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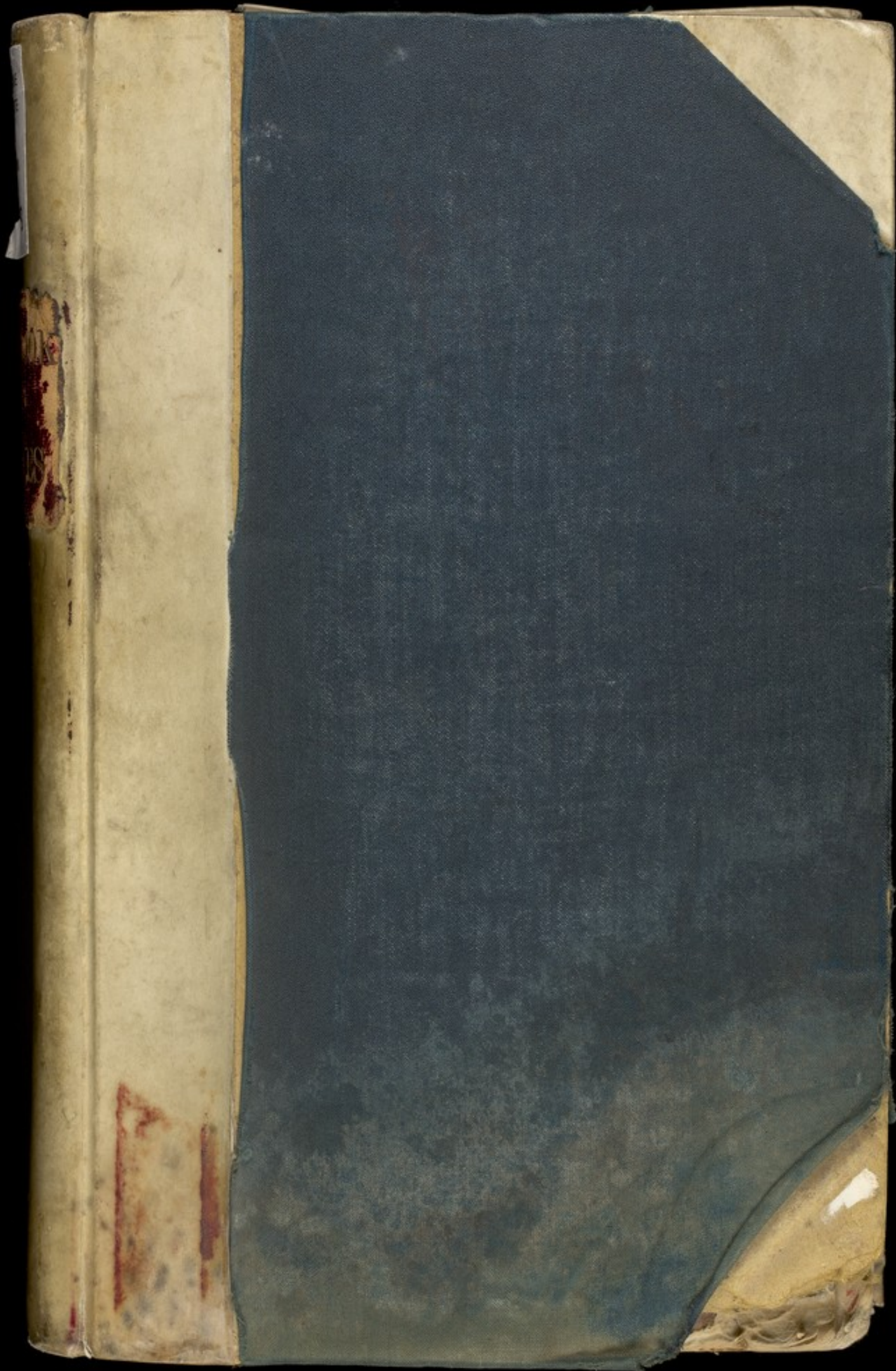
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THE COMMISSIONERS IN LUNACY, by virtue of the power vested in them by the Act of Parliament passed in the Session holden in the 8th and 9th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the Regulation of the Care and Treatment of Lunatics," do hereby ORDER AND DIRECT:

—That the Medical "CASE BOOK," by the said Act directed to be kept in every Licensed House and Hospital, shall be kept in the Form hereinafter mentioned, viz.:—

First—A statement to be entered of the name, age, sex, and previous occupation of the Patient, and whether married, single, or widowed.

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Fourthly—Every particular to be entered 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 the previous habits, 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;—and whether the present attack has been preceded by any premonitory symptoms, such as restlessness, unusual elevation or depression of spirits, or any remarkable deviation from ordinary habits and conduct;—and whether the Patient has undergone any, and what, previous treatment, or has been subjected to personal restraint.

Fifthly—During the first month after admission, entries to be made at least once in every week, and oftener where the nature of the case requires it. Afterwards, in recent or curable cases, entries to be made at least once in every month; and in chronic cases, subject to little variation, once in every three months.

In all cases an accurate record to be kept of the medicines administered, and other remedies employed, with the results, and also of all injuries and accidents.

—That the several particulars, hereinbefore required to be recorded, be set forth in a manner so clear and distinct as to admit of being easily referred to, and extracted, whenever the Commissioners shall so require;

AND THAT the present order be in substitution for those of January 9th, 1846, and of March 20th, 1861, and that a copy hereof be inserted at the commencement of the Case Book.

Dated this 16th day of March, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-four.

Office of Commissioners in Lunacy, No. 19, Whitehall Place.

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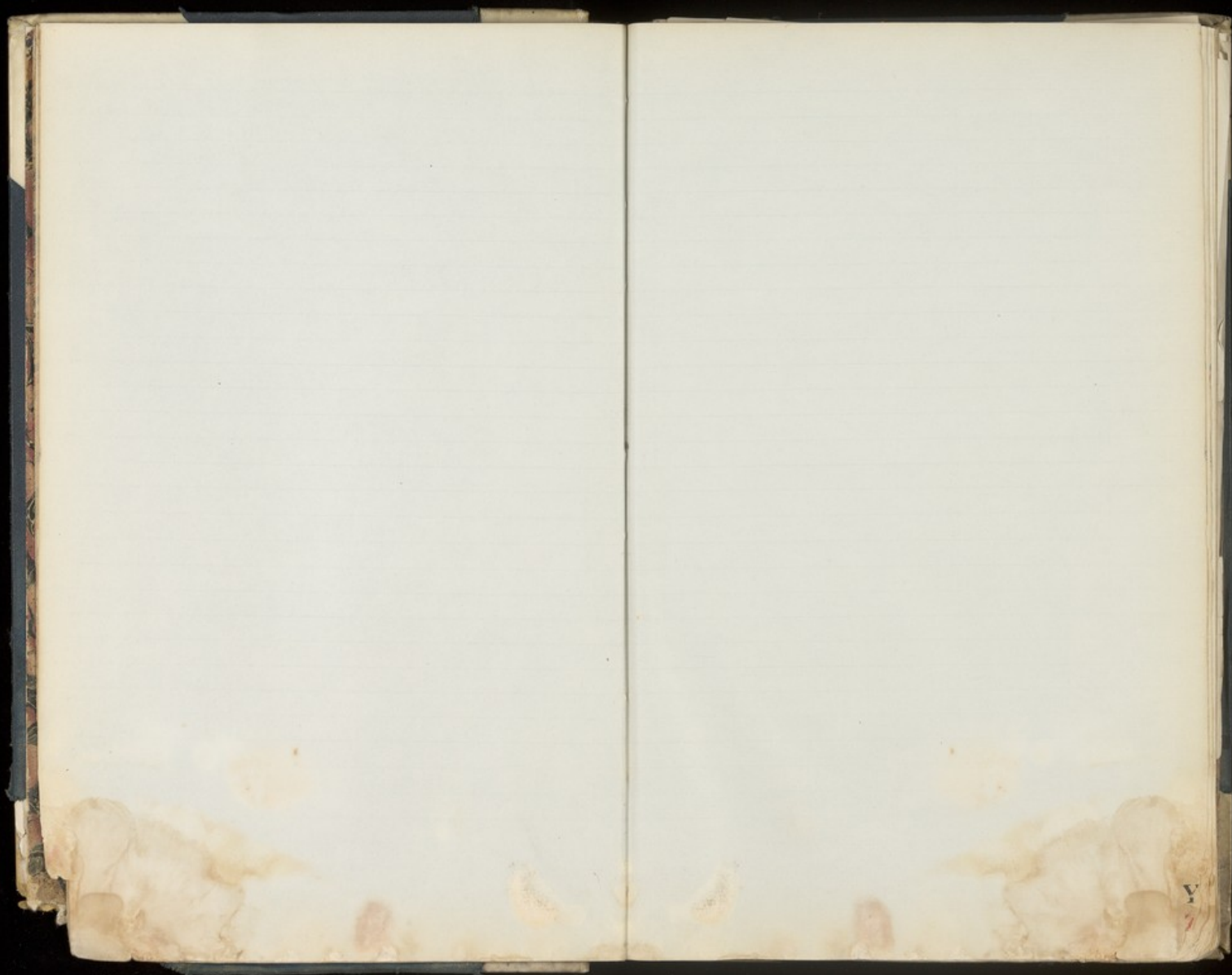
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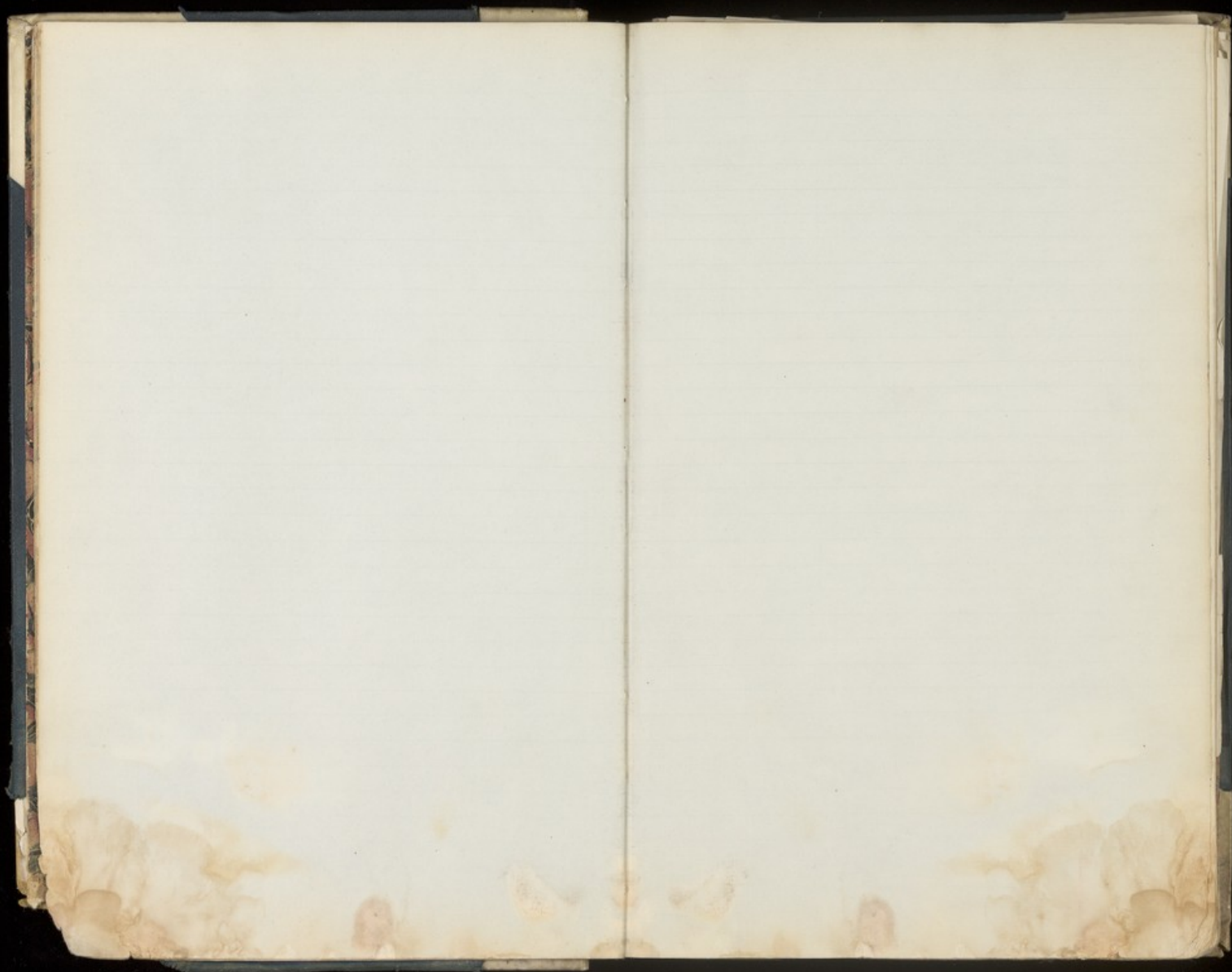
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Sept. 12, 1900

1890 Oct 31

She was visited by her husband at our
Essex branch today, who found her
sufficiently well to be tried at home
once more. She accordingly went on
leave today. — Halden St.

1891. March 31

She is still on leave with her husband at

6 July 91.

Patent was today discharged "recovered"
by the authority of her husband.

No. 654.

Miriam Reynolds. 41. married. no occupation.

Adm 15 July 90

Worcester - Res. above Amhurst Park, Stamford Hill

Order - 15 July 90

This is her 1st attack of about 9 months duration.

Genl 16 July 90

the supposed cause being heredity. She is neither epileptic, suicidal, or dangerous.

Rd. 12.

John S. Pichee -

1st Certificate

Delirium & Melancholy - She has delusions of fancied something dreadful is going to happen to her husband & that she cannot rest because of her bad thoughts.

J. F. Woods 9 July 90.

2nd Certificate

concordance above -

W. W. Hooper 10 July 90.

Family History

Mother died insane.

Previous History

Two years ago a growth was removed from the outside of the uterus & in May/88 an operation was performed for opening the womb. She has never menstruated.

Condition on admission

A. Physical. A thin neat little woman with light hair. Greyish eyes. Pupils equal, small. Slight to slight pale but not unhealthy complexion. Quiet or rather unhappy expression. Tongue clean, moist, appetite fair, bowels regular & sleep well. - She is thin & sparsely nourished, but presents no physical signs of disease in the chest or abdominal organs.

B. Mental. Delusional mania - She cannot resist bad thoughts coming into her head. She fancies that something is going to happen to her husband & her relatives, that she is entitled to a large sum of money which is being kept from her - She becomes quite quiet, quite rational in ordinary conversation, & occupies herself usefully in the gallery.

July 21.

She remains in the same quiet state, is still fearful of something horrible happening to her husband & continues to be usefully employed with needlework.

30 July

Unchanged -

15 Aug.

She remains in the same quiet state, occupies herself in gallery & needlework, walks, drives, out daily - She is still harassed with the old delusions, viz. that her husband is in great danger & that there is a lot of money due to her, which somebody is preventing her from getting - She went away for a few days last week with her husband to day.

24 Aug.

She has returned from leave improved in general health, the old delusions are still there, but she has the power of seeing that they are delusions - She knows they are not true, but she cannot help the ideas coming into head & feels bound to believe them.

28 Sept

There are some slight signs of improvement in both bodily & mental state. She still cannot prevent herself from thinking that some money is kept from her & that her husband is in danger.

31 Oct.

She remains quiet, occupies herself during the day with books & needlework, but is depressed - She still cannot help thinking there is something wrong with her husband & that money is kept from her, though she believes & knows they are delusions. Health good. Cl.

Dec 23

She went on leave today at the request of her husband. much improved in both physical & mental state. Cl.

1891 7567

She was today discharged recovered

No. 655

Lora Browne 46. single. no occupation. Ch. English.

Adm. 19 July 90. Received. Daisy Villa Burgos Hill. This is her

Record. 19 July 90. 1st attack of about 8 months duration, the supposed

Cause. 20 July 90. causing grief at loss of both parents. She is

neither epileptic nor suicidal or dangerous.

Residence. John G. Pichee.

1st Certificate

Talkative & incoherent, rambling from one subject to another - there is incoherence. Says she has no idea of time - says that her food has been partially poisoned.

W. W. Rogers 17 July 90.

2nd Certificate

in great mental confusion. Cannot tell me her name says she had a hot cold her food as it is poisoned &c &c

Dr. H. K. Duke. 17 July 90.

Family History

Previous History

Condition on admission

Physical. A thin pale faced woman with light brown hair, grey eyes, pale yellow & unhealthy complexion, confused sad & anxious expression. Facial wrinkles well developed. Pupils equal & react sluggishly to light. Tongue moist, slightly furrowed & sticky on protrusion - appetite bad, bowels irregular - She is thin & hardly emaciated but presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs.

Mental. Delusional mania - She is often agitated & confused. When questioned she has to make an effort before she can think out answers to simple questions - she cannot say how long she has been here - the

refuses her food, because she says it is poisoned. She is at times very incoherent & rambling & offers much resistance to nurses.

30 July

She remains in the same rather agitated state upon admission - she refuses to shake hands with a sister with detailed conversation with reporter (this has occurred every morning for past 4 or 5 days) - She maintains she said her food was poisoned - is rambling almost incoherent in conversation at times & offers violence to the nurses. Health fair.

10 August There is no improvement observed in mental state, but her bodily condition is improved she is talking

To Officer M. K. V.
Sh. L. K. V. M. K. V.
age 33; 1.57

24 Aug.

She is quieter than on admission but is taking her food much better - she refuses however to enter into any conversation & shake hands with the medical officer, is entirely unoccupied the whole day, & shows no disposition to be friendly with anyone - Health slightly improved.

28 Sept.

Oct 31.

Unchanged - She remains in a suspicious & weak-minded condition, refuses to converse with, or enter in friendly terms with any one in the building, with neither shake hands, or protrude her tongue. When addressed she has a peculiar, nervous method of shifting backwards away



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Kora Browne. (contd).

from one, & resting her legs. She generally speaks soft voice. Remains unoccupied the whole day. Health good. 66

1891. ¹² Jan ~~12~~ There is no change to be reported in her mental state - She generally takes a book when the other ladies are working & pretends to be reading, but it is doubtful whether she takes it in. She will not change her unsociable attitude ~~towards~~ which is invariable towards all with whom she is thrown in contact. Health good. She was today removed Relieved to Chamberlain House Anglin.

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No. 657. Emma Hubbard. 42 single. no occuⁿ. Ch. of Eng.

Adm. 24 July 90 Previous abode see - This is her 2nd attack of nearly 2 years duration, the supposed cause being previous attack & shock from inundation. - Age on 1st attack 32 - In the present attack up to time of admission here she was at St. Andrew's Northampton, where she was also under treatment during 1st attack. She is neither epileptic, suicidal, or dangerous -

1st Certificate Delusion she is going to be married. Holds her watch before her & says she is telephoning to her dead father & mother, asking them whether they would like it done, talks incessantly to people at long distances through her watch & her delusion they answer her.

John E. B. Burroughs 5 Aug. /88.

2nd Certificate corroborates above. John Sutton Sans. 5 Aug. /88.

Family History completely negative -

Previous History always considered healthy as a child except for a delicate digestion - always affectionate, active, temperate & industrious, never suffered from any severe constitutional disease, nor undergone any disappointment or reverse, nor received any blow or injury to head. Her previous attack of insanity lasted about 1 1/2 years, after which she had 4 years of perfect sanity - The death of her sister together with a shock from inundation brought on present attack during which restless, noisy, violent & violent & nervous, irritable, destructive to furniture &c.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. A middle aged woman with dark hair, brown eyes pupils equal & react. Pale salivary but not unhealthy complexion, restless & anxious expression - Tongue clean moist & steady appetite not good (complains that her food tastes salty), bowels regular - She is thin, but fairly

unwashed & presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

B. Mental - Delusional Mania - She is the subject of hallucinations of hearing & taste - She hears voices calling her bad names & telling her she has used filthy expressions - she says her food tastes filthy - She believes this institution is a "bad house" that she is mesmerized & that she is an unpardonable sinner "as she never prays -

30 July She is very unsettled - She wanders upon a wandering way & continually repeats the same question - i.e. "Can I leave here tomorrow?" She is restless, agitated, nervous & cannot be induced to occupy herself in any way - She occasionally sleeps badly, sometimes lasting nearly the whole night - Health good.

12 Aug. Unchanged -

24 Aug. She remains restless, agitated, & overstimulated - incapable of settling herself to any occupation - wandering up & down the gallery or singing loud shouting & talking wildly to the great annoyance of the other ladies - She continues to ask the same question "Can I go home today?" General health good.

24 Sept. She remains in the same restless, unsettled state, unable to occupy herself in anything, except constant letter writing in which she repeats over & over her request to go home.

25 Oct. There is no change to be reported in mental or physical condition -



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Emma Hubbard (continued).

1891. Jan 31. She has recently returned from our Brighton
Bridgeway, where she has been for about 6
weeks, but has to be brought back owing
to ^{her} excited & noisy condition by day & night.
She remains troublesome to both nurses &
ladies, weak-minded, & at times noisy &
violent - She is constantly asking the same
question viz: "You are let us go home now?"
& apparently forgets she has asked it daily
for some months - Health good. Cl.

74 March She remains weak-minded, constantly repeating
the same question, & suffering from periodic
attacks of excitement, during which she is restless,
helpless, & at times violent. She went
on leave today in good physical health.
Henderson.

26 Sept. She remains on leave - and is said to be
showing signs of improvement. Ant. W.

Jan. 4. 92 Patient remains on leave. J.B. Henderson.

Apr. 9. 92 Patient was today discharged recovered
after prolonged absence on trial by the
authority of David John Hubbard.

Miss Hubbard Feb 7. 1891

My dear Lizzie & Hellen
I'm really much taken
up from here. People
using much useful language.
Miss Biddle says
it is such a relief of you
Miss Spurgeon. He would
that you would let me
be in a place people may
understand. I wish
you to be up here.
Dear Mrs. Corbett

Emma Hubbard. (continued).

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74 March She remains weak-minded, constantly asking the same question, & suffering from attacks of excitement, during which she is restless, & at times violent. She is on leave today in good play & real love.

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Mr. David & Mrs. Mary
Let me have, some thing
They are all very kind
Thank you & I am
not reduce me to that
Near. Please you have kind
Wm. Papa near & and
had in mind. Bello do
like to write. If I
writing to your house.

I cannot receive me
to this. Please has come
David. Mr. Mary Smith
was kind of doing for
me to topus. Much
people kindly they are
joy to have children
Hello. I will not
reduce me to this the
has been is most much
Loving you very nervous

Emma Hubbard. (continued).

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She remains troublesome to both nurses &
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violent. She is constantly asking the same
question viz: "You are let us go home with you?"
& apparently forgets she has asked it daily
for some months. Health good. Cl.

74 March She remains wearisome, constantly repeating
the same question, & suffering from periodical
attacks of excitement, during which she is restless,
stupor, & at times violent. She went
on leave today in good physical health.
Henderson.

26 Sept. She remains on leave - and is said to be
showing signs of improvement. Anti-H.

Jan 4. 92. Patient remains on leave. J.B. Henderson.
Apr. 9. 92. Patient was today discharged recovered
after prolonged absence on trial by the
authority of David John Hubbard.

and you told me I should
always be with you & dear
Penelope. A pig don't keep
me shut up for. Oh yes
these people all of that
that! I agree like me
Hello dear I am a little
or please do I shall go
to hell you must take
me you here I am but
has women. I am

Emma Hubbard (continued).

1891. Jan 31. She has recently returned from our Brighton
visitors, where she has been for about 6
weeks, but has to be brought back owing
to ^{her} excited & noisy condition by day & night.
She remains troublesome to both nurses &
ladies, sometimes violent & at times noisy &
violent. She is constantly asking the same
question viz: "You are let me go home isn't you?"
& apparently forgets she has asked it daily
for some months. Health good. Cl.

7th March She remains wearisome, constantly repeating
the same question, & suffering from periodical
attacks of excitement, during which she is restless,
helpless, & at times violent. She went
on leave today in good physical health.
Hendrick.

28 8/10 She remains on leave - and is said to be
showing signs of improvement. R.H. 46.

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Apr. 9. 92 Patient was today discharged recovered
after prolonged absence on trial by the
authority of David John Hubbard.

No. 658. Mary Caroline Mettewell 46. married. no script.

Adm. 28 July 70 Church of England - Pres. advs. Brighton. This is
Adm. 28 July 70 her 1st attack of 6 words duration, the supposed
Guz 29 July 70 cause being trouble with servant & poverty -
she is neither epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous to
others, but is apt to strike under impulse -

R. arca 12. J. S. Pilcher.

125 Contiposto she is in bed when I see her, she comes her face with the bottle & screams saying I am married & that she can see it in my eyes - She asks if accusations are made against her character & says she is worried by promises. J. R. Sargent 26 July 90.

2nd Confession She is in a state of great delirium quite incolorate in suppressions of terror of various facts, persons, & things which she does not define - She refuses food.

Family History Her parents were 1st Cousin - Her brother committed suicide by nearly cutting his head off. no history of intemperance or phthisis.

Previous History She was always considered healthy, nervous as a girl, but active, temperate & undisturbed - has never suffered from any chronic disease, a dislocation of the hip, & a dislocation of the knee. She has never received any blow injury, & shed a back - She has been twice married, her present brought her 2nd husband - She has been considered very generous at times, - 3 years ago she lost a child from Sept. & was quite off her head for a time - when her husband died she for some time thought he had been poisoned - She has always been a good sleeper & a very small eater - For some weeks her disposition has changed lately has refused all food & is at times dirty in her habits -

Condition on Admission A, Physical a middle aged woman with dark hair turning grey, blue grey eyes, pupils equal, pale, sallow, ~~yellow~~ complexion, cold, wet skin.

Inds on both
life jacket &
kissed.

expression, with thin haggard features, prominent
malar bones & sunken cheeks - Tongue pale
coated with thick dry fur. Appetite bad refusing
all food, bowels irregular T. 100 P. 98.
She was restless, noisy, violent having to be
carried into the hall & again into the sitting
room shouting & screaming the whole time - She is
bruised on the face, arms, legs, back in
fact all over the body - She is thin,
feeble & sparsely nourished but presents no phy-
sical signs of disease in her or a abdominal
exam.

B. *Acridothera melanotos* - She is noisy, dissatisfied, gambling, indiscreet - Unconscious, constantly clattering & picking at any object near her, opening her eyes in wild terror & talking about subjects like bad boys, like cats, & monkeys, walking backward in the same breath -

28 July She was taken straight to a continuous bath for 3 hours at 90°, & cold water applied to her head. This quieted her considerably - She was fed Stewer with the tube, refusing anything for opoid - She is taking milk 2 1/2 pint. 18 June

King { Malt 2 1/2 Pints
 Daily { Barley 6
 { Sculp. 1 pint
 { Whisky 8 oz.

Re: Hist. of the City of
Mass. 2. 40.
Supplement to 1848

29 July
Night - remains in the same delirious state refusing all food - fed by tube 5 times during day.
Night draught Potassium permanganate } in hot heading at
an oral gr. xcv } " " "
Tongue still dry & coated but cleaner. Lips fissured bowels confined but haem. water under her
N.T. 100 P. 100. Tongue still dry & furrowed. Bowels confined - still refuses all food except thru tube - kept intubated in Day Room & moved to hospital for feedings nearly the whole day.

31 July M.T. 102. P. 112 - 5 hour sleep. Remains in semi-conscious delirious state. Teeth slips coated with sordes. Tongue coated with thick yellow fur but moist. Bowels acted well after soap & water enema.

E.T. 104. P. 120. Fed 5 times with tube: at the 10 pm feeding draught { Pot Brom & etc } Chloral hydrate.

1 Aug. M.T. 100 P 100 6 hour sleep. - more restless moving her hands & arms about & clattering at adjacent articles, rambling out irrelevant & meaningless spittle eg. "wooden dogs", "devil", "telephones" &c. responds to request to protrude tongue, which is much cleaner & moist. Vomited portion of morning feeding (7.45 am) & most of the 11 am meal.

E.T. 103. P. 120. Fed 11.30 pm. & draught { Trophic 4440 } 4th Chlor 2440 administered.

2 Aug. M.T. 100 P. 96 - very little sleep during night & has been very restless, noisy, & delirious - Gets out of bed & pers. water - still takes food thru tube - with early feeding (7.45 am) & draught { Pot Brom & 60 & 50 Chlor. Hyd. & 40 } administered.

E.T. 99.6 P 96. Draught as above at night in food.

3 Aug.: M.T. 98. P. 120 Very restless during night. hands & arms sleep R. 30. Tongue roof of mouth very dry - bowels very loose this morning - remains in unconscious delirious state. Vomits up 3rd feeding through tube entirely.

E.T. 100 P 100 R 36 weaker

4th Aug. M.T. 99. P. 100 R. 40. weaker & less restless. absolutely unconscious. mucous rales in throat. brown gray thing under her E.T. 102 P. 130 R. 50 much weaker & sinking. Fed 5 times thru tube today.

5 Aug 90. Called up at 6 am. to find her moribund with large mucous rattle in throat. R. 70. P. 140. She had a small & brandy succum but died quietly at 8.30

Death certificate

Examination for Acute Delirious Mania

S^r Sutherland Rees Philieff.

An autopsy was refused by the Husband.

N^o. 660

Eva Gell Hutchins 19. single. no occupation

Adm. 2 Aug 90 Church of England - Res. abode W. Keating's Car.

Adm. 2 Aug 90 This is her 2nd attack of about 2 weeks duration
 cont. 4 Aug 90 apt on 1st attack being 17 during which she
 was treated in St. Andrews Northampton.
 The supposed cause of present attack is previous
 attack & shock during bathing - She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

Notes to

1st Certificate J.S. Pether.
 Hysterically emotional. Mentally she is married but not
 quite certain - says that strange men come into her
 room at night. C.A. Floyer. 1 Aug. 1890.

2nd Certificate corroborates above. J. Collinson Marley. 31 July 1890

Family History

Previous History

Condition on admission

A. Physical. a tall healthy looking girl with
 light brown hair, blue eyes pupils equal &
 react quickly to light, clear ruddy complexion,
 changeable expression, at one time wild excita-
 ble, at another depressed & lachrymose.
 Tongue coated & moist, appetite capricious,
 bowels constipated - She is well nourished with
 no bruises & presents no physical signs of
 disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

B. Mental Acute mania. She is extremely
 unstable, excitable, emotional & hysterical -
 at one time in tears & the next minute
 joyful - She talks coherently for a time but

soon rambles off into flippancy irrelevant
 nonsense - She states she is uncertain
 whether she is married or not, that strange
 men come into her room at night -
 on the night of admission she went off into
 acute mania & had to be removed to a
 padded room -

10 Aug. 1890 She remains noisy, incoherent, untidy
 & dirty spitting about the place in all directions
 She is having continuous baths for 3 hours
 daily is taking the annexed prescription
 Pot Brom gr $\frac{xx}{xx}$ } again 3; trich
 Ext. Ssgt. big m $\frac{xx}{xx}$

17 Aug. She remains in the same acutely maniacal
 state - in good physical health - She
 has been taking Valdoval gr $\frac{xx}{xx}$ for
 2 or 3 nights & has developed a lichenous
 rash on her neck, but whether due to
 the drug or not is uncertain

25. Aug. remains noisy, dirty, untidy very sleepless at
 night - is still having continuous baths -

2 Sept. Still acutely maniacal, but is rather less
 noisy & objectionable in her habits - she
 is still emotional, excitable, excited & at
 times very restless at night - Health good.

5 Oct There is marked improvement to be noted.
 She begins to take an interest in her appear-
 ance, keeps her dress & hair tidy, is
 at times quiet & rational, she is still however
 emotional, unstable, & frequently noisy
 talking or screaming loudly at night -
 Bodily condition very good.

Nov. 10. The improvement has been maintained -
 She occupies herself during the day with

1890
Nov. 10

work, in the bedrooms, & in walking out -
She attends the concert, dances, &c. & is in good
bodily health - mentally, however, she is
wreck-minded, unstable, & at times excitable
constantly giggling without cause & easily
moved to tears. Cl.

1891 Feb. 13

She has continued to progress favorably but
is still absent-minded & emotional at
times, laughing & crying without apparent
cause. She is in excellent bodily health &
has occupied herself in the bedrooms, with
her needle & books - She walks & drives out
daily - She went on leave today in charge
of her mother. Cl.

24 Mar. 91.

She was today discharged "Recovered" J.B.H.



No. 664 Julia Ellaby. 63. single. goodness.
 Adm. Aug. 13. 90. Church of England. Pres. at home. Maida Hill
 order. May 21. 90. The first attack; of two months duration age on
 C. int. Aug. 13. 90. first attack being 63. The supposed cause is a
 seizure. She is neither, epileptic, suicidal, nor
 dangerous to others

Order P.
 1st certificate.

H. H. Gibbs.
 Very volatile and incoherent, told me that Lady Milford
 Hope, who, she states, lives in the skies, and comes down
 for a month occasionally to England (which is a
 much better place than Heaven) had bought her
 a large parcel of jewels. That someone else had
 left her £30000 which had been made for her
 by her bankers, into 40000 millions of pounds.
 Also that she is a child of God, and is to marry
 Jesus Christ at 4 pm to-day. That Christ had
 been living for a week in a house over the way
 so as to be near her. D. J. Slater M.A.

2nd Certificate

Rambles incoherently. Tells me that God has
 sent her a box of valuable rings, which her nurse
 has eaten. She is the daughter of the Queen and
 is to be married to Jesus Christ to-morrow. She
 hears voices and screams of numbers being
 committed to the next room and her inimitable
 other delusion

William L. Heath.

Family Unit.

Previous Unit.

A. Physical —

condition on admission. That healthy woman, with light hair turning grey,
 greenish eyes, clear ruddy complexion, calm, pleasant

and thoughtful expression.

Tongue, clean, moist and steady
 Appetite good. B. reg. no bruises, well nourished and presents
 no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs
 B. mental —

Delusional Insanity. Ideas of persecution; suffers from
 hallucinations of taste, smell, and hearing; states that
 her ladyship poisoned her food with strychnine, killed
 children and placed them under her bed, to cause her
 annoyance from the smell. Hears voices constantly,
 saying unpleasant things; later has delusions that her ladyship
 Mr Campbell has caused a conspiracy to be formed against
 her, that people take her name, and are making use of her
 banknote. Has gained 5 medals for heroic conduct
 on five distinct occasions, which were stolen from her
 at Bethlem together with jewelry and clothes.

August 19th.

Remains quiet, and contented, though her delusions
 are not less prominent than on admission. Occupies
 herself with needlework, eats and sleeps well.

1. Sept.

There is no change other than noted in mental
 or bodily health — she continues to hear the
 people, whom she is living plotting against
 her to deprive her of her money — She believes
 they assume her name, read her letters,
 & subject her to much petty annoyances
 persecution —

17 Sept.

The delusions of persecution remain, as seen in
 the letter appended above — Health good.

12 Nov.

She remains stationary, at times distinctly hearing
 voices of old men saying "I am your father"
 & accusing her of low & petty forms of wickedness.
 She is at present engaged in writing, the chief
 purport of which is that she is greatly distressed
 from the nobility. Health good.



sep. 30. 90

Feb. 17. 1891

There is no improvement to be reported. She occupies her whole day in fancy work, greatly results going into the large work room, still accuses nurses &c of stealing her things & has recently developed the practice of passing under the doors of different patients' rooms, slips of toilet paper, with the words "Thou shalt not steal" in large print - Health good. Claiborne.

2 May 91. She remains quiet, occupying herself with needlework & writing. The delusions of exaltation respecting her birth are easily elicited on a short conversation, as also the hallucinations of hearing. She still believes some old man talks to her nearly all night saying all kinds of words & unpleasant things, which she states are not true. Body health good. Claiborne.

31 May 91. Owing to lapse of Reception Order patient was today discharged "relieved" by order of the Commissioners.

J. B. Henderson

Side p. 317-

St. Ann's Health
Virginia Water
I have no friend or acquaintance
of silk to finish the work in them
of what I wanted, did you
get my letter? for it is a wireman
I never got one letter or thing that
is sent to one other people
clean every thing letter paper
that is sent me. I believe show
any thing like the thing
that goes on here. The police
is nice enough but most

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the door of different rooms, slips of toilet paper, words "Thou shalt not steal" print - Health good.

2 May 91.

She remains quiet, occupying her needlework & writing. The delusion of exaltation respecting her birth, elicited on a short conversation the hallucinations of hearing, & also some old man talks all night saying all kinds of unpleasant things, which she not true. Body health good.

31 May 91

Owing to lapse of reception patient was today discharged by order of the Commissioners.

J. B. L.

Side p. 317-

of people are either lunatics or thieves or bad people. I perfectly hate being here because I am really treated so un-justly. There is such a hateful woman here who is always doing every thing to make me uncomfortable. One of them is a Miss Andrews. Don't you remember that Governor that was Mrs. Coopers & Mrs. J. Gibbs - who brought the children to Mrs. Gibbs & took a rather brief to take my place & got sent away all myself was sent in my own room & then badly she behaved. Well that woman

is here. She is always making me miserable, saying things which are not true, then to good food. But I always get things cut & badly, that is because I have not got any money or presents to give them, they are such dreadful democrats & radicals & Communists here that it is so dreadful for me who am better than for they are nothing but money & the attendants & the attendants & the attendants to me. I am quite miserable. I never have a paper or a letter or any thing at all which is sent me. I want to hear



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J. B. Henderson

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Very much what you are doing, don't send any money or help or any thing to me I am wearing the old bonnet of Mrs Gibbs which I had at Falmouth, all my others are lost, my hands & feet are dreadful in latter shoes, but don't send any thing here I never get any thing, that is true. I should like to see you very much but try to send me a Johnny Keeling I'd like to finish the household case. How is Thomas? There is that Maria Miles nephew here & I believe he is taking my money, & living on it well, what I am doing, the blue deep now but I am off that vulgar play I am off, what old John Wiley says I am trying to determine



sep. 30. 90

Feb. 17. 1891

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2 May 91. She remains quiet, occupying herself with needlework & writing. - The delusions of exaltation respecting her birth are easily elicited on a short conversation, as also the hallucinations of hearing. She still believes some old man talks to her nearly all night saying all kinds of nice & unpleasant things, which she states are not true. Body health good. Chas. Scott.

