsettled - she makes attempts
to occupy herself but can settle to nothing for
more than a few minutes at a time. She is
childish & undecided in manner & asks
advice about the merest trifles. She has
constant hallucinations of hearing by night &
by day - these she obeys, doing various foolish
& eccentric acts in obedience to them - e.g. put
her money outside the window sill, gets up from her
chair, turns it round & sits down again - is
constantly thinking that the trivial acts of
others are done with reference to her & on
purpose to annoy her - Has various delusions of
suspicion, thinks that others steal her things
& that her "enemies" are likely to do her harm.
She is restless at night but eats well.

Sept: 18. Is less restless & emotional - says that the
auditory hallucinations now annoy her less.
Physicist fair - is sleeping better - R.C.D.
[does not wish photo taken]

Sept: 27. Continues to improve - she can now sustain
an ordinary conversation for some few
minutes - the auditory hallucinations are still
present but annoy her much less than they
did & she is sleeping much better - R.C.D.

Oct: 3. Improvement is continued - she is much
less restless & irritable - she states that
she has nearly lost the auditory hallucinations - is
now sleeping fairly well - R.C.D.

Oct: 11. Is now agreeable sociable & occupied - hallucinations
ceased. Discharged today

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2001

Elizabeth Caroline Robertson

Ad. Sept. 11. 98 single - aged 54. of no occupation - Previous
R.O. " " " address Glenelg Brisbane - then as V.B.
C. ind. " 12 " since Aug. 22. 98. not 1st attack, duration
about 4 months - Cause unknown - Previously
treated at Murray's Asylum, Perth from May/95
to Oct. 97.

1st certif: she is acutely depressed, asks of crisis, says she has
suicided unpardonably, that she hears words out
of the Bible spoken at her all day.

Aug. 30. 98 (signed) Robert Muthall
of Priestwood, Brackwell.

2nd " corroborates.

Aug. 30. 98 (signed) W.W. Floyer
of Egham, Surrey.

Family Hist: Uncle insane - said to be result of
carriage accident.

Pres: Hist: Was at Murray's Asylum Perth. May 95 to Oct. 97

admitted here as V.B. Aug. 22. 98 - found to be not
fit to remain as such, & was certified

Condition on Admission - A Physical -

Gallery W/ P: is fairly developed - & is fairly nourished
H. though flabby. some scoliosis - complexion pale
W. 98: & yellow - mucous mems: somewhat anemic -
Tremor of facial muscles & tongue & to a less
extent of larger muscles - some jerky movement
of arms & legs & occasionally of head - Tongue pale
& tooth indented - a marked tendency to
constipation - Some dyspepsia - some pain &
flatulence after food - No Dg of disease in throat

Anaemia
Dyspepsia
otitis media

or abdominal organs beyond a tenderness of
heart sounds - Pulse 84 -

Eyes - grey - pupils equally somewhat dilated
react readily to L.A. conservatively, to skin
stimulation. Kerato-pilo brisk - other reflexes
normal -

Hearing - T.E = (on admission, as V.B) $\frac{2}{30}$ R.E = $\frac{26}{30}$
Left meatus blocked by large am of impacted cerumen
wh: was removed & hearing increased to $\frac{20}{30}$ perf:
of test by impurum. under treatment the blood
stained purulent discharge has almost ceased -
Urine

Catamenia ceased years ago.

Taken Sept. 11. 98



B. Mental

P: is restless & emotional. can settle to
nothing nor keep still for more than 20 or
minutes - restlessly moving hands head & feet
when seated & constantly jumping up from her
chair - She is peevish & worries about the
merest trifles. She is depressed & weeps
readily without cause - she states that she is
very wicked & has committed the unpardonable
sin & that there is "no hope for her" - Her conversa-
tion is disjointed & rambling - Her memory
is unimpaired. She has marked auditory hallucinations

stating that she "hears words all day" - & has "teeth constantly running through her head" & that these "annoy her terribly & prevent her sleeping" - these are sometimes externalized, sometimes she realizes that they are subjective. They are not more marked on one side than the other but become louder & more distressing at night & lying down. She has little self reliance & little initiative.

Sept: 19. Very depressed emotional & morbid so very selfish in small ways & is a frequent source of annoyance to the other ladies. eg of amakes mine walk up ladies on either side of her to talk to her, so she feels lonely. R.C.D.

Sept: 27. Is somewhat less depressed & restless & is rather less quarrelsome & annoying. R.C.D.

Oct: 3. The slight improvement above noted is maintained. R.C.D.

Oct: 12. Is rather more depressed again - weeping freely & talking much of her imaginary troubles. R.C.D.

Nov: 10. Varies much - but on the whole still is very depressed & emotional. R.C.D.

Dec: 1. Is very depressed. Yesterday was weeping & bidding farewell to all the people in her gallery declaring that she was about to die. This morning while in the workroom suddenly jumped a table, & sprung out of the window into the court was moved to N° 5. R.C.D.

Dec: 12. Continues exceedingly restless & depressed - and hallucinations are very marked & they influence her conduct. eg she stated that a lady who sleeps near her in above dormitory kept shouting at her all night that she was to die in the morning (lady really asleep night) she jumped on her

8th Feb. 99

bed & hit her severely - she complains of strong smells unaccounted for by others - & is very apprehensive & suspicious - sleeps badly. R.C.D.

Has been very depressed the last few days - constantly weeping - restless at night & sleeping badly - eating very badly requiring feeding by bits. S.C.D.

9th March.

Has much improved - much more cheerful even at times smiling - sleeping better & eating well - Today has been moved to gallery; No 67 which has much pleased her. S.C.D.

April 25.

Has been very depressed again for the past 2 or 3 weeks - although she is fairly cheerful about every 3rd day. The alternating days she is quite unoccupied, oblivious to her surroundings, tormented by the hallucinations of hearing - usually in the attitude depicted below - with a tremor of hands & head, of about 6 to the second. R.C.D.



Tremor marked

May 22

Has considerably improved of late - is now fairly cheerful & occupied - & is taking food fairly well - much unaccounted for removed yesterday & hearing improved from $\frac{8}{30}$ to $\frac{20}{30}$. R.C.D.

July 5.

Varies considerably - has frequent attacks of marked depression with delusions of unaccountable evil things

these are less marked & less frequent than they were in the intervals is freer & irritable. RCD.

Aug: 29. The attacks of acute depression with refusal of food, delusions of unpardonable sin are less frequent & are not so severe nor do they last as long as they did. She is very variable: at times fairly cheerful, at others very free irritable, & continues to hallucinate of hearing as much less marked than they were. RCD.

Sept: 19. Continues variable - but attacks are not so frequent nor severe as they were. & there is a decided hysterical element in them, as she is always much worse when observed & when notice is taken of her. Phys: health fair. RCD.

Dec: 22. Periods of acute restless depression alternate with periods of quiet cheerfulness - but these periods of acute depression are not so long, so frequently repeated nor so severe as they were. She is usually somewhat free & emotional. Phys: health good. RCD.

March 27. 00 She continues variable & alternating between acute depression with delusions of unworthiness & mild fancies - she is however even at her worst not so acutely miserable as she used to be. Phys: health good but she does not sleep well. The auditory hallucinations being worse at night. RCD.

June 30. Continues unchanged since last note but the hallucinations are distinctly better than they were, after removing some unperfected cures. Phys: health good. RCD.

Sept 24. Varies somewhat but on the whole there is some slight improvement. Phys: health good.

Nov: 15. Went yesterday to Hare Hills. RCD.

June 3-20 Returned from Hare Hills on May 23, having been

8253 there since Nov: 14. 00 - she is now restless agitated & morbidly apprehensive but can control herself sufficiently to occupy herself to some extent & to enter into a short conversation on ordinary topics. Phys: health very fair. RCD.

Sept: 16. Do somewhat less morbid & apprehensive 72513 1/2 but is somewhat variable; the periods of depression are not however neither so acute nor so prolonged as they were - she takes food well but often sleeps badly. Phys: health good. RCD.

Dec: 31. As on last note. RCD.

March 22. 02 Continues less acutely depressed than she was; the hallucinations of hearing are less troublesome than they were. She takes food well & on the whole sleeps better than she did though she still often requires hypnotics. Phys: health good - she has been taking arsenic. RCD.

June 26. On the whole is less acutely depressed & 8253 is somewhat less restless than she was. She is still however much troubled by delusions of imaginary sins coming upon herself or her friends & by auditory hallucinations. Phys: health good. RCD.

Sept: 18. Continues to be less acutely depressed but 8255 there is still much mental confusion & she is often very apprehensive - & the auditory hallucinations are often very marked. Phys: health good - but she is somewhat anemic. RCD.

Dec 18. 43 Pt. shows no improvement.

Sept. 54. Auditory hallucinations very marked. Am.R.

March 16. She continues variable - emotional with marked attacks of depression - auditory hallucinations 8256 1/2

these are less marked & less frequent than they
in the intervals is freer & irritability. RCD

Aug: 29. The attacks of acute depression with repeated & frequent
7056 delusions of unpardonable sin are less frequent &
not so severe nor do they last as long as they did -
very variable: at times fairly cheerful, at other
times very irritable & contentions - Hallucinations of hearing
much less marked than they were. RCD

Sept: 19. Continues variable - but attacks are not so
frequent nor severe as they were. & there is a
decided hysterical element in them, as she is
always much worse when observed & when
is taken home. Phys: health fair. RCD

Dec: 22. Periods of acute restless depression alternate
with periods of quiet cheerfulness, but
periods of acute depression are not so long
as frequently repeated nor so severe
they were - She is usually somewhat
emotional - Phys: health good. RCD

March 27. 00 She continues variable & alternating between
7058 acute depression with delusions of unworthiness
& mild fugues - she is however even
her worst not so acutely miserable as
used to be - Phys: health good but she does
sleep well. The auditory hallucinations being
at night. RCD

June 30 Continues unchanged since last note but the
7059 hallucinations are distinctly better than they were, &
removing some unimportant elements - Phys: health
good. RCD

Sept: 24. Varies somewhat but on the whole there
7062 some slight improvement Phys: health good.

Nov: 15. Went yesterday to Stone Villa RCD

June 3-01 Returned from Stone Villa on May 23, having

8053 there since Nov: 14. 00 - she is now restless
& agitated & morbidly apprehensive but can
control herself sufficiently to occupy herself
to some extent & to enter into a short conversation
on ordinary topics. Phys: health very
fair. RCD

Sept: 16. Do somewhat less morbid & apprehensive
7053 but is somewhat variable; the periods of
depression are now however neither so
acute nor so prolonged as they were -
she takes food well but often sleeps badly.
Phys: health good. RCD

Dec: 31. As on last note. RCD

March 22. 02 Continues less acutely depressed than
8052 she was; the hallucinations of hearing are less
troublesome than they were - she takes
well & on the whole sleeps better than she did
though she still often requires hypnotics - Phys:
health good - she has been taking an iron RCD

June 26. On the whole is less acutely depressed
8053 is somewhat less restless than she was - she
is still however much troubled by delusions
of imaginary evils coming upon herself or
her friends & by auditory hallucinations
Phys: health good. RCD

Sept: 18. Continues to be less acutely depressed but
8055 there is still much mental confusion & she
is often very apprehensive - & the auditory
hallucinations are often very marked - Phys: health
good - but she is somewhat anaemic RCD.

Jan 18. 03 (Pt. shows no improvement)

Oct. 5. Auditory hallucinations are very marked. RCD

March 16. She continues variable - emotional with marked
8062 attacks of depression - auditory hallucinations

2003

Ad. Sept. 15. 98
R.O. "
C. in d. " 16. "
(urgency)

Emily Maria Laker - single

aged 34 - of no occupation. (has helped her mother to keep a boarding-house) Ch: of Eng: - Pres: address 11 Friarstile Road. Richmond - 1st attack of about 2 months' duration - not previously treated - Cause unknown - not E.M.D. - but **Suicidal**

1st certif: She is in a state of melancholia - restlessly agitated & excited. Her appearance is one of misery. She believes she has committed the unpardonable sin, & is loath that she must die. She has attempted to commit suicide & says she will do it again. (Can't) has attempted to strangle herself & that she has threatened to drown herself & that she is quite beyond control.

Sept. 15. 98

(signed) W.W. Lloyd of Egham

2nd "

Family Hist: No history of insanity or nervous (including epilepsy, chorea, gut, ergone, paralysis etc) obtained
Brother died, aged 22, of 48.

Pres: Hist: Always nervous "sensitive", self conscious & of a "worrying disposition" - of late has been worse. has been helping her mother keep a boarding house & has been leading a very sedentary life - worrying over trifles - refused to go out 2 months ago wrote to brother saying she felt she was becoming insane - would not go away - Last week has been worse - attempted suicide by strangling herself - threatened to drown herself - very restless - sleeping badly & refusing food.

Bodily health fair - frequent "bilious attacks" - has

had no special illness but is often ailing.

Condition on Admission - Physical

Gallery III. P: is fairly developed - but is very thin
H: Eyes - grey - pupils somewhat dilated - react to L. & R. consensually & to skin stimulation
W: Hair brown - soft & straight. Complexion yellow - Mucous membranes: anemic -
Tongue red - glazed & tooth indented
Ears badly developed - esp: left - fossa helix small & square - helix distorted - whole ear small - upper part broad & bent, expanded laterally (see photo) Palate narrow & vaulted - upper incisors artificial & molars missing

Supine - chin flexed -

Prob: 48. 2. 2. 2. 2. 2.

Chest moves poorly - very poorly covered - R: infra clavicular fossa strongly marked, note to 3rd rib unpaired - V.R. +. In weak expirations prolonged - almost bronchial in character occasional moist sound after coughing - P: states she has no cough or sputum. R = 22.
Heart slightly dilated - HAB 1/2" inside N.D. in 5th space A.C.D. extends to R5 border of sternum - P: 0.4 tone less - faint systolic murmur at apex & at P.A. not heard at L5 of scapula (Prob: anemic in origin)
Pulse 76 - soft.

No P.S. of disease in abdominal organs - marked constipation -

Catamenia stated to be regular - severity of pain in Urine

Knee jerks brisk - slight ankle clonus - other reflexes normal. no corneal reflex

B - Mental Melancholia -

P: is very depressed - sits unoccupied

Looking the picture of misery - states that she feels utterly miserable, but can give no reason for her misery. Has many morbid ideas, chiefly connected with religion - She has delusions of unpardonable sin & states that she must die, although she is "afraid to do so". She runs to having attempted suicide & is only sorry the attempt did not succeed - She has no apparent hallucinations - she sleepwalks & is very troublesome about food -

Sept: 22. She has considerably improved - is less depressed & despairing - says that she "feels better" - is taking food better - has begun to occupy herself a little, is sleeping better - She has some cough on cold nights - cataplexy impaired. RCD.

Sept: 29. Continues to slowly improve - occupies herself a little, is now sleeping fairly - cough better, & administration of quinine - RCD.

Oct: 8. On the whole is somewhat less depressed, occupies herself more but apparently retains her suicidal tendencies - cough continues to be rather better & she is taking food better - RCD.

Oct: 16. Continues to be less depressed but worries much about going home - RCD.

Nov 23. Is apparently now in her usual mental state - occupies herself well, takes a fair interest in her surroundings -

Her physical condition much improved - in spite of the late cold & foggy weather - has practically no cough - & there are very few more spots the syphilitic apical pneumonia has disappeared & mucous membranes are a fair color

Discharged Nov 23. 98

Elizabeth Caroline Robertson (cont. p. 147)

temper very troublesome - she is restless & very restless & noisy at night RCD.

June 30. 8009



Aug: 29. 8010
Oct: 15.

Continues weakness, restlessness & agitated with delusions of impending danger to herself rather, marked hallucinations of hearing - RCD. continues as on last note - RCD - She varies considerably but on the whole is not so

acutely agitated as she was. Through the delusions & hallucinations are maintained - She is Ann's health. U. S. Home Villa - RCD. Proven 11th 1904 Home Villa -

May 28. 9000

Miss Elizabeth Caroline Robertson presents her compliments to Doctor Moore, and desires to tell her that as she has heard of the sudden death of her three dear sisters, she will be obliged by his asking the Administrator of this institution to make her a dress of material suitable for her last court, as also to order her a close fitting bonnet and a pair of black Kid gloves.

Aug: 30. 8015

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March 22

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May 28. 9000

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June 30. 8009



Continues weak-minded restless & agitated with delusions of impending danger to herself & others & marked hallucinations of hearing - *RCD.*

Aug: 29. 8010
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acutely agitated as she was. though the delusions & hallucinations are maintained - She went yesterday on leave to Hareville - *RCD.* She returned yesterday from Hareville - has apparently gone on just the same as - is now mildly depressed. somewhat restless & weak-minded with auditory hallucinations. *RCD.*

Aug: 30. 8013 1/2

The acute attacks are less frequent but she does not clear up as well between attacks. She is now weak-minded & mentally confused. Phys health good. *RCD.*

Nov: 13. 8014 1/2

She continues depressed restless & agitated - is full of apprehensions concerning herself & her family - see annexed letter in which she speaks of the (imaginary) sudden death of her 3 sisters - she is somewhat less acute & keeps on her clothing - Phys health fair. *RCD.*

Jan. 18. 1905
8017 1/2

Patient is less depressed and agitated at present but there is much mental confusion. Her physical health is good. *S.M.P.*

March 22

She continues slightly depressed & somewhat restless

Oct. 7. apprehensive about her health (which is good) and showing much mental confusion - S. 1107

June 25^{8st} - 7^{1/2} Patient continues much depressed - but is slightly better occupied (had spectacles prescribed) and spends much of the day outside. Her appetite is good and she sleeps well. S. 1107

Aug. 11 Patient went to Holy Villa. S. 1107

Dec. 19 Patient died at Holy Villa. S. 1107

1906 March 23 Patient returned from Holy Villa yesterday - in good physical condition and less depressed. S. 1107

June 26 Patient is less depressed and better occupied. She is in good physical health. S. 1107

Sept. 18 Patient is again much depressed - silent praying constantly. Her physical health is good. S. 1107

Dec. 10 Patient much depressed, silent, praying constantly. She is at present taking Ferr. Sulph. Co. with benefit, her appetite having improved. S. 1107

1907 March 20 There is no mental change. Patient is in fair health. S. 1107

April 26 Went to Holy Villa. S. 1107

Supplementary Book A. 221

2008

Rebecca Maria Mills

Ad. Sept: 16.98 single - aged 47- of no occupation - Ch: of Eng: - Pres: address 44 Torrington Sq: London WC (suburb) 1st attack of "a few days' duration" - supposed cause: "heredity" - not epileptic nor dangerous but has tried to jump out of a window to escape from imaginary danger.

C. ind. (urgency)

1st certif:

She is full of delusions. She believes that certain people persecute her - & accuse her of gross immorality & threaten to put her eyes out & have placed vermin in her bed. She believes that she has been drugged. She hears voices & says she saw one of her persecutors & heard his voice as she came in here.

Sept: 16.98

(signed) W.W. Sloger of Egham

2nd "

That she was being slowly poisoned - the top of her head was taken off & her jaw taken away & her eyes & teeth were to be taken out.

16 Sept: 98

(signed) J. Prudden M.R.C.S. of 22 Bloomsbury Sq. W.C.

Fam: Hist:

Gd father & Gdmother convulsions - both very grave. Their 4 children all more or less insane. Father several attacks - dead 9 yrs: Pat: aunt insane - still alive - has had 2 daughters in asylums. Pat: uncle - certified. Mother eccentric & old - nohist: of Gout - epilepsy - chorea - & d.B.

Pres: Hist:

"always weak-minded & eccentric" Last 5 yrs: living in various boarding houses. Now in eccentric & old & constantly has been asked to leave. developed delusions of poisoning, of suspicion & of pregnancy - went to Brighton where she had to leave

on account of her conduct & conversation - went to home in Gorness, asked to leave - went on Sept: 10.98 to Charing X station. began to take ticket, was noted by police & by them sent back to Gorness & thence to Torrington Sq where she was one night - became quite uncontrollable - had nurse (day before admission) marked auditory & visual hallucinations: at night - tried to jump out of window & was with difficulty prevented from so doing - insisted that a man was in the room who was about to kill her.

Condition on Admission.

A. Physical.

Galley III

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PE is fairly developed but is poorly nourished - Eyes - grey. T. lens shows marked cataracts - chrysois - R? pupil reacts to L.A., conversely & to skin stimulation - Complexion muddly with many acne spots - Tongue fairly clean but red & somewhat cracked - throat more poorly & is somewhat rickety in shape - note & breathing equal - R: 20. HAB & ACD normal. H.C. & fair & clear - Pulse 72 - fair tension. There are no P.S. of disease in abdominal organs - liver is just palpable. ~~None~~ ~~pink~~ ~~brisk~~ - other reflexes normal. Urine Catamenia

B. Mental

Subacute Mania

PE shows marked confusion of thought with a tendency towards incoherence - She has numerous delusions - states that she is ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~presence~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~devil~~

pregnant (intoxic) that there is a plot against her, that she has heard people plotting together to tear off her hair, to take out all her teeth, that her character was caused by paint put into her eye while asleep. She has numerous audal hallucinations - hears these voices all day accusing her of crimes, suggesting various tortures to be carried out upon her. She has occasional visual hallucinations & has some delusions of identity, partly however owing to her defective sight which leads her to mistake one person for another - she however thinks that many of her friends are here. She catapally but sleeps badly.



Sept:

- Sept: 23. Has improved since admission - is less restless of her delusions are not so marked. She occupies herself a little & takes some interest in her surroundings - is sleeping better. R.C.D.
- Sept: 30. Continues less restless & states that the hallucinations annoy her much less than they did. R.C.D.
- Oct: 8. Retains some of her delusions of suspicion but they are less marked than they were as are also the hallucinations of hearing - She is sleeping better. R.C.D.
- Oct: 16. continues much as on last note R.C.D.
- Nov: 20. Is less suspicious than she was, & her delusions of persecutions (as above) are much less definite

& marked than they were though they still persist - Hallucinations both visual & auditory persist but she is now often conscious that they are not objective. R.C.D.

- Dec: 12. Is less confused & can talk fairly coherently - her delusions of suspicion are less definite & are not always now present. Hallucinations though persisting, she can often now ignore - & her conduct is now rarely influenced by them. R.C.D.
- Feb: 7th 99. Talks fairly coherently - Hallucinations seem to have almost entirely disappeared. She is occupied & interested in her surroundings. R.C.D.
- 3 March. P^r has quite lost her delusions - talks coherently tho' her replies are a little slow. R.C.D.
- May 22. Delusions seem to have almost entirely disappeared - P^r can enter into conversation, she is cheerful & takes an interest in all that goes on around her - but there is marked confusion of mind, little initiative & she is easily upset - becomes almost incoherent if asked what her plans are, when she leaves the Sanatorium. R.C.D.
- June 22. Cheerful & occupied but has little initiative & is easily confused & upset by trifles - Phys health much improved - continues every 3 wks. R.C.D.
- Sept: 18. There has been a little more mental confusion of late - P^r was well in N^o 2 but the slight change seemed to upset her & she is again in N^o 7 - Phys health good. R.C.D.
- Jan: 9-1900. P^r is somewhat more depressed & there is marked mental confusion - Phys health fair - but she has at present 3 fair sized patches of skin.

March 27. There is marked mental confusion & weak
 no7 memory with many delusions of identity
 7055 1/2 she states that the nurses persecute patients
 that people are sometimes one person, sometimes
 another, that her gallery is a "fraud gallery" in
 which people only pretend to be mad, when they
 are really sane. &c. Tumor now quite
 cured. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

July 4. Continues unaltered but she talks less of her
 7055 1/2 delusions than she did & she is somewhat
 less restless - Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Aug: 11. She was yesterday transferred to private
 care [Mr. Fox. 6 Barnard Road. Clapham - Lane]
 by authority of her brother - the physician.
 She was examined before leaving - & was
 found to have no traces of P.S. disease -
 the patch of tumor on the shoulder is quite clear
 but the skin is still faintly pink from the former
 use in its cure.

Discharged Aug: 10. 00

2009

Edith Carpenter

Ad. Sept. 24. 98. married - aged 56. Ch: 9 Eng: not 1st attack.
R.O. Oct. 22. 87 of 13 1/2 years duration - 1st attack aged 16.
C. ind. Sept. 98. P. mainly treated at St Ann's Hosp. 1887 to 1888
(Transfer) with Dr. W. Dean Leatherhead. 1885 to 1887 -
not E. S. or D. Transfer from Warford House

1st certif: Very excited manner. incessant talking. is under the
delusion that she frequently sees her dead husband at his
grave - & that he could be revived from the dead by prayer
(can't) under the delusion she is about to be married & frequently
disturbs Miss Service by giving out the blessing at the
top of her voice.

Oct. 16. 87 (signed) F. N. Baring of Wimbled

2nd " carbonate.

Oct. 22. 87 (signed) S. H. S. Amington of Gosport 5th 88.

Pres. Hist:

Usually quiet & gentle.
After death of husband became nervous - had
various spiritualistic delusions, that she could raise
her husband from the dead & hallucinations of sight
& hearing - brewed in Church & behaved in an
see Casebook (large) ad. Sept. 24. 87.
eccentric manner. admitted Oct. 24. 87. excited -
moodment of eccentric - with delusions of exaltation
of a religious character - (inspired by Heaven) a deter-
mined runaway - & made several attempts. erotic
Transferred Sept. 26. 88 to Warford House. Excite
impaired after 2 or 3 months but constantly talked of
remarrying - Apr. 98 relapsed - trouble came. fed by tube
excited by day & noisy at night - May 24. picked lock
of doors. June 15. climbed apart of window & panned.
Taking food badly - Sept. Taking food better - always
attempting to escape - less excited -

Family Hist: said to be mild

Condition on Admission

A. Physical

Pf is fairly developed. poorly nourished but
muscles fairly firm - Hair grey - Eyes brown
pupils equal & react to L.A. conservatively &
to skin stimulation. Complexion ruddy with
capillary injection over the malar. Chest nerves
somewhat poorly but there are no P.S. of disease
in thoracic or abdominal organs. Pulse 72. of
fair tension - Lungs just palpable. some
constipation. Tongue fairly clean but red &
cracked. Mucous pinkish - slight anisocoria.
other reflexes normal. cranial reflex
present.
Urine
Catamenia

B. Mental Subacute Mania

Pf is restless & excited, talks incoherently
in a piping childish sort of way. She has
many delusions of exaltation, says that she is
"directly inspired by Heaven" - states that she can
raise her husband from the dead - also that she
is about to be married. She has hallucinations of sight
& of hearing - stating that she sees her husband
& hears his voice. She has delusions of identity

mistaking a housemaid near her for her daughter
Mary, persisting in addressing her as such
though the mistake is pointed out to her - states
that she has met many of the people here before,
(pointing out ladies who have come here recently
while she was at home) She is often excited &
is determined to escape, smashing a large
window pane to fragments in her endeavor to
get through a door. She is noisy at night,
beating the door for hours with her open hand &
calling out. Refuses food & has been fed by tube.

Oct. 1
Is quiet on the whole, is now taking food &
has an accord - but continues to make a wild
rush for any door that is opened. Is still frequently
noisy at night. R.C.D.

Oct. 9.
Has quieted down to some extent, is less noisy
at night - her delusions of identity are less
strongly marked than they were, she is less
noisy at night. R.C.D.

Oct. 16.
608
Continues somewhat quiet but still makes
wild attempts at escape & plunges for every door she
can open. R.C.D.

Oct. 23.
709
Exceedingly noisy last night. This morning the
head night nurse (Miss Ross) heard her banging on the door
& waking up all the other ladies in Salter's so went in
to quiet her - in coming out, the P.F. slipped her
right left little finger into the hinge end of the door & got
it somewhat severely pinched - it was at once
attended to. R.C.D.

Nov. 20
Is quiet on the whole, is somewhat less
restless - but still wanders about the gallery
most of the day, talking in a curious high pitched
voice & interfering much with the other ladies.
generally makes a dash for any open door after

noisy at night. R.C.D.

Dec: 12.
Is certainly quieter & is somewhat less
inclined to bolt through doors - still very
interfering & restless, & is almost entirely
unoccupied. R.C.D.

Dec: 20
704.
The near approach of Christmas seems to upset
her - she has been more excited of late, fighting
& kicking the nurses when taken to bed or
meals. & often noisy at night. R.C.D.

Dec. 1st 99
705:
Still excited - always bolting for the doors &
constantly fighting the nurses - After hours
at night - Generally worse at the end of
the week - being upset by the ^{approach} of
Sunday. R.C.D.

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702
No change. R.C.D.



May-99

Dec 8.
802
Has continued quiet. occupying herself more
& more reasonable in her behavior - able to go to the
entertainment etc - until last 2 days - night before
last exceedingly noisy, yesterday in pulled room,
restless excited & uncontent - Phy. nurse food R.C.D.

June 22.
Is now recovering from the acute attack above

mistaking a housemaid near her for her den-
 may, persisting in addressing her as such
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 3rd March. No change. R.C.D.

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May-99

June 8. Has continued quieter, occupying herself more
 802 & more reasonable in her behavior - able to go to the
 entertainment etc. - until last 2 days - night before
 last exceedingly noisy, yesterday in jaded room,
 restless excited & incontinent - Phy. matter food R.C.D.
 June 22. Is now recovering from the acute attack above
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mentand; is dull & stuporous with marked mental confusion & ideas of suspicion - Phys health satisfactory - R.C.D.

Aug: 20. Back in her usual condition of weak-mindedness, with mild excitement & ideas of suspicion & of delusions of identity - continues to run for doors & to be unreasonable & eccentric in her conduct. R.C.D.

Dec: 14. The hypertrichosis is increasing - there is a marked growth of hair on the upper lip - R.C.D.

Jan: 9. 1900. Was somewhat more excited for about a week at Christmas but is now again weak-minded & eccentric - is much less suspicious & the delusions of identity are less marked - Phys health good R.C.D.

March 24. Has continued alternately excited & weak-minded facile & eccentric - was yesterday transferred to Northwood- Winterbourne - no marks or lesions.

Discharged March 23. 1900

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Sarah Anne Feldwicke

Ad. Sept: 24. 98 single - aged 26. of no occupⁿ Establi^{sh}
R.O. Sept: 23. 98 Church. Prev: address 21 Sussex Sq Brighton - met
C. ind. " 26. " 1st attack. of about 2 weeks' duration. age on 1st
attack 23. Supposed cause "hearing of suicide"
neighbours & summer hut". Doubtfully suicidal
possibly dangerous, not epileptic.

1st certif:

Previously under care at nursing institution, Oldlands
Villas. Linsbury Park N. 3 years ago.
confession of suicidal tendency of earnestness & ideas
of being poisoned by others (father & sister's names) much
vicarious & realistic. (Cm⁹) attempt at suicide at
Rotherham Sept: 19. 98 by throwing herself into the sea
delusion of poisoning by others.

Sept: 21. 98 (signed) H.S.B. Mufson
of 57 Lonsdale Place, Str.

2nd "

corroborates
Sept: 22. 98 (signed) R.J. Ryde.
of 15 German Place, Brighton

Pres: Hist:

Gen: Hist:

aternal aunt mine -

Condition on Admission

A Physical

Galley H^o W^o P.F. is fairly developed, is fairly nourished - Hair
light & coarse. complexion mostly yellow.

Anemia

viscous membranes anemic - Eyes grey
pupils equal, somewhat dilated, react quickly
to L.A., consciously, & to skin stimulation.
Tongue furred & tremulous. Teeth - ridged.
Heart 0th poor, toneless - faint systolic
beat at apex & at P.A. Venous bruit in
jugulars. H.A.B. in 5th space 1" inside N.A.
Sutures to R.C. border of sternum.

There is marked constipation - but no P.S. of
disease in abdominal organs.
Caterer's stated to be fairly regular but scanty
Urine
Knee-jerk brisk. some ankle clonus.

B. Mental

P.F. is restless & agitated, talks in a hesitating
confused way - beginning many sentences
not finishing them - there is a marked tendency
towards incoherence & great confusion of
thought. She is conscious herself of this & states
that she cannot "think straight". Her memory is
much impaired, both for recent & remote events.
She cannot remember how long she has been
here, nor when she left Brighton - is not sure of the
day of the week nor the month - & is doubtful about
her own age. She has vague delusions of suspicion
thinks that people here are going to poison her -
thinks that the night nurse key was a gay

force open her mouth in order to take out the teeth & that she had polished the floor was then a purpose to stain her by a blow on the head etc. She is resistant & stuporous, requiring help in dressing & even in undressing - Takes food badly & sleeps badly - She has apparent hallucinations of sight, which seem however to be more misinterpretations of what she sees, than of more of the nature of illusions than of hallucinations properly so called.

Oct: 1 - Is very dazed & confused - apprehensive with delusions of suspicion as above. RCB.

Oct: 9 - Continues confused & stuporous, almost always unoccupied - usually sits on a chair or sofa with mouth half open, hands folded in lap. RCB. as an best note.

Oct: 17 - Continues dazed & confused. RCB.

Oct: 25 - Nov: 18. Is less confused than she was, but still only occupies herself under supervision - rarely speaks of her own accord & though she still seems to have lost the definite delusions of torture mentioned above, she still has vague delusions of suspicion - taking food better but still not well. There is still marked confusion of thought. RCB.

Dec: 10. Still very dazed & confused with vague delusions of suspicion - indolent dull & anemic - is somewhat less anemic & constipation is much improved under treatment. RCB.

Dec: 19. Has been somewhat excited the last few days striking & punching three ladies near her. RCB.

7th. 99. Has been excited & violent - on more than one occasion striking the other ladies. RCB.

15 March. Still continues very dull & at times violent - Has been doing some work of late - Talks very little - is

somewhat sulky.

June 15. Oct 4.

Continues very confused, automatic & stuporous - at times excited, abusive & impulsively violent - she occupies herself to some extent under supervision, but usually sits unoccupied with face buried in her hands or covered over with a handkerchief or

She has vague suspicion but is unable to think that inflict some vague as of opinion - Phys: ulc. RCB. - To have hallucinations - RCB.

Handwritten note on a separate piece of paper:
I am sorry to hear of your illness and hope you are now recovering. I have been thinking of you very much as a dear old friend.
Sincerely yours
A. J. J. J.

July 2. 99. Is less confused & occupies herself - her surroundings - the hallucinations of

July 20. Continues less dazed & confused & to occupy herself more than she did - the hallucinations of hearing are very marked & these voices frequently abuse her - Phys: health fair - catarrh requires.

force open her mouth in order to take out her teeth, & that she had polished the floor was true on purpose to skin her by a blow on the head etc. She is resistant & stuporous, requiring help in dressing & even in undressing - Takes food badly & sleeps badly - She has apparent hallucinations of sight, which seem however to be more misinterpretations of what she sees, than of more of the nature of illusion than of hallucinations properly so called.

Oct. 1 - Is very dazed & confused - apprehensive with delusions of suspicion as above. R.C.D.

Oct. 9 - Continues confused & stuporous, almost always unoccupied - usually sits on a chair or sofa with mouth half open, hands folded in lap. R.C.D.

Oct. 17 - as on last note. R.C.D.

Oct. 25 - Continues dazed & confused. R.C.D.

Nov. 18 - Is less confused than she was, but still only occupies herself under supervision - rarely speaks of her own accord, though she still now seems to have lost the definite delusions of torture mentioned above, she still has vague delusions of suspicion - taking food better but still not well - there is still marked confusion of thought. R.C.D.

Dec. 12 - Still very dazed & confused with vague delusions of suspicion - indolent but of anxiety - is somewhat less anemic & constipation is much improved under treatment. R.C.D.

Dec. 19 - Has been somewhat excited the last few days, striking & pinching those ladies near her. R.C.D.

7 Kb. 99. Has been excited & violent - on more than one occasion striking the other ladies - R.C.D.

15 March. Still continues very restless & at times violent - Has been doing some work of late - Talks very little - is

R.C.D.

Continues very confused -

June 15.

Oct 4.

Continues very confused, automatic & stuporous - at times excited, abusive & impulsively violent - she occupies herself to some extent under supervision, but usually sits unoccupied with face buried in hands or covered over with a handkerchief or newspaper - She has vague delusions of suspicion but is

I do not see but could not be put to rest by several of my patients because of my legal home.

seems to think that to inflict some vague idea of poison - Phys: regular. R.C.D.

Continues to have hallucinations about her - but not much less confused &

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she occupies herself in her surroundings by the hallucinations of infinite crimes to her & slightly violent as

she makes some noise with the voices coming from people near her - Taking food better Phys: mouth fair but she is still somewhat anemic R.C.D.

Dec. 20.

Continues less dazed & confused, to occupy herself more than she did - the hallucinations of hearing are very marked, these voices frequently abuse her - Phys: health fair - catarrhi regular. R.C.D.

force open her mouth in order to take out teeth, & that she had to polish the floor was thus a purpose to skin her by a blow on the head etc. She is resistant & stuporous, requiring help in dressing & even in undressing - Takes food badly & sleeps badly - She has apparent hallucinations of sight, which seem however to be more misinterpretations of what she sees, than of more of the nature of illusions than hallucinations properly so called.

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- Dec. 12 - Still very dazed & confused with vague delusions of suspicion - indolent dull & anergic - is somewhat less anemic & constipation is much improved under treatment. R.C.D.
- Dec. 19 - Has been somewhat excited the last few days - striking & punching those ladies near her. R.C.D.
- 7 Feb. 99 - Has been excited & violent - on more than one occasion striking the other ladies - S.C.D.
- 15 March - Still continues very dull & at times violent - Has been doing some work of late - Talks very little - is

R.C.D.

continued system -

- June 15. 624 - Continues very confused, automatic & stuporous - at times excited, delusory & impulsively violent - she occupies herself to some extent under supervision, but usually sits unoccupied with face buried in hands or covered over with a handkerchief or newspaper - She has vague delusions of suspicion but is very sullen & reticent - she seems to think that the medical officers are going to inflict some vague torture upon her, has vague idea of poison - Phys. health fair - catamenia regular. R.C.D.
- July 28. See annexed letter - continues to have hallucinations of hearing & to think people abuse her - but occupies herself more than she did. R.C.D.
- Sept. 19 - on the whole is brighter; much less confused & dazed than she used to be - she occupies herself more & takes more interest in her surroundings - She is still much annoyed by the hallucinations of hearing which abuse her & impute crimes to her, she is occasionally excited & slightly violent as she thinks sometimes that the voices come from people near her - Taking food better Phys. health fair but she is still somewhat sallow & slightly anemic. R.C.D.
- Dec. 20. Continues less dazed & confused, to occupy herself more than she did - the hallucinations of hearing are very marked & these voices frequently abuse her - Phys. health fair - catamenia regular. R.C.D.

March 27.00 Continues unchanged since last note
 725 Phys health fair - she has frequent toothache & has several times been to see the dentist, then obstinately refusing to let him even look at her mouth - catamenia regular. R.C.D.

June 30. Continues much troubled with the "hallucination" of hearing - is constantly complaining of the other ladies shouting abuse at her, when really they have been quite quiet - Phys health fair but she is anaemic & not robust. R.C.D.

Sept: 24 Hallucinations have been somewhat less persistent of late but she is moody, irascible & erratic Phys health somewhat improved - she is distinctly less anaemic after a course of iron - catamenia regular. R.C.D.

Dec: 31 She complains somewhat less of the aural hallucinations since she has had a private bedroom - but she is very nervous & moody - at times excited there is marked mental confusion & she rarely occupies herself. Phys health improved of late - about this back she notes other friends stating that she had cancer for which there is absolutely no foundation. cat: reg: Menstruation 10 days R.C.D.

March 19.01 Continues morose & silent; rarely occupies herself - is at times excited especially when the auditory hallucinations are most marked - there is marked mental confusion - & the auditory hallucinations distress her greatly at times Phys health continues very fair - C.2. R.C.D.

June 21. Continues unchanged - Phys health fair. C.2. R.C.D.

Sept: 16 + 725 Continues morose silent & unoccupied with marked auditory hallucinations & vague delusions of suspicion - her conduct is eccentric - Phys health fair - C.2: R.C.D.

Dec: 31 As on last note - she is very nervous & irascible & retains her delusions & hallucinations - Phys health fair - R.C.D.

Dec: 22.02 Continues unaltered - morose unoccupied with delusions (of suspicion) & of a hypochondriacal nature, that she has cancer & hallucination of hearing - Phys health fair C.1. R.C.D.

June 26. Continues unaltered - C.1. R.C.D.

Sept: 18. Continues morose & unoccupied with vague delusions - rarely occupies herself - hallucinations at times troublesome - Phys health fair but she is thin & anaemic though less so after a course of iron & cod liver oil. R.C.D.

Dec. 18. 1903. Pt. is a little quieter lately.

Sept. 16. 1904. Hallucinations persistent, and she is very suspicious. R.C.D.

Nov. 16. She continues as on above note - Phys health slightly improved of late R.C.D.

Dec 8. Continues suspicious & irritable with marked hallucinations of hearing - R.C.D.

Aug: 29. Unchanged - silent morose & irritable with delusions of suspicion (of poison) & hallucinations of hearing - Phys health fair - but she holds her food & though she eats largely, keeps thin - is less anaemic & catamenia somewhat regular - R.C.D.

Nov: 25. Continues as above - A.3. C.1. R.C.D.

Feb: 29. 04. She continues deluded silent & morose - with marked hallucinations of hearing - Phys health fair - C.2. R.C.D.

May 30. Continues as above - Phys health fair but she keeps thin - so she holds her food - C.2 R.C.D.

Aug: 30. Suspicious & irritable with hallucinations R.C.D.

March 27.00 Continues unchanged since last note
 7.5.00 Phys: health fair - she has frequent tooth
 & has several times been to see the dentist
 then obstinately refusing to let him ex-
 amine her mouth - catamenia regular. R.C.

June 30. Continues much troubled with the
 7.5.00 7.5.00
 +7.5.00 of hearing - is constantly complaining of the
 tinnitus shouting abuse at her, when well
 has been quite quiet - Phys: health fair but
 is anemic & not robust. R.C.

Sept: 24 Hallucinations have been somewhat less frequent
 7.5.00 7.5.00
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 erratic Phys: health somewhat improved &
 distinctly less anemic after a course of iron
 catamenia regular. R.C.D.

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 but she is very morose & moody - attention
 there is marked mental confusion & she
 occupies herself. Phys: health improved &
 about this time she met her friends & that
 she had cancer for which there is almost
 no foundation. cat: reg: Menstrual 10.0.00 R.C.D.

March 19.01 Continues morose & silent; rarely occupies
 7.5.00 7.5.00
 +11 herself - is at times excited especially in
 the auditory hallucinations are most marked - there
 is marked mental confusion - & the auditory
 hallucinations distress her greatly attention Phys:
 continues very fair - C.R. R.C.

June 21. Continues unchanged - Phys: health fair. C.R.
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +5.0.00

Sept: 16 + 5.0.00 Continues morose silent & morose
 7.5.00 7.5.00
 +11 with marked auditory hallucinations &
 vague delusions of suspicion - her mind
 is eccentric - Phys: health fair - C.R.: R.C.

Dec: 31 As on last note - she is very morose
 & irascible & retains her delusions of
 hallucinations - Phys: health fair - R.C.D.

March 22.02 Continues morose - morose irasci-
 7.5.00 7.5.00
 +10.0.00 ble with delusions (of suspicion & of a hypodermic
 nature, that she has cancer) & hallucina-
 tions of hearing - Phys: health fair C.A. R.C.D.

June 26. Continues morose - C.A. R.C.D.
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +5.0.00 Continues morose & irascible with vague
 delusions - rarely occupies herself -
 hallucinations at times troublesome - Phys: health
 fair but she is thin & anemic though
 less so after a course of iron & catamenia
 regular. R.C.D.

Dec. 18. 1905. Pt. is a little quieter lately.
 8.5.00 8.5.00
 +16.0.00 Hallucinations persistent, and she
 is very suspicious. R.C.D.

March 16. She continues as on above note - Phys:
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +8.0.00 health slightly improved of late R.C.D.

June 30. Continues suspicious & irritable with
 marked hallucinations of hearing - R.C.D.

Aug: 29. Unchanged - silent morose & irritable
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +8.0.00 with delusions of suspicion (of poison & of
 conspiracies to annoy her) & hallucinations of
 hearing - Phys: health fair - but she holds
 her food & though she eats largely, keeps
 thin - is less anemic & catamenia some-
 what regular. R.C.D.

Nov: 26. Continues as above - A.D.C. R.C.D.
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +9.0.00

Feb: 29. 04. She continues deluded silent & morose -
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +6.0.00 with marked hallucinations of hearing - Phys: health
 fair - C.R. R.C.D.

May 30. Continues as above - Phys: health fair but
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +3.0.00 she keeps thin as she holds her food - C.R. R.C.D.

Aug: 30. Suspicious & irritable with hallu-
 8.0.00 8.0.00
 +6.0.00

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Harriet Lucy Smallpage

Ad. Sept: 26.98 married - aged 51 - Wesleyan. Pres: address
R.O. Sept: 24 " 10 Hewlett Moor - York. 1st attack of about 3
C. ind. " 27. " years duration - supposed cause climacteric.
never under special treatment. Not epileptic
no dangers, possibly suicidal -

1st certif: She appears to have a great amount of irresolution;
says she sits for hours without taking notice of any thing
& can take no interest in anything at all. is afraid she
has sinned greatly & has never done what she should
have done. says she has irresistible impulses to violently
grasp & break things. (Comp) will sit without moving &
speaking for hours & then start up & walk violently about
her husband & take something to herself & once cut the skin of
her throat superficially. She will grasp things violently &
break them & has cut her hands often by grasping knives.

Sept: 23.98 (signed) Richard Patch
173 Mickleyst. York.

2nd " corroborates.

Sept: 23.98 (signed) James Ramsey
of 22 High Petwayt. York.

Family Hist: Said to be nice

Pres: Hist: Usually occupied - kindhearted & fairly cheerful.
no children.
Early in '96 became very stout. very apprehensive &
restless. went to the Ballo's man for some time, became
better - went home, grew worse - sleepless, rather
developed delusions of suspicion -
Jan: 97. was some ^(months) away at Selby - treated
for her stoutness - seemed well & went home -
was soon became worse than ever - & went back to
Selby till July. since has been at home, with a

company - also of great simplicity, restless,
very irritable. quite unable to look after her house -
untidy in dress & person - talks of suicide - plays
with knives - 6 months ago scratched her throat with
a knife. Sleeps fairly & eats fairly - avers to
going out -
Gen: health generally fair - has been "lame"
for some years. "about face" has dragged
leg & sometimes complained of pain in it.

Condition on Admission.

A. Physical

Gallery if P. is well developed & well nourished - is
H. stout & fleshy. complexion sallow. Tongue
W. 90513 furred & tooth indented. Mucous membranes:
somewhat anæmic - H. & S. tongue, hoarse
there are no R.S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal
organs - marked carotid pulsation. color loaded.
P. states that Catarrhus cerebri about 4 years
& that she has no leucorrhœa or uterine

R. leg.

When walking she drags the R. leg & cannot
lift it properly from the ground - the R. calf
muscles are in a condition of spasticity, as are
also the thigh muscles to a certain extent - but
R. knee joint is unimpaired & there is no ankle clonus
plantar reflex just perceptible - sensation to
touch pain heat & cold normal. touch is perhaps a
little delayed - No tenderness of nerve trunks -
some occasional tingling pain - To leg normal.
Grasp of R. hand good & there is no paralysis of foot -
leg is brought round with a circular swing -
Eyes gray - pupils equal, somewhat small. Great
sensitivity to light & to skin stimulation - arcus senilis -

B. Mental - Melancholia
 P. is mildly depressed - is irritable & complains of trifles unnecessarily - she says that she feels a marked loss of self control & that "little things she would not have noticed when well now, worry her extremely" She has mild delusions of suspicion, stating that people steal her clothing & do various little acts on purpose to annoy her - She says that she has lost all interest in life & thinks it "might be better to end it, if she were not afraid to do so" - She has no apparent hallucinations - She sleeps badly & has a poor appetite. Memory slightly impaired, her power of attention is slight.



- Oct. 4. Has somewhat improved since admission - is more cheerful, less irritable, & has brightened up a little - she states that her stomach is less painful but the paries persists. RCB.
- Oct. 11 - On the whole has somewhat improved - complains much of her legs these last few days - there does not seem to be real pain but some tingling & a feeling as if "a cord was drawn round it" & her gait is more unsteady, partly owing to bad corns. RCB.
- Oct. 16. In bed with a bad feverish cold. Influenza? RCB.

- Oct. 24. Has much improved - is less depressed
 90511 Temp: down, is about again - paries varies - she walks fairly well if not hurried but easily gets flustered & then finds a marked difficulty in turning.
- Nov. 2.6. Is somewhat variable but on the whole RCB.
 9054 Has improved - paries is about the same. RCB.
- Dec. 27th Condition remains as above - P.C.S.
 Feb. 28th Still depressed - Appetite very poor - RCB.
- 15 March. Has been very troublesome about her food -
 8051 very depressed - paries remains much the same.
- April 27. Continues more depressed & apathetic - takes
 8053 food badly & has lost flesh & fat - She finds more difficulty in walking but on careful exam this is more in the direction of incoordination than of increased paries - esp of right leg - which is not wasted - Reflexes of both limbs - sensation for heat, cold touch & pain normal - there is some slight spasticity & a tendency to cramp in the right leg. RCB.
- May 22. Somewhat less depressed than on last visit & occupies herself more - is out much of the day with advantage. RCB.
- June 7. Today went on trial - continues somewhat
 8055 less depressed - but still has little initiative & is easily upset by trifles. RCB.
- Aug. 3. Was today discharged from leave - is said to be going on well.

Discharged Aug. 3. 99

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- Nov. 15. 04 She continues morose & silent - she is mostly occupied herself & is much troubled by the hallucinations of hearing - she is annoyed greatly by calling her abusive names - she is very hypochondriacal & says she is in fair health but will not eat her food & consequently has occasional dyspepsia R.C.D.
- Jan. 18. 1905 Patient remains silent & morose - quite unoccupied. The hallucinations of hearing are ^{sometimes} very acute. Her physical health is fair. S.H.P.
- March 14 - 7st. 13. She continues silent and morose, quite unoccupied usually sitting in a corner with an apron over her head, refusing to answer any questions and of patients becoming abusive. The hallucinations of hearing are constantly present - Her physical health is fair S.H.P.
- June 25 7st. 10. Patient continues silent & morose - when out, takes a chair as far from the others as possible and sits close with the legs unoccupied from abusive of addressed - Physical health fair. S.H.P.
- Sept. 11. There is no mental or physical change. A. 11.2 S.H.P.
- Dec. 19 7st. 13 1/2 Patient continues morose and silent, rarely occupied with constant auditory hallucinations. She is in fair physical health.
- March 23 7st. 13 1/2 There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.
- June 15 Patient continues morose silent and poorly occupied with constant auditory hallucinations. She went to Stone Villa today. S.H.P.
- 5th Sept. Patient returned from Stone Villa on the 30th Aug. She is in good physical health and less morose than usual though always keeping herself apart from the other patients. S.H.P.
- Dec. 10 Patient continues silent and morose, always keeping apart from others - rarely occupied with constant auditory hallucinations. S.H.P.

1907 March 27 There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.
 April 26 Went to Stone Villa. S.H.P.
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2016. Henrietta Colman. single

Ad. Oct: 4.90 aged 35. Baptist - 1st attack of about 4 yrs: duration - supposed cause "want of activity" R.O. dated Oct: 4.98 Prev: address c/o Mrs Massey - 19 Park Road, Loughborough - not E or S. but is threatening at times.

C. in L. Oct: 5.98

1st Certif: Slightly restless manner, always fidgetting with something in the hands. Has delusions that something is put into her food.

Oct: 2.98 (signed) S B Pike of High St. Loughborough

2nd " Corroborates.

Sept: 30.98 (signed) J H Edlows M.D. of Loughborough

Prev: hist: Has been "peculiar" for several years. restless, would never settle to anything, selfish & incurious developed delusions of poisoning.

10 yrs ago left home & set up a house of her own - soon got tired of it - Mother died about 7 yrs ago. P. home for a time & grew worse. Father married again about 7 years ago. P. became violent to her stepmother, delusions of poison were marked - since then has been visiting her mother & sister etc.

lately restless at night with hallucinations of hearing - loss of memory - very hypochondriacal - delusions of poisoning & of a plot against her to injure her - at times refuses food - refuses medicine stating that it is poisoned - frequently excited.

Gen: health fair - some dyspepsia -

Family hist: said to be nil -

Condition on Admission - A Physical

Galley H: W: P: is fairly developed & is fairly nourished. Complexion somewhat sallow. Tongue slightly furred & tooth indented. Mucous mem: a little anemic. Some tremor of facial muscles. No PS of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. Eyes grey pupils somewhat dilated but react readily to A & A. consensually & to skin stimulation. Knee jerks brisk - other reflexes normal. Urine 1022. ac: urates - no album: urea = 17%. Catamenia stated to be regular, scanty but with only slight dysmenorrhoea.

B. Mental mania with delusions

P.'s manner is somewhat restless & fidgetty - she twists her hands about & plays restlessly with any small object near her, as she talks - there is some furtiveness of the hands & face - Her conversation is disjointed, she begins sentences which she does not finish - Has delusions that her father & sister attempted to poison her by putting poison in her food & drink - & is still suspicious that this will be done here - she has also ideas of a plot formed to injure & annoy her - She states that she has some hallucinations of hearing but these do not seem to amount to actual voices - Her memory is impaired & she states that she feels that she is different to what she was a year or two ago & that she "feels odd" - She sets fairly but is inclined to be restless at night.



Oct: 28.

Oct: 11- Continues practically the same as on admission - R.C.D.

Oct: 18. Is becoming very resistive, objects to doing anything which she is asked to do - got up, go to meals, go out, into the workroom etc. Complaining bitterly yesterday that she had "severe indigestion" & wanted medicine - when given it, declared it was poison & refused to take it - R.C.D.

Oct: 21. Yesterday forgot kicked & scratched when asked to go to the workroom - sent to N.S. R.C.D.

Oct: 28. Is less resistive than she was, is beginning to find out that she cannot have her own way in everything - still in N.S. R.C.D.

Nov: 5. Continues less resistive but is variable & uncertain - at times dull & listless, at others flighty & impulsive. Has some delusions of suspicion & continues to think that poison is put into her food. R.C.D.

Nov: 26. Is much the same - when out for a walk on the 22nd made a determined & desperate attempt to escape & was with difficulty brought back - on the whole is somewhat less resistive & is less variable - but is still taking little food - on account of the delusions of poisoning - R.C.D.

Jan 9th Continues much the same. R.C.D. A.H.

15 March / 99. Dull & listless. quite unoccupied - fairly amenable now - R.C.D.

April 18. Last 2 or 3 days has been more restless of the delusions of persecution have been more marked - yesterday evening she attacked a nurse severely scratching her face - R.C.D.

June 21. Has been less excited of late. continues dull, stuporous & anergic - has delusions of suspicion & is very sullen & resistive - do apt to see signs in anything done near her - & retains the delusion of poison - Phys health good - catamenia reg. R.C.D.

Aug: 4. Yesterday when her father visited her, she attacked him kicked him & threw a heavy ornament at his head - R.C.D.

Sept: 19. Very dull, stuporous, listless & anergic - with many delusions of suspicion - continues to "see signs" in everything - only occupies herself under supervision & protest. Phys: health good - catamenia regular - R.C.D.

Dec: 20. Continues unaltered - at times excited & then is often violent - usually more violent & very anergic - Phys health good - R.C.D.

March 2000. Somewhat less dull of late & she occupies herself more than she did - delusions are very marked. Today her father travelled a long distance to see her, she utterly declined to see him - asserting that he had repeatedly tried to kill her, that he was "only a silly old rascal" - she sometimes has a delusion that she is made of glass & consequently tucks her legs up under her in a chair - Phys health good. R.C.D.

June 30. continues as on last note. Phys health good R.C.D.

Sept: 24. There is less stupor & she occupies herself more but there is much mental confusion - she seems to think that

the delusion above noted - catamenia undig. RCD

Dec: 31. Is weak-minded & childish & has many little eccentricities of manner & conduct. Always sits in a chair with her legs tucked under her (though she now denies the delusion above noted) when in the gallery will sit in a dark corner away from the others flat on the ground with her feet far above her head - there is marked mental confusion & she rarely occupies herself. Phys: health good - c. 2. RCD.

March 19. 01 Continues as on last note - she has numerous delusions but she is reticent about them & easily becomes excited & violent when questioned. Phys: health good - c. 2. RCD.

June 21. Continues weak-minded & eccentric - with vague delusions of identity & of suspicion - is at times excited. Phys: health good - c. 2. RCD.

Sept: 16 Continues as on above note - 2 days ago she said she swallowed a small bit of glass, there was however no sign of any abrasion on lips, palate tongue or fauces & she constantly makes this assertion [e.g. states that each menstrual period is so caused] consequently the assertion is probably not true - she was fed for 2 days on starchy food & has passed several large motions wh: contain no glass or foreign matter. - c. 2. RCD

Dec: 31- Continues weak-minded eccentric & unoccupied with numerous delusions - is often excited & is apt to be unprovokedly violent if interfered with at all - Phys: health good RCD

March 22. 02 Continues as on last note - c. 2 RCD.

June 26. Unchanged. weak-minded - eccentric & unoccupied - at times excited. Phys: health good - c. 2 RCD.

Sept: 19. Continues weak-minded & unoccupied with marked mental confusion & many delusions - she is unoccupied & morose & keeps away from others. Phys: health good - c. 2. RCD.

Jan 15. 1903. Hallucinations and delusions continue. P. 44y. 18 1/2. P. 44y. 18 1/2. amb.

March 16. She continues unaltered - is usually morose & sullen but is apt to be abusive & excited if thwarted in any way. Phys: health good - c. 2 RCD.

June 30. Unchanged - RCD.

Aug: 29. Much the same but is less morose & sullen than she was - is unoccupied & has many queer habits e.g. sits with her feet tucked under her, & when asked why she does so, remarks mysteriously "they are safest so" - still states that she is fed with glass & swears her m: p: as evidence that this must be so. Phys: health fair - c. 2 RCD

Nov: 25. Continues as on last note. A. c. 2 RCD.

Feb: 29. 04. She continues unchanged - but is less morose & sullen than she was - Phys: health fair - c. 2 RCD.

May 30. Much the same but is more cheerful & friendly than she was - Phys: health good - c. 2 RCD.

Aug: 30. Continues as on last note - RCD.

Nov: 15. 04. She is still unoccupied eccentric & full with many delusions & hallucinations of sight & hearing - but she is much less morose & now is rarely abusive to anyone. Phys: health good - RCD.

Jan. 18. 1905. Patient is still unoccupied, but much more cheerful - rarely abusive to anyone. Health good.

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Margaret Renton - single

Ad. Oct. 3. 98 aged 61 - of no occupation - Ch. of Eng. - 1st
R.O. Oct. 7. 98 attack of about 33 years' duration Cause
C. ind. Oct. 10. 98 unknown - Pres: address 47 Clarendon Road -
Notting Hill W. of Kensington Workhouse Infirmary
not E. S. or D.

1st certif: She has but little knowledge of her surroundings, is
childish rambling in conversation, & confused in
ideas.

Oct. 6. 98 (signed) M. Townsend.
of 24, 1/2 Phillips Place, Kensington

2nd " corroborates.

Oct. 6. 98 (signed) A. T. Cosmbe
of 81 Clarendon Rd, Notting Hill W

Family Hist. Sister in-law

Pres: History Has been insane for about 33 years. not under care
but living with her brother, Major A.H. Renton - the latter
died on Sept. 23. 98 - P.F. was neglected & was removed
under certificate to the Kensington Infirmary - where
she was removed here under fresh certificate of petition
of P.F. cousin -

P.F. arrived here in almost filthy condition - grimed with
dirt with clothing of the most foul description -

Condition on Admission - A. Physical

Gallery II P.F. is a fairly developed old lady - is poorly
H.P. 5 ft nourished - complexion sallow & bilious, looking as
if she had been much indoors - Mucous membr:
W.S. 708 7 1/2 somewhat anemic - Tongue clean Teeth in a
normal state. almost all in upper jaw carious stump

many in lower jaw carious & broken - covered with
tartar, green & black - Infec clavicular fossae
very marked - note at apices somewhat impaired
breathing weak - no br: br: though expiration
is somewhat prolonged - R: 20. shallow.
HAB not easily localized, apparently in 5th space 1"
inside N.L. Arteries somewhat arteriosclerotic
Pulse 72. fair - regular - Venous hum in
jugulars - Liver extends to about a
finger's breadth below ribs - Spleen just palpable.
Eyes brown - arcus senilis in both - pupils
equal, somewhat contracted & react though
poorly to L.A. consensually & to skin stimuli
She is somewhat lame. The left knee being
distorted - the head of the tibia is dislocated from
the femur & fibula being normal - this dislocat
portion is enlarged, but the skin over it is
normal, there are no enlarged veins & there is no
pain or tenderness - the patella is movable
but looks more outwards than forwards -
the left foot is carried outwards but there is
fair movement in the joint. No history can
be obtained -
Knee jerks normal - other reflexes normal -
Urine 1018 - ac: clear with a trace of alb:
no blood, pus or indican -

Disloc: of Tibia (186)



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- Oct: 16. Her condition is quite unchanged. R.C.D.
- Oct: 24. Do sitting in fairly well - quite childish, unconscious of her surroundings. R.C.D.
- Nov: 1. Is in a condition of secondary dementia but is adapting herself to her surroundings & is somewhat less restless. memory very faint & uncertain, eats well & sleeps fairly. R.C.D.
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- Nov: 15. Memory is distinctly improving - she now generally knows the date, can correctly give her address & some account of herself. she is much less restless & can enter into an ordinary conversation. She writes a good deal but instead of scribbled meaningless phrases she now writes a fair letter. She eats well & is sleeping very fairly. R.C.D.
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her mouth & draw it over her own face, that of others - scratches her head in public in the sitting rooms, & other little habits of a somewhat vulgar tendency - requires help in dressing & undressing & to be reminded about the calls of nature &c. sleeping better. R.C.D.
 Inason the last note - but can now write fairly (considering her age), see amended letter. R.C.D.
 Still continues in same condition inculcally - discharge R.D. to do.

St. John's Health
 Virginia Water
 Surrey
 29th Nov 1898
 My dear Mrs Black,
 I hope you enjoy good health, and that all your family are quite well. I have been expecting a letter from you daily, as I wrote to you about ten days ago. Why have you not replied to my letter as a lawyer should have done since I came here? I have neither seen nor received any letter from my sister in-law, Mrs Penton. I wrote to her a few days after arriving here enclosing a list of small necessary articles & some materials for laundry work, but she had not sent them nor replied to my letter. I said in it that I would return home on the 1st Dec. I am very glad to hear that you are present & well. I am
 Yours truly
 J. G. [Signature]

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Nov 23rd
 Miss Weston
 XT. p. 183

St. John's Rectory
Virginia Water
Surrey
 27th Nov 1898

My dear Mr. Black,

I hope you enjoy good health, and that all your family are quite well. I have been expecting a letter from you daily, as I wrote to you about three days ago. Why have you not replied to my letter as a lawyer. I should have done so since I came here & have neither seen nor received any letter from my sister-in-law, Mrs. Bentley. I wrote to her a few days after arriving here enclosing a list of small necessary articles & some materials for fancy work, but she has not sent them, nor replied to my letter. I had thought that I would return home on the

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 In: 17th Is on the last note - but can now write fairly (considering her age), see annexed letter. R.C.D.
 Feb. Still continues in same condition irregularly - discharged 6-2-27

List of articles required
 1/2 lb. White Shetland wool for a shawl
 1/2 lb. ditto black
 Bone crochet needle to suit wool.
 25 balls white Maltese thread 67 each 2 black ditto No. 20. 2 fine steel lightest needle in handle to suit thread
 1/2 lb of black Berlin wool
 Lot of 4 wires No. 14
 2 sheets Paper
 Packet of filler paper 6 1/2
 Large envelopes 3d 100
 envelopes 3d 100
 10 3/4 2d. 4 1/2 1/2
 1 Penholder 6 or small box
 of long pink pointed pins
 1 Black Ink 1/2 pint bottle
 2 boxes small glass
 Row the 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2
 3 lbs of mixed Westmat
 per lb
 1/2 lb of mixed foolscap
 Paper 5 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2

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7 foot of Artichoke ground
 1/2 small box of fruit deforms
 for Violin & 1/2 do. ditto, 6/2.
 2 boxes candied / sugar of ginger
 1/2 lb each
 One Guinea box of Blau
 Scotch Cope & 1/2 lb. another
 Scotch 1/2 lb price 1/2.
 One dozen Cigars 1/2 each
 One lb of 3rd grade tobacco
 in tin box. 2 boxes Wooden
 matches store of black
 Ink (not blue black) price 1/2

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Dec: 1st - Reason the last note - but can now write fairly (considering her age), see arranged letter. R.C.

4 Feb. Still continues in same condition irregularly - Discharged 6.2.27

Discharge Rec. 4 Feb. 99.

- Henrietta Catman (from page 180)
- March 14. Patient sits most of the day with her feet kicked up in a chair, occasionally screaming with laughter. She says her feet are of glass and the maid must protect them. She is quite unoccupied but not cheerful and no longer abusive. Her physical health is good. S.H.P.
- June 25. There is no mental change - Her physical health is good. S.H.P.
- Sept 11. Patient continues as described in note of March. S.H.P.
- Dec. 19. There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.
- March 23. Patient continues eccentric in conduct, always sitting with feet off the ground (as they are of glass) and screaming with laughter at intervals. She is quite unoccupied. Her physical health is good. S.H.P.
- June 26. There is no mental change. Patient was sent to Bell's for May, as there was an unhealed patch on her back suggestive of ringworm. This yielded quite to treatment and she has returned to Bell's. S.H.P.
- Sept 18. Patient continues eccentric (always sitting with feet off ground) in conduct, frequently noisy, always unoccupied. Her physical health is good. S.H.P.
- Sept 28. Patient has been observed lately to be unusually thirsty and always drinking. As urine being examined it was found to be 1008 sp. gr. and contained no sugar or albumin, and the daily quantity passed ascertained to be six pints twelve ounces - Diabetes insipidus. S.H.P.
- Dec. 18. Patient still passes large amount of urine at low sp. gr. Her appetite is very large and ordinary. She is in fair physical health. Her conduct is eccentric - she always keeps her feet off the ground and frequently bursts into screams by laughter. S.H.P.

- 1907 Jan. 7 Patient has just recovered from a mild attack of influenza. S.H.P.
- March 20. Patient continues erratic in conduct, frequently screaming with laughter for no apparent reason, always sitting with feet off ground in case they break. Still passing large quantities of urine of low specific gravity. S.H.P.
- Supplementary Book # 227.

2019

Ad. Oct. 14. 98
R.O. Dec. 19. "
Cind. " 20. 98
(urgency)

Elizabeth Mary Riggs

single - aged 53 - of no occupation - Chi. Ill.
Res: - Pres: alone Laurel Cottage - Ropley.
Hants. 1st attack of about 4 months' duration
nowhere previously treated. Supposed cause "worry
about money affairs" (really needed plenty of money,
poverty a delusion see below) Not epileptic nor
dangerous but has threatened suicide.

1st certif: That she has not prayed enough & is therefore very
sinful - thinks she would not mind drowning herself
if that would be the end - that at night she hears
noises of men in the chimneys & that if she goes
away her home will be broken into by them (Cont.) has
threatened to drown herself, that she should ask me to shoot
her when I came to see her, she wished she could be
ground to powder - she throws coals, bricks at
people in the house.

Oct. 13. 98 (signed) J.W. Polley, M.D. F.R.C.S.
of Abingford - Hants.

2nd " corroborates -
Oct. 15. 98

(signed) W.W. Floyer
of Egham.

Family Hist: said to be nil

Pres: Hist: Has lived alone much -
4 yrs ago had a bad attack of influenza followed by
diphtheria - depressed by erratic after-effects for a time
2 yrs ago profuse menorrhagia - became very anaemic
& weak - operated upon & a "bleeding polypus" was removed
1 1/2 yrs ago a severe caries in shoulder - menorrhagia

"a few months ago" began to build a house of her
own - borrowed money to do it - worried much
about this, though she paid interest & gave security -
worried about money matters in general.
4 months ago began to have definite delusions of
poverty - refused food - became sleepless -
was treated by Dr. J. somewhat improved for a
time but became worse again - developed
hallucinations of hearing - hearing burglars in the
chimney - attacks of violence, & excitement
with intervals of depression - Has threatened
to drown herself, & has asked people to shoot her

Condition on Admission

A Physical

General: P: is well developed & is well nourished -
H: Hair dark, beginning to turn grey - complexion
somewhat swarthy, with some capillary injection
over the malar bones. Eyes: brown - pupils con-
tract slowly to L.A., consensually & to skin stimuli
Tongue: dry & cracked. She presents no P.S.D.
disease in thoracic or abdominal organs,
beyond the fact that the left kidney can be
pushed downwards towards the iliac crest
for about 1 inch - Knee-jerks equal & feet
other reflexes normal. Urine 1025. ac. very
turbid with urates - faint trace of albumen - trace of
viscidum - no blood or pus.

reference to photograph

B. Mental

Pf is restless, cannot sit quiet for more than 2 or 3 minutes, spends most of her time roaming restlessly about the airing court or gallery. She is apprehensive & has delusions of imminent torture, i.e. states that the nurses are about to put her into an iron coffin in which she is to be buried alive - that her head is to be "ground to powder," that prison to "cause her terrible torture" will be put into her food &c &c. She has hallucinations of hearing stating that before admission she used to hear the voices of burglars in the chimney, planning how best to rob & torture her, & that these burglars have followed her here, & that she hears them still at night. She states that her life is a misery to her, & she would like to die. Her memory is defective. She sleeps badly but takes food fairly well.

Oct: 21. Continues restless & apprehensive with delusions of imminent torture - is sleeping rather better than she did R.C.D.

Oct: 28 Somewhat less apprehensive, & is sleeping better. R.C.D.

Nov: 6. Pf is less restless, & occupies herself to some extent of her delusions though still present are much less pronounced & she talks much less than, & is less apprehensive. She still sleeps badly, & the hallucinations of hearing (voices accusing her of crimes, & suggesting torture & coming dangers) are then troublesome R.C.D.

Nov: 14. On the whole the improvement is maintained but she is somewhat variable of her delusions are very marked at night as are the hallucinations of hearing as above. R.C.D.

Dec: 7. She is less restless in the daytime & occupies herself fairly but the delusions of imminent

torture & the hallucinations of hearing persist, are very marked at night time - she seldom sleeps until past midnight R.C.D.
Jan 27th Pf still depressed - but occupies herself fairly with various kinds of work. Was transferred today to Picketham House.

Discharged - 27 Jan 99.

2022

Margherita Orbib - single.

Ad. Oct. 16. 98 aged 20- of no occupation - ^{Tripoli} Prev: address
R.O. Oct. 16. " 91 Priory Road. West Hampstead - 1st attack
C. ind. " 17 " of a few days' duration - Supposed cause:

hysteria, self abuse. not E. or S. but has threatened others & been impulsively violent.

1st certif: There is loss of self control - she confesses that she has things & assaults people & says that she cannot help it. She also confesses to bad habits, attacks of excitement. She appears vacant, is childish in her manner & actions & is unable to fix her attention.

Oct. 15. 98 (signed) W. W. Floyer
of Egham, Surrey

2nd " corroborates.
Oct. 15. 98

(signed) Robert Nuttall
of Priestwood, Bracknell.

Family Hist: Father an Arab - Mother Italian.
several members eccentric &c (probably vicary)

Prev: Hist: P.S. was born & brought up in Tripoli - always passionate & unmanageable - constant scenes with her parents. Has been in England for last 6 yrs: lately much worse. Has taken a dislike to her mother & has had frequent attacks of "hysteria" - Last 3 who has been under care of Italian nurses - very violent - has scratched & fought nurses & been destructive - admitted as V.B. - Oct. 7. - quiet & amenable on admission for day after - then screamed & kicked for an hour steadily without cause - several attacks in next day or two - & was certified

Condition on Admission - A. Physical

allerg T P.S. is a dark complexioned girl of Italian Arabi type with short curly dark hair - Fairly developed & is stout - Palate not arched but somewhat asymmetrical - slight scolliosis Tongue fairly clean - She presents no PS of disease in thoracic or abdominal viscera - Reflexes all very brisk - Cranial reflex present - Eyes dark - pupils equal, react very readily to L., H., conservatively to skin stimulation.

She presents no "hysterogenic zone", there is no ovarian tenderness but she is very "itchy".

Catamenia stated to be regular, painful, somewhat profuse. began at 13 yrs



1025. 221 tubid with mites. urea 2.5% mites blood from vagina.

B. Mental Adolescent Maria. P.S. is very variable - usually indolent & languid - at times has attacks of screaming & hysterical crying & laughter - is then usually excited & often kicks or hits out impulsively at anyone near her. She shows great animosity towards her parents, especially her mother - & owes to a great lack of self-control, stating that she cannot prevent

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& has had frequent attacks of "hysteria" - Last 3 weeks
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Urine



1025. ac turbid urine
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attacks of screaming at all. She is somewhat weak-minded, & is very backward for her age, though she can talk English fairly well. In some respects she is childish - Her language is apt to be coarse & she masturbates freely & without shame. She takes food greedily but sleeps badly & is often noisy at night.

Sept. 21.

Continues much the same as on last note. Weak-minded with attacks of excitement & screaming - is sleeping better than she did R.C.D.

Oct. 28

Is less resistant to her attacks of excitement occur less frequently than they did - is sleeping better. R.C.D.

Nov. 6.

Is distinctly better. is more amenable, much less variable - she now rarely has an screaming attack - language improved & her habits are better - is now fairly quiet at night. R.C.D.

Nov. 14-

On the whole the improvement is maintained but on the least provocation she wails loudly though she does not now scream nor kick. she is very indolent & spends hours looking at herself in the glass - the annexed letter shows her mental capacity & utter want of attention R.C.D.

Dec. 7.

Has slightly improved - she has fewer attacks of excitement & a few days ago wrote a very fair letter to her relatives (shown by them to reporter) is very indolent & only occupies herself under supervision. Her health good R.C.D.

Feb. 5th

Gets an attack of excitement about once a week - does a little ^{house}work at times but is very indolent. When asked to write a letter, does nothing more than the example of how. Ells.

March 7th

Continues the same but has been free from an attack of excitement for 3-4 weeks. Ells.

April 30. Last 304 days had several attacks of screaming - by day & night. Last night being unward to extremes - continues almost unoccupied, very indolent & her power of concentration is almost nil. R.C.D.

June 16.

Has been better again of late - occupying herself a little under supervision but still very indolent has not been so often excited of late - very R. good. Catherine R.C.D.

Mrs. Alice
Nov. 15, 98.

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Alice Rice
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reappeared
R.C.D.
gaining weight
Nov: R.C.D.
alive - yesterday
abiding her life -
R.C.D.
- going to print
on the left. &
miss beyond a few
been taking bromide
R.C.D.

Discharged March 7-00

Miss Alice
Nov: 15. 98.

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Alice Rice

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57 Gracechurch Street

Gracechurch



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Miss Arline
Nov: 15. 98.

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Oct. 28 Is less resistant to her attacks of excitement occur less frequently than they did - is sleeping better. R.C.D.

Nov. 6. Is distinctly better - is more amiable, much less variable - she now rarely has an screaming attack - language improved & her habits are better - Is now fairly quiet at night. R.C.D.

Nov. 14. On the whole the improvement is maintained but on the least provocation she wails loudly though she does not now scream nor kick. she is very indolent & spends hours looking at herself in the glass - the ammal letter shows her mental capacity & utter want of attention R.C.D.

Dec. 7. Has slightly improved - she has fewer attacks of excitement & a few days ago wrote a very fair letter to her relatives (shown by them to reporter) is very indolent & only occupies herself under supervision Phys: health good R.C.D.

Feb. 5th Gets an attack of excitement about once a week - does a little ^{house} work at times but is very indolent - when asked to write a letter, does nothing more than the example of Nov. Ells.

March 7th Continues the same but has been free from an attack of excitement for 3-4 weeks. Ells

April 30. Last 30 days had several attacks of screaming - by day & night. last night being removed to Exeter - continues almost unoccupied, very indolent & her power of concentration is almost nil - R.C.D.

June 16. Has been better again of late - occupying herself a little under supervision but still very indolent has not been so often excited of late - very weak-minded - Phys: health good. Catamenia regular - R.C.D.

Sept. 18 Weak-minded anergic & very indolent - but has been less often excited of late - Phys: health good R.C.D.

Dec. 26 Has been rather more often excited of late - very indolent & anergic & quite imbecile sent to N.S. on Dec 15 - shower bath discontinued on that date - Catamenia reappeared Dec: 24 after 6 months amenorrhoea - R.C.D.

Jan: 16. 1900. More often excited of late - gaining weight having gained 5 1/2 lbs since Nov: R.C.D.

March 4. At times excited & destructive - yesterday knocked down a P.S. (Miss Heath) abusing her & is often noisy at night - R.C.D.

March 7. Yesterday was discharged - going to print care - was examined before she left. I found there no marks or bruises beyond a few acne spots over shoulders. (when taking bromide of pot) is very stout R.C.D.

Discharged March 7-00

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2023

Emily Gershom Mackenzie

Ad. Oct. 19. 98
R.O. " " "
C. ind. " 20 "

widow - aged 69 - Gentlewoman - (Ch: 5)
Wife: Pres: address 5 Ann's Heath - Virginia
Water - 20th attack - age on 1st attack 40 -
Primarily treated Brook House: Northumberland
House Feb 5 Ap: 89 - Holloway San: Oct: 90 - Oct: 91
San: 92 to Ap: 95 - Feb: to June - 96 - Feb: to Ap: 97
Sept to Dec: 97 ^{Camden Hill} Parkham House Dec 97 to March 98.
San: March to Aug: 98 - Since V.B. to date -

1st certif: She is restless, excitable, her behavior is
irritated & absurd, when asked a question does
not reply but starts a rapid walk away from me,
then suddenly returns & asks some absolutely
irrelevant question, bursts out laughing with
face & generally conducts herself in a highly
bizarre fashion

Oct 15. 98 (signed) Robert Muthall
of Priestwood Bracknell

2nd " corroborates -
Oct: 15. 98. (signed) W. W. Floyer
of Egham - Surrey

Pres: Hist: See casebook TX p 213. X p: 219. X p: 401.
B. M. II. 45. 149.
Has had an attack lasting 5 to 6 months each year
in spring & autumn since 189 to a doubtful 2^o
of attacks previously - P.F. came in on March 29. 98
recovering from an acute attack. went on well till
May when she was again acute - grew better
on Aug: 23. became A.V.B. being still slightly
confused & fussy -
Last few days has been restless, somewhat
irritated & has been found
necessary to again certify her -

Family Hist: said to be nil

Condition on Admission & Physical

Gallery & H: P.F. is well developed. & is well nourished -
does not look her years, is robust &
W.F. 10 18 healthy though she has aged the last 2 years.
no P.S. of disease, beyond a slight frequency
caused by a small cysticerc.
Urine 1022. ac: somewhat turbid with
trace of albumen.
see TX p: 97 - B.I. 45. X. 219 & 401.

[will not have her photo taken]

Be Mental - Recurrent Mania.

conduct P.F. is restless & excitable. she roams
restlessly about her room, opening &
shutting drawers, taking up small articles,
again putting them down, in an aimless sort
of way - Her dress is accurate & unimpaired
& she roams about & talks to gentlemen clad
only in a short flannel petticoat, a black apron
& a flannel bed jacket. When addressed, she
makes no reply at first & then either answers
utterly wide of the mark & lets forth a volley of abuse
the language at times is very foul & coarse.
She is somewhat destructive throwing the
furniture about & breaking the crockery - eats
voraciously & flings what she does not require
at her nurse - So often restless at night.

Oct. 26. Continues very excitable & restless - fought
Miss Alexander yesterday - will not keep
clothed & flings beer & even urine of face
at people

Nov: 4. Continues very excitable & eccentric - walks openly about & outdoors in very scanty attire is not so decorative this attack as previous attacks but occasionally puts on a large amount of gold Indian jewellery over her nightgown over a state of partial dress - Is sleeping rather better - is less noisy on the whole. R.C.D.

Nov: 12. Is somewhat quieter & less noisy & violent but is still very eccentric & more or less incoherent - sleeping better. R.C.D.

Nov: 30. Has much improved - usually now quite coherent & though still somewhat eccentric in manner & dress, is much less so than before - sleeping very fairly & eats largely. R.C.D.

Dec: 6. Improvement rapid - yesterday was able to go to town with a nurse - now coherent & talking reasonably - sleeping well. R.C.D.

Dec: 19. Is coherent & rational though there is still some slight confusion of thought. Is able to go to the various entertainments & to go to town or to town for the day. R.C.D.

Feb. 25th. Very hypochondriacal - quiet - talks coherently & rationally tho' principally about her health. Has been suffering from slight eczema intertrigo - but that is almost well now - eats voraciously - sleeps well. R.C.D.

31 March. On the 14th began to become excited & restless. On 15th was moved to No 5. Since then has been very excited, violent & quite incoherent - 15th & 16th best as at night. During day decorates herself with a large quantity of gold ornaments, tho' her clothing is of a scanty nature - Absent. R.C.D.

April 11. Continues excited, more or less incoherent occasionally violent & abusive though the

POST CARD. 

Mrs Colonel Maddeca
9 Aldridge Road, Kilsnoo
Westbourne Park
London "W."

has been somewhat excited a housemaid, hunting & has broken a set of crockery R.C.D. - later & now usually at times excited - talks with her eyes closed R.C.D. to improve. R.C.D. - P. has been pleasant to go to the entertainments & to behave in her usual manner - about to get dreamy & confused, with a tendency to irritability. The past 2 days she with a tendency to violence marked loss of decency & being badly - R.C.D. - rearing & more or less at very impulsive & does not please her or is not she asks for it, she then tries contents full in the

POST CARD. 

Mrs Colonel Maddeca
9 Aldridge Road, Kilsnoo
Westbourne Park
London "W."

face of the nurse - decorative in person, wearing quantities of gold jewellery over her in a state of very partial dress. R.C.D.

June 22. Is now less excited & conduct is fairly reasonable - she is able to go in the front grounds, as she is capable of much self control. She is still however very confused mentally & easily becomes incoherent. R.C.D.

July 8. Has continued to improve since last note of today - went on leave. R.C.D.

Sept: 17. Threw up last night voluntarily at 10:30pm - by herself, asking for bread & butter - very confused - absolutely refuses to answer questions putting her

Nov: 4.

Continues openly ab is not so attacks but of gold in over a state better-9, is l

19-3-99-My dear Emily,
Must let me go to Calcutta
The 1st R. & B. that I shall
die and what good will. No
Death do either you or d

Yours
E. G. M.

Nov: 12.

Is some but is str incoherent

Nov: 30.

Has much improved - usually now quite coherent in manner sleeping

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Dec: 6.

Improves go to town talking re

20-3-99. Monday 12-4-99
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Loly is to be the Doctor
I mean the 1st to be the
of a case de hoc

Dec: 19.

Is coherent some slight go to the

of a case de hoc
my brother's name
very happy

Feb. 25th

Very happy

Mar. 11.

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On the 14th began to become excited & restless. B^h was moved to No 5. Since then has been very excited, violent & quite incoherent. Has not been sleeping. During day decorates herself with a large quantity of gold ornaments, tho' her clothing is of a scanty nature - Obscure.

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April 11.

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Last few days she has been somewhat quieter - has attacked a housemaid, hurting her somewhat severely - & has broken a considerable amount of crockery R.C.D.

April 24

Considerably quieter & now usually coherent though at times excited - talks much to herself with her eyes closed R.C.D.

May 5.

Has continued to improve. R.C.D.

May 25.

Until the past week - P^h has been pleasant & collected - able to go to the entertainments & to behave in her usual manner - about a week ago she began to get dreamy & confused, this has increased with a tendency to violence & excitement - The past 2 days she is excited & abusive with a tendency to violence & destructiveness & a marked loss of decency & self-respect - Sleeping badly. R.C.D.

11009

June 5.

Excited, restless dreamy, more or less incoherent - conduct very impulsive & erratic if her food does not please her & is not brought the violent she asks for it, she then cups & tumbles with their contents full in the face of the nurses - decorative in person, wearing quantities of gold jewellery over her in a state of very partial dress. R.C.D.

11010

June 22.

Is now less excited & conduct is fairly reasonable - she is able to go in the front grounds, & she is capable of much self control - she is still however very confused mentally & easily becomes incoherent. R.C.D.

11010

July 8.

Has continued to improve since last note & today went on leave. R.C.D.

11010

Sept: 17

Turned up last night voluntarily at 10:30 pm. by herself, asking for bread room - very confused, absolutely refuses to answer questions putting her

2025.

Louisa Ellenor Augusta Ellis.

Ad. Nov: 5.98 single - aged 48. Ch: 9 Ing: - age on 1st

R.O. " 4 " attack 42 - 3rd attack of 20 3 weeks'

Cind. Nov: " duration (see below) Prev: address 8 Gladstone Terrace - Brighton - Supposed cause "News of illness of subsequent death of a near relation" - not epileptic nor dangerous but threatened to throw herself out of window -

1st certif: Sat incessantly moving her hands - said "The lightning flash come (his) & everything has gone squash" "I am an idiot" - "I am a wild beast" "I am ashamed to speak to you". She also said that she was lost body & soul, would soon become a log & that the little devils took possession of her in the night. (Comd) wanders about the house at night - etc -

Nov: 3.98 (signed) W.D. Calvert of 17 New Steine, Brighton

2nd " corroborates

Nov: 3.98. (signed) C. J. J. Wood. of 55 George's Place, Brighton

Prev: Hist: Has been neuritic & hypochondriacal all her life - Parents died while P. was young, consequently she has had sole control of her money so since the age of 21 - Has usually lived alone - (only sister in a sisterhood) not been regular about meals etc. - P. states that last Jan: the ceiling, fell down which much alarmed her, though she was not touched - she says that her right arm was paralyzed for some time afterwards - (no P.B.) has been worse) late

Family Hist: Father (Twin) hypochondriacal - Twin died of exhaustion after epilepsy - Uncle (natural) died of apoplexy - Brother (eldest) died - drowned, having fit while bathing. - this matter died - from successive fits. in West India matter - P. was born -

Epilepsy

Condition on Admission - A. Physical

Gallery III P. is well developed. slight scoliosis - is well nourished - ~~muscles~~ flabby - Complexion somewhat muddy, with some acne spots - ~~Mucous~~ ~~membrs~~: somewhat anaemic - Tongue slightly furred & tooth-marked - Eyes brown - pupils somewhat dilated & occasionally somewhat unequal & not always consensual - react very readily to L. & to skin stimulation - There are no P.S. disease in thoracic or abdominal vital organs, though her abdominal walls are thick & flabby -

Urine 1028. ac: - uratic - trace of alb: - indical Catamenia stated by P. to be becoming irregular (age 48) no m.p. for past 7 or 8 mths before that profuse menorrhagia (acc^d 570) for over a year. no metrorrhagia nor dysmenorrhoea -

P. states that she is very constipated, & has suffered from dyspepsia for some time - pain & flatulence after food - Appetite good - sleeps badly -

B. Mental. Melancholia.

P. is depressed, restless & unoccupied - she states that she does not "feel herself" at all & that she has not done so since her last attack of influenza - she says that she has lost all interest in her former pursuits & "can settle to nothing & remember nothing". She has some delusions of unworthiness

of unpardonable air - states that she "feels lost" - complains that her thoughts take possession of her -

Nov: 12. Has slightly improved since admission, is somewhat less depressed, & she begins to occupy herself a little - constipation much improved R.C.D.

Nov: 19. Is steadily improving - is much less depressed, but is still hypochondriacal - the delusions of unpardonable sin are now vague & do not amount to more than stray ideas of unworthiness, she states that she ~~feels~~ feels quite incapable of doing anything - R.C.D.

Nov: 26. Continues to improve - but is hypochondriacal & is always worse when observed - R.C.D.

Dec: 3. Hypochondriacal & "coddles" herself to a great extent - but occupies herself & is much less depressed - states that she still "feels a fool" & "fit for nothing" - Phys health improved & acute is almost cured - R.C.D.

Feb. 10th 99. Much improved - is cheerful & employs herself usefully all day - less hypochondriacal - went to-day on leave. E.H.

May 6. Was discharged today - recovered -

Discharged May 6, 99

Emily Gertrude Mackenzie (cont'd from p. 203) furges into her ears & shouting "I will not answer questions" - was up all night unpacking - today confined, more or less incoherent - R.C.D.

Nov: 10. Attack has been less acute than usual - but until last 2 days she has been quite incoherent - is now occupied pleasant & sociable - with no mental confusion except on slight pressing - R.C.D.

Nov: 12. Fell down some stone steps today, cutting her nose & bruising her face - R.C.D.

Jan: 6. 1900 The improvement above noted continued until Jan: 1 - she has been cheerful occupied & sociable, taking part in the various amusements & occup^{ns} of the place. Jan: 1 - confused & dreamy - on 2nd excited on 3rd violent, striking a P.C. (Miss Vaughan) in the face making her nose bleed & a nurse - on 4th still violent (pulled Miss Rod's hair) struck several nurses & threw about her dinner etc - last night smothered up a washstand with small pieces - and quite incoherent - & very excited - sleeping badly & often noisy at night, abundant taking food voraciously - R.C.D.

Jan: 20. Very noisy destructive & violent - her habits are most filthy - her room being like a foul pigsty several times a day. R.C.D.

Feb: 15. Has considerably improved - is now quiet with occasional outbreaks of excitement habits nearly clean - she can talk coherently but there is still marked mental confusion R.C.D.

March 27. Is now coherent & occupies herself in reading needlework etc. has parole & has been to London for the day - Phys health good R.C.D. (cont'd out)

Florence Emma Newland Smith

Ad. Nov 6. 98 single - aged 34 - Governess - Ch. of Eng. -
R.D. " " " Pres: address Chermouth Rectory, Dorset -
C. in L. " 7 " not 1st attack age on 1st attack 19, then under care
of Mrs. Hughes Stratton from March to Aug. 83 -
duration of attack 3 1/2 weeks - cause unknown
not E.S. or D.

1st certif: She says people make remarks about her, that they
suggest she has been immoral. (Cont.) has accused
her employers of saying she was immoral, that they
have endeavored to injure her. She has general
delusion of persecution.

Nov. 3. 98 (signed) Geo. H. Savage M.D.
of 3 Minnie St W.

corroborates.

Nov. 2. 98 (signed) W. W. Floyer
of Egham.

Fam. Hist: paternal cousin insane

Pres. Hist: At age of 19 had a similar attack without
known cause -
This attack began 3 weeks ago. P. was living
in the family of a Rector as governess (no strain
only preparing 3 girls for Junior & Senior Camb.
exams) began to think the family against her,
to think that they accused her of immorality & to
talk mysteriously of various "wrong things" -
Some idea of suspicion of her own imaginary
crimes.

Admitted here as V.B Oct. 21. 98. (see II p. 155) & certified today

Condition on Admission - A. Physical

Gallery I P. is well developed & is well nourished -
H.F. muscles flabby - mucous mems: anaemic
W.C. Complexion sallow & muddy - Eyes grey
pupils somewhat dilated & react readily
to L, A, consecutively & to skin stimuli
ton - Tongue somewhat furred & tooth-
indented - Korvovitch brisk other reflexes
normal - cranial reflex present.
Catarrhus regular & painless - m: p:
just passed off - (began Oct. 29) no vomit today
Ureine

Complains of a localized headache over R. side
of occiput - relieved by treatment.

B. Mental

P. is restless, wandering aimlessly
about the galleries with an ceaseless flow
of conversation directed to every one or
no one - chiefly on her own private affairs
& those of her own family - She will settle
to no occupation for more than a few
minutes at a time - She is emotionally
unstable, readily weeping & laughing
without cause. She has some vague delusions
of suspicion, thinks people have been talking
against her & accusing her of various crimes -
says she can think of nothing but of having
a small pupils case against instructors.
She owns to having had some hallucinations
of hearing & probably they still persist, as
she occasionally thinks people are calling her -
Has somewhat improved since admission -
is slightly less restless & states that the localized
headache is now much better. R.C.

Nov: 13 -

Nov: 20. Continues very restless, talkative & full of her own private affairs - the hallucinations of hearing persist but seem less continuous than they were. Headache better. R.C.D.

Nov: 27. Somewhat less restless than on last note but is still emotionally unstable, & very talkative with a tendency towards incoherence - the hallucinations of hearing seem less marked but she still speaks of people accusing her & various little misdeeds wh: said accusations are probably hallucinations as they cannot be traced to any real person. Phys: health improved. R.C.D.

Nov: 29. P.F. was transferred to Bethlehem today

Discharged Nov: 29. 98.

Emily Gertrude MacKenzie (cont'd p. 120)

April 10, 1900. Is on the verge of an attack - is at times incoherent & very restless, at others composed & dazed - is sleeping badly & at times is very decorative in her dress - the Indian jewellery again appearing & being worn in a state of partial undress. R.C.D.

April 13. Is very excited & restless - yesterday fought with a P.F. (Miss Heath) & tore up her hat - partially took off her own clothing, raved & gesticulated - yet, in the afternoon "pulled herself together" & wrote a good business letter. R.C.D.

July 3. Continued excited violent & destructive, smashing crockery & striking nurses & P.F. for about a fortnight - improving for another 2 wks. then again excited for another wk: since has been able to be in the ordinary gallery, fairly coherent & occupied but with occasional days on wh: she has been excited & noisy - of late has been very restless, complaining of hypochondriacal. Phys: health fair for her age (over 70) but she has occasional attacks of asthma during which there is evidently great strain on her heart as evidenced by cyanosis & weak intermittent pulse. R.C.D.

Aug: 8. Has lately had some hemorrhage from the rectum - roughly amounting to about 100 or 120 in 5 days - apparently from internal hemorrhoids - this is now controlled - continues very excited at times. R.C.D.

Sept: 10. Continues excited - at times is quite incoherent, but she can usually even then pull herself together for a few minutes & talk sensibly - often very abusive & at times violent. Phys: health satisfactory. R.C.D.

Oct: 20. Is now quiet & coherent but is unstable & times

- Nov: 20. Continues very restless, talkative of her own private affairs - the hallucinations of hearing persist but seem less acute than they were. Headache better. RCD.
- Nov: 27. Somewhat less restless than on last note. is still emotionally unstable, & very tall with a tendency towards incoherence - the hallucinations of hearing seem less marked but she still speaks of people accusing her various little misdeeds which said accusations are probably hallucinations as they cannot be traced to any real person. Phys: health improved. RCD.

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Discharged Nov: 29. 98.

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- Aug: 8. Has lately had some hemorrhage from the rectum - roughly amounting to about 10 or 12 oz in 5 days - apparently from internal hemorrhoids - this is now controlled - continues very excitable at times. RCD.
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- Oct: 20. Is now quite coherent but is unstable & tending

Nov: 23 Is beginning another acute attack. yesterday when her daughter came to see her she cursed & screamed at her with much gesticulation - today is wearing much jewellery & is more or less incontinent, very restless & forgetful - RCB.

Nov: 27 - Is now noisy & incontinent using most foul & abusive language - is "decorative", wearing her Indian jewellery & retains in great profusion sleeping badly - RCB.

Dec: 1 - Night before last smashed the thick glass (of the) of her "dot mirror" - never went to bed all night - very noisy incontinent & abusive - RCB.

Dec: 31 Continues noisy excited & incontinent - has written letters to her daughter stating that she is being poisoned - is constantly demanding the rent to India - often very abusive & uses much foul language, also frequently spitting freely at the person whom she is addressing - Phys: health fair but she is aging of let - (is now nearly 70) RCB.

Jan: 31. 01 Continues very full of her delusions of poison - see annexed letter written today - RCB.

March 19 - Is now quiet & talks less ^{of} her delusions though she retains them & talks mysteriously of them - Phys: health improved -

April 26 - An acute attack has just begun - she is incontinent noisy & violent - flinging her food about, refusing to keep on her clothing etc - RCB.

June 21 Continued exceedingly noisy & violent, & incontinent with most filthy manners & customs for about a month - then for the past month has been gradually quietening down - is now very confused, very decorative in dress & person (is wearing a scarlet dress with a profusion of gold ornaments) & has many delusions of suspicion

is constantly complaining of various

31st January 1901

Lt. Scppard

Trickle with

July 11 - not allow me to have sufficient food. Last night again ^{made} my

Aug: 8 - Bread & milk & a dish

not give me sufficient

Bread in the Smeaker

and when I drank

my cold milk after

eating the hot bread

and milk I found

the had given me

a whole Breakfast

rel. (see
to good - but
dyspepsia early
and grey with
RCB -

in her conduct
of prison -
RCB -

relieved - 3

contains

7-01

POST CARD

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE



31st Colonel Scppard
1 Aldridge Road
Westbourne Park
London

1/11

Nov: 23 Do beginning another acute attack. gestured when her daughter came to see her she cursed, & came at her with much gesticulation much jewellery & is more very restless & forgetful -

Nov: 27- Do now noisy, incontinent & abusive language. is "see" her Indian jewellery & not sleeping badly -

Dec: 1- Night before last removed the of her "old mules" - never a very noisy incontinent & abusive

Dec: 31 Continues noisy excited writes letters to her daughter being poisoned - is constant sent to India - often very abusive language, also frequently person whom she is addressing but she is aging of late - (is very full of her)

Jan: 31. 01 Continues very full of her see annexed letter written to her

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is constantly complaining of various poisons being put into her food. (see) - but

reverted to the status ^{as early} - time again - which ^{may well} she has been going ^{recd -} on with again & ^{her conduct} again since the ⁱⁿ⁻ of January 1900. ^{ind - 73} Emily G. MacKenzie ^{continues}

Cup I start of my with the want of this soft His morning in getting up in the cold toward an an empty stomach. That Gribble to having me starved to death I can prove she has tried all kinds of Poisons there of the Body and from that everything has failed - She has

16-12-00. Sunday 9-2. A.M. I shall not endure the cold of this climate any longer therefore I am going out to Calcutta - I will take you with me but you must come alone E. G. M.

Nov: 23 Do beginning another acute attack. yesterday when her daughter came to see her she cursed, screamed at her with much gesticulation - today is wearing much jewellery & is more or less incontinent, & very restless & fidgety - R.C.D.

Nov: 27 - Do now noisy, incontinent using most foul & abusive language - is "decorative", wearing her Indian jewellery & relations in great profusion - sleeping badly - R.C.D.

Dec: 1 - 11st 1 - night before last smashed the thick glass (of thick) of her "stilet window" - never went to bed all night - very noisy incontinent & abusive - R.C.D.

Dec: 21 - Continues noisy excited & incontinent - has written letters to her daughter stating that she is being poisoned - is constantly demanding to be sent to India - often very abusive & uses much foul language, also frequently spitting freely at the person whom she is addressing - Phys: health fair but she is aging of late - (is now nearly 70) R.C.D.

Jan: 21. 01 - 11st 13 - Continues very full of her delusions of poison - see annexed letter written today - R.C.D.

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is constantly complaining of various poisons being put into her food - (see annexed letter) Phys: health good - but she has occasional attacks of dyspepsia early in the morning when she becomes grey with small quick pulse - R.C.D.

July 12 - Do more reasonable & quieter in her conduct but retains the delusions of poison - Phys: health improved - R.C.D.

Aug: 8 - Was yesterday discharged relieved - & went to Morningside Asylum - continues as on last note -

Discharged Aug: 7 - 01

2030.

Alice Tydd single-aged

Ad. Nov: 9. 98
R.O. Nov: 13. "
C. inot. " 14. "
(urgency)

65. of no occupation - Ch: 5 Eng: - Prev:
address 27 Hyde Gardens Eastbourne 3, Elmstead
Waterloo Road - Guildford - Surrey.

6th attack of 3 months' duration - acute about
4 days. Age on 1st attack 25. Previously treated
1. Ireland - 1859 - to 1864
2. Northumberland House
3. " "
4. " "
5. Dr Adams. Mailing sent from:

1st Certif:

Says she has no means, which is incorrect & ought to be
sent to a penitentiary. Is depressed, has a melancholic look
agitated at times, excited & voluble then taciturn. Wants
to get out & get on the roof of the house - requires presence
of a or two nurses to restrain her. (con!) restless, excited
incessantly walking about room, moving furniture &
requiring constant supervision - sleeping badly - often
refusing food.

Nov: 8. 98. (signed) J. T. Jones
of Rosebank, Eastbourne

2nd "

corroborates
Nov: 8. 98 (signed) D. M. Browne.

Family Hist:

said to be nil.

Prev: Hist:

At age of 16 had a severe attack of cholera of which her mother &
sister died - very excitable for some time -

1st definite attack (aged 25) brought on by prolonged nursing -

Since then (see above) there have been 5 attacks.
Aug: 98 became very variable, alternately depressed & excited - been
a little better - again depressed by death of relation - Sept: went to
Eastbourne to nursing home - sleeping badly & - improved a little -
On Nov: 5 suddenly became very excited & restless -

Spinal health fair - little
depression - some depression
seen in 1859 - 1864 - with
1st attack - 25 - became very
restless - 1864 - 1864 - 1864 -
1864 - 1864 - 1864 -

Condition on Admission -

A. Physical

Pf is well developed & is stout - she is
much bruised on each shoulder, flexor
surfaces of forearms & arms. There are also
numerous small bruises over calves, (esp: 2)
thighs, extensor surfaces of arms, forearms
on chest & over gluteal region -
Her tongue is dry & cracked - as are her lips
Hair white scanty & very discolored - Eyes
brown - pupils dilated equal & react to light
conservatively & to skin stimulation - slight
areolae senilis in both.

There are no P.S. of disease in thoracic or
abdominal viscera as far as can be ascertained
in P.S. present excited condition. Pulse at
times irregular.

Knee-jerk brisk - other reflexes ff normal as
far as can be ascertained at present. cranial
reflex present. facial irritability.

Urine 1025. ac: turbid with mucus - trace of albumen
Menopause early - " somewhere about 40"

B. Mental

Pf is acutely excited, lying on her bed with
mouth wide open uttering mechanical yells
at irregular intervals - Has frequent paroxysms
of excitement when she kicks, & fights any
one near her - She mutters incoherent
nonsense, meaningless phrases & disconnected
sentences but can at times give a short
correct answer to an easy question. Has no
idea of her surroundings nor of the day of the

week, minutes) the year so - Seems to have some delusion of approaching torture but will not specify of what she is afraid - Has not slept all night in spite of Paral 37 with Polbrom but has taken some food.

Nov:

(Photo taken but negative smashed accidentally)

Nov: 14. Was fairly sensible yesterday morning for the 1st time - asked where she was & talked coherently for some minutes - was up in the gallery - Today is very full of her delusions of approaching torture & of unpardonable sin & of poverty - Has been fed by tube 2 or 3 times but is now taking pretty well & is sleeping well without hyposties R.C.D.

Nov: 21. Can now talk coherently, feeds herself & occupies herself to a slight extent - the delusions of imminent torture persist. She has a slight Coryza - R.C.D.

Nov 28. Is steadily improving - is fairly cheerful. takes an interest in all that goes on - occupies herself in needlework, playing the piano & the delusions are becoming vague & undefined - Coryza almost cured R.C.D.

Dec: 4. P.F. is becoming excited with a marked tendency towards incoherence - sleeping badly & is somewhat noisy at night R.C.D.

Dec: 12. P.F. is now excited & hysterical with the tendency towards incoherence now very marked - she is

very noisy at night & is too restless to interfere to remain in the gallery - is in a strong room in bed. R.C.D.

Dec 19. Continues excited noisy hysterical & more or less incoherent - very noisy at night. R.C.D. Still continues very excited & noisy. Continues in bed in strong room. S.C.D.

Dec. 26th. Continues as before. Excited & noisy & constantly uses foul language. Says her name is not Tydd but "Miss Ellis" & she wishes to be addressed as such - Sleeps fairly. Still excited & noisy. occasionally violent, etc.

11th March 1901. Is now depressed & quiet with delusions of unpardonable sin & of having brought great ruin upon others - some vague delusions of impending doom & of imminent torture - quite unoccupied, & sits looking the picture of misery - Takes food badly & has occasionally taken food by tube R.C.D.

June 24. Continues depressed with delusions of imminent torture & of identity - Taking food badly but continues less restless - R.C.D.



July 28. Has been depressed, taking food badly, with numerous delusions of torture & of identity - until last night when she became excited - today she is particularly

excited - today she is particularly agitated - movement of noisy - roaming restlessly about the court with her hair down & disordered dress - Has had a general falling of hair & has lost the middle she usually has when depressed R.C.D.

- Sept. 7. 755 Has continued excited noisy behavior, restless since last note - refuses to keep on her clothing is noisy, uses foul language, swearing & cursing freely - Takes food badly & sleeps badly Has lost 16 lbs in last month. RCB
 Oct. 20. 855 The melancholic stage is now beginning - she is quiet, depressed with delusions of sinfulness - states that people are only in pain here because of her wickedness & asks to be killed in order to let them go free. Beginning to put on a little flesh. RCB
 Nov. 20. 854 Continues depressed with delusions of sinfulness & poverty - is taking food some what better than she did but still badly - is quite unoccupied - Phys. health fair. RCB
 Jan. 10. 1900 Continues depressed with delusions of sinfulness & poverty - is taking food some what better than she did but still badly - is quite unoccupied - Phys. health fair. RCB
 Jan. 26. Today is beginning to be hilarious & there is a tendency towards excitement. RCB
 Feb. 15. Very excited hilarious, restless & incontinent destructive & untidy. RCB
 March 27. Continues incontinent, restless destructive & very noisy - very hilarious, excited - shouting & gesticulating for hours at a time Phys. health good RCB
 April 14. Continues noisy, incontinent, hilarious & excited - is losing weight - but her physical health is good, she is sleeping better. RCB
 May 24. Has continued in the excited stage until the last week when she has been quieter - is now passing into the depressed stage & is beginning delusions of crime RCB
 July 2. Quiet, depressed with delusions of great sinfulness - is constantly asking to be taken to a work

- house or to be "thrown into the street" - continues this - Taking food badly. RCB
 Sept. 20. A period of excitement is just beginning, she is now taking food well but sleeps badly RCB
 Nov. 5. She continues noisy, destructive & excited at times violent till about Oct. 18 - when she began to rapidly improve - By Oct. 23 she was rational, talking coherently & pleasantly & able to occupy herself with reading etc. - She has improved since & in road has not passed through the usual period of depression which usually follows the acute attacks. She is bright & cheerful, taking an interest in all that goes on & both talks & writes coherently to the point - she is now neat & tidy & is taking food & sleeping well. RCB
 Nov. 10. Her special report & certificate being due & she continuing as on last note - she was yesterday discharged recovered. is remaining as a V.B. see II. 307

Discharged Nov. 9. 00

Sept: 7. 705
 Has continued excited noisy behavior, restless since last note - refuses to keep on her clothes is noisy, uses foul language evening & cursing freely - Takes food badly & sleeps - Has lost 16 lbs in last month
 The melancholic stage is beginning - she is quite delirious with delusions of omnipotence states that people are only in here because of her wickedness & asks to be killed
 Nov: 804
 Jan: 10. 1900
 805 1/2
 Continues depressed with delusions of sinfulness & poverty - is taking food as well as better than she did but still badly - is quite unoccupied - Phys: health fair R.C.
 Jan: 26.
 Today is beginning to be hilarious & turning towards excitement. R
 Feb: 15.
 Very excited behavior, restless & uncooperative destructive & untidy. R.C.D.
 March 27
 805 2/2
 Continues incoherent, restless destructive & very noisy - very hilarious & excited shouting & gesticulating for hours at a time Phys: health good R.C.
 April 14.
 705 3/2
 Continues noisy, incoherent, hilarious & excited - is losing weight - but her physical health is good - she is sleeping better - R.C.D.
 May 24
 705 11
 Has continued in the excited stage until last week when she has been quieter - is now passing into the depressed stage & is beginning delusions of crime R.C.
 July 2.
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 Quiet, depressed with delusions of great sin - is constantly asking to be taken to a

house or to be "thrown into the street" - continues this - Taking food badly. R.C.D.
 Sept: 20
 805 3
 A period of excitement is just beginning, she is now taking food well but sleeps badly R.C.D.
 Nov: 5.
 905 + 11 lbs
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 Nov: 10
 Her special report & certificate being due, she continues as on last note - she was yesterday discharged recovered. is remaining as a V.B. see II. 207

Discharged Nov: 9. 00

2036

Winifred Emma Dark-

Ad. Nov: 21. 98 Single - aged 21 - Ch: of Eng: Pres: address
R.O. " 18 " B Lenheim Lodge, Reading. not 1st attack
C.I.D. " 22 " age on 1st attack 18. duration 4 wks: cause
" hysteria. Previously at Ballway Saratrain
as V.B.