31 May 91. Owing to lapse of Reception Order patient was today discharged "relieved" by order of the Commissioners.
J. B. Henderson

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No. 665.

Adm. Aug. 13. 90

nd. Aug. 13. 90

C. int. Aug. 13. 90

Ada Marianna Rogers, 47. Single. no occupation
Ch. of England. previous abode. Benborough, Jordan Hills
This is the first attack of two months duration age on
attack being 47. Supposed cause. Previous illness
the Chorea. Subject neither has Epilepsy, nor
Suicide, is not dangerous to others.

R. order P.

1st certif:

Charles Matthew Cloke.
very wild in conversation and often. may in the
house, and sees the back of the house lit up like a fire

2nd certif.

Rambles incoherently. says that I am not the person
she was once acquainted with. Sarcasm is evident in
attempts to leave her room. George Pearce.

Fam. Hist:

1

Perin. Hist.

Condition on
admissionA. Physical.

Tall thin woman, bluish green eyes, pupils equal & react
light brown hair, pale, anemic, peckled complexion
haggard, anxious expression, sunken cheeks, prominent
malar bones. complaint of headache, bowels constipated
tongue coated with thick white fur, tremulous, appetite bad
Speech unimpaired & clear, but presents no physical signs
of disease in thoracic and abdominal organs.

B. Mental

Acute melancholia. Restless, agitated, confused
incapable of settling down to any occupation.
Loss of interest in taste and bearing, delusion of identity

respecting clothing, refuses all food and says that
she is a great sinner.

18. Aug.

She has had a severe attack of Diarrhoea for which
she has been kept in bed & taking the usual
prescriptions & other remedies &
is still unable to get on her feet, which however she
only takes on compulsion - She remains restless,
restless, agitated with the same confusion &
delusions as on admission -

24 Aug.

The diarrhoea has now ceased, tongue clean & she is
much stronger bodily health - mentally she remains
confused, agitated & deluded.

4 Sept.

There is marked improvement
in her bodily health -
She is still a stranger -
mentally she is confused
& restless. Under at
nurses & doctors as they
pass thro' the gallery,
wanting their keys -
She has delusions of
identity & states that
the clothes she is wearing
are not her own - She is
still unable to occupy herself.



Sept 4. 1890

17 Sept

She is much improved in bodily condition, is gaining
weight, eating & sleeping well, but remains in
a restless confused state mentally fancying every
thing done for her is wrong.

31. Oct.

In good bodily health. mental condition
one of depression & confusion with no
power of will to make up her mind how
to act for herself in any way. Ch.

30 Nov

Unchanged. Ch.

Ada Maria Ross (cont.)

1891 Feb 17

There are signs of marked improvement mentally. She generally occupies herself in reading & needlework from description, is tidy in dress & careful of her personal appearance. She is still however confused. She will call the medical officer back 3 or 4 times during his rounds & each time will forget what she wanted today & accuse him of going off in a hurry & not giving her any attention. Things generally appear mixed up with her & she cannot understand what it all means. Bodily condition very good. *Chadwick.*

17 March.

The improvement has been progressive - ~~she is~~ however. She is rational & coherent, her logorrhea, garrulous & exceedingly argumentative - refuses to believe she is suffering ill for delusion & makes daily applications to the medical officers for conversation respecting her departure, during which she declines to hear any arguments why she should remain. She maintains a running invective against her unwarrantable loss of liberty. She remains in N. 3, ~~owing to her~~ at her own wish, declaring she prefers it to Nos 1 & 2 & yet brings forward the mental state of those with whom she is associated as the chief reason for her removal.

Chadwick

28 March

In good bodily health - arrangements are being made for her leave of absence. She went on leave today in charge of her sister. *Chadwick.*

25 May 1891. Was today discharged "recovered" by the authority of her sister

N^o. 667 Malaga Elizabeth Mayne 24 Single no occup

Adm. 23 Aug. 90 Church of England - Pres abde. St. Andrews Ho.

Adm. 23 Aug. 90 Spring Vale Ryde. This is her 1st attack of

Conc. 24 Aug. 90 about 8 years duration. The supposed cause
28 Aug. 90 being overwork & shock - she was at Dr. Forster, Warrington in 1884 - she is neither epileptic nor suicidal, but is at times liable to outbreaks of excitement & violence -

1st Certificate General excitability, rushes in her walk - states she has travelled all yesterday & does not know where she comes from. H. S. Giffard. 20 Aug. 90

2nd Certificate Idiotic in manner - unstable in behaviour &c. S. A. Ryle. 22 Aug. 90

Family history Mother suffers from Hysteria - maternal uncle intemperate - no history of Phtisis.

Previous History as a child she was considered peculiar at times, but was quiet, cheerful, & various - restlessness or reserve - Her parents attribute the present attack to religious mania, brought on by a nurse who assisted & frightened her into Roman Catholic principles and by overstudy for classical examinations

Condition on admission

A. Physical - a stout well nourished girl, with light brown hair, green eyes. Pupils equal & react to light & accommodation. She has a hale, freckled, flabby complexion, vacant ^{stupid} & suspicious expression. Temp. clean & moist, bowels & menses regular. Appetite good - She rarely walks quickly but rushes forward on her ^{toes} ~~toes~~ ^{toes} jumping as she goes in an idiotic manner. She presents no physical



Spring 91

Signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs.

B. Mental - weak-mindedness with outbreaks of excitement & violence - she is childish & imbecile in aspect & conversation, is incapable of saying how long she has been here & where she lives - remains unoccupied all day & at times has sudden outbreaks of violence during which she is completely unmanageable ~~fitment~~.

2 Sept. She remains weak-minded, unoccupied during the day, liable to attacks of screaming & violence during which she has to be removed to No 5 - Bodily condition good -

10 Sept. Unchanged. Ct

24 Sept. There are signs of slight improvement - she will engage in a short conversation, states she is very happy here & does not want to go home - she persists in rushing along on her toes, & with great difficulty can be persuaded to do some knitting or plain needlework Ct

Dec. 10th There has been no further sign of improvement - She remains childish in the extreme, has several foolish tricks as mentioned ^{above} & only at times occupies herself in a simple way, usually sitting playing with a fiddle or wiggling her head after the fashion of an idiot. Health good Ct. She remains as in above note - The only favorable change being a decrease in the outbreaks of excitement. Health good. Ct.

Feb 31. There is no improvement to be recorded - She sits idle & unoccupied throughout day - smiles faintly when addressed & has slight outbreaks of excitement periodically. Health good.

Lalage Elizabeth Mayne (Cont'd).

2nd May 91.

This morning she is exceptionally excited - attacking unprovoked every nurse or lady she can - she has, indeed, continuous fits for 3 hours - Bodily health good.

Gloucester

15 Aug. 91

She remains weak-minded & unable to support herself - General health fair. All L.H.



Pl: 91

Jan: 4. 92.

There is no improvement, patient remains weak-minded, restless, excitable unable to occupy herself or to engage in conversation. Health fair. J. R. Henderson.

Mar: 31. 92

Patient was still weak-minded and at times noisy & restless. Health good. She was today removed to Licherton House Salisbury by the authority of L. R. Cornwell (step father) "relieved"

Adm. 24 Aug. 1900

R. Ordered 24 Aug.

C in L. 26 Aug.

Nellie Farley 22, single, no occupation
Ch of England; Pro. broke. Peachey House Midhurst
This is the first attack of 2 weeks duration, supposed
cause being deafness. She is neither epileptic, suicidal
nor dangerous to others.

1st certificate - Believes that all her friends are in league against her
to destroy her, & that the only safe place for her is
Windsor Castle guarded by soldiers. Accuses her
sister of burning her father alive. W. Pres. Aug 19
2nd certificate - watched through holes in the ceiling. Took drugged
left a sum of money, which her relations wish to
get it. Walter Collins Aug 19

Fam. History Father intemperate - no history of insanity or phthisis.

Previous History she was unable to walk for some time owing to contraction
of the legs. Deafness came on about the age of 11, from
no apparent cause & she has remained totally deaf since
no history of disaffection. Shock or injury - In some time
has been getting more reserved. Great suspicious people
concerning about which finally culminated in delusion.
A. Physical at times refuses food.

Condition on
Admission



Sept. 4. 1899

An undersized young woman with dark
hair brown eyes, pupils equal &
react to light & accommodation. Pale
sallow, complexion. Spotted with acne
suspicious. Smiling expression -
Tongue furred & coated, absolute ap-
petite at times refusing food owing to
delusion of poisoning. bowels irregu-
lar - reflexes
She is fairly nourished & presents no
physical signs of disease in thoracic
or abdominal organs. She is still
deaf & cannot speak intelligibly.

B. Mental - Delusional insanity with ideas of
persecution. She states that her mother &
brother have conspired against her, have
ruined her food to get her out of the way,
that they are preventing her from obtaining
money which has been left her, that she is
watched through holes in the ceiling & walls
of her room & that she has been mesmerised
for a wicked purpose.

- Sept. 3 She remains reserved, suspicious, & deluded as
an admission. Health fair -
10 There is no improvement to be noted. She is
silly, passionate & at times threatening in
aspect & manner. She sleeps well but
takes her food at times only under compulsion.
25 She remains silent, unoccupied & suspicious
improved in bodily condition -
Dec 25 There is no improvement to be recorded, she
remains totally unoccupied, suspicious, & occasionally
develops attacks of violent excitement, when it re-
quires 5 or 6 nurses to hold her, & in which she will
smash, kick, bite & try all the means in her
power to kill herself or others. Croton oil 20 gr
& generally relieves these. Health fair - 16.
1899. Jan 31 She has recently had 3 or 4 boils, in various parts, 2 of
which had to be opened. She is now in good bodily health
but mentally remains silent, morose & suspicious.
6 March She continues silent, morose, suspicious & petulant -
will rarely shake hands or say good morning -
She has not had an outbreak of violence since
last entry & is in good bodily condition.
She was 17th removed to the "Ladies" to the Lancaster
County Asylum.

N^o 669.

Adm. 3 Sept 90

Wdr. 2 Sept 90

Cul. 4 Sept 90

Elinor Georgina Baird 45, Single, no occup.
Ch. of England, of the Vicarage Southgate. N.
Has had a slight attack before when 34, but has
not been previously treated. Duration of existing
attack 5 weeks, cause unknown.

Is not epileptic, not suicidal & not dangerous.
Restless, excited, unduly emotional, statements
rambling and incoherent, refuses to take nourishment.
W^m Seward. Sept 2

1st Certificate2nd Certificate

Family Hist

Previous Hist

Condition on
admission

A. Physical. a well-nourished woman with
dark hair, brown eyes, reddish complexion,
vacant, harassed, & terrified expression -
on admission she burst into tears for no ap-
parent reason, gave no replies to questions.
Tongue coated with thick, white fur, lips & teeth
covered with sordes, bowels irregular, & ab-
normal. - Therefore, all food - She presents no
physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal
organs. - admission with pulse on hand almost flapping.
B. Mental - Obscured (probably, ac. delir. mania).
She is restless, emotional, performs incoherent,
meaningless movements of hands & arms -
She refuses her food entirely. When addressed she

turns her head away & pulls her bedclothes over
her face - She bursts into tears without apparent
cause.

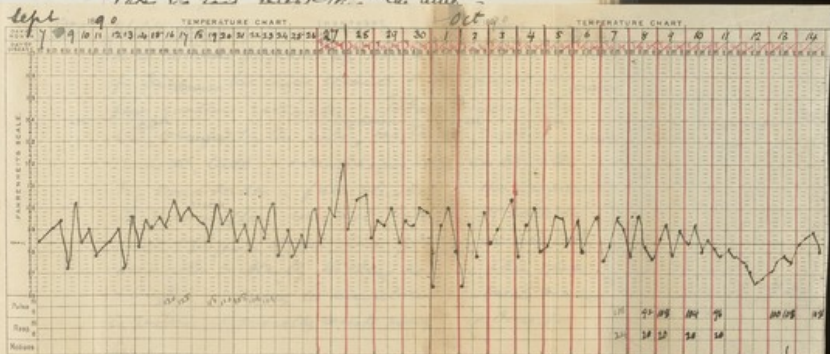
8 Sept.

She remains in bed during the day. The tongue
& mouth is more coated with sordes than
on admission & she lies partially unclothed,
but does not pass her excretions under her -
She occasionally responds to simple questions eg.
to protrude her tongue but sometimes does not.
T. 101.6 P. 100. She refuses all food & is
being fed with tube 4 times daily - some of soap
& water & glycerine - She bursts into tears & sobs with-
out reason - no physical signs in throat.

W^m Seward
Sept 4
101.6 P. 100
Daily
No. 669

10 Sept.

She remains in same condition but appears rather
more conscious, though refuses to respond to questions.
Takes no food except 10.11.12.13.14.15.16.17.18.19.20.21.22.23.24.25.26.27.28.29.30.31.32.33.34.35.36.37.38.39.40.41.42.43.44.45.46.47.48.49.50.51.52.53.54.55.56.57.58.59.60.61.62.63.64.65.66.67.68.69.70.71.72.73.74.75.76.77.78.79.80.81.82.83.84.85.86.87.88.89.90.91.92.93.94.95.96.97.98.99.100.101.102.103.104.105.106.107.108.109.110.111.112.113.114.115.116.117.118.119.120.121.122.123.124.125.126.127.128.129.130.131.132.133.134.135.136.137.138.139.140.141.142.143.144.145.146.147.148.149.150.151.152.153.154.155.156.157.158.159.160.161.162.163.164.165.166.167.168.169.170.171.172.173.174.175.176.177.178.179.180.181.182.183.184.185.186.187.188.189.190.191.192.193.194.195.196.197.198.199.200.201.202.203.204.205.206.207.208.209.210.211.212.213.214.215.216.217.218.219.220.221.222.223.224.225.226.227.228.229.230.231.232.233.234.235.236.237.238.239.240.241.242.243.244.245.246.247.248.249.250.251.252.253.254.255.256.257.258.259.260.261.262.263.264.265.266.267.268.269.270.271.272.273.274.275.276.277.278.279.280.281.282.283.284.285.286.287.288.289.290.291.292.293.294.295.296.297.298.299.300.301.302.303.304.305.306.307.308.309.310.311.312.313.314.315.316.317.318.319.320.321.322.323.324.325.326.327.328.329.330.331.332.333.334.335.336.337.338.339.340.341.342.343.344.345.346.347.348.349.350.351.352.353.354.355.356.357.358.359.360.361.362.363.364.365.366.367.368.369.370.371.372.373.374.375.376.377.378.379.380.381.382.383.384.385.386.387.388.389.390.391.392.393.394.395.396.397.398.399.400.401.402.403.404.405.406.407.408.409.410.411.412.413.414.415.416.417.418.419.420.421.422.423.424.425.426.427.428.429.430.431.432.433.434.435.436.437.438.439.440.441.442.443.444.445.446.447.448.449.450.451.452.453.454.455.456.457.458.459.460.461.462.463.464.465.466.467.468.469.470.471.472.473.474.475.476.477.478.479.480.481.482.483.484.485.486.487.488.489.490.491.492.493.494.495.496.497.498.499.500.501.502.503.504.505.506.507.508.509.510.511.512.513.514.515.516.517.518.519.520.521.522.523.524.525.526.527.528.529.530.531.532.533.534.535.536.537.538.539.540.541.542.543.544.545.546.547.548.549.550.551.552.553.554.555.556.557.558.559.560.561.562.563.564.565.566.567.568.569.570.571.572.573.574.575.576.577.578.579.580.581.582.583.584.585.586.587.588.589.590.591.592.593.594.595.596.597.598.599.600.601.602.603.604.605.606.607.608.609.610.611.612.613.614.615.616.617.618.619.620.621.622.623.624.625.626.627.628.629.630.631.632.633.634.635.636.637.638.639.640.641.642.643.644.645.646.647.648.649.650.651.652.653.654.655.656.657.658.659.660.661.662.663.664.665.666.667.668.669.670.671.672.673.674.675.676.677.678.679.680.681.682.683.684.685.686.687.688.689.690.691.692.693.694.695.696.697.698.699.700.701.702.703.704.705.706.707.708.709.710.711.712.713.714.715.716.717.718.719.720.721.722.723.724.725.726.727.728.729.730.731.732.733.734.735.736.737.738.739.740.741.742.743.744.745.746.747.748.749.750.751.752.753.754.755.756.757.758.759.760.761.762.763.764.765.766.767.768.769.770.771.772.773.774.775.776.777.778.779.780.781.782.783.784.785.786.787.788.789.790.791.792.793.794.795.796.797.798.799.800.801.802.803.804.805.806.807.808.809.810.811.812.813.814.815.816.817.818.819.820.821.822.823.824.825.826.827.828.829.830.831.832.833.834.835.836.837.838.839.840.841.842.843.844.845.846.847.848.849.850.851.852.853.854.855.856.857.858.859.860.861.862.863.864.865.866.867.868.869.870.871.872.873.874.875.876.877.878.879.880.881.882.883.884.885.886.887.888.889.890.891.892.893.894.895.896.897.898.899.900.901.902.903.904.905.906.907.908.909.910.911.912.913.914.915.916.917.918.919.920.921.922.923.924.925.926.927.928.929.930.931.932.933.934.935.936.937.938.939.940.941.942.943.944.945.946.947.948.949.950.951.952.953.954.955.956.957.958.959.960.961.962.963.964.965.966.967.968.969.970.971.972.973.974.975.976.977.978.979.980.981.982.983.984.985.986.987.988.989.990.991.992.993.994.995.996.997.998.999.1000.



23 Sept.

Since last entry she has remained in about the
same state. T. 99-100 P. 110-120. Tongue still
dry & brown. Unconscious, delirious, & has taken
no food except that administered through tube.
Which is used 4 times daily.

W. Seward
Sept 23
101.6 P. 100
Daily
No. 669

N^o 669.

Adm: 3 Sept 90
 order: 2 Sept 90
 Civil: 4 Sept 90

Elinor Georgina Baird 45, single, no occup.
 Ch. of England, of the Vicarage Southgate. N
 Has had a slight attack before when 34, but has
 not been previously treated. Duration of existing
 attack 5 weeks, cause unknown.

Is not epileptic, not suicidal & not dangerous.

1st certificate

Restless, excited, unduly emotional, statements
 rambling and incoherent refuses to take nourishment.

W^m Seward. Sept 2

2nd certificate

incoherent and sometimes noisy

Edw^d Roberts. Sept 2nd

Family Hist

Previous Hist

Condition on
 admission

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physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs. admitted with bruise on hand & arms & legs.

B. Mental - Obscured (probably ac. delir. mania).

She is restless, emotional, performs incessant
 meaningless movements of hand & arms -
 She refuses her food entirely. When addressed she

turns her head away & pulls the bedclothes over
 her face - she bursts into tears without apparent
 cause.

E. Sept.

She remains in bed during the day. Her tongue
 & mouth is more coated with sordes than
 on admission & she lies partially unconscious,
 but does not pass her excursions under her -
 She occasionally responds to simple questions eg.
 to protrude her tongue but sometimes does not.
 T. 100.6. P. 100. She refuses all food & is
 being fed with tube 4 times daily - means of trap
 & water & soda - she bursts into tears & sobb with-
 out reason - no physical signs in throat.

10 Sept.

She remains in same condition but appears rather
 more conscious, though refuses to respond to questions.
 Takes no food except this' tea tube -

Sept.

Up till yesterday morning she remained as above, but
 on the 14th she brightened up took a chop & some beer
 for dinner. her tongue cleaned & she answered a
 few questions rationally. Today however, she
 has the fetid by the tube, her tongue, with a
 month, teeth, & oesophagus are coated with
 dry brown sordes. face flushed; she performs
 the meaningless constant movements with her
 hand & fingers, at no time picking at bedclothes
 or another constantly striking her nose, chin & face,
 & laughing & crying in an absent, incoherent manner
 is restless, & generally resists everything done for
 her -

23 Sept

Since last entry she has remained in about the
 same state. T. 99-100 P. 110-120. Tongue still
 dry brown - unconscious, delirious & has taken
 no food except that administered through tube,
 which is used 4 times daily.

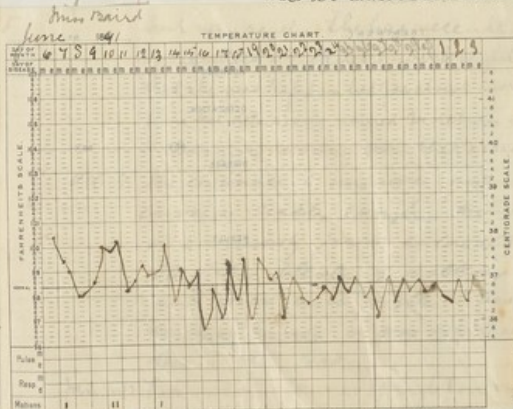
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- 1 Oct. She remains in the same critical state - taking no nourishment except that administered thru tube 4 times daily -
- Oct 10. Up to present date she has been fed 4 times daily with the tube. Today however, she took food freely. She is restless, persistently has a frightened, terrified ^{expression} on her face, starts from sleep with shrieks & occasionally mutters during her night expressions which at one stage she believed the house to be on fire, another that she is surrounded by gunpowder, or that there is something fearful under the bed. Physically she is still weak & exhausted, with brown tongue etc.
- 3 Nov. She is up daily in the afternoon - She takes her food naturally now, but generally requires much forcing. She has lately been very excited & noisy, still ~~shows~~ ^{has} the terrified expression of countenance which fright the nurses & vigorously when resisted. She is now gaining strength & the delirium has ceased.
- Dec. 10. She has now passed into a condition of Cataplexy & stupor - she sits in one position vacantly staring in front, does not speak or move when addressed, will keep fingers, hand warm in any position for some minutes, - A day or two ago she had one whole day during which she was quite sensible, took her food, talked rationally & undressed herself at bedtime. Health improving; she is gaining in bodily weight.
- Hadden #
1891 Feb. 18. She remains in a condition of Semi-Stupor & Cataplexy, with a vacant, harassed expression - She responds slowly to simple questions eg. "Put out tongue" - but will not articulate, do anything for herself any way - She is dirty in her habits, requires

forcing with her food, but is in good bodily health - 66.



Apr. 91



March 3. There is some improvement to be recorded. She is at times answers questions in monosyllables, occasionally occupies herself with knitting or needlework, but remains suspicious, often in one attitude for hours with an anxious, harassed expression, as though in terror of some dreadful catastrophe - Bodily condition good - Upstairs July 1st. The improvement although slight continues and she has at times entered into conversation

had an attack which resulted in loss of temp. to bright. During this with more force. R. J. B. Henderson and now speaking sort of way - She is still and all the was seen there

a few days ago, she is improving somewhat will take part in conversation but is still confused & suspicious, complains that she does not understand. Somewhat hypochondriac & emotional. Health good but patient is very thin & does not always look as well. Patient was discharged 'Recovered' by the attending authority of her male parent.

22/2/92.

- 1 Oct. She remains in the same critical state - taking no nourishment except that administered thro' tube 4 times daily -
- Oct 10. Up to present date she has been fed 4 times daily with the tube. Today however she took food freely. She is restless, persistently has a frightened, terrified ^{expression} in her face, starts from sleep with shrieks & occasionally mutters during her fright expressions which at one stage she believes the house to be on fire, another that she is surrounded by gunpowder, or that there is something fearful under the bed. Physically she is still weak & exhausted, with brown tongue etc.
- 3 Nov. She is up daily in the afternoon - She takes her food naturally now but generally requires much forcing & is still comatose when it is taken & the delirium.
- Dec. 10. She has now, I suppose - is staring in front of me, addressed, in any position two ago she shows signs of rationality & health improving, no gain in weight as yet.
- 1891 Feb. 18 She remains in a condition of semi-stupor & catatonia, with a vacant, harassed expression - responds slowly to simple questions eg. "Put out tongue" - but will not articulate, do anything for herself any way - She is dirty in her habits, requires

TREATMENT	TRADE	FACTORY	NO.	NAME	AGE	SEX
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				OCCUPATION		
				DISEASE		
				RESULT		

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Apr. 91

March 3. There is some improvement to be recorded. She will at times answer questions in monosyllables, occasionally occupies herself with knitting or needlework, but remains semi-stupor, often in one attitude for hours with an anxious, harassed expression, as though in terror of some dreadful catastrophe - Bodily condition good -

July 1st. The improvement although slight continues and she has at times entered into conversation but very rarely. She has recently had an attack of diarrhoea & sickness with slight rise of temp. so that she was kept in bed for about a fortnight. During this time her delusions seemed to return with more force. She has now recovered from that attack. J. B. Henderson

Oct. 4. She continues to improve and will now converse readily, easily, though speaking in a curiously jerky, automatic sort of way. She takes plenty of walking exercise and looks much brighter & better. She occupies herself in ~~needlework~~ and does a little reading.

Jan. 4. Patient is now at Brighton & was seen there a few days ago. She is improving somewhat will take part in conversation but is still confused & suspicious, complains that she does not understand. Somewhat hypochondriacal & emotional. Health good but patient is very thin & does not always look well. Patient was discharged "Recovered" by the medical authority of the male prison.

20th. 92.

N^o 671

Adm. Sept 3, 90
 ordered, July 28 88
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1st certificate2nd certificate

Family Hist. Log.

Provin. Hist. Log.

Condition on
 admission.



Georgina Langdon 27. single. no occup.
 Protestant, prev. abode ^{Stratford-on-Avon} Stratford-on-Avon, Leicestershire.
 This is the second attack of about 3 mos duration age
 on first attack being 22, supposed cause unknown.
 Just epileptic, suicidal ^{but threatening} & dangerous. Violence
 Incoherence of Language
 Abuse of relations, and threats of violence.
 continuous attempt to remove her dress. ^{Francis Cook} Cook
 tendency to destructive mischief and even personal
 violence if thwarted. — J. Dan Kilgour

A. Physical - A thin little woman with brown
 eyes, pupils equal & react, dark hair, pale
 clear & strenuous complexion,
 vacant, placid expression. - Tongue
 clean moist, appetite good.
 bowels regular. - She is thin &
 sparsely nourished, but presents
 no physical signs of disease in
 thoracic or abdominal organs.

B. Mental - Dementia. - Her
 behaviour manner & aspect; she
 answers quite calmly, rationally,
 & coherently, does not appear to
 have any loss of memory, but during
 conversation she ^{continues} ~~is~~ ^{continues} herself in the
 intervals when she is not speaking, as though she
 is carrying on a separate conversation with fictitious
 voices. - She is liable to outbreaks of great excite-

ment & violence, during which her language is of
 the choicest "Billingsgate".

15 Sept.

It has been necessary to send her to No. 6 owing
 to the frequency of her outbreaks of passion & violence
 during which she will seize any article near at
 hand & beat it continuously & violently with
 chair, or floor, sometimes of the most foul
 & blasphemous language. In the intervals she
 wanders about asking langoustes "Can't not
 go back to the other room?" C.

25 Sept.

Unchanged. - Bodily condition fair. C.

3 Oct.

There is no change to be noted in bodily or mental state. C.

4 Dec.

She remains demented with periodical out-
 breaks excitement & violence. Health good C.

1871. Feb 10

There is no change to be reported. During her
 attacks of excitement she is violent, destructive
 using profane & blasphemous, & obscene
 language. Health good C.

12 March

There is no improvement to be noted. She remains
 unimproved. Daily asking the same question, as
 whether she can go into another gallery &
 liable to short outbreaks of acute excitement.

24 April

She has recently recovered from an attack of
 laryngitis & slight bronchitis - she presents
 doubtful signs of phthisis at the apex of each
 lung. She remains thin & sparsely nourished.

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but eats well & is unchanged mentally.

24 July

No improvement, patient continues in a state
 of great excitement, continually muttering to
 herself unintelligibly. Is occasionally violent
 as the others. Health fair. S. D. Henderson

4 Oct.

Condition unchanged. Is still a destructive in
 habit, keeps working & speaking continually as
 a rule. Has been down to Brighton.

Cont. on p. 63.

No 673

Adm. Sept 3/90
order Sept 3/90
Cin L. Sept 4/90

Florence Eleanor Mahood 22 single

no occup: Ch of England. prev. abode Kenwyn, Ramsgate
This is the first attack of six wks duration, cause
unknown. is neither epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous?
(See med. certif.)

1st certificate

Very restless, but guarded in her answers. Has been in
my presence extremely violent. Saw Salau coming
to see her, the room full of debris, opens the window
and then a few to throw herself out. Filling in
lights. Has taken her diaper off during menstruation
and used it as a plaything. C. T. Temple Sept 3rd 90
weak minded, emotional, & unstable - memory defective.
states her brain is all wrong - says her face is growing
larger daily &.

Family history sister in this institution -

Prev. History

Condition on
admission

A. Physical. a well nourished young woman with
auburn hair freckled complexion, cheerful &
vacant expression - pupils &
reflexes normal. She is well
nourished & presents no physical
signs of disease in thoracic or
abdominal organs.

B. Mental. She is weak minded
hysterical & silly, laughs with-
out cause - says her brain is
in a whirl, that her face is
growing larger daily & that
people around her seem also

to grow visibly & also to diminish in size -
18 Sept. She is quiet, takes her food & sleeps well, but
remains entirely unoccupied. Health good.
23 Sept. Unchanged - is inclined to be depressed
4 Oct. She occupies herself daily in the gallery work
with her needle; is quiet & well behaved
but during conversation is inclined to giggle
in a weak minded way & at times is very

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The Hall

Near Home. Ch

Sept. 9. 89. Oct 9.

Dear Friends.

If you want

a comfortable home.

I will at any

time find one

by the seaside.

As yours -

away but the last two weeks she has gradually
become restless & excited & noisy & sleepless
at night. She has had to spend a few days in No. 6
where she walks up & down & when she then answers
& laughs in a rude & silly way. Health good.

No 673

Adm. Sept 3/90

order Sept 3/90

Cin L. Sept 4/90

Florence Eleanor Mahood 22 single

no occup: Ch of England, prev. at the Newry, Ramsgate
This is the first attack of six wks duration, cause
unknown. is neither epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous?
(See med. certif²)

1st certificate

Very restless, but guarded in her answers. Has been in
my presence extremely violent. Saw Salau coming
to see her, the room full of debris, opens the window
and then a few to throw herself out.
beats. Has taken her diapers off during
and used it as a plaything. C. Ta

2nd certificate

weak minded, emotional, & unstable -
states her brain is all wrong - says her
lungs daily &c. W.W.H.

Family history sister in this institution -

Proc. History

Condition on admission

A. Physical. acutely nourished good
auburn hair freckled complexion
vacant expression
reflexes normal
nourished & free
signs of disease
abdominal organ

B. Mental. She
hysterical & silly, laughs with-
out cause - says her brain is
in a list, that her face is
growing larger daily & that
people around her seem also

to grow visibly, & also to diminish in size -
15 Sept. She is quiet, takes her food & sleeps well, but
remains entirely unoccupied. Health good.
23 Sept. Unchanged - is inclined to be depressed
4 Oct. She occupies herself daily in the gallery work
with her needle; is quiet & well behaved
but during conversation is inclined to giggle
in a weak minded way & at times is very
to look in manner. Health good.

I will try to interview

You by my

Expressive countenance.

The servants here

Are very suspicious

I wonder if

they can make

money one hour

As quickly as

You do.

It must be trying

work to have all

the curries the

people have here.

The burdens they

bear are most

unusually &

subleak.

They are continually

Asks the question

away but the last two weeks she has gradually
become restless & excited & noisy & sleepless
at night. She has had to spend a few days in No. 3
where she walks up & down & when she then answers
& laughs in a rude & silly way. Health good.

No 673

Adm. Sept 3/90
order Sept 3/90
C. L. Sept 4/90

Florence Eleanor Mahood 22 single

no occup: Ch of England, prev: at the Kensington, Ramsgate
This is the first attack of six wks duration, cause
unknown. is neither epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous?
(see med. certif²)

1st certificate

Very restless, but guarded in her answers. Has been in
my presence extremely violent. Saw Salau coming
to see her, the room full of debris, opens the window
and then attempts to throw herself out. Filling in
books. Has taken her diapers off during menstruation
and used it as a plaything. C. T. T. Sept 3rd 1900
weak minded, suspicious, & unstable - memory defective.
states her brain is all wrong - says her face is growing
large daily &c.

Family history sister in this institution -

Prev. History

Condition on admission

A. Physical. a well nourished young woman with
auburn hair freckled complexion, cheerful &
vacant expression - pupils &
reflexes normal. Throat well
nourished & presents no signs
signs of disease in throat or
abdominal organs.

B. Mental. She is weak minded
hysterical & silly. laughs with-
out cause - says her brain is
in a whirl, that her face is
growing larger daily & that
people around her seem also

to grow visibly, & also to diminish in size -
15 Sept. She is quiet, takes her food & sleep well, but
remains entirely unoccupied. Health good.
23 Sept. Unchanged - is inclined to be depressed
4 Oct. She occupies herself daily in the salery work
with her needle; is quiet & well behaved
but during conversation is inclined to giggle
in a weak minded way & at times is very

10 Nov

Dec 20th

1891 Jan 20

Feb 17

May 18

Aug 20thDec 29thFeb 9th

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face.

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ache.

Looks to life

I am not well at present

Enough. It must

be good to be

his such circumstances

away but the last two weeks she has gradually
become restless & excited noisy & sleepless
at night. She has had to spend a few days in No. 2
where she walks up & down when she is awake
& laughs in a rude & silly way. Health good.

No 673

Florence Eleanor Mahood 22 single

Adm. Sept 3/90 no occup: Ch of England. prev. abode Kenwyn, Ramsgate
 order Sept 3/90 This is the first attack of six wks duration, cause
 C.M.L. Sept 4/90 unknown. is neither epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous?
 (See med. certif.)

1st certificate

Very restless but guarded in her answers. Has been in my presence extremely violent. Saw Salau coming to see her, the room full of devils, opens the window and then attempts to throw herself out. Filling in habits. Has taken her diaper off during menstruation and used it as a plaything. C. Temple Sept 3rd 90
 2nd certificate weak minded, emotional, & unstable - memory defective. States her brain is all wrong - says her face is growing larger daily &c. W. W. Hays. 4 Sept. 90

Family history sister in this institution -

Prev. History

Condition on admission

A. Physical. a well nourished young woman with Auburn hair freckled complexion, cheerful & vacant expression - pupils & reflexes normal. Throat well nourished & presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

B. Mental. She is weak minded hysterical & silly. laughs without cause - says her brain is in a whirl, that her face is growing larger daily & that people around her seem also

to grow visibly, & also to diminish in size -
 15 Sept. She is quiet, takes her food & sleep well, but remains entirely unoccupied. Health good.

23 Sept. Unchanged - is inclined to be depressed
 4 Oct. She occupies herself daily in the gallery work with her needle; is quiet & well behaved but during conversation is inclined to giggle in a weak minded way & at times is very absent & lost in manner. Health good &c.

10 Nov. She remains weak minded, absent in manner & dull. She occupies herself with stitching, cleaning & needlework - Health good. C.

Dec 20th Unchanged. C.

1891. Jan 20. There is some improvement in mental state, She is however silent only speaking when addressed. She appears to have lost her silly delusions & occupies herself usefully in many ways. Health good. C.

Feb 17. She remains as in above note, apparently quite contented & happy. C.

May 18. She varies a good deal, but her general condition is satisfactory - mentally rather weak but capable of useful employment.
 Aug 20th. She is bright & cheerful and employs herself willingly about the wards - She must now go out on trial - Health robust. C.

Dec 29. Patient went home on leave today. J.B. Henderson
 Feb 9th. Patient returned from leave on Jan 11 and did not appear to be any the worse for being away but the last two weeks she has gradually become restless & excited & noisy & sleepless at night. She has had to spend a few days in No. 3 where she walks up & down & when she then awakes & laughs in a rude & silly way. Health good. C.

present during the excitement but it produced no obvious difference. (The sister is also excited & has had legs to her 5' 10".)

J. B. Henderson

May 3rd.

The period of excitement has passed & patient is now quiet, weak-minded rather silly in her behaviour but able to occupy herself a little with housework. Health satisfactory. J. B. Henderson

Aug. 30th

Patient is weak-minded & silly, occupies herself in the bedroom but is fond of staring out of the windows, she frequently laughs without obvious cause, will not enter into conversation and will only in monosyllables. Her actions are impulsive & uncertain. Health good. J. B. Henderson

Nov. 30.

Unchanged.

March 14. 93

For the last month or two has had swollen glands on right side of neck. In general, she is same as reported in note of Aug. 30. Is useful in dormitories & galleries. J. B. Henderson

June 20.

No change - Glands less swollen. J. B. Henderson

Oct. 30.

In good health, does house work. Weak-minded & very childish; often laughs without cause. J. B. Henderson

Jan. 26. 94

Physical health good. Weak-minded & childish, does not always answer when spoken to, but turns away, or only answers with a monosyllable or shake of the head. She does house work. J. B. Henderson

May 15.

Is at times excited, otherwise no change. J. B. Henderson

Sept. 9.

Improved since last note, but is still weak-minded. To-day discharged "recovered" by operation of the brain. The Certificate having been allowed to lapse. Remains ill. J. B. Henderson

No. 674

Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation. Catholic

Adm. 5 Sep. 1890

Res. abode Oxon Choke. This is her first at-

tack of about 2 years duration the supposed

cause of which is unknown. She is neither

epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate

She said that she knew all about it, that they had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain father had made some one at a certain period of her life affect her - Bro. H. Savage. 10 Jan 90

2nd Certificate

Mission of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone wanting to marry her for money. Dr. Dalloway. 10 Feb. 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark hair, greyish eyes, perfect equal & round to chest & accommodation, healthy looking, complexion, frank open & kind expression. Tongue clean & moist, appetite good, bowels regular. She presents no physical signs of disease in Nervous & abdominal organs. No tremor.