1st certif: Continual repetition of fact that she has been
systematically deprived of education, proper
consideration by her parents - manifests animosity
especially towards mother whom she accuses of
cheating her all her life - Realism of muscular
torturing with inability to follow out any
consecutive action readily (conv.) has shaken &
threatened her mother, has wantonly destroyed
articles of clothing & books.

Nov: 18. 98 (signed) G Skram
of 106 Landon Rd Reading

2nd " Corroborates

Nov: 18. 98 (signed) M. Florence Smith
of 28 Portland Place, Reading

Fam: Hist. Mother nervous & somewhat excitable.

Pres: Hist: always rather delicate - suffered much from
"neuralgia" of joints - prob: rheum? heart said
to have been weak, consequently has been much
spoiled & her education has been rather neglected
in consequence. For some time past has been
restless & unmanageable at home - wandering
aimlessly about the house, settling to nothing -
liable to fits of passion - sleeping & eating
badly - came as V.B on July 21. 98 see Bk II. 147
Left Oct 20 did fairly for a week or two - became
worse - wrote prescription. days has been quite

unmanageable, the day before admission
followed her mother about with a fork all
day abusing her - for some days past
refused to take her meals with the family
took only her food for days brought by herself -
so was certified & brought here

Condition on Admission A Physical

Gallery I P. is of medium size, is poorly developed
H.F. Head necky in shape with large frontal
W.S. 8. 6. bosses & small jaw with small pointed chin -
Some scallops - muscular membr: somewhat
anemic & complexion is rather sallow -
Muscles are flabby & there is some
tremor of facial & tongue muscles &
some jerking of larger muscles of arm
& legs (though less marked than on admission
as V.B in July 98) Co-ordination of muscles
not good - No hyperaesthesia nor anaesthesia
No organic tenderness - Knee jerks brisk
other reflexes lively - facial irritability.
Heart somewhat dilated - A.C.D. to R.C. border of
sternum - 2nd sound at apex somewhat
blurred - H.A.B. in 5th space $\frac{1}{2}$ " inside N.C.
Pulse a little feeble & occasionally irregular
iris from 72 to 84 with slight or no afferent
cause -
Cataracts said to be regular - security -



B. Mental

Pf is somewhat emotionally unstable, & cries on slight or no cause - she is alternately undecided with marked loss of initiative, & so sullen & obstinate - She owns that she has been unmanageable at home but is fairly amenable here - She is somewhat weakened of her memory is somewhat defective - She is bitter against her parents, reiterating that she has had no education, & has been systematically ill-treated although her parents have been ^{too indulgent} of having given her all the education ^{of which} her health would admit - Her conduct is restless & there is a marked loss of attention She takes food fairly & sleeps fairly.

Nov: 28. Is less unstable emotionally but is very morose & reserved - will rarely speak to any of the other ladies - is less restless & there is less tremor - but she is still very bitter against her parents R.C.D.

Dec: 6. Somewhat less morose & is occupying herself more than she did - R.C.D.

Dec: 12. Is distinctly better on the whole. is more stable emotionally, & is less morose - occupies herself fairly well & is less restless. the tremor is somewhat less marked but is still very noticeable when she is at all nervous or thinks she is being observed - R.C.D.

Dec: 19. Improvement is maintained. R.C.D.

Dec: 31. Condition same as last wkt. R.C.D.

Feb: 5th Her animosity against her parents still remains ^{as full as before} as Mrs. Corbridge than she was. occupies herself fairly - R.C.D.

March 7th
Apr: 8. 4

Continues the same - when seeing her Mother the other day she showed considerable animosity towards her. R.C.D.

April 7. Has continued much the same - her animosity against her parents seems to be somewhat less - she went today on tea to St. Ann's Heath. R.C.D.

April 18. Pf Su Feb: 13th R.C.D.

Gallery vs telegram her ill) ~~own~~ Dear Mother,

I had not intended to write to you again, but thought that I should like to do so. It is such a joy to put down on paper the ideas which you have so carefully created all day long. First & foremost I simply hate you with my whole heart & soul - I don't know what I have to wait for years I will have such a restful in the end - Oh, you can't think, it will be lovely. It is the only thing I really want you not - ~~because~~ Your really yours I wanted & would not

May 12. So again we are up to the gallery

June 27 Ha up less to



innumerable things only to leave them off, in the course of a few minutes - initiative & memory impaired. Today went on leave - to stay with an aunt & cousins as she is still somewhat bitter against her mother & does not seem to get on well at home - R.C.D.
Aug: 26. Returned yesterday has not got on well with her friends, though she has had several changes, but on 3 days has been rather contentedly writing letters, sleeping

B. Mental

P.F. is somewhat emotionally unstable, & cries on slight or no cause - she is alternately undecided with marked loss of initiative, & at sudden & obstinate. She avers that she has been unmanageable abroad but is fairly amenable here. She is somewhat weakened by her memory is somewhat defective. She is bitter against her parents, reiterating that she has had no education, & has been systematically ill-treated although her parents have been too indulgent & have given her all the education ^{of which} her health would admit. Her conduct is restless & there is a marked loss of attention. She takes food fairly & sleeps fairly.

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Dec: 19.

Improvement is maintained.

Dec: 31.

Condition same as last week.

Feb: 5.

Her animosity against her parents still remains ^{as before} as before. More lovable than she was. occupies herself fairly.

Feb: 8.

Feb: 4

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Feb: 8. 4

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April 18.
Gallergo

P.F. returned from leave - two nurses being telegraphed for, to fetch her. She is said to have chased her mother (who is seriously ill) about with a knife - to have put her own hand in the fire (not burnt, fire being nearly out) to have reached to the window & to have behaved generally in a very

St. Ann's Hospital. When admitted Feb. 13th patient, face much teeth which she extracted

Dear Mother

I had not intended to write to you again, but thought that I should like to do so. It is such a joy to put down on paper the ideas which you have so carefully craved all day long. I think I prefer to simply talk you with my whole heart & soul & clearly, if I have to wait for years I will have such a reward in the end - Oh, you can't think, it will be lovely. It is the only thing I really wish you was - I suppose you really love I would & would to

silent & very bitter occupies herself but is restless - Physicist frequent tooth ache of late - has brightened things around her - is much less restless & settles down is formerly, beginning to leave them off, in the course of nature & memory improved. stay with an aunt somewhat bitter against her return well at home - has not got on well with several changes but is usually entirely better sleeping

B. Mental

P. is somewhat emotionally unstable, & cries on slight or no cause - she is alternately undecided with marked loss of initiative, & at sudden & obstinate. She owns that she has been unmanageable abroad but is fairly amenable here. She is somewhat backward of her memory is somewhat defective. She is bitter against her parents, reciting that she has had no education, & has been systematically ill-treated although her parents have been too indulgent & have given her all the education ^{of which} her health would admit. Her conduct is restless

Nov: 28.

Dec: 5.

Dec: 12.

Dec: 19.

Dec: 31.

Feb: 5.

Feb: 8. 4

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She takes for
Do less work
more, & read
the other ladies
times - but
parents
Somewhat
nervous more
So distinctly
stable emotion
nervous fairly
is somewhat
noticeable when
she is being
impaired
Condition seen
Her amnesia
Mucous
wrecked

Heaven, all for nothing & now I am
doing this same thing here again.
It is lovely to think of you!
You will save yourself, won't you?
You will keep me out of all
that I have wanted for, won't you?
But you see, I will kill you
when I get into - Being a lunatic
will not make it worse. Nothing
can be responsibly done. But I
will have such a revenge -
Don't you remember what I
always said - that I know
you would rather see me a
lunatic than give me any
rights - well, it has been
and just so - But I
will be revengeful for it.

March 7.
Apr. 8. 4

April 7.

April 18.

Gallery

Continues the same - when seeing her Mother the other day she showed considerable amiability towards her. E.L.

Has continued much the same - her animosity against her parents seems to be somewhat less - she went today on leave - R.C.

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I don't want to see
I see - I will never speak to
any of them again till I am
revengeful for it -
You forget that I am the lunatic
of the family -
I sleep here on the same
bed - I don't of any
feels like a sort of
when I can think clearly
I sleep there but I can
not do it for chest
But I shall find
some means of revenge
that is certain
In the meantime I can wait
for the mention of the other
for have asked me the other
about what I should
about all day long -
of course, I did it till
him. Supposing I had
told him that I thought

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R.C.D.

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Is distinctly better on the whole - is more stable emotionally, & is less morose - occupies herself fairly well & is less restless - the tension is somewhat less marked but is still very noticeable when she is at all nervous or thinks she is being observed -

R.C.D.

Dec: 19.

Improvement is maintained -

R.C.D.

Dec: 31.

Condition same as last week.

R.C.D.

Feb: 5.

Her animosity against her parents still remains ^{as before} as noticeable than she was. occupies herself fairly

R.C.D.

March 7.
Apr: 8. 4

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R.C.D.

April 7.

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R.C.D.

April 18.

Gallagher

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of how delicious it would be to strangle you - to what you said why - what would be your soul - of course he would say I was mad - But I know I wasn't - I am a careful thinker - I always have to be pulling myself up to remind myself of that fact - I suppose I shall never get away from it all of my life long. I am sure - I have done my share of my work - It is not what I think but I have been checked out of anything - do you remember how I said I should have the shirt & all the things you have just laughing behind & thinking how easily deceived

anner - When admitted quiet, face much teeth which she obtains re extracted R.C.D. is of silent & very bitter occupies herself but is not restless - Physicist a frequent tooth ache R.C.D. ned of late - has brightened things around her - so much is less restless & settles down, as formerly, beginning to leave them off, in the course initiative & memory impaired. to stay with an aunt & somewhat bitter against her to get on well at home - R.C.D. - has not got on well with had several changes but was eventually getting better, sleeping

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R.C.D.

Dec: 19.

Dec: 31st

Improvement is maintained -

R.C.D.

Condition same as last list.

R.C.D.

Feb: 5th

Feb: 8. 4

Her animosity against her parents still remains ^{as far as letters} as ^{far as letters} as before than she was. occupies herself fairly -

R.C.D.

March 7th
Apr: 8. 4

Continues the same - when seeing her Mother the other day she showed considerable amiability towards her.

R.C.D.

April 7.

Has continued much the same - her animosity against her parents seems to be somewhat less - she went today on leave -

R.C.D.

April 18.
Gallery

P. returned from leave - two nurses being telegraphed for, to fetch her - she is said to have crossed her Mother (who is seriously ill) about with a knife - to have put her own hand in the fire (not burnt, fire being nearly out) to have reached to the window & to have behaved generally in a very excited & foolish manner - When admitted she was morose & quiet, face much swollen from carious teeth which she obstinately refuses to have extracted

R.C.D.

May 12.

Is somewhat morose & silent & very bitter against her Mother - occupies herself but is unsociable & somewhat restless - Physically improved - but she has frequent tooth aches

R.C.D.

June 27
Gallery

Has considerably improved of late - has brightened up & takes an interest in things around her - is much less morose & sullen - She is less restless & settles down to occupation instead of, as formerly, beginning unimportant things only to leave them off, in the course of a few minutes - initiative & memory improved - Today went on leave - to stay with an aunt & cousins as she is still somewhat bitter against her Mother & does not seem to get on well at home -

R.C.D.



Aug: 26. Returned yesterday has not got on well with her friends, though she has had several changes. Last 2 or 3 days has been rather continually writing letters, sleeping

bally etc. on admission is quiet, fairly RCD
cheerful & much less sullen than on her last
admission RCD.

Sept: 19

So very variable - usually occupied & fairly cheer-
ful - another time is restless, irritable & full of
complaint & threats against her parents, talking
of "a little revenge" against them - full of unreasonable
& wild plans for the future with unbounded belief
in her own powers which are of a very medium
order - Physio: Health good though she is not
robust RCD.

Nov: 20.

Has much improved - occupies herself
well & is much more agreeable. RCD.

Dec: 22.

Yesterday went on leave - has steadily
improved - she is much less morose &
sullen, & is now fairly agreeable & seems to
have quite lost her bitter feelings against
her mother & her own family - RCD.

Jan: 12. 1900

got 4

Returned yesterday - not having gone on well
at home - has a small patch of T. circ: below the
chin RCD.

Jan: 20.

Is being isolated (with other patients) on account
of the T. circ: - has gone on fairly well
since admission RCD.

Feb: 4.

Yesterday was discharged "relieved" patch
now well - though still somewhat reddened.

Discharged Feb: 4. 1900

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Edith Mary Marshall - single.

Ad. Nov. 24. 98 aged 18 1/2 of no occupation - Ch: of Eng: -
R.D. Nov. 27. 103 High St. Slough - 1st attack of 3 wks:
C. ind. 28 duration. Supposed cause: "Father's death
(urgency) funeral & excessive study" - not PS
or D.

1st certif: P. is rather restless, talks a great deal, her
words being interspersed with physiological terms
& French expressions. Her mind is always reverted
to physiology or gymnastics. She has been much
worse than she now is. (Con.) has all kinds of
delusions. She is always performing gymnastics
in bed. Has torn her own clothes off & also all the
bed clothes. Is very much better now, & quieter
than she has been. Cannot sleep at night
without medicine

Nov 23. 98. (signed) T.H.L. Mryga
of Slough - Bucks -

2nd "

corroborates -
Nov. 25. 98 (signed) E. Weaver Adams
of Church St. Slough -

Family Hist: Father drank to excess - (a bearded victuals)

atoned grandmother means -

Prev: Hist:

Condition on Admission A. Physical

Gallery VII P. is very slightly built & is poorly
H. nourished - ~~muscles~~ small & flabby.
W. 6.4/2 Mucosa orbits: somewhat anemic. Tongue
fairly clean but teeth indented. some
scotism - marked constipation
Chest moves poorly. infra clavicular fossae
very marked - note at R. apex flattened
breathing here almost bronchial in character,
expiration being prolonged & audible - some
moist s² on coughing - rest of lungs clear
but for an occasional rhonchus at bases
behind after coughing - R: 22. slight cough -
Heart s² somewhat feeble but clear. A.C. &
H.A.B. normal.

Prob: 4B.

No P.S. disease in Abdominal organs -
P. states that Catamenia is usually
regular & painless - amenorrhoea post 2 months.
Eyes brown. pupils equal, somewhat dilated
& react very readily to L.A. conservatively
& to skin stimulation -
kneejerk brisk - all reflexes lively - cranial
reflex present - some facial irritability.
Urine 1022 - ac. turbid with urates - trace
of alb: - no indican - no blood or pus.



B. Mental. subsacute Mania
P. is mildly excited - is somewhat restless
& can settle to nothing for more than a very
few minutes at a time - She is very talkative
& her conversation is rambling & disjointed,
with a tendency to bring in physiological &
other similar terms in a more or less
irrelevant way -

Dec: 2. Continues much the same - when addressed
she answers & slubly in a breathless sort of
way, much of her answer being altogether
beside the point - She is restless at night
& sleeps badly - She takes food well & is a
little stronger & less anaemic - no taking iron
& arsenic R.C.D.

Dec: 10. Continues much the same but has more self-
control - as she herself says "now when I feel myself
talking nonsense I can often prevent myself from
talking so" - occasionally somewhat noisy at
night. Takes food fairly well. R.C.D.

Dec: 18. Is more incontinent & restless - delusions are more
marked & she states that she is pregnant & talks much
of this delusion to the other ladies - Is restless & constantly
going through
making gymnastic exercises - noisy at night &
is often after dirty habits - Taking food badly R.C.D.

Dec: 25th Has been quieter at night & slept better - During
the day is still restless & constantly talking - tho'
her conversation is less rambling & disjointed
than it was - S.C.D.

Jan 1st Has improved being much less incoherent &
restless. She still talks somewhat volubly but
more to the point - Has been practicing ballet
& doing a good amount of work. S.C.D.

Jan 9th Has much improved. Talks much less tho' she

is still somewhat voluble but her conversation
is rational - Her delusions of pregnancy appear
to have quite disappeared. Plays & dances
during the day - S.C.D.

Feb. 5th Continues to improve - Rather childish -
fairly excited & rather too talkative. E.C.D.

March 7th Still continues to improve - shows more
self control than she did - Makes herself useful
in many ways - Anaemia much less E.C.D.

13th March. Was discharged to-day - in appearance she
has much improved being fatter & with a
good colour. Gain in weight since ad-
mission has been 14 6 1/2 lbs.

Discharged 13 March 99.

May 9. 99 Washed yesterday for short visit - keeping very well
physically & mentally. R.C.D.

June Improvement, mental & bodily persists R.C.D.

Aug: 99. steadily improving - continues to gain flesh - is bright &
cheerful & much less emotional.

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Blanche Maples-

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 Ad. Dec: 2.98 single - aged 45. Ch: of Eng. - Pres: address
 R.O. Nov: 30. " Westbourne. 1 Lewis Rd Eastbourne. 1st attack
 C. ind. Dec: 3. " of about a month's duration - not E.S. or D.
 cause unknown

1st certif: Excessive & incessant incoherent talking &
 rambling, extremely restless, takes no notice
 of persons addressing her or her surroundings.
 sleeplessness. staring gaze, excited demeanor.
 (Can't) will only take food when she is fed from
 a spoon or glass.

Nov: 29.98 (signed) W. M. Smith
 of 31 Gillingham Rd Eastbourne

2nd " corroborates.

Nov 29.98 (signed) A E. Rook
 of 1 The Goffs Eastbourne

Pres: Hist: 20 yrs ago left hemiplegia - said to be due to
 embolism - stroke at entrance of Smarter. 1st only affecting right
 (In: airt) side of face & left arm, useless since -
 at 28 had severe vertigo followed by tremor, incoherence, partial
 In - 87 R side also paralyzed - recovered after some
 little time - speech much affected -
 Usually bright cheerful. fond of gardening - talks
 French German fluently - lives alone & manages
 all her own affairs easily & well -
 about 2 months ago sister had a rambling letter
 fr: P. went to see her - found her restless, sleepless
 & more or less incoherent.
 Since then no sleep without sedatives. very
 restless - last 3 wks: quite unmanageable had
 to be fed w/ no retention - B.O.
 menorrhagia for some time - last m: p: 2 wks: ago
 m: p: 3 wks before that -

Delicately built
 at 18 years "too fine" and
 due to nervousness
 at 28 "to studies"
 28. some faint
 pleurisy
 29 yrs.
 33. 2nd attack of
 pleurisy
 34 yrs. and more

Fatherly Hist: Mother had puerperal mania at P's birth
 was ill for some years afterwards.

Condition on Admission A. Physical

Gallery V P. is poorly developed. being slightly made
 H: very thin with fairly marked scoliosis -
 W: when admitted she was much bruised -
 over sacrum & left shoulder, with a barely
 healed abrasion over left scapula & the
 skin over sacrum much reddened, also
 over left ischium - she was so dirty
 that the bruises could not be clearly made
 out until she was washed -

The left arm & leg are paralyzed - the
 left arm is partially atrophied - the fingers
 contracted & there is very slight movement
 of the whole arm - left leg also somewhat
 wasted & the P. walks with difficulty,
 the abductor muscles being especially
 weak & the adductors apparently partially
 spastic - the P. walking in a scissor leg
 sort of fashion - though owing to her mental
 state of great restlessness this is not
 easily determined as yet -

Reflexes esp: knee-jerk to side somewhat
 increased - cranial reflex present.

Eyes brownish grey - pupils somewhat
 contracted but equal - react to light & to skin stimulation

Chest moves poorly - note, breathing impossible
 to determine at present as P. moves restlessly
 about & jerks the chest muscles & talks the
 whole time of exam - A.C.D. apparently normal
 443 in 5th space 1" inside N.L. no murmur

audible - Pulse about 80. but somewhat variable - rhythm & force fairly regular. Tongue somewhat furrowed & dry - marked constipation.

Urine 1022. ac: turbid with mucus - trace of albumen. Bacteremia - last m.p. 2 wks. ago. meningococci.

B. meningitidis acutissima
P. is absolutely incoherent. talking the whole time of the physical exam. a mere meaningless string of phrases - quite oblivious of her surroundings & incapable of understanding or answering any question put to her. She moves restlessly about the room the whole time, quite regardless of the fact that she was absolutely unclothed - gesticulating shouting & muttering to herself. Takes food when fed but is quite incapable of feeding herself. Sleeps very badly - Passes motions & urine about the room.

Dec: 5.

This morning the redness patch mentioned last notes the left iliac tubercle is very hard & brawny - while 3 bullae about the size of a 3/4" appeared in the course of about 2 hrs. - this was protected with a dressing of salalambrota woolse & P. moved into a bed in the new dispensary No. 2. after administration of an enema, a rectal exam was made - no communication being discoverable with rectum or base - uterus large, bulky & much retroverted - P. this afternoon sleeping - RCB

Dec: 9 -

P. remains fairly quietly in bed but when awake talks incoherently quite continuously - cannot answer the simplest question & is quite unconscious of her surroundings - the head brawny

patch above mentioned is less tense & hard. The bullae have burst leaving the skin denuded & a space ^{2 spaces} cuticle for about the size of a 1/4" piece, this is kept clean & dressed - P. takes liquid food when fed & sleeps about 10 hrs. a day without hyperthermia.

Dec: 12.

P. still quite incoherent though she can now occasionally answer a simple question & frequently repeats phrases uttered before her - Takes food well when fed & sleeps about 7 hrs. a night & 2 or 3 hours in the daytime at different periods. Temp. varies from 99.8 to about 100.

Dec: 19.

Patch looks healthy - less hard & brawny. cuticle healing ^{R.C.B.}
P. is now occasionally coherent for 2 or 3 minutes at a time. though she still talks incoherently in a meaningless jargon of English French & German - takes liquid food when fed with it & sleeps about 7 hrs a day with occasional hyperthermia. still in bed - the bed is slowly healing, the process being delayed by the difficulty of keeping it clean - as she is wet about 3 times a day.

Dec: 26.

Has been in bed twice last week - The bed sore on the back is healing but one has developed on each hip in spite of a water bed & constant attention - P. is always wet & dirty - will take no solid food of any kind - Talks incoherently & no coherence can be made out - Sleeps badly without hyperthermia

Jan. 9.

The P. gets up daily & the wound on the back is almost healed - On the R. hip a large slough has formed about size of 3/6" which has almost come away leaving the muscle exposed underneath - It is very difficult to keep any dressings on as P. constantly gets her hand down & pulls them off - ^{she is constantly wet & dirty} The dressing has to change almost hourly - P. is still quite incoherent for the most part though she at times occasionally

audible - Pulse about 80. but some variable - rhythm of force fairly regular Tongue somewhat fissured & dry - marked constipation.

Urine 1022. ac: turned into water - trace of albumen. last m.p 2 wks: ago. menorrhoea

B. mental acut. mania

P. is absolutely incoherent. talking whole time of the physical exam; a meaningless string of phrases - quite oblivious of her surroundings & incapable of understanding or answering any question put to her. She is restless about the room the whole time, quite regardless of the fact that she was alone unattended - gesticulating shouting & muttering to herself. Takes food when fed but quite incapable of feeding herself. Sleeps very badly - Passes motions & urine about 12

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patch above mentioned is less tender & hard. the bullae have burst leaving the skin denuded of cuticle for ^{a space} about the size of a 1/4 piece, this is kept clean & dressed - P. takes liquid food well when fed & sleeps about 10 hrs: a day without hypnotics.

Dec: 12.

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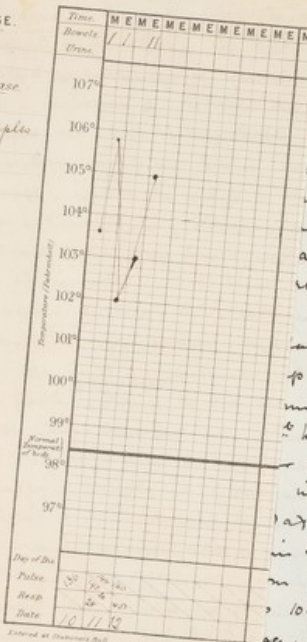
DISEASE.

Notes of Case

Name of Patient
Age
Diet
Case Book No.

Date of admission

Result



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sunken & P.C. is again more incoherent. Did
not have much sleep during the night. It is
difficult to get P.C. to take her food - she will only
take milk - Brandt is every half hour. B.D.
P.C. continued in much the same condition
during the day yesterday & took milk &
brandt fairly well - Temp. at 6 p.m. 105° P. 144.
Discharge from E. Abscess on R. side still
effusive - Drained constantly. During the day
P.C. has again become incoherent & wandering.
but occasionally she replies sensibly - during

12 Jan.

3 hereby give you Notice, That Blanche Maples

NOTICE OF DEATH

Date of Reception Order, the 30th day of November 1898
3 hereby give you Notice, That Blanche Maples
a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the second day of
December 1898 died therein on the 12th
day of January 1899.

Signed W. D. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer

Dated the 14th day of January One Thousand
Eight Hundred and Ninety nine
To the Commissioners in Lunacy

STATEMENT RESPECTING THE ABOVE-NAMED PATIENT

Name - Blanche Maples
Sex and age - female 45
Married, single, or widowed - single
Profession or occupation - none
Place of abode immediately before being placed under care and treatment (if known) - Westbarrow, Lewis Is
Apparent cause of death - Exhaustion from acute mania and abscess

Whether or not ascertained by post mortem examination - yes

Time and any unusual circumstances attending the death; also a description of any injuries known to exist at time of death or found subsequently on body of deceased
11.55 a.m.

Duration of disease of which patient died - about 2 months

Names and description of persons present at the death - Miss M. Julius (chief nurse)
Miss J. Maples (sister of patient)

Whether or not mechanical restraint was applied to deceased within seven days previously to death, with its character and duration, if so applied
no.

Signed W. D. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer

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answered a simple question rationally -
 The wound on the L. hip is healing - P.C. 8
 Yesterday morning temperature rose to
 103.4 - The wound on the right hip was well
 cleaned out with Hydrag. Pecher. Sloughs have
 almost come away but there is a good deal of
 discharge - That on the L. hip is also much
 darker & shows signs of sloughing in the center
 & there is a surrounding zone of inflammation
 about 1 1/2" in width. At the base behind scrotum
 is unpaired slightly - B.S.'s rather weak on the
 R. side. P. 104. fair tension - regular. At 6 p.m.
 Temp. rose to 105.8 & continued up at 12 p.m.
 P. 136. feetles. During the day wound has been
 several times cleaned out. P.C. has been
 quite rational & able to answer questions
 coherently - complains of pain in the head.
 Had dose a little during the day -
 This morning wounds were again cleaned out
 out - odors very offensive from that on R. side.
 Discharge free. Temp. is now 102.4. P.C. is
 weaker - P. 140 - H.A.B. 6th space. N.B. Sounds
 much better than yesterday - Eyes are more
 luster & P.C. is again more coherent. Did
 not have much sleep during the night. It is
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 Whether or not ascertained by post mortem examination - yes
 Time and any unusual circumstances attending the death; also a description of any injuries known to exist at time of death or found subsequently on body of deceased } 11:35 a.m.
 Duration of disease of which patient died } about 2 months
 Names and description of persons present at the death } Miss M. Julius (Chief Nurse)
Miss F. Maples (sister of patient)
 Whether or not mechanical restraint was applied to deceased within seven days previously to death, with its character and duration, if so applied } no.

Signed W. J. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer

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Eleanor Bauer.

Del. Dec: 4.98 married - aged 33. Wesleyan. of no occup.
 R.D. " " " 1st attack of uncertain duration - supposed
 cause Enteric fever. Prev: address 40 Bath St
 City Road EC. not E.S. or D.
 (Transf. p. 0841)

1st certif: She is in a state of depression & misery. Her appearance is wretched, she is constantly moaning in an unintelligible manner; she is restless & resistive. She opposes everything that is done for her - she will not answer any questions & does not appear to realize her position & surroundings.

Dec: 3.98 (signed) W.W. Floyer
 of Egham, Surrey.

2nd " corroborates -

Dec: 3.98 (signed) R. Nuttall
 of Priestwood, Beckenham.

Exam: Hist: said to be nil -

Prev: Hist: Has only menstruated once or perhaps twice in her life.
 (Fr. sister) 7th years ago - unhappy married life - a practical separation a short time afterwards & P. went back to live with her father - usually bright & lively - active & occupied -
 A few months ago was much "run down" by nursing her mother - 3 months ago had a slight attack of enteric fever - & has "never been right since" - moaning without cause, no irritations - some delusions of being "dead" etc. sleeping badly.

came here as U.B. Dec: 1.98 - seen to be unfit to remain as such & so was certified alone - see B.M.H. p. 1167

Condition on Admission

A. Physical

Gallery III. P.S. is very poorly developed. some scabiosis
 H.C. poorly nourished - complexion sallow & pale.
 W.F. 64.13 ~~muscular~~ anemic - Tongue furred
 & teeth indented - chest moves poorly &
 heart s.d. are toneless - but there are no apparent
 P.S. of disease beyond a faint systolic bruit at
 apex - not conducted into axilla & venous bruit
 in jugulars - due to the anaemia - though on
 acc. of P.S. inconstant moaning, examⁿ is
 unsatisfactory.

Eyes grey - pupils equal, somewhat dilated
 react to L.A. conservatively & to skin strain?
 Knee-jerk brisk - other reflexes lively - some
 facial irritability

Teeth.

Urine

Catamenia - has only menstruated once or twice
 in her life -

B. Mental Melancholia cum stupore

P.S. is moaning restlessly about, she will not
 sit down, but moves aimlessly about the
 room - rubbing her hands together & continually
 uttering a moaning cry - she appears quite
 oblivious to her surroundings - When asked
 the cause of her depression & her reason for so
 incessantly moaning, she does not answer

or if much patience is used, answers "do not know". Will give no answer to questions - Has no initiative, cannot dress or undress herself & opposes everything done for her in a silly foolish manner. Will usually eat anything put in front of her but sometimes has to be fed -

Dec: 11

Is very restless, standing about the gallery or moving restlessly & aimlessly within a small space, moaning & groaning automatically - so very resistive - often wet & dirty & requires to be attended to in all respects like a baby - eat well & sleeps fairly - Physically a little less anemic & pulse is a little stronger. R.C.D.

Dec: 18

Is less stuporous than she was, but is becoming more resistive - now makes occasional remarks & will usually answer simple questions though the reaction is very slow. Refuses food & has to be fed by tube - is very restless at night, moaning continually & has to be held in bed - R.C.D.

Dec 24th

To-day for the first time she eat her breakfast. Restless at night & does not sleep very well - often wet & dirty - Talks to herself but will not answer any questions -

Dec 31st

Is looking better - takes food well & is sleeping better - often wet - Constantly talks to herself in a low, humming way which it is difficult to understand - but looks some interest in the card, presents to her at times. R.C.D.

4 Jan. 99.
light. 6. 11

Is eating ravenously now - still refuses to answer questions - Sleeps better - is constantly wet & dirty - C.R.S.

5th Feb

Still continues as before - R.C.D.

3 March -
light. 7. 2.

No change - Never speaks except a few muttered words to herself - will answer no questions - Inquires looking after like a child - Sleeps fairly - Eats well. E.L.S.

9 March.

To-day was transferred to Ballinacree - E.L.S.

Discharged 9 March 99.

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Eva Margaret Allingham

Ad. Dec: 6 98 Single - aged 21 1/2 - of no occupation -
R.O. Nov: 5 " Unitarian - P.W: above Herdon Grove -
C. in L. Dec: 7 " Herdon of Eldon House - Lyndhurst Road
(Transfer) Hampstead. London N.W. 5th attack (of myasthenia)

1st certf:

of ovario-uterine - supposed cause "Bilious attack owing to change of weather" (!) not E.S.O.D she was rambling incoherent & childish in her talk. She has delusions that she is the wife of Jesus Christ & that Wagner is still alive & has been seen recently by her. (How?) is constantly talking nonsense & that she hears voices telling her what to do.

Nov: 4. 98 (signed) J. Ford Anderson
of 41 Belgrave Park, Hampstead

2nd "

Is childish & silly in manner - etc (corroborated)

Nov: 4. 98 (signed) Adam Young
of 2 College Crescent, N.W.

Family Hist: M. maternal Uncle died of G.P.I in England

Pres: Hist:

Condition on Admission Physical

Galley: P.F. is fairly developed & is somewhat stout but
H.C. is soft & flabby - some Scalasin - muscles
W.F. 10.1 poorly developed - Complexion sallow & muddy -
muscular members somewhat anemic - Some
scar spots on forehead & between shoulders

Tongue fairly clean but teeth indented -
She presents no P.S.G. disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. H.C. a little tasteless.
There is some dyspepsia - pain of flatulence about one hour after food - slight constipation
Eyes grey pupils somewhat dilated, equal & react to L.A. conservatively & to skin stimulation. Kernig's brisk - other reflexes normal. Thyroid palpable - not firm. Catamenia fairly regular -
Urine 1022 - ac: clear. no alk: blood - sugar or pus. urea = 2.3%

B. Mental Adolescent Mania
P.F. has a childish & silly expression & manner of speaking - Her conduct is irrational & impulsive eg she suddenly lay on the floor & began to kick, throwing up her clothing - when remonstrated with, said that she could not keep it. She has numerous delusions: that she is the wife of the Christos, that she is about to marry Wagner when she asserts that she saw a few days ago - she also in the same sentence says that she is engaged to a dentist who stopped a tooth for her & to the Curate of the Church. She told reports that her mother had been dead for months although which she usually attends - She has delusions of identity & told reports that she was a Miss Baker whom she knew intimately & that a Miss Cromwell who had taught her at school was in her gallery etc - She has hallucinations of hearing, hearing voices which she obeys - when speaking she listens to these voices & will often repeat what they

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have just told her - eg. suddenly across the bed, on being asked why she did so, said she had heard a voice say "Sit down on the bed" - these voices are heard on both sides, P states that she "feels them in her head" - Her language has a decided tendency towards coarseness & indiscrepancy. Her conversation is rambling, & disconnected almost incoherent. Her memory both for recent & remote events is impaired. She occupies herself to a slight extent under supervision, but if left to herself sits or lies about the gallery doing absolutely nothing. She eats largely & sleeps fairly.



Dec: 12

P is somewhat less eccentric in conduct, & she does not now lie on the floor & kick - she is very indolent & does nothing most of the day, talking about on sofas & benches. Her conversation is very disconnected with numerous delusions as above, & she has little idea of time with markedly impaired memory. R.C.D.

Dec: 20

Conduct somewhat less eccentric - delusions very numerous & conversation more or less incoherent - time sense markedly impaired. R.C.D.

27th

Still very incoherent & disconnected in conversation. Occupies herself with drawing & writing. She keeps being most eccentric. R.C.D.

Dec 31st

Has been very noisy & troublesome again. Two days ago began to tear out her hair.

Delusions still continue very marked & conversation very incoherent.

Jan 9th

P still continues very excited - sleep badly. Her conversation is quite incoherent & chiefly on the subject of wages - nearly all her time she employs drawing. R.C.D.

35th Feb. 10. 6

Has been quieter - Conversation very rambling but more coherent. Spend greater part of the day drawing or working - Sleeping better - R.C.D.

April 7- 10. 12

Has improved of late - conversation is still a little disconnected, but there is less confusion but she can still talk for a few minutes without losing herself well of R.C.D.

Jan 11 Dec: 17. 98

To the Hon Sec
Rhoda Broughton
2 pounds as given
to the London & County
Council Bank
Miss Eva Thompson

June 27

Improvement maintained - she is still childish & somewhat erratic & impulsive - Today went on leave. R.C.D.

July 3

Today discharged from leave.

Discharged July 3

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June 5

Improvement maintained - there is still much mental confusion & her conversation is still rambling & more or less disconnected - & her conduct is impulsive - but she is more equable & less erratic than she was - she occupies herself well with needlework, violin & plays tennis fairly - Phys: health good - catamenia regular. R.C.D.

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Discharged July 3rd

Emma Laura F. Jones (cont'd p: 252)

Oct 9- Last evening she managed to escape - got over the wall & spent the night under a tree - this morning she was found beyond Otterdown by an attendant who was searching for her - she came back without objection - her face was much abraded & both knees severely bruised by a fall in the dark - she was quite exhausted - She will not give the details of her escape. She has lately been rather more restless & agitated about the murder of President McKinley for which she considers herself responsible - RCD.

Dec: 31- Continues very deluded - she is weak minded & shows marked mental confusion auditory hallucinations are at times troublesome, she talks much to herself - so easily agitated at any political news, thinking that it has reference to her - & she has many extraordinary ideas about marriage &c Phys health good - she was in the same ten after her escape but had been moved to RCD.

March 22 02 8201. Continues very deluded - & to write letters like the annexed to various political people, thinking herself the cause of all wars &c which she imagines waged entirely on her behalf. Phys health good - c2 RCD

June 26 8202. Is becoming more deluded & weak minded, at times is much annoyed by auditory hallucinations. Phys: health good - c2 RCD

Sept: 19- 8202 1/2. Slowly but steadily becoming more weak minded & her delusions of a more foolish & impossible character - Phys: health good - c2 RCD

Jan. 15 1905. Pt. remains much in same condition.

From Laura Emma Jones to President Roosevelt. Anarchist. Hallucinations of persec. aud. see - hallucinations

Saint Anne's Work Madhouse. Near Virginia Water Station Surrey 1901 September, October 1st health good - RCD - of her delusions unreasonable RCD. minded of c2 RCD.

Dear Dr. Czelegosz. I am afraid that it must be poor Emma Jones that you mean & not Emma Goldmann who has incited you to this dreadful act, I am overwhelmed in misery at my own weakness in having made such wild speeches to you, my friends about anarchists after I had been repeatedly imprisoned in this Madhouse in 1890 eleven years ago, I undo all I said about anarchists I refuse to have any thing to do with anarchists at all, I do not know how Emma Jones said she in 1890, but I do know I do not let the anarchists know that I know of any thing to do with it, I have never been in touch with them, and will not be in touch with them.

Aug: 30 72011 are more vague & impossible - RCD

Nov: 15. 8202. She slowly progresses. becoming more weak minded & her delusions more vague & utterly impossible - the hallucinations of hearing are very troublesome - Phys health impaired by a long course of ill c2 RCD.

Jan. 18 1905 7502. Patient is very weak minded with vague delusions. Her physical health is improved by Dr. S.M.P. 273.

Emma Laura F. Jones (cont'd p: 25)

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and delusions about electricity persist. ^{and.}
She steadily becomes worse - hallucinations are

From down at home to Exlgosy

Believe me I have repeated of hearing said
such wild things in 1890 but I had an
uncanny man who wished to marry me
that I thought it would never come to pass
about it because it was meant to be a
great deal to be carried into execution.
I am sorry for my fears about it all & I
pray God I had never seen or us both.

Your unfortunate mother
Laura & Emma Jones

having ever said anything of the kind -
I shall try my best in the future not to
say anything that shall ever excite
people to do anything at all.
I had a great admiration for Mr. McKinley
as I have said you had yourself someone
you had no personal acquaintance, but she
must be very sure of the sort of thing.
I also said that I wished to be shot myself
if I were unacceptably enough to get imprisoned
again in a Madhouse as I was so frightened
of going there from my first admission in 1890.
I repeat hearing said in connection very plainly
& I repeat your preferences. I have liked both
all they met a real person. I have had
feared I have read the book called "The
Nemesis". It would have all passed years
ago if they had only let me get married at once
for it was arranged to build with my hearing
& acquaintance was only to be employed if there
was no objection, but I repeat hearing said
said or mentioned anything about it at all.
I have read hundreds in my life. I have been
I have to pray for forgiveness for you & my father
I will if I could. I was certain I was hearing
in the Madhouse there is no doubt about it &
over that I had no control whatever.

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 Saint Ann's Work Madhouse
 Near Virginia Water, Station
 Surrey -
 1911 October 1st

Sept: 20
 8202 Dear President Roosevelt
 Dec: 17.
 8202 2 I wish you whether it be possible to commute
 the sentence on Gogony for the murder of
 President Mac Kinley, & I said it was
 doubtless my wish utterances that have
 caused this precious thing to happen.
 I had been repeatedly treated about getting
 married by my relations & I had not
 a Madhouse. I would like to see
 a good husband, & it was after I came
 out that I said that if I could not obtain
 justice I'd married like an ordinary
 human being & be allowed to get married
 as an ordinary woman. I have been
 much agitated about it. I hope a report of
 I am ashamed of. I am quite at what I said
 that it was not intended to be written
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Emma Laura Fanny Jones

Adm Dec: 14. 98 angle - aged 42. Ch: 5) Eng: - of no occup.
R.O. " " " " Prev address Connaught Mansions, Ballinacree
Cind. " 15 " Park - 2nd attack of about 2 yrs duration.
Cause unknown - age on previous attack 34
Then treated here Apr: 4. 90 to March 30. 92.
Not E S or D.

1st certif:

She informed me that she went to the Police station to complain that persons in another room applied electricity to her causing pain all over her body. I believe this is a delusion (con?) talks to herself, still complains of electrical currents in the workhouse.

Dec: 13. 92 (signed) Wm. H. Allen M.D. of 211 Kings' Road Chelsea

2nd "

She has ideas of persecution, fancies her friends & other people are against her. She complains of bad smells which are not noticeable to others. She talks of whipping a great deal to herself. She states that electric wires have been laid on her & to each of her two previous residences from which she receives electric shocks which hurt her greatly, both in the head & legs. This is due to her being probably by static electricity.

Dec: 13. 92. (signed) Stephen Moore of Chelsea Infirmary SW

Prev: Hist:

"Delicate" as a child - naturally reserved. habits sedentary, has been musical but has given up of late. was a governess for 4 yrs: 1857-61. then acted as housekeeper to her father, who was said to have "softening of the brain" & was very irritable. brooded over 2 gentleman friends dying in the South became suspicious, developed ideas of plots against her - wrote letters to friends soliciting marriage certified Apr: 4. 90 - see casebook III p: 211. delusions of suspicion & persecution - erotic

constantly wrote letters to various people, Lord Wolmerston, the medical officers & detailing various suspicious matters, which were of an erotic nature - Ran away Aug: 90 & was some time gone or here - discharged Mar: 1892.

For past yrs has been much alone. Took a small flat for broths, while there has delusions of suspicion - plots - electricity etc. Lately has made complaints to the Police of various people affecting her with electricity - sent by them to Chelsea Infirmary where she has been for the last 2 wks. -

Fam: Hist:

Father had "softening of the brain" - suspicious - irritable - violent - constantly writing letters

Condition on Admission -

A Physical

Gallery I

P.S. is fairly developed & is fairly nourished. Hair light beginning to turn grey. Eyes grey - pupils equal & react & a consequence to skin stimulation - Tongue fairly clean slight dyspepsia of late (only on workhouse diet) appetite good - marked constipation. There are no P.S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs

H.S.

Catamenia stated to be regular - slight dysmenorrhoea - last m.p: 3 wks: ago.

W.S.

Teeth not good - many caries & several molars missing.

P.S. complains of tingling in head & R.C. leg - some cramp of R.C. calf muscles at night.

no signs of atrophy - pulse fair tension slight very superficial varicose venules R thigh - knee jerks brisk & equal - other reflexes normal.

B. Mental - Delusional mania -

Pt. can sustain a reasonable conversation, her memory is good & her conduct while here is rational though she occupies herself very little. She takes food well & sleeps fairly. She has marked delusions of persecution & states that she went several times to the police to complain that her landlady had plotted with others to persecute her with electricity by means of wires "fixed all over the floor & walls". She says that these "electrical sensations" persisted while in the infirmary but that she has no felt them since admission here. She has also vague delusions that various people have offered her marriage & that hidden messages are put in various papers for her. She appears to have some vague ideas of suspicion, says that she has felt "guilt" after taking articles of food which sometimes she can only attribute to prison. She seems to have hallucinations of hearing as she states that she has heard her landlady plotting & a voice from the wall state that she is about to be killed. Probable hallucinations as well as she states that she has frequently noticed "green smells" & thinks it "may be due to the electricity".

Dec: 21. Continues much the same. delusions continue - there is marked constipation controlled with difficulty owing to her dislike to take medicine, caused by the delusion of poisoning R.C.D.



Dear Doctor Moore.
Will you let me go back to my flat I see if I can stop the war, I don't say that I can, but I could try. And if I can't do so in three months time I would engage to come back to this horrible madhouse where I am so unhappy, so thoroughly miserable that I seem to be dead & out of a world that has treated me so badly as never to get me into this madhouse & take away all I care for, as it has done in this life. It injured me the last time I was here & then I was only here for four months & a half, what harm it must be doing me therefore will help me here a year. If you will only let me go on trial with a Miss Mrs. Madams and Powell

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April 6. Is somewhat more sociable & less morose, but though she is somewhat reticent about her delusions, she retains them almost as strongly as ever - both of electricity & the vague delusions of poisoning - R.C.D.

May 14. Has been talking much about her delusions

no signs of atheroma - pulses fair tension slight very superficial varicose veins of R thigh - knee joints brisk & equal - other reflexes normal.

B. Murphy - Delusion PF can sustain a real her nervous is good & is rational though she a little - she takes food in She has marked delusion states that she went seven complain that her landlady to persecute her with electric "fixed all over the floor, we these "electric sensations" in inferno but that she has admission here - She has that various people have off hidden messages are put in to abdomen - She appears to be of suspicion, says that she articles of food which somewhat to prison. She seems then as she states that she has heard a voice from the wall state

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it would be impossible for me to get away from her of these, then I would do all I could to stop the war, as it is my friends who are probably killed a heart out there - but it is your fault that is a war you ought to have let me go before, it was your injustice to me, when you saw that I wasn't ill, you ought to have let me go. The love of money is the root of all evil. Moreover there is someone who is in appearance like my brother-in-law, whom I like much better than anyone here & who lived opposite to me for months when I was in apartments in London. I want to go back to him I am afraid of losing him as I haven't seen him now for a year and ten months - He is over six feet high & very dark in fact very like Betty Lepp - I had I am sure there was some mistake about Betty because Barbara used

to say to me shall I write & ask you Betty Lepp to come to dinner I had why can't I write to him & she said No I can't write to him now do the boys I it is me who ought to write which she did, but I am sure there is something more in it than it looks or why would she say my Betty Lepp - I thought I had better tell you this as I don't want to lose all chance of being happy although at present circumstances look so unpromising.
Yours faithfully
Laura H. Jones

Dec: 15. to admiring then. do I like tri P.C.D. - B. d objects pass etc. S.C.D. the last the co. S.C.D. E.C.D. Stewart's her cut.

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Taken Dec: 15. (day after admission) P. restless.

Dec: 28th Delusions still continue tho' P. evinces dislike to speaking much of them. Constipation P.C.D.
Jan 7th There is no change in P.C. S.C.S.
" 14th P. is still very constipated. Much objects to medicine and she says "poisoners vs para electricity tho' her". Silent & not sociable. S.C.S.
" 21st P. has taken medicine better the last week ^{still very constipated} & varies a good deal but on the whole is more sociable than she was. S.C.S.
Feb 26th Still continues morose & silent - S.C.S.
March 6th Is more sociable - has been doing needlework of late & shows more interest in her surroundings & is less self centered. Her delusions appear to still persist to some extent but P. shows much more reticence in speaking of them. E.L.J.
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with regard to marriage the last 2 or 3 days (before admission wrote strangers requesting marriage those of electricity & of poison very marked R.C.D.)

June 16- 70513 Full of delusions of suspicion (poison in food) of theft of unseen agency (mesmerism & electricity) & of offers of marriage from strangers - also of hallucinations of smell - declares that she has a keener smell than any one in the house (senses not really keen) & that she can recognize everyone by that smell (she cannot) Phys: health fair - has some dyspepsia - catamenia regular - R.C.D.

July 4. 70511 Very restless & full of her delusions (especially about marriages, of electricity & of poison) was today violent, kicking & scratching a nurse - after words being much abused, etc - openly states her intention of running away at the first opportunity & wanders about the terrace looking for possible places to get over the wall - her liberty was consequently restricted - R.C.D.

Sept: 19 70510 Continues very restless & deluded - but has not been again violent - has many ideas of suspicion of unseen agency e.g. states that she feels a tingling in electric feeling in her left hand which means that one man wishes to marry her - the same "electric signal" in her right hand means that "some one in London has proposed" to her - & so on - is very bitter against her relations for keeping her here - She rarely occupies herself & is very unmanageable - Phys: health fair - R.C.D.

Sept: 29. 70512 P. stated today that the approaching war in South Africa is entirely due to her "illegal detention" here R.C.D.

Dec: 20. 70517 Very confused mentally & full of her delusions she talks continuously of them & consequently has been sent to No. 7 - R.C.D.

March 27. 70518 Is somewhat less confused - but her delusions

70512 delusions of unseen agency, of poison & of offers of marriage from strangers - has lately had a patch of Tinea circinata for which she is in N.D. - otherwise her phys: health is good - catamenia regular R.C.D.

July 2- 70517 Very confused & very full of her delusions - phys: health good but she is hypochondriacal

Sept: 24 70514 Retains her delusions of electricity & R.C.D. of unseen agency - there is much mental confusion - Phys: health fair - catamenia regular - Today told reports that after using a gargle given to her to cure a slight pharyngitis a black moth flew on the cup & she was quite convinced that this was the sore throat driven out by the gargle - R.C.D.

Dec: 31 70515 Is more deluded than she was - has delusions of poison (stating that poisons are put in the tea & other foodstuffs) of electricity, of mesmerism, of offers of marriage from strangers etc - talks in the most disgusting manner frequently - there is great mental confusion - & she is more & more unmanageable - Phys: health good - amenorrhoea last 2 months - Has gained 6 1/2 lbs this yr: R.C.D.

March 19-01. 70516 There is marked mental confusion at times & she has many delusions - Phys: health good - A. with exception of Feb: past 5 months: R.C.D.

June 21. 70512 Continues to have many delusions - of poison, electricity, mesmerism & offers of marriage - frequently states that her "impaired memory" is the sole cause of the Transvaal War & writes letters to the Boer generals - continues asking them to continue, as others to stop the war - Phys: health good - C.R: R.C.D.

Sept: 16. 70517 Continues unwell - Phys: health good - C.R: R.C.D.

2045.

Edith Hulme - married.

Ad. Dec: 21. 98 of no occup? - aged 38. Presbyterian Ch. of Eng:- Pres: address. The Morningside, Bexhill on Sea. 1st attack of 3 months' duration - nature previously treated - Suffered cause: purpural - not E.S. or D.

1st certif: She is melancholic in aspect. she would not reply to questions - she kept her eyes closed & when she spoke only said "it is too terrible" she admitted she was in dread but could not say of what. (Com?) she escaped from her friends, & was found at a Railway station, that she is refusing food & for the past fortnight has steadily got worse Dec: 21. 98 (signed) G.H. Savage

2nd " Delirious & admission by the Patient that she had to be forced to take food - Melancholic.

(Signed) James Edward Smith 21. Dec. 98. Almsdale House - Stratford-on-Avon. Farm: Hist: said to be nice. Maternal maiden Aunt was in Bethlehem Hospital for some years.

Pres: Hist: Always been fairly strong & healthy - Typhoid fever 6-7 years ago. On 16 years - 1 ch. 12 yrs ago - 2 miscarriages - 2nd child born 30 April 99 - A few days later her husband had a serious illness during which she nursed him & was much worried & depressed - In Sept. she became worse & was sent away from home under the charge of a nurse

(From nurse) Became worse 2 weeks ago - escaped & wandered to railway station - was brought back with difficulty - developed delirium & persecution, & of being followed about by

spirits of delirium - seeing "signs for her" in trifles. very resistant & suspicious - delusions of impending doom - no desire to chide or husband. sleeping only with hypnotics, & had to be fed by spoon. habits clean. Catamenia said to be regular - last m/p about 2 weeks ago -

Condition on Admission - A. Physical

Galley III HF W: 7. 11. 98. P.S. is fairly developed - & fairly nourished, somewhat flabby - has picked the skin of her face into sores, & to a less extent that of her hands. Mucous membranes: anemic - Tongue fairly clean but pale & tooth indented - Eyes - pupils somewhat dilated but equal, react readily to L.A. carelessly, & to skin stimulation - There are no P.S. of disease detected in thoracic or abdominal organs, beyond

Anemia a faint systolic bruit at P.A. & a general tenderness of cardiac sounds. due to the anemia - slight constipation.

Reflexes fair - slight ankle clonus - Teeth.

Urine - Ac. 1075. deposit of urates - No ab. Sugar or ind. slight dyspepsia -

Catamenia stated to be regular - no dysmen: no ovarian tenderness - no leucorrhoea - Thyroid Gland - slightly enlarged but there is no tumor & no exophthalmos & pulse rate is only about 72.