B. Mental. Delusional mania with ideas of persecution. She states that a league has been formed by means of which her sister is

Compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind way. That her money is kept away from her that she is rendered unconscious by means of ether which is administered to her by means of a book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly annoying her with offers of marriage. During the narration of these delusions she gets very

15 Sept.

28 Sept.

7 October

10 Nov.

20 Dec.

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St. Ann's of Heath, about -
Asylum, up to her -
Virginia Water, & walks in
Scars, can very good.
Feb. 7th 1901

My dear Emily,

I received your card at Christmas, for which many thanks.

I am shut up as you know perhaps from the same delusion, but much until I get free and you will see, I have been kept in the filthiest hole of the earth amongst all kinds of mad people for the last 12 months. I often wish I was able to get out into the world

respecting her own persecutions by the supposed league of her illegal detention, & bitter insuperation against her sister. Health good. There is no change to be reported. She now refuses to do any kind of work & makes herself as disagreeable as she possibly can. Health good. E.

No. 674

Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation R Catholic

Adm. 5 Sep. 1890

Prev. abode. Oxon. Cheshire This is her first at.

Adm. 16 Jan 90

Lacks of about 2 years duration the supposed cause of which is unknown. She is neither epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

Adm. 5 Sep. 90

1st Certificate

She said that she knew all about it, that they had made her sister do it: that her sister was an idiot. They had drugged her - fallen had made some one at a case her life affect her - Both several

2nd Certificate

Matters of conversation respecting the wanting to marry her for money. &

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman hair greyish eyes, pupil, equal & accommodation, but complexion, pink. expression. Dumb. appetite good. bowels she presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs. no tremor.

B. Mental. Delusional mania with ideas of persecution. She states that a league has been formed by means of which her sister is

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind way. That her money is kept away from her that she is rendered unconscious by means of ether which is administered to her by means of a book. That Herbert Stadstone is constantly annoying her with offers of marriage. During

garden and now sleeping in a dormitory with 40 people like birds as often stepped up and without notice as not, until I have had a dirty hospital sore throat which poisen still floats about my body. I have written to Dr. Walker asking if he signed the Regent's Certificate but have got no answer, as my letters are stopped by the Refus of this Illicitarium. He agrees whenever the father and me free I shall bring you across for a lawful detention. I never came to a precise though

I have plenty of money except to hire a piano but because the provided paid for women have got my sister under their sway I am treated in this shameful manner. This is the first miserable year I have ever passed in my life. I am besides being boycotted from my own money deprived of all the pleasures of existence skating, dancing and all sorts of things for they disapprove of my being so much matched into this institution by a great host of a woman seven feet tall or

tion is principally admonished punishment respecting her own persecutions by the support league & her illegal detention, & bitter intemperance against her sister. Health good. There is no change to be reported. She now refuses to do any kind of work & make herself as disagreeable as she possibly can. Health good. C.

1891. Jan 20

No. 674

Gertrude Rathe 30 single no occupation R Catholic
 born. 5 Sep. 1870 Prev. abode Oron Cheshire This is her first at-
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 cause of which is unknown. She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate

She said that she knew all about it, that they
 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain
 father had made some one at a certain period of
 her life affect her - Geo. H. Savage. 10 Jan 90

2nd Certificate

Misstatements of conversation respecting Herbert Gladstone
 wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 10 Feb. 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
 admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark
 hair. growth eyes. perfect, equal & react to light
 accommodation, healthy red dry
 complexion, frank, open & kind
 expression. Tongue clean & moist
 appetite good, bowels regular.
 She presents no physical signs
 of disease in Nervous & abdominal
 organs. no tremors.

B. Mental. Delusional mania with
 ideas of persecution. She states that
 a league has been formed by
 means of which her sister is

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 way. That her money is kept away from her
 that she is rendered unconscious by means of
 ether which is administered to her by means of a
 book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly
 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
 the narration of these delusions, she got very
 confused & rambling in her conversation -

16 Sept.

four in height. *upside her -*
 they say truth is a *& walks a*
 deal stranger than *can very good.*

28 Sept.

7 October

strange fact of my *my walk a*
 being detained in *she maintains*
 a lunatic asylum *her former*
 amidst the most *was drugged*
 incessant noise *H.*
 and most guesses *in her mental*
 I called I name *the same*
 them only snatches *with - Her*
 I will endeavor *H.*
 to get a substantial *to No 5*
 sum of money as *nurses &*
 soon as possible. *ated with:*

10 Nov.

20 Dec.

damaged. *king in a*
 with best love to *herself*
 your mamma and sister *in convers-*
 hoping the former is *possible*

I remain,
 Yours affectionately,
 Gertrude Rathe,

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 regarding her own person by the supposed
 league of her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 superation against her sister. Health good &c.
 1891. Jan 20 There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & makes her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. *Ed.*

No. 674

Adm. 5 Sep. 1890
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Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation R Catholic
 Prev. abode Oron Cheshire This is her first at-
 tack of about 2 years duration the supposed
 cause of which is unknown. She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate

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 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain
 father had made some one at a certain period of
 her life affect her - Bro H. Savage. 10 Jan 90
 - mentions of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone
 wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 30 Jan 90

2nd Certificate

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
 admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark
 hair, prominent eyes, pupils equal & react to light
 accommodation, healthy, red dry
 complexion, frank, open & kind
 expression. Tongue clean & moist
 appetite good, bowels regular.
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 of disease in thoracic & abdominal
 organs. no tremors.

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 way. That her money is kept away from her
 that she is rendered unconscious by means of
 ether which is administered to her by means of a
 book - That Herbert Gladstone is constantly
 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
 the narration of these delusions she gets very
 excited -

16 Sept.

St Ann's Heath cupies her -
 Virginia Water & walks a
 fair. very good.
 Lorry
 Dec. 15th 1890

28 Sept.

7 October

Messrs Gates Ton & Co, her former
 Liverpool. was drugged.

10 Nov.

Dear Sir,
 Will you kindly let me know
 what course to take in order to get
 out of these Asylums & to be
 I have been kept in confinement nearly
 a year wasting my time in a
 useless time and life herself up
 besides of course her concerns.

20 Dec.

respects her own persecutions by the supposed
 league & her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 temperation against her sister. Health good at
 present.

1891. Jan 20

There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & makes her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. C.

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Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation R Catholic

Adm. 5 Sep. 1890

Prev. abode Ostron Chopine This is her first at.

Adm. 16 Jan 90

Lacks of about 2 years duration the supposed cause of which is unknown. She is neither epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

Cm. 5 Sep. 90

1st Certificate

She said that she knew all about it, that they had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain

father had made some one at a

her life affect her - Bro. H. San

2nd Certificate

Mentions of persecution respecting

wanting to marry her for money.

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical a short stout woman

hair, greyish eyes, perfect, equal

accommodation,

complexion, pink

expression - tongue

appetite good, but

she fears no

fidelity in marriage & - unusual

regard. not nervous.

B. Mental

Delusional mania with

ideas of persecution. She states that

a league has been formed by

means of which her sister is

depriving me of my income and other privileges, also keeping me from attending to my own business. I have written several letters and get no answer, so cannot tell whether my business letters are posted. Will you kindly acknowledge receipt of this, and either send some person to see that I am perfectly able to attend to my business as I shall if possible, claim damages from this Institution.

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind way. That her money is kept away from her that she is rendered unconscious by means of ether which is administered to her by means of a book - That Herbert Stadstone is constantly annoying her with offers of marriage. During the narration of these delusions, she gets very confused, rambling & quite incoherent -

or let me know her - if it will be feasible enough when my foot. I get out, but then unless I had other witnesses, I apprehend I should get no damages as these doctors say that I have no right of contract in these business. I wish to be released at once as it is detrimental to my health to be kept cooped up in such uncomfortable surroundings. Hoping you will give immediate attention and

reposing her own person in my support league & her illegal detention, & bitter vituperation against her sister. Health good. There is no change to be reported. She now refuses to do any kind of work & makes herself as disagreeable as she possibly can. Health good. C.

1891. Jan 20

No. 674

Gertrude Rathe 30 single no occupation R Catholic

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Cm. 5 Sep. 90

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She said that she knew all about it, that they had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain father had made some one at a certain period of her life affect her - Both Savage. 10 Jun 90

2nd Certificate

Mentions of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 10 Jun 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical

A short stout woman with dark hair, greyish eyes, pupils equal & react to light & accommodation, healthy red dry complexion, frank open & kind expression. Tongue clean & moist. Appetite good, bowels regular. She presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs. No disease.

B. Mental

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15 Sept.

Awaiting an answer

I remain

Yours truly,

Gertrude Rathe
late of the
Lalor Hotel
Ottawa.

26 Sept.
7 October.

10 Nov.

20 Dec.

1891. Jan 20

reopening of the supposed League of her illegal detention, & bitter indignation against her sister. Health good. There is no change to be reported. She now refuses to do any kind of work & makes herself as disagreeable as she possibly can. Health good. G.

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Mission of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 10 Jan 90

2nd Certificate

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark hair, prominent eyes, pupils equal & react to light & accommodation, healthy, red dry complexion, pink. Open & kind expression. Tongue clean & moist. Appetite good. Bowels regular. She presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs. No disease.

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Compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind way. That her money is kept away from her that she is rendered unconscious by means of ether which is administered to her by means of a book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly annoying her with offers of marriage. During the night she is disturbed & gets very

St. Louis Health Resort -
Virginia Water Cure -
Lancaster. & walks a
Lunatic. Can very good.
Dec 10th/90

15 Sept.

26 Sept.

7 October

Major Barker,
Head Constable
Birkenhead

10 Nov.

Dear Sir
Would you be kind to let me know what I had better do. I have written for the payment of my own money in Warr's Bank Southport and no notice has been taken, as my sister

20 Dec.

tion is principally administered punishable respecting her own persecution by the support league & her illegal detention, & bitter intemperance against her sister. Health good. There is no change to be reported. She now refuses to do any kind of work & makes herself as disagreeable as she possibly can. Health good. C.

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fallen had made some one at a

her life affect her - Both the

2nd Certificate

Mentions of persecution respecting wanting to marry her for many

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical . a short stout woman
 hair, greyish eyes, full, equal
 accommodation,
 complexion, pale
 expression . Tongue
 appetite good, but
 she fears no
 food in her
 room. not nervous.

B. Mental

Delusional mania with
 ideas of persecution. She states that
 a league has been formed by
 means of which her sister is

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind
 way. That her money is kept away from her
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 ether which is administered to her by means of a
 book. That Herbert Stadstone is constantly
 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
 the narration of these delusions, she gets very
 confused, rambling & quite incoherent -

is being made a
 tool of in order to
 keep me in an
 Asylum thus
 keeping me from either
 occupation or
 my own money,
 as since I left the
 Talbot Hotel, Oxon
 the rent is paid
 into that Bank,
 which of course is
 my lively head,
 She is now in London
 using my money
 at pleasure. Could
 the doctor not
 steal her cheque
 book in order to

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leaving her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 terpretation against her sister. Health good &c.
 There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & makes her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. C.

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2nd Certificate

Mentions of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone wanting to marry her for money. D. D. Lawrence. 10 Jan 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical

a short stout woman with dark hair, 50 years, 5'2", 120 lbs, equal, & ready to be let & accommodation, healthy, red & complexion, frank, open & kind expression. Tongue clean & moist. Appetite good, bowels regular. She presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs. No tremor.

B. Mental

Delusional mania with ideas of persecution. She states that a league has been formed by means of which her sister is

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind way. That her money is kept away from her. That she is rendered unconscious by means of ether which is administered to her by means of a book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly annoying her with offers of marriage. During the narration of these delusions she gets very confused, rambling & quite incoherent.

15 Sept.

the indignity and abuse her - insult to being & walks a such a thing. can very good.

28 Sept.

7 October

Will you please let me know whether you will take a case for the police, because she has no authority for using my money. H. She maintains she is former was drugged for using my money. H.

10 Nov.

I am, dear Sir, in her mental by the same with - Her
Yours truly,
Gertrude Rathe.

20 Dec.

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father had made some one at a certain period of
her life affect her - Broth. Savage. 10 Jan 902nd Certificate. Merit of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone
wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 30 Jan 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark
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& accommodation, healthy, red dry
complexion, frank, open & kind
expression. Tongue clean & moist
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of disease in thoracic & abdominal
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a league has been formed by
means of which her sister is

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way. That her money is kept away from her
that she is rendered unconscious by means of
ether which is administered to her by means of a
book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly
amusing her with offers of marriage. During
the

15 Sept. St. Louis. The acts of
any person, who has
Virginia Watson & walks in
St. Louis, is very good.

26 Sept. 7 October. with No. 5158 (p. 50) Livery
Nov. 3rd 1891 by walks in
the main street
former
on Druggists
H.
her mental
the same
ed - Her
H.

10 Nov. Dr. Phil. pp.
Sir, In case you
don't feel disposed
to order the doors
to be opened in order
that I am at liberty
to go about my own
interests and business,
Be good enough in
transferring me to a
nurses &
ad with:
ing in a
selfish
conversa-

20 Dec: tion is principally administered possible
respecting her own persecution by the supposed
league & her illegal detention, & bitter in-
tiperations against her sister. Health good &c.
1891. Jan 20 There is no change to be reported. She now
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self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
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Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation R Catholic
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1st Certificate

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 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain
 father had made some one at a certain period of
 her life affect her - Geo. H. Savage. 10 Jan 90

2nd Certificate

Misstatements of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone,
 wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 30 Jan 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
 Admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark
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 complexion, frank, open & kind
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 way. That her money is kept away from her
 that she is rendered unconscious by means of
 ether which is administered to her by means of a
 book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly
 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
 the summer of 1890 she got very
 "Conservative Imagination" -

16 Sept.

to send me to one place her
 with a father of a family conducting
 very good.

28 Sept.

7 October

I don't wish to be
 transferred only in order to make a
 step towards getting the doors opened
 in order that I am enabled thereby to
 go about my own life studies and
 business, which are not here.

10 Nov.

20 Dec.

She maintains a former
 was drugged. He
 her mental the same
 last - Her
 to No 5
 nurses &
 last with
 ing in a
 herself up
 is conscious.

life studies and
 business, which
 are not here.

I am, Sir,
 Yours truly,
 Gertrude Ratte.

non a purifying commission, possible
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 league & her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 terpretation against her sister. Health good. At
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 refuses to do any kind of work & make her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. G.

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 tacked of about 2 years duration the supposed
 cause of which is unknown. She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate She said that she knew all about it, that they
 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain
 father had made some one at a certain period of
 her life affect her - Geo. H. Savage. 10 Jan 90

2nd Certificate Delusions of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone
 wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 10 Jan. 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission A. Physical a short stout woman with dark
 hair, greyish eyes, pupils equal & react to light
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 complexion, frank, open & kind
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 ideas of persecution. She states that
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 means of which her sister is

Compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind
 way. That her money is kept away from her
 that she is rendered unconscious by means of
 it. & that administration to her to mean to

June 1st 1891
 To the Committee & Superintending Doctor
 St. Ann's Asylum.

Dr. & Miss G. Rathe, Merchant,
 1890
 September to June 1st 1891.
 To use of her time

£ 750 - 0 - 0

1891. Jan 20

Superstition against her sister. Health good &c.
 There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & makes her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. C.C.

No. 674

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 cause of which is unknown. She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate

She said that she knew all about it, that they
 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot. They had dressed her sister so that

father had made some one at a case
 her life affect her - Bro. H. Sav.

2nd Certificate

Delusions of persecution respecting the
 wanting to marry her for money. &c.

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
 Admission

A. Physical. a short stout woman
 hair, greyish eyes, full, equal
 accommodation, head
 complexion, pinkish
 expression. Tongue
 appetite good, bowels
 she presents no
 of disease in the uterus & adnexa
 organs. no disease.

B. Mental. Delusional mania with
 ideas of persecution. She states that
 a league has been formed by
 means of which her sister is

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind
 way. That her money is kept away from her
 that she is rendered unconscious by means of
 ether which is administered to her by means of a
 book. That Herbert Stadsone is constantly
 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
 the narration of these delusions she gets very

Mrs. Ratte will be
 glad of a cheque for
 the annexed amount
 in order that she may
 permit to her bank.
 She has many current
 expenses and will be
 obliged by your cashiers
 attending at his earliest
 convenience

June 1st 1891

W. H. M. S. 158 (p. 50)

1891. Jan 20

respecting her own persecutions by the supposed
 league & her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 temperation against her sister. Health good &c.
 There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & make her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. C.

No. 674

Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation R Catholic
 born. 5 Sep. 1870 Prev. abode Oron Cheshire This is her first at-
 tended. 16 Jan 90 tacks of about 2 years duration the supposed
 cause of which is unknown. She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate

She said that she knew all about it, that they
 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot - They had drugged her sister & a certain
 father had made some one at a certain period of
 her life affect her - Geo. H. Savage. 10 Jan 90
 2nd Certificate - Meridian of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone
 wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway. 30
 to Jan. 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
 Admission

A. Physical a short stout woman with dark
 hair, greyish eyes, pupils equal & react to light
 accommodation, healthy red dry
 complexion, pink. Open & kind
 expression. Tongue clean & moist
 appetite good, bowels regular.
 She presents no physical signs
 of disease in thoracic & abdominal
 organs. no tremors.

B. Mental. Delusional mania with
 ideas of persecution. She states that
 a league has been formed by
 means of which her sister is

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind
 way. That her money is kept away from her
 that she is rendered unconscious by means of
 ether which is administered to her by means of a
 book - That Herbert Gladstone is constantly
 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
 the narration of these delusions she gets very
 excited -

15 Sept.

26 Sept.

7 October

10 Nov.

20 Dec.

To the Committee +
 Supo. Doctor.
 St. Ann's Hospital, Brighton
 Virginia Station
 Surrey

Dr. To Miss Ratte.
 Home Merchant.

June 30/91 To a/c rendered

Sep. 30. 1991 Money

£ 750.0.0
 250.0.0

£ 1000.0.0

respecting her own persecutions by the supposed
 league & her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 terpretations against her sister. Health good &c.
 There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & makes her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. C.

No. 674. Gertrude Ratte 30 single no occupation. R. Catholic.
 Adm. 5 Sep. 1890. Prev. abode. Oxon. Cheshire. This is her first at-
 tacked of about 2 years duration. The supposed
 cause of which is unknown. She is neither
 epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate. She said that she knew all about it, that they
 had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she
 was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain
 father had made some one at a certain period of
 her life affect her. - G. H. Savage. 10 Jan 90.
 2nd Certificate. - Main cause of persecution respecting Herbert Gladstone
 wanting to marry her for money. - D. D. D. 10 Jan 90.

Family History

Previous History

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. a short stout woman with dark
 hair, greyish eyes, pupils equal & react to light
 accommodation, healthy red dry
 complexion, frank open & kind
 expression. Tongue clean & moist
 appetite good, bowels regular.
 She presents no physical signs
 of disease in thoracic & abdominal
 organs. - not nervous.

B. Mental. Delusional mania with
 ideas of persecution. She states that
 a league has been formed by
 means of which her sister is

compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind
 way. That her money is kept away from her
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 ether which is administered to her by means of a
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 annoying her with offers of marriage. During
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 confused, rambling & quite incoherent -

15 Sept.

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20 Dec.

Mrs. Ratte requests
 a cheque in payment of
 of amount of £100. in the maintenance
 of her sister. She
 may remit to her
 bankers.

W. H. M. S. S. B. (p. 50)

1891. Jan 20

respecting her own person by the supposed
 league & her illegal detention, & bitter in-
 terference against her sister. Health good &c.
 There is no change to be reported. She now
 refuses to do any kind of work & makes her-
 self as disagreeable as she possibly can.
 Health good. - G. H.

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Adm. 5 Sep. 1890 Rev. abode Oxon Cheshire This is her first at.

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1st Certificate She said that she knew all about it, that they had made her sister do it: that her ears showed she was an idiot. They had drugged her sister & a certain father had made some one at a certain period of her life affect her - Bro H. Savage. 10 Jan 90

2nd Certificate. Reasons of admission respecting Herbert Gladstone wanting to marry her for money. D. Dalloway, 10 Jan 90

Family History

Previous History

Condition on
 Admission

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compelled to treat her in a cowardly & unkind way. That her money is kept away from her that she is rendered unconscious by means of ether which is administered to her by means of a book. That Herbert Gladstone is constantly annoying her with offers of marriage. During the narration of these delusions she gets very confused, rambling & quite incoherent. She is quiet & well behaved, occupies herself in reading needlework & walks or drives out daily. Bodily condition very good.

15 Sept.

28 Sept.

7 October

10 Nov.

20 Dec.

Unchanged. She occupies herself quietly & usefully, walks & drives out, & attends the dances. She maintains her delusions of a conspiracy of her former neighbours & friends, that she was drugged & general condition very good.

There is no change to be noted in her mental state: her delusions are precisely the same as on admission & are easily elicited. Her general health is very good.

She has recently had to be removed to No 6 owing to her rudeness to ladies & nurses & boisterous violence when remonstrated with: she is now noisy, constantly talking in a loud objectionable tone, working herself up into a frenzy if thwarted. Her conversation is principally addressed to herself respecting her own persecutions by the supposed league & her illegal detention, & bitter imputations against her sister. Health good.

1891. Jan 20

There is no change to be reported. She now refuses to do any kind of work & makes herself as disagreeable as she possibly can. Health good.

Gertrude Raths (contin?).

1891. Feb 17

For the last month she has shown bitter hostility towards the reporter & she refuses to let that her mind in any way affected, refuses to believe her situation is illegal, that her sister under any circumstances should have power to influence her actions - she refuses to write to her sister, refuses to work, remaining unoccupied nearly the whole day, is openly rude & impatient to her companions & nurses & when drawn into conversation gives out other delusions as mentioned above mixed with ferocious threatnings of vengeance through ^{legal} process when discharged. Bodily condition very good. *Chadwick*

2 May.

A few days ago she made an unprovoked attack on the head nurse, because she received a bonnet from home which was not quite to her taste - on the Countess of Vint (April 25) she brought the most heinous charges of cruelty, assault & petty annoyances against nurses, one of which was that her arm was severely bruised from shoulder to elbow so that she could barely close her hand - on inspection this was proved absolutely false, the only mark being a slight scratch on the elbow - Bodily condition very good

Chadwick

15 August.

She shows no improvement mentally - her ideas of persecution being as marked as ever - she employs herself in fancy work - and her general health is good. - *Chadwick*

Oct. 7th 91

Jan 92

There is no obvious improvement, patient often refuses to speak, at other times speaks about her unjust delusion & calls the place

a brothel. she occupies herself with work & books & painted some very pretty Xmas cards. *J.B. Henderson*
Health good.

May 34

Handwritten note:
Patient has been in a state of delirium with her senses about the state of the day -

Patient remains in the same mental condition either reticent refusing to speak at all or launching into a torrent of abuse at being detained here against her will. She will sometimes speak agreeably on indifferent subjects e.g. fancy work or music but has threatened violence if dared to offer to shake hands with her (this was some weeks before this date & she has since been quite agreeable). She occupies herself with fancy work & music. Health good.

Aug 30.

Patient retains her delusions of persecution in full force, says that her mother was received the job that caused her death through the same agency that is acting against her. She talks excitedly about Jesuits, Catholicism, MPs and the Lord Chancellor. She does not write to her sister. She occupies herself with work and is as a rule quiet & well behaved. Health good. *J.B. Henderson*

Nov. 30.

March 4. 93.

June 20.

Oct. 30.

Jan. 26. 94

May 15.

Nov. 14.

Nov. 26.

unchanged
Patient's delusions of persecution is same as before. *J.B. Henderson*
There is no change to be noted. She spends a great deal of time out of doors & is not very sociable. *J.B. Henderson*
Is becoming rather reserved on the subject of her delusions. Spends most of the day by herself in the Infirmary, Court or in her sitting room. *J.B. Henderson*
About 10 days ago had a sudden attack of violence she smashed a window in the dormitory, fought with another patient & had to be removed to strong room. *J.B. Henderson*
Attack of violence has not been repeated. She is reserved & unsociable retains delusions of persecution. *J.B. Henderson*
Retains delusions & there is no change. *J.B. Henderson*
Has for some days been refusing food. *J.B. Henderson*

No 678. Charlotte Cook 63 single. no occupation at of my
adm. 18 Sept 90. Res above York Town - this is her first attack
over 2 - 12 Sept 90 of unusual duration, the supposed cause being
cousin 7 Sept 90 herding a goat. She is neither epileptic or suicidal
but is violent & bitter

1st Certificate

She informed me that she had been starved for 12 months & that the nurse had denied by my order, saving her anything but dirty water to drink - later she felt obliged to assault some one, that her tongue was full of irritation ^{Hence quarrels.} 12 Nov. 18
2^d Certificate Upon my speaking to her she showed I am informed, Englishmen, take that gentleman out, have not had an ounce of food since I have been here, it makes my brain go ~~too~~ crack, with appearance in the eyes, very impulsive in her movements, at the same time appearing fleshy & comes before me over with the bed clothes & ordered me out of the room at the same time jumping upon the bed.

Family History
Recent History

Condition of
admission

A. Physical. A tall thin woman with light hair
grey eyes, pupils equal & react to light & accom-
modation, pale, sallow, unhealthily
complexion, cross, skeletal & dys-
trophic expression - Tongue moist but
coated - appetite bad. Refusing all
food - bowels irregular - She was
admitted with several large, vesicular
urine plugs - She is thin & very sparsely
nourished, but presents no physical
signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal
regions.
Bruises on arm, legs & over right eye



B. Mental. ~~Delusional~~ Delusional mania, with suspicious & ideas of persecution - She is extremely violent & fighting, abusing nurse & medical officers alike, shouting out "witches", "vagabonds", "liars" &c - She states her food is all poisoned & at another ^{time that} she has had some given to her for months & that she has been brought here to be murdered -

Handed H. her for months & that she has been brought
 here to be murdered -
 There is considerable improvement - she now
 takes her food naturally, though she says
 it does not taste nice - for the 7th 2 or 3 days
 it was necessary to feed her with the stomach
 tube - she dresses herself & behaves much
 more rationally & quietly but still appears
 very suspicious - Her condition improved

7 October She still maintains the food is filthy, unfit for human consumption, nevertheless, she is taking it well & gaining flesh & strength.

18 October Unchanged mentally - Bodily condition improving -

18 Nov. She continues to improve mentally & physically - She still however asserts her good fidelity, that she is continually treated & refuses to see that her relatives have acted for her benefit in obtaining admission for her to this Hospital, but on the contrary ~~deserts~~ she has been illegally admitted & is illegally detained by ~~some~~ enemies unknown to her relatives. C.

Anemone Carb fr v.

7. 22. 7. 21. 10.

Doc. Suezca 36

Original Letter

Charlotte Cook (cont.)

1891. Jan 18

She has recently been much upset by the death of her brother, which causes her to be depressed at times. - She is weak-minded & hypochondriacal, but is much more satisfied, has fewer complaints, & is at times very friendly. - Her bodily condition is good fast - C.

17 Feb.

She remains in the same hypochondriacal & weak-minded condition, requiring medicine one day for her lungs, another for her stomach &c. is very suspicious if she happens to be without any. - She eats & sleeps well & is in fair health - C.

21 April

mic. sp. 10
arrived
Bottle
filled
10/21/91

Three days ago taken with Bronchitis - mucopurulent expect. - Dullness right lung behind with brachial breathing bronchophony & coarse moist râles - moist râles over l.

Work as well - Bronchitis little

Haddenst

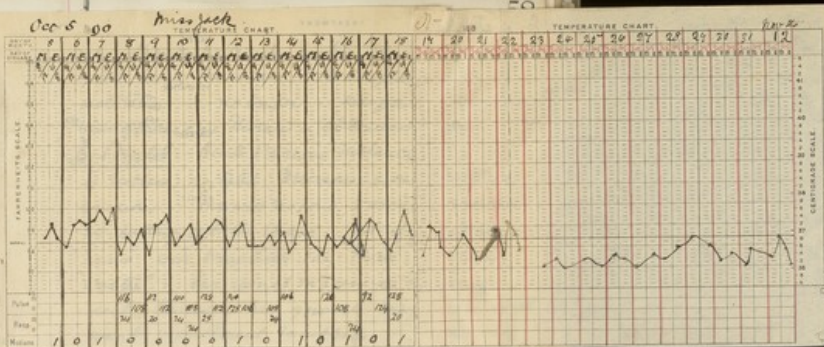
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1900, 1910, 1920, 1930, 1940, 1950, 1960, 1970, 1980, 1990, 2000, 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, 2050, 2060, 2070, 2080, 2090, 2100, 2110, 2120, 2130, 2140, 2150, 2160, 2170, 2180, 2190, 2200, 2210, 2220, 2230, 2240, 2250, 2260, 2270, 2280, 2290, 2300, 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2350, 2360, 2370, 2380, 2390, 2400, 2410, 2420, 2430, 2440, 2450, 2460, 2470, 2480, 2490, 2500, 2510, 2520, 2530, 2540, 2550, 2560, 2570, 2580, 2590, 2600, 2610, 2620, 2630, 2640, 2650, 2660, 2670, 2680, 2690, 2700, 2710, 2720, 2730, 2740, 2750, 2760, 2770, 2780, 2790, 2800, 2810, 2820, 2830, 2840, 2850, 2860, 2870, 2880, 2890, 2900, 2910, 2920, 2930, 2940, 2950, 2960, 2970, 2980, 2990, 3000, 3010, 3020, 3030, 3040, 3050, 3060, 3070, 3080, 3090, 3100, 3110, 3120, 3130, 3140, 3150, 3160, 3170, 3180, 3190, 3200, 3210, 3220, 3230, 3240, 3250, 3260, 3270, 3280, 3290, 3300, 3310, 3320, 3330, 3340, 3350, 3360, 3370, 3380, 3390, 3400, 3410, 3420, 3430, 3440, 3450, 3460, 3470, 3480, 3490, 3500, 3510, 3520, 3530, 3540, 3550, 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No. 683. Flora Pears Jack. 24 single. no occupation
 Adm. 5 Oct 90 Church of England. Prev. abode 47 Cambridge
 5 Oct 90 Terrace, Hyde Park London W - This is her
 6 Oct 90 first attack of about six months duration.
 the supposed cause being depression from
 disappointment for one affair. Her mother is
 suicidal, a dangerous
 1st Certificate: Vaunting & crying for no apparent cause. Refusal
 to take food. Refusal to answer questions -
 screaming for no reason. Incoherent
 talking. Charles Hubert Hand. 4 Oct 90
 2nd Certificate: corroborates above.

Familial History

Previous History

Condition on Admission: A. Physical - A thin, nice looking girl with light
 brown hair blue eyes pupils equal, naturally
 dilated & react to light. ~~the~~
 complexion clear delicate &
 stammer. Expressions changeable
 generally wild, anxious & terror.
 Stricken at times bursting into
 tears uttering long piercing cries.
 Whilst there are occasionally
 risings with smiles & laughter.
 Tongue tremulous, coated with thick
 white fur. Appetite gone refusing
 all food for last 3 days. bowels irregular



refuses all food, but fights against the artificial
 administration of it, clenching her teeth with
 all her power during the insertion of the gag -
 Fed 4 times daily (100) No sleep during the night
 through morphia & atropine $\frac{1}{2}$ & $\frac{1}{4}$ respectively injected
 tongue, dried. Bowels acted copiously over the
 floor of the room last night.
 6 Oct 90 no sleep notwithstanding $\frac{1}{2}$ morphia & $\frac{1}{4}$ atropine
 injected last night - she was having no effect
 7 Oct 90 prescription in easy feeding Port. Brown wax
 she is more tremulous & delirious, with difficulty can be kept quiet &
 the acute physical symptoms are exaggerated -
 8 Oct. 4 hours sleep. is less restless, & in the whole
 appears better. Fed 5 times with tubes
 9 Oct. 5 hours sleep: for short intervals, will answer
 questions quite rationally at times & then
 suddenly burst into tears with terrified aspect
 subultus still present. Tongue coated with
 moist. constantly picking at bed clothes & -
 passes water under her - is quiet but seems
 very weak. Fed 6 times with tubes

No. 683. Flora Pearson

Adm. 5 Oct 90 Church Jack

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diagnoses
suggested1st Certificate Vaughan
& take for
Sennamus
talking2nd Certificate coroner

Family history

Previous history

Condition on Admission

Physical - A slim, nice looking girl with light brown hair blue eyes pupils equal, naturally dilated & react to light. Complexion clear delicate & ruddy. Expression changeable generally wild, anxious & terror-stricken at times bursting into tears uttering long piercing cries whilst there are occasionally varied with mirth & laughter. Tongue tremulous, coated with thick white fur. Appetite gone refusing all food for last 3 days bowels irregular.

TREATMENT

NAME

ADDRESS

OCCUPATION

DISEASE

AGE

SEX

RESULT

6 Oct. 90

7. Mith. 2 1/2 pint
eggs 8 pint
sawd. 1 pint
whisky 400
sawd. 200

7 Oct. 90

Whisky 8 1/2 pint

bowels acted today

8 Oct.

9 Oct.

Mith. 1000
eggs 1000

her. She is extremely feeble her whole muscular system being tremulous, with carphology & pallidation - no bruise. - She presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

B. Mental - Acute & chronic melancholia - She is restless, agitated, delirious & only partially conscious - She will respond to simple questions eg. putting out the tongue, but if asked her name will sometimes say "Flora" sometimes "Walter" - her usual expression is one of acute terror & her general expressions will want & incoherent ramblings - She not only refuses all food, but fights against the artificial administration of it, clenching her teeth with all her power during the insertion of the gag - Fed 4 times daily (tube) no sleep during the night through morphia & atropine 1/2 & 1/40 respectively injected tongue, prior. Bowels acted copiously once in floor of the room last night.

No sleep notwithstanding 1/2 morphia & 1/50 atropine injected last night - She is now having increased prescription in easy feeding Pot. Brom. 1000
She is more tremulous or delirious, with difficulty can be kept quiet & the acute physical symptoms are exaggerated - 4 hours sleep, is less restless, & in the whole appears better - Fed 5 times with tube 5 hours sleep: for short intervals, will answer questions quite rationally at times & then suddenly burst into tears with terrified aspect Subcutaneous still present. Tongue coated with moist. constantly picking at bed clothes & passing water under her - is quiet but seems very weak. Fed 6 times with tube

10 Oct. 4 hours sleep during the night. She is now fed 7 times in 24 hours at following hours. 3.30 - 8.30. 11.30 am. 2.30 5.30. 8.30. & 11.30 pm. Tongue still coated but moist. She lies helplessly on her back, very weak, but less restless - occasionally utters a relevant answer, but generally ends in delirium, rambling incoherence - Subcutaneous skin present.

17 Oct. Since last entry she has remained in the same state & been fed with tube night & day. She is stronger, her tongue cleaner & occasionally had sulphonal (SOLER) at night - C.

20 Oct. For the last 2 days she has taken food voluntarily & this afternoon sat up for a short time. She is confused & stuporous with short periods of delirium, excitement & incoherence - C.

Nov 5. There is very marked improvement in both bodily & mental state. She gets up daily, will occupy herself for short periods with knitting & needlework. She is however unstable, at times excitable & rude & is in a generally confused & semi-stuporous state - C.

Dec 5th She continues to progress favourably. She occupies her day in needlework, padding the floor, walking & driving out etc. She is still however variable, unstable & at times excitable, rude, & violent to the nurses. She eats & sleeps well & is putting on flesh. She is taking 1 - Cod oil 3; Vin tri
"Pink Perri & Quinine" 100.

1891. Jan 5 She is now making rapid strides towards recovery & arrangements are being made for her to go to her Brighton residence. She reads, plays the piano, attends the weekly Ball & entertainments, & has regained much power of self-control. C.

4 Feb She was today visited by her mother at Brighton, who considered her sufficiently well to take her home on trial - C.

19 March She was discharged "recovered" today.

Georgina Langdon. cont from p. 43.

- Jan: 4. 92 Pt continues about the same, she is weak-minded & often talks to herself, generally has a book in her hand but does not appear to remember what she reads. Health fair, has just recovered from an attack of acute tonsillitis. I.B. Henderson.
- Jan: 28. Patient spent 3 hours in seclusion today because she began to struggle & fight with the ladies when out in the court.
- May 3rd Patient does not show much improvement, she is generally to be seen talking to herself in an undertone. Does not occupy herself usefully. Has not been violent recently. Health satisfactory.
- Aug. 30. There is no obvious change. Health fair I.B. Henderson.
- Nov. 20. Has not torn up any pillows lately, otherwise same. E. A. Don.
- March 11. 93. Weak-minded, mutters to herself, nearly always has a book open before her, but does not appear to read it, sometimes does fancy work. Memory impaired. Subject to attacks of excitement & violence. Has not been destructive for some months. E. A. Don.
- July 26. Was today transferred & moved to Springfield House Bedford.

No. 685. Mary Emily Lawrenson 25. married.

Adm. 11 Oct 90 no occupation. Ch. of England. Pres. about 24/3 in that
Road Lardon H. This is her 2nd attack, of about
17 Oct 90 7 days duration, the supposed cause being
parturition - ap on 1st attack 24 the disease being
acute Delirious mania, for which she was treated in
this hospital - & Vols. Case Book III p. 259 -
She is neither Epileptic, Demented, or Insane.

1st Certificate. She sits up in bed and takes no notice of
any one neither answering questions put
to her, nor appearing to comprehend them, at
times becomes very excitable and wants to
rush out of the room. Relapse after parturition
eighteen days ago. Signed Francis Walker Brown
2nd Certificate. Delirious, dull & listless in manner. Has no
memory for recent events. Could not tell me
how long she has been here. Complains of constant
headache. Returns monosyllabic answers to
simple questions & is quite unable to carry on
any conversation.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. A well formed fairly
nourished woman with thin clear skin, light hair
grey eyes. pupils equal. Tongue
clean moist & steady. Stools soft
bowels regular. no bruise.
She presents no physical signs of
disease in thoracic or abdominal
organs.
B. Mental. - She is a condition of
stupor. When questioned she
looks vacantly about her. appears
dazed & finally answers only in
monosyllables. At short inter-
vals she has fits of a distinctly

hysterical nature, during which she throws her-
self about, clenches her teeth & hands, struggles
& is apt to be violent.