B. Mental. Melancholia.

Pf sits by herself, unoccupied, looking the picture of misery - is exceedingly resistant, fighting & struggling when dressed, undressed, fed etc. She can talk rationally & her reaction to questions is fair - Her memory is somewhat impaired, & her power of attention is slight. She states that she has lost all interest in her former occupations, & feels "quite unlike herself" - She has delusions of impending doom & is very apprehensive - she states that this is a horror of horrors, that she is sure something awful will come between her husband & herself - & that she has been followed since by spirits. She has slight hallucinations of hearing, stating that she has heard people talking against her. She refuses food & has to be fed by spoon, & only sleeps with hypnotics.

Dec 26th

Still refuses to take her food well - The last day or two she has stated that on several occasions she has seen her child in the garden & fallen in its perambulator - Her delusions as to the character of the house continue - No bed eating. She swallowed 4 of her pills - Is restless & sleeps badly without the aid of hypnotics - Occasionally refuses to dress herself but is better in that respect. G.C.D.

Dec 31st

The pills have not been passed yet. The last 2 days there has been a tendency to diarrhoea - Hallucinations of hearing still continue very marked, she says she is constantly hearing voices telling the other ladies to do something; what, cannot be ascertained - Is eating better. Sleep not good. Still picks her face & hands a great deal. She occupies herself with

Jan 5th
Suicidal caution
wound Jan 3rd

anything - E.P.S.

Two days ago the middle end of a loath vomit was passed by Pf which she said she had swallowed about 2 days after her vomit. The handle end has not been seen - does not take her food well & on the 3rd had to be fed with a bit at dinner time - but since then has been better. Is still very depressed & has marked delusions - especially concerning her husband & child - Has refused to dress herself etc. E.P.S.

Jan 12th

Pf continues in same condition - No sign of vomit - is taking food well now. E.P.S.

" 21st

Pf still very depressed. Spends nearly the whole day walking restlessly up & down the gallery. Takes her food rather better. It is much more difficult to get her to converse now; for the most part she sits in a chair quite unmoved by anything that is said to her - B's very constipated. No sign of the vomit has been seen - Still continues to pick her face very badly & also her hands which are quite raw in many places - E.P.S.

" 28th

On two occasions since last note Pf has attacked & struck other ladies & the nurses. On 22nd passed content of stomach & bladder into the bed. Walks acutely up & down the gallery repeating "What am I kept here away from my home". Hands quite raw from constant picking - Sleeps badly. Eats well. E.P.S.

Feb 26th

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Constantly attacks other patients & nurses - Still restless & picks her face & hands quite raw. Sleeps badly. No vomit since admission - E.P.S.

27th March.

Continues violent at times. Hands & face quite raw from constant picking. E.P.S.

May 24. Continues restless & unoccupied, constantly picking her hands & face - frequently violent - 3 days ago bit another P^r on the hands & held her throat. (held above provocation. Miss Anderson) taking food now fairly well, is sleeping better - Is not as depressed as she was & is taking more interest in her surroundings - now reads her letters & likes having them when a few weeks back she would throw them away ^{unread}

June 12. 8054



Continues restless, unoccupied picking her hands & face, eating grass & daisies - with occasional impulsive violence - somewhat less depressed & takes a faint interest in her surroundings. Phys health improved - & she is gaining weight. They read still & ^{admire} has had one up: on May 19 since R.C.D.

July 13. 8051

Is very noisy & is constantly violent - yesterday bit Miss Russell & attacked Miss Sweetland & Miss Hallett, & fought the nurses when prevented - on the 11th attacked Miss S. & pulled her hair in a scuffle up down the gallery picking her hands, face & neck & frequently biting out impulsively at anyone near her - apparently in obedience to voices. R.C.D.

Aug: 26. 8053

Is somewhat less restless than she was, & can now talk fairly coherently for a few minutes at a time - though there is difficulty in getting her into conversation, & she is very moose - quite unoccupied, frequently impulsively violent biting & kicking these nurses - continues to pick her hands & face into sores. has numerous delusions, thinks that she has been dead & is in hell - thinks her husband remind of all her people dead or dying - Physically is improving R.C.D.

Sept: 10

Is less deluded & confused than she was & has

8054 depressed, taking more interest in her surroundings but is very silent & morose & quite unoccupied - when visited by her husband she will brighten up & converse rationally with him, asking after all friends so picks face & hands rather less - Phys health improving - takes food well - sleeps well - no further m: p: (one only for 10 months on May 19) frequently very violent fighting biting & kicking nurses & patients R.C.D.

Nov: 4. 8056 1/2

Has distinctly improved of late - she now occupies herself a little & takes some interest in her surroundings - picks her hands less, takes food & sleeps well - & is less depressed - the attacks of impulsive violence have been much less frequent of late - R.C.D.

Jan: 9-1900 8059

Continued to improve, occupying herself occasionally with a little needlework - for the last 70 days has picked her hands more & has been more often violent to the other P^r taking food fairly well - catamenia regular for last 3 months. R.C.D.

march 28. 80510 1/2

She continues morose - occupies herself very little - picks her hands - & is alternately violent - catamenia now regular - & her physical health has improved. R.C.D.

June 30

Improved on the whole - & has been in 206 since May 20th will brighten up & enter into conversation for a few minutes - talking freely & brightly to her husband & sister but she is very reticent & unsociable - She has begun to realize her mental state, but though she does not now talk of her former delusions, she yet thinks that they were "true at the time" - less often violent of late. Phys health ^{improved} R.C.D.

80510 1/2

May 24. Continues restless & unoccupied, con-
705 2 1/2 picking her hands & face - frequently
violent - 3 days ago bit another P's on the
& held her throat. (had had some provocation
Cochran) taking food now fairly well &
sleeping better - Is not as depressed as she
& is taking more interest in her surroundings
& now reads her letters & likes having them at
a few weeks back she would throw them away

June 12.
805 4



Continues restless, un-
picking her hands & face, &
grass & daisies - with occa-
impulsive violence - now
less depressed & takes a faint
interest in her surroundings
Phys health improved - & is
gaining weight. They read
had no opinion May 19 since?

July 13.
805 1

Is very noisy & is constant
violent - yesterday hit Miss R
& attacked Miss Swetapel & Miss Kellat, & fought the nurse
when permitted - on the 11th attacked Miss S. & pulled her hair -
up down the gallery picking her hands, face & neck & b
bitting out impulsively at anyone near her - apparently
obedient to voices.

Aug: 26.
805 3

Is somewhat less restless than she was, & can now
fairly coherently for a few minutes at a time - there
there is difficulty in getting her into conversation, & she
more - quite unoccupied, frequently impulsively
biting & kicking those near her - continues to pick her
& face into sores. has numerous delusions, thinks
she has been dead & is in hell. Thinks her husband
& all her people dead or dying - Physically is improv

Sept: 10

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they were "true at the time" - less often violent
of late. Phys health improved R.C.B.

Nov: 2 destroyed
returned from leave

Aug: 20

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2046

Ad. Dec. 23. 98
R.O. 1 Jan. 99
C. in L. 2 Jan. 99
(urgency)

Selina Douglas Heald. married.

of no occupation - aged 46 years - Protestant -
Previous address 43 St Luke's Road W. London
first attack of 3 weeks duration - however
previously treated - supposed cause: worry -
not B or S. D. Having assaulted the nurse

1st certif:

She is suffering from general paralysis of the
Insane. There is loss of facial expression -
Muscular tremor of lips & tongue with marked
clipping of words, imperfect & indistinct
articulation. She is in a very excited state
& is emotional. She has grandiose ideas -
is well satisfied with herself. Says she can
do all things well & is a good walker
(whereas she has a feeble unsteady gait):
that she is very strong & proposes buying
a row of houses (whereas I am informed
she has no money): (con?) that she is
getting worse - that at times she has
violent outbursts & assaults her attendant
& that she is beyond control.

(Signed) William Washburn Poyser

23 Dec. 98. of Egham Surrey.

2nd

Fam. Hist.

cardinals. (signed) Edwin P. Searver
Husband is in this Hospital suffering
from G.P. Ad. 3 Aug 97. duration of present
attack 3 1/2 years - Died May 15. 99. supposed cause
"nervous worry"

Prev. Hist.

NOTICE OF DEATH

Date of Reception Order, the first day of January 1899
I hereby give you Notice, That Selina Douglas Heald
a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the twenty third
December 1898 died therein on the twentieth
day of March 1903

Signed W. D. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer

Dated the twenty first day of March 1903 One-Thousand
Eight-Hundred-and-Ninety
To the Commissioners in Lunacy

STATEMENT RESPECTING THE ABOVE-NAMED PATIENT

Name - Selina Douglas Heald
Sex and age - female 51
Married, single, or widowed - widowed
Profession or occupation - none
Place of abode immediately before
being placed under care and
treatment (if known) - 43 St. Luke's Road, London, W.
Apparent cause of death - General Paralysis of the Insane

Whether or not ascertained by post
mortem examination - no

Time and any unusual circumstances
attending the death; also a
description of any injuries known
to exist at time of death or found
subsequently on body of deceased
5:30 a.m.

Duration of disease of which patient
died - about 5 years

Names and description of persons
present at the death - Nurse Elizabeth Rich

Whether or not mechanical restraint
was applied to deceased within
seven days previously to death,
with its character and duration,
if so applied - no

Signed W. D. Moore M.D.
Medical Officer

Jan 5th
1899

day at times resistant - She talks constantly of
her great wealth. Eats well. S.C.D.
1st continues very noisy & excited - She is
heavily always when angry or excited - She

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R.O. 17 Jan. 99
C. in L. 2 Jan. 99
(copy)

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previously treated - supposed cause: worry -
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Insane. There is loss of facial expression -
Muscular tension of lips & tongue with marked
clipping of words, imperfect & in distinct
articulation - She is in a very excited state
& is emotional. She has grandiose ideas -
Is well satisfied with herself. Says she can
do all things well & is a good walker
(whereas she has a feeble instead of fair):
that she is very strong & proposes buying
a row of houses (whereas I am informed
she has no money): (con?) that she is
getting worse - that at times she has
violent outbursts & assaults her attendant
& that she is beyond control.

(Signed) William Washburn Poyser

23 Dec. 98. of Egham Surrey.

2nd

Jan. Hist.

condemns. (signed) Edwin P. Searcy
24 Dec. 98. 163 Cadogan Lane W.
Husband is in this asylum suffering
from G.P. Ad. 3 Aug 97. duration of present
attack 3 1/2 years - Died May 15. 99 - supposed cause
"nervous worry"

Prev. Hist.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Gallery VIII. Pt is fairly well developed & well nourished
Ht. muscles somewhat soft & flabby. Tongue
Wt. 155 lbs. slightly furrowed & flabby. Taste deficient.
Nil abnormal detected in thoracic or
abdominal organs. Some constipation.

H. ESTLE, 48, Cannon Street
& 88, St. James's Place
Ct. Johnson's Cocoa case 208
FRY'S Choc.

No Heald - Page 258
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at the P. being
accommodation
a somewhat
Plantar reflex
tremulous
spasms on both
alanges bent.

alb. no sugar. bowels
lar. every 3 wks.

needlework
me to make
? money. Her
- Her conduct
slightly weeping
very excited -
& about herself
& well.

is very

restless & requires hypnotics. Her speech
is very hurried & slow & always rambling
Pt is rather restless at night & during the
day at times resistant - She talks constantly of
her great wealth. Eats well. E.C.D.
Pt continues very noisy & excited. She is
heavily always. After evening or bedtime - Her

Dec 29th

Jan 5th
Wt. 9.0

2046

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R.O. 1 Jan. 99
C. in L. 2 Jan. 99
(copy)

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Muscular tremor of lips & tongue with marked
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& is emotional. She has grandiose ideas -
is well satisfied with herself. Says she can
do all things well & is a good walker
(whereas she has a feeble unsteady gait):
that she is very strong & proposes buying
a row of houses (whereas I am informed
she has no money): (con?) that she is
getting worse - that at times she has
violent outbursts & assaults her attendant
& that she is beyond control.

(Signed) William Wadham Hooper
of Egham Surrey.

23 Dec. 98. of Egham Surrey.
condonates. (Signed) Edwin P. Sugar
24 Dec. 98. 162 East Wick Lane W.
Husband is in this Asylum suffering
from G.P. Ad. 3 Aug 97. duration of present
attack 3 1/2 years - Died May 15. 99. supposed cause
"money worries"

2nd
Jan. Hist.

Prev. Hist.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Gallery VIII. Pt is fairly well developed & well nourished
muscles somewhat soft & flabby. Tongue
slightly furred & flabby. Taste deficient.
Nil abnormal detected in thoracic or
abdominal organs. Some constipation.
Eyes brown - pupils unequal the R. being
larger than the L. React to accommodation
but not to light. Knee jerks somewhat
exaggerated on both sides. Plantar reflex
absent. Lips & Tongue very tremulous
Terminal joints of the fingers on both
hands enlarged & ~~last~~ phalanges bent.
Gait - feeble & unsteady.
Urine Ac. 1018. clear. pale. No sugar. No indur?
Catamenia - said to be regular. every 3 weeks.
Last m.p. early this month.

B. Mental.

has delusions that
She says she can do needlework
most beautifully - and means to make
presents of large sums of money. Her
memory is very deficient. Her conduct
is diarrhetic & she is constantly weeping
for no reason or else is very elated.
Her conversation is entirely about herself
and her doings. Takes food well.
Sleeps fairly but at times is very
restless & requires hypnotics. Her speech
is very hurried & slow & always rambling.
Pt is rather restless at night & during the
day at times resistant. She talks constantly of
her great wealth. Eats well. E.C.D.
Pt continues very noisy & excited. She is
heavily always after crying or ranting. Her

Dec 29th

Jan 5th
light 9.0

speech is much slower & more blurred than it was on admission - Sats well - Sleeps badly
 Condition continues the same. E.C.S.
 Jan 12th
 " 21st
 902; Still in same condition - two days ago she was very excited & screamed a great deal. Is very emotional. E.C.S.
 " 30th
 Feb. 26th Still excited & noisy. no change. E.C.S.
 Remains in the same state - Easily scared
 left. 9. 1/2
 April 5th Very restless - Sleeps fairly - E.C.B.
 Has improved somewhat since last note - Restless but occupies herself with needlework etc. which is not badly done. Sleeps fairly - No alteration in speech - walks fairly well. E.C.B.
 May 10 - Was in bed yesterday, showing signs of considerable rigidity & twitching of facial muscles which however passed off after a purge - R.C.D.



June 12. 8-12
 Has shown no further signs of convulsive attack - occupies herself well under supervision in needlework etc. - of left m. occipital is very restless & soon becomes excited - is less emotional than she was - sleeps & eats well - walks fairly well in a straight line but shows marked difficulty in turning at an angle - speech slow & she cannot pronounce difficult words such as "mixed biscuits" - attention regular R.C.D.
 June 4. 99.
 Sept. 19 - continues quite unaltered since last note. R.C.D.
 Dec. 20. 10012
 Unchanged - some slight convulsive twitching for a few minutes last month - does simple housework & needlework & can handle a needle well - walks fairly well but has some difficulty in turning - head has just returned after 3

mouth's amonorrhoea R.C.D.
 Jan 26. 1900. Yesterday morning had a fit - a short and convulsive attack affecting R^o side of face followed by a long period of partial unconsciousness with marked pallor of face - the right corner of the mouth is still drawn down & the nasolabial fold on that side obliterated - Slight R^o lower eye R.C.D.
 March 15 1002
 Taking of the R^o into - occupies herself with needlework - walks less emotional - R.C.D.
 Mrs. Hall. April 99.
 April 14 1002
 entire attack - speech is amnesia, twitching of R^o. R.C.D.
 July 3 902
 of late - there is such a more more marked phis - the all muscles are weak - R.C.D.
 Tremor of fibrillation very marked R.C.D.
 July: 902
 Aug. 1 902
 & then had a few going downhill - are more marked - in some of her cases does not feel well.
 She is still capable of easy needlework & can walk without assistance though there is some difficulty in turning & her gait is a little unsteady. R.C.D.
 Sept 24. 90102
 Yesterday had a slight fit - today somewhat R.C.D.

speech is much slower & more blurred than it was on admission - Sats well - Sleeps badly
 Condition continues the same. E.C.S.
 Still in same condition - two days ago she was very excited & screamed a great deal. Is very emotional. E.C.S.
 Still excited & noisy. no change. E.C.S.
 Remains in the same state - Easily Sated
 Very restless - Sleeps fairly - E.C.B.
 Has improved somewhat since last note - Restless but occupies herself with needlework &c. which is not badly done. Sleeps fairly - No alteration in speech - walks fairly well. E.C.B.
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June 4. 99. words such as "mixed biscuits" - catamenia regular. R.C.D.
 Sept. 19 - continues quite unaltered since last note. R.C.D.
 Dec. 20. 97. Unchanged - some slight convulsive twitching for a few minutes last month - does simple needlework & needlework & can handle a needle well - walks fairly well but has some difficulty in turning - period has just returned after 3

months' amenorrhoea R.C.D.
 Jan 26. 1900. Yesterday morning had a fit - a short and convulsive attack affecting R. side of face followed by a long period of partial unconsciousness with marked pallor of face - the right corner of the mouth is still drawn down & the nasolabial fold on that side obliterated - tongue R. lower eyelid swollen. R.C.D.
 March 15. Two days ago had slight twitching of the R. side of face lasting a few minutes - occupies herself well & does good needlework - walks well & strongly - is somewhat less emotional than she was & is sleeping better. R.C.D.
 April 14. Yesterday afternoon had an abortive attack - speech very thick & slurred with partial amnesia, alexia & agraphia - some slight twitching of R. side of face - today as usual. R.C.D.
 July 3. Has gone steadily downhill of late - there is more mental confusion, her speech is more indistinct, the amnesia is more marked, there is partial alexia & agraphia - the tremors of facial & other small muscles are very noticeable - Had slight fit June 5. R.C.D.
 July 27. Speech very thick & indistinct - & tremor of facial twitching of facial muscles are very marked. R.C.D.
 Aug. 22. Yesterday evening was very sick & then had a few twitching of face. She is steadily going downhill is losing flesh - tremor & twitching are more marked, she is more feeble & is losing her sense of balance frequently and stating that she "does not feel well". She is still capable of easy needlework & can walk without assistance though there is some difficulty in turning & her gait is a little unsteady. R.C.D.
 Sept. 24. Yesterday had a slight fit - today as usual. R.C.D.

Oct: 31 10°C 4 1/2 A slight fit today. Twitching of facial muscles preceded by salivator - she is beginning to do dumbbell - there is more mental confusion & her speech is getting very indistinct. RCD.

Dec: 31 10°C 12 Another fit on Dec: 4. also slight in character she is less reticent & at times of periods stating that she does "not feel well". speech getting worse there is more clumsiness of the fingers - & more mental confusion. RCD.

Jan: 31. 01 10°C 11 So rapidly going downhill - speech is very thick slurred & indistinct & she is beginning to show marked incoordination & clumsiness of movement - memory much impaired & after there is marked mental confusion. RCD.

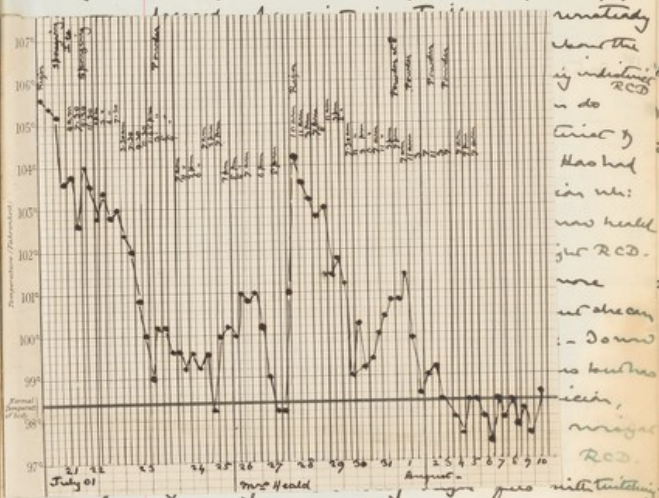
March 19. 10°C 4 Now talks all day in an indistinct voice & "millions of money" "of millions of diamonds she has made" etc - language at times very coarse - incoordination very marked - & her walk is beginning to be very unsteady - pupils barely react but are equal - she sleeps badly & at times there is some difficulty in swallowing - choked w/ phlegm etc - A since July 00. RCD.

June 21 9°C 13 So steadily ^{things slowly} getting worse - speech very thick & slurred & her gait is becoming very unsteady is emotional & variable but the delusions of exaltation are usually well marked (has never been better in her life - is the best woman in the world - has millions of diamonds" etc) RCD.

July 22. Yesterday was stuporous & delirious & vomited 3 or 4 times in the evening she had a slight convulsive fit, her temp rose to 105.6 - on cold sponging & rubbing with ice it was reduced to 102° but this morning is again up to 104°. she is however now partially conscious - & reacts to better RCD.

July 31 Temp: still up - see annexed chart - the skin over left gluteal region is very red & inclined to give way - is still only partially conscious - occasional vague twitchings RCD.

Aug: 10 Temp: now normal & she is again up & unsteady



of the R side of the face - RCD.

March 22. 8°C 1 - 9 1/2 Can still do simple needlework but her speech is very thick & gait is very unsteady - has numerous delusions of person as if to mind more often depressed than before - Aug: 10 RCD.

June 26. 8°C 1 1/2 So more depressed & delirious - & is very troublesome about food - having to be forcibly fed with each spoonful - speech thick - gait unsteady & she looks ill & wan - & appears to have lost flesh though her weight continues unaltered the last 3 months. RCD.

Sept: 19. 10°C 11 Has been very unsteady rather & a little of late RCD.

Dec: 31 10x4 1/2 A slight fit today - twitching of facial muscles preceded by sickness - she is beginning to go downhill - there is more mental confusion & her speech is getting very indistinct. RCD-

Dec: 31 10x12 Another fit on Dec: 4, also slight in character she is less violent & somewhat timorous since

Jan: 31, 01

10x11

March 19-

10x4

June 21

9x13

Is steadily getting worse - speech very thick & slurred & her gait is becoming very unsteady is emotional & variable but the delusions & hallucinations are usually well marked (has never been better in her life - is the best woman in the world - has millions of diamonds - etc) RCD

July 22

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July 30

Temp: still up - see annexed chart - the skin over left gluteal region is very red & inclined to give way - is still only partially conscious - occasional vague twitchings RCD

Aug: 10

Temp: now normal & she is again up & dressed - her gait is a trifle more unsteady than it was but mentally she is about the same as before the attack - speech very indistinct RCD

Sept: 16

9x1

Continues as usual - can again do simple needlework - speech indistinct & she is more restless & emotional - Had a large abscess in left gluteal region which was punctured in 4 places & has now healed habits faulty - often noisy at night RCD.

Dec: 31

8x10 1/2

Slowly going downhill - speech more indistinct, gait more unsteady but she can still usually do simple needlework - Down more often depressed than violent but has at times marked delusions of suspicion, especially of poison - Frequently wakes at night - takes food well. RCD.

Feb: 27, 02

Yesterday had 3 very slight fits with twitching of the R side of the face. RCD

March 22

8x1 - 9x

Can still do simple needlework but her speech is very thick & gait is very unsteady - has numerous delusions of poison etc & is now more often depressed than violent - brings RCD.

June 26

8x1 1/2

Is more depressed & deluded - & is very troublesome about food - having to be fed with each spoonful - speech thick - gait unsteady & she looks ill & worn - appears to have lost flesh though her weight continues unaltered the last 3 months. RCD.

Sept: 19 -

7x11

Has been very noisy restless & violent of late RCD

2048.

Beatrice Emma Hallet. Suige

Ad. 24 Dec. 98. aged 29 yrs - a musician - Church of England. R.O. 1 Jan 99. Pres: address. St Helen's Court, Norbury Manor Sheatham S.W. - 1st attack of two days duration - nowhere previously healed - Suppered cause over study - Not E.

Suicidal and Dangerous -

1st certif:

She was acutely excited & her conversation was rambling. She at times rushed about the room, at one moment ordering her friends to leave it & then almost immediately recalling them - she threw a scent bottle across the room at me telling me to catch it. (com?) She has been very depressed & restless for some considerable time, that she took a large dose of Laudanum yesterday evening & was comatose for several hours that she has to-day on several occasions expressed a wish to throw herself on the railway line.

(?) That she was found by St. H. P. Smith suffering from Laudanum poisoning yesterday evening & that she was in a most critical condition for several hours.

23 Dec. 98. (Supra) James Chambers M.D. 6 Mansfield St. W.

2nd certif:

corroborates: (signed) James Edward Smith, M.A., M.B., B.S. (Lond) Glasgow House, St. Paul's Church, Sheatham. Edw.

Fam. Hist.

Said to be nil.

Pres. his long.

Some 2-9 years ago Pt was in a very depressed condition for some months but

recovered after travelling abroad in charge of an attendant. Immediately after her return home she had an attack of typhoid fever & was seriously ill for some months, but then became quite well both mentally & physically. She has always worked very hard at her profession from the age of 13 years when she gained her first Scholarship - On Dec. 22nd 1908 she went out early in the afternoon & did not return for many hours, when she did so, she told the maid servant that she had bought Laudanum & taken it, to end her life. Medical assistance was sent for but many hours were taken to bring her round - but it was many hours before she was out of danger. The correct amount taken was not ascertained -

Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Pt is well developed. Complexion Sallow & muddy. Lips & mucous membranes rather pale. Tongue very furred, breath smells strongly of opium.

On the right forearm are many pustules & papules apparently the result of the injections which were given her - On the left upper arm are 2 well marked bruises. Eyes quiet - pupils small, equal. Nil abnormal detected in abdominal or thoracic regions. Appetite sound - Constipation - knee jerks not increased. Catamenia. Said to be regular but scanty. No Epimenorrhoea - Urine. Clear. 1024 Acid. No alb. No Sugar.

There are large blisters on the upper part of the toes of each foot and on the dorsum of the right foot - Some redness on the dorsum of the l. foot - & at the sides. On the front of the abdomen are lines

allery VIII. 45. Wgt. 94. 6. 24 Dec. 98.

2048.

Beatrice Emma Hallett, single

Ad. 24 Dec. 98. aged 29 yrs - a musician - Church of England
R.O. 1 Jan 99
C. in L. 2 (urgently)

Pres: address. St Helen's Court, Northway Mans
Shealtham S.W. 1st attack of two days
duration - nowhere previously healed -
Supposed cause over study - Not E.

Suicidal and Dangerous -

1st certif:

She was acutely excited & her conversation
was rambling. She at times rushed about
the room, at one moment ordering her friend
to leave it & then almost immediately
recalling them - She threw a scent bottle
across the room at me telling me to catch
(com?) She has been very depressed & restless
for some considerable time, that she took a
large dose of Laudanum yesterday evening
& was comatose for several hours that she
has to-day on several occasions expressed
a wish to throw herself on the railway line
(?) That she was found by Dr. A. P. Smith
suffering from Laudanum poisoning
yesterday evening & that she was in a
most critical condition for several hours.

23 Dec. 98. (Supra) James Chambers M.D.
6 Mansfield St. W.

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corroborates:

(signed) James Edward Smith, M.A., M.B., B.
Athenaeum House
St Paul's Church, S.W.

23 Dec. 98.

Fam. Hist.

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Pres. history.

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was sent for but for several hours before she was out of
danger. The correct amount taken was not ascertained -

Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Galley VIII.

H.E.

Wgt. 94.6

Suicidal caution
issued 24 Dec.

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sallow & muddy. Lips & mucous membranes
rather pale. Tongue very furred, breath
smells strongly of opium -

On the right forearm are many pustules
& papules apparently the result of the
injections which were given her - On the
left upper arm are 2 well marked
brucias - Eyes grey - react to light & accommodation.
Pupils small, equal.

Nil abnormal detected in abdominal
or thoracic regions. Art sounds good -

Constipation - knee jerks not increased.

Calamaria. Said to be regular but scanty -
no Spomenorrhoea -

Urine. Clear. 1024 Acid. No alb. No Sugar.

There are large blisters on the upper part
of the toes of each foot and on the dorsum
of the right foot - Some redness on the
dorsum of the l. foot - & at the sides.
On the front of the abdomen are lines

reddened patches -

B. Matal. Melancholia.
P^t has rather a wild expression.

She continually says she did not succeed like her left eye. She is unfit to do work - At times but has fits of v. Her memory is ~~depressed~~ ^{shuts} that with her & anxiety this subject forms her conversation - music - of which she maintains get many persons her in her work - over family - She sleeps but little

Dec. 27th
Gallery III.
Observation
& Suicide

Last night P^t got possession of a book - Paper with which she made an attempt to strangle herself. She still continues in the same Melancholic condition & sleeps badly

without hyposthesia - The burns on the feet show signs of healing well. P^t has been so noisy & violent the last 2 days she has been sent to V. Shows & fights her nurses - very difficult to show etc. Feet almost healed - Delusions as to her "impurities" being

Dec 30th
Gallery II

Freedom of my own will good or bad that my morbid feelings cannot alter. Had they known the nature I should never have had this awful prospect. I wish my strength it means torture that I must yearn go through. God or no good thinks of strong wills & minds that have

committed suicide - Krapotkin, George Thomas & many others. In the name of Jesus love something. You must dull me All my life I have worked at times to die, I had no restraint. Have worshipped the beautiful & structures

is very marked noisy and etc. Her dislike of their having want of is as marked well & takes to show herself P.C.P. Gallery III. B. Sleeps fairly P.C.P. entirely myself now - sleep very P.C.P. work is not quite equal to - P.C.P. retention P.C.P.

Dec 16.
Light 9. 3

varies at times she is rather cheerful at others very depressed & says there is no hope after committing such a criminal act. Does some work but in a very half hearted manner

21 March.

varies a good deal - Some days is fairly cheerful & interested in her surroundings - at others is depressed - Sleeps & quite well. P.C.P.

April 18.

Continues to be very variable & nervous

reddened patches -

B. Mania. Melancholia.

P^r has rather a wild expression. She continually says that she is ^{loving} ~~loving~~ she did not succeed in her attempt to take her life & that after such an act she is unfit to live & go on with her work - At times she will read quietly but has fits of violence & struggling - Her memory is good. She ~~remembers~~ ^{thinks} that a friend is in ^(which is not true) love with her & anxious to marry her & this subject forms the principle topic of her conversation - tho' she will talk about music of which she is very fond - though she maintains that she never can get many persons to sympathize with her in her work - more especially her own family - She is restless at night & sleeps but little. Takes food fairly -

Dec. 27th
Gallery III.
Observation
of Suicide Paroxysm

Last night P^r got possession of a book - lace with which she made an attempt to strangle herself. She still continues in the same restless condition & sleeps but little

Dec 30th
Gallery II

without hypochondria - The burns on the feet show signs of healing well. P.C.B.

P^r has been so noisy & violent the last 2 days she has been sent to V. Shows & fights her nurses - very difficult to draw her. Feet almost healed. Delusions as to her "unfitness to live" after attempting her life still very marked.

Jan 9th
Sept. 9. 5th

P^r is still at times very noisy and bangs her head on the walls. Her dislike to her family in consequence of their having put her here & their alleged want of sympathy in her parents, is as marked as ever. She does not sleep well & takes her food badly - She will not dress herself properly - Feet healed. P.C.B.

Jan. 16th

P^r has been moved back to Gallery III. Is much less excited than she was. Sleeps fairly well. Still depressed. P.C.B.

" 21st

Still very depressed. Almost entirely unoccupied - She dresses herself now - Takes food fairly - does not sleep very well but better than she did. P.C.B.

Gallery III
" 28th

Has improved since last note. Does work & is not quite so self-centred. Still depressed. Sleeping better - P.C.B.

" Feb.

Has been to the dances & entertainment & is improving. P.C.B.

26 Feb.
Sept 9. 3

Varies at times she is rather cheerful at others very depressed & says there is no hope after committing such a criminal act. Does some work but in a very half hearted manner. P.C.B.

21 March.

Varies a good deal. Some days is fairly cheerful & interested in her surroundings - at others is depressed. Sleeps quite well. P.C.B.

April 18.

Continues to be very variable & nervous.

on the whole has distinctly improved - she is less morbid & introspective & occupies herself more than she did - still thinks it is her duty to cultivate her emotions & consequently works herself up into various morbid moods - R.C.D.



May 31.



June 2. 92

So very morbid & introspective, constantly working herself into morbid states of feeling - has been rather worse this last week, standing or sitting about in fixed emotional attitudes, talking to herself & grimacing - occupies herself a little under supervision but broods & dreams if left herself. Phys. health good but not robust - immovable R.C.D.

June 26. n.s.

So more morbid than ever - unoccupied, weeping readily, talking to herself & speaking of suicide - the annexed is a copy of letter sent her mother & sent by her - shows her state of mind - yesterday was sent to n.s. R.C.D.

July 20.

So still in S. with benefit - she is still much depressed but is somewhat less emotional - occupies herself a little in simple housework - peeling, shelling (peas) & washing - continues to improve in general health R.C.D.

Aug. 14.

So less depressed & emotional - but there is a

Photogenic Drawing
SARAH ANN
BARKER
VIRGINIA WATER, N.B.A.
All communications should be
addressed to the
MEDICAL SUPERVISOR

Holloway Sanatorium,
Virginia Water

Miss Hallet. June 22. 99

"Come Come to me Come Come to me Come to me Day
& night day & night day & night in hell in hell in hell
no one no one no one but Oh that I could be dead
released dead released all points to it from my youth I
tried but down fall is at me the same state that I tried
to run from school nowwood the same state that I tried
to take my life to release at, you are back at the place of your
childhood, I shall have no child ever of no mother ever
more no no no no
anything at " (letter to her mother)
in pencil.

[June 21. 99]
"Oh mother mother do this not be affright to feel I have lost
all hope all courage all everything humanity ever, to feel
worse than anyone can imagine. It is not as if I had ever
felt the Spirit of God I never had it in me & now the power of
good will be taken from me oh & even here where all goodness &
purity in all the staff It seems to draw up only the more as lost
lost oh mother if I could only be born again as you & Uncle Will,
& Auntie coming to see me do if I have always lived & had all
gratified & my self will never subside & if the flesh gets the upper
hand then hell on earth is all, oh this curse, then I have good
many Clark was good would have & did offer me good friendship
but I only seem ever in life to have been a self willed self gratified
unholy being & have made self everywhere. Oh it is a strange
future & now I see now all the 31 years were only a preparation as it
was for this so is terrible terrible terrible. Come for Sam in hell now



Miss Hallet June 22. 99

2050.
A.D. Dec 27th / 98
R.O. 27 Dec. 98.
C. in L. 28 " "

Alice Marian Thorp Single aged 23 years.
of no previous occupation - Roman Catholic.
Previous address 26 Bloomfield St. W.
First attack of about a year duration - inter-
mittent - No where previously treated.
Supposed cause - religious excitement. Not E.
Suicidal. doubtful. Dangerous to others. & that
incoherent ranting about God, Hell & the Devil
mingled with all sorts of pious speculations &
succeeding blasphemy. Violent & continued
sections without exhaustion impossible in
a sane person. (Con?) That the same con-
dition has obtained for some days accompanied
by personal violence to her attendants on
the 25th inst; that the maniacal outbreak
was preceded by great depression -

1st Certif.

(Signed) Horace Manders M.D. F.R.C.S.
33 Gloucester Terrace.

27 Dec. 98. 455 Park, W.
Says that she is the mother of Christ, that
she has just been delivered of a child &c.
- Corroborates -

2nd Certif.

(Signed) Arthur James. M.D. M.R.C.S.
228 Gloucester Terrace

27 Dec. 98. 455 Park, W.

Fam. Hist:

Said to be nil. [mother very eccentric, drinks]

Prev. Hist:

(from Nurse)
who had been in
for a week - corroborated
all afterwards by brother

Has been a ^{fully professed} nun at Convent at Slone.
Staffordshire for 3 years. She left there in
Sept. last in consequence of her deplorable
state of mind. Since then has stayed with an
Aunt at a Surgical Home at Margate -

While at Margate she improved till Saturday
24th Dec. when she became suddenly very violent
& noisy. She was then removed to London
under the charge of nurses. her violence & noisy
increased. Has slept but very little since
26th.

Health has been good.
Ammenorrhoea had been present for some
months till P.^t went to Margate since when
it has recommenced.

Condition on Admission - A. Physical.

Build: P.^t is tall & well developed. Complexion
fair. Hair short & light brown. Eyes grey
in colour; erect to light.
Ht. 5 ft. 7. // Somewhat emaciated - Tongue covered with
white fur. Teeth very deficient.
Abdomen: Supra & infra Clavicular fossae
very marked. B.S.Vs rather weak -
respiration normal -
Abdomen - No pain or tenderness on
palpation -
Urine 1025. much mucous urates. trace of alb.
no sugar or indican - urea 1.5%
Palmaris. P.^t is at present incontinent.
Urine. Urea. Acid. 1025. No alb. No sugar.
Knee-jerks brisk. Superficial reflex present.

B. Mental. Acute Mania

P.^t has a wild vacant expression
She keeps repeating the same words

from carelessly & generally in a
wobbly condition - She talks incoherently
& at times shouts out. It is possible
to get a coherent answer to a question
occasionally. In her habits she is
exceedingly dirty - She has delusions
that "she has broken her promise"
W. however is not the case. She
respectates at anyone who comes
near her. No hallucinations elicited

Dec. 31st

Pt. continues in the same condition.
Eats well but sleeps very badly.
Even with loperidol. It is difficult
to keep her covered - S.C.D.

Jan 8th
70011

Pt. still continues noisy & excited. She
baths continuously & but quite incoherently.
Takes her food well. Her habits are still
dirty. Continues in padded room - but goes out
daily. M.P. arrived on 1st Jan. S.C.D.

Jan 16th
" 21st

Still continues as previous note. S.C.D.

Still continues excited & noisy. During the
week she has had an eruption of herpes
over both cheeks & around mouth. Takes
her food fairly. Sleeps badly. S.C.D.
No change. Herpes disappearing. S.C.D.

38th
Feb. 26th

Still quite incoherent & very restless - Sleeps
better. Takes food well. S.C.D.

60ft. S. D
28 March.

Continues noisy & excited - quite incoherent. Sleeps
fairly but is often very restless at night. S.C.D.

April 10.
S.C.D.

Pt. is excessively thirsty, drinking dew off the
grass, water out of the lavatory etc. urine
examined today, (a specimen being obtained with
difficulty as she is constantly wet & dirty) 1025
acc. turbid with mucous & mucus - traces of albumen

but no sugar - no indican - urea 1.5% R.C.D.
Somewhat quieter but still very restless &
incoherent - R.C.D.

April 18

Last 3 days there has been a marked
improvement - she dresses herself properly,
talks coherently & sits quietly reading a
magazine - habits cleaner - she states that
"she feels herself again" - thirst ceased R.C.D.

May 8.
9003

Has considerably improved - now occupies herself
talks coherently & takes an interest in her
surroundings - there is still some mental
confusion & she is somewhat dazed. R.C.D.

June 8 -
90012

Improvement maintained - P. has no recall
tion of her attack - dimly remembers being ill
on Christmas day - from then till Easter she says
her mind is an absolute blank - till she suddenly
woke up on Easter Tuesday Today has gone on leave to
friends at Slough - continues fairly reg. R.C.D.



Taken June 8. 99
(ongoing illness)

Aug. 31 -

was today discharged from leave - reported as
going on well -

Discharged Aug 31. 99

room carelessly & generally in a
wretched condition - She talks incoherent
& at times shouts out. It is possible
to get a coherent answer to a question
occasionally. In her habits she is
exceedingly dirty - She has delusions
that "she has broken her promise"
W. however is not the case. She
reproaches at anyone who comes
near her. No hallucinations elicited

Dec. 31st

Pt continues in the same condition.
Gets well but sleeps very badly.
Even with loppustics. It is difficult
to keep her covered - S.C.S.

Jan 8th
75011

Pt still continues noisy & excited. She
talks continuously & but quite incoherent
Takes her food well. Her habits are still
dirty. Continues in padded room. but goes out
daily. M.P. arrived on 1st Jan. S.C.S.

Jan 16th
" 21st

Still continues as previous note. S.C.S.

Still continues excited & noisy. During the
week she has had an eruption of herpes
over both cheeks & around mouth. Takes
her food fairly. Sleeps badly. S.C.S.

Feb. 26th

Still quite incoherent & very restless - Sleeps
better. Takes food well. S.C.S.

Feb. 26th

Continues noisy & excited - quite incoherent. Sleeps
fairly but is often very restless at night. S.C.S.

25 March.

April 10.
S.C.S.

Pt is excessively thirsty, drinking dew off
grass, water out of the lavatory etc. urine
examined today, (a specimen being obtained with
difficulty as she is constantly wet & dirty) 102
ac: Turbid with mucus & mites - traces of albumen

but no sugar - no indican - urea 1.5% R.C.D.
Somewhat quieter but still very restless &
incoherent. R.C.D.

April 18

Last 3 days there has been a marked
improvement - she clothes herself properly,
talks coherently & sits quietly reading a
magazine - habits cleaner - she states that
"she feels herself again" - thirst ceased R.C.D.

May 5.
9503

Has considerably improved - now occupies herself
talks coherently & takes an interest in her
surroundings - there is still some mental
confusion & she is somewhat dazed. R.C.D.

June 8 -
95012

Improvement maintained - P. has no recollection
of her attack - dimly remembers being ill
on Christmas day - from then till Easter she says
her mind is an absolute blank - till she suddenly
woke up on Easter Sunday Today has gone on leave to
friends at Slough - catarrh fairly good. R.C.D.



Taken June 8. 99
(on going leave)

Aug: 31 -

was today discharged from leave. reported as
going on well -

Discharged Aug 31. 99

Emma Laura S. Jones (from page 244).

March 14 -
7th 12 -

Patient's delusions now are generally of unseen agency and of suspicion. She complains that electricity is worked upon her at night - that hypodermic injections have been made into her arms - when she is in bed. Her physical health is good. S. 117

June 25
7th 12 -

There is no mental change - patient says today that she spent a wakeful night because of injections made into her arms & legs all night. Her physical health is good. S. 117

Sept. 11
7th 12 -

Patient still complains of electricity injected into her at night. Also says that a doctor has examined her to see whether she has Epitropy. Her physical health continues good. S. 117

Dec. 9
March 23

Patient continues as described in last note. S. 117
Patient is now in Salt Lake as her conversation was so objectionable (she was constantly talking imaginary diseases of her generation organs) She is fairly well occupied with painting and sewing but has constant delusions of persecution and unseen agency. S. 117

1906

June 26
Salt Lake

There is no mental or physical change. S. 117

Sept. 18

Patient retains delusions of unseen agency and is always complaining of injections made at night into her limbs. Her physical health continues good. S. 117

Dec. 10

Patient still tormented at night and having electric shocks. She is fairly well occupied - attends the patients' studies and is in good physical health. S. 117

1907 March 2

There is no mental or physical change. S. 117
Supplementary Book A 23

2051

Ad. 29. Dec. 98.
R.O. 17 June 98.
C. in 6.30. 98.
(Transfer)

FRANCES. E. WARREN. Single aged 39 yrs
of no previous occupation. Church of Eng:
Previous abode. City Asylum - Edder &
College Road Edder. 2nd attack of ~~the~~ Sic.
months duration. Supposed cause,
anxiety of Brother's illness. Occasional
hysterical epileptic fits - decided tendency
to suicide - would throw things when
angry & threaten to injure but has
never done any hurt.

1st Certif:

Great excitability, constant rambling
incoherent talk very difficult to control,
is constantly speaking of killing people.
(com?) that she has thrown about - broken
glass things in the room & that she tried
to break the windows & has shown
suicidal tendency.

(Signed) Jas. Bancroft.

17 June 98. 19 Southernhay - Edder.

2nd Certif:

Conotorator - Tried to strike her
sister - (com?) Suffers from delusions -
fancies she is married & has a lot of
money - refuses her food.

(Signed) Charles. E. Bell.

17 W. Southernhay Edder.

17 June 98.

Fam. Hist:

Maternal grandfather - Epileptic.
Father - Dead - Several times under
restraint for insanity.

His Sister - Insane - under restraint.

Pat Mother & one Sister died of Pthisis -

Pre. Hist:

A Twin & has always been more or less
delicate - with the exception of "brain fever"

when 19 years of age, brought on by fright.
has had no serious illness. Has had
Epileptic fits on several occasions. The last
being in June 98.

When 19 years of age attempted suicide by
cutting her throat, in consequence of being
"badly treated" by a young man. In Nov 97
for 2 days was very excited & talkative &
had no sleep. The 3rd day Pt slept for
13-14 hrs consecutively & awoke quite well.
June 98. Again became restless & excited
in consequence of family worries.
Expressed a determination to commit
suicide.

Amnesia for 6 mos. Periods p.m.
usually were very irregular, when present
profuse. Masturbates -

Since being at the Asylum Edder. Pt
has much improved. Sleeps & eats well
& at the beginning of this month was
allowed home on leave for 2 weeks.
While at home was restless & not so well
& difficult to control so returned
the Asylum -

Gallery VII Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Pt is thin very anæmic looking;
H^o autumn hair - Eyes grey react to light
Dipht. 8.3 accommodation. Mucous membranes
very pale - Tongue furred. Teeth hard
Caries shampo -
Nil abnormal detected in thoracic or
abdominal organs. H. & B. 5" 11" 115 lbs

Sounds rather louder but regular. Venus
bruit in neck.

Three parts normal. At times suffers
from depression. At one time had
epileptic fits & "rigid fits" fairly fre-
quently but since being under medical
treatment for them, they have almost
disappeared. Last fit June 98.

Calanemia. Always been irregular;?

When present profuse - some dysmenorrhoea.
Last M.P. about 6 mos ago.

Urea Turbid & bratis. 1080. Acid. No alb. No sugar.

B. Mental Dementia.

P^o is quiet though rather childish.
She answers questions rationally; but
has an entire loss of memory. Though
she only came 2 hrs yesterday afternoon
she can remember nothing about it, nor
from where or with whom she came.
Neither does she know the ^{date} of the
week. Her answer to question is slow.
In her habits she is dirty - she does not
do much all day to any purpose though
she begins things & soon gets tired of it -
last night she constantly got up several
times & stood by the bed of the other ladies
tho' this morning she says she does not
remember doing so. P.C.S.

7 Jan. 99. P^o has improved somewhat. She occupies
herself with work in during the day & has
been quieter at night. P.C.S.

14 Jan. Improvement maintained - P^o says she is very
happy here & is much better. P.C.S.

21 Jan. Improvement continues - Her memory
also seems to be returning to some extent
for past events. P.C.S.

28 Jan. Since 26th P^o has been very dazed & quite incontinent.
Gaiter III. She only repeats a single phrase, such as "a favorite sister" in
answer to any remark made to her. Eating very badly -
P^o's constipated - Ammonia quite low. P.C.S.

4 Feb. Still as last note but is eating a little better. P.C.S.

3 March. Still continues quite dazed tho' on some days
she is a little brighter - incapable of conversation
only repeating the last few words she hears
said around her. No return of incontinence. P.C.S.

April 5. Very confused & dazed with slow reaction -
is quite automatic in her actions - marked
rigidity of muscles, esp. those of shoulder -
Still taking food badly - habits not R.C.D.

April 10. Past 2 or 3 days has been distinctly brighter
much less confused & dazed - last night
was even able to play a fair game of whist.



Taken 26th 99. P.C.S.

May 10. Varies much - at times very dull confused
& automatic, at others can brighten up quite
into conversation. P.C.S.

June 12.
822



June 2, 97

July 21.
921
+ 15 lbs

Aug: 18.
929
+ 8 lbs

Sept: 19

Nov: 12.

Jan: 11-1975

Not quite so variable as she was but still at times very dull & dazed & stuporous with marked muscular rigidity - at others mildly excited, emotional & erratic. Phys health good - amenorrhoea RCD. Since last note there has been a steady improvement - she has much less mental confusion, has brightened up to a considerable extent - occupies herself & takes

an interest in all that goes on. The muscular rigidity has passed off, there is less contortation, her catamenia have reappeared today after at least a year's amenorrhoea - RCD.

Improvement has ^{been} maintained since last note: she has been cheerful & occupied & mildly excited with a tendency to garrulity & hypochondriasis. The last 2 or 3 days she has been somewhat dazed & confused, was constantly forgetting her way about & doing many foolish little things. Last night she had a hysterio-epileptic fit of slight character - (last in June 97? her period is now due) taking her time to get to bed RCD.

Somewhat dreamy & confused. Had no further fit - amenorrhoea last month - reappeared this month - her time now due to get on next RCD.

Had some old carious stumps extracted, (which had been causing her much trouble) 3 days ago, others 10 days ago - on each occasion there was free hemorrhage for some hours afterwards, only arrested by firm pressure - she is in consequence somewhat anemic - is taking iron RCD.

There has been a distinct improvement of late

921 1/2

Jan: 17.

923

Jan: 26

921

Feb: 28

March 28.

921 1/2

July 3.

921 1/2

Sept: 13.

929 1/2

Dec: 31

she is less confused & dreamy, occupies herself well & takes an interest in all that goes on - is taking food well & sleeping well. Physically is rapidly making up the anemia produced by the hemorrhages RCD.

Last night had 2 slight fits - this morning very dazed & confused. This afternoon had slight laryngeal spasm & another slight fit a few minutes afterwards. In P.M. sleeping in observation - RCD.

Has today gone back to her ^{new} dormitory having had no further fits - mental confusion passed off - RCD.

Last night had again 2 fits - removed to observation dormitory - today somewhat dazed & confused - RCD.

Has had no further fits - & she is now bright & occupied - has lately had a set of artificial teeth fitted, wh: relieve the dysphagia. Sleeping under observation - catamenia regular - anemia practically cured - RCD.

As reported as having had fits on Apr: 16, June 6(3) & 8(4) all at night but 2 on June 8 - these were as usual followed by marked mental confusion. She is bright & occupied & sociable: taking a great pleasure in all the amusements & occup^{ns} of the Hospital - Phys: health now excellent - catamenia regular - RCD.

Has had fits on Aug: 11(3) 2, 3-4 all nocturnal & a slight fit in evening of July 21. none since as she takes a nightly dose of bromides at bedtime - continues sociable bright & occupied - in p.m. July 27, Aug 27 - phys: health excellent - RCD.

catamenia regular & abundant

June 12.
8252



June 2. 99

July 21.
9251
+1342

Aug: 18.
9259
+1342

Sept: 19

Nov: 12

Jan: 11-1970

Not quite so variable as was but still at times dull deged & stuporous marked muscular rigidity at others mildly excited emotional & erratic. Phys healthy - amenorrhoea since last note there is a steady improvement - a much less mental confusion has brightened up to a con-

extent - occupies herself with an interest in all that goes on. The muscular rigidity has passed off, there is less constipation catamenia have reappeared today after at least amenorrhoea - R

Improvement has ^{been} maintained since last note. has been cheerful occupied & mildly excited & tendency to garrulity & hypochondriasis. the 23 days she has been somewhat deged & confused constantly forgetting her way about & doing foolish little things. Last night she had a hysterical epileptic fit of slight character - (last in June period is now due) today she has got teeth R

Somewhat dreamy & confused. has had no fit - amenorrhoea last month - reappeared this month - she has now refused to get on with the

Had some old carious stumps extracted, (which had been causing her much trouble) 3 days ago others 10 days ago - on each occasion there was haemorrhage for some hours afterwards - on arrested by firm pressure - she is in cure somewhat anaemic - is taking iron R

There has been a distinct improvement of

9251 1/2

Jan: 17.
9253

Jan: 26
9251

Feb: 28

March 28.
9251 1/2

July 3.
9251 1/2

Sept: 18.
9259 1/2

Dec: 31

she is less confused & dreamy, occupies herself well & takes an interest in all that goes on - is taking food well & sleeping well. Physically is rapidly making up the anaemia produced by the haemorrhages R. Last night had 2 slight fits - this morning very deged & confused. this afternoon had a slight laryngeal spasm & another slight fit a few minutes afterwards - 3rd N.B. sleeping in observation - R.C.

Has today gone back to No 1 & ^{has} had dormitory having had no further fits - mental confusion passed off - R.C.

Last night had again 2 fits - removed to observation dormitory - today somewhat deged & confused - R.C.

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catamenia

2054

Jessie Maynard, widow.

Aged 57 years. of no previous occupation: Congregationalist. Previous residence Holloway Sanatorium Virginia Water - see B.B. 101

2nd attack of uncertain duration. cause illness of children. Age on 1st attack 38 yrs. then treated at St Andrews Hosp. Northampton. Not E or D - Has made no attempt at suicide.

1st Certif: She is very depressed says she is filled with remorse, can do nothing but think about herself & her wickedness all day what this wickedness is she is unable apparently to state - says she wants to die at once.

(Signed) Robert Nuthall of Pinewood Bractnell Barks

2nd Certif: She is melancholic with ideas of unworthiness her appearance is one of depression & she is unresponsive - she is very reticent & does not answer questions freely. she believes that she is unclean & that she contaminates everything & everybody & that it must go on for ever. She says that she refuses her food because she is so bad. There is no delirium & she is unimpaired.

(Signed) William Goddard Pugh. Egham - Surrey.

3rd Certif: Husband & 2 daughters died of Rheumatism - daughter had tuberc. glands: 2 sons obliged to live in S. Africa. (one of whom died May 18. 99)

19 years ago was depressed & suicidal after death of husband - was at St Andrews

Northampton for about 2 years - slightly depressed after death of daughter 9 years ago but not certified - Last few months has not felt herself equal to her usual occupations. Admitted as a Boarder on Nov 19th 98. since which date she has become more depressed & has developed delusions & been very troublesome about food - see II. p:161.

Gallery III H. 5. D. 7. 4

Condition on Admission. A Physical. Body is poorly developed & poorly nourished shows "rickety roary" & chest is somewhat pyrex. Healed - mucous Membranes fair. Cheeks rather injected. Tongue furred. Eyes brown - pupils equal - React to L. & A. Apopia = D.