Oct 18 In the 2nd evening after admission I was called to
see her in one of the fits. I suggested to her (not
unkindly) that we should be able to cure these

fits with shower bath. She has remained well
since. She eats well, requires little sleep & is quickly convalescing. She
has already commenced to occupy herself

Oct 28 The improvement mentioned in last note
has been progressive. Amusing both her
mental & bodily state.

Nov 11. She is now in excellent bodily health &
is nearly convalescent mentally. She
walks & drives out daily, occupies
her self in the gallery & with her needle
the whole day, will engage in a rational
conversation, but is naturally reserved,
shy, & meditative. There has not been the
slightest sign of a second hysterical fit.

Nov. 20 She was today taken on leave by her
husband in excellent bodily health -
mentally she has remained perfectly well
since last entry, occupying herself daily
& taking an intelligent interest in her
surroundings.

Dec 31 She was today Discharged "Recovered"

Gertrude Platte from page 52.

forcibly. When spoken to she usually gets up & walks away.

P. L. Don

June 20. 95.

There is no change

E. L. Don

Dec. 13.

For some weeks in the summer refused to wear any shoes or stockings. She retains delusions of persecution, is as a rule unoccupied & restless. She is taking food well & appears to be in good health.

P. L. Don

March 20. 96

Continues reserved & unsociable with delusions of suspicion - answers shortly if addressed - takes food well now - health good.

R. C. Shepard

June 12.

Condition unchanged - dresses fantastically when out alone - eg makes handkerchief into a helmet which she wears on her head - takes food well - Physical health good.

R. C. Shepard

Aug: 12.

Delusional mania with delusions of persecution. Has been quieter of late - reserved & unsociable - now takes food well - Physical health good. R. C. D.

Aug: 29.

Yesterday was discharged relieved - went to Burgess Hill.

Discharged Aug: 29. 96.

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Julie Maria Puzey. 30. Married
 Adm. 14th Oct. 1890 No occupation. Ch. of England. Previous
 Oct. 4 9th Oct. 1890 abode. 26 Grove Terrace, Highgate Road, N.W.
 C-2. 15th Oct. 1890 First attack, duration, since 23rd May 1890

supposed cause. Weakness of health. Mental
 worry. She is neither suicidal, epileptic
 or dangerous to others.

1st Certificate Inability to recognize anybody, no notice
 taken on being spoken to. She was on the
 floor picking things within reach, muttering
 to herself incoherently, vacant expressions
 very emaciated. co. Signed W. F. Campbell.

2nd Certificate She paid no attention to any questions
 put to her but maintained a fixed attitude
 staring about in a dazed manner, muttering
 to herself incoherently. David Ferrier M.D.
 9th Oct. 1890.

Family History. Legation. S. E. 2nd of Phillips. Brother
 Pres. History. - Horace, early in 86. Present in post.

History of Present Attack. The patient was taken suddenly
 ill on Friday 23rd May last & rapidly developed
 evidences of mental aberration & has not
 been in possession of her reason since then,
 & has been under the care of qualified nurses
 at home.

Condition on Admission. A. Rodely. Pt is very much
 emaciated, cheeks hollow, slightly flushed
 blue eyes. Pupils equal react to light & accommo-
 dation, dilated. Lips dry, Tongue clean,
 ready, moist. Nothing abnormal detected

in lungs, heart or abdomen. In the ^{left} lumbar
 region there is a sinus which discharges slightly,
 it has been dressed with Iodogen or, there is a
 very small red margin to the sinus but no signs
 of inflammation. There is slight prominence
 of the lower dorsal vertebrae but no evidence of tenderness.
 The left leg is extremely thin, the swelling including
 the thigh, leg & foot. Knee joint bristly on that side
 but not obtained on the right leg. Superficial reflexes
 present on both sides, no ankle clonus.
 There is a slight bruise below the right knee.
 Pt takes her food well. Suffers from diarrhoea.

Diagnosis
 M. Mental. Patient looks vacantly about, mutters
 indistinctly so that nothing can be understood.
 Has a great desire to improve her things.
 Does not attend to the calls of nature.

Oct. 22nd The wound is dressed daily, it seems fairly healthy
 but shows no signs of closing. On examining with a
 probe the sinus is found to be more than 1 cm. long.
 Diarrhoea continues. No improvement in mental
 condition.

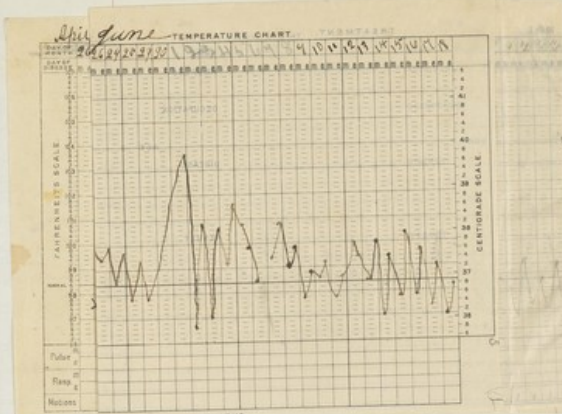
Nov. 2 The sinus has been syringed with a solution of
 Zinc Sulph. (80% and 3%) & is now much
 contracted & there is less discharge. She remains
 in feeble & emaciated bodily health. Mental
 condition unchanged.

Nov. 17 Unchanged. Caldwell.
 Dec. 24 - She is very much improved in bodily condition -
 She is stouter & heavier, is eating well & sleeping
 better. The sinus discharges only very slightly now.
 There is no change in her mental state.
 1891 Jan 31 Unchanged. 66

ap. 30th. Patient is now very much better. She is cheerful & intelligent, occupies herself with needlework, plays the piano & sings fairly well, but she is still somewhat weakened with loss of control of temper occasionally thwarted. The improvement dates from the middle of March. Till that time she was destructive, wet & dirty & filthy habits but after wearing strong gloves for some days she began to show marked mental improvement. She was still wet & dirty till April 6th but since then has improved in that respect & no longer has the tendency to destroy her clothes. She was yesterday transferred to No 2 but at her own request returned to No 3 today. The nurse is still discharging & is dressed daily. The general health has greatly improved. J. B. Henderson

June 30th. The mental improvement has continued & increased. Although still in No 3, she is allowed parole for the grounds, takes part in the evening games & music in No 1, dines in No 1 dining hall & is perfectly well mentally. She is now quite stout & in very good general health. The nurse discharges still is dressed daily, patients at times complain of growing pain and the temperature rises. This is obviously due to retention of pus because the temperature falls when a drainage tube is inserted & the nurse kept daily open.

Patient was today discharged recovered & remains as Vol. Boarder. J. B. Henderson



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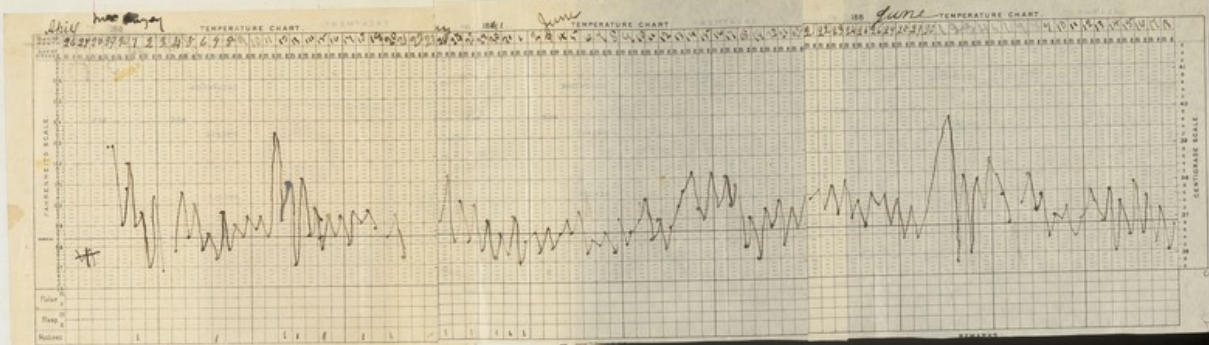
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of gnawing pain, and the temperature rises.
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freely open.

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TREATMENT

NAME *Miss L. L. L.*
ADDRESS *En. 3. Puzey*
OCCUPATION
AGE
SEX
DISEASE
RESULT



Spring 91



Oct. 15 91. J. B. Henderson

N^o 684.

Adm. 14 Oct. 90.
 ord. d. 26 Oct. 90.
 Cured 15 Oct. 90.

Margaret Ellen Cozens. 26. Single.

Previous abode. 14 Dunn's Hill, Lewes. No occupation.
 Ch. of England. 1st attack of about 6 months
 duration. Age at commencement of illness 26.

Supposed cause - disappointed love.

Is not epileptic. Has talked of suicide but
 not attempted it. Has frightened & knocked
 down her mother but no one else.

1st Certificate She was in a state of frantic alarm, crying
 & wringing her hands, saying that God had told
 her audibly that God had given her up to the
 Devil, & that in nearly all her waking moments
 for some time she was hearing the screams &
 wailings in Hell & that they were so awful
 no words could describe them. Signed
 G. H. Hadzron
 Oct. 14th 1890.

2nd Certificate stated that she had been feeling very depressed and wretched
 hoping that she might die. Has sores on the face which
 she constantly picks while conversing. Percy Pope 17th Oct. 90

Prev. History

Fam. History. No near relative insane.

Present Attack. Patient has been ill & bordering on
 insanity for many months but recently
 has become much worse. She improved
 very much in the summer but recently
 the symptoms have been much aggravated.
 She has become perfectly unmanageable at home,
 petulant, capricious & mischievous - She refuses
 to get up till about 12 in the day.

Condition on
 Admission

A. Physical. A fairly nourished girl with pale
 sallow complexion, much blotches with scars
 the result of picking acne pustules papules
 light hair, grey eyes, pupils
 equal rather dilated - Tongue
 moist, furred, & steady, borders
 irregular, appetite fair. She
 is anemic, has a hæmic bruit
 over base of Pulmonary artery,
 but presents no physical signs
 of organic disease in thoracic or
 abdominal organs. no bruise.

B. Mental - Simple melancholia

She is agitated & depressed, states
 she is a horribly wicked person

& committed abominable sins. She feels occasi-
 ally advised to end her life, but does not think
 she would ever do it.

Oct. 22. She is now quite cheerful - For the first few
 days she was a trouble to get out of bed in
 the morning & appeared to want her own way.

Discharge. She now occupies herself, walks or drives
 out daily & is improving in bodily condition.
 She is taking amusement:

Music	Amusement
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4 th Choral	93. 10. 10.

Oct. 31. The improvement in bodily & mental state
 is maintained & progressive.

Nov 15. She is now nearly convalescent - is
 allowed parole for the port & rounds, occu-
 pies herself usefully in the gallery & with her
 needle & is much improved in bodily condition.
 She is still taking the medicine as above.

Dec 20th. She occupies herself in reading & needlework
 walks or drives out daily & takes other

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Dec 20

Margaret Ellen Cogswell (cont.)

in her surroundings. She is however capricious, petulant & spiteful & continually endeavoring to trouble other ladies. She is fond of shamming illness for the sake of lying in bed in the morning & it has been necessary to tell her she will be dressed by nurses forcibly in the future. She continues to practice self-abuse, & ~~is~~ still ~~for~~ certain that she is unpardonably damned for ever. Health good - G.

1891. Feb 10

There is no change to the note in mental condition, but she is getting very irritable about not being allowed to go home. Health good. G.

4 May.

On April 30th the visiting Commissioners in Lunacy gave her a long private interview, the result of which was they recommended her parents should be written to with a view of her being instantly discharged but that for certain reasons they thought it advisable she should remain under treatment as a Voluntary Boarder for a time. She was accordingly discharged "recovered" today and remains as a V.B.

No. 688

Alice M. Biddulph

Adm. 16th Oct. 1890.

Ord. d.

C. ind. 14th Oct. 1890

Punished by Inquisition

Family History.
Previous HistoryCondition on
admission

A. Physical - A pale, sallow woman with flat head, broad low forehead, thick underlip, vaulted palate, light hair, grey eyes, vacant imbecile expression - Tongue thick, clean, & moist. Appetite good - bowels regular - She is fairly nourished & presents no physical signs of disease in Thoracic or abdominal organs. no bruises on admission.

B. Mental - Demented with Epilepsy. She is subject to Epileptic fits at long intervals, occasionally having (nurse said) 5 or 6 in the night. She is incapable of engaging in a rational conversation, answers allegations in monosyllables. She is liable to attacks of great excitement,

passion, & violence unprovoked ^{Hardwick}.

She has not yet had an Epileptic fit, but

has taken numerous prescriptions - She eats

P. P. Brown. 8th Dec. 1890

she sleeps well, says

She is very happy, but sits idle & unoccupied the whole day - General condition fair.

Nov. 15.

She remains in the same state as on admission - She has had one or two slight fits, & 2 or 3 outbreaks of excitement, violence, & destructiveness - she nevertheless says she is perfectly happy & her general health remains fair.

Hardwick

Nov. 20.

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was today discharged "unrelied" having been illegally admitted. 66.

Vide page 127.

No. 691. Frances Nellie Hodson. 20. Single

Adm. 26 Oct. 1890. Previous Abode. Beaumont, Horn Lane, Abou

Very old d. 24 Oct. Crosses. Ch. of England not first attack

Recpt. no. 2 27 Oct. After first attack 10: Duration of existing
Cink 27 Oct. attack, 11 days. Supposed cause, overstudy at
school. Is not epileptic, suicidal or dangerous
to others.

1st Certificate. She conversed incoherently, rambled as to
love matters - was restless & seemed agitated
in her mind. Tho R. Haward 24 Oct 90.

2nd Cerebricide. He throws herself upon the floor screaming & crying
Hark vacantly at ceiling. Says she sees persons
floating about the room. W. B. Brower 23rd Oct. 96

Family Hist. Uncle epileptic

Pres: Kirk
Hed. of present Apple

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. A well nourished young woman with light hair, blue eyes, pupils equal & react to light, pale clear skin, strong skin, variable & excitable expression; at one time cheerful & at another wild. Tongue clean, moist, & steady, appetite good, bowels regular. For the last few nights has been sleeping badly. She is well nourished & well developed, but is anemic. There is a ^{10th} ~~low~~ ^{harsh} murmur audible in the pulmonary area, but no physical signs of cardiac disease.

in the thoracic or abdominal
organs. no Curioso.

Catamenia very irregular.

R. Mital. Mania - she
was emotional, over sensitive
when admitted, but soon settled
down into a quiet & rational
demeanor - she stated
she had had several bad nights
which had caused her to be
nervous, says that she sees
people floating about the
room altho' she knows they
are not; that she has a

led in a very strange & eccentric manner at home, but felt she could not protect herself, & has desired to kill herself - Ward

Nov. 2 Has settled down quietly & cheerfully. - She is taking the annexed prescription & sulphase
By. Perist Annun Gr. 80^{gr} 80^{gr} occasionally
gr. Annun Co me to give her a good
gr. (blood) 80^{gr} 80^{gr} night rest. She

Chadwell walks & drives out daily, attends the dances & entertainments, occupies herself usefully in the gallery - general condition improving

Nov. 12. She remains perfectly rational & occupies her self daily in reading, needlework & music - she walks & drives out & attends the dance & entertainments - Health good but she is still anemic. H.

21 Nov. She went on leave today at the request
of her friends.

31 Dec. was today discharged & recovered

No 692. Frances Sophia Davey, 34 married, at
 previous to marriage was a governess - Ch. of Eng.
 Pres. abode Plymouth. This is her first
 attack of about 4 years duration, having
 been treated at Weyford Ho. & Bethlem, the

supposed cause being 2 premature confinements.
 She is neither epileptic, suicidal, nor dangerous.

1st Certificate: Puerperal Insanity - says that everybody is not
 the proper person, e.g. drives her husband, saying the
 proper one is in heaven - R.R. Wood & May 87

2nd Certificate: Excited, wild & incoherent. Refuses food &c.
 R.W.D. Brook & May 87

Family History.

Previous History.

Condition on
 Admission

A. Physical. A tall pale delicate looking woman
 with light hair, grey eyes, pupils equal &
 naturally rather small. Pale
 freckled face, vacant &
 stony expression - Tongue clean
 moist, appetite good, bowels
 regular - no physical signs of
 disease in thoracic or abdominal
 organs - no bruising.
 B Mental. Demented - at
 first she would not speak,
 but looked vacantly & listlessly about
 after a time when asked where
 she was she said "in Heaven".



then she would say no more - She went
 quietly with the nurse to the gallery. She sits
 unoccupied the whole day & is at times dirty
 in her habits - Blackwell.

Nov. 10. She maintains the same dogged silence she
 exhibited on admission, generally making no
 effort to reply. Should she do so, the answer is
 as a rule totally irrelevant - She eats &
 sleeps well & is in fair general health.

Nov. 30. There is no change to report in either mental
 or bodily state - H.

Dec 31st. She remains in the same listless state of dementia
 as on admission. She rarely speaks but sits
 mechanically stitching or looking vacantly
 in front of her the whole day - Health good. H.

1891.

Jan 31. There is no change to be reported in either
 mental or bodily state - when she speaks it
 is only to speculate on irrelevant subjects
 or to connect strings of words Blackwell

Feb. 28. She remains silent, listless, & demented - incapable
 of rational conversation - Health fair

28 April. There is no improvement to be noted. When
 addressed she smiles faintly & turns her head
 away. She performs mechanically simple needle
 work & assists in bed making & appears to
 take no interest in anything - She is at times
 dirty in her habits. Health good Blackwell.

27 July. No improvement. Health good. J.B. Henderson
 Sep 30th. Dull - demented - & dull. incapable of
 employing herself usefully without constant
 supervision - Health fair Atk.

7 Oct. 91. Was removed to Camberwell House, relieved by
 the authority of her husband J. Davey. J.B. Henderson

No 694. Lucy Bartrum Osmond. 26. Single

Adm. 3 Nov. 1890. No occupation. Previous abode 22 Rayton Rd
Hampstead. Ch. of England. First attack.
Adm. 1 Nov. 1890. Age at commencement 26. Duration of attack
about six months. Supposed cause influenza.
Not epileptic nor dangerous to others but
says she would commit suicide if she
had the chance.

1st Certificate Has delusions, thinks she has committed an
unpardonable crime & says she would like to
commit murder in order that she might be
hanged. C.A. Floyer. 30 Oct. 90.

2nd Certificate She is suffering from melancholia. States she
has committed unpardonable crime, that she is
no longer human but is now a fiend. F. H. Gaudin
30th Oct. 90.

3rd Certificate Cousin at present under treatment here. Phthisis
in father's side & megalomania described as "madness" in mother's family.

History of Present Attack. Pt has been ailing from "internal congestion
systemic & delusions" since early in Feb 7, the result
of cold after influenza & over-walking. Has at times
apparently recovered but just before admission
had a relapse of "nervous temper" so was sent as
a voluntary boarder first but certi-

fied a few days later. She is naturally
capricious, at times petulant & sullen.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Pt is a tall young lady with
shock auburn hair. Blue eyes.
Drooping attitude with head
hanging down. Fair complexion.
General development good.

She is healthy & well-nourished &
presents no physical signs of disease

in thoracic or abdominal organs - no bruise.
B. Mental: Melancholia - she is depressed in
appearance & depicted in manner. She states
that she is horribly wicked, has committed
abominable crimes, & ought to go to prison, that
she is lost for eternity, her life is a burden
to her & she wishes to end it - suicidal ideas issued.

Week 1st

Nov. 10

She was rather alarmed & anxious at first
from having swallowed her watch-chain in
the night. She states she thought we should not
keep her here if she did such things & that possibly
it might kill her. She was ordered much

Week 2nd

g. Ferri Sulph. & Syntolids diet & with the aid of purgatives it
has passed after 8 days - She remains depressed
& delusional as on admission - She however
eats & sleeps well & occupies herself with
needlework during the day - General health good.

Nov 20

There is no improvement to be noted in her
mental condition. She adheres to all the
statements made on admission & now refuses to
shake hands stating she is so foul that if
she touches any one, that person would be
contaminated. Bodily condition very good.

Week 3rd

Dec. 3rd

She remains in the same condition as on
last entry - She eats well but sleeps badly
though she is not restless. She refuses
to shake hands & endeavours to provoke
one, thinking she will be turned out
of the institution if she behaves badly.

1891. Jan 10

Physically she looks the picture of health.
For the last 14 days she has been very
much better occupying herself with needle-
work & walking out daily. But today
the old delusions seem to be returning.

1891
Jan 10thLucy Bartram Osmond (continued.)

She is ~~very~~ depressed. She sits in the corner of the gallery, hiding her face with her hands, bursts into tears when addressed, refuses to shake hands, stating she will only communicate others. She complains of headache, is not sleeping well, but looks in excellent health. She is now taking the following prescription:

R. Ferri perchlor. m x.

Mag. Sulph. ss xv.

Sb Chloroform. m x.

aqd 3; fss. ℞

Feb 12th She has now been cheerful & in good spirits for a fortnight. Her brother visited her a week ago & was much pleased with the change in her. She is ~~now~~ in No 1 Gallery & occupies the day in dusting, cleaning, needlework, music, tennis &c. She is eating & sleeping well, has entirely lost her headache & is in robust health.

March 13. She has now remained convalescent for 6 weeks, cheerful, useful & occupying herself daily, taking part in all the amusements, entertainments & dances. She went out today in excellent bodily health with the exception of a "sprained ankle". She occasionally sleeps badly at night.

17 April She was today discharged "Recovered".

OSMOND, Jan 10/91
Thursday evening
Your most note has just arrived.
You need not trouble to come here, as it would do no good. I give you a journey for nothing. All that I have done has been on purpose - & I thank you all & don't feel any sympathy with any of your troubles. A greater devil doesn't exist - & my desire to commit suicide is greater than ever - but I am too weak to do it worse luck. If my husband or father either I should not have caused a pain - this is truth - so don't come mind any.

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Jan 10thLucy Barton Osmond (continued.)

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No. 695 Emily Gershom MacKenzie 61, Widen.

Adm. 3 Nov. 90 Previous abode 488 Clarence St. Resides
on 2. 1 Nov. 90 Raynwater, London. Not first attack. Age 50 years all.

Cur. 4 Nov. 90 on 1st attack 40. Lived at Priory House
& Northumberland House Feb. to Apr. 1899. Edinb.
Health. Dec. to Sep. 1900 (see vol III, p. 59) She is
not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous to others.

1st Certificate She is suffering from acute mania, is
untidy, talkative & incoherent, using
unladylike & obscene language. W.M. Hayel.
2nd Certificate Talents was untidy & restless - incoherent
all she could be induced to say was that every
body wished to kill her because of her voice which
irritates people as it is like a voice speaking
through her. F.R. Candlish 30 Oct. 90.

Family History. absolutely negative.

Previous History { attack of Purpura mania after 1st confinement at birth
since which she has had 10 or 12 attacks of varying
intensity, & from which she has always completely recovered.

Condition on Admission A. Physical. A robust healthy looking old lady
with grey hair. Eyes. Clear florid complexion.

Pupils equal & react bright -
Tongue clean smooth, appetite good
bowels regular. She presents no
physical signs of disease in thoracic
or abdominal organs. No cruritis.

B. Mental. Acute mania.

She is restless, loquacious,
untidy & destructive. She will
wander about her night laugh-
ing, shouting, & whistling. If
her food does not appeal to her
to be palatable she will burst
the basin with contents at the

nurses' head. In language she is rambling,
irrelevant, & at times obscene. She is constantly
talking about the Bible & God & will sometimes
say she is God. She is eccentric in dress wearing
an assortment of "reds" & "pinks" & decorating
her head with a towel as a turban.

Halstead.

Nov. 12.

She remains in the same acutely maniacal
condition.

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Saturday Nov 14/1890.

Dear Dr. Rees Phillips

Since I came

to this Room (the 32)

10 days ago

I have been throw-
ing away food I

did not eat out

to the Birds - as

I see every one do

in this Country

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She remains on leave

She is still on leave

Was today discharged recovered as she

was still on leave & her reception order had

expired.

Halstead.

1891. 10 May

20 Aug.

30 Oct. 90

Nov 10

No. 695 Emily Gershom MacKenzie 61. Widow
 Adm. 3 Nov. 90 Previous abode 488 Clarendon Road, Regent
 Park, London. Not first attack. Age 51 years
 on 2. 1 Nov. 90 on 1st attack 40. Lived at Perrot's House
 & Northumberland House Feb. to Apr. 1899. Edinb.
 Health. Dec. to Sep. 1890 (see vol III p. 59) She is
 not epileptic, suicide not dangerous brother.

1st Certificate She is suffering from acute mania
 untidy, talkative & incoherent, un-
 ladylike & obscene language. W.M. 31

2nd Certificate Patient was untidy & restless. Even
 all she could be induced to say was to
 body washed to kill her because of her
 untidy people as it is her voice
 through her. F.N. Candlin 30

Family History. absolutely negative

Previous History { attack of Puerperal mania after 1st
 since which she has had 2 or 3 attacks
 of duration, & from which she has always

Condition on Admission A. Physical. a robust healthy looking
 with grey hair. Eyes. clear florid

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 Tongue clean smooth,
 bowels regular. She has
 physical signs of disease
 or abdominal organ

B. Mental. Acute mania
 She is restless, loquacious

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 an assortment of "reds" & "pinks" & decorating
 her head with a towel as a turban -
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 or give me
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 Luggage can
 be placed with
 a bed-table &

1891. 10 May
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 30 Oct. 91

She remains on leave

She is still on leave

Was today discharged "recovered" as she
 was still on leave & her reception order had
 expired.

Halbutt.

No. 695 Emily Gershom MacKenzie 61. Widow

Adm. 3 Nov. 90 Previous abode 480 Clarendon Road, Raynham, London. Not first attack. Age 50. 2. 1. Nov. 90 on 1st attack 40. Treated at Priory House & Northumberland House Feb. to Apr. 1899. Edinb. Health. Dec. to Sep. 1901 (see vol III p. 59) She is not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous to others.

1st Certificate She is suffering from acute mania, is untidy, talkative & incoherent, using unladylike & obscene language. W.W. Lloyd. 2nd Certificate Taken was untidy & restless - incoherent. All she could be induced to say was that every body wished to kill her because of her voice which imitates people as it is her voice speaking through her. F.R. Candlish 30 Oct. 90.

Family History. absolutely negative.

Previous History { attack of Puerperal mania after 1st confinement at which since which she has had 10 or 12 attacks of varying intensity, from which she has always completely recovered.

Condition on Admission A. Physical. A robust healthy looking old lady with grey hair. Eyes. Clear florid complexion.

Pupils equal & react bright - Tongue clean smooth, appetite good bowels regular - she presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs - no bruises.

B. Mental. Acute mania -

She is restless, loquacious, untidy & destructive - She will wander about her night laughing, shouting, & whistling - If her food does not appeal to her to be palatable she will bark the basin with content at the

nurses' head - In language she is rambling, irrelevant, & at times obscene - She is constantly talking about the Bible & God & will sometimes say she is God. She is eccentric in dress wearing an assortment of "reds" & "pinks" & decorating her head with a towel as a turban -

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No. 695 Emily Gershom MacKauzie 61. Widow.

Adm. 3 Nov. 90 Previous abode 432 Clerkenwell Road, London. Not first attack. ^{Daughter, with 5 cases} ^{new all.}
 on 2. 1 Nov. 90 Baywater, London. Not first attack. ^{Age}
 on 2. 4 Nov. 90 on 1st attack 40. Lived at Dorset House

+ Northumberland House Feb. to Apr. 1899. Illness
 Health. Dec. to Sep. 1890 (see vol. III, p. 59) She is
 not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous to others.

1st Certificate She is suffering from acute mania, is
 untidy, talkative & incoherent, using
 unladylike & obscene language. W.M. Hayler.
 2nd Certificate Taken was untidy & restless - Incoherent.
 All she could be induced to say was that every
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 irritates people as it is like a voice speaking
 through her. F.N. Candlin. 30 Oct. 90.

Family History. absolutely negative.

Previous History { attack of Puerperal mania after 1st confinement at West
 since which she has had 2 or 3 attacks of varying
 duration, from which she has always completely recovered.

Condition on Admission A. Physical. A robust healthy looking old lady
 with grey hair. Eyes. Clear florid complexion.

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 Tongue clean moist, appetite good
 bowels regular. She presents no
 physical signs of disease in thoracic
 or abdominal organs - no bruises.

B. Mental. Acute mania -

She is restless, loquacious,
 untidy & destructive. She will
 wander about her room at
 night laughing, shouting, & whistling. If
 her food does not appear to her
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 irrelevant, & at times obscene. She is constantly
 talking about the Bible & God & will sometimes
 say she is God. She is eccentric in dress wearing
 an assortment of "reds" & "pinks" & decorating
 her head with a towel as a turban.

Halbutt.

Nov. 12.

1st Nov. 90
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 3rd Nov. 90

Halbutt.

Nov. 10

She remains in the same acutely maniacal
 condition as on admission - though naturally
 jovial & good. Tempers the same reports her
 morning a something box on the ears for
 having said something of which she dis-
 approved. General health very good.

She is still eccentric & odd in manner & dress,
 at times instructive & dirty in her bedroom
 at night, but she is much quieter &
 possesses much more self-control. She
 went to Egham this afternoon & made
 some purchases in the carriage.
 General health very good.

Halbutt.

Dec. 3rd

She continues to improve mentally, but still
 remains unstable, quarrelsome, & eccentric
 at times. She prefers to remain in N.S.
 than go to a quieter part of the house.
 Bodily health very good.

Dec. 24.

For the past week she has been quite
 quiet, rational, well behaved & sociable.
 She went on leave today at the request
 of her daughter.

1891. 10 May

20 Aug.

30 Oct. 90

She remains on leave

She is still on leave

Was today discharged "recovered" as she
 was still on leave & her reception order had
 expired.

the first thing I saw when I stepped out
of the house was a beautiful view of the
lake. The water was calm and the sky was
blue. I felt like I was in a new world.
The air was fresh and the sun was shining.
I had never felt so good before. I was
in luck. I had found a perfect place to
live. I was going to stay here for good.
I was going to make this my home. I was
going to love every minute of it. I was
going to be happy here. I was going to
be free. I was going to be me.

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No. 697 Florence Stanley Finnis - 41. Widow

Adm. 5 Nov. 90 Ch. of England Previous abode, 14 Mansell

St. 2. 5 Nov. 90. Gardens, Kensington. Not first attack.

6 Nov. 90. Age on 1st attack 40. Duration of existing attack 3 months. Suppressed cancer, indigestion, previous attack. Not suicidal, epileptic not dangerous to others.

1st Certificate. Incoherent in conversation. States that before she left home some persons came with a coffin & screwed one of her children down in it - that she distinctly heard them & that her doctor told her it was rubbish. She said she is "cracked" & tremulous & incoherent. Percy Pope 4th Nov. 1890.

2nd Certificate. Confused in ideas. Loss of memory for recent events. Delusions about child. W.W. Hoyle 2 Nov. 90. Notes Epileptic.

Family History

Previous History

Has lived for many years in India (Her husband was an officer). The nurse who brought her down states she has been drinking for some time past & has attracted to her home half-bred & retired officers who have taken advantage of her weakness for alcohol in every way, with the result that the children have been neglected, the servants run riot, & the nurse herself has had practically to manage the whole house for some weeks past. The patient herself states her present illness is due to large doses of drug, which she obtained surreptitiously from a young medical student (a friend of hers) -

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. A tall thin woman with grey hair greenish grey eyes pupils equal with a tendency to dilation, ~~pupils~~ pale. Salivary complexion, strong vacant, but rather pleasing expression. Tongue

moist, slightly furrowed & tremulous. Aphthous capricious & very sweet - bowels rather constipated. She is suffering from partial paralysis in her legs due to alcoholic neuritis so that she can barely walk without aid - she has pins & needles in her feet & legs & left arm & hand & feet as though she is walking on cotton wool. She sleeps badly, is naturally of a nervous disposition & the

muscular system generally is weak & tremulous. She is thin & sparsely nourished, & presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs with exception that her heart sounds are feeble & pulse weak - no bruits.

B. Mental. She is unimpaired with marked deficiency in memory - she is the subject of hallucinations of hearing e.g. she states she heard one night nails being knocked into a coffin & from this she was certain one of her children had died & she now believes this occurred & that he was buried that night - she states that her husband died in 1864 & that he is the father of her youngest child whose age is 6 years ~~old~~ - During conversation she would suddenly stop & say "but you must not believe me as I am cracked for now." - She explores not to be left to sleep by herself, as she is afraid - she has settled down comfortably & happily.

Hardest H.

Nov 12

T. 8.10.100. Drives out daily, & occupies herself with
knitting during the day - she sleeps in diff.
8.11.100. Dr. Cum. 10.0.100. greatly occasionally requiring Sulphonat.
8.12.100. Diet with. 10.0.100. General condition fair - Handwritten

Nov. 20. There is no change to be noted in mental state.
she asks the same questions nearly every morning
is "You don't think I shall have to go to Brighton, do you?"
she still complains of the numbness & pains in
her feet & legs & left hand - General health fair -
Dec. 5. There is no change to be noted in mental
a bodily state Handwritten

1891. Jan 6. She remains weak-minded with marked loss
of memory - Though favoured with great conver-
sational powers & naturally a pleasant
& cheerful companion, she daily asks
the same questions & when her attention is
called to the fact, she admits her memory
is almost gone - She has been having
a course of galvanism with marked bene-
fit. She can now walk alone fairly
well, but still complains of much weakness
& numbness in both legs & her left arm
& hand - General health good Handwritten

Feb. 12. There is no change to be reported in
either mental or bodily state. Handwritten

30 April. The Commissioners in Lunacy had a private
interview this morning & found her condition
such that they decided it be noted she
was "improved" - They thought she was
still weak-minded & emotional & taking
into consideration her previous history deemed
it advisable for her to remain longer under treatment

6 July 91. Patient continues rather weak-minded &
emotional with some loss of memory, but has
improved considerably since last note.
She went on leave today to her own home.

6 Sept. 91. Today she was discharged & recovered,
her mental state whilst on trial having
been satisfactory - Handwritten

N^o 698

Florence Parker, Pridham, 20 no occupation

Adm. 5 Nov. 90 Protestant. Her abode Trinity Ho. Homewell.

Order Aug 15 Nov. This is her first attack of about 4 weeks duration, the supposed cause being "religion" & a supposed love affair. She is neither epileptic, suicidal or dangerous.

1st Certificate (urg)

Talks continuously & excitedly, asserts that her attendant is insane & that she has to take charge of her. Says that she has a mission to reform her mother, sister & family who are all wicked. Henry Sydney, 5 Nov. 90.

1st Certificate

She at once entered into trivial conversation with me a stranger & rambled from one subject to another without connection, then quickly rose from her chair & went to the window, talking nonsense & c. c. H. Black Luke, 7 Nov. 90.

2nd Certificate

Consistently excited condition: excessive loquacity and irrelevant replies &c. Henry Sydney 7 Nov. 90.

Family History.

Previous History.

She was naturally clever as a child & according to her mother's statement brilliant with respect to music & a good chess player. Her disposition was peculiar, she seemed different to other children, not taking into games, & much given to brooding. She seems to have formed a great attachment to a young musician who lived next door, of whom she always spoke openly to her mother, who has no reason for thinking there was any intimacy between them - but her illness seems to date from the time he left the neighbourhood. She has had feelings of spiritual uneasiness for 2 or 3 years & for some months been very flighty & unnatural towards her relatives.

Condition on Admission.

A. Physical. A healthy-looking girl with dark brown hair, blue eyes, small sharp features, ruddy complexion, & supercilious expression. Tongue clean & moist, appetite good, bowels regular. She is fairly nourished & presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. No lesions.

B. Mental. She is emotional, excitable, restless. She is whimsical, talking, suddenly get up from her chair & ramble on from one subject to another, talking nonsense the whole time. She broods every subject & person with the same off hand frivolity, refuses to occupy herself usefully in any way, for more than a few minutes together, appears to have no control over any impulses that may present itself to her mind.

Harden St.

Nov. 12.

She remains in the same frivolous state of mind as on admission, cannot concentrate her attention on any subject for more than a few minutes together, whether it is dancing, playing the piano, or needle-work.

Harden St.

Nov 21stDec. 5th

General health good. Unchanged. (Harden St.) She continues unstable, frivolous, excitable, & at times rude. Health good. Et.

1891. Jan 7th

There have been symptoms of improvement since last entry. She is ~~more~~ less excitable & frivolous though still unstable. She frequently goes down to the lake to watch the skating & has once more commenced to play her violin. Health good. Et.

Feb 12

She continues to occupy herself both usefully & agreeably & goes out walking daily.

Florence Parker Fildes (cont.)

Feb 12

Remains however unstable, capricious
& frivolous. General health very good.

March 12

There is no change to be reported in mental or
bodily state. *Galden H.*

10 May

She was visited by her mother in April 30 & again
on May 6th - since those visits she has not been
so well - she is excitable, frivolous, noisy,
& appears to be unable to regard anything in
a serious light - She amuses herself with her
violin, needlework & reading, but is very variable
& whimsical - Bodily condition very good - *Galden H.*

July 1st 91

Patient went home on leave on May 19th.
and was today discharged recovered.

N^o 699

Adm. 8 Nov. 90

ord. 4 Nov. 90

Cind. 8 Nov. 90

Edith Mary Pryor. 21. Single

of no occupation. Church of England. Previous abode 87 Marine Parade, Brighton. Last attack of about 14 days duration. Supposed cause "doubtful - perhaps access of puberty". She is not suicidal - epileptic or dangerous to others.

1st Certificate

She talks incessantly mainly repeating 2 or 3 phrases. Answers incoherently. Said to have been continuously noisy for two days & refused her food. J. R. Gargal, M.D., noisy, violent, refusing food & requiring treatment. Thinks she is Edward V. Does not recognize her friends. Answers at random. R. Black, 4 Nov. 90.

2nd Cert.