Chest moves poorly - infra clavicular fossae marked - exp? on R. side - Note at Papez flattened - Breathing weak - No definite Br Br but respiration is prolonged - No adventitious sounds - No cough. Expectoration fair - No Physical signs of disease in abdominal organs nor in heart. Knee-jerk brisk - Other reflexes normal Cranial reflexes not present: some muscular tremor = Calandria ceased many years ago - Urine turbid with mucus - Acid. 1032. No alb. No sugar.

Mental.

Simple melancholia

Pt has a melancholy & miserable expression - Sits all day doing nothing and at times will not dress herself properly. Thinks that she has brought unhappiness on this house - and that her life is useless. Often requires to be dressed and undressed. Takes food badly and requires feeding. Sleeps badly.

Jan 9th

The last 2 or 3 days Pt has been a little more cheerful. but she does not take her food any better.

Jan 16th
Gallery 11

Has been moved to Gallery 11 and is rather more cheerful. Still says she is "muddled & dazed". Goes to the entertainments & plays games in the morning.

Jan 21st

Still continues to improve.

Jan 28th

Much the same. At times she is more cheerful but at other days says "she is bringing ruin & misery on all around her" & that she ought to go back so as to do any good.

Feb 7th

Same as last note.

3 March.

Has been very troublesome again just lately with her food - & requires more assistance with her dressing etc. Delusions of ruin & misery continue marked.

April 15.

Has somewhat improved. is less restless & confused. occupies herself more & is taking food somewhat better than she did.

May 22

on the whole is less restless & confused. but is still very depressed & introspective & almost entirely occupied with her delusions of

unworthiness of approaching ruin - Her son has died during the last few days - she received the news with apathy & even on visiting him 2 or 3 days before his death was quite unaffected by it his illness - taking food was fairly well.

June 22

Is somewhat less depressed than she was, & she occupies herself more (though still under protest) & takes a faint interest in her surroundings - her delusions are less marked though they still persist.

7054

continues to take food better. Phys: health improved

Sept: 19

Silent & morose - with ideas of great sinfulness & marked depression - occupies herself under supervision & makes food better. Very hopeless about herself. Phys health no good.

7057

Has distinctly improved of late - there is less depression & she is less morose



June 1899

Dec: 6-

she will now voluntarily take part in the games & little festivities of the gallery & enjoys the entertainments - the delusions of crime & poverty have much diminished, though she still reiterates when she gets an opportunity "I am no good etc".

Oct 7052
Nov 7052

Is taking food well & is stronger than she was.

April 10.00

Went today to Home Villa. Having been lately talking of "ending her life", she yesterday came up to the Hospital - she is depressed & says she does not see the use of living" she will however occupy herself & takes part in games etc - continues stronger & has a good colour.

R.C.D.

July 6. Has improved to a certain extent - she occupies herself well & takes some interest in her surroundings but she is still very depressed & is very hopeless about herself - She is in good health but continues somewhat thin R.C.D.

Sept: 24 She keeps much the same - & continues very hopeless though she occupies herself well - Phys: health good - R.C.D.

Dec: 31. Occupies herself & takes some interest in her surroundings but is very depressed morbid & is very hopeless about herself & is being able to take her place in the world - has no initiative, little power of decision - is very depressed at times, talks of suicide - thinks she harms others by being alive - Phys: health good - & she sleeps & eats well - R.C.D.

March 19: 01 Continues much as on last note - is perhaps a trifle less depressed - R.C.D.

June 21. She occupies herself well & takes a certain amount of interest in outside affairs but continues very hopeless about herself - continues to state she thinks she is "battered" by the world, as she "harms" every one in it - Phys: health good - she has lately had all her teeth, which was in a horrible state, extracted & is having an artificial set made - R.C.D.

Sept: 11. Continues unaltered - Phys: health fair but she takes food badly & is very troublesome about wearing her new artificial teeth which have been repeatedly altered & now seem to fit well. Went yesterday to Home Villa R.C.D.

Dec: 25 On Dec: 21 while at Home Villa & out with her son & daughter she escaped - walked 26 miles, sleeping out in a shed - & was finally found on Dec: 24 at

suicidal content

in an exhausted condition Crawley in Sussex - remains at Home Villa & has been put on a suicidal diet R.C.D. Continues depressed with delusions of sinfulness & incapacity but is perhaps somewhat less so than she was. occupies herself well - Phys: health good but she keeps thin though she has gained a little of late - R.C.D.

March 22: 02 7:55 1/2

June 26. Continues to slowly become somewhat less depressed though she retains her delusions - Phys: health good - R.C.D.

Sept: 19 - Very quiet & mildly depressed, occupying herself with needlework but taking little interest in her surroundings - her delusions of unworthiness continue Phys: health good, though she is thin R.C.D.

Oct: 10 Was yesterday transferred to St. Andrew's Hospital - Northampton - Was examined before leaving & found to have no marks or bruises & to be in good physical health though thin -

Discharged Oct 9 - 02

2055.

Florence Jane Eggett, single 29 years

Ad. 3 Jan. 99
P.O. 9
Cin. 6. 9
(signature)

of no previous occupation - Church of England -
previous address, Middleton, Worples Road.
West Wimbledon - Not first attack.
Previously treated here - see Casebook X - 117.
Duration of present attack, since 18th. 98.
Supposed cause - Mental shock at the age
of 17 - & leaving the home in Nov. 95 -
Not E. S. or D.

1st certif:

Her appearance is wild & vacant. She
is very untidy & restless - wandering
aimlessly about. She will not give any
answer to questions, appears to be un-
concerned at her position & surroundings -
talks in an incoherent manner & does
not recognize her relations.

(Com?) That she is becoming worse - refuses
her food - cannot be left as she makes
a rush to get out of the house - that
she is quite beyond the control of her friends
(Signed) William Watham Toper

3 Jan. 99. of Egham - Surrey.
Corroboration -
(Signed) F. H. Bond M.D.
3 Jan. 99. 162 Worples Road - Wimbledon

2nd certif:

Fam. History

One brother insane.

Prev. History

Has been unsettled from time to time since
14 years of age. Period of convalescence never
varied from 6 mos to 2 years - Was quite well
from March 95 to Nov. 96
21 April 97 & 21 May 97

Condition on Admission - Physical.

Her III

Tall. fairly nourished. Complexion sallow
& muddy. Eyes brown - pupils equal react to
L & A. Hair dark brown. Tongue flatly &
furred. Teeth - one or two carious molars.
Heart. No abnormal physical signs detected -
Lungs - Breath sounds weak - otherwise nil.
Abdomen. Nil detected.

Calomel. Said to be irregular with
occasional Dysmenorrhoea - 13 1/2 mg.
Urine. Acid - 1025. No album - no sugar - no
indican.

Mental. Pt has a heavy, stupid expression.
It is very difficult to get any answer to
questions; the response is very slow &
only is given after repeating the question
several times. Pt is continually however
muttering to herself in a low indistinct voice.
Makes grimaces & smiles in a silly
manner when ~~she~~ addressed. Her
memory is impaired - she apparently
does not remember having been here before.
Though she says the reason she has come
now was "to see Nurse Francis".
Takes food badly. Sleeps badly; is constantly
getting out of bed & makes a rush for the
door whenever it is opened. Will not
dress or undress herself.

10th

Pt is very troublesome & excited. Constantly
rings at the doors & about the rooms. Shy with
the Nurses. Moved to V. S.C.S.
She continues excited & violent - S.C.S.
Has been put in a padded room to sleep as
she disturbs the other patients by constantly

2055.

Florence Jane Eggett, single 29

Ad. 3 Jan. 99
R.O. 9
Cib. 9
(signature)

of no previous occupation - Church of England
previous address. Middleton, Worples Road.
West Wimbledon - Not first attack.
Previously treated here - see Case Book D-117.
Duration of present attack. since 1898.
Supposed cause. Mental shock at the age
of 17 - leaving her home in Nov. 95.
Not E. S. or D.

1st certif:

Her appearance is wild & vacant. She
is very untidy & restless - wandering
aimlessly about. She will not give any
answer to questions, appears to be un-
concerned at her position & surroundings
talks in an incoherent manner & does
not recognize her relations -

(Com?) That she is becoming worse - refuses
her food - cannot be left as she makes
a rush to get out of the house - that
she is quite beyond the control of her friends
(Signed) William Watham Toper

3 Jan. 99. of Exham - Sussex.
corroboration -
(Signed) F. H. Bond M. B.
3 Jan. 99. 162 Worples Road - Wimbledon

2nd certif:

Fam. history:

One brother insane.

Prev. Hist. box:

see case book 111

Has been unsettled from time to time for
17 years of age. Period of convalescence never
varied from 6 mos to 2 years - Was quite well
from March 95 to Nov. 96
21 April 97 - 21 May 97

Gallery III

Condition on Admission - Physical.

Tall. fairly nourished. Complexion sallow
& muddy. Eyes brown. Pupils equal react to
L & A. Hair dark brown. Tongue flat &
furred. Teeth - one or two carious molars.
Heart. No abnormal physical signs detected.
Lungs - Breath sounds weak - otherwise nil.
Abdomen. Nil ^{abnormal} detected.
Catamenia. Said to be irregular with
occasional dysmenorrhoea - 13 1/2 reg.
Urine. Acid - 1025. No album - no sugar - no
indican -

Mental. Pt has a heavy, stupid expression.
It is very difficult to get any answer to
questions; the response is very slow &
only is given after repeating the question
several times - Pt is continually however
muttering to herself in a low indistinct voice.
Makes grimaces & smiles in a silly
manner when ~~spoken~~ addressed. Her
memory is impaired - she apparently
does not remember having been here before.
Though she says the reason she has come
now was "to see Nurse Francis".
Takes food badly - Sleeps badly; is constantly
getting out of bed & makes a rush for the
door whenever it is opened. Will not
dress or undress herself.

Jan 10th Pt is very fretful & excited. Constantly
rings at the doors & about the rooms. Shy with
the nurses. Mood to D. 8.C.S.
Gallery V " 16th Still continues excited & violent. 8.C.S.
" 21st Has been put in a padded room to sleep as
she disturbs the other patients by constant

38th Jan.

6th Feb.

3rd March

light. S. 10

27th March

April 10-

S.F.S

May 3

S.F.S

May 22.

June 22

7st 13 1/2

getting up & running about. Still requires to be dressed etc. Shakes & fights a good deal. S.F.S.

has been quite the last 2 days. Sleeping better. Takes food faintly. S.F.S.

Quieter. Will answer no questions. Smiles in a silly & feeble way without any reason. Quite unoccupied. S.F.S.

Continues in same condition. Sleeping better. Requires dressing etc. S.F.S.

The last week has been more excitable & talkative. Constantly getting under the furniture unless watched & having her clothes. Restless at night. S.F.S.

Somewhat improved - is less dazed & confused - & although her conduct is still very irrational, she is somewhat less erratic - sleeping better. R.C.D.

Somewhat less dazed but is very silly & erratic - continually jumping up, running aimlessly about the gallery, doing various foolish & destructive little acts. & picks the plants & pieces, pulls at the tablecloths & etc still tears her clothes & has to be dressed & undressed - often impulsively violent. R.C.D.

Has somewhat improved during past week - now occupies herself to some extent, converses into a short conversation & is much less erratic & impulsive - dresses & undresses herself. R.C.D.

Is again very excited & restless, continually undressing herself & pulling anything near her to bits. quite incontinent, & at times impulsively violent. She earlier part of the month she was dressing herself.

Aug: 26.
7st 7

Sept: 19

Dec: 20.

Jan: 20.00
7st 11

March 28.
7st 12 1/2

July 2.



stuporous. Phys health good - but there has been amnesia since Jan: 13. 99 R.C.D.

So very variable - at times excited, restless, running aimlessly about, struggling kicking & fighting - contorting undressing herself. at times is dull listless & anergic, with slow reaction. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Continues very weakened & foolish with slow reaction & marked mental confusion - she talks in a silly hisping babyish manner, her conduct is silly & impulsive, catching at anything near her tearing up & destroying things & putting things in her mouth. Phys health good, there are many sudamina over face & chest. R.C.D.

Unchanged - is perhaps rather less destructive & more but there is great mental confusion - Phys health good - amnesia since Jan: 13. R.C.D.

Yesterday redoubled from another P? (Mrs. Huling) on the left ear. a small haematom developed but being absorbed repeatedly painted with collodion this has today nearly gone down. R.C.D.

So very weakened & childish with marked mental confusion - is restless, mischievous & destructive - often has to be fed. Phys: health good - amnesia since Jan: 99 R.C.D.

Has lately begun to show a slight improvement - is less destructive & the mental confusion is not so marked as it was - is still troublesome about food & often has to be fed by spoon. amnesia since Jan: 99 R.C.D.

20508.

Ad. 6 Jan 99.
R.D. 1 Oct 98
(C. in 6. 6 Jan 99.
(transf.)

Elizabeth Leach. Single aged 17 years

of no previous occupation - Church of England.
Previous address - 20 Killarney Road
Wandsworth. Not first attack - Age on
1st attack about 58 - nowhere previously
treated. Duration about 6 weeks -
Cause unknown. Not E. S. or D.

1st Certif:

Very restless. Constantly talking; chiefly
complaining of her health & stating that
she is in great trouble but is unable to
make any specific statement on either
point - Hears voices constantly & occasionally
voices laughing at her (low) but she
refused food, is very restless. Constantly
talking - sleeps but little frequently hears
voices & has wasted considerably.

(Signed) Thos. Arthur Ives Howell
1 Oct. 98. 37 West Hill Wandsworth.

2nd Certif:

Concomitant & adds. I imagine she
has uterine troubles or is pregnant. I visit
on my matting examination to ascertain
if she is pregnant - memory very deficient.
I have attended the above Elizabeth Leach
for 5 years & 2 years ago attended her for 3 wks
when she had similar mental trouble
although not so pronounced.

(Signed) P. Caldwell Smith M.D.
1 Oct. 98. 4 Upper Richmond Road East Putney

Family Hist:

His story of insanity.

Pres. Hist.

Has been at the Priory, Rushmore since
date of the certificate.

Condition on Admission - Physical.

Galley V
Pt. 7. 2

1st is ~~in very~~ thin & emaciated -
Scanty white hair - ^{fair eyes, unimpaired} fairly developed.
Eyes - N. act to left & accommodation - ^{quite equal}
Tongue. Flatly & furred. T9th deficient.
Lungs. Supra & infra-clavicular fossae as
very marked. Note good. B.S. rather weak -
Heart. H.A.B. 5th space 1/2 inch S.S. N.B. Sounds
good.
A.D. none. Nil abnormal detected.
Knee-jerks. Lt increased. Sternaal
reflexes normal.
Urine - Clear. acid. 1020. No alb. No sugar.

Calamities -

1st objects consent that to a physical examination -
Mental

1st is rather restless & excited - She
talks a good deal - saying that her tongue
has been poisoned & "poison rubbed on
her hands making them bad" - She will
answer questions fairly coherently, but
always returns to her delusions of "poisoning"
She also objects to being touched much -
Her memory is deficient. Sleeps fairly
well - but takes her food badly - She
is clean in her habits - but states that her
bowels have not been open for some weeks,
because "the passage has become closed".

12 Jan -

1st still has delusion that she has food

opinioned & that she is going to die - consequently it is difficult to feed her. At times is violent to the nurses & struggles much. S.P.S.

Jan 21st

Pt has been taking her food very badly so today she has been fed with a tube. Fights the nurses a great deal & is much given to the use of strong language. S.P.S.

Jan 20th

Since last note Pt has required feeding with tube on several occasions - but not the last 3 days. Delusions as to reasoning continue as marked as before. Struggles & fights much. Sleeps fairly. S.C.D.

Feb. 6th

Has again been fed with tube on several occasions - still struggles & fights & at times is very abusive - Sleeps fairly - Patch of Tinea Circ. on R. upper arm. S.C.B.

Feb. 22nd

Condition remains much as before. E.L.D.

March 31st

Patch of tinea is now almost healed -

Apr. 7. 0

Takes her food badly, but has not required forcible feeding - Still struggles & fights a good deal - tho' at times she is quiet. S.C.D.

March 27th

Since last entry Pt has had a small cut of the R. eyebrow & a black eye, sustained from a fall - her fingers were slightly crushed in the door, about three weeks ago - both these accidents occurred when she was trying to get out. E.L.D.

April 6.

Pt was discharged today on insistence of Petitioner - mentally she continues unchanged, very restless & excitable, using very strong language & clanging incessantly at anyone near her - pinching & slapping them - She brings numerous trivial & unfounded complaints against the nurses, so that they wear her handkerchiefs

steal her food & "torture her" - before leaving she was stripped & examined - the patch of tinea mentioned in the note above on the R. upper arm is almost imperceptible - on her back are a few acne spots, a larger one over the sternal end of the left clavicle - She has severe varicose veins of both legs - involving the saphenae, to a marked extent - the legs are also a network of varicose veins -

There are no bruises - the bruise mentioned above over the R. orbit has disappeared - over the R. elbow is a patch of thickened skin, which has become somewhat discoloured with dirt.

Discharged April 6. 99.

2059.

Clara James, single aged 52 years.

no previous occupation - Church of England - previous residence - Holloway Sanatorium Virginia Water & Cromwell Road, Tollymore Co. Not first attack - age on 1st attack 33. Previously treated at Barwood House Stoneley 1879-1892. & at this place from Dec 92 to Sept 97. Duration of present attack uncertain - supposed cause previous attacks - Not E.S. or D.

1st Certif:

At first would not respond to questions but stood with head covered then expressed unreasonable dislike to Dr. Morris. Described Dr. Thomas as "her pet in an". Talked nonsense about not being allowed any clothes - (com?) She has periodic attacks of excitement, when she leaves her clothes, throws articles about & is otherwise violent.

(Signed) W. E. Allen

2nd Certif:

5 Jan. 99. 47 Albert St. Regent's Park, W. W. She is in a state of mental excitement & weakness - She is excited & talkative: her conversation is incoherent & wanders to subjects unconnected with the conversation. otherwise comatose.

(Signed) William Watham Hooper

Fam. History

3 Jan. 99. Egham - Surrey. Father died insane.

Pres. History

At Barwood House from 1879 to 1892. with mother also at home - here as Pt from Dec 92 till Sept 97 - & as Voluntary Boarder from

Feb/98 - in Nov. she went down to Fort Villa - where she has been going on well until Jan 3rd when she became restless & excited & returned last. (See V.B. Part II 58 & Case Book III. 197)

Case II.

Condition on Admission. Physical.

Pt is rather a small spare

Phys. 58 pale. 7 - Suffers to food. slightly enlarged

Dear Dr. Morris

I wish to deny that I was ever treated unkindly at St. Anne's Heath, I am in great anxiety & fear but that is because I am not well.

Selected. no trace

I am very fond of Miss Palmer & all my friends in Galceary.

Yours faithfully Clara James.

Oct 27th

conversation no less she was both past - it aware

of the onset of her attacks of violence but says she is quite unable to control herself or prevent herself throwing things about - tho' she is better than she was in that respect. Takes her food fairly well but does not sleep very well.

2059.

Clara James. Single aged 52 yrs

no previous occupation - Church of England
previous residence - Holloway Sanatorium
Virginia Water - Cromwell Road, Tooting
Not first attack - age on 1st attack 33.
Previously treated at Barwood House
Greenwich 1899-1892. & at this place from
Dec 92 to Sept 97. Duration of present
attack uncertain - Supposed cause
previous attacks - Not E.S. or D.

1st Certif:

At first would not respond to question
but stood with head covered then ex-
pressed irrationally dislike to Dr. Morris
described Dr. Thomas as "has put in an"
Talked nonsense about not being allowed
any clothes - (com?) She has periodic
attacks of excitement, when she tears
her clothes, throws articles about & is
otherwise violent -

(Signed) J. G. Allen

2nd Certif:

5. Jan. 99. 44 Albert St. Regent's Park, W.1
She is in a state of mental excitement &
restlessness - She is excited & talkative: her con-
versation is incoherent & wanders to
subjects unconnected with the conversation.
Otherwise comports -

(Signed) William Watham Hooper

3. Jan. 99. Egham - Surrey.

Fam. History

Father died insane.

Pres. History

At Barwood House from 1899 to 1902. Was
retreated at home - here as P.S. from Dec 97
till Sept 1907. & as voluntary Boarder from

Feb/98 - in Nov. she went down to Four
Villas - where she has been going on well
until Jan 2nd when she became restless
& excited & observed hrs. (See V.B. Book II 58
& Case Book II 197)

Gallery II.

light. 7. 10

Condition on Admission. Physical.

Pt is rather a small spare
woman - Brown hair turning grey.
Eyes grey. Mucous membranes pale.
Tongue furred - pale & flabby - Suffers
from flatulence & pain after food.
Tongue very deficient. Tonsils slightly enlarged
Chest - Nil abnormal detected in
lungs or heart.
Abdomen - Nil abnormal detected.
R.F.'s normal.
Urine. Clear. Acid - 1022. No alb. no trace.

Catamenia - ceased.

Mental.

Pt is able to sustain conversation
fairly tho' at times her attention
rather wanders. She is now less
excited & incoherent than she was.
Her memory is good for both past
& present events - She is quite aware
of the onset of her attacks of violence but
says she is quite unable to control herself
or prevent herself throwing things about -
tho' she is better than she was in that
respect. Takes her food fairly well but
does not sleep very well.

15 Jan

Pt has been very excited & violent. She has had to be placed in a padded room - Sleeping badly. Takes her food fairly - P.C.D.

28 Jan.

Pt still continues excited - talks a great deal & very incoherently tho' at times she will answer rationally for a short time, but her mind soon wanders off. Sleeps badly. P.C.D.

28 Jan.

Still continues as former notes. P.C.D.

4 Feb.

No change. Still excited & impulsive. P.C.D.

22nd Feb.

Still continues very excited - often destructive & at times violent. Has had some patches of tinea circinata on the forehead - Sleeps badly - Talks fairly. P.C.D.

7-10

2nd March

Fresh spots of tinea have appeared on chest. Still excited - during the day is able to be much in the open air & consequently sleeps rather better. P.C.D.

Sept 27th
Sept 29th

Since last entry Pt has had a small cut on R eyebrow & black eye sustained from fall - and also her fingers were crushed in the door - both these occurred when she was trying to get out at the door. P.C.D.

April 6.

Pt was today discharged at instance of petitioner - she is still restless & very irritable, using much bad language, & constantly clamoring at anyone near her. She makes numerous complaints of an unfounded & trivial character, of that

April 15.

Tinea now cured - mentally has considerably improved - excitement has to a great degree passed off & she is much less confused & agitated - can now occupy herself a little & can

May 22.
9th

sustain a short conversation R.C.D. Has much improved - can now talk coherently & enter into conversation, though she is still somewhat confused & her memory (especially for names) is impaired - she occupies herself & is much less excited - the patches of tinea has again appeared to a slight extent. R.C.D.

June 16.
Galloway
8-12th

Improvement maintained - she is much less confused - occupies herself well - Phys health good. Tinea quite cured. R.C.D.



June 22
Galloway

Improvement above noted did not last more than a few days after last note. She is now confused, alternately mildly excited & stuporous. almost unrecognizable & memory is again much impaired - Phys health fair - R.C.D.

July 17-

So again less confused & more cheerful & equable - R.C.D.

Aug: 10

Has steadily improved & is now in N^o 1 R.C.D.

Sept: 19

Improvement maintained - she is cheerful & equable & the mental confusion has passed off - she has today gone on leave - R.C.D.

Dec: 17
21

Returned from leave yesterday - is cheerful & equable, there is only slight mental confusion - she states that she does not feel quite sure of herself - she is quite able to train N^o 1 R.C.D.

Jan: 11-1900

Cheerful & occupies herself well - there is still some slight mental confusion & some loss of self control - Phys health good. R.C.D.

March 3.

An acute attack is just beginning for the first

- week she has been very confused & dazed & restless & yesterday was at times quite incoherent, excited & impulsively violent - RCB.
- March 27. Continues very dazed & confused - violent
n^o 5. & excited attacks. very resistive in being washed & dressed, things which she will not do for herself - 2 nights ago smashed crockery by banging them against the floor - is quite unoccupied & very restless - RCB.
- April 3. Very violent & excited yesterday - smashed a
8008 mirror with her shoe - restless & noisy at night RCB.
- July 3. Has continued very noisy destructive &
80011 incoherent until about 2 weeks ago - now she is slowly improving - can occupy herself, keep on her clothing & though there is still marked mental confusion she can now talk coherently on easy topics. Phys health good RCB.
- Sept: 24. Has considerably improved - she is now
80012 coherent & occupied though there is still some
n^o 1. mental confusion - on the 12th Sept. was able to go to n^o 1. RCB.
- Nov 9. Improvement maintained today she went
- leave
- 10011
- RCB
- Dec: 29. Was today discharged from leave.

Discharged Dec: 29. 00

Francis E. Warren (case n^o 1 p: 280)

- 1 Oct 02 mental confusion & loss of mental decision
& of initiative - had 2 bad fits on night of Nov
2nd, followed by much mental confusion &
stupor (the brande mixture taken nightly had
been discontinued for 2 nights only) on recovery
3rd of Pot brom: nightly there has been no further
fit - Phys health good - there is now no
anemia - cat: reg: RCB.
- March 12. Had a slight fit last night on brande being
discontinued - followed however by very
slight mental confusion - RCB.
- March 19. Was discharged today - improvement
10011 has been maintained & increased -
Phys health good - no marks of anemia

Discharged March 19-01

2062

Naomi Ward Reeves. Single god's son

Ad. 11 Jan. 99. of no previous occupation - Church of England.
 R.O. 6 Sept. 95. previous address Clinton Farm - Waulays, Berks.
 (C. in b. 11 Jan. 99. 1st attack, except slight epileptics about 10 yrs ago - whether previous & treated. Duration of attack about 13 mos. Supposed cause childbirth - Not E. but Suicidal - Noted.

1st Certif:

Conscience anxious & troubled, pupils dilated, complains of persistent headache continually picks hands which are in places raw & bleeding, shows great emotion, deads being "sent away" says she cannot sleep & that while awake she constantly thinks that life is not worth living & her's impulses inducing her to destroy herself, realises it is wrong to commit suicide but cannot control these impulses; when she does sleep she always wakes with a start & at once realises her position. She says her only object is to get rid of all this misery. The whole manner & appearance is typical of melancholia & she talks of nothing else than despair which she feels & the loss of her position as head of the house (this latter fact consequent upon her condition (C. in b.)). That the above P^o has been under care of nurse for about 5 mos & that during that time she has made 2 attempts at suicide - by throwing in a pond (the last attempt occurred this afternoon (3 Sept) that she has threatened on several occasions, in fact, does almost every day to commit suicide either by taking opium, by throwing herself out of a window or in some other way. That she

By Nurse

has asked which would be the more effectual position in which to cut her throat & whether if she threw herself out of a certain window it would kill her: that she has not slept for 5 nights past, that she frequently says she wishes to die & that she would put an end to herself any minute if she could do it effectually, that she walks about the bedroom at night, that she picks her hand the whole time, & that on Sept 2nd she suicided upon cutting with her feet in a bath from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. without any reason for so doing, that she frequently sits on a paragon for an hour at a time & remains quiet in the W.C. for an hour or more without any reason for so doing. That she states that her object is to do away with herself & that she prays every night that she may be taken before morning even if she were to go to Hell & that even Hell could not be worse than the misery of her present existence. That the one subject of P^o's conversation is suicide.

By Sister of P^o

That last autumn 1894 she found a letter in P^o's handwriting placed on the dressing table saying that her poor body would be found in the well (a deep one) & begging her to tell her friends & to the servant. That other letters have been found under her pillows in March 1895 at the time of the P^o's attempt at suicide by drinking 4 ounces of Laudanum asking all her relations to forgive her for destroying herself (which she attempted to do in the manner explained above in this

by Mrs. Atwood

Letters she also had 500 signatures -
That he attended P^r in March 95 on the occasion of her attempt to commit suicide by swallowing 4 1/2 of Laudanum, to which attempt she confessed to me & that she was at that time & had been for some months past under my care for Melancholia consequent upon (illegitimate) childbirth, which depression was intensified by the serious illness & eventual death of her father in April 95. That in June 95 I assisted in getting her out of a pond into which she had thrown herself, that I visited her when she was pregnant she being at that time resident in London & found her in a very depressed condition.

I certify that it is expedient for the welfare of the said Naomi Ward Reeves that the said Naomi Ward Reeves should be forthwith placed under care & treatment. My reasons for this conclusion are as follows:

That she is beyond the control of the Nurse who is & has been her constant attendant for about 6 mos past. That unless placed under proper control at once she is likely to commit suicide.

Signed - George C. Peckay
Brightwallon, Waukegan, Perks.

3. Sept. 95.

2nd Certif:

Corroborates

Signed - Arthur John Dalton
The Elms, Wallingford St. Waukegan Perks.

6. Sept. 95.

1st Certif:

Res. Hist: See Certif: P^r went to Montford Asylum in Sept 95. & has remained there since.

2nd Certif

Condition on Admission.

P^r is short & rather stout - well dev. -
loped. muscles rather flabby. Eyes brown.
External strabismus of l. eye - React to
L. & A. pupils equal. Colour good. Hair
brown. A few papules & pustules chiefly
on chin - Hypertrichosis on upper lip
and chin - Tongue furred - flabby -
Tongue much flattened.
Cl. no signs of physical disease in
Thorax.

Abdomen. Walls very relaxed. The walls
are much separated above allowing a
large ventral hernia to protrude. The
abdominal cavity on patient lying down.
Intestines much distended with gas.

Uterus was found to be prolapsed &
retroverted. Some leucorrhoea.
for evacuation of peritoneum -
Calamities - Regular. Some Spontaneous.
P^r has suffered much from both
internal & external haemorrhoids.
These were removed by operation
about 6-7 mos ago.

B's constipated. micturition frequent -
much flabidant deposit
knee - joints - normal.

Urine. Turbid with mucus - Acid. 1028. No alb.
No sugar.

Letters she also reads regularly -
 by her attendant That he attended Pt in March 95 on the occasion of her attempt to commit suicide by swallowing 4 1/2 of Laudanum, to which attempt she confessed to me & that she was at that time & had been for some months past under my care for melan cholia consequent upon (illegitimate) childbirth, which depression was intensified by the serious illness & eventual death of her father in April 95. That in June 95 assisted in getting her out of a pond into which she had thrown herself, that I visited her when she was pregnant she being at the time resident in London & found her in a very depressed condition.

I certify that it is expedient for the welfare of the said Naomi Ward Keene that the said Naomi Ward Keene should be forthwith placed under care & treatment. My reasons for this conclusion are as follows:

That she is beyond the control of the Nurse who is & has been her constant attendant about 6 mos past. That unless placed in proper control at once she is likely to commit suicide.

Signed - George C. Peachey
 Brightonwallon. Wandsworth Rd

3. Sept. 95.

2nd Certif:

Corroborates

Signed. Arthur John Dalton
 The Vicar, Wallingford St. Wandsworth
 Pertho.

6. Sept. 95.

1st Certif:

Res. Hist: See Certif: Pt went to Moorfield Asylum in Sept 95 & has remained there since.

Gallery vi

Condition on Admission.

Pt is short & rather stout - well dev. -
 -loped. muscles rather flabby. Eyes brown.
 External strabismus of l. eye - React to
 G. & A. pupils equal. Colour good. Hair
 brown. A few papules & pustules chiefly
 on chin - Hypertrichosis on upper lip
 and chin - Tongue furred - flabby -
 Protruded - much flattened.
 Chest. No signs of physical disease in
 Thorax.

Abdomen. Walls very relaxed. The walls
 are much separated above allowing a
 large ventral hernia to protrude. This
 hernia sails on patient lying down.
 Intestines much distended with gas.
 Uterus was found to be prolapsed &
 inverted. Some leucorrhoea.
 Cervix - Regular. Some Dysmenorrhoea.
 Pt has suffered much from both
 internal & external haemorrhoids.
 These were removed by operation
 about 6-7 mos ago.

Bl's constipated. micturition frequent -
 much flabid deposit
 Urine. Turbid with mucus - Acid. 1028. No alt.
 No sugar.

Mental.

Pt is at times depressed but says she has been much better of late. She converses quietly and quite rationally. She appears to have got over her desire to commit suicide. She is indistinct during the day & takes much interest in what goes on around. Her memory both for present & past events is excellent. Has no delusions or hallucinations. Eats well & generally sleeps well. Her great desire is to get quite well & again take her place in the world.

18 Jan.

Pt suffers from constipation. Is looking better since admission. Tongue clean, less flatulence. Urine has been replaced by ammonia.

25 Jan.

Pt looks much improved. Is quite quiet. Takes much interest in what goes on around. Eats & sleeps well.

4 Feb.

Improvement still continues.

22 Feb.

Cheerful - takes much interest in his surroundings - goes to all the entertainments & enters into the society of the place.

9.11

3rd March.

Continues to improve. Flatulence much improved. States she feels quite a different being since she has been here & is most grateful for everything that is done for her. Sleeps well till the last few nights when she has had some pain in the mouth - the result of having had several teeth extracted on the 18th.

16 March.

Pt is discharged to-day.

Discharged 16 March 99

Florence Jane Eggitt (cont'd from p: 290)

Sept: 13

6.00 AM



Continues very weak-minded with marked mental confusion - quite incapable of conversation, employment or of looking after herself - often troublesome about food - restless & noisy - restless violent - wet & dirty.

Dec: 31

7.00 AM

Continues very erratic & silly - quite incontinent & usually a vacant smile on her face - often is very restless & noisy - making a lot of noise.

March 19. 01

8.00 AM

Is somewhat less erratic & excited - but there is still marked mental confusion & she is very childish & weak-minded - she is quite unaccustomed but now keeps on her clothing & does more for herself than she did - still usually requires to be fed by spoon - Phys. health good - is putting on flesh - A.

June 15.

8.00 AM

Has continued very erratic restless, with incontinent urine yesterday when she suddenly improved - dressed herself neatly, sat out in the grounds & entered into a conversation on every topic - today she is content, her dress & person are orderly & she is occupying herself with needlework - Phys. health good R.C.D.

June 20.

Was for 2 days in No. 6. content, orderly in conduct & occupying herself well - then on 18th was very erratic & foolish, creeping under tables & chairs, giggling mainly etc - She again gave up & is again very content & quiet R.C.D.

- Sept: 16
802 1/2 Continues very dazed & stuporous -
her conduct is impulsive & erratic -
she requires to be washed dressed & fed -
is quite incapable of rational conversation
or of occupying herself. Phys: health good.
Do now somewhat less stuporous than
Dec: 31.
805 1/2 she was but still requires much attention
can now usually answer simple questions
rationally but cannot sustain a conversa-
tion or occupy herself - Phys: health good.
March 28.02
905 Continues stuporous, at times silly
& excited - has almost always to be
washed dressed & fed with every spoonful
of food. A. RCD.
- June 26.
901 Continues as on above note - at times
(about every 6 weeks or so) she appears to improve
a little for a few days dressing herself & being able
to give short rational answers to easy questions
but she is usually very silly & irrational -
disorder in dress & person, & unoccupied & requiring
to have much done for her. She almost always has
to be spoon fed & is often very resistant Phys: health
good - A. RCD.
- Sept: 19-
900 1/2 Continues very dazed confused & stuporous
requiring to be washed dressed & fed -
Phys: health good. RCD.
- Feb. 16. 1902
851. 1/2 Pt. is better - last 4 or 5 days -
taken food with still spoon fed & at times RCD
- March 16 -
805 1/3 Write the last few days washed to be spoon fed.
but this week she is much less confused &
stuporous - is fairly orderly & can answer
simple questions rationally. RCD.
- June 30.
805 1/3 Is now again very silly & confused, has to
be spoon fed - washed & dressed - RCD.

- Sept: 15. She continues automatic & very
silly - dazed & stuporous with much
mental confusion - has to be washed
dressed & fed. RCD.
- Dec: 12 Continues unaltered - was
yesterday transferred to Conkerwell
House. was examined before leaving
& found to be free from marks or lesions
& in good physical condition. RCD.

Discharged Dec: 11.03

2063.

Emily Florence Aylwin - Single.

aged 40 years - Occupation Artificial Limb maker - Protestant. Previous address, 48 Great Russell St. W.C. First attack of about 5 hrs duration (since August). Supposed cause overwork & business worries. Nowhere previously treated - Not E. or D. Suicidal, doubtful.

1st Certif:

She has Delirium. She believes that she has brought ruin & desolation on her home and family & that she cannot even afford food (which I am informed is untrue) She also believes she will be responsible for any misfitting limbs in the future & that she is the victim of spite of some former workman. She thinks herself filthy. She is very unhappy - becomes very excited - is restless. (Com?) that she is beyond the management of her father who is an invalid that she wishes not to eat because she cannot afford the food & has suggested it was better to do as her mother did (commit suicide).

(Signed) William Wadham Hooper Esq. - Surgeon.

13/Jan. 99.

Corroborates & adds

She talks about suicide as being the only escape from her miserable condition.

(Signed)

Robert Nuthall

Bristowood, Bracknell Berks

17. Jan. 99.

Fam. Hist.

Mother committed suicide 2 weeks ago at

Prev. Hist. Infantile Paralysis at 2 years of age.

Pt says she has always been accustomed to taking alcohol freely nearly all her life - up till August last. Since when she says she has entirely given it up. Her health has been good. but of late she has had a good many business worries.

Palmer's III.

1st Certif. 9. 10

Condition on Admission. Physical.

Pt is fairly well developed - muscles rather flabby. Complexion Sallow - skin greasy. Hair dark - Eyes brown. Pupils equal. React to L.A. Wears Spectacles D.

Tongue furred - pale. Mucous membranes rather pale.

Teeth - Constipation.

Over the chest & back are many scattered papules & pustules. also many small scabs. The result apparently of patient having scratched them, - though she denies this - a few comedones.

Thorax & Abdomen - No signs of physical disease found - Catarrhia -

Urine - Clear. 1026. Acid. No albumen or sugar

The L. leg & thigh is wasted & there is

Talipes Squis-varius of the l. foot. The result of the attack of ^{infantile} Paralysis which she had when about 2 years of age.
 Knee joints. Break on R. side. absent on l. side.

On the upper arms on both sides are some superficial bruises.

Mental.

Pt is depressed and miserable, in consequence of the ruin that must come to her family, more especially if she continues to stay here. She says that in consequence of her ^{own} conduct & also to some extent because of the deceit of her workmen, they have absolutely no money and that the business altogether is really very much worse than she can stoic. She also said that she thought the only end would be to bring about her death, as her mother did. Her memory for present & past events is good. She says she is violent at times & that she then uses very bad language - tho' she does not know what she can have

heard it.

Sleeps fairly well - takes her food pretty well. P.C.D.

21 Jan. Pt is rather more cheerful. Has been quiet since admission - takes her food well - The rash on the chest & back is better. P.C.D.

28 Jan. Pt improved. more cheerful - very sociable in Gallery. Eats & sleeps well. Rash much better. P.C.D.

Feb. Improvement continues - Has been moved to Gallery II.

21 Feb. Pt is most cheerful. Not grateful for anything that is done for her & asserts in many things about the Gallery - Her delusions as to money troubles still persist. Remains the same. P.C.D.

March. Pt was discharged this morning - She is much more cheerful tho' still rather emotional & unstable especially over financial matters. E.D.
 Obeyed to being photographed.

Discharged 10. March 99.

See case book 707

Talipes Equino-varus of the l. foot. The result of the attack of ^{insultic} paralysis which she had when about 2 years of age. Five joints. Break on R. side - absent on l. side.

On the upper arms on both sides are some superficial bruises.

Mental.

Pt is depressed and miserable in consequence of the ruin that must come to her family, more especially if she continues to stay here. She says that in consequence of her ^{own} conduct & also to some extent because of the deceit of her workman, they have absolutely no money and that the business altogether is half very much worse than she can describe. She also said that she thought the only end would be to bring about her death as her mother did. Her memory for present & past events is good. She says she is violent at times & that she then uses very bad language - tho' she does not know what she can have

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4 March. Pt was discharged this morning - She is much more cheerful tho' still rather emotional & unstable especially over financial matters. E.D.

10 March. Objected to being photographed.

Discharged 10. March 99.

See case book 20

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2065

Ad^d 21 Jan. 99.

R.O. 21 Jan. 99.

Chil. 23 " "

Alice Procter, single, aged 39.

Milner - Protestant - Previous address
40 Bate Street - City Road E.C. First attack
of about 5 weeks duration - Never pre-
viously treated - Supposed cause - overstrain
& worry - Not E or D but Suicidal, having
attempted to get out of window -

1st Certif:

She is strange in manner & believes that
she is at times under the influence of
Chloroform, which she says she gets off
some unknown person's clothes or it may
come in at the window. She is suspicious
of her food & fancies that there is poison
in it and that she feels ill after eating.
(Signed) George Cowis

Holborn Union Workhouse

20 Jan. 99.

City Road N.

2nd Certif:

Stam's corroborates & adds that (am^d) she
last night made an attempt to get out
of window & nearly succeeded & that she
tried to set fire to the bedclothes.

(Signed) William George Hall, M.D., S.L.S.

21 Jan. 99.

17 Old Street E.C.

Fam. Hist:

Sister is a patient in this Asylum at
the present time - (Mrs Bauer - sup: 175)

Pro: Hist:

Gallery 71

Condition on Admission - Physical.

H:

Chil. 7. 7/2

Pt is rather thin; not well deve-
loped. Complexion sallow. Hair brown
turning grey - Eyes grey - Pupils ^{equal}
react to l. & A. Tongue furred - pale.
Chest. Note at R. apex impaired - B.S. is
weak - Sternum prominent - There are
several long scratches over chest, inflicted
by patient herself.

Heart. Nil abnormal detected.

Abdomen. Slight pain on pressure over
l. iliac region.Catamenia - has been regular up till
now - slight dysmenorrhoea.Urine. Turbid with water - Acid - 1030. No alb.
no sugar.The right leg is covered with many super-
ficial bruisés - the marks, according to
the Pt, of the efforts made to prevent her
getting out of window -

Knee jerks increased both sides.

Paronychia linguæ on forefinger of R.
hand -

Mucous membranes, slightly anæmic.

Feb. 1899

Ann Hall
Luzerne Park

P.S. Sir

Will you look
after my sister's affairs by taking
a Mother I am ^{and} I know require
your care. I ought to have
written before so please attend
at once. I beg to refer to
both of you I am. Not that
I should be so long away

for a sudden
difficulty
- questions
- calls
- whenever
by the
whom they
she also
was it
inches
that on
toured
a little
- in the 25th
- takes any
- have been
continues to

28th Jan.

Feb.

24th Feb.

Feb. 7. 7/12

2nd March

discharge pass - but ^{she} constantly pulls off dresses. R.C.
Has improved a little since last visit. Taking food
better. 13th v. constipated. objects to medicine as she says
it makes her swell badly & people notice it. ^{she} says
larger. Her delusions of poisoning still persists. R.C.
Still depressed. Goes to the parlourments &
but says "it is a mockery". Still breaths & gives
a good deal of trouble to her nurses. R.C.
States that she has seen the man, who
sent chloroform into her house, just before
coming here, in chapel on Sunday last (25th)
& also about the grounds - & that she might
have mentioned this before. Also that she
hears voices speaking to her at night. She
thinks something is happening upstairs

Miss Procter
April 1899

Miss Procter
April 1899

P.S. I said to a patient
one something about my people
not being my sister to go
away from here. I am sure
what I have said about
this house is true. do watch
for the puffing the Church. I
have not disagreed for what I have
said is true. You will find it so.

P.S. I wish you to write
to my people. Please and tell
them & rather I will speak
if to you my people are not
neither am I anything to do
with what we all rather. Please
they will not do better to

April 11 - here of being tortured to death - R.C.
Is developing delusions of unseen agency
chiefly of mesmerism but also of electricity
those of poisoning & of impending doom
& she is more restless than she was. R.C.
May 3. Delusions are very evident. constantly
complaining of being mesmerized, & of being
electrified - continually writing long letters
like the annexed - restless & almost un-
satisfied - Halluc^{ns} of hearing very marked, she
states that she hears shrieks & other noises in
an empty room above that in which she is
& she speaks of being "told privately" & "in her
ear" of tortures & horrors done to patients -
Physical health fair - R.C.
May 18. P.S. was transferred yesterday to Halliford
House - condition as above.

Discharged May 18. 99

from home I should like
 you to do the best you can
 get them. Please to make
 of them as tight as you can
 they have been very loose. As soon
 I have not seen them for a
 few days and my sister that
 is in the place wants she can
 I think of you do not mind
 standing I should be glad

Feb.

Has improved a little since last visit. Taking food
 better. 136 v. constipated. Objects to medicine as she says
 it makes her swell badly & people notice it. Sleep as
 usual. Her delusions of poisoning still persists.
 Still depressed. Goes to the entertainments &
 but says "it is a mockery". Still visits & gives
 a good deal of trouble to her nurses - R.C.B.

24th Feb.

7/2

2nd March

States that she has seen the man, who
 shot chloroform into her house, just before
 coming here, in chapel on Sunday last (25th)
 & also about the grounds - that she might
 have mentioned this before. Also that she
 hears voices speaking to her at night. She
 thinks something is happening upstairs

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This plan will you give me in a powder that makes one
 up to justice to be fairly say thing that are not true.
 & then for giving my sister his some cruel method, will
 an occasion of Brand, once you have it washed, will you
 My dear Parents are quite to come on at the top
 & moment of anything I may guide bright then they lose
 have said about, but their than mental power
 plan. Write to my people & tell them. I have not stood up for them

here of being tortured to death - R.C.B.

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 states that she hears strikes & other noises in
 an empty room above that in which she is
 & she speaks of being "told privately" & "in her
 ear" of tortures & horrors done to patients -
 Physical health fair - R.C.B.

May 18

P.S. was transferred yesterday to Halliford
 House - condition as above.

Discharged May 18.99

Mental.

Pt has somewhat of a sullen
 separation - It is with some difficulty
 that she can be got to reply to questions &
 her answers are slow & generally
 monosyllabic. She stated that whenever
 she went out. she was affected by the
 poison which "they" put about. whom "they"
 was she would not specify. She also
 said she refused her food because it
 was poisoned. She resists & struggles
 with the nurses - so much so that on
 the night of arrival she had to be removed
 to the padded room - takes very little
 food. Sleeps badly. Requires dressing & undressing
 is fairly quiet, but insists dressing etc. On the 23rd
 required feeding with help as she refused to take any
 food. ^{say} it was poisoned. B's have been
 v. constipated. Sleeps fairly - Fungus still continues to
 discharge pus - but Pt constantly pulls off dressing. R.C.B.
 Has improved a little since last visit. Taking food
 better. B's v. constipated. objects to medicine as she says
 it makes her small body & people notice it. Fungus
 healed. Her delusions of poisoning still persists. R.C.B.
 Still depressed - Goes to the Rehearsals &
 but says "it is a mockery". Still insists & gives
 a good deal of trouble to her nurses. R.C.B.
 States that she has seen the man, who
 shot chloroform into her house, just before
 coming here, in chapel on Sunday last (25th)
 & also about the grounds - that she might
 have mentioned this before. Also that she
 hears voices speaking to her at night. She
 thinks something is happening up stairs

8th Jan.

Feb.

24th Feb.

4th 7. 7/2

2nd March

As she hears voices over the ceiling - She
 also feels as if something dreadful must be
 happening to her sister, who is a patient here.

April 7-

Continues much as on last note -
 restless & emotionally unstable with
 delusions of impending doom & of perse-
 cution. She has hallucinations of hearing
 stating that she hears shrieks & loud
 shouts overhead - whereas that room is
 empty during the daytime - Her sister (Mrs
 Bauer) has been transferred to Bethlem, but
 she persists in the statement that she is still
 here & being tortured to death. R.C.B.

April 11-

Is developing delusions of unseen agency
 chiefly of mesmerism but also of electricity
 those of poisoning & of impending doom
 & she is more restless than she was. R.C.B.

May 3.

Delusions are very evident - constantly
 complaining of being mesmerized, & of being
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 an empty room above that in which she is
 & she speaks of being "told privately" & "in her
 ear" of tortures & horrors done to patients -
 Physical health fair. R.C.B.

May 18.

Pt was transferred yesterday to Halliford
 House - condition as above.

Discharged May 18.99

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2067.

Ad. 23 Jan. 99
R.O. 29 " "
Cib. 30 " "

Mary. Beatrice. Astley. single

aged. 38 years. of no occupation - Church of England - Previous residence Gorse Cottage, Telford, Farnham. Second attack of 6 weeks duration - Aged on 1st attack 38 years - previously treated at St. Thomas's Hospital from Aug. to Sept. 98. Supposed cause of present illness - previous attack. Not B but Suicidal and Dangerous.

1st Certif:

She was in a state of maniacal excite- ment shouting out incoherently about the murder of Venus, calling herself a flower, striking at the air with her clenched fists & puffing with her mouth like an engine. She asked if she might kiss me? though I am a complete stranger & was un- fortunately violent to her brother who was in the room. (Com?) that she was excited & noisy in the night, stripped herself naked & assaulted the servant & that to-day she has put a cushion on the fire.

(Signed) R. Percy. Smith

21 Jan 99. St. Quirin Arms St. W. Was lying in disordered & frenzied condition as mentioned - stated that she was in direct communion with the Virgin Mary - She professed dogs to have (Com?) during the night of Jan 21-22/99 she was frenzied, violent & imagined she was holding converse with Jesus Christ -

(Signed) Edmund Robinson. M. D.

21 Jan. 99. The Hawes - Farnham - Farnham. Said to be well:

Fam. Hist:

Pro. Hist:

Gallery VIII.

St. left. 9.1/2

Condition on Admission - Physical.

Pt is well developed & well nourished. Hair brown turning grey - Complexion rather high coloured. Eyes grey - Pupils rather dilated - Equal. N. act to L. - Ips rather prominent. Tongue - furred. B's constipated. Mucous membranes - good colour. Teeth good. Thyroid palpable. No physical signs of disease detected in thoracic or abdominal organs. Lungs clear - heart 1025 - no alb. no sig.

Catamenia - said to be regular & painful. Pt is at present menstruating - knee-jerks brisk - other reflexes normal.

Mental - Acute mania Pt is very excited & restless - dancing & singing about the room - or else lying flat on the ground & kicking her legs about. Her conversation is incoherent & wandering. She says she has been living in a hospital for some ^{date} and that she has been

keeping Angels & Cupids in a drawer.
She appears to have hallucinations of hearing as she makes replies, looking up at a corner of the room while doing so. She has also said that she has seen a kitten humming about the room. Her memory seems to be fair. She refuses to eat or to dress & mudders herself, and everything that she can lay hands on she puts into the fire. She struggles & fights much with her nurses. Sleeps badly. S.C.B.

Jan 28th

Up till yesterday P^t required feeding with tubes but since has taken ^{liquid} food well. Is quieter & seems much less. will not dress herself but allows it to be done quietly. Yesterday had 2 long walks, & answered some questions of Nurse quite sensibly. B's very anxious about P^t.

Feb. 4th

Since last note P^t has much improved. She is quiet & occupied with reading & work during the day. Sleeps fairly & is taking food better. Goes out twice daily. Answers questions quite rationally but is inclined to be rather silent & only speaks when spoken ^{to}. P^t still continues to improve - with her attendant

Feb 22nd

Feb. 9. 9

She will converse well & sensibly - but evinces some dislike to conversation with the medical officers - Dinner in Hall now. ^{She} ~~She~~ her relatives she reiterates the wish to be removed from here at once & is much put out at the suggestion that it would be necessary for her to have a competent nurse. Sleeps & eats well - A great walker & is out a great deal. S.C.B.

March 24thApril 1st

Continues to improve. S.C.B.
Has continued to improve since the last note & was today Discharged recovered
Discharged April 1 - 99

This book was written
 by the author of the
 first volume of the
 series. It contains
 a complete history of
 the world from the
 beginning of time to
 the present day. The
 author has drawn upon
 the most reliable
 authorities and has
 written in a clear and
 concise style. The
 book is a valuable
 reference work for
 all students of
 history.

2069.

Ad. 26 Jan 99.
R.O. 25 " "
Cin. 6. 27 " "

1st Certif:

Alice Maud Mary Hood - married.
aged 29 years - of no occupation - Ancestry of
England - 9 Ross Road Wallington. First
attack of one month duration - Age on
1st attack 29 years. Supposed Cause. Alcoholism.
Nowhere previously treated - Not S. or D.
but Epileptic -

She says she has had £1000 left her also
horses & carriages - neither assertion is true -
She says that she has painted all the pictures
in the room - one being an engraving - she never
did paint. She said she would paint a picture
with sparkling diamonds - She promised to
give me £1000 pounds - she has no such sum to
give - She says she keeps a dog in a gold cage,
(which she has not) (can?) She spends the
whole of the day either in turning over the pages
of some periodical or in aimlessly attempting
to dress herself for an imaginary fancy ball.
She will powder her hair with tooth powder &
empty the bed-room utensils on carpet. She
has for months emptied bladder & retained in
her clothes or on the carpet, and she is quite
oblivious of the fact that such proceedings are
loving or unusual - Today she mistook the
sun for the moon -

(Signed) Thomas Wilson Bird M.D.
24 Jan. 99. Thorn Bank - Walling ton - Surrey.
Corroborates & adds. She told me her
mother (who is dead) had come to life again -
(can?) that she set fire to her nightgown & hair
deliberately.

(Signed) Graham Morris M.D. etc.
20 Jan. 99. S. Cliff field - Walling ton - Surrey.

2nd Certif:

His: Father died at 33 yrs - cause unknown. said
thats drunk to excess. Several brothers
& sisters died from Phthisis -

W. Hist. Married 6 years - 0 children - 0 miscarriages.
Epileptic fits since about 17 years of age.
S.F. as a child since then has had sickness
from seas at intervals - Subject to "bad
throats". Has been in the habit of drinking
to excess since early youth until the
last 13 months since when P. has drunk
much less.

Present illness began about 1 1/2 years ago.
13 mos ago P. had a bad attack of fits,
having previously been quite free from them
for nearly 2 years - Since then there have
been no more. Gradual loss of power
in hands & feet. at times violent. pre-
viously had been a small eater but now
eats enormously -



May 30. 99-

Condition on Admission. Physical.