Family History

Previous History

The patient was one of 10 children, one of whom was born dead whilst the other 9 survived, but only 6 are now living. As a child was healthy but rather excitable, of a bright cheerful disposition & though she never went to school is accomplished with a good flow of language - during the excitement of a King she would shiver & become rigid. In her affliction shows a preference to her own sex - A month ago she fell into the Thames, a short time previous to this had a blow on her head from the fall of a door, but neither of these accidents appear to have upset her at the time, but she has been nervous about herself since the River accident & the mental symptoms commenced about a fortnight ago.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. A well nourished girl with curly black hair, dark, glaucous piercing eyes, pupils equal & react, pale freckled complexion, vacant & wild expression. Tongue dry, furred not steady - appetite bad has refused all food for last 3 days. bowels constipated - T. 98.2. Puls. 110. Sleeps badly. She is anemic but presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal organs. No bruising or madman.

B. Mental. Acute mania. She is incessantly talking, wandering from one subject to another, incoherently, at times repeating the same sentence 3 or 4 times over, & exhibiting a threatening attitude. When addressed sharply she will occasionally give a rational answer to the question. The principal topics of her rambling is the desire to do good to everybody. She was put straight to bed fearing she might become acutely delirious. Shows little in evening. During which she took a good amount of nourishment. This was continued every day - she remains noisy (noisy at night) incoherent & threatening. She requires sedatives at night & is taking the anesthetic prescription -

Hyd. Sulph. 5 grs.
Ferri Sulph. 8 grs.
Rhus Sulph. 8 grs.
Acid Sulph. 20 grs.
Chloroform 10 grs.
Op. 5 grs.
T.D.

Harcourt.

Nov. 15.

Harcourt.

Nov 24

Harcourt.

There is no change to be reported in her mental state. She continues noisy, talkative & threatening. Is taking food well. Sleeps with the aid of sulphonal which acts better than all the other hypnotics & remains in good bodily health.

1890. Dec 7

Edith Mary Pryor. Continued.

There is some change mentally. She is no longer delirious. She chatters & gambles disconnected nonsense. Requires sedatives at night & continues to practice self-abuse both by day & night. Sits well & remains in good bodily health though pale & emaciated.

1891. Jan 10.

There is marked mental improvement. She occupies herself frequently with knitting padding the floor in the gallery, & goes out daily. She is emotional at times with burst into tears & remains languid for some time, at others she is stuporous for the greater part of the day. She remains in good bodily health & is taking the following prescription:

R. Ferri pericula mxx
Mag. Sulph. ss xv.
Sp. Chloroform. mxx.
aq 3j tds

Feb 12

The improvement mentioned in last note has been progressing. She is still however unstable & irascible. She was visited by a sister & aunt a few days ago, during which she saw way to profuse tears, but has appeared none the worse since. She continues to occupy herself usefully & occasionally sings & plays the piano. Health good. H.

19 March.

The improvement has been very rapid since last entry. She is now in the 1st gallery, walks & drives out daily. Sings, reads & plays piano. She has gained much more control over her emotions, takes a lively interest in all her surroundings & attends the weekly Ball.

19 March.

She went on leave today. At the request of her mother by whom she was visited last week, in excellent bodily health. Her mother.

13 May 91

Patient was today discharged "recovered".

J. B. Henderson

N^o 700

Adm. 8 Nov. 1890

Ord. 4 Nov. 1890

G. in L. 10 Nov. 1890

Ida Deas Macfarlane. 24. Single, no occupation
Pres. abode. Woodville, Allegan Park, Dulwich. Had
attack of 3 years duration, beginning at age of 21.
Cause unknown. Not epileptic, suicidal nor
dangerous. Has only been treated at home.

1st Certificate. She states that Mr Ray's head is now resting on her
shoulder, that the Duchess of Life stopped her in
order that she wanted her to be killed. That she often
hears people talking to her. J. Rand. 6 Nov 90.
2nd Cert. Complaint of people standing round & talking to her
and. Ray. 8 Nov 90.

Family History

Previous History

always of a quiet & docile disposition. The
present illness commenced 3 years ago with an
hysterical attack after an accident (slipping
off the stage at a village concert) but she received
no injury to head or back. This was followed
by disagreeable tastes in her mouth & these ideas
that friends were following her, finally by
hallucinations of hearing, amongst the people
surrounding her being members of the Royal Family.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. A fairly well-nourished girl with dark
hair, grey eyes, pale freckled complexion, vacant
starched expression. Reflexes
very brisk. Tongue clean moist
steady. Appetite fair, bowels
regular. Moves with difficulty.
She presents no physical signs
of disease in thoracic or abdom-
inal viscera. no bruises.
Pupils equal. React sluggishly
their natural position being rather
dilated.



B. (See Cat) She is unconvinced with halluci-
nations of smell, taste, & hearing. The con-
dition of filthy tastes in her mouth, though her
digestive system appears to good order - says that
her food tastes & smells nasty - that she hears
voices. & various people she has known in

Sanatorium. in glen
St Ann's Heath. being
Virginia Water herself
Dec 26th 1890
Miss Eliza Deas Macfarlane
Macfarlane pres will
thank Messrs Moser &
Co. not to trouble about
her but to stop taking
any notice of her. & not
to write on any account.

1891 Jan 10

Feb 12

May 12. No improvement. Health good. J. B. Henderson
Aug. 20. Her hallucinations are less vivid. She no
longer maintains them, and in fact denies
that she hears subjective voices. Though she
frequently appears to be listening to them.
She does a little needlework.

N^o 700

Adm. 8 Nov. 1890

ord. d. 7 Nov. 1890

G. in L. 10 Nov. 1890

Ida Deas Macfarlane. 24. Single, no occupation.
Pres. abode. Woodville, Allyn Park, Dullwich. First
attack of 3 years duration, beginning at age of 21.
Cause unknown. Not epileptic, suicidal nor
dangerous. Has only been treated at home.

1st Certificate. She states that Mr. Ray's head is now resting on her
shoulder, that the Duchess of Life stopped her in
Dorset St. & wanted her to be killed. That she often
hears people talking to her. J. Rand. 6 Nov. 90.
2nd Cert. Complaints of people standing round & talking to her were
ad. Ray. 8 Nov. 90.

Family History

Previous History

always of a quiet & docile disposition. The
present illness commenced 3 years ago with an
hysterical attack after an accident (slipping
off the stage at a village concert) but she incurred
no injury to head or back. This was followed
by disagreeable tastes in her mouth & then ideas
that friends were following her, finally by
hallucinations of hearing, amongst the people
surrounding her being members of the Royal Family.

Condition on

Admission

A. Physical. A fairly nourished girl with dark
hair, grey eyes, pale freckled complexion, vacant
startled expression. Reflexes
very brisk. Tongue clean moist
steady. Appetite fair, bowels
regular. Sleeps indifferently.
She presents no physical signs
of disease in thorax or abdomen.
Lungs clear. no bruits.
Pupils equal. Heart slightly
above natural position being rather
dilated.



B. Mental. She is unconvinced with hallucinations of smell, taste, & hearing. The consciousness of filthy tastes in her mouth, though her digestive system appears in good order - says that her food tastes & smells nasty - that she hears voices of various people she has known in years gone by, & with them members of the Royal Family, who influence her by telling her not to do certain things, &c. &c.

Haldenath

Nov 15

She is quiet & reserved. occupies herself in a listless apathetic way with needle work. Does not sleep well states her food indifferently. She remains in the same state of mind as on admission.

Haldenath

Nov. 23

Haldenath

9 Dec.

There is no change to be reported in bodily or mental state. She remains withdrawn, sentimental & listless, occupying herself at times only in a half-hearted manner. She says she still hears voices of the Queen & the Prince of Wales, & other members of the Royal Family, ordering her actions. She is in good bodily health.

1891 Jan 10

Feb 12

There is no change to be noted in mental or bodily state.

There is no improvement to be noted. The only made on Dec 9th applies to her condition mentally & bodily at the present time.

May 12

Aug. 20

No improvement. Health good. J. B. Henderson. Her hallucinations are less vivid. She no longer mentions them, and in fact denies that she hears subjective voices though she frequently appears to be listening to them. She does a little needlework.

Oct. 10th 91. Unchanged

Jan 4. 92. Patient remains as described, although frequently to be seen with her hands folded apparently listening she will deny that any one is talking to her. She generally sits apart from the others but occasionally plays games & dances. Health good but she is very round shouldered & holds herself very badly. J. B. Henderson

May 31st. Patient does not appear to have the delusions now, she does not refer to them at all. She is weakminded, quite content to be here and rarely makes home. She occupies herself in the dormitories. All her movements are slow. Health good. J. B. Henderson

Aug. 30th Patient remains in much the same apathetic condition, she moves quietly about her customary duties, answers in monosyllables when addressed and appears to be quite contented. She was away on leave for a few weeks recently but returned again. Health good. J. B. Henderson

Oct. 25. Weakminded, apathetic, delusory. At times is troubled with subjective voices. She is very reticent, at times sulky but is able to do some simple work. J. B. Henderson

Nov. 30. No change

March 4. 93 Unchanged J. L. Don

June 20. It remains weakminded, but no longer is troubled by subjective voices. J. L. Don

July 1. After being on leave for a time, it was today discharged recovered. J. L. Don

N^o 701Louisa Vibart. 45: Single, no occupation.

Adm Nov. 12th 90 Church of England. Pres. abode. The Manor House.
Ord (Aug) 17 Nov 90 Ragwort, Newbury. 1st attack of about 2 yrs duration.
R. Ord 17 Nov 90 age at commencement 43. Treated nowhere.
Chd Aug. 13 Nov 90 Suffered cause. Anxiety from money losses.
 Not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Certificate She is suffering from simple melancholia; is depressed & unhappy. Wants work to do but does not know what kind. Cannot make up her mind to follow pursuits as

W. R. Poyser 17 Nov 90

2nd Cert: Readily melancholy & unable to occupy herself. Believes she has seriously injured & estranged her friends. Wants to join a sisterhood. Ch. H. Savage

Family History No history of insanity &c. All her relatives live in the "Isle of Wight". She has broken sister escaped as, at the time they were visiting friends at Ditch. Most of her relatives appear to be peculiar & live away from home.

Previous History

Condition on Admission A. Physical - A tall thin woman with grey hair grey eyes, pupils equal & react, muddy complexion with capillary injection on nose & over malar bones. Tongue moist, slightly furrowed appetite capricious, bowels regular. She is fairly nourished & presents no clinical signs of disease in thoracic & abdominal viscera. No fringes

B. Mental - Simple melancholia - She is restless & depressed, much agitated respecting her situation here. She is somewhat neglectful of her appearance & though she professes to want work she appears unable to settle to it for more than a few minutes together. She is frequently found in tears, prefers to stand or sit apart by herself away from others brooding over her unhappiness.

Nov 21. She remains in the same state as on admission. Refuses to believe her situation is legal, though she admits she has become depressed owing to money losses & domestic worry. Expresses her desire to enter a sisterhood work for those who work for God. Ch. H. Savage
 Bodily condition good. She is taking animal grazing. Sp. H. Savage
Def. H. Savage (10 Nov 90)

Dec 1st There is no change to be noted in bodily or mental state.

Dec 12th There is some improvement to be noted in her mental state. Though depressed in aspect & manner, is often found in tears. She occupies herself with needlework & goes out daily. She remains in good bodily health but still requires analgesic tonic for her dysphoria.

1891 Jan 12th There is marked improvement in her mental state. She is no longer found in tears though she cannot be described as cheerful. She continues to occupy herself in the gallery, with her needle & with books & goes out daily for walks & takes an interest in amusements and assisting other patients. Health good. Ch. H. Savage
 12 Feb She was today discharged, recovered.

Katherine Jane Scott, cont. from p. 134.
She admits that her food has been tampered with at times & some drug put into the tea. She is nervous & fidgety when talking and untidy in her personal appearance.

She is fairly nourished & presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. Right lobe of thyroid enlarged (cystic). Patient is very restless, always wanting to touch people and when walking along she frequently drops on her knees & touches the ground or floor. Her conversation is rambling & disconnected but is generally on the subject of the moral behaviour of people. Health satisfactory. J.B. Henderson.

Aug. 30th

Nov. 10. 1892.

Dr. Pugh's Certif. frequently very restless & excited. Subject to delusions of luncheon agency, believing that her food is poisoned. Her movements are very uncertain; she is garrulous, wanders a good deal in conversation. (Hardly nourished) but beyond a cystic tumour of the thyroid there are no signs of disease.

March 14. 1893

No change.

June 20.

No change to be noted; sometimes more excited & garrulous than at others. Does not occupy herself much.

Aug. 5.

Has to day gone on leave.

Oct. 30.

Came back from leave some time ago. She retains her delusions & desire to touch people & occasionally throws herself prone on the floor at their feet. J.B. Henderson.

Jan. 26. 04

No change.

May 15.

No change.

July 15.

Returned to No 6 Gallery, after having been to the sea side for a change; came back sooner than expected as Pt. had a small bruise on her thigh which she considered very bad & would do nothing but lie in bed. J.B. Henderson.

Nov. 14.

Has lately had one of her restless attacks. She still imagines people in the walls have something to do with her, & she says she always touches some one or something as a kind of remembrance of various old acquaintances. J.B. Henderson.

June 20. 94

No change.

Dec. 13.

Has not been very well lately, suffering from dyspepsia & a little depression of spirits. J.B. Henderson.

March 11. 96.

Dear Dr. Henderson - 93
Wm. Scott
Waggon Sept 1892.

June 12.

Best of good & more stable. R. C. Henderson.

Sept 10.

Still better & more stable. R. C. Henderson.

Jan. 18. 97.

Common's & more stable. R. C. Henderson.

the other day I thought, 'Well! he is better, I think; I regard myself as the chief of my own mind, that is, there is no more fear or anxiety, what is now his (the doctor) of me, Macpherson

with MS. 5158 (p. 113)

Katherine Jane Scott, cont. from p. 134.
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Aug. 30th Patient is very restless, always to touch people and when walking frequently drops on her knees to ground or floor. Her conversation is disconnected but is generally subject of the most behaviour of Health satisfactory.

Nov. 10. 1892. Dr. Pugh's report, frequently very restless to delusions of unseen agency, believing persons her movements are very and garrulous, wanders a good deal in conversation, but beyond a cystic tumour there are no signs of disease.

March 4. 1893 No change.

June 20. No change to be noted; sometimes garrulous than at others. Does not occur.

Aug. 8. Has to day gone on leave.

Oct. 30. Came back from leave some time her delusions & desire to touch people. throws herself prone on the floor.

Jan. 26. 94 No change.

May. 15. No change.

July 5. Returned to No 6 Gallery after having been to the sea for a change; came back sooner than expected as Pt had a small bruise on her thigh which she considered bad. would do nothing but lie in bed. E.D.

Nov. 14.

Has lately had one of her restless attacks. She still imagines people in the walls have something to do with her, & she says she always touches some one or something as a kind of remembrance of various old acquaintances. E.D.

June 20. 94 No change.

Dec. 13. Has not been very well lately, suffering from dyspepsia, attacks of vomiting, & some apathetic in consequence. Mental condition does not alter. E.D.

resides the influence of a good woman, and which described going after the devilish, particles, as a wheel, arrives do not allow their friends to force, they like them to console them; they do not like their speaking to be made, they like to possess them, and greedily them getting away from evil spirit of one's own mind.

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Katherine Jane Scott, cont. from p. 134.
She admits that her food has been tampered with at times & some drug put into the tea. She is nervous & fidgety when talking and unkind in her personal appearance. She is fairly nourished & presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. Right lobe of thyroid enlarged (cystic). Patient is very restless, always wanting to touch people and when walking along she frequently drops on her knees & touches the ground or floor. Her conversation is rambling & disconnected but is generally on the subject of the moral behaviour of people. Health satisfactory. J. B. Henderson

Nov. 10. 1872. In Prof's Court, frequently very restless & inclined subject to delusions of unknown agency, believing that her food is poisoned - her movements are very uncertain, she is garrulous, wanders a good deal in conversation. Mostly moribund, but beyond a cystic tumour of the thyroid there were no signs of disease.

March. 4. 1893 No change.

Aug. 20. No change to be noted. Sometimes more excited & garrulous than at others. Does not occupy himself for much of the day. Red. 20.

Aug. 28. Has to-day gone on leave. G. 28.

Aug. 22. Has to day gone on leave. G. L. 100
Oct. 30. Came back from leave some time ago. Heretofore
her delusions, desire to touch people, occasionally
throws herself prone on the floor at their feet. G. L. 100

Jan. 26. 94 No change

May. 15. No change.

July 5. ⁸ Melvorn to the 6 Gallery after having been to the sea and
for a change; came back sooner than expected as Pt
had a small bruise on her thigh which she considered
very bad & would do nothing but lie in bed. 9.45am

Nov. 14. Has lately had one of her restless attacks. She still imagines people in the market have something to do with her, & she says she always touches some one or something as a kind of remembrance of various old acquaintances. E.D.

June 20. 95. No change

Dec. 13. Has not been very well lately, suffering from dyspepsia & attacks of vomiting, & some apathetic in consequence.

March 11. 96. Has
taken
also
on the
road driven by his wife.

June 12.

Sept 10.

Tam: 18.9

straight,
y^e health
today went
R C Despard
R C Despard
in depressed
R C D.
note 7

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Nov. 10. 1892. Pt. Ref. Scott, frequently very restless & excited. Subject to delusions of person agency, believing that her food is poisoned. Her movements are very uncertain. She is garrulous, wanders a good deal in conversation. (Hardly nourished), but beyond a cystic tumour of the thyroid there are no signs of disease.

March 4. 1893 No change.

June 20. No change to be noted: sometimes more excited & garrulous than at others. Does not occupy herself much.

Aug. 2. Has to day gone on leave.

Oct. 30. Came back from leave some time ago. She retains her delusions & desire to touch people & occasionally throws herself prone on the floor at their feet. J.B. Henderson.

Jan. 26. 04 No change.

May 15. No change.

July 5. Returned to No 6 Gallery, after having been to the sea side for a change; came back sooner than expected as Pt. had a small bruise on her thigh which she considered very bad, would do nothing but lie in bed. J.B. Henderson.

Nov. 14. Has lately had one of her restless attacks. She still imagines people in the hall have something to do with her, & she says she always touches someone or something as a kind of remembrance of various old acquaintances. J.B. Henderson.

June 20. 95 No change.

Dec. 13. Has not been very well lately, suffering from dyspepsia & attacks of vomiting, & seems apathetic in consequence. Mental condition does not alter. J.B. Henderson.

March 11. 96. Has been much brighter for the past fortnight, taking an interest in all that goes on. Bodily health also improved. She has gained in weight. Yesterday went on leave to Folkestone with an attendant. R.C. Despard.

June 12. Still on leave.

Sept. 10. Still on leave with a Nurse. Has been much depressed of late but is now better. R.C. Despard.

Jan. 18. 97. Today discharged - relieved - by order of physician.

Discharged Jan. 18. 97.

N^o 703Mary Ann Lilley 64. Single, no occupation

Adm. Nov 18. 1891

Protestant. Prev abode, Middlesex Co. Asylum,

Old d. Nov 11. 90.

Wandsworth. First attack of about 24 years

C. inf. Nov 19. 90.

duration, age at commencement about 40.

Treated at Colney Hatch (1886). Cause unknown.

Not epileptic; suicidal not dangerous.

1st Certificate

Says there are many ladies of title about. That she died in the Tower of London & was interred in Westminster Abbey, was buried 16 mos. near to Queen Mary. Went back to the Tower. Cause of death poison.

F. A. Ward. 3rd Nov. 90.

2nd Cert.

Memory defective. Ideas few & confused. Talks incoherently & requires a good deal of looking after.

W. G. Hill. 3rd Nov. 90.

Fam. Hist.

Mother insane

Previous HistoryCondition on Admission

A. Physical. A well-nourished woman with light

brown hair - grey eyes, pale yellow complexion & good temper but weak & nervous. She presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal viscera - no bruises - She has Psoriasis on arms & legs.



B. Mental. Localized with delusions. Her memory is defective - She states that she died in the tower of

London, was buried in Westminster Abbey near Queen Mary & remained there in the vault many months - that she remembers being dead & thought the vault was very damp & cold, but has had no experience yet of Heaven or Hell - The cause of her death she states was poison.

Dec 1. She has settled down quietly & comfortably occupies herself with needlework & in the gallery. She is, about-minded, apathetic, & deluded as an admission. She is suffering from Psoriasis for which she is taking fig. Arsenicalis - General health good.

18. Dec.

There is no change to be noted in either mental or bodily state.

1891. Jan 20

She remains in a condition of happy delusion with delusions as an admission she continues to work with her needle & in the general work of the gallery - Bodily condition good.

Feb. 18.

There is no change to be noted in either mental or bodily condition. She is still taking the arsenic & the Psoriasis rash is improving.

May 18.

No improvement. Health good with the exception of the Psoriasis.

Aug. 10.

Going on comfortably - keeps a good deal in the house-wait & painting work. Her psoriasis is chronic - but gives her no trouble.

Oct. 7th

Unchanged.

Jan. 4. 92.

Delusions & delusions Patient continues weak-minded, makes herself useful in the pantries & seems to be happy & contented. Health good.

May 3rd

There is no obvious change. Health satisfactory except for the psoriasis.

- Aug. 31. Patient continues to make herself very useful in the pantry & mess room. Her mental condition is unchanged. Health good. She has been to Brighton for a change. J. B. Henderson
- Oct. 25. Unacknowledged is the subject of various delusions, that she has been dead, or is about to be. Her memory is greatly impaired but she is cheerful & does some simple work.
- Ref. & Conf. March 4. 95. Unchanged.
- June 20. Talks to herself, is unacknowledged; no change to be reported. She is useful in the pantry. To day gone to have V. B. D. done.
- Oct. 30. Remains in same condition. S. L. Don
- Jan. 26. 94. Happy, dementia, talks & laughs to herself as she does her work. Health good. J. L. Don
- May 15. No change. J. L. Don
- Nov. 1. S. L. Don. She is in a state of happy dementia, talks & laughs to herself, is quite incapable of entering into any conversation or of answering any but the simplest questions correctly. She is well nourished but suffers from chronic psoriasis.
- June 20. 95. In the same condition as before. J. L. Don
- Dec. 13. 1908. No change. J. L. Don
- March 20. 96. Happy dementia - occupies herself in housework - frequently talks much to herself, can answer simple questions correctly but is quite incapable of entering into conversation. Physical health good but has psoriasis. R. C. D.
- June 12. Condition unchanged - psoriasis almost gone. R. C. D.
- Sept 12. 97. Demented - happy & contented - talks much to herself - occupies herself in housework. Phys health good - has had no psoriasis of late. R. C. D.
- Dec 29. Condition unchanged - Psoriasis easily kept under by treatment. R. C. D.
- March 30. 97. Demented - happy & cheerful, occupies herself in housework - sometimes excited, & makes use of forcible & foul language - talks much to herself. Phys health good - psoriasis much improved. R. C. D.

- June 30. Condition unchanged - still occupies herself in housework, which she frequently does in a most eccentric manner. Gen health good. R. C. D.
- Sept. 30. Condition quite unchanged - Gen health good but has had a little psoriasis of late. R. C. D.
- Nov. 24. Went to Red House today - is becoming more demented & eccentric - psoriasis improved. R. C. D.
- Dec. 29. Demented & eccentric - capable of very simple housework under supervision but is apt to throw down any article she has in her hand & wildly dance about the room for a few minutes - again quieting down - Phys health good. R. C. D.
- March 21. 98. Condition unsettled from that on last note - phys. health good - psoriasis is fairly easily kept in check. R. C. D.
- June 7. Demented & eccentric - can still do very simple housework but requires careful supervision - Psoriasis has been bad of late now improving under treatment. R. C. D.
- Sept 17. Continues at Red House - eccentric, & quite incapable of carrying on a conversation - has very little memory - talks much to herself - apparently in answer to hallucinations of hearing - Phys health good - R. C. D.
- Dec. 13. Continues just the same - is still capable of doing simple housework under supervision but is eccentric, & is apt to be destructive - chatters to herself & has little memory - Phys health good - but the psoriasis is occasionally troublesome & is not easily kept in check. R. C. D.
- 5 April 99. Continues to do some housework & needlework - Memory deficient - Health fair - with the exception of psoriasis. S. L. D.
- April 6. Psoriasis very marked - both legs & both arms covered with numerous small patches - much back of abdomen - today came up to the shoulders (could not sleep) R. C. D.

No. 704 Kate Purdon - 40. Single, no occupation
 Born 19 Nov. 90 Protestant. Prev. Abode 19 Orange Rd. Ealing
 First attack commencing about age of 30 -
 Lasting 10 years. Never under control before.
 Cause, unknown. Not epileptic nor dangerous
 to others but suicidal.

1st Certificate Refuses food, abusive to her mother, in danger
 of starvation unless forcibly fed. Says she wants
 to die. Has asked for a knife to destroy herself, gets
 out of bed in the night & urinates on lying on the floor
 J. Joyce Nov. 10. 90.

2nd Cert: She says she will not eat anything & has symptoms
 of starvation. Says her mother grudges the food
 & is turned against her. G. H. Savage 10 Nov. 90.

From: Herd. Uncle insane.

From: Herd. Healthy till 30, since then has been rather low
 in health suffering from neurasthenia. Was a
 brilliant musician.

Condition on
 Admission

A Physical. Pt is of average height, hair grey
 eyes grey, complexion pallid, under
 lip rather thick, voice feeble.
 Breath offensive. Refuses food.
 Does not sleep
 well. No physical signs of disease
 but pt is somewhat emaciated.
 Punctures on arms & hands on
 admission. The index finger of r hand
 is rather sore at the tip. Tongue foul &
 unsteady.



Idiosyncratic Melancholia

B. Mental. Pt is very unhappy, says that she is
 tired of life, that her friends are unkind to her.
 Feels as if she would like to put an end to her life but has
 not the power. Has attempted suicide. She refuses food
 & requires to be fed forcibly by the nurses, her only reason
 being that she does not wish to take it. Has hallucina-
 tions of sight, hearing, touch & smell. She sees people
 floating in the air, & they touch her & speak to her but
 if she tries to touch them they glide away like serpents.
 She feels frightened at them. Her reason for attempting
 suicide is because she is told that she is to live for evermore
 Genetical. J. B. H.

Nov. 23rd Pt appears rather better in health but is still
 emotional, & has the same hallucinations. Very trouble-
 some with her food requiring two nurses to feed her.
 Sleeps badly. Has attempted suicide by tying the
 sleeves of her nightdress round her throat & by stuffing
 her handkerchief down her throat. J. B. H.

Dec 1st Rather less troublesome with the food but still requires
 to be fed. Mental condition unchanged. Pt occupies
 herself with crochets. J. B. H.

Dec 19th She remains in the same state of Idiosyncratic
 melancholia - refusing her food, which occasionally
 has to be administered by the tube. She is
 at times very excited & violent, requiring 5 or 6
 nurses to manage her. She is constantly su-
 deavouring to find some means of ending
 her life by decaying string, tape &c &c. She
 is pale, anorectic & sparsely nourished & presents
 some symptoms of disease at the apex of
 the lungs.

Kate Purdon. (Continued.)1891. Jan 21

There is some improvement to be noted in her bodily condition - she is now taking her food, though generally with great reluctance. She sleeps badly at night & takes Sulphur & ~~Steele~~ alternate night with advantage -

27 Apr. 91

Mentally there is no change to report. There is not much improvement to be noted. Patient is frequently noisy & very violent & is well-dressed. She went today to Home Hills at the special request of her mother.

J. B. Henderson

10 July 91

She remains at Brighton - but gives a good deal of trouble - resisting everything that is done for her and at times attacking others in a childish way. She appears more discontent & less depressed than on admission.

12 Sept.

Today she was removed & relieved to Wyke House, Isleworth, at the request of her brother -

H. F. H.

Holloway Sanatorium Hospital, Virginia Water

NOTICE OF DEATH

Date of Reception Order, the 26th day of November 1890

I hereby give you Notice, That Alice Myddelton Biddulph a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the twentieth day of November 1890 died therein on the thirtieth day of May 1891

Signed A. H. Phillips Medical Officer

Dated the 31st day of May One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-one.

To the Commissioners in Lunacy

STATEMENT RESPECTING THE ABOVE-NAMED PATIENT

Name - Alice Myddelton Biddulph

Sex and age - female 58

Married, single, or widowed - single

Profession or occupation - none

Place of abode immediately before being placed under care and treatment (if known) - of Alexandra Rd. Liphys Hill S.E.

Apparent cause of death - Exhaustion following epilepsy

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 10 a.m.

Duration of disease of which patient died - Epilepsy many years

Names and description of persons present at the death - Nurse Jane E. Sellens

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 A. H. Phillips Medical Officer

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Alice Magdalen Myddelton Biddulph (p: p: 130)
temporarily improved - but dyspnoea & cyanosis
increased with moist σ at bases evidently
due to oedema of lungs. P^t died quietly at 10 am
yesterday.

No autopsy permitted -
Certified cause of death - exhaustion following
epilepsy.

No. 706 Ellen Roe

Adm. 21 Nov. 1890

Disch. 24 Apr. 1894

Cau. 23 Nov. 90.

Lunatic by legislation

Family history
Proc. History.Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. Pt is rather short. Hair almost white with admix of yellow. Myopia, even with glasses holds her book within 6 inches of her eyes. Appetite good, sleeps well. Says that the left breast was removed for cancer in the spring but that the seat was reported to be perfectly healthy by a Dr. 2 mo. ago & she does not care to have it seen now. Heart & lungs appear healthy. Pt says she feels perfectly well.

B. Mental. Pt is somewhat weak-minded. Seems fond of reading but does not speak very much. Says that she has quarrelled with her sisters and would on no account live with them. Has not spoken to them for 30 years. Says that they made false accusations against her moral character & that the reason why

she is detained in an asylum is because they wish to get possession of her property. This emotional ^{J.B.H.}
~~she is detained in an asylum~~

Dec. 1st. Probably health good. Mental condition unchanged. ^{J.B.H.}

17th. She remains quiet & harmless occupying herself during the day with needlework & reading. General health good. Cl.

21. Unchanged. Cl.

1891. Jan 21. There is no change to be noted in either mental or bodily condition. She continues to occupy herself during the day & expresses to herself as being contented & happy here. She still believes her sisters accused her of immoral acts rare detaining her in

Mar. 24th. Patient returned today from Home Villa where she has been for some weeks. She seems morbidly about the same. There is recurring carcinoma in the rear of the breast & hard glands in the axilla & patient complains of some pain. ^{J.B. Henderson}

July 24th. After consulting with the Chancery Medical Mrs. Roe went to London to consult Dr. Lavery. He reported that no operation was advisable & ordered an application of Lin. Collod. c. Salicyl. Patient now suffers much pain & is often sleepless but she objects very much to speak of it. Her general health is pretty good & she takes long country walks & occupies herself with basket making. ^{J.B. Henderson}

Oct. 4th. She is emotional & depressed - there is no doubt attributable greatly to her physical state. The cancer is ulcerating and there are probably deposits in the lung of her breathing.

embarrassed. There is no cachexia however, her complexion being quite natural, and her strength is well maintained. Pericardial & pleural still exist though they are not prominent.

Nov. 19th.

Patient is now suffering great pain from the cancer which prevents her sleeping at night. She has great difficulty with her food vomiting almost everything, her breathing is much embarrassed & apparently she cannot live much longer. Initially she continues about the same but has a strong dislike to almost every one.

Dec: 15th.

Patient became gradually worse, the pain increased and the vomiting was so constant that for the last few days she was fed by the rectum. She retained her independent spirit almost to the last refusing to have things done for her & only allowed some one to be with her at night for the last week. Her mind wandered at times towards the end & she died this morning about 7.40.

Certificate of death.

Exhaustion from Cancer.

Signed S. R. Philipp, M.D.

16 Dec. 91.

No autopsy was made.

J. B. Henderson

See Book

8 & 9 VICT. c. 100.—Sched. (G. 2).

NOTICE OF DEATH.

I hereby give you Notice, That Ellen Roe
a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the 21st
day of November 1890, died therein on the 15th
day of December 1891, and I further Certify that Annie
Josephine was present at the Death of
the said Ellen Roe and that
the apparent Cause of Death of the said Ellen Roe

as ascertained by post mortem examination (if any) was

Exhaustion from Cancer

Signed, Lutherland Rees Philipp, M.D.
Medical Superintendent.

Dated this 16th day of December One
Thousand Eight Hundred and ninety-one

To the Commissioners in Lunacy.

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Adm. Nov. 20/90
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Alice Myddelton Tiddulph. 81. High

to occupation. Church of England. Pres. abode
 Holloway Sanatorium (since Oct. 16. 1890. vide p. 75)

First attack of about 10 years duration. Age at
 commencement of attack 41. Previously under

care with Mr. Maydown Spencer, 7 Alexandra Rd
 Upper Holloway. Supposed cause Epil.

not suicidal nor homicidal but

sometimes and subject to Epilepsy

It was admitted on Oct. 16th. 90

that she was a "Lunatic by implication"

date of the implication could not be found

necessary to discharge her & readmitted

she is suffering from Dementia.

rambling & incoherent in her conversation

speaks in a monotonous tone. Has

occasional outbursts of maniacal ex-

pression. (N. W. Floyer)

Corroborates above. N. W. Floyer Nov. 21

Logrations, rambling in conversation

demented. see P. Pope Nov. 22. 1890

Nil.

It has been subject to Epileptic

for 10 years & has been growing de-

pressed her memory. Lived at home

mother till death of mother in Nov

private patient at the address given

Condition on
 Admission

see p. 75. Her physical & mental state remains
 as the patient as in page 75 - During she is
 naturally weak-minded, quiet, happy & ex-
 presses herself as being very comfortable:
 The fits are not serious ones, but her outbursts
 of excitement. She is noisy, violent, spiteful

& dangerous, using ~~the~~ incoherent & obscene
 expressions & endeavoring to kick, bite, or other-
 wise damage any person she may encounter -
 These attacks are generally preceded by a period
 (of 1-2 days) of great irritability & grumbling

WOK. 115. 5182 (p. 128)

Dear Miss Pitt

I hope you

are well. I wish

you would come

here. Mr. Spencer

is still away

My Brother has

been here & has

sent me a box

of games oh I

have

If allowed she would have hurt her left arm
 she struck it so violently & was also violent
 towards others. The complaint of pain in her
 stomach & Colic & Lard & Co was administered
 she is now in her usual condition of
 happy weak-mindedness J. B. X

May. 3. 92

Patient went to Brighton on Apr. 11

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Adm Nov. 20. 90

Uy. Oct. 1. 20 Nov. 90

C. M. L. 20 Nov. 90

Adm. 26 Nov. 90

Alice Myddelton Biddulph, 51. Single

Occupation. Church of England. Pres. abode Holloway Sanatorium (since Oct. 16. 1890. vide p. 75)

First attack of about 10 years duration. Age at commencement of attack 41. Previously under care with Mr. Maydown Spencer, 7 Alexandra Rd. Upper Holloway. Supposed cause Epilepsy. She is not suicidal nor homicidal & sometimes and subject to Epil.

It was admitted on Oct. 16th. 90 that she was a "lunatic by implication" date of the implication could not be ascertained necessary to discharge her & readmission.

She is suffering from dementia rambling & incoherent in her conversation speaks in a monotonous tone. Has occasional outbursts of maniacal violence.

W. W. Lloyd

Urgency, Med. Certificate

1st Cert.

2nd Cert.

Family Hist.

Prev. Hist.

Corroborates above. W. W. Lloyd Nov. 22. 1899. Logacious, rambling in conversation demented case. P. Pope Nov. 22. 1899.

Nil. It has been subject to epileptic attack 10 years & has been growing & has lost her memory. Lived at home mother till death of mother in Nov. private patient at the address given.

Condition on Admission

See p. 75. Her physical & mental state remains as the same as on page 75 - ~~since~~ she is naturally well-minded, quiet, happy & presses herself as being very comfortable. The fits are no longer on, but her outbursts of excitement. She is noisy, violent, spiteful

& dangerous, using ~~the~~ incoherent & obscene expressions & endeavouring to bite, hit, or otherwise damage any person she may encounter - These attacks are generally preceded by a period (of 1-2 days) of great irritability & grumbling. Bodily condition is

At One Heath
Virginia Waters

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Fanny my sister
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Alice M. Biddulph

If allowed she would have hurt her left arm she struck it so violently & was also violent towards others. The complaint of pain in her stomach Folbromine & Cardia was administered she is now in her usual condition of happy well-mindedness J. B. Yden

May. 3. 92 Patient went to Brighton on Apr. 1

N^o 705

Adm Nov. 20. 90
 Hy. Oct. 1. 20 Nov. 90
 C. M. L. 20 Nov. 90
 Med. A. 26 Nov. 90

Alice Myddelton Biddulph 81. High

to occupation. Church of England. Pres. abode
 Holloway Sanatorium (since Oct. 16. 1890. vide p. 75)

First attack of about 10 years duration. Age at
 commencement of attack 41. Previously under
 care with Mr. Maydown, fence, 7 Alexandra Rd
 Upper Norwood. Supposed cause Epilepsy. She is
 not suicidal nor homicidal but violent
 sometimes and subject to Epilepsy.

She was admitted on Oct. 16th. 90 on the supposition
 that she was a "lunatic by implication" but as the
 date of the implication could not be found it was
 necessary to discharge her & readmit by Urgency order.

She is suffering from Dementia, is talkative
 rambling & incoherent in her conversation &
 speaks in a monotonous tone. Has epileptic fits
 & occasional outbursts of maniacal excitement.

W. W. Floyer Nov. 20th 1890.

Urgency Order
 Certificate

1st Cert.

Corroborates above. W. W. Floyer Nov. 20th 1890.

2nd Cert.

Loquacious, rambling in conversation, childish,
 demented etc. P. Pope Nov. 22. 1890.

Family Hist.

Nil.

Pres. Hist.

She has been subject to epileptic fits for the
 last 10 years & has been growing demented &
 has lost her memory. Lived at home with her
 mother till death of mother in Nov. 84. Then as
 private patient at the address given above.