Age III P. is fairly developed. muscles
flabby. & soft. Hair brown. hard & scanty.
t. 8. 10

2069.

Ad. 26 Jan 99.
R.O. 25 " "
C.L. 27 " "

1st certif:

Alice Maud Mary Hood - married aged 29 years - of no occupation. Airedale England - 9 Ross Road Wallingford. First attack of one month duration - Age on 1st attack 29 years. Supposed cause. Alot nowhere previously known. Not S. or D. but Epileptic -

She says she has had £1000 left her also horses & carriages. neither auction is kept. She says that she has painted all the pictures in the town - one being an engraving - she never did paint. She said she would paint a picture with sparkling diamonds. She promised to give me £1000 pounds - she has no such sum given - She says she keeps a dog in a gold cage (which she has not) (can?) She spends the whole of the day either in turning over the pot of some periodical or in aimlessly attempting to dress herself for an imaginary fancy ball. She will powder her hair with tooth powder & empty the bed-room utensils on carpet. She has for months emptied bladder & rectum in her clothes or on the carpet, and she is quite oblivious of the fact that such proceedings are loamy or unhygienic - Today she mistook the time for the moon -

(Signed) Thomas Wilson Aird M.D.
24 Jan. 99. Thorn Bank - Wallingford. Sure Corroborates & adds. She told me her mother (who is dead) had come to life again - (can?) that she set fire to her neighbours & had deliberately.

(Signed) Graham Morris M.P. etc.
20 Jan 99. S. Cliff - Wallingford. Sure

2nd certif:

Fam. Hist: Father died at 83 yrs. cause unknown. said that drunk to excess. Several brothers & sisters died from Phthisis -

Pro. Hist. Married 6 years - 0 children. 0 miscarriages. Epileptic fits since about 17 years of age. S.F. as a child since then has had discharge from ears at intervals - Subject to "bad throats". Has been in the habit of drinking to excess since early youth until the last 13 months since when P^r has drunk much less.

Present illness began about 1 1/2 years ago. 13 mos ago P^r had a bad attack of fits, having previously been quite free from them for nearly 2 years - Since then there have been no more. Gradual loss of power in hands & feet. at times violent. Previously had been a small eater but now eats enormously -



May 30. 99 -

Galaxy III
ht.
Wght. 8. 10

Condition on Admission. Physical.
P^r is fairly developed. muscles flabby. & soft. Hair brown. harsh & scanty. Constitution mild & delicate.

^{Truncus}
~~Truncus~~ of facial muscles, especially on
 R. & B. Tongue pale, tremulous - fixed.
 Eyes - Pupils equal, somewhat contracted.
 React very slowly to L. & A. Speech slow,
 & hesitating - Gait very unsteady - walking
 with feet wide apart & pulling down heels
 feet - & requiring support -
 No signs of physical disease detected in
 Thorax or abdomen.
 Several slight bruises over both forearms
 knee joints increased. Plantar reflex absent.
 No affection of sensation - Hand-wipe - fair.
 Urine - clear - 1015 Acid. No alb. sugar or mucus.
 Calcaemia Said to be regular but somewhat
 profuse.

Mental - General Paralysis.
 Pt is unable to sustain a conversation.
 Though she can answer simple questions at times
 she rambles a good deal about the family
 she possesses & the pictures she can & has
 painted - pointing to any picture she can see
 & saying she has painted it - She is unable to
 say how long she has been married or how
 old - her answers to both questions being "20 years".
 She is not & dirty in her habits - Sleeps
 badly - Eats well. S.C.B.

3 Feb.

No change since admission - is fairly quiet.
 Does not sleep well. S.C.B.

22 Feb.

Has had several fits of excitement - one always
 occurring after a visit from her husband -
 R. & B. a fit of excitement was incoherent. S.C.B.

4th March. Constantly has fits of screaming & excitement.
 To-day showed signs of convulsions - becoming
 rigid for a few moments - Much twitching
 of facial muscles - B's only act with quana-
 tur naturally. E.B.R.

20th March. Still has fits of screaming & excitement
 7.5.11 Every few days. Speech is getting more
 hurried - gait more unsteady? Tremor of
 facial muscles increased. E.B.

April 7- There is some slight remission of ^{some}
 7.5.11 her gait is somewhat less unsteady, she
 can walk a short distance without help
 & can turn fairly well - Tremor of facial
 & hand muscles marked - She is quieter
 of the attacks of screaming & excitement
 are less marked. R.C.D.

May 10. The last few days she has been more irritable
 7.5.12 & yesterday there was much twitching of facial
 muscles but no true convulsions - she can
 walk more firmly than she did, though the
 tremor of fingers is marked, she can pick
 up flowers after a trial or two - cannot pick
 up a pin or needle. R.C.D.

June 22- Excited at times when she screams loudly -
 8.5.13 speech much clipped & slurred - gait rather more
 unsteady of late - she is suspicious & irritable -
 has few delusions of grandeur, though she says
 she owns the furniture of the room in which she is
 & that she made the garments which she is wearing
 neither of which statements is true - Tremor of facial
 & smaller muscles is more marked. R.C.D.

Sept. 19- Has periodic attacks of excitement, during which
 8.5.17 she usually screams loudly with the top of her
 speech rather more clipped & slurred & gait is more

instability - pupils just react. Delusion of grandeur
more marked eg she will now often repeat for hours
a time "I am the best woman in the world" in a high
falsetto. Has caught a very offensive discharge
from the left ear - now apparently cured after a course
of treatment. Some smell seems lost, as she expresses
no preference for lavender water over rose petals but
owing to her mental condition, it is difficult to be
sure of this - R.C.D.

Sept. 26. P.F. was transferred today to Peckham House
condition as on above note - there is a tiny
superficial bruise over lower end of left ulna
caused by a knock against the chair - no trace
of below redness of skin or other bruise.

Discharged Sept. 26.99

2072.

(Admitted)
Ad. Feb. 6th 1899.
R.O. 2nd Feb. 1899
Civil. 7 Feb. 99.
(Transfer)

Mason
Anne Katherine Felicie Mason - aged 46

Spinster. Roman Catholic - Resides about
Barnwood House, Gloucester.

For Hist. see Casebooks VII-153 & IX-71.

Condition on Admission. Very much objects
to any medical examination -

Lunatic by Inquisition

Physical - Pt is healthy looking - good
colour - bright colour - Pulse regular. good.
Pupils equal - react to L. & A.

Very much objects to a physical examⁿ
which has not been insisted on - Suffers
from Constipation.

Mental - "Paranoia" -

Pt is quiet & well-behaved - she is at
times subject to fits of excitement, when
she says she cannot control the impulse to
fling things about & jump over the furniture -
in her dress she displays some slight
eccentricities - She converses sensibly - her
memory is good - She has a fixed delusion
that her death will occur on 25th Oct. of this
year. tho' she declines to say by what means
she became possessed of this information -

Chancery.
Bakers i
light
light.

9th March The last few days has had a slight attack of
Paralitis & was in bed for 22 days but is now
recovered. E.C.D.

20th March. Constantly refers to her delusion as to the
date of her death & says "the general head
break-up is beginning" tho' her health is
good with the exception of slight constipation E.C.D.

April 23- Continues quiet & amenable - but of
late has developed some delusions of
suspicion especially of poison being put
in the food - Has voluntarily gone to
n^o 5. stating that she feels ^{more} safer there

May 22. For past 10 days has been on the verge
of an acute attack; she voluntarily
stated herself that she "felt very mad" &
could hardly "keep herself from screaming"
& behaving like a mad creature - very
emotional & restless, sleeping badly -
asked for sleeping draughts & sedatives but
refused to allow of any physical examⁿ &
this has not been insisted upon - She has
now improved - is fairly cheerful, occupies
herself to some extent - eccentricities of dress
more marked than they were & there is a
tendency to incoherence at times - delusions
of poison less marked but still retained & she
constantly talks negatively about Oct. 25. R.C.D.

June 23. So very full of her delusions & hallucinations -
states that the med. sup^{ts} keeps her awake at night
by continually knocking on the board beneath her bed -
insists that all the night nurses "or the Brethren's
emissions" have received orders to always keep her awake
"in order that she should go mad" - thinks that her
is constantly being affected with electricity & lightning

wet handly round her head under an old grey felt hat
"keep off this electricity" - thinks that poison is given
in her food & was yesterday found to have secret pills
of aconite & belladonna which she says she takes daily to
counteract this poison - Imputes most of these
"plot tricks & conspiracies" to the Freemasons, this
idea being evidently set on train by a rebel RC
pamphlet against Freemasonry which she diligently
reads & lends to others. She can however converse
reasonably on ordinary topics & her conduct with the
exception of some slight eccentricities of dress, arrange-
ment of her room etc is rational. Her ~~delusion~~ ^{delusion} is good
these periods of most marked delusion coincide with
the monthly periods. R.C.D.

Sept: 19 - Less excited, restless & late - now silent &
morose - retains her delusions which are of the
same character as those above - Phys: health
good - R.C.D.

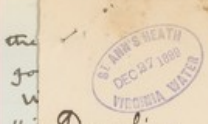
Oct: 30 Today complaining of earache, her ears were
examined - both meatus were found filled with
decaying & indurated head, bits of rag, sponge etc
these were removed & the carities have been
syringed out - much foul discharge being removed
Nov: 4. Ears syringed daily & the discharge has now
ceased R.C.D.

Jan: 6. 1900 Has lately been very full of her delusions of
suspicion - stating that she is poisoned, is
kept awake & tormented by emissaries of
Satan, of the med: sup: &c - see annexed letter.
Let in last Jan: 2-4 with a slight attack of
influenza - now quite convalescent R.C.D.

March 28. Menopause apparently beginning (aged 47) R.C.D.
continues to have numerous delusions of
various agencies, poisoning etc to be tormented with

Phys: health
R.C.D.
y To Burgess

April 19



Dear Sir -
They are poisoning
me - Please do not let
me die here -
Wishing you a
Merry Xmas and a
Happy New Year
Believe me
Yours truly
Catherine Nelson

9.1900

St. Ann's Hospital
- Monday
March 27. 99
Mrs. Bagot.
Sir -
I cannot let you
off with a "very well", as
if nothing more was to be
said or done - You have
put me down as a chronic
patient, and to completely
wash your hands of me -
But that would do - You

wet handly round her head under an old grey felt hat
"keep off this electricity" - thinks that poison is given
in her food & was yesterday found to have accented pills
of aconite & belladonna which she says she takes daily to
counteract this poison - Imputes most of these
"plot tricks & conspiracies" to the Freemasons, this
idea being evidently set on train by a rebel RC
pamphlet against Freemasonry which she diligently
reads & lends to others. She can however converse
reasonably on ordinary topics & her conduct with the
exception of some slight eccentricities of dress, average
ment of her room is rational. Her delirium is good
These periods of most marked delirium coincide with
the monthly periods. R.C.D.

Sept: 19. Less excited & restless let - now silent &
9.25.9 morose - retains her delusions which are of the
same character as those above. Phys health
good. R.C.D.

Oct: 30 Today complaining of earache, her ears were
examined - both meatus were found filled with
decaying & moulded head, bits of rag, spages &c
these were removed & the cavities have been
sprung out - much foul discharge being removed
Nov: 4. Two or three daily of the discharge has now
ceased R.C.D.

Jan: 6. 1900 Has lately been very full of her delusions &
suspicion - stating that she is poisoned, is
kept awake & tormented by emissaries of
Satan, of the mid: sup: &c - see annexed letter
last In last Jan: 2-4 with a slight attack of
influenza - now quite convalescent R.C.D.

March 28. Menopause apparently beginning (aged 47) R.C.D.
continues to have numerous delusions,
unseen agency, friends &c to be tormented with

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Phys: health
R.C.D.
ay to Burgess

April 19

Dear Sir -
They are poisoning
me - Please do not let
me die here -
Wishing you a
Merry Xmas and a
Happy new Year
Believe me
Yours truly
Catherine Masore

19. 1900

have had 16 years trying
to cure me or not after
your own fashion - That
is long enough - You
must please cure me now
after my fashion, and
comply with my repeated
request to have a surgical
operation, i.e. to be
castrated - That is to be
the best word, nothing
less - for life in the bed

of these places is worse
than death, however
charming they may be -
Yours, Sir,
Yours faithfully
Catherine Masore.

I was promised that
anything I wanted
should be done for me -
That was on the eve of
my departure for Barrow,
and I have come back,

wet handly round her head under an old grey felt hat
"keep off this electricity" - thinks that poison is given
in her food & was yesterday found to have accented pills
of aconite & belladonna which she says she takes daily &
counteract this poison - Imputes most of these
plots tricks & conspiracies to the Freemasons, this
idea being evidently set in train by a rebel RC
pamphlet against Freemasonry which she diligently
reads & lends to others. She can however converse
reasonably on ordinary topics & her conduct with the
exception of some slight eccentricities of dress, arrange-
ment of her room is rational. Her delirium is good
These periods of most marked delirium coincide with
the monthly periods. R.C.D.

Sept: 19. Less excited, restless, late - now silent &
nurse - retains her delirious which are of the
same character as those above. Phys: health
good - R.C.D.

Oct: 30 Today complaining of earache, her ears were
examined - both meatus were found filled with
decaying & misshapen hard, bits of rag, sponge &c
these were removed & the cavities have been
sponged out - much foul discharge being removed
R.C.D.

Nov: 4. Ears syringed daily & the discharge has now
ceased R.C.D.

Jan: 6. 1900 Has lately been very full of her delirious &
suspicion - stating that she is poisoned, is
kept awake & tormented by emissaries of
Satan, the mid: sup: &c - see annexed letter
In bed Jan: 2-4 with a slight attack of
influenza - now quite convalescent R.C.D.

March 28. Menopause apparently beginning (aged 47) R.C.D.
Continues to have numerous delirious &
visions agency, forcing her to be tormented with

Phys: health
R.C.D.
y to Burgess



April 19

Dear Sir -

They are poisoning
me - Please do not let
me die here -

Wishing you a
Merry Xmas and a
Happy new Year

Believe me
Yours truly
Catherine Masore

19. 1900

Had the procia recy be
recovered - I ask to be
catheterized - that is what I
want, nothing else -

not hardly round her head under an old grey felt
"keep off this electricity" - thinks that poison is put
in her food & was yesterday found to have occurred
of acute belladonna which she says she takes to
counteract this poison - Imputes most of the
"plot tricks & conspiracies" to the Freemasons, &
this being evidently set on train by a rebel RC
pamphlet against Freemasonry which she diligently
reads & lends to others. She can however converse
reasonably on ordinary topics & her conduct with
exception of some slight eccentricities of dress, ap-
parently her reason is rational. Her delirium is
these periods of most marked delirium coincide
with the monthly periods.

Sept: 19. Less excited & restless, but - now silent &
morose - retains her delusions which are of
same character as those above - Phys: health
good - R.C.

Oct: 30 Today complaining of earache, her ears were
examined - both meatus were found filled
decaying & mouldered head, bits of rag, sponge
these were removed & the carotid has been
syringed out - much foul discharge being
Nov: 4. Ears syringed daily & the discharge has
ceased R.

Jan: 6. 1900 Has lately been very full of her delusions
suspicion - stating that she is poisoned,
kept awake & tormented by emissaries of
Satan & the Med: Sup: &c - see annexed list
Last in last Jan: 2-4 with a slight attack of
influenza - now quite convalescent R.C.
menstruation apparently beginning (aged 47) R.C.
continues to have numerous delusions
which are of the same nature as to be tormented

the hallucinations of hearing - Phys: health
good - catamenia regular - R.C.
April 19 Was transferred yesterday to Burgess
Hill - Sussex.

Discharged April 19. 1900

2074

Emily Slack married

Ad. Feb. 11th 1899.
R.O. 10 Feb. 99.
C.M.B. 13 " "

aged 70 years (looks about 50), of no occupation. Church of England.
of 13 Oxford Road, Gunnersbury, Chiswick.
First attack: of twenty-one days duration.
Age on first attack 70 years.

Supposed cause, mental anxiety induced by conduct of second son. Not previously treated. Not E. S. or D.

Certificate.

Very dejected & constantly stating that she is ruined & entirely without means of securing the necessaries of life. Very restless & occasionally excited. Her nurse says she wrings her hands in despair & throws herself on the bed in a state of desperation.

(Signed) Frederic Chas. Dodson M.D. L.R.C.P. Lond. et. Inglede. Hm. Gunnersbury W. 10th Feb. 1899.

2nd Certificate.

Corroborate & adds "controlling herself with difficulty." (Comm.) She labours under delusions & is suspicious of everyone. Wth almost starve herself to save expense being under the delusion that she is destitute.

(Signed) Henry Disney M.D. 10th Feb. 1899. 6 Bath Road. Bedford Park.

Fam. Hist.

M^{rs} says father & cousin have been insane. P^t says her mother was very strong & young for her age. She says her parents are dead & she has no brothers or sisters.

Pres. Hist.

Says she has had no serious illnesses - Not much disturbance at menopause. 8 years ago suffered from "pressure on the womb on the right side due to pressure of the bowels." Improves on the use of iron & steel articles by

M^r Bader who "said something about the tearduct and the nerve being affected."

Gallard II Hgt. Wght. 8. 9

Condition on Admission

Physical Looks young, walks slowly but holds herself very erect. Thin but not emaciated. Skin dark & rough on the back between the shoulders. Hair smooth; dark brown mixed with grey. Wrinkles forehead constantly both horizontally & vertically. Eyes rather staring. Pupils equal. Tongue slightly furred at back. Pulse 96, rather jerky. A few rhonchi at the apices in front. Breathes fast & irregularly when excited. Conjunctivae rather yellow: lids not felt. Kneejerk present, ? slightly exaggerated. Complains of vulvar irritation. Noth^{ing} visible. Urine leaves a red sediment. 1022. acid. no albumen. Appetite fair. B.N.O.

Mental: ^{onememental} P^t shows interest in a conversation, but breaks off very often with sighs of "Oh dear" & complaints of distress of mind. She clasps her forehead & chest, & her hands are perpetually moving about. Says she has many troubles, mentions money troubles: & allusion to her son about her son, says she knew

his whereabouts but does not want to enter into the matter. Says she has never been a good churchwoman & has been upset in mind lately by "free thinking theological holes." Says the only time she has peace is when she is asleep -

Feb. 22nd - Seems brighter. Does not enter into

conversation spontaneously, but will answer, even cheerfully, when spoken to. (p. 5) M.T. Christie

3 March

P^r says she is feeling more cheerful since she has been here. Is quiet & less restless than before. Eats fairly & sleeps pretty well. Ebb

10 March -

Slightly depressed. Appetite very poor. Quiet. Rarely lathes. R.C.D.

20th March -

Continues unchanged. Appetite poor. Sleeps fairly well.

April 7 -

Quiet & somewhat morose. but is somewhat more cheerful than she was - she is easily upset by trifles & is somewhat emotionally unstable - Phys health fair R.C.D.

May 3 -

Slowly improving but is still depressed & somewhat morose - rarely volunteers remarks of her own accord, though she answers questions & remarks directly addressed to her. Appetite somewhat improved - sleeping rather better. R.C.D.

May 22 -

Quiet & reserved but is somewhat more sociable than she was - occupies herself well & is less easily upset by trifles. States that she feels much better than she did. R.C.D.

Aug. 22

P^r has steadily improved since the last note - is fairly sociable - occupies herself well & has a certain amount of quiet fun - she is easily upset by trifles & became very nervous at the idea of going by train. (p. 6) M.T. Christie

2073.

Eliza Kate Hitchcock. aged 41. Single.

Ad. Feb. 11th 1899.
R.O. dated 3 Aug. 1898
C. in L. 13 Feb. 1899.

(Transfer)

1st Certificate.

of no occupation - Church of England,
of 96 Holland Road, N.W.
First attack. of one week's duration.
Cause not known. Not E.D. or (so far
as is known) S.

Says she is in constant communication
with the Almighty who directs her to take
poison & annoy her nurse. Threatens to
take poison. (Comm^o) Believes she
is going to be married to an unknown man,
has bought her trousseau.

(Signed) George H. Grenfield, L.R.C.P.
3rd Aug. 1898 6 Albert Terrace. Regents Park.

2nd Certif.

Found pt. partly dressed lying on floor of w.c.
room & refusing to come out. She stated
that she had received a message from
god - Her brother said she declared
she had been made the subject of miracles,
& that she was constantly hearing voices
urging her to do this or that -

(Signed) W.A. Turner, M.D., F.R.C.P.
13 Queen Anne Street
Cavendish Sq., W.

From Hist
Pres. Hist.

Paternal grandmother insane -
Admitted into house of Dr. Hicks, Hendon
Grove on Aug. 11th '88 & transferred here on
Feb. 11th '99. Said to have been very
troublesome there, upsetting all the other
patients - Right leg "paralysed" after several years' sword
wounds.

Gallens III

Left

Wght. 8. 6/8

Condition on Admission

Physical. Thin, Sallow; careful of dress & appearance -
Heart tumultuous. A.B. difficult to localise but
apparently not outside nipple. Epispadic pulsation.
Right leg shorter, colder, & smaller than left. Foot
everted. Sens^o unimpaired. Kneejerk absent
on right, ? absent on left. Walks with help of stick -
Catamenia regular & painless. "Upsets her nervously."

Mental. Very ill-tempered. Abusive to & of her
doctors and nurses, but the abuse is of a
witty & coherent character. Can be interested in
a conversation & quite lose sight of herself &
her own interests for as long as half an hour -
Memory good - Can play the piano well -
Interested herself in books - Thumps on the
door of her room at night on pretext
of wanting trifles - Has not so far
(Feb. 16th) spoken of hearing voices or of any
religious matters such as are mentioned in
her Certificate. Very fond of punning - Says
she has studied figure-painting at the Academy.
Sang before the rest in Chapel & when
asked the reason said she heard some
one telling her to do so (nurse's report) Told
me she did it in order to be taken out
of Chapel. Thumps loudly on her door
at night with various excuses, wants
milk etc. Very discontented - very rude.
When she likes can be sweet tempered - polite.
Sleeping better.

Feb. 22nd

2nd March

Has been quieter at night & no longer bangs
door.

fault with everything around her & makes
ridiculous & impertinent remarks about her nurses
& medical attendants. Has a very bitter
feeling against her brothers, who, she
says, have put her here, to get rid of her as
she is perfectly sane - denies that she hears
voices & expresses great indignation at the
suggestion. Sleeping better - walks a great
deal but does little when in the house. S.P.D.

March 9th

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Continues unchanged. S.P.D.

April 7-

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Is somewhat less cantankerous, unreasonable
& rude than she was - but is very variable.
Is out whenever the weather is at all suitable
but occupies herself little. R.C.D.

May 3-

8012

On the whole is less irritable & unreasonable
than she was but is easily upset by trifles &
then is utterly unreasonable & most insolent
to patients medical officers & nurses - annoys
the other ladies attends beyond endurance, by
insulting remarks & insolent behaviour. R.C.D.
attends complains of dyspepsia but utterly
declines treatment, refusing to take medicine
sent to her or to pay any regard to her diet. R.C.D.

June 15.

8012

Has continued as above - restless unscrupulous
& intensely rude to every one - full of enmity
& unfounded complaints against every one &
everything - Was today transferred to private care

2076

Fanny Ellen Wilson. Married.

Ad. Feb. 16th 1899. aged 42 - till 1892 successfully managed a mantle factory. Church of England
R.O. Dec: 17. 99
Cin. L. Feb: 17. 99

Previous abode Harrowside, Dean Road, Godalming.
First attack: about 2 years duration, but only recently recognised. No known cause, except approaching menopause - Previously treated by "Dr. Smithy Colchester" from 3rd to 10th Feb. Not E. or D. but ? Suicidal.

1st Certificate.

Very nervous & excitable, careless about everything, cannot fix attention, states she is always in pain, at times very despondent - (Comm) Has no idea of cleanliness, house dreadfully neglected. Says she is tired of life.

(Signed) William Parson.

16th Feb. 1899. 17 High St., Godalming.

2nd Certificate

corroborates & adds; - constantly hears voices saying "Duke, Duke.", "Shop, shop.":

Says her brain is a photographic machine with constantly passing pictures.

After a sustained conversation, became incoherent, complains of great pain in her head. (Comm) will not move from one place without being led, has not slept for many nights.

(Signed) Arthur Joshua Newman. M.B.S., D.S.D. Godalming.

Fam. hist.

Her husband's relation states that her younger brother was in an asylum for 12 months, & her grandfather was in an asylum for 12 months.

Pres. hist.

Was a capable business woman till 1892. No serious illness. No stillborn or miscarriages.

At one time had regular frequent periods, but not so of late - Has had no strain on her. About 2 years ago became worried, sleepless, & prone to crying, would neither work nor [redacted] Said she never slept. Head

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Distance between centre of pupils (A to B) 63 mm.
Height of Nose 62 mm.
How much should bridge be thrown forward. 1/4 inch
How much should glasses be thrown forward to clear eye-lashes.

Remarks: Ruled gold straight rods from frame
Signature: J. H. [redacted]

Date 12/1/10

2nd March.

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Distance between centre of pupils (A to B): 63 mm

Height of nose: 6 mm

How much should bridge be thrown forward: flush

How much should glasses be thrown forward to clear eye-lashes: [redacted]

Remarks: Spectacles (waxed gold)

Signature: [redacted]

Date: 9/2/23

2nd Certificate

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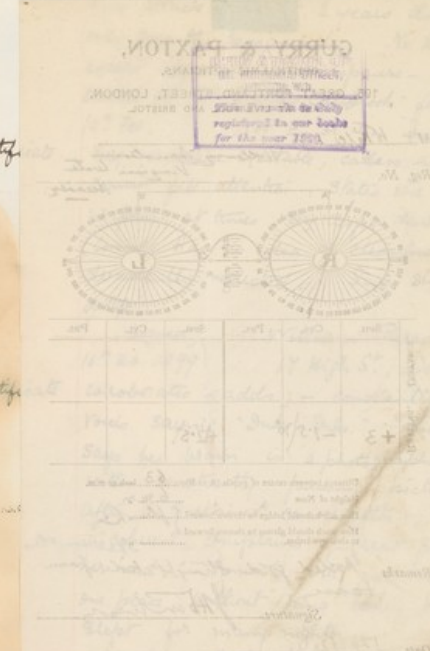
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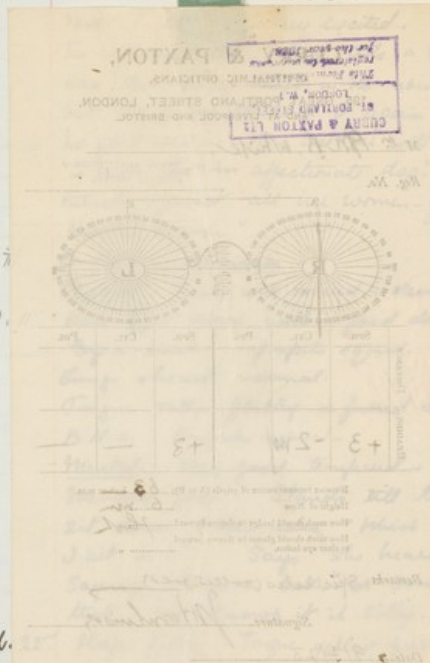
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Gallery III
11/11/99
10 Feb. 9. 11.

Condition on Admission.
Physical. Fairly well covered & developed. Hair light brown with a good deal of grey. Eyes brown. Pupils equal. Throat & chest normal. Tongue rather glabrous & furred at base. B.N.O. Reflexes normal.
Mental. Very good. Tempered & polite. Memory good. Stands till told to sit down & then asks "Which chair shall I sit in?" Says she hears voices saying "Duke - cat." or something like that, but "knows it is silly."

Feb. 22nd Sleeps fairly. Tongue yellow fur - slight diarrhoea.

2nd March. Mildly depressed - quite unoccupied during the day - emotionally unstable - Talks fairly coherently & coherently but her replies are rather slow - Memory appears very deficient & C.D. Continues unchained - E.W.
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Does a little work at times - memory still deficient - R.C.D.

March 30- 9011 Very weak-minded & silly with deficient memory but is fairly cheerful & occupies herself to some extent. R.C.D.

April 20. 9012 Is less automatic than she was but her memory is much impaired & she shows marked confusion of mind - R.C.D.

May 3- 9019 Has brightened up to some extent & now occupies herself fairly under supervision but is very childish & facile - can answer simple questions but is incapable of conversation, usually smiling blandly at everyone near her - memory very poor. R.C.D.



Taken 26. II. 99. R.C.B. T.H.T.

June 2- 9019 Can now enter into a short conversation on simple topics but is very weak-minded & facile - occupies herself to some extent under supervision, but is very dreamy & confused with markedly impaired memory. Physio health good - R.C.D.

July 12. Is weak-minded & facile but is less confused than she was & her memory is a little better - gradually went on here R.C.D.

Oct. 3 Was today discharged from here - said to be going well.

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes in cursive script, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

2075.

Annie Wood, married. 35 years. of no occupation - Pres. address Bishopscleeve S. Devon - Church of England - Not first attack - age on 1st attack about 22 years - duration one week - Supposed cause, work - Mrs from nursing baby - Pursonal treated here Oct/95 to Feb./96.

1st Certif:

She is in a state of melancholia & has ideas of unworthiness - Her appearance is one of misery. Mental reaction is slow & it is difficult to get answers from her. She is very unhappy & believes she is no longer of any use to her family & has injured them - she refuses her food on this account. (cont?) She is getting rapidly worse - that she is unoccupied & has to be fed & is entirely altered from her former self.

2nd Certif:

(Signed) William Washam Ployer of Exham. Surrey corroborates. (Signed) Robert Nuthall of Priestwood - Bracknell - Bucks. 7. Feb. 99.

Fam. Hist? Pres. Hist?

was treated here from 10 Oct/95 to 10 Feb./96 for a similar attack - (see VIII - 429). continues well till about 3 hrs ago. In Oct/98 was confined - nursed child up till 29 Jan (a thing she has never previously done). For the last 15 hrs she has given up eating meat & has been down considerably, physically - expression became more troubled about Jan 26th. Sleeps badly.

Gallery III

Condition on Admission

Physical - Pt is good height. well developed thin & anaemic - light brown hair - Eyes hazel in colour - pupils equal. React to L. & A. Tongue furred. Mucous membranes anaemic. 19th food. Lungs Normal poor - Note flattened at both apices. B.S. weak. No Br & Br. Heart. H.A.B. in 5th space 1" within N.C. rather difficult to localize. Sound regular, but feeble & low. Abdomen No tenderness. Some tenes - cough which has increased much since admission. Knee jerks, increased. Urine 10.22. ac: dim - m.o.s.: trace of indican. Calamena - no return since pregnancy. formerly regular. Bowels very constipated.

Mental Pt looks depressed & melancholy. is quite unoccupied & spends the most part of the day walking slowly up & down the Gallery. takes no interest in her surroundings - will answer questions, but takes a long time to reply & after one or two answers says "she is of no use in the world or to her family & never will be again": & that it is of no use her coming here as "she can never be better". Takes food badly requiring feeding with spoon - is very restless at night. getting out of bed constantly. Requires usual assistance in

her dressing etc. S.C.B.
 22nd Feb. 99 P^t continues in the same condition S.C.B.
 1st March - P^t still very depressed - no improvement in eating or sleeping - B's still continues very constipated. S.C.B.
 9 March. Still eats very badly requiring feeding with a spoon. Still very depressed. S.C.B.
 20th March. Remains unchanged. Was fed on one occasion with livers as she refused all food - since then has eaten rather better. Still repeats whenever spoken to, that "she can never get better than she is now unless she goes home now. She never will be able to do so. Quite unoccupied - B's constipated. E.W.
 April 10. Is improving - taking her food better, though still very confused & depressed, is less so than she was - occupies herself a little under supervision & is sleeping better. Has been moved to N° 6. R.C.D.
 May 3. Improving on the whole, but is somewhat variable - taking food fairly well under protest but is still restless, wandering aimlessly about the gallery repeating "I shall never get better - if I don't go home now I shall never get home" - occupies herself to some extent under supervision. Is somewhat less depressed & her physical health has much improved - she is gaining flesh & is much less anaemic than she was. R.C.D.
 May 7. Taking food very badly & rather more restless R.C.D.
 May 22. Taking food better again & occupies herself a little under supervision - but on being left herself still sits with unoccupied with hands folded in lap, murmuring "I shall never get better", or roams restlessly & aimlessly about the gallery, rubbing her hands. R.C.D.

June 21
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June 18, 99

On the whole is slowly improving - she is taking food fairly though only under protest. She is less confused, occupies herself more & is taking some interest in her surroundings. She is less restless, though she still frequently repeats "oh I shall go home - I shall never get any different" etc, she enters more readily into conversation on ordinary topics. Phys: health improving - she is less anaemic, constipated - amenorrhoea continues. Has brightened up to some extent, sits down more, occupies herself voluntarily to some extent, & takes faint interest in her surroundings. Delirious remaining very persistent, in spite of the improvement in her general health, a P.V. examⁿ was made yesterday - the uterus was found to be bulky, so patient with "granular" and the ripid, & the uterine markedly retroverted - it was replaced by Schuitzer's method. R.C.D.
 July 5. To very confused, with marked loss of initiative & power of decision - states that she feels "half asleep" & cannot wake up. Phys: health fair but is somewhat anaemic still & the amenorrhoea persists. R.C.D.
 Sept: 19. Has been more depressed the last 2 or 3 days, this afternoon while out for a walk she lagged behind & hid behind some bushes near a level crossing - consequently today she has been put upon a suicidal caution. R.C.D.
 Dec: 12. Has brightened up to some extent but is still taking food badly & has gone to N° 3 R.C.D.
 Nov: 14. Is somewhat better - rather less depressed but
 Dec: 6. Is somewhat better - rather less depressed but

is very anergic, automatic with little power of decision or of initiative. The constrictions of anæmia are markedly less & she has been taking food & sleeping better of late. Was today transferred to Warriford House Oxford - is hoped that a change might be of benefit.

Discharged Dec 5.99

Lelia Douglas Hoald. (cont. 262)

- Jan. 4. 1900. Pt can see and can walk. 7th. 5th. She is very dirty, and is noisy at times. She had not had any fits (convulsions) yet.
- March 14. 7⁰⁰ She has become much worse of late - she has now in bed - last night temp rose to 102° & she became comatose & spindled severely - no further convulsions.
- March 16. Still in bed - Temp: about 100° - no further convulsions. complains at times of right vertical headache - is swallowing badly. There are large rales in the lungs.
- March 18. Moribund - is swallowing very badly & there is marked hypostatic congestion of the bases of the lungs.
- March 20. Yesterday breathing was at times very shallow & embarrassed - swallowing very bad - sick at times - Temp: only 96°. About 6pm had a slight convulsive attack ^{slight} affecting right side of face - & she died this morning at 5.30am in presence of reporter - certified cause of death: G.P.I

Died March 20.03

2079.

Eleanor Castle married. 42 years.
Church of England - Previous address 28 Albany
Villas, Hove, Sussex - 2nd attack of fourth
R.O. 28 Feb. * 7 day duration - Supposed cause. Change of
life & stimulants - Resp on 1st attack 41.
Never previous by history. Not E. S. or D.

As³ 1 March 99
R.O. 28 Feb.
c. b. 2 March

1st Certif:

Eleanor Castle says that the neighbors at
28 Albany Villas turn the Röntgen rays on her &
hear thereby scalded her wrists: that she
heard them say that they would raise a clot
on the top of her brain by it that she sees on
the wall of her room the mark of the pen-
etration of the rays. (cont^d) that she opened
the window in the middle of the night & blew
a police whistle: that she heard drunk that
the Röntgen rays may not poison it -

(signed) Edward Travers
28 Feb. 99. 2 The Drive - Hove, Sussex

2nd Certif:

Corroborates -
(signed) Charles Board Richardson
28 Feb. 99. 2 Trinity Road - Hove, Sussex.

fam. Hist:

Said to be ill - One sister known to drink to
cesses -

Pres. Hist:

Two children - 3 mischievous -
16-18 yrs ago went for a voyage to Australia on account
of being "insane" - was then given hypodermic injection
of morphia on account of sea-sickness & is believed to
have continued the habit since & also to have
taken spirits to excess - tho' the evidence on these
points is not very conclusive - Of late has been
very excitable & exceedingly irritable -

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Condition on Admission - Physical.

It is fairly well developed, facial well
nourished - iris over malar bones
somewhat dilated - Sons hair of
facial muscles - Bronch on the external
surfaces of both legs & on l. forearm -
Tongue, furred, flabby & tremulous -
Taste, fair - Eyes - pupils equal
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Heart. A.A.B. 5th space 1/2" size 55 N.B.
A.C.D. not increased to R. of sternum - No
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Urine - clear rather dark in colour. 1020
slight cloud of albumen - no blood - no uric
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reflex normal - Some oedema of
both ankles -

Catamenia reg. - but the last few months
has been more profuse than formerly -
Along inner side of thighs & legs on
both sides is a dry eczema along heels
also slightly on wrists & forearms -

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Gallery 7

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Condition on Admission - Physical.

Rt is pinker with developed, facial well
nourished - teeth over incisors bones
somewhat dilated - Some atrophy of
facial muscles - Bruises on the exterior
surfaces of both legs & on l. forearm -
Tongue, furred, flabby & tremulous -
Teeth, fair - Eyes - pupils equal

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Mental - P.C. can talk coherently tho' after a few remarks, returns to her delusions which are numerous. She states that her next door neighbour has been in the habit for some weeks of turning on the X-rays from his ^{blacked} window into her room & on to herself & that the rash on her legs has been caused in this manner. That she can always tell when this happens by a tingling sensation in various parts of her body. That she is afraid he has followed her last as during last night she experienced this sensation - tho' she has not as yet seen him - She also states that she has at times seen the light caused by these rays -

Her manners appears unimpaired. She is rather fretful - sleeps badly - does not little during the day & is inclined to be rather fussy -

Delusions still persist markedly. Complaints of pain in various parts of the body due to the action of the rays - p. has rashes at night - Pats well. ^{Order of symptoms} _{SPD}
Has been quieter both by day & night. Refuses to talk to her delusions about the X-rays. On two occasions has been very excited in the evening because she says her son is in the building & is not allowed to see her - Sleeping better -

Appetite very poor - Oedema of legs has appeared. E.C.B.
Sleeping better. Appetite not good. Unconquered & rather restless tho' less so than she was. Speaks less of her delusions

March 31 - Still troublesome about food & it is difficult

9th March

17th March
Gallery I

23 March -
905 1/2

March 31 -

together to take sufficient - still restless
She is becoming more reticent about her delusion as to the X-rays - R.C.D.

April 29.
905 3 On the whole, has improved - she is less restless & occupies herself more, & is taking food fairly well - yesterday she was very full of her delusions, stating that the X-rays kept passing before her eyes in bright flashes & that the rays scorched her face - R.C.D.

May 18.
Gallery I Improvement maintained - but she retains her delusions & is very full of unreasonable requests & complaints of a very trivial nature - moved to Gallery I

June 8.
805 1/2 Has considerably improved - but is still restless though she now occupies herself very fairly - somewhat quarrelsome with the other ladies & though she is reticent about the X-rays, has numerous ideas of suspicion. Physicists improved - dyspepsia less - there is now rarely any albumen - catamenia regular - R.C.D.

June 30.
Gallery I Is more restless - today refused to get up or to dress, had to be forcibly dressed - is very capricious & seditious
805 10 has many ideas of suspicion - R.C.D.

July 12
805 8 So full of ideas of suspicion & is continually making trivial complaints which are founded on investigations to be groundless - she makes many wild statements about her health & states that she has "an awful tearing cough" when she is known not to cough, & has chest disease - states that she has had complete cataplexy for "many days" when there is evidence to the contrary & many other statements more or less self contradictory R.C.D.

Sept 19
805 1/2 Restless & suspicious; continually making unfounded complaints - after very troublesome

her in from the grounds - only occupies herself under supervision. She retains her delusions about the X rays & has numerous ideas of suspicion e.g. states that the letters she receives from her husband must be tampered with, as they "are not letters and no gentleman would write but are like a commercial traveller's", & thinks consequently that the Med. Staff opens her letters & substitutes others in a forged hand writing. Phys: health good - dyspepsia much improved of late under treatment. R.C.D.

Nov: 20 Delusions of late more marked - is continually talking about a baby whom she declares is imprisoned & ill treated here, whom she says she hears crying miserably (this is no baby - new) most resistant & irritable. R.C.D.

Dec: 19 Went yesterday to Harville - behaving very badly on the journey making appeals to police passengers etc. Before going complained of palpitation & "sharp pain" in heart. This was examined - then complained of her lungs, these were examined - said these were all right & pain was all nerves - on suggesting she should not travel, at once said she was quite well. R.C.D.

May 9 - 1900 Has continued at Harville since last note. was today transferred to West Melting Place.

Discharged May 21 1900

2081

Ad. 3 March 99
P.O. 1 " "
Cub. 4 " "

Emma Howard Brough - widow.
aged years Protestant - Previous address
Cranleigh Surrey - First attack of about
2 months duration - causes drink -
Not E. or S. Has thrown things at her
Nurses -

1st Certif:

Emma Howard Brough informs me that
snakes often come to England from India
in order to go with women - and that in
India such things commonly happen -
she tells me that she had a snake herself
in bed with her last night (com?) that
Emma Howard Brough frequently tells her that
she has snakes in bed with her, & that
she is going to be molested by men & tells her
that the doctor must be sent for as she
is about to be delivered of a child -

(signed) Charles John Sells

1 March 99. White Hall - Cranleigh

2nd Certif:

Has very scalded ideas of her own impor-
-tance & wealth - Tells me she has just been
confused. Says she is not in her own house -
A week ago she told me she had murdered
her child - (com?) that Mr. Brough informed
her this morning that the little boy was
both drowned & the result is they have
got scarlet fever -

(signed) A. Arthur Napier

28 Feb. 99. Cranleigh Surrey -

Fam. Hist.
Pro. Hist.

Said to be wit.
Married & lived in India for about 10 years.
Widow for 5 years - since which time she has lived
in England - 14 years - How apt delirious.

Both children said "thou art brought away
at 7th month? Offered from twice - once in England
once in India - for the last 5 years has been
drinking freely principally spirits -
Has been under the care of a nurse for 8 weeks.
During which time she has had constant vom-
-iting - eating badly - sleeping fairly well.

Gallery VIII

Height
Weight

Condition on Admission

Physical. 19th is a small slight woman;
poorly nourished - Complexion sallow -
Mucous membranes anæmic. Tongue red
& raw looking - band of white fur in the
mid-line - Gums spongy & bleeding - Teeth
loose carious & covered with much tartar.
Eyes - pupils equal - rather small -
react to L. & A.
Snuff - Supra & infra-orbicular fossae both
very marked. Note at apex flattened on both
sides - B.S. very weak -
Heart - H.A.B. in 5th space - 1st inter N.L.
Sounds feeble - regular. No murmurs detected -
Pulse 76. soft - regular -
Abdomen - liver dullness - 6th rib - hot felt below
C.M. no tenderness on palpation -
Catamenia regular. last m.p. a week ago -
leucis.

Mental. P^t has rather a vacant expression. Is able to answer a few simple questions - but unable to sustain a conversation for any length of time. Cannot give the day of week or month correctly - but knows when she came here. Power of attention very slight. Memory much impaired - Says she constantly sees shadows about her room & in her bed.

10 March. Still takes her food very badly - Sleeps fairly. She is still very incoherent & rambling in conversation. E.M.B.

17 March. Improves. Taking food better - Condition of mouth improved. Her mind still very much impaired. Sleeps fairly. Is at times excited & will tear down curtains so in her room. E.M.B. Continues much the same.

23 March. April 1 - 6055 Continues to improve - her memory is better, though still poor she says that she feels much less confused than she did. She does not now see the snakes above mentioned but has developed various delusions of suspicion - she states that the charge nurse of her gallery carries pistols about in her pocket, & conspires to put poison in her food - & she often complains of guns being fired, & of people trying to get into the room (& aural hallucinations).

April 26. Physically she is stronger & is less deaf. R.C.D. Improvement is maintained - P^t now readily enters into conversation & usually now laughs at the delusions mentioned above & she fully owns to have had - however these all reappear although in a less marked form if she becomes still excited. R.C.D.

May 3 - 6053 Improvement maintained & the relapses are much less frequent. Memory improving but still impaired - she is now fairly cheerful in a quiet way & occupies herself well during the day.

May 22 - 6054
Cherif
Gallery
mem
A. R. H.
Prince Edward of York.
Will your Royal Highness do what you can to have A. R. M. The Queen's orders put right for she has told Lord Walter

June 8. 6054 1/2

June 12. Taken June 8. 99 regular tendency to melancholia after a visit from her mother. Has been distinctly worse the last 2 or 3 days. Conversation very rambling - & she is restless & unoccupied & full of wild plans. Today has written the annexed letters to the Queen & Princess of Wales asking them to help her. R.C.D.

June 16. No fixed delusions - today told reports that she was

Mental. P^t has rather a vacant expression. Is able to answer a few simple questions - but unable to sustain a conversation for any length of time. Cannot give the day of week or month correctly - but knows when the same has. Power of attention very slight & much impaired - Says she converses about her room & in her

8 March.

Still takes her food very badly - SC She is still very incoherent & cannot converse.

17 March

Improves. Taking food better - Con month improved. Memory still impaired. Sleeps fairly. Is at her & will lie down. Continues so in her Continues much the same.

23 March.

April 1-

6055

Continues to improve - her memory better, though still poor she can feel much less confused than she does not now see the snakes about but has developed various delusions she states that the charge nurse carries pistols about in her pockets to put poison in her food - complains of guns being fired & of people trying to get into the room (aural hallucinations)

April 26.

Physically she is stronger & is less deaf. RCD. Improvement is maintained - P^t now readily entering into conversation & usually now laughs at the delusions mentioned above as she fully owns to have had - however these all reappear although in a less marked form if she becomes still. RCD

From reading you a photo of my little
my Harry in his blue suit. It is very pretty
& I have ordered him, into
Harris & Wicksington's open. his own
Auntie Ada. Feb. 11
I am your humble
subject
Eranice.

May 3-
6-53

Improvement maintained & the relapses are much less frequent. memory improving but still impaired - she is now fairly cheerful in a quiet way & occupies herself well - is out much of the

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my friends
will be put
into Newgate
prison if they
come for me to I am
now writing to Popriator
of Barley Mow Hotel
Engfield Common
to bring a carriage & pair
here for me at 1 o'clock -

June 12.

Taken 5 June 8.99 regular tendency to muttering RCD. after a visit from her mother. Also been distinctly worse the last 2 or 3 days. Conversation very rambling - & she is restless & unoccupied & full of wild plans. Today has written the annexed letters to the Queen & Princess of Wales asking them to help her. RCD.

June 16.

Is full of delusions - today told reports that she was

Mental. P has rather a vacant expression. Is able to answer a few simple questions - but unable to sustain a conversation for any length of time. Cannot give the day of week or month correctly - but knows when she came here. Power of attention very slight. Memory much impaired - Says she constantly sees snakes about her room & in her bed.

10 March. Still takes her food very badly - Sleeps fairly. She is still very incoherent & rambling in conversation. E.M.D.

17 March. Improved. Taking food better - Condition of mouth improved. Memory still very impaired. Sleeps fairly. Is at times excited & will tear down curtains so in her room. E.M.D.

23 March. Continues much the same. E.M.D.

April 1. Continues to improve - her memory is better, though still poor she says that she feels much less confused than she did. She does not now see the snakes above-mentioned but has developed various delusions of suspicion. She states that the charge nurse of her gallery carries pistols about in her pocket, & conspires to put poison in her food & she often complains of guns being fired, & of people trying to get into the room (aural hallucinations). Physically she is stronger & is less deaf. R.C.D.

April 26. Improvement is maintained - P now readily enters into conversation & usually now laughs at the delusions mentioned above as she fully owns to have had - however these all reappear although in a less marked form if she becomes excited. R.C.D.

May 3. Improvement maintained & the relapses are much less frequent. Memory improving but still impaired - she now is now fairly cheerful in a quiet way.

6-53
that he and my friends will be put into Newgate prison if they come for me to save me from being wired to Poplar & Brixton House Hotel. I am field labourer & to bring a carriage of pain here for me at 10 o'clock.

6-55
Call for them at Newway Hotel. E. Lewis Heath.

I am sending you a photo of my little boy Harry in his Eton suit. It is very nice & I have ordered him into Hoares & Michelson again. His own Auntie Ada. Froh it.
I am your humble Subject E. Romie.

the annexed letters to the Queen & Princess of Wales asking them to help her - R.C.D.
Is full of delusions today. Tell reporter that she was

Mental. Pt has rather a vacant expression - Is able to answer a few simple questions - but unable to sustain a conversation for any length of time - Cannot give the day of week or month correctly - but knows when she can bed. Power of attention very slight. Memory much impaired - Says she constantly sees snakes about her room & in her bed.

10 March. Still takes her food very badly - Sleeps fairly. She is still very incoherent & rambling in conversation. E.M.

17 March. Improved. Taking food better - Condition of mouth improved. Memory still very impaired. Sleeps fairly. Is at her bedside & will lean down - curtains so in her room. Continues much the same. E.M.

23 March. April 1. 6055
Continues to improve - her memory is better, though still poor she says that she feels much less confused than she did - & does not now see the snakes above-mentioned but has developed various delusions of a new kind - eg she states that the charge nurse of her ward carries pistols about in her pocket, & tries to put poison in her food & she complains of guns being fired & of people trying to get into the room (a usual hallucination). Physically she is stronger & is less deaf.

April 26. Improvement is maintained - Pt now enters into conversation & usually no longer at the delusions mentioned above - she fully owns to have had - however all disappear although in a less marked way if she becomes still in bed.

May 3- 6053
Improvement maintained & the relapses are much less frequent - memory improving but still impaired - she is now fairly cheerful in a quiet way & occupies herself well - is out much of the day. R.C.

May 22- 6054
Cheerful & occupied though quiet & reserved - memory improving - Goes to all the extra treatments &c & takes interest in her surroundings - Has had no return of the delusions or hallucinations - She is still somewhat confused & as she herself expresses it, "easily gets muddled" - Physical health improving - putting on flesh - Went to gallery II on May 6. R.C.

June 8. 6055 1/2
She is fairly cheerful though somewhat variable & is easily upset by trifles - memory still impaired & there is still much confusion of mind - She seems to have lost her definite delusion of persecution but is still apt to think "people are all against her" & to make grievances out of nothing - cannot realize her position well - Phys. health improving - attention

June 12. Taken 5 and 9.99 regular tendency to muttering R.C. after a visit from her mother. Has been distinctly worse the last 2 or 3 days.

June 16- 6056
Conversation very rambling - & she is restless & unoccupied & full of wild plans. Today has written the annexed letters to the Queen & Princess of Wales asking them to help her. R.C.

June 16- 6056
Is full of delusions - today told reporter that she was

found that she was not engaged to him, full of grandiose ideas - very restless. RCD

June 26. Delusions are more marked - states that she is going to marry Sir Charles Warden - that she has written to the Queen to enquire into the case, & expects to come here personally to do so. says she is a spiritist & can read all people's thoughts even at a distance. has numerous hallucinations of hearing - is almost incontinent - very constipated - given aperient. She is very hypochondriacal & her statements about her health are not to be believed - says she states that she lost a teaspoonful of blood when the nurse who gave her the enema says the motion was not even streaked with blood - RCD.

June 28. So very restless & is full of her delusions, though apparently acted. She packed her box this morning, and sent out several telegrams like the annexed - viz. stated that the Queen was coming for her, & that she was at once to be married to "Lord James Walker, the station master at Egham" - received annexed telegram - became very excited on being told she could not leave - was sent to No. VII RCD.

Aug: 9. Continues full of delusions - is very contented, complaining of absence - (see annexed letter) continues sending off letters & telegrams like the annexed. RCD.

Sept: 5. Delusions of exaltation & of hypochondriasis are very marked - yesterday she told reports that she had been told by the Emp: to go at once down to the Villa to supersede the present motion & make the annexed forged letter for one of the Committee giving instructions to this effect. restless & unoccupied, except for this incessant writing of letters & telegrams. Phys: health improving - though she continues complaining of dysentery & hemorrhages for which there is not the slightest foundation RCD.

Jan: 9-1900 New full of delusions of exaltation & hypochondriasis

spends much of the day writing letters like the annexed - In new convalescent from a slight attack of influenza RCD.

March 28. Continues very full of her delusions (of exaltation & of hypochondriasis) occupies herself very little. lies on the sofa much.

Friday

Miss Kempsey's letter is to go to you in box 2 tonight tomorrow in to her own room if a letter is in her room she will her clothes are to be taken out her room at 6.30 is to be ready for her at 6.30 tonight and she is to go to it and be told you can have her things put on her bed & she will her left baggage taken in her own baggage & she is to have the key of it to be left open. Place ordered her account & bundle & her account & bundle for her baggage at 6.07. and you are to be good enough to see she has it and finally & I hope of 6.07 in her room for the night she is to hold the key of it & is not to have her door kept

July 20. Perfect Sunday

Sept: 6. 60

Dec: 60

March 1: 60

June 21. Continues weak-minded with many delusions of exaltation - is continually writing letters to her "husband, Lord James Walker", to the Lord Chancellor &c - is very hypochondriacal

delusions of exaltation - says: health fair but as she will not go out, she looks somewhat white - c. r. RCD.

delusions of exaltation - is continually writing letters to her "husband, Lord James Walker", to the Lord Chancellor &c - is very hypochondriacal RCD.

June 26. *delusions are more marked - states that she is in going to marry Sir Charles Warden - that she has written to the Queen to enquire into the case, expects her to come here personally to do so. says she is a spiritualist & can read all people's thoughts even at a distance. has numerous hallucinations & is almost very constipated - given aperient* RCD.
 She is very hypochondriacal & her statements about her own health are not to be believed - says she states that she lost 'a teaspoonful of blood' when the nurse who gave her the enema says the water was not even streaked with blood - RCD.

June 28. *is very restless & is full of her delusions, though appears fully acted - She packed her box this morning, and put some dozen telegrams like the annexed - insisted that the Queen was coming for her, & that she was at once to be married to Lord James Walker, the station master at Egham - received a telegram - became very excited on being told she could not leave - was sent to No. VII* RCD.

Aug: 9. *Continues full of delusions - is very contented with complaining & abusive - (see annexed letter) continues sending off letters & telegrams - like the annexed. RCD.*

Sept: 3. *Delusions of exaltation & of hypochondriasis are very marked - yesterday she told reports that she had been told by the Emp: to go at once down to Haslemere to supersede the present matter & meet the annexed forged letter from one of the Committee giving instructions to this effect. restless & unoccupied, except for this incessant writing of letters & telegrams. Phys: health improving - though she continually complains of dysentery & hemorrhages for which there is not the slightest foundation* RCD.

Jan: 9. 1900 *Very full of delusions of exaltation & hypochondriasis*

spends much of the day writing letters like the annexed - is now convalescent from a slight attack of influenza RCD.

March 28. *Continues very full of her delusions (of exaltation & of hypochondriasis) occupies herself very little, lies on the sofa much of the day. stating that she has children (no children at all) &c &c. Phys: health fair but she is not robust. cat: still regular.* RCD.

July 2. *Unaltered - retains her delusions & is very indolent & hypochondriacal - at times is excited & abusive - phys: health fair* RCD.

Sept: 24. *Has many delusions of exaltation & of hypochondriasis but is less often excited & abusive - Phys: health very fair - cat: still regular.* RCD.

Dec: 31. *Is very naughty & excited - styles herself the "Countess Lady Walker" & is full of delusions of exaltation - she is somewhat less indolent than she was & now occupies herself fairly well with fancy needlework. very hypochondriacal but is less often excited & is less abusive than she was - Phys: health very fair - though she is not robust. cat: still regular.* RCD.

March 19. 01. *Continues as on last note - with many delusions of exaltation - Phys: health fair but as she will not go out, she looks somewhat white - c.r.* RCD.

June 21. *Continues unaltered with many delusions of exaltation - is continually writing letters to her "husband, Lord James Walker", to the Lord Chancellor &c. is very hypochondriacal Phys: health fair - cat: still regular.* RCD.

2082.

Sarah Burgess, married. 35 years of no occupation - Church of England. previous address St. Cross. Mulpan R. (W. of) da. Not first attack - Ays on first attack about 32 years. Previously hospitalized at St. Henry's Hospital, Sussex. Not E. S. or D.

Ad. 4 Mar. 99
R.O. 4 " 99
Cin. 6 " 99

1st Certif:

She has delusions as to her relations with Royalty. Says she is a personal friend of the Prince of Wales, that he always sees she has an invitation to all Royal functions, that when she has an accident the Prince always has one at the same time. She states that she has the same chain of thought as Lord Salisbury & that they are always doing similar things at the same time. Says that when her husband enters into her life he always has an accident - (con?) that the above statements are delusions - that she does not really know the persons she refers to - such as the Prince of Wales - Lord Rosebery &c - (by P.C. Lewis) that she went to Buckingham Palace in March 1899 & made a number of incoherent statements about various high persons whom she wished to see.

2nd Certif:

(Signed) Thomas Tomalson Cumming M.B. 4. Mar. 99. 4 High St. St. Giles W.C. corroborates & adds: Says she wishes to write a book & allow the Newspapers to "induce" it for her - Says the book she holds in her hand was lent to her, whereas she took it a moment ago from the shelf. Says she is "instructed" to write Church & State ceremonies by Princes & Prelates (con?) she was never capable of writing books or articles to Newspapers - special or otherwise -

* that she was in an Asylum 6 years ago. (Signed) James B. Tomner M.B.C.S. 4. March. 99. 20 Drury Lane, London. W. P.

Fam. Hist: C

Pro. Hist:

2 children < 11 years. 6 " 0 miscarriages. Was at Trichurst for about 2 mos. & was then removed against medical advice. Since being at home her delusions have continued more or less marked.

Gallery 2
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Condition on Admission. Physical.

Pt is well developed & well nourished: curly brown hair - complexion rather sallow - mucous membranes fair color. Eyes hazel - pupils equal. M. act to 6 & A. There are no P.S. of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

Urine.
Coloured - regular. The last few months has been rather more profuse than formerly. Sleeps well - good appetites -

Mental. Pt has a bright pleasant expression, settles readily into conversation - but makes many rambling & incorrect statements - such as - that reporter had attended professionally a friend of hers at Oxford - She has numerous delusions - that she is a personal & intimate friend of most of the members of the Royal Family - and that Buckingham Palace has been a 2nd home to her - that she is engaged in much literary work principally histories - She also said that she was just going to introduce her daughter into society - tho' the latter is only 11 years of age - She also says that she believes her food, while at the workhouse, was dropped - that the same thing occurred on the previous occasion when she was placed under restraint - Condition remains unchanged - Sleeps well - E.B. delusions still very marked - writes numerous letters to celebrities & well-known persons - her conversation is also full of references to the same. E.B.

No change.

Condition as above - conversation rambling & disconnected with marked delusions of exaltation - makes numerous wild statements - told another lady in presence of reporter that she had seen several beautiful sketches of hers, also pictures by her in the Academy, when the other lady (Miss Hart) had only made a very rough sketch of the nature of a diagram & states that she cannot paint at all - states that Poynter is about to paint her portrait & that this is to be in the National Gallery - R.C.D.

Conversation is very rambling & her delusions are very marked - in the statements

11th March
20th March
27th March
April 4
May 1

that she is detained here illegally as a joke & today stated before all the other ladies in the gallery that this is "a house of ill fame" - R.C.D.

June 8. Conversation more or less incoherent & her delusions of grandeur are very marked - she makes up her mind to go to the way, & it

Mr. Burgess - XT. 373

June

St Ann's Heath
Virginia Water

April xvii. 99

Dear Sir

On the 5th of March upon leaving Buckingham Palace I was arrested the official holding in this hand my identity

I remain your faithful servant

There is a large red stain at the bottom of the page, possibly from a liquid spill.

Mental. Pt has a bright pleasant expression
enters readily into conversation - but makes
many rambling & incorrect statements - such
as that reporter had attended professionally
at a friend of hers at London - She has numerous
delusions - that she is a nun at ...
Mrs Burgess - XI. 373

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Dear Sir
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March upon leaving
Buckingham Palace
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other lady (Miss Hart) had only made a very
rough sketch of the nature of a diagram & states
that she cannot paint at all - states that
Poynter is about to paint her portrait & that this
is to be in the National Gallery -
Conversations is very rambling & her delusions
are ...

St Ann's Heath
Virginia Hall

April xvii. 99

14th March
20th March
27th March
April 4th

May 1st

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& today stated before all the other ladies in the
gallery that this is "a house of ill fame" - R.C.D.

June 8. Conversations more or less incoherent & her
delusions of grandeur are very marked - she mixes
up fact & fiction in the most wonderful way, & it
is
Mrs Burgess - XI. 373

June 18.

St Ann's Heath
Virginia Hall

April II. 99.

Dear Dr. Moore
May I not have
a private interview
with Mr. Committee
here. The Duke of
Cambridge will be
my ally if it

Mental. R^e has a bright pleasant expression
singles readily into conversation - but makes
many rambling & incorrect statements - such
as - that reporter had attended profession ally
a friend of hers at London - she has numerous
delusions - that she is a personal intimate
friend of most of the members of the Royal

card signed St. Goar (my
address) by Major Martin
I had always understood
that a visiting card
would be all that I
should require (Lord
Presley by the church)
by the Duke or letter
which I at once
passed to the Lord
Chamberlain, & said
I was using a Press
privilege & very dear

gained two years ago
I have not seen a
Medical Man for
two years & only before
whom he forced his
way into my house
as a philosopher
to give to me the life
of my Brother Cook
in childhood & to
inform me that the
Church had no spirit
was in light, being

other lady (Miss Hart) had only made a very
rough sketch of the nature of a diagram & state
that she cannot paint at all - states that
Poynter is about to paint her portrait & that this
is to be in the national gallery - R.C.D.
Conversation is very rambling & her delusions
are very marked in the statements

see page 10

that she is detained here illegally as a joke
& today stated before all the other ladies in the
gallery that this is "a house of infamy" - R.C.D.
June 8. Conversation more or less incoherent & her
delusions of grandeur are very marked - she mixes
up fact & fiction in the most wonderful way, & it
is difficult to make out often what is delu-

too stupid to believe
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out of line -
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can readily be proved
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fields "he that
serves his country well
etc

Yrs faithfully
Sarah Burgess

Stuckly private
"where are the two
lunatic old Aunt's"
Oh that Uncle

Mental. Pt has a bright pleasant expression. Suffers readily into conversation - but makes many rambling & incorrect statements - such as - that reporter had attended professionally a friend of hers at Bognor - She has numerous delusions - that she is a personal & intimate friend of most of the members of the Royal Family - and that Buckingham Palace has been a 2nd home to her - that she is engaged in much literary work principally interviewing - She also said that she was just going to introduce her daughter into society - tho' the latter is only 11 years of age - She also says that she believes her food, while at the workhouse, was drugged - that the same thing occurred on the previous occasion when she was placed under restraint - Condition remains unchanged - Sleeps well - E.H.B. delusions still very marked - writes numerous letters to celebrities & well-known persons - her conversation is also full of references to the same. E.H.B. No change.

14th March.
20th March.
27th March.
April 4 -
May 1 -

Condition as above - conversation rambling & disconnected with marked delusions of exaltation - makes numerous wild statements & told another lady in presence of reporter that she had seen several beautiful sketches of hers, also pictures by her in the Academy, when the other lady (Miss Hart) had only made a very rough sketch of the nature of a diagram & states that she cannot paint at all - states that Poynter is about to paint her portrait & that this is to be in the National Gallery - R.C.D. Conversation is very rambling & her delusions are as usual - in the statements

that she is detained here illegally as a joke & today stated before all the other ladies in the gallery that this is "a house of ill fame" - R.C.D.

June 8. Conversation more or less incoherent & her delusions of grandeur are very marked - she mixes up fact & fiction in the most wonderful way, it is very difficult to make out often what is delusion & what is truth. Physically good - calm.

June 18. Has continued much the same & was yesterday discharged -

Discharged June 17.99

Emma Mend Brough (cont'd p: 370)

Sept. 16. Continues weak-minded with delusions of exaltation - styles herself still "the wife of Lord James Waldron" - Phys health fair. c: 2:- but she is somewhat weakly R.C.D. keeps thin though she eats well.

Dec: 31. Continues as above - but occupies herself well. Phys health fair - but not robust - she is very hypochondriacal & explains a cold as being "an abscess in her heart which burst" - R.C.D.

March 28. 02 Continues weak-minded & her delusions of exaltation persist - Phys health somewhat poor - she has frequent neuralgia due to teeth which she declines to have attended - R.C.D.

May 30. Was today transferred to private care - she has lately been more cheerful & pleasant - but retains her delusions. Was examined carefully before leaving has no marks or bruises - & she has distinctly improved in phys: health though she has frequent neuralgia due to the morbid state of her teeth

Discharged May 30. 02

Agnes L... (mirrored text from reverse side)

Faint mirrored handwritten notes from the reverse side of the page.

2086.

As 12. Mar. 99.
R.O. 12 " "
Cin. L. 13 " "

(Transfer fr. V. B. I.)

certif:

certif:

Fam. Hist?

Pro. Hist?

Agnes Jesse - married - aged 78 years.
Church of England - prev. address, 21 Stanthorpe
Road, Stratfordham. Not a first attack - Agg
on 1st attack 45 years - Previously treated
nowhere. Duration of present
attack uncertain. Cause not known -
Not E. S. or D.

She is suffering from Melancholia. She
obstinately refuses to answer any questions
whatever. Mental reaction is slow. Her
appearance is stolid & miserable. She is
apathetic & appears to be unconcerned at her
surroundings - (com?) She has delusions -
that she believes she is harmful to all around
her & that she has locked all the doors of the
Building & that no one can ever get out -
(signed) William Wadham Hooper
6. March 99. Egham. Surrey.

Very melancholy in appearance, constantly
speculates under her breath "Oh dear! Oh dear!"
but will not say what is the matter - will hardly
answer a simple question looking toward the
room in a suspicious & apprehensive manner
after much fruitless questioning elicited that
she was kept awake at night by seeing "things"
the nature of which she refused to tell me -
answered all my other questions by words &
occasionally deep sighs - seemed very depressed -
sig

Robert Nuthall
4. March 99. Priestwood - Bracknell. Berks

Said to be nil -

was heard as a Voluntary Boarder from 26 Sept 1906
to 12 Dec 06 for similar attack (see V.B.I. 295)

Galleries III
Height
Weight

Condition on admission.

Physical. Pt is a small slight woman.
poorly developed & poorly nourished -

from 3rd to 5th -
order of sterility -
next to L. & A.
ears membranes
furred. 194th Card
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CITY OF LONDON MENTAL HOSPITAL,
DARTFORD.
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November 17th 1916. 101

Dear Sir Dr. Moore,

re Mrs. Agnes Jesse (Deceased)

I have no doubt that you like to keep in touch with
the after history of your patients, you will therefore
be interested to hear with respect to the above that

she died on October 16th 1916 from

"Fatty Disease of Heart".

Believe me,

Yours faithfully,

R. H. STEEN.

Medical Superintendent.

To Dr. W.D. Moore.

She has hallucinations of sight, saying that
she has seen a "mock funeral" going on in
the dormitory at night. Sleeps badly. Requires
to be dressed etc. Takes food badly - E.N.
weeping. Restless at night. Fatigue
no sleep. Eats poorly -
E.N.

20th March.

27th March.

2086.

Agnes Jesse - married. aged 48 years.

Church of England - pres. address. 21 Stanton

Road. Stratford. Not a first attack - Apr

12. Mar. 99

R.O. 12 " "

Ch. 13 " "

(Transfr. v. B. 13)

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1st certif.:

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6. March. 99.

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Robert Nuthall

4. March. 99.

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Fam. Hist.?

Pro. Hist.?

was heard as a Voluntary Boarder from 26 Sept 1906 to 12 Dec 06 for similar attack (see V.B.I. 295)

Gallery III

Appt.

Appt.

Condition on admission.

Physical. Pt is a small slight woman.

poorly developed & poorly nourished -

Chest more badly & ribs from 3rd to 5th -

very prominent at 19. border of sternum -

Eyes brown, pupils equal. Heart to L. & A.

Hair - turning grey - Mucous membranes

fair - Tongue slightly furred. 19th. Caris

No P.S. of disease in thoracic or

abdominal organs -

Calamita caud

(Apr 19)

Uremia. 1023. ac. char. - triglyc. -

Knee jerks slightly increased -

Mental. Pt is very depressed - quite un-

occupied during the day. walks up &

down the gallery wringing her hand -

Says she has brought harm on every body

here & with whom she comes in contact -

Also says how wicked she was to pretend to

be deaf & dumb when seen by Dr. Hooper.

She has hallucinations of sight, saying that

she has seen a "mock funeral" going on in

the dormitory at night. Sleeps badly. Requires

to be dressed etc. Takes food badly. E.C.V.

20th March. Still continues very depressed - constantly

wEEPING. Restless at night. Fatigued. E.C.V.

27th March. No sleep. Eats poorly. E.C.V.

April 4. Somewhat less depressed & the hallucinations of sight seem to be passing off R.C.D.

May 3. Improvement maintained - she has almost left off wringing her hands & now rarely weeps - she occupies herself fairly well under supervision & takes her food much better than she did - appears to be losing the delusion that she contaminates others & is more sociable than she was - hallucinations of sight now denied R.C.D.

June 10
7.11.12



There is some slight improvement - she does not now wring her hands & occupies herself fairly well - but she is easily upset by trifles & still has some delusions of unworthiness & of suspicion - denies hallucinations of sight - Phys. health impaired - takes food well & sleeps well. R.C.D.

June 20. Has continued to improve & is now in No. 2 - & is able to go to No. 1 in the evenings. R.C.D.

Sept. 19. Is considerably better - much less depressed; she now occupies herself well & takes an interest in her surroundings - she has however little self reliance & initiative & is easily upset by trifles. Phys. health good. R.C.D.

Dec. 21. Much less depressed & is now fairly equal - she occupies herself well & takes an interest in all that goes on - has still little self reliance & initiative - Phys. health good - last 2 months the periods have returned after about 15 months amenorrhoea. R.C.D.

2230
Jan. 28.00 Was today discharged - one of the certificates being found out of order - & again re-admitted

1st cert: She is depressed & simple minded - confesses to having wished to take her life at times - says that she believes sometimes that she does harm to people but is exceedingly vague in trying to explain this & laughs foolishly while doing so & as quickly resumes a depressed expression.

Jan. 27.00 (signed) R. Nuttall

2nd " Corroborate.

Jan. 26.00 (signed) R. Nuttall

March 28. Continues in a state of weak-mindedness with little initiative & with vague ideas of unworthiness - & of vicarious sacrifice. Phys. health good - & amenorrhoea of late for past 2 months - but period has just returned. R.C.D.

July 3. Is quite unwell - occupies herself & is usually cheerful & sociable but shows marked mental confusion on very slight pressure & has practically no initiative or power of decision. Phys. health good - catamenia continues regular. R.C.D.

Sept. 24. Continues as on last note. R.C.D.

Dec. 31. Is normally cheerful & occupies herself well under supervision but she is easily disturbed by slight causes & then shows marked mental confusion - no initiative or power of decision. Phys. health good - cat. reg. R.C.D.

March 19.01 Continues unwell since the last note - Phys. health good - cat. reg. R.C.D.

April 5. Yesterday went to Holly Cottage, which has just been reopened. R.C.D.

June 21. Does well at Holly Cottage - she occupies herself & is fairly cheerful - but is apathetic & anergic with no initiative & is easily upset by trifles. Phys. health good. R.C.D.

Sept: 16 Continues at Holly Cottage - she is less confused & is more cheerful than she was & occupies herself well - but she is still easily upset by trifles. Psychiatrist good RCD

Dec: 31. Has shown considerable improvement of late but she is weakminded & has no initiative or power of decision. Psychiatrist good RCD.

March 27, 03 Continues as on last note - is still at Holly Cottage. RCD.

June 26. Weakminded with little initiative & power of decision - but she can occupy herself well & is much less apprehensive. Psychiatrist good. RCD.

Sept 10. Continues as on last note - RCD.

Jan 8, 1903. There has been no material change since last note. The bodily health remains satisfactory. W.T. Was transferred today to the City of London Hospital. Discharged. Relieved.

Discharged Jan: 8-03.

[Faint handwritten notes, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. Some legible words include "John H. M. Esmond" and "1885".]

2090.

Frances, Mary, Hunt - married, aged 29 years
Church of England. previous address Kenworth
Spencer Road Bournemouth - This attack
of one month's duration. Supposed cause
domestic worry - Age on 1st attack 23 years
Previously treated at Bethlem Royal Hospital -
not E. S. or D.

Ad. 18. March/99
R.O. 17 "
C. 6. 20 "

1st Certif:

Patient states wildly at you during conversation.
Her manner is exceedingly excitable. She suffers
from delusions of persecution, believing that
ominous dreams & other passages by slate at
her & make insulting remarks (statements being
denied by her attendant), she is desirous of
consulting her solicitor with a view of stopping
this annoyance (com²) by husband, that owing
to her belief that he has slowly poisoned her, she
is intent to bring about a legal separation -
Also that she was insane & under restraint
in 1896 - also that owing to her excited conduct
& more she was forced to quit her apartments
by her landlady recently -

(signed) William Johnson Smyth, M.D.

16 March/99
Dukes Gardens Bournemouth
corroborates & adds - states she & I have
mutually fallen in love with each other.

(signed) Miss MacCully and I
Pine Green, Brixton Road
Bournemouth.

16. March/99
Father has been epileptic since infancy. One brother
said to be a morphe-maniac. Family hereditary.
1st attack at 23 years of age - lasted 4-6 weeks.
2nd attack in autumn of 1896 - duration 6 mos.
In both these attacks P^t was melancholic &
acutely suicidal - Present attack began 1 month. Since then

Fam. History.

Previous Hist.

Health has been poor as a child since then
upward. No serious illnesses. Married 6 years
1 child - 5 years ago. Died at age of 2 1/2.

X. P^t

Had little finger of l. hand amputated when
4 years of age in consequence of "scrofula" -
At same time R. knee was also affected.

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Condition on Admission. Physical.

P^t is fairly well developed &
well nourished - Muscles flabby. Juncans
membranes somewhat anaemic. Complexion
fair. Chestnut brown hair. Scar over l.
eyebrow - from injury from bicyc accident -
Eyes - pupils somewhat dilated - equal -
react to l. & A. Tongue furred. Upper
aesthesia over whole length spine -
No ovarian tenderness. Knee-jerk brisk -
Lump. Note flattened over both supra
infra-clavicular regions on both sides.
B.S. very weak over same area.
Heart. A.P. D. not increased. H.A. B. 5th space
3/4 in size. N.B. Sound slightly irregular in
force & rhythm - no murmurs heard.
The 2nd toe on the R. foot has been amputated
in consequence of "hammer-toe" - (P^t) Over
the R. leg are several scars apparently
from abscesses in youth - There are also
a scar on the inner side of the l. knee &
on the l. big toe -
The 4th finger of the l. hand has been
amputated with the head of the meta-carpal
bone -
Calamities - rather irregular. Some specimens
Some specimens of the l. hand

2090.

Frances, Mary, Hunt - married. aged 28
Church of England. previous address Kenmore
Spencer Road Bournemouth. This attack
of one month's duration. Suffered severe
domestic worry - Age on 1st attack 23 years
Previous & treated at Bethlem Royal Hospital
Not E. S. or D.

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this annoyance (com?) by husband, that arising
from belief that he has slowly poisoned her. She
is intent to bring about a legal separation
Also that she was insane & under restraint
in 1896 - also that owing to her excited conduct
& more she was forced to quit her apartments
by her landlady recently -

(Signed) William Johnston Surg. M.D.

16 March 99
Dulley Gardens Bournemouth
convalescent & add - states she & I have
mutually fallen in love with each other.

(Signed) Miss MacGilly and Dr
Penderman. Dulley Road
Bournemouth.

16 March 99

Fam. history.

Father has been certified insane once. One brother
said to be a morpho-maniac. Family heretic -
First attack at 23 years of age - lasted 4-6 weeks.
2nd attack in autumn of 96 - duration 6 mos -
In both these attacks Pt was melancholic &
acutely suicidal - Present attack began 1 month. Since 1st

Previous hist?

Obtain from
Husband.

X. Pt

Health has been poor as a child since then
unimpaired. No serious illnesses. Married 6 years
child - 5 years ago. Died at age of 2 1/2.
Had little finger of l. hand amputated when
years of age in consequence of "scrofula" -
At same time R. knee was also affected.

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the R. leg are several scars apparently
from abscesses in youth - There are also
a scar on the inner side of the l. knee &
on the l. big toe -
The 4th finger of the l. hand has been
amputated with the head of the meta-carpal
bone -
Catamenia - rather irregular. Some Dysmenorrhoea
Some leucorrhoea. She has miscarried 4 times.

Unis.

Mental. P's talks very freely but her conversation is rather disconnected. Her memory for recent events is very deficient - but she remembers the events of her youth well. She is excitable & restless. Says she is in terror of the "dreadful things" that are happening here & that she hears constant wailing & crying - "What these 'dreadful things' are she cannot say. She has delusions that her husband has given her cancer, quantities of drugs - & that her present illness is due to them. She is very emotional - is very restless at night & her appetite is poor - Hallucinations of smell. Says she requires baths daily in consequence of the disgusting odor which scales from her.

25th March.

P's has been very excited & noisy. Sleeping rather better. Conversation very incoherent & rambling. Dyspepsia better. E.B.B.

April 3-

Restless & excited - rambles much in her conversation & is continually making complaints of a trivial or groundless character. She wishes to be constantly washing to get rid of the "smell" from her & complains much of the odor from those around her. Dyspepsia distinctly better. R.C.D.

April 10-

Exceedingly restless & noisy. Conversation almost incoherent, very rambling in character. Continually making unprovoked

complaints & is exceedingly rude to the other ladies, annoying them excessively - eg she will stand in front of a lady & stare at her for 2 hours or more, though repeatedly asked to move - & will make many insulting remarks to other patients. Hallucinations of smell apparently continue.

April 15.

n°5

More restless & incoherent - somewhat confused in mind, constantly forgetting a name just mentioned - removed to n°5 - noisy at night in spite of sulphonal gr. xxx.

April 17-

Exceedingly excited & violent, has hit out freely & today gave a nurse a violent blow in the face with a tin - in fall from the m.p. came on yesterday.

April 24.

Continues excited noisy & more or less restless frequently hits herself with her closed fist, inflicts small superficial lacerations, which she immediately points to, as being inflicted by the nurse.

May 3-

Is rather less noisy on the whole, & is less incoherent than she was - but she is still excited with a marked tendency towards violence constantly complains of being "killed" or "killed" & has a marked "sense of impending doom" - Hallucinations of smell persist & she continues incessantly washing herself in consequence.

May 20-

Galley

Has considerably improved - is still somewhat emotional & excitable but can now sustain a short conversation - & occupies herself to some extent under supervision - seems to have lost the sense of "impending doom" & the hallucinations of smell are much less marked. Has still a taste of T. circumscissus.

20 93

Florence Woodfine. Single. aged 37 years.

Church of England. Previous address West's Farm

Cranbrook. First attack of 3 mos duration.

R. O. 26 " " S - period Cause - not known. Never pre.

C. in b. 27 " " usually treated. Not E. S. or D.

transf. fr V. B. list

1st Certif:

There is mental depression with delusions. She is in a constant state of dread and uncertainty believing that her Mother has heart disease & that she may do harm to herself & to others. She has hallucinations of hearing & of sight. There is emotional instability & motor restlessness.

(signed) William Watham Flower
20. III. 99. Igham Surrey.

2nd Certif:

(signed) Ernest F. Ellery
20. III. 99. 17 Albert St. Regent Park. London NW

Exam. Hist.

Said to be nil.

Pro. Hist.

Has never had any serious illness & been strong. Since 17 years of age has been nervous & silly & subject to "fits of hysterics". The last 2-3 mos. has been getting worse. Admitted as a V. B. on 15th but was found to be unfit to remain as such. Certified on 26th.

Galery III

Condition on Admission.

Pt is short, well developed. in-
cluded for stout. Brown hair, turning grey.
Mucous membranes rather anemic. Tongue
clean. B's reg. Eyes - pupils somewhat
dilated but normal. React to L. & A.

Thyroid Gland slightly enlarged.

Calamaria. scanty. A few months ago there was amenorrhoea for 2-3 months regular. Uterus.

Mental.

Pt is generally unoccupied, looking miserably miserable; she is very emotional readily bursting into tears. At times she will talk rationally; at others she will not reply at all. She has delusions that she has given her Mother heart disease by her conduct. She has hallucinations of hearing very marked. Appetite poor. Sleeps fairly. She is liable to fits of screaming, which she says she is unable to control.

April 3- Is slowly improving - she is less emotional does not now scream - is eating some-
what better than she did - R 03-

April 10- Improvement maintained - she now occupies herself a little, appears to have left off screaming & is much less emotional than she was - her aural hallucinations are less marked though she retains her delusion as above, it is less marked than it was - she is eating fairly & sleeping better R 03

April 17- Has improved of late - is less stuporous & there have been no more attacks of screaming - In bed with a slight attack of acute tonsillitis supervening on chronically enlarged tonsils. R.C.D.

April 24. Improvement maintained - tonsillitis cured - P.F. is up, occupies herself well - R.C.D.

May 3. Is less stuporous & occupies herself but she is very self centered & thinks that all remarks made by others in her gallery must have reference to her - is emotionally unstable & weeps without cause but does not mind severe aural haluc^{ns} present but she is somewhat reticent about them. R.C.D.

May 22. Has distinctly improved - more stable emotionally but is still easily upset by slight causes - was transferred to N° 17 but next for hours given and back to N° 3 - much less anemic. R.C.D.

June 22.



June 3, 99

Improvement is steadily maintained - she is cheerful & occupies herself well & is much more equable - she has had no hysterical fit of screaming now for a long time - She still refuses to leave the Infirmary though she is well enough to go to another gallery - Physically

she is much improved. she is much less anemic & is stronger altogether - catamenia irregular - m: p: only March 17 & June 10 since admission. R.C.D.

Sept: 19. Continues cheerful, occupied & equable - has had no fit of excitement for some months - sleeps & eats well - & is now in good physical health - catamenia now regular. R.C.D.

Jan: 10, 1900. Improvement maintained - occupies herself well & is cheerful & fairly equable - there is still some mental confusion during in the course of a conversation of some length & she is easily upset by trifles. Phys health good - catamenia quite regular - ~~amenorrhoea~~ last 3 months. R.C.D.

Jan: 15. Was discharged on the 13th remaining as V.B. see II p: 239.

Discharged Jan: 13, 1900

2096

Annie Peach married

Ad. Mar: 31. 99 aged 43 - of no occupation - Ch: 5) Eng:
R.O. April 9. 99 Previous address Milland Hotel. St Pancras.
C. ind. April 10. 99 Probably not 1st attack of a few weeks'
(ingest) duration. not E or D. perhaps S.

1st certif: Rambling incoherent speech associated with
much excitement, & dirty habits - (she passes
urine & motions in bed) com? on one occasion
attempted suicide with a razor, was taken to the
local hospital - she shut herself up alone & refused
food. Mar: 31. 99 (S) SS Gubb

2nd " She is in a state of subacute mania of 29 Gowers' type
restless & very excited, talking constantly
in an incoherent manner - she behaves in a very
eccentric manner, & at times unduly like

Fam: Hist: Said to be nil. April - (signed) W.W. Floyer
Husband in asylum - alcoholic vicinity after
sev: attacks of Delirium tremens.

Prev: Hist:

Condition on Admission & Physical

Gallery & P: is a small slight woman, with light brown
#5 hair & hazel eyes - now on admission had a
WE small bruise on inner surface of left upper arm -
long transverse scar across throat, probably
caused by the suicidal attempt mentioned above

[former attack] mucous memb: somewhat
anaemic - Tongue furred & tremulous
Teeth Eyes hazel - pupils
equal, react to L.A. consciously & to skin
stimulation - Chest poorly covered - no
PS of disease detected, (but exam- is
somewhat unsatisfactory in the present
excited state of P:) beyond a slight
blurring of the 1st sound at apex -
Pulse > 6. regular. Constipation - colon
distended with faeces - Reflexes brisk,
other reflexes good - Slight superficial
varicose veins of right leg
Urine



mental - Acute mania
When admitted, P: was wildly gesticula-
tion, roaring restlessly about, absolutely
incoherent & occasionally shouting - She
took food with much persuasion & slept
7 hrs: after paraldehyde dr 1/4. This morning
she is quieter but is still restless,
occasionally gesticulating & noisy - her
conduct is irrational & silly - There is
rapid ideation & her conversation is more
or less incoherent - though she can occasion-
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suicidal
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2nd " She is in a state of subacute mania of the
acute variety, restless & very excited, talking constantly
in an incoherent manner - she behaves in an
eccentric manner & at times wildly like
a child. Said to be nil. April - (signed) W.W. Floy
husband in asylum - alcoholic vicinity -
saw: attacks of delirium tremens.

Fam: Hist.
Pres: Hist.

Condition on Admission & Physical

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Mental - Acute Mania
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caution incoherent & occasionally shouting - She
took food with much persuasion & slept
7 hrs: after paralysis de 57. This morning
she is quieter but is still restless,
occasionally gesticulating & noisy - her
conduct is irrational & silly - There is
rapid ideation & her conversation is more
or less incoherent - though she can occasionally
give rational answers to simple questions.

To some extent. Her memory is much impaired, though not entirely absent, as she gave correctly the time of her admission, of her train leaving London, & other details of the past 2 or 3 days but could not tell the date, nor the month of the year. No hallucinations were elicited but she has some delusions of grandeur, stating that this institution belongs to her, & made a long rambling statement which pointing to a collection of rubbish, that they were most valuable articles & all her own (which they were not) She has taken food well & as yet has been cheer-

April 3.

Excitability rising, restless with rapid ideation, absolute incoherence of talk - takes food well. & sleeps moderately, excited when awake. R.C.D.

April 10.

Has improved since last note - is less restless & though she is still usually incoherent, she can now pull herself together for a few minutes & answer simple questions - taking food well & sleeping moderately - On Friday (3 days ago) knocked her forehead against a post & has a slight bruise - R.C.D.

April 18.

Has improved to a considerable extent - can talk coherently on simple subjects, though there is still some confusion of mind & loss of memory - of which she is herself quite aware - occupies herself & is sleeping & taking food well - R.C.D.

April 24.

Improvement maintained R.C.D.

May 2.

Is now quiet & coherent - but there is still much mental confusion & loss of memory - she has been well enough to go to the bath

does not wish to go there, as she says she "dreads fresh faces" & "feels too confused to be with other people" - almost unoccupied

* Medical Practitioner

In Derby & District.

Who here had the

Prescriptions of the

poor unfortunate

being in question,

viz "Madame More"

Annice Seaside (Pasha)

See (Madame) Acton (or Acton) can talk nothing

which is not astonishing under the circumstances!!!

July 24. Has continued quiet, occupied & fairly interested in all that goes on, till the last 2 days. when she is again talkative with rapid ideation, & a tendency towards incoherence. When quiet she has some vertical headache, which causes her to become morose & talkative R.C.D.

Aug: 26.

For a few days after last note, was very restless & incoherent, tearing off her clothing &c - since has been variable, usually unoccupied with much mental confusion & loss of memory, with attacks lasting usually about a day of incoherence & restlessness

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April 10.

April 18.

April 24.

May 2.

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 M. N. O. P.
 Q. R. S. T.
 U. V. W. X
 Y. Z.

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Scientific Precise Measuring Instruments

Weight of Lead allowed for a Mining No bit de Shab, a Cal Part Col. et parti de la petite Boxy d'omo la Habit Merie (The Chem) (class)

po well. R.C. Today, P. was R.C. less confused. he became too with a tendency to not acting & P. compl de & a large parcel was removed from the lid open to air Today she is unusual letter) you tears in her dress occupied & very her head feels much can talk nothing & ball. R.C. the yesterday when she & confused. R.C.

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April 10. Has improved since last note - is less restless & though she is still usually incoherent, she can now pull herself together for a few minutes, & answer simple questions in taking food well & sleeping moderately. On Friday (3 days ago) knocked her forehead against a post & has a slight bruise - R.C.D.

April 18. Has improved to a considerable extent - can talk coherently on simple subjects, though there is still some confusion of mind & loss of memory - of which she is herself quite aware. occupies herself & is sleeping & taking food well - R.C.D.

April 24. Improvement maintained R.C.D.

May 2. Is now quiet & coherent - but there is still much mental confusion & loss of memory - she has been well enough to go to bed, but

does not wish to get up, as she says she "dreads fresh faces" & "feels too confused to be with other people" - almost unoccupied

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Dr. Sims (G.H.)
Dr. (Shorn) (G.D.)
Dr. (Mrs) (Stans) (W.F.)
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Bro to Rev Newby (H.E.)
Dr. Mc Phail (S.B.A.)
Roads, Derby

July 24. Has continued quiet, occupied by family interests in all that goes on, till the last 2 days - when she is again talkative with rapid ideas, & a tendency towards incoherence - When quiet she has some vertical headache, which causes her to become noisy & talkative R.C.D.

Aug: 26. For a few days after last note, was very restless & incoherent, taking off her clothing &c - since has been variable, usually unoccupied with much mental confusion & loss of memory, with attacks lasting usually about a day of incoherence & restlessness

To some extent. Her memory is much impaired, though not entirely absent, as she gave correctly the time of her admission, of her train leaving London, & other details of the past 2 or 3 days but could not tell the date, nor the month of the year. No hallucinations were elicited but she has some delusions of grandeur, stating that this institution belongs to her, & made a long rambling statement while pointing to a collection of rubbish, that they were most valuable articles & all her own (which they were not) She has taken food well & as yet has been cheer-

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does not wish to go there, as she says she "dreads fresh faces" & "feels too confused to be with other people" - almost unoccupied takes food well & sleeps well. R.C.D.

May 7. ~~Caution withdrawn~~ Caution withdrawn today, N. was moved to N. 11. R.C.D.

May 13. Has been much brighter & less confused, with the "5" - when she became too talkative & mildly excited with a tendency to incoherence - aperients not acting & P.C. complaining of pain, examⁿ was made & a large faecal mass (size of child's head) was removed from the rectum - anus being stretched open to size of egg & quite ineffectual. Today she is incoherent & voluble. (see arranged letter) moved to N. 3. R.C.D.

May 20. Voluble & incoherent - tears her hair down & dress open - quite unoccupied & very restless - states that "her head feels like a little muddle & that she can talk nothing but nonsense" - sleeping badly. R.C.D.

June 8. Has continued as above till yesterday when she became quiet - today dull & confused. R.C.D.

July 24. Has continued quiet, occupied & fairly interested in all that goes on, till the last 2 days - when she is again talkative with rapid ideation, & a tendency towards incoherence. When quiet she has some vertical headache, which causes her to become noisy & talkative. R.C.D.

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when death is rapid & confused - (assoc?)
ideas being both by sequence & by word sense) sleep
badly but taking food well. RCD

Sept: 19. Continues delirium & confused with loss of memory
7-5-4 & a tendency towards incoherence & loss of sequence
of ideas - at times excited restless & noisy -
sleeping somewhat better RCD

Nov: 6. Has been gradually becoming less confused &
7-5-9 delirium - occupying herself for last fortnight &
being fairly cheerful - but last 2 days there has
been marked mental confusion & today she is restless
& incoherent with dishevelled hair & dress RCD

Jan: 10-1900 The period of excitement above noted lasted
7-5-10 for about 3 weeks. gradually subsiding
she passed into a quiet delirium some-
what confused state in which she has been
for past 2 weeks - now excitement has
again begun. RCD

Feb: 18. Has continued excited & incoherent with
dishevelled hair & disordered dress - sleepless at
night until last 2 days - she is now quiet
but somewhat confused & yesterday went to
have a rather bad paronychia of left forefinger RCD

March 28 Continues excited noisy & incoherent
8-5-10 destructive tearing off her clothing &c - shouting
for hours by night & day - To today somewhat
quieter & less confused - fingers now nearly
well. Phys health good. RCD

June 30 acute attack passing off - she is now delirium
8-5-12 [June 1-7-1912] confused & incoherent - rarely occupies herself &
complains of vertical headache which she describes
as feeling as if someone lifted part of her brain with
a wood knife - sleeping well & her phys: health
with the exception of the headache is good RCD

July 13 Has been confused & delirium - Today another
acute attack has begun - (sleeping little) RCD

Aug: 18. Since last note P has been
very excited - talking incessantly,
roaming restlessly about the court with much
gesticulation - now in a
restless, incoherent
state -
Another attack of
delirium has begun &



Sept: 6. 8-5-11

she is restless, incoherent - gesticulating wildly
& refusing to keep on her clothing - RCD
Dec: 24 9-5-12 The excitement has continued & is now
beginning to pass off - she is today
transferred to Maxwell County Asylum -
examined before leaving & found there
no lesions - only marks the old scars
on left buttock & the few superficial scars of
left thigh less prominent than on admission
is well nourished -

Transferred Dec 24.00

2097
Ad^d April 9, 99
R.O. Apr 16. 99
C. incl. 17. 99
(urgency)

Maud Raphael married
aged 29 - of no occupⁿ (wife of wholesale
optician) Tewkes - 1st attack of about
18 months' duration - supposed cause:
"worry owing to inability to control
train of thought" - not epileptic nor
dangerous but **Suicidal**

1st atty: She told me she attempted to commit suicide
yesterday, because she had wrecked the lives
of her husband & children & to escape supervision.
She expressed regret that she had not accom-
plished (com^d) jumped into the river Thames.
I have seen a post card written by Mrs Raphael
to her husband stating that by the time he
received it she would have ended her life -

April 7-99. (signed) James Chamberlain
of 6 Mansfield St. Cav. Sq. W.

Family Hist: Sister was certified 15 yrs ago - apparently manic
with delusions of exaltation - now recovered.
Paternal uncle committed suicide by cutting
his throat -
Sisters & brothers said to be nervous & eccentric

P-res: hist: 2 yrs ago her mother died & she worried much
(P's husband) about it - depressed & restless.
18 months ago complained of inability to control her
thoughts, & she became somewhat restless.

went to Brighton & improved -
4 or 5 months ago moved into a new house
became worse - frequent attacks of
depression - at 1st took food & slept well -
Next ~~was~~ became worse - depressed - very
restless - in charge of 2 nurses - threatened
suicide - wrote post card to husband stating her
intention of doing so (seen by reports) - eluded
care of nurses, bolted out of a window & threw
herself into the Thames - was followed &
rescued - then certified -
Bodily health good - children 4 ⁸ ⁴ ⁰ ⁰
swims plays - recites - habits indolent

ardition on Admission A Physical
allergy P.P.R. P.E. is small & dark of a distinctly Jewish
type - hair dark turning grey on vertex -
H.F. Eyes dark brown - pupils somewhat dilated &
W.E. react readily to L. & A. consciously & to skin
stimulation Tongue furred & tooth unclean
Teeth good - She presents no P.S. disease
in thoracic or abdominal organs - no
ovarian tenderness -
Catamenia stated to be regular - concluded
profuse - last m.p. 2 wks ago -
Urine
Kneejerks brisk - other reflexes lively -

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on being spoken to - she - after a time quiet

down to some extent - 3/5 later slept about 8 hrs: after celebration 3/11 -

suicidal caution

She is restless, walking about the room restlessly turning her hands, & pulling at anyone near her - is exceedingly demonstrative & emotionally unstable - She owns her suicidal attempt & is rather sorry that it did not succeed - She complains of a loss of natural affection - Her memory is somewhat impaired & her power of attention almost nil - She is quite unoccupied - Her conversation is fairly coherent, but she can talk of nothing but herself & her own feelings - stating continually that she is "so sensitive" &c - She can however "pull herself together" for a time while talking to the medical officers -



Taken 4/17 -
(Day after admission)

April 14. Perhaps slightly less restless & emotional - will now occasionally play a game of halma through, otherwise but for writing long resigned letters to her husband (sent back by him for misdirection) she is quite unoccupied - Sleeping fairly - RCB -

April 21. Occupies herself a very little & is slightly less restless & emotional - but is still entirely taken up with her own emotions & the "awfulness of being well" - RCB -

April 28 Very full of her own imaginary woes, talks of little else but the "awfulness of one of her sensitive nature being shut up here" - restless & full of innumerable trivial & unfounded complaints - In sleeping 7-8 hrs: a night without notice - (sleeping under observation of nurse in her private room) -

May 3. Is somewhat less restless than she was & tries to occupy herself arrangements are being made for her transfer & now she is full of agitation at leaving this place - very hysterical, emotionally unstable & fond of attracting observation - RCB -

May 5. As on last note - was today transferred to St. Andrew's Northampton

Discharged May 5. 99

Frances Mary Hunt (cont. fr. p. 386)

ant: border of left optic chiasm RCB-

June 22- Has considerably improved of late - she is much less

excitable, occupies herself well, is able to go freely

into the front grounds - she is more equable, though is

still somewhat unstable emotionally but can now

sustain conversation - Phys: health improved - the

itch of tinea is now quite cured - continues fairly good RCB

July 13- Improvement maintained - she is more equable,

occupies herself well & takes an interest in all that

goes on - Phys: health improved - she has no

lypopepsia, has lost her anaemia & has gained

2 stones in weight in the last month. Today was

discharged recovered -

Discharged July 13. 99.

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2100

Ad. 4p: 14.99
R.O. " " "
C. ind. 15 "Sarah Hedges - widow.

of no occupⁿ aged 67. Ch: of Eng:-
Previous address, Oriel Cottage - Mortimer
Berke - "not 1st" (really 3^d) attack of
about 3 weeks' duration - supposed cause
climacteric - not E S or D.

1st conty: Mostly declines conversation, then declares
she is Queen of England, that she cannot pass
through doorway, as it's too small, & she is not
a cat or a dog - constantly muttering to
herself, fidgetting with mouth & fingers -
When outside the room, heard her using filthy
language & swearing continuously for several
minutes - She is fearful of being injured by
unknown persons. (cont^d) is very troublesome
by helpless, inclined to be dirty, at times refusing
food or taking only smallest quantity &c -

April 13.99

(signed) W. T. Roulfe Gx
of The Laurels, Mortimer2nd "

corroborate

April 13.99.

(signed) W. S. Whitcombe
of Aldermaston - nr Reading

Fam Hist: Son insane from kick on head by a horse -
discharged from Asylum Dec: 96

Prev: Hist: Φ Suspicious & odd for years - worse after
(fr: son) her son's accident & removal to Asylum -

Admitted here Jan 25.97 (see case book TK p 403)
Suspicious, delusions of imminent torture
troublesome about food - discharged Oct: 28.97
Readmitted Nov: 8.97 - very restless - grunting &
fed by spoon - lost much weight - see casebook
X p. 279 discharged Oct: 29.98.

Since then has been in charge of friends at

Mortimer - Bucks: & has gone on well
till past 3 or 4 wks: - has become occas-
ionally dirty in habits - refused food - & has
numerous delusions -

Condition on Admission - A Physical

Gallery III medium sized - fairly developed but
#5 sparsely nourished - complexion sallow -
W5 mucous memb somewhat oedematous -
Tongue furred & tooth decay - marked
constipation - Chest somewhat emphysematous -
atro - H^o 40 poor - Pulse 84 - hard tense
high - occasionally irregular - arteries
markedly atheromatous - Eyes brown -
pupils equal, somewhat small - react
slowly to L.A. to skin stimuli & cremaster
arcus senilis in both -
Some vertical headache & tingling in
fingers & toes -
Reflexes normal - no cranial reflex
Urine 1018 - ac clear. Trace of albumen

B. Mental - melancholia with delusions
P: is very depressed & is quite unoccupied
she waits herself in a quiet sort of way
& constantly ejaculates "oh dear" "oh dear".
She has numerous delusions - told
reporter that she was up a chimney & was
covered with soot - that she could not get
through a doorway, as she had become so
swollen - also that she was to be killed to
death tomorrow & had killed her son lately.

girl - She is somewhat restless, has to be fed by spoon & sleeps badly - memory very defective -



Apr: 17 - (very restless & full of her delusions) (of 451)

April 22 - Is somewhat less depressed & wails less - talks less of her delusions & seems to have settled down into her old corner of the infirmary - still troublesome about food & almost uncooperative - RCD -

April 29 - Distinctly less depressed - but occupies herself very little & is still troublesome about food - Her delusions (of imminent torture, of being up a chimney) are passing off - RCD -

May 8 - Somewhat less depressed but continues to take food very badly & rarely occupies herself w/ full of delusions of torture & of suspicion - RCD -

May 16 - Is very full of her delusions & is taking food very badly, having to be fed by tube - her language is most foul & she is very resistant, struggling violently when dressed undressed, moved from chair &c - yesterday had some diarrhea and better - slight bronchitis & is in bed - RCD -

May 20 - Still in bed & with slight bronchitis - expectoration fairly copious - language & habits dirty - utterly refuses food & is fed by tube 3 times a day taking daily at least milk & 4 eggs - RCD -

May 26 - Has taken some food by mouth last 2 days but still requires to be fed by tube once or twice a day - bronchitis nearly gone - is now up for a few hours each day - Full of her delusions - RCD -

June 22 - Continues unoccupied & restless: full of delusions of torture & suspicion - was very strong & foul language & consequently usually has to be kept in a room by herself - is taking food better - bronchitis quite gone & she is stronger than she was - RCD -

Aug: 5 - yesterday had a slight hysterio-epileptic fit, 6:50 (see p: 28) today was quite recovered - not that she is less depressed than she was & her language is less continuously foul - she is very full of delusions and more of a hypochondriacal nature - eg has no legs, has no body, is to be murdered &c - RCD -

Aug: 28 - Has considerably improved - is less depressed & her delusions are passing off - she now rarely uses the foul & forcible language above referred to - no further fit - RCD -

Sept: 26 - Has a slight fall yesterday down a flight of stairs - landing into the infirmary court - has damaged her left patella - RCD -

Dec: 21 - Improvement steadily maintained - she is now fairly cheerful & occupies herself as well as her age will admit - the delusions are all passing off & she does not now use the foul language to which she was formerly addicted - Phys health improved - no further fit - & she is gaining flesh & strength - RCD -

March 28 - Improvement maintained - she occupies herself well - Phys health much improved - RCD -

July 3 - Continues cheerful & occupied - there is some mental confusion with loss of memory & she is slightly unbalanced - (see 451) RCD -

girl - She is somewhat restless, & to be fed by spoon & sleeps badly - memory very defective -



Ap: 17 -
(very restless
of her delusions)
(of 43)

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2101

Mary Sarah Wathers

Ad. 4p:16.99 married - aged 43 - wife of retired Tea
R.O. " " " merchant - Ch of Eng. Pres address.

C. ind. " 16 " Brentford Union Infirmary Toleworth -
1st attack of about 7 days duration -
cause " not known" - not E. but D. &
has once made a vague threat of S. (schizo)

1st certif: That she is subject of delusions, believing that
her home is an unfit place to live in. Found
the said patient in a semi nude condition
screaming & at times extremely
violent. She was suffering from acute mania.
Her speech was rapid & incoherent & one
sentence had no relation to the next. etc

April 10.99 (signed) D.H. Hutchinson M.D.
of Florence Rd Ealing

2nd certif: corroborates.

April 11.99 (signed) F.R. Howard
of 2 Windsor Road - Ealing

Fam: Hist. said to be nil

Pres: Hist. M. Turic - by 1st husband said to have
contracted S - married at 21 - 1 boy 8 by 2nd hus

Said to have had pleurisy & 2nd turic.
Health since birth of child indifferent - said

there had a tumour between womb bladder &
rectum diagnosed by D^r - (parametritis?)
Said to have had floating kidney - pain -

Catarrhic regular - last m.p. 7-10 days ago.

Miss Galtok Moved from London to Ealing 1 month ago
Attack began suddenly - taken from her home
to Union by police fetched by her husband at
3 am. in consequence of her violence.

Large self cut
for some months
violent temper

while in Union very violent - in padded
room. destructive to furniture & clothing
Natural disposition - said to be always
irritable & excitable, ^{there became} worse of late -
husband also said to be irritable & bad-
tempered - but circumstances are comfort-
able & her life is a fairly happy one.

Condition on Admission

Gallery T
H.F.
W.C.

Physical
on P.C. is very thin - ribs & angles
of scapulae being plainly perceptible
at a distance of several feet - on
admission she had many bruises, the
larger being over the post. surface of both
arms, & the ant. surface of both thighs,
while there are many scattered small
bruises over the ant. surf. of both
arms & forearms, about shoulders & about
ankles - there are large reddened patches
over both sacrum & also over tibiae ischi
but the skin is not actually broken.
Over ant. surface of both tibiae are large
scars, somewhat pigmented - stated by P.C.
to be the result of old ulcers - probably tertiary
(see hist.)

Note flat over right lower base with
weak breathing - prob: due to old thickened
pleura (see hist.) expansion of apex not
good & at right apex an occasional murmur
of is heard - no further P.C. detected.

H.F. not dated - st. tonsils P. about 84 -
somewhat irregular in form, whitening
diver dulness normal. P.C. kidney can
be ...

somewhat knotty & hard - uterus enlarged & felt easily per ab: - no P.V. exam made - marked thick glairy yellowish leucorrhoea

Urine 1925 - acc urates - rest of exam unreliable
Teeth very bad - only 4 or 5 left of these are serious -

Eyes brown - pupils equal & react to L.A. normally & to skin stimulation.
Reflexes fair - other reflexes normal

B. Mental Acute mania -
Patient P.V. is exceedingly restless, moving round the padded room - refuses to keep on any clothing - is wet & dirty - Conversation shows rapid ideation & is almost entirely incoherent, though she can occasionally give an intelligent answer to a question - Her language is most foul & filthy at times. She has numerous delusions constantly changing delusions - e.g. that she has lately come in for over £100,000 - that she is at present in a palace - that she has numerous titles & has very high connections - She is noisy & excited by day & night & requires to be fed by spoon though she then takes well

April 18. Continues very restless noisy & incoherent persists in hitting herself with her fist & consequently has today two fresh bruises over inner surfaces of both thighs Talking before food fairly well when fed by spoon - R.C.D.

April 24. Is slightly quieter & less restless, taking food fairly & is sleeping most of the night after paralydide ~~77~~ - still more or less incoherent with numerous delusions of exaltation e.g. describes her padded room as being covered with pale blue plush & ceiling as being decorated with elaborate paintings. Brains somewhat injured - R.C.D.

May 1. Is quieter & less restless than she was but is still more or less incoherent with numerous delusions of exaltation & is still oblivious to her surroundings uses the most foul & filthy language, habits wet & dirty by day & night - not for some hours today. R.C.D.

May 8. Slightly quieter - is dressed & out most of the day in the court - language foul & her remarks are still more or less incoherent frequently tears off her clothing & is frequently wet & dirty - frequently requires hypodermic - R.C.D.



Taken May 15, 1919

May 16. Is somewhat quieter on the whole but her habits are most filthy - yesterday she suddenly stripped off all her clothing but one small garment & ran down the gallery - language very foul & is taking food better & there is less incoherence & confusion of mind - R.C.D.

May 22. Somewhat quieter & habits somewhat better - R.C.D.