Condition on
 Admission

See p. 75. Her physical & mental state remains
 as the same as on page 75 - ~~as in~~ she is
 naturally weak-minded, quiet, happy & s.s.
 passes herself as being very comfortable.
 The fits are not serious ones, but her outbursts
 of excitement. She is noisy, violent, spiteful

& dangerous, using ~~her~~ incoherent & obscene
 expressions & endeavoring to kick, bite, or other-
 wise damage any person she may encounter -
 These attacks are generally preceded by a period
 (of 1-2 days) of great irritability & grumbling.
 Bodily condition fair. C.

Dec. 25.

She remains in same condition as in last
 entry, fatuously pleased with any trifling gift
 she has given her, has violently destructive
 & aggressive during an attack of excitement. C.

1891 Jan. 7.

Ap. 30.

Unchanged. Patient has frequent attacks
 of violence when she is noisy & destructive
 at other times she is happy & easily pleased.
 She has fits at intervals. J. B. Henderson

July 29.

40 Oct.

Unchanged. Health fair. Fits continue
 General condition unchanged, demented
 with occasional attacks of excitement under
 the influence of the fits. Oct 4th.

Jan. 6. 92

She continues liable to fits & violent outbursts
 of excitement but in the intervals is
 childish & happy. Her general health appears
 pretty good. J. B. Henderson

Feb. 7.

Patient had a number of severe fits about
 10 days ago & was particularly noisy & violent.
 If allowed she would have hurt her left arm
 she struck it so violently & was also violent
 towards others. The complaint of pain in her
 stomach Pot Bromide & Libb's Co. was administered
 she is now in her usual condition of
 happy weak-mindedness. J. B. Henderson

May. 3. 92

Patient went to Brighton on Apr. 1.

Her mental condition was unchanged, she alternates between contented childlike moods & irritable excitement. The fits continue but are not frequent during the day. General health fairly satisfactory.

Aug 30. 92 Patient continues to suffer from epileptic fits and outbreaks of excitement & violence but her general condition is that of weak-mindedness. Health fair. J. B. Henderson

Nov. 10. Sp. Pap. & Cat. - 1 cabined. before & after the epileptic seizures to which she is subject, at frequent intervals she becomes excited, irritable and delirious. When in this condition beyond the epileptic seizures there are no typical signs of disease.

March 4. 95. Condition same. Occasionally very violent. Has generally one or more fits every week, but sometimes goes nearly 2 months without one. E. d. Dow.

June 20. It is now at Hove Villa.

Oct. 30. No change, continues to have fits in the intervals attacks of violence.

Jan. 26. 94 Continues to have fits & attacks of violence as before. Sometimes she is quite amiable & will talk of her former life in a crafty, unbecoming manner. She is wet & dirty in her habits. Health satisfactory. Edw.

May 16. The fits are not so frequent as they have been & the attacks of violence are not so frequent or so severe, but in March she was cut on the forehead by another patient in a fit of violence.

Nov. 14. There is no change to report.

June 20. 95 The attacks of violence are not so severe & the fits though rather frequent (3 or 4 a week) are rather more like 'Petit mal' now. E. & D.

There is no change.

9 March 17.96. Weak-minded - fits are somewhat more frequent, almost daily but are very slight - she is usually happy & quiet reading or moving about in the gallery but becomes excited, restless & quarrelsome before & after the fits - Habits dirty
Physical health satisfactory R. C. Seapure

June 9. Weakened with occasional outbreaks of violence - fits
average about 4 a week with 12 a week every 6-8 weeks.
(4.4.10.13. 55. 14.12.24) Habits dirty - Physical health good.

Sept. 12. Weak-minded - has been quiet of late & more
interested in things around her - fits continue
as above. Phys. health good. R.C.D.

Dec: 30. At Homeville Sept: 19. Oct: 19. Drove for 4 days after
 Peckham 9188 her return had 7 pits - then put on T? By Peckham

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1) Potham had 7 fits - then put on T5 by Potham
 as advised - with a result of 3 very mild fits for
 next 5 weeks - T5 discontinued for 4 days with 9 fits
 removed with a result of about 3 very mild fits a week
 has brightened up a little of late - reads a little, has
 no more violent - habits improved somewhat. Phys
 health fair - but for the epileptic fits R.C.D.

March 30. 92 Documented with epileptic fits - has frequent
than they were, P has brightened up a little & is
less violent than she was - reads a little but is
otherwise unoccupied, roaming aimlessly about
the gallery - still taking nictures as above - am-
mon being occasionally substituted for the P. train:
Wet & occasionally dirty at night. Phys. health ^{R.C.D.}
April 20 - Fewer fits - weaker than she was - rather more
calm - R.C.D.

April 20. Fewer fits - weaker than she was. rather more coherent. R.C.D.

May 31- on the 29th was seen to be breathing quickly - very
stiporous - put to bed - a few large rills in front
at base behind - much mucus & no cough -
grew worse as day went on - only half incoercive -
mucus accumulating & there is no cough - a large
amth cleared out of mouth by means of a syringe

No 707
Adm. 26 Nov 90
Ad. 20 Nov 90
Ent. 27 Nov 90
Katherine Jane Scott 49. Single, gentle-
 woman. Presbyterian. Pres. abode Colney Wood
 asylum. 2nd attack, duration about 14 days.
 Supposed cause - Previous attack. 1st attack
 about age of 30, under care at Monrovia Asylum.
 about 12 or 13 years ago (precise date unknown.)
 Not epileptic, suicidal not dangerous.

1st Att.: She is the subject of Melancholia, is depressed &
 apathetic. Has delusions of persecution
 W. J. Howard 21st Nov 90.
2nd Att.: Very depressed. seldom speaks unless spoken to.
 Delusions of persecution. W. H. George 21st Nov 90.

Gen. Hist.: Nil.

Pers. Hist.: Has lived a rather solitary life & been difficult to get on with.
 20 yrs ago was greatly prostrated with brain fever & then eccentric
 eccentric. Has been living alone mostly but was housed last year.
 Wounded about 20 years ago.

Hist. of Pres.: It says she has always been considered peculiar
 since her first attack & has since been living with 54.
Attack: She was in a hotel in London & fell into the floor & struck
 her head on the wall & the proprietor handed her over to a constable who was
 taken to St Thomas & then sent to Colney Wood after 2 wks. came here.

Condition on
Admission

Physical: Pt is of more than average height.
 Hair dark turning grey. Blue eyes face rather thin
 & haggard looking but general con-
 dition appears good. The rt lobe
 of the thyroid is distinctly enlarged
 & probably this causes the pt to sit
 generally with her head turned to the
 No evidence of disease detected in
 heart, lungs or kidneys. Tongue
 steady, slightly furrowed & fissured.
 Appetite fair, sleeps well, dreams.
 P. constipated. There are some
 marks of old sores on the fingers of



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each hand said to have come after being vaccinated
 at St Pancras.

B. Mental: Pt appears to be depressed, will not doing
 nothing for a long time and without speaking.
 When addressed answers after an interval intelli-
 gely. Says that she has been lately taking rather
 a gloomy view on religious matters not so much
 for herself as for others, but now she begins to look
 at the brighter side & hope for the best. Says she has
 been doing "peculiar" things, e.g. she would walk between
 people walking together in the street as she felt bound
 to separate them, & once she fell down in the street, not
 in a fit or faint but because she felt "inclined to do so".

Dec. 3: Pt appears to be considerably brighter & will maintain
 an animated conversation. Has ideas of persecution,
 thinks a former maid has prejudiced people's minds
 against and accused her falsely. Still depressed.

Dec 15: She remains bright & cheerful & occupies her-
 self with needlework &c. - She does not
 appear to like society & rarely speaks to other
 ladies, appearing suspicious of them. - She
 smiles in a weak & timid manner when
 addressed & has on or two peculiar nervous
 movements of head & face. Health fair.

Dec 27: Unchanged. 66.

Jan 27 1891: The improvement has been maintained &
 progressive - She however still is suspicious
 & ill-humored. She says there is a certain Dr.
 Henssley, whom she has never seen, but has
 reason for believing he is in the habit of
 poisoning people for profit & she thinks he has
 been availing to poison her. Her former

this was an inference drawn from a conversation which she heard at a dinner, & which she believed had a hidden meaning applicable to her. Health good. *et.*

26 Feb. 1891. She continues to occupy herself with books & needlework & enters into a conversation when questioned but not otherwise - She remains suspicious & laughs at her former obsessions, though she will not deny them, & recognizes them as such - She appears to be reporter at times to be listening to subjective voices, but no evidence could be obtained from conversations: She fences with most of the direct questions - She was today visited by her sister, who found her well enough to go home - She accordingly went on leave today - *Chadwell.*

July 15: 91. Patient was readmitted today. It appears that her friends during her absence on trial had exercised insufficient supervision as a result of which she had been allowed to live alone and finally found her way into the Paddington Infirmary Harrow Rd., whence she was brought here. She is in a state of excitement, restless - Changing her seat many times in the course of a few minutes conversation, she also knelt down several times & bowed her head to the carpet. Pulse 145. Thyroid enlargement well marked.

4 Oct. 91. She is now quieter and employs herself usefully - Mentally she is weak, frequently laughs to herself & probably hears subjective voices - She is suspicious & evasive in conversation.

and shows considerable hostility towards her relatives. *At. H.*

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20 Oct. 1891

Jan. 10.

Dear Dr. Phillips

I hope you will not allow the representations of a man of the name of Douglas to influence you. He took in hand, years ago, to set people on a misleading footing in regard to me, & to discredit the evidence that while appearing to lead an idle life, I was a diligent student.

Feb. 7.

Feb. 13.

May 3: 92.

He was I understand a clever mind & a good deal of being satisfied with the Mrs. Gamp stage of dressing. opposed to ladies learning skilled nursing, thinking they might go on and become as generally opposed I believe to this idea.

He indulged in a grudge I suppose

that a foreign servant who many years ago has prejudiced people against her and says that if she could find her address she would write to tell her that she was never likely to receive any more help from her.

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26 Feb. 1891 She continues to occupy herself with books & needlework & enters into conversation

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July 15. 91.

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against my father for not employing him as medical attendant

He could not accuse a little of 'reluctant' attitude against my character, which pursuing my studies away from the best of her. I was as conspicuously correct in conducting myself morally as when there.

I have met with him but seldom personally, he has not attended me medically.

Being partially colour blind he did not get on, little other close.

No medical man professionally considered to left a finger against me, as a writer, existing to promote the dignity and usefulness of medical profession.

I have not seen him for fourteen years.

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Yours very truly,

Katherine Anne Dundas Scott

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May 3. 92.

Memoranda

I consider my first business is to raise a fund of two millions to enable doctors and nurses to go into other ways of business, many of course remaining, but my business before that even is to ask every one to thank the Divine Providence for this and other mercies.

MS. 5158 (p. 134)

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Dr. Allen's Health. Oct. 13. 1891

Dear Dr. Calverton

I feel that it is not fair to you and I do not wonder that you feel that my own nervous condition ought to have some consideration. So I wish to say, I am willing to accept of your advice. But I do not require your religiously to promise not at any time to give to another, however, a respectable position in that relationship.

I am yours very truly

K. J. D. Scott

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B. Henderson the Physician

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St. Con's Hospital
Dec 23rd 1891

Dear Dr. Calderott

I wish I could get you from under the influence of the Board six months in the North, trying to establish a system, which founded on Gallager, is not, I think, a sound conference. There are many superior - Condensed of the system even in Scotland, who, if they could see their way clear to making their establishments have available for persons, out of the way - long to, without compensation, would gladly be delivered from the world of illogical declaration of a few old men who decline to part from the old ways, and on the whole, the the of Superintendents of the system do not had understand how to treat persons with cases of the brain, and nervous system, or a rational basis, so as to make the practice, and affection, and a back

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I am able to reach the door.

The man who wishes to treat the case in a reasonable way should be aware of being overlooked by London, who have secured a very correct acquaintance with medical facts; but none of these could be taught.

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Yours very truly

W. G. Thompson

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Jan. 10. *177* *Edwards* Poorah House, West St. Brixton, C.B. 16. 1992. *13. Henderson* the Physic.

14. App. Dear Sir

15. Slip I am getting over my cold (from all over)

17. I. no where I have taken up my abode.

19. I. 98 alone, that is with a family (from all over)

Feb. 7. The who have known me for years (from all over)

Feb. 13. reg is a particularly healthy person (from all over)

May 3. 92. We retired down our the Coast, in (from all over)

in which I have lived for years (from all over)

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the occasion of my going to (from all over)

St. Louis Health, was my drift (from all over)

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now in my opinion (from all over)

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She remains suspicious & laughs former obsessions, though she is doing them, & recognizes them as such. She appears to be reporting at times, as if listening to subjective voices, evidence could be obtained from relations: She fences with most direct questions - She was told by her sister, who found her to go home - She accordingly will leave today. Chadwell

July 15: 91.

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- being my fierce last July, when passing through London, on my way to join relatives.

The cabman set me, and my baggage on the street, and a Polishman, looking up, told me the best thing he thought I could do, was to go with him to the police station, where I, and my brother, could be sheltered, I was quite sober, till I could communicate with my relatives.

My sister, hearing what had happened, she was much upset, and wrote, requesting the Superintendent at St. Anne's Hospital to receive me. I wonder - stand, a certificate of confinement, not given.

I went, and understood what I should wish after some months had elapsed to live again in ordinary - are evidence of insanity.

I have literary tastes, and also a talent for mechanical inventions; I find been beset with an apparatus for lessening the back.

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Dear Dr. Goodenough

I have no wish to be hard on you. I believe you were misled by my Mother, that is by those acting for her.

I believe you are capable of showing as the person can tolerate some misdeeds, and of being to promote eagerly by every reasonable method the recovery of persons suffering from diseases of the brain and nervous system; I believe also your wife is capable of regarding that as one of the best of employments keeping a child to bring right and clearing men of so-called evil, and complex an organ.

I wish you could resist to cast down the absurdity of the being - I am willing that any papers bearing on the absurdities back.

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July 15: 91.

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which I have seen, and blaming those who had anything to do with them, should be worn up - in lunacy, and be chairman at a conference to consider the advisability of throwing upon Asylums, under the name of Sanitariums for the benefit of the public, to resort to for rest, amusement, and the medical treatment of chronic complaints on a broad basis, which would reject all acknowledged system, such as hydro-pathy - and massage; This would be compatible with the treatment of insane persons apart from the rest.

It is consideration in this damp and changeable climate is - large buildings kept at a disagreeable temperature, where persons with bronchial and kindred affections might winter, or resort to in spells of severe weather from the dreariness and

discomforts of relatively small thin-walled houses; there is little doubt persons might erect such attacks of illness more successfully, & thus, than by wintering abroad, unless able to command costly suites of apartments.

The Sanitarium might thus be resorted to, as much in winter as in summer.

I am, Yours very truly,
M. C. W. Jones, Esq.

Virginia Station

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May 3. 92.

Dear Miss Henderson

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of being dismissed for (I think she would be the best)

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Sept. 17. 91. I

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Jan. 22. Patient has developed influenza with the physical signs of Pericarditis on the L. side T. 101.5° P. 116.

14. Apparently much better. T. 98.2° P. 102. R. 16.

15. Slight relapse. T. 101.6° M. 102.5°. Prolonged expiration all over L. side, nose bled slightly today. (No great Phys. signs)

17. T. normal pt feels better, but looks rather feeble.

19. T. 98.2° patient does not complain.

20. Pt is now convalescent but weak. T. 98.2° M. 102.5°.

Feb. 7. There has been no relapse & patient appears to have regained her mental health. *J.B. Henderson*

Feb. 13. Went today to Horse Villa. *J.B. Henderson*

May 3. 92. On Apr. 15th patient made her escape from Horse Villa in the early morning, she is supposed to have left the house when the doors were open for the purpose of shaking the mats. It appears that she went to Worthing from which place she wrote the attached letter to Dr. Edwards. Attendants were sent & she was brought back here without difficulty on the 19th.

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Mary Stowers. 67. Married. No occupation.

Ch. of England. Pres. abode. The Grange, Pangbourne.

This is not the first attack, age at first attack

unknown. Previously treated at St Ann's Heath.

Duration of existing attack one week & 3 days. Cause unknown. This not suicidal, epileptic not dangerous.

1st Certificate

Is continually talking in an incoherent & irrational manner, occasionally abusive in language, shouts & sings & laughs without cause. Refuses food at times, scarcely sleeps all night. L. Paterson. Nov 26. 91.

2nd Cert.

Noisy, incoherent, using foul language &c &c. P. Pope. Nov 29. 91.

Fam. Hist.

No other insane.

Condition on admission. A Physical. This is a short stout woman with white hair, complexion yellow cheeks rather flabby, chin soft & pendulous. No Physical signs of disease detected but as patient is noisy all the time it is impossible to make a thorough exam. Pays no attention when asked to put out her tongue. Sleeps well little, Eats fairly well, Takes everything uncontrolled. Filling.

B. Mental Mania. P. is restless, noisy, talking incessantly in an incoherent irrational manner.

Making use of profane & objectionable words. Gesticulating with her hands, singing and keeping time to any music within earshot. J. B. H.

Dec 4th P. is occasionally quieter but for the most part continues as on admission, incoherent talking gesticulating &c. J. B. H.

15 Dec. She remains excited & noisy but in good bodily health.

27 Dec. Unchanged. C.

27 Jan 1891. She is now quiet & tractable - she sits silent & unoccupied the whole day, in a condition of semistupor, reaction to questions now & at times uncertain. She sleeps indifferently, at times badly, without the aid of sedatives, when she is apt to be noisy. She takes her food well & is in good bodily health. C.

27 Feb. Though much improved she is emotional, silent, & unoccupied - at times depressed breaking into tears - after answering a few questions rationally she becomes disconnected & incoherent. Bodily health good. C.

March 3 She went home on leave today, though her husband was strongly advised to the contrary.

5 March She returned from leave having become altogether unmanageable: no sleep, refusing food, web & dirty in her habits, & doing destruction & violent. C.

June 5th P. is now weak-minded, rarely speaks but when addressed replies in a vacant sort of way. Unoccupied. Health fair. Occasionally web & dirty. J. B. Henderson

15th 20th. Usually stationary, dull & apathetic. General health fair. She reacts pretty well to questions but does not occupy herself.

Oct. 7. Unchanged.

Jan. 6. 92. Mentally there is no permanent improvement. Sometimes she will speak rationally but as a rule she is silent & has a frightened suspicious manner. When excited she is more dirty than usual & suffers from diarrhoea. Health fair but at present she has diarrhoea & sickness.

May 26. Patient is weak-minded, unable to enter into rational conversation. Her manner is apparently confidential, she appears often about to make some interesting remark but it gets no further than some incoherent & disconnected muttering.

Health satisfactory. J. B. Henderson
Aug. 30. Patient continues weak-minded, unable to enter into conversation & dirty in her habits. Health fair. J. B. Henderson

Nov. 14. Dr. P. & Carl Woodhams, becoming steadily more & more demented, she is unable to understand what is said to her. She is very dirty & in her habits. All marks of physical signs of disease.

March 4. 93. Not improved, is suffering from diarrhoea which is difficult to control. Has to be in bed for days at a time. Ed. Don

June 20. 93. Slight improvement physically, she is able to be up in the day time; but is very thin & white. Mentally no change improvement, becomes more demented. Ed. Don

Oct. 30. Physically about the same has not had attack of diarrhoea lately. Talks to herself, is childish, weak-minded & unoccupied. Reaction to questions pretty good, though not always correct. Ed. Don

Jan. 26. 94. Is having diarrhoea again. No improvement in mental condition. Ed. Don

May 15. No change. Ed. Don

Oct. 4. Becomes more demented. Physically no improvement. The diarrhoea is controlled by strong astringent medicine. Ed. Don

June 12. 95. In a stationary condition. Health poor. Ed. Don
Dec. 13. 95. There is no change. Ed. Don

March 12. 96. Gradually becoming more & more demented - often does not understand the simplest questions or remarks, though occasionally she will answer. Language often foul & violent - Habits dirty - diarrhoea controlled by strong astringents. R. C. Despard

June 12. Demented with frequent outbreaks of violence - language usually coarse & foul - Habits dirty - Physically - is much less anæmic, diarrhoea less frequent & motions less offensive - taking salad with Triest ferri perchlor. R. C. Despard

Sept. 12. Demented - outbreaks of violence less frequent - of late - language foul & abusive but is now more often fairly pleasant in a disagreeable way - Wc & dirty - diarrhoea less frequent & much less offensive - is not now anæmic - R. C. D.

Dec. 29. Demented but has been less disagreeable & violent of late - now rarely dirty in the daytime & less often at night - continues taking salad & phosphate alternately with Triest ferri perchlor. R. C. D.

March 30. 97. Demented but is less violent & has slightly brightened up of late - now rarely dirty in the daytime, occasionally at night - salad & Triest ferri perchlor: continued R. C. D.

June 30. Is less quarrelsome & violent & continues to be somewhat bright - less often wet & dirty & general phys: health has much improved under the long iron course. R. C. D.

Sept. 1. 97. Was today transferred to Peckham House

Drick Sept. 1. 97

N^o 710Adm. ~~Nov~~ 30 Nov 90

Died. 30 Nov 90

C. in L. 1 Dec 90

Annie Selton Macduff. 40. Single, no occupation. Ch. of England. Kew abode Northolme, Wainlow, Bucks. Modified attack of Melancholia in Spring of 1888 at age 34. Nowhere under control before. Onset of present attack between 6 & 7 mo. supposed cause strain from attending a severe illness of father & mother. Pt is suicidal but not epileptic not dangerous to others.

1st Cert.

Delusions that her father & mother also killed him & images of him are about her in the air, &c. &c. Very depressed. Says God can never forgive her great sin. Breaks off any conversation with "But that is nothing for I am lost."

Has tried to set her dress alight in the fire. Determined to commit suicide. Refuses to open letters from friends. Refuses to occupy herself &c. Relief Creary, 23 Nov 90.

2nd Cert.

Depressed, Melancholic, Emotional ac. P. 1890 29 Nov 90.

Fam. Hist.

Nil.

Hist. of Pres. Attack. Pt had a modified attack of Melancholia 3 yrs ago after nursing her mother thro. a severe illness. Since then has murdered her father and the renewed strain has injured her. Had a fright caused by ringing of electric bell in her room at midnight last Jan. 7. Catamenia ceased since last June (partial cause). Has been with Dr. Creary for 2 mo.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical.

Pt is of medium height with a rather small narrow head. Face rather congested, tongue red, irritable. Expression distressed. Speaks in a slow rather frightened manner, voice somewhat high pitched.

Pupils react to light & accommodation. Slight wand ground of ocular muscles. Heart natural, pulse regular, rapid, compressible. Lungs. Some dulness at right base (Pig. 1024) Thine 1024. ac. small. Large fibroid tumor of uterus, probably more than one. Appetite good, sleeps badly, B. confined.

B. Mental. Melancholic, suicidal. Pt says she is very unhappy, is tired of life, says she has done great wrong & has no hope of forgiveness. Says she has murdered her father, when told he is still alive says she thinks he may be the Christ but is not sure & that he has a supernatural life. Objects to go to chapel as it is too good for one like her.

Dr.
God. Present.
2nd. Calm.
3rd. Unrest.
God. Present.

J. B. H.

Dec 6th Dulness of lung (at base) has cleared up. Pt is rather restless at night. General health improved. Mental condition the same. Objects to speak of her father as if she were unworthy to mention him. Refuses to read letters from him.

Dec 18 She remains in the same depressed, confined, agitated state. Requires sleeping draughts on alternate nights (Paraldehyde). Takes her food fairly well & remains unoccupied during the day - Health good.

Dec. 30th During the last few days she has been much excited, very restless & agitated. She is constantly crying, wringing her hands & moaning uncomplainingly "Give me back the old life!" When her father's name is mentioned she says "I have none now! he is dead for ever to me, & I have killed him." It has been necessary to transfer her to N. 5 gallery. She takes her food on compulsion only & constantly requires Paraldehyde at night.

Annie Sten MacDuff (continued).

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March 11. There is very marked improvement in her mental condition. She is quiet, & less agitated & irritable - She is however confused, much depressed at times & still occasionally gets agitated when talking of her father. This morning she asked me to send her round some poison might in order that she might end her life as she said she had committed murder & must die - Bodily condition very good. Gladstone.

June 15. 1891. Patient has been at Homeville since Aug. 24th. & returned yesterday because she took to screaming very loudly. She appears to be much benefited by her visit, is fairly cheerful, has written to & received letters from her father. Health good. Sleepless at times. (J. D. Henderson) P.I. has a slight enlargement of the thyroid so that she always keeps her collar unfastened. Cephalic horns not well marked. Cuts at times rapid (Trauer's dis.)

Sept. 27. 91. She has lately been examined by Dr. Galabin at the request of her father. He is of opinion that the abdominal tumours referred to under Physical state at time of admission are large fibroids (subperitoneal) growing from both sides of the uterus, and for the present he advises that the progress of the tumours be carefully watched, the question of operation depending on the rate of growth - Mentally she is fairly

and her delusions appear to be

4.4.546.

has shown some mental improvement occupies herself with work & plays chess as usual with the other ladies. can visit by her father and after a little on she recognised him & talked with him but when he had to go there was rather a scene & she has been a little depressed

at Mrs. MacDuff - Blacket Bay
Ang. 91 - Inferno

Dear Sir

Would you do me one favour, though not a days favour, granted, as not much in my line -

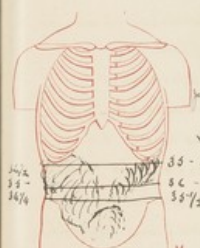
Do you mind commencing me alone in, I have never been used in the case of my own father, or of a son the best London Physician to have other people present to listen & look and I strongly object

A.S.M.



Dec. 17.

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L 101-2. P. 104.
at all.

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18. a has been

22. Seems rather

There is bronch. & aching in the non-affected

22. Patient keeps better but has been sick at night

several times, her appetite is very good & it is

difficult to satisfy her

Feb. 18. There are now no signs of disease at the affected

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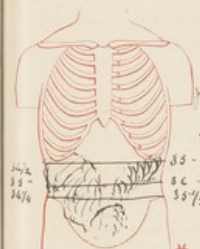
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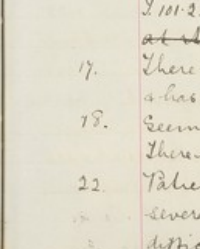
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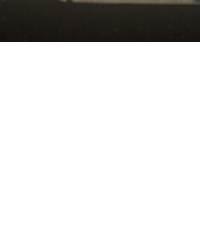
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Let Miss Bilder, doing so - It is quite unusual - so you must be well aware - I have undergone many dreams. but never under such conditions -

you truly or falsely for Diabolus

A.S. MacDuff

with M.S. 5158 (p. 142)

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Father - Father. I write because I want you to know something of what has awful, makes him want why I was obliged to go to hell and leave my mother behind.

I tell Mr. W. the most dreadful lies of what my feelings were and that I had feelings of being a degraded girl which I had not and after these lies I at the same time sought that he should tell you I was para-

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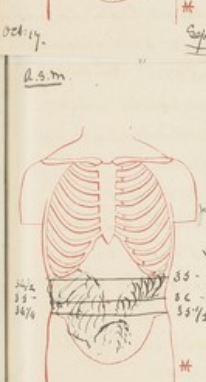
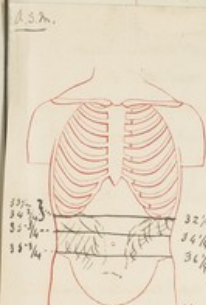
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more than ever in my life. I have been away from home - that last long for his own of love with such faithful longings as I have had in my life before, not able to take his loss and to give him the brightness as he said that he had shed on his part.



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L 101-2. P 104. 6
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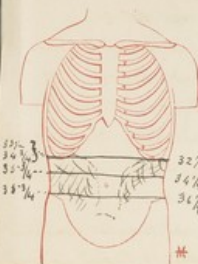
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Patient has been at Homeville since April & returned yesterday because she took a screaming very loudly. She appears to be benefited by her visit, is fairly cheery & has written & received letters from home. Health good. Sleepless at times.

Sept. 27. 91

She has a slight enlargement of the thyroid & she always keeps her collar unfastened. Goitre well marked. Pulse at times rapid. (Graves' disease). She has lately been examined by Dr. Gal at the request of her father. He is of the opinion that the abdominal tumours referred to in the physical state at time of admission are fibroids (subperitoneal) growing from both of the uteri, and for the present he assumes that the progress of the tumours be carefully watched, the question of operation depending on the rate of growth - Mentally she is fairly

D.S.M.



MacDuff
about Dec. 90

Dr. Ann's Health
Virginia Water
Ipswich
Surrey.

Darling Annie

In spite of all this agony, shame, loss, sin, would you come and see me here. I am in utter agony, agony, and have been for months. I know I can have no change but hell, whenever I am the every day, I struggle with the thought, but oh! it would be help to let some one dear, how it all happened and how I loved him most when I killed him. Would you come? Oh!

and her delusions appear to be less & less. She has shown some mental improvement occupies herself with work & plays chess or whist with the other ladies. She is visited by her father and after a little she recognised him & talked with him. But when he had to go there was rather a scene & she has been a little depressed & not more than usual. Health good.

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the hell this is after the Heaven of home and love! Oh! the anguish of having had the Satan's damnable power to end that life that was love, it - self. If you knew how I loved him - loved him then you would pity in place of hating me as you must. Annie Annie Annie you never knew what it was to go to hell with love in your heart as deep as ever and yet to have murdered the one dearest to your heart and as I now know my little Baby as well. Yours, broken hearted Annie.

Several times, her appetite is very good & it is difficult to satisfy her. Feb. 1891 There are now no signs of disease at the affected point. Cont. on p. 153

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screaming very loudly. She appears
benefitted by her visit, is fairly
has written to & received letters
Health good. Sleepless at times.
P. has a slight enlargement of the thyroid
always keeps her collar unfastened. Periphthalmic
well marked. Pulse at times rapid (P. 100-110).

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on the rate of growth. Mentally she is fairly

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fading -

Nov. 18. 91 Patient has shown some mental improvement
lately, she occupies herself with work & plays
draughts, chess as well with the other ladies.
She has been visited by her father and after a little
hesitation she recognised him & talked with him
reasonably but when he had to go there was rather
a painful scene & she has been a little depressed
since but not more than usual. Health good.
Patient has had a slight attack of pleurisy but has
now recovered. The abdominal measurements were chest 34

Jan. 18. 92 Patient seems to be improving slowly. Although
she will not write to her father she receives his letters
& was apparently pleased with a letter parcel although she
would not admit that it came from home. She long
to go home but says she is bound to remain here for
all eternity because people think she is wicked. She some-
times refers to the tumor as if she thought it might
have been a baby but had been injured & destroyed. She is
timid & takes no interest in her personal appearance.
Health good. Sleeps very badly. J.B. Henderson.

Jan. 18. 92 Patient is ill with influenza. The eyes are red & painful
there is pain in the back & side, cough & drowsiness
T 101.2, P 104, R 24. slight delirium with dream-like
at times.

17. There is less photophobia & patient is more cheerful
& has been reading in bed.

18. Seems rather better but Temp rose last night to 100
There is bronchial breathing & slight friction sound at base.

22. Patient keeps better but has been sick at night
several times, her appetite is very good & it is
difficult to satisfy her.

Feb. 18. 92 There are now no signs of disease at the affected
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No 413. Agnes Alice Simmons. 22. Single, no
Adm. Dec. 9. 1890 Occupation. Protestant. Pres. Abode. 48 Pembroke St.
M.H. Dec. 8. 1890 Kensington. 1st attack, duration 3 weeks. Cause
C.M.H. Dec. 10th 1890. unknown. She is not epileptic, suicidal nor
dangerous.

1st Cert. Taciturn, morose, untidy, reticent of speech
but declares some one is outside the house
watching her day & night. Says there is a conspiracy
against her; ran away from home: sudden &
violent hatred of her mother as J.H.P. Wilson Dec. 8. 90

2nd Cert. Desponding, reticent, says her father has paid
men to watch her door. M.C. Clark Dec. 7. 90.

Fam. Hist. Nil.

Condition on Admission A Physical. Patient is of
average height, smooth dark hair with grunge
dark eyes, very anaemic. Tongue slightly furred

steady. Pupils equal
Appetite fair, sleeps pretty
well, no physical signs
of disease. Urine acid 1025:
No albumen but a distinct
reaction to the Fehling test
for sugar. The quantity passed
is apparently not more than
the average and patient does
not present any symptoms
of diabetes.



Spring 91

13. Melancholia. Patient appears very much disinclined
to answer questions but does so after an interval. Says
she has been ill and thinks she must have been
"out of her mind": Sits all day doing nothing & silent.
Slightly emotional J. B. H.

Dec 15th Urine examined again gave no sign of the presence
of sugar. P's continues mentally the same as on
admission J. B. H.

22nd P's has been noisy & excited, crying aloud & rubbing
her hair, saying she did not mean to injure any one.
& ejaculating repeatedly "Oh Lord save all sinners": etc.
Anaemia, tongue foul, breath very offensive. J. B. H.

1891 Jan 1st P's continues in a state of active melancholia, groaning
& crying aloud. Treated by prolonged warm bath
of 4 hours duration. Tongue foul. J. B. H.

Feb. 1 She remains in the same state of active
melancholia, though for the last few days
she has been less agitated - her tongue
is now clean & her breath no longer foul
which may be due to the following pro-
scription which she has been taking for
the last 2 weeks:

℞. Crocin m. v.
lig. Potassa m.ij
aq. d. 3j

In bodily health, though weak & anæmic, she is
able to attend to her household duties.

March 1st Patient is now in a state of stupor, she is
silent, unoccupied, stands about in a
depressed attitude. Refuses food & requires
to be fed by the nurses. Occasionally, excitedly.
Health fair, anaemia continues. J. B. H.

June 1st As patient continued as above described
the effect of massage was tried. It commenced
with 15 minutes twice daily & was gradually

increased till it was done for 3 hours in the day. It was stopped on May 12th. Patient objected to the treatment & resisted very feebly, so that it was necessary to hold her while it was being done. The general condition improved somewhat under the treatment. From May 2. Feb is reported "wet" almost every night before that only on occasional occasions. Begun taking "Syr. Pure Cod Liver Oil" on May 5th, & is still doing so. Is very troublesome with her food. J. W. Henderson. There is some improvement to be noted. Patient has done a little needlework & house-work, but her movements are very slow, and as a rule she is silent & unoccupied. Still refuses food & requires to be fed by the nurses. Will not answer questions. Has not been reported wet since May 29th. but continued the above prescription till June 12th. Health fair. J. W. Henderson. She now takes her food more readily - though regularly to be constantly looked after - She is still in a state of semi-stupor - refusing to answer questions and unable to accept any work - but when in the evening comes with walk slowly by herself -



Oct. 91

June 4. 92. Patient is now in Brighton but there is not much improvement mentally, she remains silent but will answer questions & do a very little house-work but she is wet & dirty especially

at No. 2 1871
copy letter Miss Simmons reads

My dear Mother
When are you coming to take me home, I do not understand what this place is supposed to be & what I ought to do, if you would come & take me home I would try to be sensible if it were possible not worry you.
Your loving daughter
Lottie

Nov. 20. 92. March 4. 93. May 10. June 20. July 9. July 25. Oct. 20.

Is less active & less bright than before, she can be made to speak or do some plain needlework with difficulty. She has been very troublesome about taking food lately, has on 2 occasions been reported as being wet & dirty. There is no improvement to be noted. very pale; is taking a tonic.

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OK. 91

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May 5. Patient
Aug. 30. Patient
Sept. 27. Patient

Oct. 9.

Nov. 20. 92

March 4. 93

May 1. 93

June 20.

July 9.

July 25.

Oct. 30

St. Ann's Heath, Virginia Water.

CAUTION AS TO SUICIDE.

Miss Simmons has a strong suicidal tendency, and has attempted to kill self by _____ and has threatened to do so by _____ must on no account be left alone until this order is withdrawn by one of the Medical Officers.

Signed *Charles L. ...* Medical Officer.

To the Charge Attendant, Gallery.

Who will be held responsible for the due carrying out of the following Orders.

- 1.—That this Parchment accompanies the Patient if moved to another Gallery.
- 2.—That it be read by every Attendant on duty in the Gallery.
- 3.—That it be shown to every fresh Attendant who comes on duty (even if only temporarily) in the Gallery.

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Oct. 91

- Jan. 6. 92. Patient is now in Brighton but there is not much improvement mentally, she remains silent but will answer questions & do a very little house-work but she is wet & dirty especially at night. Health fair. J. B. Henderson.
- Feb. 10. 92. Patient has gone on leave to the care of her friends and the suicidal ticket has been withdrawn.
- May 5. Patient is still on leave.
- Aug. 30. Still on leave. J. B. Henderson.
- Sep. 27. Returned from leave; was in a very excited state when fetched, saying that it was her house, that she ought not to be taken away from it, refusing to recognize her father's mother & saying that they were very wicked - Refused food. J. B. Henderson.
- Oct. 9. Somewhat quieter, but still refuses food. Is very silent & depressed looking, only answers questions after a long interval & then only in monosyllables. Occupies herself - J. B. Henderson.
- Nov. 20. 92. P. P. P. alert. Well as mind, generally silent & unoccupied. Still refuses food, depressed & depressed - at times very in her habits, refuses food, is depressed & depressed. But somewhat anxious & suffers from dyspepsia.
- March 4. 93. No change, condition same as in last note. Occasionally laughs without apparent cause. J. B. Henderson.
- May 19. Has gone to White House with a mild attack of scarlet fever. J. B. Henderson.
- June 20. Remains at White House as desquamations is not yet completed. J. B. Henderson.
- July 9. Returned to No 6 - Mentally no improvement. J. B. Henderson.
- July 25. Is less active, less bright than before, she can be made to speak or do some plain needlework with difficulty. She has been very troublesome about taking food lately, has on 2 occasions been reported as being wet & dirty. J. B. Henderson.
- Oct. 30. There is no improvement to be noted. Every day, is taking a tonic.

No 713

Adm. 10 Dec. 90
 Uly. Ord. 8. 10 Dec. 90
 Rec. M.D. 12 Dec. 90
 C. in L. 11 Dec. 90

Elizabeth Hamilton Sandring. 66. Married
 No occupation. Ch. of England. Prev. abode 152 Minster
 London. Has had many similar attacks. 1st attack
 puerperal mania Oct 52. Never previously under control
 Duration of attack about a month. Supposed cause
 Hereditary tendency. Not epileptic nor suicidal but
 at times fugacious.

1st Cert.

She kept constantly moaning in an incoherent
 manner & would not converse. Seemed to be in
 great fear but I did touch the bed. Seemed
 greatly depressed. At times excited at others
 depressed. G. F. Plandford. Dec. 9. 90

2nd Cert.

Reverich irritable, declines conversation & is
 depressed. Thinks she is going to be injured. P. B. 11 Dec. 90
 arm & back affected

Fam. Hist.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a fairly
 tall old lady. white hair, grey eyes, areolar circles
 well marked, pupils equal, react to light & to
 Chalks hollow. capillaries
 very markedly injected.
 Teeth all gone, expression
 rather startled and inhibited
 but at times has a very
 pleasant smile. Patient
 appeared very feeble, was much
 emaciated & covered with bruises
 on admission. The heart is dilated
 so that dulness extends to right of
 the sternum & signs of aortic regu-
 lation are present. Lungs natural.

No other signs of disease. Urine normal.
 B. Mental. Severe Melancholia with suspicion
 Patient appears very depressed but at times is very
 irritable and violent, opposing everything that is
 done for her, refusing food because she thinks people
 want to poison. Thinks people are wearing her
 ornaments & is inclined to snatch at them, strikes
 any one who annoys her. At the same time is
 very humble & apologises for asking questions. J. B. 11.

Dec. 17

Patient is now kept in bed all day as she is so
 feeble, voice sometimes scarcely audible but when
 pt is excited it sometimes takes three nurses to
 control her. Sometimes she takes her food well at
 others refuses it on suspicion of poisoning. J. B. 21

Dec. 24

Pt gets up in the afternoons, still fractious &
 petulant at times but on the whole quieter. J. B. 24

" 31st

Pt is altogether much quieter and more contented,
 occupies herself with knitting & reading, complains
 of being disturbed at night. J. B. 24

1891

Jan. 6th

Improvement continues in bodily & mental condition. J. B. 24

Jan. 7th

Pt has now been moved into a small bedroom where
 she is less disturbed at night. Mentally improved. J. B. 24

Feb. 7th

Since last Sat. she has had two or three
 fainting fits probably due to her heart -
 for the last few days she has been taking
 increased prescription: $\frac{1}{2}$ Nitrogly. 24j. 70
 with great advantage - $\frac{1}{2}$ Aconit. 100
 mentally she is very much improved & exhibits a charming
 disposition during conversation, quite contrary
 to her state on admission - She remains
 however rather weak minded - H.

Elizth. Hamilton Standing (ca. 1891)

1891. Feb 26th She was this evening taken with sudden difficulty of breathing - on being called she appeared to be suffering from asthma - there ^{was} ~~was~~ (and tomorrow morning) all over the sides of the chest, with some moist sounds (probably due to Oedema). Her pulse was extremely weak, & she was cold & appeared to be dying.

Nitro of Amyl was applied to the nostrils.
 "J. Sweet Digitali mxv.

Wurt Lobelia 3/

W. Allen, helped to xxx Ag^{Bj} Station
another draught was xxx in half
an hour - She was packed with warm
bottles, took a small cup of new port
Brandy & at 11 p.m. appeared comfortable
+ was sleeping -

Feb 22 During the day yesterday she appeared comfortable though weak - consultation with Dr. Latis was advised, but in the evening about 8 pm. She was seized with another similar attack, the same measures were adopted, but at 12 pm. She was not rising. The day finally at 5.20 am.

8 & 9 VICT. c. 100.—SCHED. (G. 2).

NOTICE OF DEATH.

I hereby give you Notice, That *Elizabeth Hamilton Staudring*
 a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the *10*
 day of *December* 18 *90*, died therein on the *21*
 day of *February* 18 *91*, and I ~~submit~~ Certify that *Nurse*
Mary Bottham was present at the Death of
 the said *Elizabeth Hamilton Staudring* and that
 the apparent Cause of Death ~~was the~~ *was*

[as ascertained by post mortem examination (if so)] was *Heart Disease*

Signed, Charles Caedwell 1713
for the Medical Superintendent.

Dated this 23 day of Feb
 Thousand Eight Hundred and ninety one

To the Commissioners in Lunacy.

No 718
 Adm. 12 Dec. 90 Ch. of England. Pres. abode 37 Woodstock Road, Bedford Sq.
 Det. d. 12 Dec. 90 3rd attack (probably) Agone 1st attack about 25.
 C. in L. 13 Dec. 90 never previously under care. Supposed cause, grief on death of mother. Not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.
 1st Cert: Has delusions of identity & of hearing, imagines she hears her brother's voice in the corridors. M. J. 11 Dec. 90
 2nd Cert: Muddy in dress & apathetic in appearance. M. J. 11 Dec. 90
 Muddy in manner & muddy in appearance. Tells that she is not sure whether her mother died last month or the month before, etc. P. Page 11 Dec. 90
 Fam. Hist. Nil.

Condition on Admission. A Physical. Patient is a rather short thin lady, dark hair & eyes, complexion pale. Expression rather anxious and worried. Tongue slightly furred. Appetite pretty good. Sleep disturbed a little. Bowels constipated. No physical signs of disease. Urine normal. Patient anxious.

B Mental. On admission patient appeared rather bewildered in manner, thought she was at school, appeared to recognise those whom she had never met before.

27 Dec. Said she heard her brother's voice in the corridor and saw him. Rather depressed. S. P. 21.
 She has settled down fairly comfortably - she remains depressed & silent, rarely engaging in a conversation with other ladies. She occupies herself during the day with needle-work, at times sleeps badly at night & requires Sulphonal - appetite not good. She is anxious & is taking the following prescription:
 Ferri st. Quin. Cit. Brk.
 Ss. Ammon. Co. M. X.
 Ss. Chloroform. M. X.
 ag 3j. t. 8j.

5 Jan 1891. She continues to improve physically & mentally. She is less anxious & appears to have lost entirely the hallucinations of hearing & delusions of identity from which she suffered on admission. She goes out daily & occasionally skates - she occupies herself usefully & is now endeavouring to obtain a situation as Governess by answering advertisements. H.

20 Jan. 91. The improvement mentioned in the last note has been maintained & progressive & arrangements are now being made for her leaving on trial. Bodily condition good. H.

31. Jan 91. She went on leave today in charge of her brother in good bodily & mental health. H.

10 Feb. She was today discharged "Recovered". H.

Annie Seton Macduff. cont. p. 142.

part patient looks brighter and a little more cheerful. Patient still appears to retain the delusion concerning the nature of her abdominal tumor & this comes out each time it is measured. She denies that her father came to see her some time ago, - says it was an impostor, say, the letters she receives are forgeries, that a supply of their stamped paper is kept here & so and that she will never be allowed to go home.

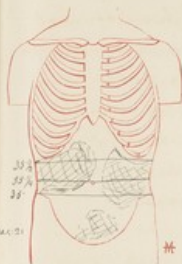
Feb. 2. Allowed to sit up for 3 hours

Feb. 7.

Quite convalescent. Appears to be improving a little and is going to order some new music but she says that she will never get home to play them to her own friends.

May 25:

Patient still refuses to admit the identity of her father, she does not write to him & he has stopped writing to her in the meantime but she does ask why she gets no letters. She occupies herself with music, chess, cards books & work and is at times comparatively cheerful but she persists in saying that this is a prison & that she would have never been put in such a "horrible hole" unless she had been guilty of dreadful crimes. She says beggars & blacks are better off. She denies the identity of places, says the Brighton she visited last year was not the real Brighton & the London she came through was an imitation London. She is at times childish & shows a great loss of control. She is untidy in dress & appearance. Health satisfactory. The tumor is causing no additional inconvenience. Physical exam. The measurements of the tumor



are all larger this time and the form appears to me. The lower border of the large tumor on the right is notched & on the left side it appears regular. The low central one is now separated into three rays that mid-urination is rather frequent than usual, about every two hours, during the night.

enlargement of the thyroid has disappeared. sounds harsh. Heart natural, regular, steady. a lichenoid eruption slightly pigmented on the abdomen. Periods fairly regular sometimes aided by pain. Bowels act naturally. Appetite is very bad.

J. B. Henderson

Patient wrote to her father asking him to come & see her which he did, and made arrangements that she should go away on trial. She has since spoken quite freely of him as her real father, has been to London to make some necessary purchases.

Today just before leaving she said that she was not quite sure about her father's identity, she says this is not the same world it used to be but an uglier world & the people in it all look ugly & that it is all done specially to annoy her. She also retains her delusion about the original nature of her abdominal tumor. She says all this but at the same time the idea is suggested that it is partly said out of obstinacy.

She has today gone on leave to Eastings accompanied by Dr. Webster.

Sept 1922

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Annie Selous Macduff. cont. 91. p. 142.

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Feb. 7.

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June 4th

are all larger this time and the form appears to be altering. The lower border of the large tumor on the right side is distinctly notched & on the left side it appears more irregular. The low central one is now separated into two. Patient says that micturition is rather more frequent than usual, about every two hours, & twice during the night.

The enlargement of the thyroid has disappeared. Breath sounds harsh. Heart natural, regular, steady. There is a lichenoid eruption slightly pigmented on the skin of the abdomen. Periods fairly regular sometimes accompanied by pain. Bowels act naturally. Appetite good. Sleeps very badly.

June 30.
92.

Patient wrote to her father asking him to come & see her which he did, and made arrangements that she should go away on trial. She has since spoken spitefully of him as her real father has been to London to make some necessary purchases. Today just before leaving she said that she was not quite sure about her father's identity, she says this is not the same world it used to be but an uglier world & the people in it all look ugly & that it is all done specially to annoy her. She also retains her delusion about the original nature of her abdominal tumor. She says all this but at the same time the idea is suggested that it is partly said out of obstinacy.

She has today gone on leave to Hastings accompanied by Dr. Webster.

Sept. 92.

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No 419 Mary Bennison. 82. Widow, no occupation
Adm: 13 Dec. 90 Ch. of England. Prev abode 20 Adelaide St. Muddled
ad. d. 13 Dec. 90 Not in attack. Age on attack 80. Under care at
C. ind. Beckham Hs. Duration of present attack 1 yr 4 mos not
supported cause old age. Not suicidal, epileptic
not dangerous.

1st Cert: Says she is being robbed & that people are trying
to poison her. Refuses food. Screams at times
Tried to smash her window & escape from the
house. J. W. Crook. Dec. 12 90

2nd Cert: Excited, trying to escape from the house. Thinks
her daughter is concealed in the house etc. Ed. Carey.
Lam. Hist. 10 Dec. 90

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a
very feeble looking old lady, very much bent
with age, looks scarcely able to walk without
support. Hair gray, eyes dark grey no marked
arcus senilis. Pupils equal. Tongue clean
fairly ready. Appetite
pretty good sleep rather
disturbed. No physical signs
of disease, urine normal.



B. Mental. Senile dementia
with ideas of persecution.
Says she was brought here
because her daughter wished
to appropriate her property.
That her daughter tried to

poison her the first night she was here. She has
delusions of identity thinks her daughter is in
the house. Memory defective. J. W. H.

Dec 20th Patient thinks she is at home but that the
place is strangely altered. Cannot say how long she
has been here. Answers questions rather vaguely as if
she did not hear well but says she is not deaf. Thinks
her daughter is here. Less suspicious. General health
good but patient is very feeble. J. W. H.

Dec 27. Condition unchanged. P. is sometimes noisy
at night. J. W. H.

Jan. 5th P. continues in good health, mentally the same.
thinks she sees her daughter here & that her daughter
wishes to kill her for the sake of the property. J. W. H.

12. Condition unchanged. J. W. H.

24 In pretty good health. Is not sure that she is not
in her own house in Windsor. Still thinks her
daughter is here and treats her unkindly & wishes
to kill her for the property. Noisy at night. J. W. H.

13 March. She remains in the same rotten frame of mind -
is constantly mistaking nurses & other patients
for her daughter, whom she declares daily to
reporter bribe her & knock her about - when
asked for corroborative evidence she points to
superficial scars on her left wrist. She is
noisy at night constantly in & out of bed wandering
about the room. General condition good. J.

28 April. She remains in a state of advanced dementia
with the same delusions of identity & persecution -
She requires some force of hypos to keep her quiet
Memory for recent events very defective. She daily
asks the same question "Can't go to Windsor to-day"
Physical condition good though old & weak.

July 28th There is not much improvement. Patient is very trying at times calling out in a loud querulous voice that her daughter is going to kill her. Says at times she sees her daughter at night & hears her say "Well sometimes, not looking out of the window & turn round with a cunning expression saying "I see them, they are stealing the flowers from the garden" when no one is really visible. Patient is very feeble & complains of rheumatism at times.

4 Oct. 92. She has had two or three transient attacks of epileptiform character - attended with excitement and marked impairment of speech - these usually pass off in the course of 24 hours and she is now in her usual state, querulous, suspicious & worried by the idea that she is to be killed or robbed - She is frequently restless & restless at night. J.B. Henderson

Jan 4:92. Patient continues weak-minded & suspicious. Says that her daughter wishes to kill her in order to get her property. Thinks she sees her daughter here. Is very noisy & troublesome at night. Health fair for her age but she is feeble. J.B. Henderson

May 25:92 Patient seems to be getting feebler and less able to move about. Her mental condition remains about the same. She is suspicious & querulous & frequently noisy & troublesome. J.B. Henderson

Aug 30. There is not much alteration in mental or physical condition but patient has been less noisy at night lately. J.B. Henderson

Nov 20. 92. J.B. Henderson & Co. admitted, delirious, unable to understand what is said to her. Manicled incessantly. Speech incoherent, very feeble. Confined to bed & respects helpless. J.B. Henderson

March 4. 93. No change. In bed & helpless but appears to be quite happy. J.B. Henderson

June 27. Is getting much weaker, but is still very restless.

Copy

8 & 9 VICT. c. 100.—SCHED. (G. 2)

St. Ann's Heath, Virginia Water.

NOTICE OF DEATH.

I hereby give you Notice, That Mary Perkinson a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the day of December 1890, died therein on the day of July 1893, and I further Certify that Mrs. Mathew Gleave was present at the Death of the said Mary Perkinson and that the apparent Cause of Death of the said Mary Perkinson [as ascertained by post mortem examination (if any)] was senile decay

Signed, Wm D. Moore M.D. Medical Superintendent, Holloway Sanatorium.

Dated this 25th day of July One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety three

To the Commissioners in Lunacy.

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Nov 20, 92. J. M. Pratt & Co. removed, Patient unable to understand what is said to her - Parables usually incoherently. Paralyzed, moribund & very feeble. Confined to bed & perfectly helpless.

March 4, 93. No change. In bed & helpless but appears to be quite happy. J.B. Henderson

June 27. Is getting much weaker, but is still very restless & can only be kept in bed with difficulty. J.B. Henderson

July 21. Very much weaker, taking very little food, looks almost bloodless. J.B. Henderson

July 24. Gradually worse since last note. Died this morning at 11.45. J.B. Henderson

No 721

Adm. 17 Dec 90

Dis. d. 12 Dec 90

C. L.

Harriette Elizabeth Mills 45: no occupation
Ch. of England Pres. above 10 Chichester St. St. George's Sp.
Not known whether first attack. Duration of
existing attack one of four years. Supposed
cause mother's death & loss of income. Not epileptic
suicidal not dangerous.

1st Cert.

The delusion that from swallowing a small
quantity of a simple zinc lotion for the eye
she destroyed her face & her beauty & will be
brought to the authorities for so doing also
that she is burned up inside & all her bones are soft.

J. L. Paul M.D. 11 Dec 91

2nd Cert.

Corroborates above. Has recently bought
some rat poison under pretence of sending
for a present.

C. D. Sherard. 10 Dec 90

Lam. Head. Nil.

Condition on Admission.

A Physical. Patient is a fairly
tall woman with dark hair, &
eyes, rather haggard expression
skin of face has a slight tendency
to eczema but nothing particularly
noticeable. Eyes slightly prominent
no enlargement of thyroid. Patient
is not very well nourished but
there is nothing abnormal to
be detected in the condition of her
bones.



Melancholia with Hypochondriasis

B Mental. This is extremely agitated in manner
constantly moving her hands & feeling her fingers
sighing & saying "Oh, what shall I do? what shall I do?"
Thinks that she has ruined her appearance & utterly
spoiled her health by taking by mistake some zinc
lotion, says her skin is affected & her bones are
becoming soft, repeats again & again "But it doesn't
& I was good looking once!" Says the authorities have
sent men to watch her & she expects to be seized and
punished for her misdeeds. Thinks there is no hope for
her in this life or the next. Says there was some light
burning in her room all night.

J. B. St.

Dec 23rd

Patient is quieter than on admission but still com-
plains of her ill health & the softening of her bones, sits
by the fire doing nothing most of the time. General health
good.

J. B. St.

31st

Remains as above, sometimes found standing in a
dark corner

J. B. St.

Jan 10. 91

Unchanged

St.

Feb 10.

She remains hypochondriacal & depressed -
she is constantly to be found standing in a
corner by herself wringing her hands, never
enters into conversation with any other patient,
refuses to occupy herself in any way &
when addressed on the subject of her ailments
states she is completely paralysed hand &
foot, that her bones have all turned
soft & that she is ruined in this world
& the next. Bodily condition good.

March 11

She remains hypochondriacal & depressed as in last
note with the delusion that the police are
after her for some crime she has committed.

General health good

St.

June 7.

Pt remains not much improved, she stands by herself in the grounds or in a dark corner wringing her hands & moaning. She asks "how long I am going to stay here?" Are the police coming to take me away?" Thinks that all her trouble is due to the drug she took some years ago. Patient is thin, & has some roughness of the skin of the face otherwise in good health. J.B. Henderson

Sept. 15.

She is down at Rose Villa - and seems to be getting on satisfactorily - so much so - that her friends have made arrangements for her to stay on there in perpetuity. J.B. Henderson

* Rept.

15 December 91. She is Hypochondriacal & depressed. She states that her bones are becoming soft. That she is paralyzed hand & foot. She refuses to occupy herself in any way. Fairly nourished & presents no physical signs of disease in Thoracic & abdominal organs. J.B. Henderson

Jan. 4. 92.

Patient is now at Brighton. she continues hypochondriacal & depressed but occupies herself a little. Health fair but the face is rougher & more blotchy than before. J.B. Henderson

Feb. 9. 92

Patient returned from Brighton about 2 days ago. she is still troubled about the lotion she took & asks if she is not going to be taken to the court for trial &c. Repeats that her bones are soft & she is powerless & stands about in dark corners as before. Health satisfactory. J.B. Henderson

Ap. 17. 92

Patient complained of pain in her leg. that a physical examination was made with the following result.

	Rt. leg	L. leg
below patella	11 in.	10 1/2
6 in. do do	11 3/8	10 3/4
8 in. above do	14 1/2	13 3/4

Knee-jerk-present right side, not obtained left side. The left calf is soft & flabby. The complaint of pain down the L thigh. The lumbar spines are somewhat prominent. No psoas abscess could be detected. There is some dulness over the colon. Patient is always to be seen in a very doubled-up position and she says she cannot straighten herself. She attributes all her trouble to the lotion she drank years ago. Patient continues to moan & lament her fate and to ask if there is any fear of being sent to prison. She is often very noisy & restless at night, sleeps badly. Appetite fair. J.B. Henderson

Dec. 26.

Owing to lapses of certification Pt had to be discharged to day & recertified - Vide Vol. vi. p. 221.

The patient told us that in both cases of psoas at the hip joint

No 723.

Anne Bishop Gardner, 44, Single.

Adm. Dec. 22, 90. no occupation. Pres. abode. Harpenden Hall.

Out. A. Dec. 24, 89. H. Albans. Protestant. Supposed cause

Cust. Dec. 23, 90. Hysteria in youth. Duration uncertain 1 year or more.
Age on 1st attack 20.1st Cert:

The talked rapidly & somewhat disconnectedly, repeating herself over & over again. Is full of hypochondriacal complaints as to her head being full of blood & bones growing out of her side & has the aspect & actions of a person suffering from mental weakness.

2nd Cert:

Carroborates above.

D. Hack Duke Dec. 25, 1899.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a rather tall thin lady, steel gray hair, rather milky, brown eyes with slight squint, expression rather fierce. Not well-nourished. Tongue clean, steady, appetite good, sleeps fairly well. Complains of a cold, pain at lower border of thorax and headaches. The heart action is irregular at times. Some moist sounds heard in the lungs. Pain at lower margin of thorax is referred to a slight bulging of the interchondral articulations.



(Hypochondriasis with melancholia)

B. Mental. Patient is very nervous in manner moving her fingers and hands continually while speaking. Talks rapidly & volubly especially on the subject of her ailments.

Dec. 29. Pt was invited to go home for Xmas but refused on account of the weather & her cold. Now says that she would like to see her relatives as she feels so very ill.

Jan. 29. Pt looks very much better, takes her food well & sleeps fairly well. Is always complaining of her health & various aches & pains & cries if she is at all just about ill.

Jan. 10. Pt has been making a great noise today "blubbing" & crying because she had to be fitted for a new dress.

General health good although still full of complaints. 10 Feb. She remains weak-minded, hypochondriacal, & depressed; If thwarted she is liable to burst into tears & scream at the top of her voice - During conversation after a short time she becomes rambling & disconnected - her letters are a collection of meaningless repetition of phrases - She complains of pain in her chest & her heart is at times irregular & intermittent, otherwise though poorly nourished she is in fair health.

20 March. There is no improvement to be reported. She daily complains of some bodily ailment which does not appear to have a physical foundation. She frequently requires 2 or 3 nurses to dress and undress & when upset bursts into a passion & sobbings and has to take a short sleep.

27 April. Much changed in both mental & bodily state.
31st July. There is some improvement, patient

occupies herself a little in the Gallery.
but she is still very syphochondracal, she
has had a small abscess on the thumb which
defigured the nail, she is now constantly
nursing her finger & complaining of the pain
which she suffers. Very emotional. Health
much improved. Pl visited her fr^y M^o June
fortnight in June.

4 oct.

She remains quarrelsome & hypocritical
constantly asking for a change
about complaints with regard to

Jan 5: 92

Patient is now at Brighton & has improved somewhat although still full of hypochondriacal complaints. Has been allowed to visit her mother day or two at a time.

Feb. 8.

P.B. returned from Brighton Jan 2 in good health - says she has enjoyed it & feels better. Her manner is nervous &

May 25:

Patient is now in R05: as she is
abusive, she is still very hyper
and is generally anxious to leave
Health satisfactory.

Aug. 30

Patient is at present at Brighton
on leave to her friends for a few days
to be sent for as she did not get on
she is still very hypochondriacal. Appetite
poor. Health fair. (She reported by the sister that
she has albuminuria. Specimen sent to Dr. W. W. R. result
unknown.) J. B. Henderson

Nov. 30.

Pl. has been at Mrs. Pragnall's for some weeks, but
so disagreeable & difficult to manage there, that she had to
come back to main building. She is now with Mrs. Jones
at Westbury.

E. A. Dove

March 4, 93.

Went on leave to her sister at Salisbury for a short time
at a time, but is now back at Christchurch. She is by all
disagreeable & troublesome; is very dirty in her habits,
will not wash or do her hair unless compelled to do
so; always full of complaints. E. d. Dove.

E. D. Bowe

June 20.

At Chartres in same condition.

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1878 5158 (p. 160)
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 full of love & devotion

June 12. 92.

Staring at one of the cottages outside the gates. Mentally
there is no change. She is very thin & is taking Cod Liver Oil
& Quinine. 9.2 Down

2. d. Some
P. D.

Dec. 13.

Has been much better until the last week or two when she has been upset at the thought of going home. She continues to be hypochondriacal but is much more agreeable on the whole. Calamagrostis. A.D.

Feb: 20. 96

Has been rather better & less hypochondriacal until last week when

continued on p. 24

occupies herself a little in the Gallery. but she is still very hypochondriacal, she has had a small abscess on the thumb which disfigured the nail, she is now constantly nursing her finger & complaining of the pain which she suffers. Very emotional. Health much improved. Pl visited her friends for a fortnight in June.

4 Oct. She remains quarrelsome & hypochondriacal constantly asking for a change about complaints with regard to her

Jan 5: 92. Patient is now at Brighton & has improved somewhat although still full of hypochondriacal complaints. She has been allowed to visit her relatives for a day or two at a time.

Feb. 8. Pl returned from Brighton Jan 31 in good health says she has enjoyed the visit better. Her manner is nervous & abusive.

May 25. Patient is now in No. 5 as she is & abusive. She is still very hypochondriacal and is generally anxious to leave. Health satisfactory.

Aug. 30. Patient is at present at Brighton on leave to her friends for a few days to be sent for as she did not get on. She is still very hypochondriacal & poor. Health fair. (She reported by the sister that she has albuminuria. Specimen sent to Dr. Kerr result unknown.) J.B. Henderson.

Nov. 30. Pl has been at Mrs. Paragull's for some weeks, but is so disagreeable & difficult to manage that she had to come back to main building. She is now with Mrs. Smith at Chertsey. J.A. Dove

March 4. 93. Went on leave to her sister at Epsom for a short time & returned, but is now back at Chertsey. She is hypochondriacal, disagreeable & troublesome; is very dirty in her habits, will not wash or do her hair unless compelled to do so; always full of complaints. J.A. Dove.

June 20. At Chertsey in same condition. J.A. Dove

March 4. 93. Went on leave to her sister at Epsom for a short time & returned, but is now back at Chertsey. She is hypochondriacal, disagreeable & troublesome; is very dirty in her habits, will not wash or do her hair unless compelled to do so; always full of complaints. J.A. Dove.

Dec. 13.

Feb. 20. 96

There is no change. She is very thin & is taking Cod Liver Oil & Maltine. Has been much better until the last week or two when she has been upset at the thought of going home. She continues to be hypochondriacal but is much more agreeable on the whole. Calamagrostis. J.A. Dove

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4 Oct.

She remains querulous & hypochondriacal constantly asking for a change about complaints with regard to her

Jan 5:92.

Patient is now at Brighton & has improved somewhat although still full of hypochondriacal complaints. Has been allowed to visit her relatives at home at a time.

Feb. 5.

Pt returned from Brighton Jan 30 but in good health says she has enjoyed it. Her manner is nervous.

May 25.

Patient is now in No. 5 as she is abusive. She is still very hypochondriacal and is generally anxious to be in hospital. Health satisfactory.

Aug. 30.

Patient is at present at Brighton on leave to her friends for a few days to be sent for as she did not get on. She is still very hypochondriacal. Health fair (as reported by the nurse). She has albuminuria. Specimen sent to Dr. Mery result unknown.)

Nov. 30.

Pt has been at Mrs. Pragnell's for some weeks, but very disagreeable & difficult to manage, that she had to come back to main building. She is now with Mrs. Smith at Chertsey.

J.B. Henderson.

J.A. Dove

March 4, 93.

Went on leave to her sister at Epsom for a short time at Epsom, but is now back at Chertsey. She is hypochondriacal, disagreeable & troublesome; is very dirty in her habits, will not wash or do her hair unless compelled to do so; always full of complaints.

J.A. Dove.

June 20.

At Chertsey in same condition.

J.A. Dove.

July 25.

Has been on leave since July 11 & returned to main building.

She is still in the same condition. She was but

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Dec. 13.

Malaise. Has been much better until the last week or two when she has been upset at the thought of going home. She continues to be hypochondriacal but is much more agreeable on the whole. Catamenia coming.

Feb. 20. 96

Has been rather better & less hypochondriacal until last week when

continued -

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much improved. Pt. visited her friends for a
fortnight in June. J. M. W. S.

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Aug. 30. Patient is at present at Brighton on leave to her friends for a few days to be sent for as she did not get on. She is still very hypochondriacal & poor. Health fair. (As reported by the sick she has albuminuria. Specimen sent to Dr. Kerr unknown.) J. B. Kerr

Nov. 30. Pl. has been at Mrs. Pragnall's for some weeks, but as so disagreeable & difficult to manage there, that she had to come back to main building. She is now with Mrs. Burr & Cherry.

March 4, 93.

Went on leave to her sister at Ex. for a short time
at times, but is now back at Chertsey. She is hypochond-
disagreeable & troublesome; is very dirty in her habits
will not wash or do her hair unless compelled to do
so; always full of complaints. Ed. Dou.

J. A. Dove

June 20.

At Chertsey in same condition.

E. A. Brown

July 25.

Has been on leave since July 11 & returned to main

E. A. Brown

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 with MS 5558 (p. 166)

Dec. 13.

There is no change. The very same. 2nd Don
 Has been much better until the last week or two when
 she has been upset at the thought of going home, she
 continues to be hypochondriacal but is much more
 agreeable on the whole. Calamena Cassi. 2nd Don

Feb: 20. 96

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continued - 11/1/94

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4 Oct. She remains querulous & hypochondriacal constantly asking for a change - full of absurd complaints with regard to her health - Jan 5:92. Patient is now at Brighton A.B.H.

& has improved somewhat although she is still full of hypochondriacal complaints, she has been allowed to visit her relatives for a day or two at a time. J.B. Henderson

Feb. 5. Pt. returned from Brighton Jan. 31st. She looks in good health says she has enjoyed the visit & feels better. Her manner is nervous & agitated. J.B. Henderson

May 25. Patient is now in No. 8 as she was noisy & abusive. She is still very hypochondriacal and is generally anxious to have some medicine. Health satisfactory.

Aug. 30. Patient is at present at Brighton, she went on leave to her friends for a few days but had to be sent for as she did not get on well. She is still very hypochondriacal. Appetite poor. Health fair (she reported by the sister that she has albuminuria. Specimen sent to Dr. Werry result unknown.) J.B. Henderson

Nov. 30. Pt. has been at Mrs. Pragnell's for some weeks, but very disagreeable & difficult to manage, that she had to come back to main building. She is now with Mrs. Smith at Chertsey. J.A. Dove

March 4. 93. Went on leave to her sister at Epsom for a short time & was, but is now back at Chertsey. She is hypochondriacal, disagreeable & troublesome; is very dirty in her habits, will not wash or do her hair unless compelled to do so; always full of complaints. J.A. Dove

June 20. At Chertsey in same condition. J.A. Dove

July 25. Has been on leave since July 11 & returned to main building today. She is thinner than she was, but seems inclined to be more agreeable. J.A. Dove

Oct. 30. Has been back at Chertsey several weeks. She is much the same always grumbling about something, especially about her lower ribs, which are rather prominent & which she says are very painful. She is dirty, untidy, & disagreeable. J.A. Dove

Jan. 26. 94. No improvement. J.A. Dove

May 15. Disagreeable, worrying, dirty & untidy. Always complaining, is never satisfied. Hypochondriacal. J.A. Dove
Sept. 20. Last week was refusing food, would not leave her bed room, was full of complaints, always grumbling; she talks in a monotonous, dismal tone of voice, rambles, becomes disconnected in conversation. Very hypochondriacal, always asking for medicine but does not always take what is sent to her. Physically she is fairly well but thinner than formerly. Has had slight menorrhagia for some time, but this is now much better. J.A. Dove

Nov. 14. Is now at Home Villa. J.A. Dove

June 12. 95. Living at one of the cottages outside the gates. Mentally there is no change. She is very thin & is taking Cod Liver Oil & Maline. J.A. Dove

Dec. 13. Has been much better until the last week or two when she has been upset at the thought of going home. She continues to be hypochondriacal but is much more agreeable on the whole. Catamenia coming. J.A. Dove

Feb. 20. 96 Has been rather better & less hypochondriacal until last week when continued - J.A. Dove

No. 724 Juliette Deane. 45. Married. No occupation.
Adm. Dec 23 90. Protestant. Prev. abode 27 1/2 James's Square, Pall.
Ad. d. Dec 22 90. 1st attack of about 3 mo's duration, age ad
C. m. d. Dec 20 90 Commencement. 45. Supposed cause. Characteristic
epileptic, suicidal, was dangerous to others.

1st Cert. Great mental depression & melancholy, she
believes that God will destroy both body & soul &
that she will be sent into everlasting damnation.
Thinks men are coming to kill her in a horrible
manner & she is to be torn in pieces by dogs.

J. B. Cross. 21 Dec 90.

2nd Cert. Carbolate. above C. Coates. 22 Dec. 1890.
Fam. Dist. Nil.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is of good
height, ^{dark} hair turning grey, dark eyes, pupils
equal, react. Complexion yellow with some
injection of capillaries over
the malar bones. Expression
rather terrified, brows much
furrowed. Tongue clean, steady.
Appetite pretty good. Sleeps
fairly well. No physical signs
of disease detected in thoracic
or abdominal viscera.



Bipolar Melancholia Agitata. Patient is very much
excited, moves about continually, groaning & wringing
her hands, says she is going to be murdered in a most
horrible manner, that every thing seems wrong.
The first night she was so noisy & restless that
she was put in a dry pack but disengaged herself
very soon & it had to be reapplied, after that slept fairly
well. M.H.

30th. Patient is still much agitated, acknowledges that
she has as yet not been tortured but says that
tonight she is sure something will be done to her that
she will be put in a boiling bath & then out in the snow,
or given to all sorts of wild animals in the cellar.
Physically no signs of disease. M.H.

Jan. 5th. Continues as before, groaning, restless, asking to be
saved from the expected torture which she is sure is
to affect her. M.H.

Jan. 12th. Patient is the same as before, gets into the work-
room and does some sewing but is continually
groaning and asking to be kept from the coming pain.
Health good. J. B. Cross.

19th. Condition unchanged. J. B. Cross.

26. 24. She remains restless, agitated & excited - constantly
wringing her face, wringing her hands, groaning
at the supposed torture to which she
is about to be subjected. unable to occupy herself
in any way but tears & spurs her food. She is
yellow & unhealthy in complexion but in fair
bodily condition. M.H.

March 26. There is no change to report in mental or bodily
condition. M.H.

June 26. Patient has improved considerably, she

less actively melancholy & less destructive to her clothes but she still asks if it is true that she will not be put in the boiling hot bath or chopped up into very small pieces.

Health improved.

Aug. 10th She is now quiet & rational - and though concerned as to her chances of getting back to her family, she is largely responsive to the boiling bath or other torture - 2044.
Sept. 29th Her improvement has continued - her letters & conversation are quite sane - Today she was discharged recovered at the request of her husband. 2044.

Agnes Alice Simmons from page 146.

Jan. 26. 94 There has been some improvement during the last month or two, she is much brighter & more active, does needlework etc helps in house work; she still reacts very slowly to questions & is apathetic & difficult to rouse. 2045.

May 16. The improvement last noted has been maintained, she works & makes herself useful in the gallery, but is very apathetic; answers questions, but will not enter into conversation & is rather automatic. She looks very pale & sometimes pale faint, but there is nothing definite the matter. 2045.

Nov. 14. She is now at Hare Villa. 2045.

Dec. 10. Returned some weeks ago, says she enjoys being at Brighton. Is still automatic in action, speaks in monosyllables & in a very stupid way. 2045.
June 12. 95. Looks pale & often feels faint. She is overwhelmed or stuporous & is quite incapable of entering into conversation. 2045.
Dec. 13. Health not very satisfactory. No change mentally. 2045.
701 Does house work.

March 12. 96. Remains apathetic & listless - will not enter into conversation, & often refuses even to respond to questions. Does some housework in an automatic way - Bodily is anemic & occasionally has bilious attacks is taking an iron tonic - R.C.D.

June 12. Is slightly less stuporous & apathetic than she was - & occupies herself a little more. Bodily is less anemic & digestion is better. R.C.D.

Sept. 10. Apathetic & anergic - cerebration slow but on the whole she is somewhat brighter than she was. Physically improved - R.C.D.

Dec. 29. Occupies herself under protest. responds to questions, though slowly & unwillingly - Bodily health continues better - though she is still rather pale. R.C.D.

March 30. 97 Continues very anergic & automatic, occupies herself rather more than she did - Physically is improved -

June 30. Condition unchanged mentally - Physically much improved - anemic has yielded to a long course of iron & tonic & her digestion is now normal - Today went to Hare Villa. R.C.D.

Sept. 30. Returned from Hare Villa Aug. 4. continues as on last note - anergic & automatic, occupying herself to some extent under supervision. reaction to questions slow - rarely speaks of her own accord. Physically improvement is maintained R.C.D.

Dec 29. Anergic & in a state of semi stupor - cerebration very slow & she now very rarely occupies herself & rarely speaks. Keeps somewhat pale & anemic & is troublesome about food & is apt to have retention unless carefully watched - R.C.D.

March 21. 98 Condition as on last note. R.C.D.

June 7. Has somewhat improved of late - is less automatic & anergic - is now capable of doing some simple needlework at times.

No 730

Adm. Jan 9, 91
 8 Jan 91
 11 Jan 91
 15 Jan 91

Hannah Alice Jones. Single. 30. Farmer's
 daughter. Churchwoman. Pres. abode Treherren,
 Dingestown, Monmouth. 2nd attack, previously

11. Jan 91. Kept at Holloway Sanatorium, age on 1st attack 25

Duration of present attack 6 wks. Cause unknown
 Not epileptic nor suicidal but dangerous, has threatened
 to kill her mother

1st Cert.

Says her parents are not her parents but that her
 mother is an old nurse who kept a baby farm in Quers
 Says they starve her & keep her without sufficient warmth
 which is not the case, says she would like
 to see both her parents hanging on the same gallows

J. G. Nelson, Jan 91

2nd Cert.

Has delusions. Considers that her father is not her father
 & that her mother has not treated her properly. Delusion
 some tea & drink was the cause of her illness

Fam. Hist.

A rather insane

Condition on Admission A. Physical. Patient is a young lady, of
 medium height, fair hair, blue eyes, complexion
 clear & fair, cheeks slightly flushed
 Pupils equal, react to light & accom-
 modation. Tongue clean, steady.
 Appetite pretty good, sleeps fairly
 well. Catamenia regular, no signs
 of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.
 Knee jerks present, slightly exaggerated.
 There is a small painless glandular
 swelling just above the L. mamma.