July 26. Ponticus very rowdy noisy & incoherent for the first time since admission 4 days ago note & letter (the annexed) RCD-

Aug: 3. Very wild excited & incoherent - refuses to keep on his clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight fall on the dining court & has a small abrasion on left thigh - RCD-

Sept: 19



continues very wild & excited very destructive & degraded - smears her face with plaster, decorates herself with feathers, scraps of wood & leaves. Usually quite incoherent, at times can talk reasonably for a few minutes. Phys health fair - the rash is kept under by treatment & the febrile cellulitis is much improved - RCD-

Sept: 25. The last 3 days there has been a very marked improvement. she is now coherent, occupies herself properly clothed & is neither destructive nor ill - RCD-

Oct: 7. Improvement maintained - cheerful, occupied talking coherently & reasonably - taking a proper pride in her personal appearance - eating & sleeping well. Today went on leave - unfortunately a photo could not be obtained - RCD-

Dec: 19. Was discharged today from leave RCD-

Discharged Dec 19-1910

Selma May Waddle (cont'd p: 420)

112010
+6

Same character - she is often very emotional & weeps copiously on that same - Phogole she is often noisy at night, the complaints of "injections being made into her skin", of various impossible objections to her treatment, and on her approach

Sept: 16
11208

Beloved & Adore
I love, my life, my
love, & Adore &
we might think, may
your life with mine
& love W. Waddle
be one of love & happiness
I happen to may I go
on in raising children
next to the 1200
I love & worship the
also the "land on"
Gives, which you
gather, may with my

Dec: 31
1202

March 21
1205

May 26.

Discharged

novel delusion of demands compensation at the rate of \$50,000 a day - Phys health good - but her attitudes nervous RCD

Was today transferred to S. Andrew's Northampton - Was examined before leaving, found to have no marks or bruise beyond a small bruise on the right side - caused by a kick from the things

July 26. Continues very cloudy morning of weakness
8:40 for the first time since admission 4 days ago
note 2 letters, (the annexes) RCD-

Aug: 3. Very wild excited, & violent - refuses to keep a
7:50 1/2 her clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight
fall out on the dining court of her 2 small abraded
on left thigh -

Sept: 19



Continues
very deaf
amnesia
discretes
scraps, &
quite in
talk re
Phys heal
left und

Sept: 20. The last 3 days there has
improvement. she is now
is properly clothed & is in
bed.

Oct: 7. Improvement maintain
talking coherently, & reason
in her personal appearance.
Today went on leave - no
notes obtained -

Dec: 19. Was discharged today

Discharged Dec: 19-1900

Selvia Mary Waddle (cont'd p: 420)

112510
+6

Same character - she is often very excited
& weeps copiously - in that case. Physiol she
is often noisy at night, the complaints of
"injections being made into her skin", of various
impossible operations being performed on her

Dear Sam "Loppin's"
I would be far off here so
write you with love & white
all my family & friends of
of your dear dear head
at least never to part, &
try & prepare the part in
believe, I was mad mad
mad in my head, for
the good of others only
the officers who were
with you in our courage
I will personally

Thank Joe & myself
also for the love
of King and her friends
have at the
present moment

Thank the pres. & social
as to the 12 days of
could you be. We
have plenty of

Thank some
Thank some
Thank some

usual delirium & demands compensation
at the rate of \$50,000 a day. Phys health
good - but her stomach nervous RCD

May 26.

Discharged May

Was today transferred to S. Andrew's North
ampton - was examined before leaving, found
to have no marks or bruises beyond a small bruise
on the right side - caused by a fall from the top of

July 26. Ponticus very rowdy noisy & incontinent. Sarc 10 for the first time since admission 4 days ago and 20 more letters. (the arrival) RCD-

Aug: 3. Very wild excited & incontinent - refuses to keep on her clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight fall out on the dining court & has 2 small abrasions on left thigh. RCD-

Sept: 19



Continues very wild & excited very destructive & degraded - smears her face with plaster discharges herself with feathers & scraps of wooly leaves. Usually quite incontinent, at times can talk reasonably for a few minutes. Phys health fair - the rash is kept under by treatment. & the

pelvic cellulitis is much improved. RCD-

Sept: 20. The last 3 days there has been a very marked improvement. she is now coherent, occupies herself properly clothed & is neither destructive nor dirty. RCD-

Oct: 7. Improvement maintained - cheerful, occupied talking coherently & reasonably - taking a proper pride in her personal appearance - eating & sleeping well. Today went on leave - unfortunately a phial. could not be obtained. RCD-

Dec: 19. Was discharged today from leave RCD-

Discharged Dec 19-1900

Selvia Mary Waddle (cont'd p: 420) 2015

11x10. +6 Same character - she is often very emotional & weeps copiously without cause. Phlegm she is often noisy at night & the caplains of "injections being made into her skin", of various impossible operations being performed on her as she is approaching

Sept 11

July 26th 1899 - Waltham. XT.
The Palace
Calcutta
July 26th 1899
To my dear
Beloved, I was out of my mind in Calcutta & you took me back with you to the Brentford Hospital. In the process under the advice of my near & valuable Dr. George Burford hence my everlasting & happy life with you

Dec:

March 15

May 26.

Discharged May 26

mental delusion & demands compensation at the rate of £50,000 a day. Phys health good - but her stubbornness remains RCD
Was today transferred to S. Andrew's Northampton - was examined before leaving, found to have no marks or bruises beyond a small bruise on the right shin - caused by a fall from the steps

July 26. Continues very rowdy noisy & incoherent for the first time since admission 4 days ago wrote a letter (the annexed) RCD-

Aug: 3. Very wild excited & incoherent - refuses to keep on her clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight fall out on the dining court & has 2 small abrasions on left thigh. RCD-

Sept: 19



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Sept: 23. The last 3 days there has been a very marked improvement. she is now coherent, occupies herself properly clothed & is neither destructive nor delirious. RCD-

Oct: 7. Improvement maintained - cheerful, occupied talking coherently & reasonably - taking a proper pride in her personal appearance. eating & sleeping well. Today went on leave - unfortunately a phot. could not be obtained. RCD-

Dec: 19. Was discharged today from leave RCD-

Discharged Dec 19-1900

Selma May Waddle (cont'd p: 420)

112510. +6

Same character - she is often very emotional & weeps copiously without cause. Phlegm she is often noisy at night & these complaints of "injections being made into her skin", of various impossible operations being performed on her. Phys: health - improvement is approaching rapidly again.

XI-414

Sept 11

St Pauls Heath
March 21st 1902

B2 Moore

Sir I demand
Your discontinue
making a section
of me by setting
upon me for
an illegal purpose
After this date I

March 12

usual delirium & demands compensation at the rate of £50,000 a day. Phys health good - but her stomach nervous RCD

May 26.

Was today transferred to S. Andrew's Northampton - Was examined before leaving, found to have no marks or bruise beyond a small bruise on the right side - caused by a kick from Mrs. Thompson.

Discharged May 26

July 26. Continues very rowdy noisy & incoherent for the first time since admission 4 days ago wrote a letter (the annexed) RCD-

Aug 3. Very wild excited & incoherent - refuses to keep on her clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight fall on the dining room floor & small abrasion on left thigh - RCD-

Sept: 19



Continues very wild & excited

very dirty sweats & discharges (scrap) in quite in talk with Physicall kept under

Sept: 20. The last 3 days there has been improvement. she is now properly clothed & is no longer dirty.

Oct: 7. Improvement continues. Talking coherently & reasonable in her personal appearance. Today went on leave - no notes obtained.

Dec: 19. Was discharged today

Discharged Dec: 19-1900

Selvia May Waddle (cont'd p: 420) 2015

112510. +8

Same character - she is often very emotional & weeps copiously in that case. Physicall she is often noisy at night & the complaints of "injections being made into her skin", of various impossible operations being performed on her. Physicall health good - the response is appropriate - she is becoming more rational & orderly.

Must make the further charge of £50,000 each day I am victimised, the payment to be made before the 1st of April
S.P. Waddle.

...very delirious at she is impossible she has ... attacks on food but she ... at night RCD - ... good but she RCD ... the ...

May 26.

Discharged today

... at the rate of £50,000 a day. Physicall good - but her distress increases RCD Was today transferred to S. Andrew's Northampton - was examined before leaving, found to have no marks or bruises beyond a small bruise on the right side - caused by a fall from the steps ...

July 26. Pontine very rowdy noisy & incontinent. For the first time since admission 4 days ago wrote a letter. (the arrival) RCD-

Aug: 3. Very wild excited & incontinent - refuses to keep on her clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight fall out on the airing court & has 2 small abrasions on left thigh. RCD-

Sept: 19



Continues very wild & excited very destructive & degraded - smears her face with plaster discharges herself with feathers & scraps of wool & leaves. Usually quite incontinent, at times can talk reasonably for a few minutes. Phys health fair - the rash is kept under by treatment - & the pelvic cellulitis is much improved. RCD-

Sept: 25. The last 3 days there has been a very marked improvement. she is now coherent, occupies herself properly clothed & is neither destructive nor incontinent. RCD-

Oct: 7. Improvement maintained - cheerful, occupied talking coherently & reasonably - taking a proper pride in her personal appearance. eating & sleeping well. Today went on leave - unfortunately a photo. could not be obtained. RCD-

Dec: 19. Was discharged today from leave RCD-

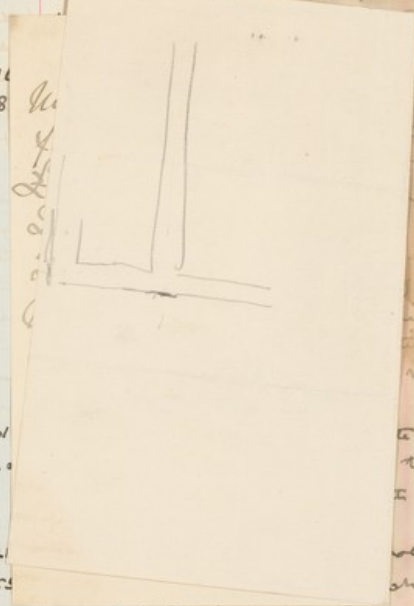
Discharged Dec: 19-1900

Selina Mary Waddle (cont'd p: 420)

112510
+8

Same character - she is often very emotional & weeps copiously in that case. Physically she is often noisy at night & then complains of "injections being made into her skin", of various impossible operations being performed on her. RCD-

Sept: 11
11258



Dec: 21
120

March 21
1205

May 26.

Discharged May 26

usual delirium & demands compensation at the rate of £50,000 a day - Phys health good - but her stomachic increases RCD

Was today transferred to S. Andrew's Northampton - Was examined before leaving & found to have no marks or bruises beyond a small bruise on the left shin - caused by a kick from Mrs. Thompson. RCD-

July 26. Continues very rowdy noisy & incontinent. 8 or 10 for the first time since admission 4 days ago made a letter, (the annexed) RCD-

Aug: 3. Very wild excited & incontinent - refuses to keep on her clothing - very destructive & degraded - had a slight fall out on the airing court & has 2 small abrasions on left thigh - RCD-

Sept: 19



Continues very wild & excited very destructive & degraded - smears her face with plaster decorates herself with feathers & scraps of wool & leaves. Usually quite incontinent, at times can talk reasonably for a few minutes. Phys: health fair - the rash is kept under by treatment & the pelvic cellulitis is much improved - RCD-

Sept: 20. The last 3 days there has been a very marked improvement. She is now coherent, occupies herself properly clothed & is neither destructive nor dirty - RCD-

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Dec: 19. Was discharged today from leave RCD-

Discharged Dec: 19-1900

Selina Mary Waddle (cont'd p: p: 420) RCD

11510, 48

Same character - she is often very emotional & weeps copiously without cause. Phys: she is often noisy at night & there are plain of "injections being made into her skin", of various impossible operations being performed on her. Phys: health good - the temperature is approx. she is becoming very stout - actually gained weight each month - RCD-

Sept: 16.

11518

Continues unaltered - frequently very emotional - continues full of delusions of the same type, stating that she is nightly chloroformed & that impossible operations are performed upon her - she has occasional delusions of poison - & is at times very violent, making savage attacks on staff & P's - Phys: health good but she steadily gains in bulk - attributing this increase, not to her great appetite & indulgent habits, but to injections given her at night - RCD-

Dec: 31 -

1225

Continues as on above note - Her delusions are often of a very objectionable type & her language very foul - Phys: health good but she is terribly stout - A. RCD

March 21. 02

1225

Continues as on above note - the annexed letter written today shows her usual delusion & demands compensation at the rate of £50,000 a day - Phys: health good - but her stoutness increases - RCD

May 26.

Discharged May 26

Was today transferred to S. Andrew's Northampton - Was examined before leaving & found to have no marks or bruises beyond a small bruise on the right arm - caused by a kick from Mrs. Thripp - RCD

Selina Anne Waddle

Ad^d Ap: 20.99 Single - aged 42 - Gentlewoman.

R.O. Ap: 13.99 Ch: of Eng: - Pres: address 49 Scarsdale

C. invl. Ap: 21.99 Villa, Kensington - 1st attack of some

six months' duration - Supposed cause: -

Solitude & lack of employment. Necessity

1st conf: She told me that detectives in the pay of medical men & clergymen were always following her, giving her narcotics & electric shocks for the purpose of injuring her. (cont^d) an Italian waiter is coming over from Italy to be married to her at night whilst she is under the influence of narcotics.

Apr: 10.99.

(signed) Henry Pelham

of 1 Pembroke Gardens W

2nd "

corroborates & adds that "she stated that she had been put under an anaesthetic against her will & impossible operations performed by eminent London surgeons."

Apr: 10.99

(signed) E.T. Robinson M.D.

of 21 Gloucester Place - W.

Fam: Hist: Sister very neurotic -

Pres: Hist: Has lived alone ^{in apartment} for some years - & has gradually developed delusions of suspicion. For past 6 months has had delusions of being chloroformed, of having ^{an} operation performed upon her - & of being followed about by detectives - Has lately quarrelled with all her friends - become hypochondriacal & talked of having "lost both lungs" - conduct not much affected, has been able to shop, go to the stores

without attracting attention - Takes food

fairly, sleeps badly -

Gen health good - response has not commenced -

Habits of late very silent - used to

play croquet tennis & bicycle - & play

whist - now unoccupied -

Said to have a marked dread of magic

Condition of on Admission - A Physical

Examination I

PS is small - well nourished - Eyes

greenish - pupils somewhat dilated, but

equal - react to L.A. conservatively &

to skin stimulation. Hair reddish, turning

grey - Tongue furred & cracked -

constipation - Talks of a cough - but no

PS of disease are detected in chest or

abdomen - on the somewhat curvy

examⁿ permitted by PS (see notes)

Pulse 68 regular - full -

Kneejacks good - other reflexes normal.

Urine 1022 - ac: clear - no alb: blood present

Catamenia stated to be regular & painless

B. Mental Mania with delusions

PS is emotionally unstable, weeping

copiously & bitterly complaining of being

trapped to a lunatic asylum -

She has numerous delusions - that she is

followed by "spirits" & "detectives" & "seen" by

various people that she is constantly

2105

Selina Anne Waddell

Ad. Ap: 20.99 Single - aged 42 - Gentlewoman.
R.O. Ap: 13.99 Ch: of Eng: - Prev: address 49 Scarsdale
C. ind. Ap: 21.99 Villas, Kensington - 1st attack of some

six months' duration - supposed cause
Solitude & lack of employment - not E

1st cert: She told me that detectives in the pay of
men & clergymen were always following
giving her narcotics & electric shocks for
purpose of injuring her. (cont) as Steiner
is coming over from stay to be married to
at night whilst she is under the influence
narcotics -

Apr 10.99. (signed) Henry Pell
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of having "lost both lungs" - conduct not
affected, has been able to shop, go to the si

without attracting attention - Takes food
fairly, sleeps badly -
Gen health good - mania has not
commenced -
Habits of late very silent - used to
play croquet tennis & bicycle - & play
whist - now unoccupied -
Said to have a marked dread of May 22

Condition of on Admission - A Physical

Gallery I P.R.
H: P: is small - well nourished - Eyes
W: greenish - pupils somewhat dilated, but
equal - react to L.A. consensually &
to skin stimulation. Hair reddish, turning
grey - Tongue furred & cracked -
constipation - Talks of a cough - but no
PS of disease are detected in chest or
abdomen - on the somewhat cursory
examⁿ permitted by P: (see notes)
Pulse 68 regular - full -
Knee jerks good - other reflexes normal.
Urine 1022 - ac: clear - no alb: blood present
Catamenia stated to be regular & painless

B. Mental Mania with delusions
P: is emotionally unstable, weeping
copiously & bitterly complaining of being
trapped to a lunatic asylum -
She has numerous delusions - that she is
followed by "spies & detectives" whom she
vainly seeks - that she is constantly

given narcotics & anaesthetics, that she is also "charged constantly with electricity". She talks mysteriously of "an awful plot" she has lately discovered, that of some terrible event which is apparently to fall due on May 22, but on this topic she becomes mysterious & talks in a suspicious & frightened manner - it does not appear to be her death. She states that she still waits to arrive from Italy when she will have to marry though she does not wish to do so; some awful influence being brought upon her, in order to compel her "mesmerism or what not" - No hallucinations elicited - Memory appears to be good - She slept restlessly last night & takes food rather badly -

Refuses to be photographed

April 24 - Much less emotional & is settling in fairly well but is full of delusions - she gives a complete & fairly plausible account of persecutions extending over the last 8 yrs: set on foot by a certain clergy man whom she describes as having given her a narcotic & having then performed an elaborate & utterly impossible operation upon her - since then she has been constantly pursued by spirits & devils who have labelled her to every one she meets. Quite unoccupied RCD

May 1 - Has developed numerous delusions as to her own body - cuts all her ^{days} clothes to pieces, stating that she has swollen so much of late owing to the "constant forcing in of studs into the tissues" restless & unoccupied RCD



May 29, 99.

May 8 - Is less emotional but retains her numerous delusions as before - still restless & steady - has been nearly for some time a few minutes out of her mind

May 15 - Somewhat less emotional & restless but is very full of her delusions - as to her body being changed, & of being followed by spirits & devils - also of electricity RCD

May 22 - Delusions are very prominent - she also now states that the spirits & devils have followed her here & carry out various "tricks" upon her - Has forgotten her former dread of the devils - "unpack the nervous system" RCD

June 22 - Is less emotional & more on the whole fairly cheerful - but has numerous delusions & that "illegal ops" are performed upon her by the spirits; that the spirits & devils still persecute her continually, that her "body is quite changed by the constant forcing in of the awful studs" - that she is affected by mesmerism & electricity from a distance - &c. Phys: health good - catamenia regular - RCD

July 20 - Has settled in very fairly but is very full of her delusions of the same character as before - but she occupies herself more than she did & is in consequence less restless - Phys: health good - RCD

Sept. 19 - on the whole is less restless than she was but is very full of her delusions - 2 days ago stayed in bed for a day under the delusion that she had been given an anaesthetic the night before & an illegal operation

performed - Phys health good - catamenia regular R.C.D.

Jan: 4. 1900 On the night of Dec 29th P^r attempted to escape
n^o 7 getting out of her room between 5:30 & 6 am, &
going into the another on the ground floor; here
she squeezed through the window & reached across
part of the grounds before she was brought back by
the nurses - she has consequently been sent
to n^o 5 she can talk readily & pleasantly
but is very full of the delusions of persecution
(being followed by spies & detectives - of having impossible
operations performed upon her etc) Phys health
good. but for a heavy cold - menses appear
beginning - amenorrhoea past 2 months: R.C.D.

Jan: 10. Catamenia just reappeared - she is more excited
(n^o 7) 10212 full of delusions - mostly of a hypochondriacal
nature - eg repeatedly states that she has serious
kidney & bladder mischief - when this was ascertained
& the urine is perfectly normal. R.C.D.

March 28. Is somewhat quieter & less emotional.
(15) 10213 occupies herself more than she did - is
becoming very stout - phys health good R.C.D.

June 20 Very variable - at times very depressed & emotional
10214 crying copiously over the "awful persecutions" to
which she is subjected - stating that she is constantly
chloroformed in bed or in the open grounds & impossible
operations then performed upon her - At other times
excited restless & abusive - at times violent.
Phys health good but she is very stout partly owing
to her violent habits. catamenia fairly regular R.C.D.

Sept: 14 Continues as on last note - has today gone down
n^o 5. having been very noisy & abusive of late -
10215 this morning having smashed crockery & thrown
articles out of the window - Phys health good. R.C.D.

Sept: 20 Back in n^o 7 - covering full of her delusions. Today
10215 telling reports that one of the nurses had spent the
whole night injecting food into her skin - R.C.D.

Oct: 24. Remained to n^o 5 - has been very troublesome
10212 for some days. Today was violent when getting up
striking a nurse a violent blow & then hit &
damaged a door - going some reason for so
doing that a nurse had been injecting food
into her & performing surgical operations
upon her during the night. R.C.D.

Dec: 21 Delusions very prominent & are of the same
11201 character - she is at times very emotional
n^o 5 & is sometimes excited & is then apt to be
impulsively violent - on Dec 18 pinned a lady (Mrs
Gibbs) at table then on coming up stairs threw
heavy book at her then at the change nurse &
later threw another patient - was removed
to n^o 5 where she still is - Phys health good but
she is gaining very stout - has gained 20 lbs in
year - amenorrhoea since May. R.C.D.

Jan: 22. 01. Has been frequently violent of late - yesterday
11201 1/2 struck a P^r (Miss Niels) & threw her against
a marble slab & when spoken to by a nurse for so
doing, struck the latter - in the afternoon pulled
a chair away from another P^r (Mrs Ritten) throwing
her down - Delusions very prominent - R.C.D.

March 19 - Still in n^o 5 - on Dec 18 fought with a P^r -
11204 & is frequently excited & abusive - usually in
obedience to auditory hallucinations - has numerous
delusions of persecution - of impossible operations
performed upon her & the like - Phys health
good but she is becoming very stout. R.C.D.

June 21. Continues unchanged - is very violent &
abusive - at times her delusions are one of the
11204

2107 Catharine Yorkie single

Ad. Ap: 29.99 aged 45 1/2 Ch: of Eng: - Transferred from R.O. Nov: 4.96 Glendale - Portwood Road - Southampton -

Cond. Ap: where she has been since Nov: 26.96. 1st attack of

Transfer: about 62 yrs duration. supposed cause: influenza & shock from death of stepmother not E.S.S.S.

1st atty: She states that she rises very late mornings, because she has given up the mornings to give & receive telegraph or something of that sort communications by word of mouth. states that she hears voices that tell her eg that Mrs Hoadley is talking to her & gives accounts to them and she has made for which she is promised £5000000 also that she influenced the course of the late cab strike by talking to them - she states that, impressing people in the street found that a definite individual has informed her by telegraphic voice as to his capacity in life & as to papers he has in his possession Oct: 25.96.

2nd " coronaries. Nov: 28.96. by A.S. Tomkins of 15 Charlotte St. Minnie Park, Brighton

Fam: Hist: mother died of "diphtheria" [Brother a brewer]

Prev: Hist: has been more or less under care for past 7 yrs. Was at Bethlem for months in -92 then under private care at depot of 801/90 at Southampton attack said to have begun after the death of her step mother following an attack of influenza in 75 said to have drunk to excess. liberty during past 2 years apparently not sufficiently restricted - & has apparently partly continued intemperate habits. Health good - no serious illnesses -

Condition on Admission A. Physical

July 17/07 P: is well developed & is stout & well nourished slight acne over body & hair dark turning grey. Eyes greenish - pupils small but equal & react to light retain - slowly to accommodation

consensually, to skin stimulation - Tongue somewhat red & cracked - con- tin- no S- of dyspepsia, there are no PS of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs - Liver palpable - slight varicose veins of left leg below knee - small hemorrhoids - no disease. Kneejoints brisk - other reflexes normal cranial reflex present - no tenderness of nerve trunks - Sensation normal. Urine

B. Mental

P: is very garrulous, by conversation having a decided turn towards inco- herency - she gives a confused account of what led her to come here, stating that 5 days before admission she went alone into the town & was pursued by boys & people laughing at her - she herself said nothing strange in her conduct w: would lead them to do so. She has numerous delusions: she stated that she had been married in 1892 but had not seen the man since & was not sure who he was, she said she was sure she had a "chloroform bag" inside her (pointing to her left iliac region) though she could give no reason for so stating; she stated that she had been hypnotized & on reporter turning her head, at once said that she was "hypnotized" to do the same - She said that she was a Government agent, & had given

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her. She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telegrams" of smell - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke entering into a long rambling statement that all the nurses here carry smoke about with them, by means of a pin placed in their skirt - none of sight, taste or common sensation elicited.

Her memory is impaired - she occupies herself to a certain extent under supervision & takes her meals - but is restless at night.



May 5. 99

May 7 - Her delusions are numerous & continue of the same character as on last note. She has now hallucinations of sight as well as hearing & smell & states that she sees the smoke ascending from the skirts of the nurses - Has a marked craving for alcohol & constantly asks for it - R.C.D.

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write unimpaired letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22 - Contentious as on last note R.C.D.
 June 8. Somewhat more excited & frequent days of alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly takes the telephone R.C.D.

July 10. Miss Yorke June 17. 99
 XI. 474. Dr. Ains Health & Lady Virginia Water The Committee of Dr. Moore

Sept 19. I was told this evening that the tea I took was rather poor

Nov 10. 1900. As you said I might not leave the gallery as I was in danger and safer here I wonder you did not stop it being

March 28. I'm the name of the stuff to Philadelphia or some name like that do effects

July 3. Hallucinations - often noisy & abusive - Physio health excellent.

Sept 24. Restless & unoccupied - very full of her delusions & hallucinations - often noisy at night - sometimes very excited - Physio health good R.C.D.

Dec 31. Restless & unoccupied - has constantly changing delusions of hallucinations & of identity with various all the senses & more or less incoherence - often

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to us. She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telegrams" & of smell - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke - entering into a long rambling statement that all the nurses here carry smoke about with them, by means of a pin placed in their skirt - none of sight, taste or common sensation elicited.

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May 22 - Continues as on last note. R.C.D.
 June 8. Somewhat more excited - sleepless days - alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly takes of the telegraphic communications. R.C.D.

July 21. Restless & delirious as to being affected by electricity & by telegrams - continues to think that she can detect the signs of the water and believing in

could be sucked out.
 hm!

Sept: 19 -
 9004 Trusting you will see us at once

Believe me
 Yours sincerely
 Catherine Spink

27th June.

March 28
 9005 I had that the pneumonia have impaired my health & life here for 20000 us

July 3
 9003 I cannot see any reason for destroying me.

Sept 24
 80010 delirious & hallucinated - after waking at night - becomes very excited. Phys health good R.C.D.

Dec: 31
 80011 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly changing delusions of excitation & of identity with various all the senses & more has incoherence - still asks constantly for alcohol. R.C.D.

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May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write innumerable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22 - Continues ~~as on last note~~ R.C.D.
 June 8. Somewhat more excited last few days & alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly talks of the telegraphic communication R.C.D.

July 21. Restless & delirious as to being affected by electricity & by telegrams continues to talk of the conducting the affairs of the nation, and talking of

Miss Gynke
 XI. 4. 21
 St. Anne's Hall
 Holloway, London
 Virginia Water
 May 1st 1899.

Sept: 19 -
 9254
 10.1900
 9255

The Marquis of Salisbury,
 I'm relied entirely on for
 him but I find that

March 28
 9255

Must if this is what I want
 I shall be bound to stay
 I cannot understand

July 3
 9253

And Appeal to
 Your Highness Court

Sept 24
 82510

delusions & hallucinations - after noon at night -
 at times very excited - Phys health good R.C.D.

Dec: 31
 82511

Restless & unoccupied - no constantly sleeping
 delusions of smell & of identity with hallucinations
 all the nurses & nurses has involvement - at times

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her. She had hallucinations of hearing, stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telephones" of small - stating that she smells sulphur & musk - contents into a large rambling statement that she has my case investigated at once. When Nurse Charles also Mrs Weston brought me here she said my brother Abraham Abney had placed me here and then I asked I probed for Dr. Moore for a full investigation I understood from



May 7 - Her delusions are now same character as on last hallucination of sight as well, that she sees the smoke skirts of the nurses - Has alcohol & constantly asks for

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write innumerable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22 - Continues ~~the~~ last note R.C.D.
 June 8. Somewhat more excited except days of alcoholic evening is very much - constantly talks of the telegraphic communications R.C.D.

July 21. - Patient has delirium as to being affected by electricity by telephones continues to talk of the conducting the effects of the water, and Salisbury

to have my case investigated at once. When Nurse Charles also Mrs Weston brought me here she said my brother Abraham Abney had placed me here and then I asked I probed for Dr. Moore for a full investigation I understood from

for them. The treatment I received the last week or two days has much diminished my natural strength and I do not think I shall have any more news but I will write you. My wife the Queen has sanctioned \$1000 & 30,000 for me will have to go to my niece & nephews: the

Dec 10 delirium & hallucinations very excited - Phys health good R.C.D.
 Dec 21 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly delirium of scattered & of identity with hallucinations all the same - has been in treatment - R.C.D.

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her - She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telegrams" & of smell - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke - enters into a love

rambling statement that carry smoke about with it placed in their skirt - no common sentiment which her memory is impaired to a certain extent under her delirium - but is rest



May 7 - Her delusions are more same character as on last. Hallucinations of sight as well as that she sees the smoke & skirts of the nurses - Has a alcohol & constantly asks for

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write unnumbered letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22. Continues ~~the~~ last note R.C.D.
June 8. somewhat more excited cheerful days - alcoholic craving is very marked constantly takes the telegraphic communication R.C.D.
July 21. Restless has delirium as to being affected by electricity & by telegrams continues to talk of calculating the effects of the matter, and talking of

Unreliability of the Throity or plea.
I was : : Yours sincerely
married to and Catherine Lykes
His constant peckish help makes any help but yours in- in my mind you know or disapprove
practicable please let Mr. Bree do his best for you & I
from Saw at St. Louis of course she 4 persons
Heath and my loggia and I do not mean
who placed me very indifferently
here or that or. May 1st 1899.

8210 delirium & hallucinations - often noisy at night - asthenia very excited - Phys health good R.C.D.
Dec 31 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly sleeping
8211 delirium of scattered & of identity with hallucinations all the senses - more or less incoherent - attention not sustained - Phys health good - R.C.D.

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her - She had hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telegrams" of small - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke - contents into a large rambling statement that she carries about with her placed in their skirt - in common conversation she has memory is impaired to a certain extent under her name - but is re-



May 7 - Her delusions are now same character as on last hallucination of sight as well as that she sees the smoke skirts of the nurses - Has alcohol & constantly asks for

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write innumerable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22 - Continues to be in last state R.C.D.
 June 8. somewhat more excited in few days - alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly talks of the telegraphic communications R.C.D.

July 21. - Patient has delirium as to being affected by electricity & by telegraphic currents to think that she can conduct the effects of the water and Salubrious R.C.D.

his Majesty that my liberty was taken & I still trust to your honor & her Majesty's grace to protect me & her aliases took my silver card and my purse & promised to give me ^{them} when I meet my brother but I am not likely to see him here please let

Dec 10 delirium & hallucinations - very full of her activities very excited - Phys health good R.C.D.
 Dec 31 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly changing delusions of scatology & of identity with her all the senses - has no insight - R.C.D.

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her. She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telegrams" of smell - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke - entering into a long rambling statement that all the nurses here carry snuff about with them, by means of a pin placed in their skirt - none of sight, taste or common sensibility distorted.

Her speaking is impaired - she occupies herself to a certain extent under supervision & takes food well - but is restless at night.



May 5. 99

May 7 - Her delusions are numerous & continue of the same character as on last note. She has now hallucinations of sight as well of hearing & smell & states that she sees the smoke ascending from the skirts of the nurses. Has a marked craving for alcohol & constantly asks for it. R.C.D.

May 15. Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write unimpassable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol. R.C.D.

May 22. Continues ~~as on last note~~ R.C.D.
June 8. Somewhat more excited last few days & alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly takes of the telegraphic communications. R.C.D.

July 21. Restless & delirious as to being affected by electricity & by telegrams continues to think that she can detect the effects of the water, and Salisbury on her mind. R.C.D.

Sept: 19. ^{Know} Mrs. Ho. S. is not quite R.C.D.
9204 Any letters will be written R.C.D.

10. 19. 9205 I am sorry to hear of your illness & still rely on England's honor R.C.D.

9206 Yrds sincerely Catherine York R.C.D.

March 2. 9205 Yr letter about Cecil and many of the copies that I was to produce R.C.D.

July 3. 9206 being on my part have been detained please see R.C.D.

Sept 2. 8210 Delusions & hallucinations very excited. Phys. health good R.C.D.

Dec: 31. 8211 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly delirious of electricity & of identity with hallucinations of all the senses & much less incoherence - R.C.D.

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the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her. She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telephones" of small - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke, entering into a long rambling statement that all the nurses here carry smoke about with them, by means of a pin placed in their skirt - none of sight, taste or common sensation elicited.

Her memory is impaired - she occupies herself to a certain extent under supervision & takes good meals - but is restless at night.



May 5. 99

May 7 - Her delusions are numerous & continue of the same character as on last note. She has now hallucinations of sight as well, of hearing & smell, & states that she sees the smoke ascending from the skirts of the nurses. Has a marked craving for alcohol & constantly asks for it. R.C.D.

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write innumerable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa. Still asks constantly for alcohol. R.C.D.

May 22 - Continues as on last note. R.C.D.
 June 8. somewhat more excited, less food taken, alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly takes the telegraphic correspondence. R.C.D.

July 21. Restless & unoccupied as to being affected by electricity, by telegrams continues to think that she can control the spirits of the matter, and believes in

Sept: 19 - 9254
 9254
 Miss York
 21/4/21
 St Ann's Health
 Virginia Hallie
 Holloway, London

Oct 10. 1900
 92512
 The Marquis of Salisbury
 Sir
 I am requested by President
 Hanger to tell you the
 circumstances of the letter
 see he has left his immense
 fortune between his son
 & daughter and that would
 make it impossible for
 his son to keep up the

March 28
 9255
 July 3
 9253
 Sept 24
 92510
 Dec 131
 92511

Restless & unoccupied - very full of his delusions & hallucinations - after rising at night - becomes very excited. Phys. health good R.C.D.
 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly changing delusions of secretaries & of identity with holloway all the same - has been incoherent - after

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her. She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telephones" & of smell - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke - contents with a low rambling statement that she always intended to carry smoke about with it placed in their skirt - no common conversation since her hearing is impaired to a certain extent under her eyes - but is real



May 7 - Her delusions are much same character as on last (hallucinations of sight as well) that she sees the smoke skirts of the nurses - Has alcohol & constantly asks for

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write ungrammatical letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22. Continues to be in bed - R.C.D.
June 8. Somewhat more excited - sleepless & alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly talks of the telegraphic communications - R.C.D.
July 21. Restless - her delusions as to being affected by electricity & by telephones continue to that she is conducting the affairs of the nation & is sending

same I always intended wish that Paris takes that Sir Joseph Chamberlain a good deal of their view thoroughly understood for sugar that they had a contract for them they agree that the bounty goes to Barbados the country wants some mercantile arrangement for cotton but I think the trade which I am in have undertaken it.

Dec 10 delusions of hallucinations - often noisy at night - R.C.D.
at times very excited - Phys health good
Dec 21 Restless & unoccupied - has constantly been
Dec 26 delusions of smell & of identity with herself
all the senses - has been incoherent - at times
restless & unoccupied - Phys health good - R.C.D.

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her - She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telephones" of small - stating that she smells sulphur & musk - continues with a long rambling statement that she carries a snake about with her placed in their skirt - no common women's dress - her hearing is impaired to a certain extent under her nose - but is not



May 7 - Her delusions are now same character as on last hallucination of sight as well, that she sees the smoke skirts of the nurses - Has alcohol & constantly asks for

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write innumerable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

At all events they are going to try it for a year their majority was not great but still sufficient to get their own way. New York calls their best friend I have had no letter or help yet but much Congress in parliament try to allow my Commission & confiscation of all my labor I think my case is a

would want £2000 a year to enable him to keep the state the old president has done as his own account. He also wishes the Whigs to become members of the Senate but they must conform to their rules and spend their parliamentary season with them; they seem to

May 22 - Continues ~~as on last note~~ R.C.D.
 June 8. somewhat more excited last few days & alcoholic craving is very much - constantly takes the telegraphic communications R.C.D.
 July 21. - Restless & undisciplined as to being affected by electricity by telegrams continues to talk about conducting the affairs of the nation & including

80510 delusions & hallucinations - often noisy at night - at times very excited - Phys health good R.C.D.
 Dec 1 21 Restless & unoccupied has constantly delusions of scabbies & identity with various all the senses - has no incoherence - at times

the English & other Governments valuable aid in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were owing to her - She has hallucinations of hearing - stating that she had received numerous messages from the Queen & many others through "invisible telephones" of small - stating that she smells sulphur & smoke - entering into a long rambling statement that all the nurses here carry smoke about with them, by means of a pin placed in their skirt - none of sight, taste or common sensibility distorted -

Her memory is impaired - she occupies herself to a certain extent under supervision & takes good care - but is restless at night -



May 5. 99

May 7 - Her delusions are numerous & continue of the same character as on last note - She has now hallucinations of sight as well as hearing & smell & states that she sees the smoke ascending from the skirts of the nurses - Has a marked craving for alcohol & constantly asks for it - R.C.D.

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is a marked tendency towards incoherence - continues to write innumerable letters to Lord Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South Africa - still asks constantly for alcohol - R.C.D.

May 22 - Continues to be very excited - R.C.D.
 June 8 - somewhat more excited - alcohol & craving is very marked - constantly takes of the telegraphic communication - R.C.D.

July 21 - Restless & delirious as to being affected by electricity & by telegrams - continues to talk of conducting the affairs of the nation - R.C.D.

Sept: 19 - thinks that directly or indirectly an Englishman makes a suspicious fortune in the idea is to spend it in England which the Kaiser will not tolerate the president seems to say that if the Tillander want to enter the Senate now is their time, but they must infractate themselves with the Kaiser & inform of their R.C.D. Kaiser & Kaiser's policy - R.C.D.

March 28 - R.C.D. 9055

July 3 - R.C.D. 9056

Sept 2 - R.C.D. 80510

Dec: 31 - R.C.D. 80511

all the nurses & ... R.C.D.

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the English & other Governments valuable in negotiating the Chinese loan & in other matters, for which help vast sums were taken. She has hallucinations of hearing that she has received numerous messages the same as many others through "invisible telegrams" of smell - stating that she & other nurses carrying into a long rambling statement that all the nurses & carry smoke about with them, by means of placed in their skirt - none of sight, taste common sensation elicited.

Her memory is impaired - she occupies to a certain extent under supervision & to some extent - but is restless at night.



May 5. 99

May 7 - Her delusions are numerous & contain same character as on last note. She has hallucinations of sight as well as hearing & smell that she sees the smoke ascending from skirts of the nurses. Has a marked craving alcohol & constantly asks for it - R

May 15 - Delusions are very numerous & there is marked tendency towards incoherence. Continues to write innumerable letters to Salisbury conveying to him the telegraphic messages she receives - chiefly from South. Still asks constantly for alcohol - R

May 22 - Continues to be as last note. R.C.D.
 June 8. Somewhat more excited last few days, alcoholic craving is very marked - constantly takes the telegraphic communication. R.C.D.

July 21. - Retains her delusions as to being affected by electricity & by telegrams continues to talk about calculating the affairs of the nation, and Salisbury & her mother & all kind of the names of the world. R.C.D.

Sept 19 - Very full of her delusions of unseen agency & of being the multiple of the telegraphic communication between all the crowned heads etc. - Phys health good - evening. R.C.D.

Jan 10. 1900 - Very full of her delusions & hallucinations rarely occupies herself at all, & is more excited & abusive than she has been - continually threatening every one here with the direct penalties for keeping her here. Phys health good - continues to write. R.C.D.

March 28 - Retains her delusions of unseen agency & the hallucinations of sight taste smell & hearing very restless - frequently very abusive & threatening - Phys health good. Continues regular. R.C.D.

July 3 - continues very restless & full of her delusions & hallucinations - often noisy & abusive - Phys health excellent. R.C.D.

Sept 24 - Restless & unoccupied - very full of her delusions & hallucinations - often noisy at night - continues very excited. Phys health good R.C.D.

Dec 31 - Restless & unoccupied - has constantly changing delusions of eccentricity & identity with various all the names of the world has incoherence - continues to write Phys health good - evening. R.C.D.

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Mary Helena Campbell-

Adm. May 8, 99 married - wife of clergyman - aged 35.
R.O. May 15, 99 Ch. 19, 1999. Pres. address Merton House.

C. and P. Reading - 2nd attack of about one week's
duration - supposed cause: childbirth &
loss of child - not positively certified.
not E. 23. nor S. at present.

1st Certif: Great restlessness, volubility & incoherence in
a woman naturally reserved & staid. Large
bare all ideas without reserve. Declares she
is quite well & must keep her balance of mind
by constantly eating all the night. Emotional
excitation. Sits up chattering & laughing over
a kitten all day (com^g) heard by nurse to call
herself a Duchess & her husband a Duke.

May 7, 99. (signed) M. S. Sumitage
of 28 Portland Place, Reading.

2nd "

Pres: Hist: 7 yrs. ago had an attack of melancholia after
the death of her father - not certified but was
treated at home & then at the seaside - recovered
in about 6 months - "Since then quite well".

18th years ago - (4th pregnancy)

4p: 6th 1899 confined of premature dead child - large
excess of liquor amnii - (child malformed)

4p: 27 - syncope from anemia -

May 2 - "peculiar" in mind & restless

4 - incoherent - voluble & infantile - heard
by nurse to call herself a Duchess & to talk about
tyranny

...

Exam. Hist:

Condition on Admission & Physical

White House. P. looks yellow with flushed cheeks,
as if poorly nourished. Hair mental
Eyes - pupils equal, somewhat
dilated - react readily to light & convergence
& to other stimulation. Numerous nodules
anemia. Tongue somewhat fissured.
Teeth indicated by tremulous & long-filid
No P.S. disease detected in lungs.
Heart somewhat dilated. H.B. in 5th space
2" inside N.L. A.C.D. 6 2/3 (inside) sternum
blowing systolic murmur at apex (not
conducted into axilla) & at P.A. Pulse 88
No P.S. disease detected in abdomen.
Uterus not tender on abdominal palpation, & there
is no discharge - Breasts normal.
Kneejerk lively - all reflexes brisk.
cranial reflex present. Thyroid not
enlarged.

B. Mental

Hysterical nervous
P. is restless & excited, can't settle
occupation & incessantly turns her head
as she talks - There is great volubility
veering on incoherence with rapid ideation -
She is herself quite conscious of her loss of
self control & states that "the words come
tumbling out without my wishing to speak"
The ...

laughs & weeps a little on provocation. She is markedly irritable, especially towards her own relatives (pushing & striking her mother) becoming inspired. She makes vague threats of suicide, stating that she does not wish to really commit suicide but would "like to frighten people into thinking she meant to do it". ... liquid food & that with perspiration & slept only 1 1/2 hrs: after admission ... No hallucinations admitted. She had "thoughts" of suicide but states that she has lost that ... (stif:)

May 10- Came up to the main building yesterday - Gallery II - 4 1/2 hrs after sulphonal given - very emotional & slept for hours yesterday afternoon. R.C.D.

May 16- Very emotional & excited - talks incoherently with much gesticulation - yesterday had a violent "fit of hysterics" starting for hours - so exceedingly constipated - in spite of calomel, gr. x, pills, cathart. co & mist; also, glycerine suppositories & enema - a large soap & water enema last night produced a small constipated motion. R.C.D.



May 20- Continues very restless & excited - talks & shouts for hours. She has done tired out & states she is in a "trance" becoming rigid & etc.



May 28 906 1/2

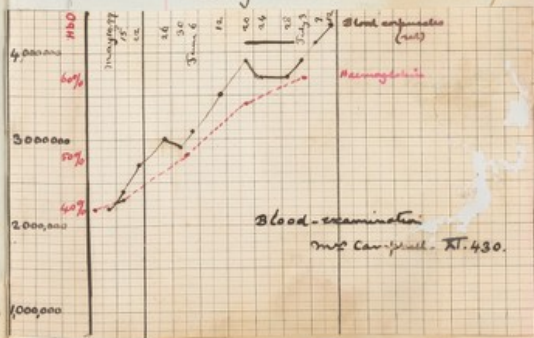
exceedingly ... struggling when dressed ... her clothing open ...

Is still very restless, gesticulating freely, & ... in a very gesticulative manner ...

June 8- Somewhat less restless - now keeps on her clothing & has been able to go for drives - still ... in some ... but is less ... Takes food well but requires hypnotic at night. Much less anemic, there is ... R.C.D.

June 22- Has considerably improved - can now talk on easy topics for some minutes reasonably - is sleeping fairly & her conduct is now rational though still somewhat erratic - has just had her 15th m.p. since her ... mental effect. She is ... anemic & is stronger altogether ...

July 12- Today went out alone - improvement has steadily continued. She has for some little ...



at ... that ... water ... light ...

laughs & weeps on little or no provocation. She is markedly irritable, especially towards her own relatives (pushing & striking her mother). Memory impaired. She makes vague threats of suicide, stating that she does not wish to really commit suicide but would like to frighten people into thinking she meant to do it. ... liquid food & that with perspiration & slept only 1 1/2 hrs: after admission ... No hiccups. Health admitted that she had "thought herself ... but states that she has lost that ... (stif:)

- May 10- Came up to the main building yesterday - 4 1/2 hours after supernal rest - very emotional & apt for hours yesterday afternoon. R.C.D.
- May 16- Very emotional & excited - talks incoherently with much gesticulation - yesterday had a violent "fit of hysterics" shouting for hours - so exceedingly constipated - in spite of calomel grx, pills cathart. co & mist: alk, glycerine suppositories & enemas - a large soap & water enema last night produced a small constipated motion. R.C.D.



May 20- Continues ... states she is ...



May 28
got 6 1/2

June 8-

June 21-

July 11-

exceedingly ... struggling when dressed ... her clothing open ...

Is still very restless, gesticulating freely, & ...

Somewhat less restless - now keeps her clothing & has been able to go for ...

Has considerably improved - can now talk on any topic for some minutes reasonably ...

Today ... improvement has steadily continued. she has for some little time been taking a keen interest ...

Discharged July 11, 1899

Agnes Ethelwyn Marsh

Ad. May 10. 99 single - aged 25 1/2 of no occupation -
R.O. May 8. 99 "Protestant" - P.O. address. Targherby-Surbiton
C. and May 11. 99 1st attack of about one year's duration
nervous previously treated - supposed cause
unknown

1st certif: P. talks incessantly & incoherently, talking
complete nonsense of says that a lady frequently
piss out of her body, that all her organs are
topsy-turvy, that a man whom she saw walked
just like a pig. ^(contd) says she is a Jewess &
is married to Providence; she paraded the garden
in broad daylight enveloped in a large white blanket
& in the night -

May 6. 99 (signed) Maria S. Denton
of 33 Abbot Bridge Rd. Battersea S.W.

2nd " corroborates
May 4. 99 (signed) S. A. Hall
of Beacons. Surbiton

Fam: hist: Grandmother - melancholic of 3 yrs' duration
at age of 60 - recovered.

Pres: hist: So said to have "followed usual School course" till age
of 13 - then came home -
Her family then noticed that she was flighty & that
she had marked difficulty in concentrating her attention -
her conduct was fairly reasonable until about
1 1/2 yrs ago when she became very difficult to manage
Wore last 6 months - writing innumerable foolish
letters, posting them to strangers, delivering them
at houses - no occupation, eccentric & odd
last 3 months worse - has stayed in bed till noon or
after till 5 pm - became disorientated - sleeping
badly - talking incoherently - has more complaints

of "everything" feeling very "developing
delusions" of being a Jewess & various other
delusions - called herself a "white rag"
Hallucinations of sight & hearing, occasionally of
smell. Tarry food fairly well but in
paroxysms of anxiety
P. at health fair - no serious illness
but muscles of parturition appearing atrophied

Condition on Admission & Physical

Gallery v: P. is ^(contd) described as very dullish-looking for
H. her age, looking about 16. She has a
W. marked stoop, & she is awkward & badly
formed - There is marked scoliosis - slight
rickety changes in ^(contd) ribs, in ribs.
Muscles poor & flabby. Complexion pale &
sallow. Mucous ^(contd) somewhat anemic
stigmata
Ears malformed & asymmetrical, both in
form & implantation - R.E. ear of decided Bellini
type - & both are pointed & show the Bellini
tubercle well marked. Palate of "normal"
type - slightly asymmetrical - Teeth irregular &
canine molars - 2 extracted - Poorly developed
chest moves poorly but there are no physical signs
beyond a tenderness of the cardiac sounds.
Pulse 72 - No P.S.G. disease detected in abdomen.
Tongue fairly clean - tooth indented & somewhat
tremulous - Breasts fairly developed - ^(contd)
said to be regular with slight dysmenorrhoea - No
ovarian tenderness. Knee-jacks brisk, slight
ankle clonus & other reflexes brisk. Cremaster
reflex present - Eyes greyish, pupils equal
somewhat dilated & react readily to light & converge
satisfactorily to near objects - vision apparently normal

normal the talipes - but there is marked loss of voluntary muscular control over whole body, but no true inco-ordination - muscles generally weak with many jerky movements. Thyroid somewhat enlarged - slight tremor, pulse practically normal, no tachycardia. Urine 100% glucose, weak sugar blood & perspiration.

B. - Mental - Weak-minded with delusions. P. is markedly childish & weak-minded - spends about 1/2 occupied twisting her body & hands, spins about & grimacing - talks incessantly in a silly flippant manner - sometimes she is excited, & is very resistant in a petulant childish manner - eg when asked to go out, tried to bite one of the nurses. She has numerous delusions - states that she is a Jewess (puntey) though she believes in the new Testament - also says she is "white eye" though it is difficult to ascertain what she means by this - she says that she is sure that another person lives inside her - & that all her organs are "upside down" - Occasional hallucinations of sight - stating that she has seen a man descend through the ceiling, & has sometimes seen a man behind the curtains whom her sisters have not seen - also of hearing but not frequent. Memory poor - Power of attention almost nil. Mental standard about that of a girl of 16.

May 16. Continues as above. Childish, mildly resistant & very talkative - delusions as above continue - handwriting is very childish & she rarely writes for herself. R.C.D.



May 23. Continues ^(as above) with mild delusions - delusions as above & occasional hallucinations of sight & hearing.

May 30. Unchanged - somewhat talkative, & more able about house - very patient & untroubled. Talks incessantly - ^{perhaps} ~~perhaps~~ improving.

June 8. Very talkative, but somewhat being silly, & more or less incoherent - somewhat resistant, & will obey the ordinary rules - makes scene in the garden utterly refusing to come in for supper. R.C.D.

Sept: 19. Quite unchanged - perhaps a little more amenable to rules - Physically improving - much less anemic than she was, & she has more muscular control. R.C.D.

Dec: 22. Is perhaps a little more amenable & a trifle less erratic than she was - her delusions & hallucinations of sight appear to have passed off but she is very erratic & weak-minded. She has a trifle more voluntary power in her muscles than she had - yesterday went on leave. R.C.D.

Jan: 10. 1900. Returned today - quite unimproved.

March 28. Weak-minded & erratic - but is more amenable - muscular coordination & voluntary control improved. Physically improving - ^{attention} ~~attention~~ ^{improving} ~~improving~~. R.C.D.

July 4. Went to stay at New Villa - continues unimproved. R.C.D.

Returned today quite unchanged - RCD
 Sept: 24 Weak-minded - chatters much to herself & is at times very voluble, almost incoherent. She occupies herself fairly but is restless. She takes food well but sleeps badly. Phys: health improved of late - attention weak. RCD.
 Dec: 3 Continues much the same since the last note. RCD
 Jan: 22 Returned yesterday - is said to have gone a little better. RCD.
 March 19. Weak-minded & childish - but she is less excited than she was & is more amenable. & less restless - though she is somewhat variable. Takes food well & is sleeping much better than she did - Phys: health good though she has lately had a heavy cold - RCD
 June 21. Has been somewhat more excited of late - talking incessantly & almost unintelligibly at times is restless & fidgety - the muscular incoordination is well marked - Phys: health good - RCD
 Sept: 16 Continues weak-minded & childish - is somewhat less restless on the whole than she was, occupies herself fairly well under supervision but is easily disturbed by trivial causes, then becomes very excited & almost incoherent - Phys: health good - RCD
 Dec: 15 Continues unchanged - yesterday went home on leave - RCD
 Jan: 22 Returned yesterday RCD
 March 20. Continues childish & weak-minded - at times excited & then is almost incoherent. Phys: health good - RCD
 June 26. Unchanged. RCD
 Aug: 7. Went yesterday RCD

Sept: 7. Returned yesterday & is said to be weak-minded & almost incoherent - at times & plans, attention weak - RCD
 Jan: 18. 1905
 7st. 24.
 March 12. Continues much the same since the last note. Phys: health good - RCD
 June 16. Returned yesterday - is said to have gone a little better. RCD
 July 15. Continues much the same since the last note. Phys: health good - RCD
 Oct: 20. Continues much the same since the last note. Phys: health good - RCD
 Dec: 17. Continues much the same since the last note. Phys: health good - RCD
 March 1. 04. Childish & weak-minded - chatters & is in a disconcerted manner - this conduct is erratic & impulsive. Phys: health good - RCD
 May 31. Continues much the same since the last note. RCD
 Sept: 1- 6st 13 1/2
 Yesterday was visited by her sister who stayed for a walk - she ran away & got into the line being brought back by a party - her sister could not manage her & had to get help from the nurse - when asked why she had behaved like this said she thought she would like to go home - is very childish & confused - erratic & impulsive
 She continues childish & weak-minded - erratic & impulsive - her attention is only that of a young child - Phys: health good - RCD
 Nov: 16. 7st 12 1/2
 She continues childish & weak-minded - erratic & impulsive - her attention is only that of a young child - Phys: health good - RCD
 Jan: 16 1905
 6st 12 1/2.
 Patient well today - RCD
 Jan 17. Patient well today - RCD
 Jan. 31. Patient well today - RCD
 March 14. 7st 11
 Patient well today - RCD



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