13. Mental. Delusions. Ideas of persecution. Patient
 answers questions rationally, but says she was
 made ill by means of some impure tea which caused
 her brain to feel in a whirl, she supposes the
 neighbours are opposed to the family, because the
 father is an atheist & the family are liberals & of
 German extraction therefore the tea was drugged.
 That her brother is a priest in disguise, but she has
 never seen him in his official dress, that he is a "bad"
 priest & enslaved her & influenced her. J. G. N.

Jan 16. P. continues to look well but complains of a
 slight cold, rather excited & flushed expression but
 conducts herself quietly, occupies herself in house
 work & needlework. Mental condition unchanged
 says she would like to kill Miss Ross by inches
 because she is so tall.

Jan 27. She is excellent bodily health. Mentally she
 is petulant, capricious, wilful & at times
 rude. She states she would like to kill
 her parents & openly announce of attempting
 to kill anyone who may happen to threaten
 her in any way - She adheres to the State-
 ment she was drugged, chloroformed &
 hypnotized - G.

8 Feb. 91. There is no change to be reported in
 mental or bodily condition. G.

10 March. She remains in good bodily health. She occupies her-
 self usefully in the gallery & bedrooms, but at times
 is petulant, wilful & abusive, refusing to do any-
 thing she is asked to do, recalling the names
 of the nurses. She mentions her father & mother
 & her brother, & thinks the Roman Catholics & her brother
 are some how the cause of all this trouble. G.

30th June Today she went home on leave - her general condition appearing very satisfactory. She is still rather suspicious & nervous in her manner, though she works well & willingly about the broom & pantries. M.H.H.
 9th July. Today she died, from the effects of mercurial poison which she swallowed in the form of sheep-dipping dip. Information of her death was not received till about 3 weeks had elapsed - and there appears to be some doubt as to whether the poison was taken by accident or design - as the patient never manifested any suicidal tendencies, whilst under observation here. Notice as to her death was only sent to the Com^{rs} in January. M.H.H.

June 20. Alice Cowell. From p. 178
 Dec. 30. No change to be reported.
 Jan. 26. 94 Very abusive at times & retains delusions of unseen agency & persecution. S.D. Don
 July 19. No improvement. S.D. Don
 Promoted "relieved" to West Malling.

Nov. 20. Anne Bishop Gardner (continued from opposite page)
 Returned from leave on 18th - no change in well-being. very excited & restless - states that she has paralysis. Her only foundation for this being the fact that she frequently drops things - her grasp is good & there is no other paralysis - reflexes, temp: sense, muscle: sense, sensation (touch & pain) all normal. pupils react well - no nystagmus - There is hypothermia - amniocentesis of both hands are perhaps a little wasted
 Went today to Hare Villa - R.C.D.
 Continued at Hare Villa (cont. on p. 182) R.C.D.

Anne Bishop Gardner (continued from p. 166)
 she had an attack of excitement (after a letter inviting her to go home) & was so disagreeable to the other patients at the Cottage, that she was taken up to the main building & is now in Gallery VI - Excitement is passing off but P^t remains very depressed & hypochondriacal. R.C.D. & Despard
 March 7. 96. P^t has gone to Hare Villa today. R.C.D. & Despard
 June 10. 96. P^t returned on May 16 to Red House - afterwards depressed & hypochondriacal. very emotionally unstable - becomes much excited at the slightest effort to control her. R.C.D.

Sept. 20. 96. Hypochondriacal & intensely selfish - excited at times when she "blushes" like a baby. R.C.D.

Dec. 16. Condition unchanged - Phys health good R.C.D.

March 10. 97 Hypochondriacal & extremely selfish - excited at times - talks for hours at a time - screams "blush" throws furniture about etc. Phys health fair but otherwise she refuses food, at other times voraciously R.C.D.
 May 23. Much excited for some days - during which she screamed fright & howled - throwing the furniture about etc. on 19th found to have some paresis of both arms & legs - none of face - stuporous - brought up to main building - in bed. it soon passed off without treatment - & on 21st reflexes normal, no paresis of mind back in old state - now as usual. R.C.D.

June 2. Now back in old state - of grumbling disagreeableness hypochondriacal & intensely selfish - at times excited but calms herself on being threatened with gallery R.C.D.
 Paresis quite passed off - R.C.D.

June 30. Today went to Hare Villa - R.C.D.

Aug. 25. Returned today from Hare Villa - R.C.D.

Oct. 6. Continues as before - disagreeable & very irritable, with marked want of self control & no power of decision even in the smallest matters - Phys health - Went on leave today (see opposite page)

Nov. 4

No 735.

Alice Cowell. 45. married. no occupation. Ch. Eng?

Adm. 31 Jan. 91

Order 30 Jan 91

Cust 1 Feb. 91

Pres. abode. 174 The Grove, Camberwell. This is her 2nd attack of 6 months duration, the supposed cause being previous attack & operation for Polypus - 1st and 2nd attack 42, for which she was treated in Brighton from Oct 87 to April 88. She is rather phlegmatic, suicidal, or dangerous.

1st Certificate

The patient complains that whenever she goes she is annoyed by trains whistling about her, by men crowding down the street like cock. H.M. R.M. Lloyd 30 Jan. 91. Concludes above. 7. 7. Oswald 30 Jan 91.

2nd Certificate

Family History.

Personal History.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. A well-nourished woman, of medium height, with ^{dark} light brown hair, grey eyes, dark puckled face. Pupils equal & react. Reflexes normal. Expression kind but anxious. Tongue clean, moist & sliding. Appetite good, bowel regular. She presents no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. no business on admission.



B. Mental Delusional mania with ideas of persecution - she has hallucinations of hearing, smell & taste. She complains

that whenever she goes she hears trains whistling by her, the tapping at night, men running about some eating cock crowing - that her food is made of skulls filthy & taste nasty by means of some drug, introduced into it by means of some league, mixed up with which are "poor" & the "temperance league" - during the narration of her story and today she complained to the Police, she gets very rambling & incoherent. ^{Wardcroft}

9 Feb.

She has settled down comfortably occupies herself during the day with needlework & books. She complains that people make the whistling noise outside her door at night & attribute it to men in connection with the Temperance League, who by some means have obtained entrance into their building, knowing she is here - General condition very good.

24 Feb.

She continues to occupy herself with needlework & books & appears happy - She no longer talks of the her hallucinations & ruffled annoyances on admission. Health good.

24 March.

She is once again in a very abusive frame of mind - causing the nurse, who is very severely by her actions & language. She complains they are all filthy beasts, all the ladies in her dormitory these days smell so dirty - she wanted to know some fresh ones away, as she said they were foul. Bodily condition good.

28th June.18th Sept.

There is no improvement in her condition. She has been in a very unsatisfactory state mentally for some time back - her conditions & delusions being unpleasantly vivid. She remains in N^o 25. Her general health is good. ^{Wardcroft}

- Oct. 7th There is not much improvement to be noted. Health fair but has had a cold lately. J.B. Henderson
- Jan. 5: 91. There is not much improvement mentally. Patient is at times quiet and apparently rational. At other times she is openly abusive and even violent. Her conversation is valuable rather incoherent & inclined to be obscene. She accuses people of maltreating her spiritually and says that her bowels are prevented from acting by the influence of others & that she feels what is done to others at a distance. Hears drums. Her general health is fair but she had a bad attack of menorrhagia which has rendered her anemic. Her bagman the uterus is felt to be markedly anteverted. ~~fixed~~ The os looking directly backwards. There is apparently slight enlargement but owing to the position the sound was not passed. J.B. Henderson
- Jan. 16 Patient complains of sore throat & severe headache, Temp 100. She evidently has influenza. Slight inflammation of the fauces.
17. Patient is very irritable, says that her illness is due to some trick played on her 3 nights ago so that she was made to feel like Miss Hammen. Says that she saw the attendants plotting against her & her sons. There is pain in the eyes & they are watery, also pain in back & top of head as if it had been hammered.
19. Temp. 96. Patient is rather better & has a little less pain.
- 20 Patient is considered convalescent but is still weak & does not look very well.
- Feb. 3. Patient has herpes on the lower lip which is swollen & pustular. There is a patch of ulceration inside the L. nostril which is very painful.

- the tongue is pale & covered with smooth white fur with one tender point at the tip. R. M. & A. C. New.
- Feb. 7. Herpes has almost disappeared & patient looks a little better but remains full of delusions. Says she can taste the food other people eat & that they feed into her stomach. J.B. Henderson
- May 20: Patient is always complaining about people making her ill & putting their bad health into her & spoiling her good looks etc. She is frequently very abusive and her language is indecent. She accuses people of "abusing her spiritually." Health fair. P. 100 now in No 5.
- Aug. 30th Patient is still in No 5. She retains her old delusions, and is restless & discontented, saying that people injure her in various ways and that she is getting worse instead of better. Health fair. J.B. Henderson
- Jan. 10. 93 H. P. & C. has delusions of persecution & hallucinations, thinks that the food taken by others affects her in some way. He is complaining & sometimes abusive. Well nourished, No P. 3.
- March. 4. Has been complaining of discharge & thinks she has another polypus in utero. Complains of pain in the umbilical region, which she says is caused by polypus. P. V. exam. T. uterus in good position, cervix hard & nodular. Sound passes easily in normal direction, but about 1/2 an inch beyond normal distance. Per speculum cervix looks ^{one sign of polypus} congested but there is no abrasion; a slight blood stained discharge came after the passage of the sound, but there is no evidence of a polypus without dilating the uterus. Mentally she is much the same, thinks several people have a magic influence over her, cause her to pass magic motions etc., has hallucinations of taste & smell. Talks rapidly, is full of complaints, is abusive & has delusions of persecution. She is now in No 6 again.

No 736

Adm. 31 Jan. 1891

M.D. 24 Nov. 1888

C. in L. 9 Feb. 1891

Fanny Elizabeth Blenkins

Lived in by W. G. G. G. G.

Family Hist.

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. a sparely, nervous, wizened woman with grey hair, green eyes.

Sallow complexion, haggard expression, physical signs of advanced age, no bruises, no marks.

B. Mental. weak with delusions -

She has some other

that F. Blenkins, through her

refuses to mention, probably

she has entered into some financial

marriage - Her letters are an

incoherent jumble on sub-

tural subjects, mixed up with names of

doctors & other persons she has known during



10 Feb.

She appears comfortable & happy, but does not occupy herself in any way, except in writing letters as mentioned above. She is thin & sparsely nourished but in fair health. At

24 Feb

There is no change to be reported. She remains weak-minded & deluded, though she is

Would you tell them
I might call at 2. I am stopped
so damp & full of going out - I have
to pass full
With love to the Thomas's
Fanny & Joseph
Yours & Family

4/2/91 Fanny & Joseph
with daughters Fanny

Do not the Thomas's feel their
father's death did he suffer

much & I. M. M. Thomas & Joseph
She would make inquiries about
the Thomas's dear Aunt of
the Thomas's Address & writing

St. Luke's Hospital
Virginia Waters
W. M. M. Thomas & Joseph
March 25th

Dear Aunt Josephine
Have you seen the father's old
papers & Joseph's old papers
I have thrown in General Bell the uncle
would say feel the coming of Christ
to find the world new.

The Thomas's are at Ephraim
heard how is the Aunt Thomas's
So delicate and Ephraim is a
being heard the Thomas's

History of the Thomas's
being consumed

Dr. Joseph & I did for a good time
The Thomas's Medical orders

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The Thomas's Medical orders

W. M. M. S. S. S. (p. 150)

10 Sept.

has been to Brighton for a change - mentally
she remains composed - weak-minded - full of
scriptural phrases & pious exhortations - her
physical condition remains stationary - no
improvement.

4 Feb. 91

Jan. 5. 92

Patient continues weak-minded, hypochondriacal. Is continually when arranged

No 736

Lanny Elizabeth Blenkins

Adm. 31 Jan. 1891

M.D. 24 Nov. 1892

C. inf. 9 Feb. 1893

Lunatic by *ex parte* Com.

Family Hist.

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. a sparely nourished wizened



woman with grey hair, green eyes, sallor complexion, haggard expression, physical signs of age, thoracic & abdominal no bruise, undrained

B. Mental - weak with delirium - she has some other

that of Blenkins, the refusal to mention, ^{perhaps that} she has entered into some distant marriage - her letters are an

incoherent jumble of spiritual subjects, mixed up with names of doctors & other persons she has known during her life.

H.

10 Feb.

She appears comfortable & happy, but does not occupy her time in any way except in writing letters as mentioned above. She is thin & sparsely nourished but in fair health. At

24 Feb

There is no change to be reported. She remains weak-minded & delirious, though the

For some letters with Madras in many

for some letters in many

Cacany They held at 24 Nov.

The ulceration inter-nally covered

by the Cancer Doctor Madras

sent me two Eucalyptus buttons

The Sponts of Pamphos 9 was

at St. James relief as Belles

Woolley had that same

Woolley suffered with

The 11th & 12th

Woolley's Hydrophobia at

any two others Malacca

used in electricity as you

know the Indian Climate

in all these affects

Constitution

Doctor Preses Phillips has

in Union with Doctor Bells

Prayer in Prison Patients at

The Sea - 10th with Island

Country air 5th with Hot

The ulceration better

Lord Bells looks as one Lord

Chancellor professor 11th with

treatment with Doctor Bells

our Mother of 12th with

left as 9th with 11th

Rock Side Madras 10th

more or less 11th with

prophesies 12th with

the 11th with 12th

10 Sept.

has been to Brighton for a change - Morally she remains improved - weakened - full of scriptural phrases & pious exhortations - her physical condition remains stationary - but no

7 Feb. 91

Improvement.

Jan. 5. 92

Patient continues weakened, hypochondriacal. Is continually when arranged

No 736

Adm. 31 Jan. 1891

M.H. 24 Nov. 1891

C.M. 9 Feb. 1891

Fanny Elizabeth Blenkins

Educated by Misses' School

Family Hist.

Previous History

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. a sparely nourished wizened looking woman with grey hair, green eyes, pale



yellow complexion, weak & harassed expression with no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs no bruises or disfigurements.

B. Mental. Weak-mindedness with delusions - She believes she has some other name beside that of Blenkins, though she refuses to mention it, ^{possibly} that she has entered into some spiritual marriage - Her letters are an

incoherent jumble of Scriptural subjects, mixed up with names of doctors & other persons she has known during her life.

10 Feb. She appears comfortable & happy, but does not occupy herself in any way except in writing letters as mentioned above. She is thin & sparely nourished but in fair health.

24 Feb. There is no change to be reported. She remains weak-minded & deluded, though she refuses to enter into the nature of her delusions - She is constantly quoting Scriptural subjects in both conversation & letters.

27 March. She continues to "moo" about the gallery or ark room in a depressed & childish manner. She writes frequent letters dated from some Prayers room & addressed to another Prayers room. She believes she is registered in Heaven under a different name from Blenkins, but refuses to mention it. She is in thin & sparely nourished & presents symptoms of emaciation & most sound at the apex of the lung.

69 Oct 1891

27 April. She remains weak-minded, hypochondriacal, depressed & deluded. She now thinks she is suffering from ulceration inside which has extended to the backbone from top to bottom & is now reaching to the ribs & breast bone - She is very thin & presents the symptoms of phthisis at both apices & lower part of the chest. Her opportunity of refusing food -

15 July. unchanged.

10 Sept. Has been to Brighton for a change - Mentally she remains emaciated - weak-minded - full of Scriptural phrases & pious exhortations - Her physical condition remains stationary - No improvement.

7 Oct. 91 Patient continues weak-minded, hypochondriacal. Is continually where arrived.

Jan 5. 92

will be made for her to go to Matlock as she says that is her father's will, thinks she is detained here against the will of God & that the medical officers are risking their souls in keeping her. Says that God tells her personally his will. Conversation full of scriptural phrases. Health fair but she is thin & delicate looking. J.B. Henderson

May 25:

There is no improvement, patient talks in a rambling incoherent way about the Divine guidance etc. she does not care to be addressed as Mrs Plunkin as she seems to think that she has some other spiritual name. Addressed a letter to "The Lake Mr.". Health fair, complains of internal ulcerations etc.

Aug. 31.

There is no obvious alteration. Health fair, always complaining as before. J.B. Henderson

Nov. 20.

No improvement

Jan. 27. 93.

Has been looking very ill for some weeks & thinner, is always complaining of internal ulcerations etc. & is as delirious & rambling as before. Chest examined, there is dullness at both apices, chiefly right, with increased vocal resonance & at the right apex, edifying pectoriloquy, & moist sounds. There is bronchial breathing at both apices, but most marked at right. There is a loud diastolic murmur heard over all over front of chest but best at pulmonary orifice. Takes food very badly. J.B. Henderson
Objected very strongly to examination saying it was interfering with Creation.

Feb. 7.

Discharged, relieved, to private care, to day.

Anne Bishop Gardiner (cont'd fr: p: 173)

May 1-98

Returned yesterday from Hare Villa, having lately been much excited & very cantankerous & irritable - quarrelling with the other ladies - has quieted down since admission here & is now as usual - querulous, hypochondriacal & fussy with a marked loss of emotional control. R.C.D.

June 6.

Has quieted down a good deal of late, is less excited - still very querulous & hypochondriacal - Phys health very fair in gallery. R.C.D.

June 13.

Complains of pain in back - on examination says every part touched is painful - urine. nil. (ad) H.L. Bullitt

Sept: 16-

Continues hypochondriacal, very irritable - continually quarrelling with the other ladies, to whom she is a great source of annoyance - Phys health fair - but some of the tingling pains in her hands of which (initialia) she complains seem the genuine & due to atrophy. R.C.D.

Oct: 7

went to Hare Villa today R.C.D.

Nov: 21

Seen yesterday at Hare Villa - condition quite unchanged. R.C.D.

Apr 15/99

Continues at Hare Villa. (C.V.)

June 5.

Still at Hare Villa R.C.D.

July 15.

Has today given leave from Hare Villa - R.C.D.

July 27

Returned today - is somewhat less irritable R.C.D.

Sept: 12

Hypochondriacal, weak-minded, querulous & sensitive Phys health fair - R.C.D.

Dec: 11-

Is even more querulous, emotional & hypochondriacal - continually quarrelling with the other ladies - Phys health fair - but some of the tingling in her fingers is probably due to atrophy. R.C.D.

Feb: 28. 1900

Remains at Hare Villa & complaining of the same as before. (cont'd)

No 787

Adm. 14 Feb 1891

R. M. L. 24 Sept 1890

C. M. L. 5 Feb 1891

Ludannah Mary Edwards, 5-6. Widow of Revd
Chaplain. Ch. of England. Lives at home Bishopstone House
Wexford. Not yet attacked. Age on attack about 25.
Duration of present attack 3 mos. Supposed cause
unknown. She is not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert:

She is in a state of religious melancholia, asserts
that she has ruined away her soul & is lost for ever - that
she has sacrificed the dearest thing going to hell. G. P. Caldwell
she says she has been more wicked than any one else
could have been & that God cannot forgive her. That she might
as well be in hell for she could not be more miserable.

Fam. Hist.

Pres. History.

Ancestral (maternal) means.

P. H. M. L. 20 Sept 91

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. A dark complexioned woman
of average height, with black hair turning
grey, grey eyes, rosy complexion
with capillary congestion
well marked on cheeks.



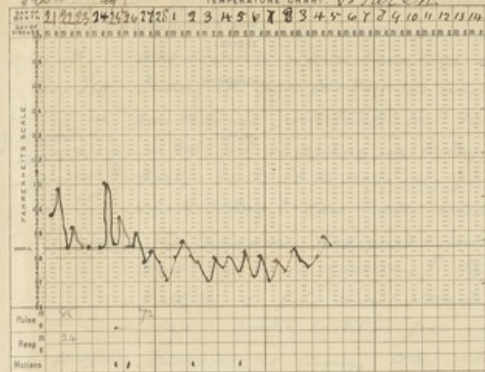
woolled & anxious expression
Tongue clean moist, & steady
She is well nourished, but has
been symptoms of distress at
the above period. - 20
Breasts.

B. Mental Melancholia -

She is depressed, restless &
agitated, constantly becoming
her fate in mind & body, & declares
that her soul is ruined for
ever - 1/2.

Feb. Mrs. Edwards

TEMPERATURE CHART March



but is still
she is still
way - Health fair
been suffering
has been left
She asks
me to go any
time? -
can, certainly
has some
at the left
it.

state. She sits silent & depressed the whole
day, at the same time she admits she is
worried about nothing except the fact that she is
to be transferred another room. This month
I found & note with this present a C. after 1/2
General condition unchanged, though
she certainly appears less depressed than at
admission. She occupies herself in needlework
& plays the piano - 1/2.

4 Oct.

Jan 5 92

May 25.

Remains about the same as at last note.
Patient continues depressed & melancholic although
although on the whole there is some improvement.
She is always afraid of change and only asks to
be left alone & just go on as usual. She employs
herself with work & games of "Patience" etc.
Her health is fair but she has just recovered
from an attack of diarrhoea & sickness.
Patient continues depressed and asks frequently
if she is going to be allowed to remain here as
she gets easily worried by the least change in
her surroundings and never wants to do

No 737

Adm. 14 Feb 1891

R. d. 24 Sept 1890

C. m. L. 5 Feb 1891

Susannah Mary Edwards. 5-6. Mid.

Chaplain. C.

Prestford. No

Duration of

unknown. 2

1st Cert:

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Sam. Whit.

Pres. History.

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but symptoms of distress at
the apex of each lung. - 20
breasts.B. Mental Melancholia -
she is depressed, restless &
agitated, constantly bewailing
her fate in loud tones, & declares
that her soul is ruined for
ever - 11.

TREATMENT		NAME	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	AGE	SEX	DISEASE	RESULT
		Mrs Edwards						

14 Feb.

She occupies herself with needlework but is still
agitated & nervous (the impression she is going
to be tortured, or will have to go away - Health fair)

24 Feb

During the last few days she has been suffering
from Catarrh with tench. 101. She has been kept
in bed, but is getting up to-day. She asks
daily "will it be necessary for me to go any
where to-day? Can I stay when I am?"

4 March

She remains depressed & restless, continues
to ask the same questions? She has some
bubbles & fine moist sounds at the left
apex: body condition fair.

10 April

There is no change other than in mental
state. She sits silent & depressed the whole
day, at the same time she admits she is
worried about nothing except the idea she is
to be transferred another room. Her mouth
moist & pale note still present a C. apex of
General condition unchanged, though much
the certainly appears less depressed than on
admission. She occupies herself in needlework
& plays the piano -

15 July

Remains about the same as at last note
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although on the whole there is some improvement.
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be left alone & just go on as usual. She employs
herself with work & games of "Patience" &c.
Her health is fair but she has not recovered
from an attack of diarrhoea & sickness.

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Her health is fair but she has not recovered
from an attack of diarrhoea & sickness.

- Aug 30. 92. Anything different. Health satisfactory. was visited by her son at Easter. J.B. Henderson
Patient is now at Brighton where she is still in the same nervous condition, afraid that something is going to happen, dreading the slightest change in her surroundings. Health satisfactory. She occupies herself with needlework & cards. J.B. Henderson
- Sept 7th 92. Sp. Rpt. 9 Oct. depressed & weak-minded in constant apprehension of something about to happen. Is in a fair state. J.B. Henderson
- Feb. 9th Very depressed and excited - constantly bemoaning her fate - weeps if questioned about herself - she states that she has second sight and that she frequently sees people at her bedside and that something always happens to them within a week afterwards - She works steadily and her general health is fairly good. W.D.W.
- June 20. Returned from Brighton last month & is now in No 2. No change in mental condition. J.D. Don
- Oct. 30. No change. Health fairly good. J.D. Don
- Jan. 26. 94. Depressed & dejected & apprehensive of something about to happen. Works, reads & plays games. J.D. Don
- May 15. She is somewhat depressed & despondent. Wraps herself up in shawls & cloaks & goes out on the hottest days. J.D. Don
- Nov. 14. Mentally, no change - At present has a bad cold. J.D. Don
- June 12. 95. She is mildly depressed without any sufficient cause & is weak-minded. She works, reads & plays games. J.D. Don
- Dec 13. No change. J.D. Don
- March 6. 96. Remains slightly depressed & hypochondriacal - though she occupies herself in needlework, reading, card games etc. Physical health - fair suffers from chronic dyspepsia. R.C. Shepard

April 11 - Was today transferred to Boarder's list - continues to improve, though is somewhat hypochondriacal & is easily depressed. R.C. Shepard

Discharged April 11 96

Apr. 99. Heard from - continues well & cheerful -

No 741

Fanny Lovegrove

Adm. 6 Feb 1891

Ord. d. 17 Dec 88

C. ind. 7 Feb. 91

Lunatic or Insane?

Fam. history

Previous history

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. A short wizened little woman with green eyes, brown hair turning grey - sallad muddy complexion, dull excitable expression -

Tongue clean, moist, steady -

appetite good, bowels regular -

She is fairly worried & hands

no physical signs of disease in

Thoracic or abdominal organs

no marks

B. Mental. Chronic mania. She

talks incessantly in a rapid,

excited manner, the subject of

her talk being meaningless rambling

quotations from Scriptures & of

her own power of bringing down

fire from heaven - that she is God &c &c. She illus-

trates her rambling with rehearsed & meaningless

gestures.

9 Feb.

She went to the Ladies Branch at Brighton at

the request of her committee & the Clerk to the Lord

Chancellor's Visitor was apprised of the fact.

18 March.

She returned from Hove Villa today -
She remains in the same excitable condition
Constantly chattering phrases from Scripture,
ascribing to persons & things scriptural titles,
illustrating the visitation of divine vengeance on
those who thwart her & prophesying on
evil doom on those responsible for her detention.

26 April

There is no change. She is still in mental
aberrant state. She continues to talk incessantly
in the same strain & occupies herself
during the day with needlework. She
is sufficiently quiet, when by herself. She
allowed parole. General condition good &c.

15 July

Unchanged.

4 Oct.

She is down at Brighton, and her general
condition remains the same.

Jan 8:92

She remains at Brighton, when seen recently,
she was in good health but her mental condition
remains unchanged. J.B. Henderson

May 20

She is still at Brighton.

Aug 30.

Patient is still at Brighton. She retains
her old ideas about her influence over others.
She goes out on parole & occupies herself
with works books, writes short poems,
and is generally bright & happy. J.B. Henderson

Oct. 24.

Feb. 9th

Still at Brighton - condition same both mentally & physically.
Remains at Brighton - very loquacious and
incoherent. She states that I am a heathen
and am to be offered as a sin offering - that
she herself is the lamb of God. That one of
the companions is a cow and another a jackass.
She occupies herself usefully but is very
restless and at times, excited - General health
improved 10 & 11.

- June 20. Returned from Brighton at beginning of the month. Retains delusions etc. Somatims very excited. J.L.Don
- Oct. 30. Has gone back to Brighton. Her mental condition is the same, she has many queer delusions & hallucinations. Health good. J.L.Don
- Jan 26. 94 At Home Villa. J.L.Don
- May 17. Still at Home Villa. J.L.Don
- Nov. 14. Was at St Ann's Heath for some months in the summer, & has now gone back to Home Villa. Her condition is quite stationary. She retains all her delusions & hallucinations. J.L.Don
- June 12. 95. Returned from Home Villa on the 8th. She is much the same as before. She has a very vivid imagination & sees visions & hears voices & makes the most remarkable stories with scriptural foundations. Health satisfactory. J.L.Don
- Dec. 13. Returned to H.V. some weeks ago. At times becomes very excited & talkative. J.L.Don
- March 22. 96 Still at Home Villa. R.C. Seapord
- July 12. Returned on June 13. continues to see visions & hear voices - can enter into a simple conversation but tells most wonderful stories - Physically has improved. J.L.Don
- Oct. 10. Returned on Sept. 30 - has continued to have marked delusions of auditory & visual hallucinations almost always with a scriptural foundation. J.L.Don
- Dec 29. Continues at Home Villa - was seen by reporter a few weeks ago - condition unchanged. R.C.D.
- March 30. 97 Continues at Home Villa - reported as unchanged. R.C.D.
- June 30. Returned this afternoon from Home Villa - delusions are very marked & are of the same semi-religious

- character - she told reporter that she was God Almighty, that her father was the Prophet Samuel, that she had met him in Brighton & he had treated her very badly (her father has been dead some years) - that all sorts of wares are to come upon the earth if any money is done to her - (eg if she is not given a cup of tea instantly, she expects the earth to be overwhelmed with fire) - she states that all the animals, the trees & plants talk to her & tells the most wonderful tales she says they have told her - in the course of about 10 minutes she told reporter that she was God, the Lamb, Britannia & Isaac - easily becomes excited & tells all this with much gesticulation - Phys health fair but there is some weakening of the whole of the right side, some ptosis of right eye, some paresis of lower part of face, & slightly of right arm & leg with some rigidity. R.C.D.
- Sept. 30. Condition quite unchanged - demented with numerous delusions - & frequent short attacks of excitement. Phys health fair. R.C.D.
- Nov. 4. Went to Home Villa today. R.C.D.
- Dec 29. Continues at Home Villa. R.C.D.
- March 21. 98 Continues at Home Villa. R.C.D.
- June 6. " " " " R.C.D.
- Aug. 16. Was seen yesterday at Home Villa - continues as before with numerous delusions & hallucinations, all tinged with a Scriptural. Told reporter that she was the Lamb of God & consequently Lambeth Palace belonged to her - Physically she seems in fair health - ptosis of R. eye is less marked than it was. R.C.D.
- Nov. 19. Returned today - quite unchanged. R.C.D.
- Dec. 13. Somewhat excited & very full of her delusions. Phys health improved. R.C.D.

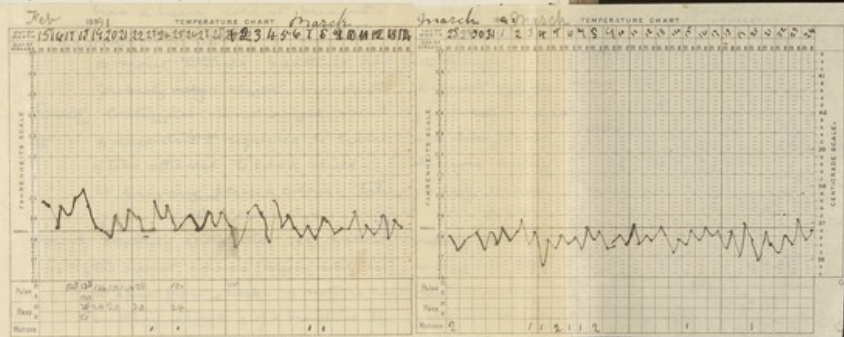
27 April. Still suffering from amenorrhea for which she is taking P.T. hormone. - massaged twice daily for 1/2 hour each time - she now takes her food (solid) fairly, at times having 8 or 10 lbs. by fed - on occasions she gets screaming & cries for more - she was dressed yesterday for the 1st time after much fighting & struggling on her part - at times she is quite catatonic at other she trembles like a leaf when addressed she rarely answers or speaks - bowels constipated & obstinate - general condition much improved.

2 July. The marriage was continued till May 14th. The general condition improved somewhat. Patient is now in a condition of stupor, apparently taking little interest in her surroundings, she will shake hands slowly but voluntarily, occasionally answers a question & g. will say "quite well, thank you" in a high pitched, peevish tone. Is emotional, will burst into tears for no obvious reason. Refuses food & requires to be fed by the nurse. Is occasionally violently resistant to the nurse. Her general health appears pretty good. Amenorrhea continues. Patient is very brown with the sun on hands & face. J. B. Henderson

15 Aug. Today she was discharged. Released at the request of her husband.

Mary Ann Lilly (cont'd from p. 118)

May 7. Looks white & thin - almost cachectic, yet has best feeding late though she eats well.



any cough, no sputum, canes observed - chest painful with quiescent & faint rales.

July 7. Sputum now obtained & was stained for tubercle bacilli today - a few being found - there are now strands over both sides of chest - R apex as before R.C.D.

Aug 14. Last night had a sudden attack of acute dyspnea, with marked cyanosis - relieved by Trisolobolus - this morning there are fine rales over the whole of both lungs - with moist sounds the right apex. In bed with "pneumonia jacket" in N.S. R.C.D.

Aug 19. Dyspnea much improved & cyanosis has almost passed off - rales are now infrequent but there are still many loud evening rales. So now up & dressed - R.C.D.

Sept 10. Dyspnea & cyanosis much improved - a few strands still over whole of chest with flattened note. weak but with heaving part of moist sounds at R apex - tubercle bacilli in sputum - mentally depressed, unresponsive more or less incoherent - takes food well R.C.D.

cont'd

27 April. Still suffering from amenorrhoea for which she is taking P.D. pessaries - massaged twice daily for 1/2 hour each time - she now takes her food (solid) fairly, at times having 8 or 10 lbs.

Stomach empty 27/4

TREATMENT		NAME <i>M^{rs} Cornack</i>	
		ADDRESS	
		OCCUPATION	
		AGE	
		SEX	
		DISEASE	
		RESULT	

27 July.

...nearly, occasionally answers a question e.g. will say "quite well, thank you" in a high pitched, peevish tone. Is emotional, will burst into tears for no obvious reason. Refuses food & requires to be fed by the nurses. Is occasionally violently resistive to the nurses. Her general health appears pretty good. Amenorrhoea continues. Patient is very brown with the sun on hands & face. J. H. Hendelton

15 Aug. Today she was discharged & released at the request of her husband.

Mary Ann Lilly (cont^d fr: p:118)

- May 7. Looks white & thin - almost cachectic, has lost flesh & late through she eats well. has a heavy cold at present - on careful exam yesterday no P.S. disease could be detected but moist sounds scattered over both lungs, probably only slight bronchitis - as note is good R.C.D.
- June 5. Continues unchanged mentally - weak-minded & eccentric - requires to have much done for her & to be attended to like a child - is stronger bodily is gaining flesh & colour - taking a lay course of iron with advantage R.C.D.
- June 28. Breathing a little quicker (23) & chest carefully examined 7/28 the moist sounds above noted are now confined to the R. apex front & back - & note is here flattened while breathing is weak & of a bronchial type - she has scarcely any cough, no sputum can be obtained - chest painted with guaiac & tinct. iodine R.C.D.
- July 7. Sputum now obtained & was stained for tubercle bacilli today - a few being found - there are now rhonchi over both sides of chest - R. apex as before R.C.D.
- Aug: 14. Last night had a sudden attack of acute dyspnoea, with marked cyanosis - relieved by tinct. lobeline - this morning there are fine crackles & rhonchi over the whole of both lungs - with moist & over the right apex. In bed with "pneumonia jacket" - in N.S. R.C.D.
- Aug: 19. Dyspnoea much improved & cyanosis has almost passed off - crackles are now infrequent but there are still many loud evening rhonchi - So now up & dressed - R.C.D.
- Sept: 10. Dyspnoea & cyanosis much improved - a few rhonchi still over whole of chest with flattened note. weak but with better parts of moist sounds at R. apex - tubercle bacilli in sputum - Mentally depressed, unresponsive, more or less incoherent - takes food well R.C.D.

(cont.)

No 744

Eleanor Arnitt Barrough. 57. Single
Adm. 10 Feb. 1891. no occupation, Ch. of England. Pres. above. 344 London
rd. d. 6 Jan. 1891 N.W. 1st acute attack. of about 7 weeks duration
C. in L. 18 Feb. 1891. treated for about a month by St. Paul, Chamberwell House & E.

Cause unknown. No epileptic nor dangerous but
possibly suicidal.

1st Cert.

She would not answer any questions but kept on
ringing & slapping her head & knees & pulling her hair &
groaning & crying. Has threatened to commit suicide.

2nd Cert.

She hid her face then struck the nurse without cause
she said she was the worst person in the world & that she
heard the voice of God directing her & had visions of angels
good & bad & had recently seen a serpent. G. H. Savage 2 Jan 91

Lanc. Hist.

Review the Guy

Gibber insane

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. A tall thin woman with clean cut
features. grey hair. grey eyes. rough skin
ruddy complexion, with
Expression. Tongue clean
moist, & steady. appetite
good. bowels regular. Sleeps.
But no physical signs of
disease in stomach or ab-
dominal organs. She is
fairly nervous & has
no bruise on admission.
B. Mental. Mania. She
is noisy, untidy, & dirty -
shouting out disconnected &
frequently obscene phrases. H.

20 Feb. She remains in same condition as on admission

8 & 9 VICT. c. 100.—SCHED. (G. 2)

St. Ann's Heath, Virginia Water.

NOTICE OF DEATH.

We hereby give you Notice, That Eleanor Arnitt Barrough
a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the 10th
day of February 1891, died therein on the 24th
day of January 1892, and I further Certify that nurse
Kathleen Cleave was present at the Death of
the said Eleanor Arnitt Barrough and that
the apparent Cause of Death of the said Eleanor Arnitt
Barrough

(as ascertained by post mortem examination (if any) was

Influenza with Pneumonia

Signed, A. H. Little M.B.
for the Medical Superintendent,
Holloway Sanatorium.

Dated this 23rd day of January One
Thousand Eight Hundred and - ninety two.

To the Commissioners in Lunacy.

with MS. 5158 (p. 196)

very better & there is still much discharge of
mucous.

Jan. 12. Feeling better. Tongue very foul. Bowels confused

No 744

Eleanor Arnett Parough. 59. Single
Adm. 10 Feb. 1891. no occupation, Ch. of England. Pres. abode. 34 Wandering
Md. d. 6 Jan. 1891 N.W. 12th acute attack. of about 7 weeks duration
Cin. L. 10 Feb. 1891 treated for about a month by Dr. Paul, Cambridge Mass. & E.

Cause unknown. No epileptic nor dangerous but
possibly suicidal

1st Cert.

she would not answer any questions but kept on
singing & clapping her head & knees & pulling her hair &
groaning & crying. Has threatened to commit suicide.

2nd Cert.

she hid her face then struck the nurse without cause
she said she was the worst person in the world & that she
heard the voice of God directing her & had visions of angels
good & bad & had recently seen a serpent. ^{T. Cooper 2 Jan. 91}
G. H. Savage 2 Jan. 91

Same. Schist.

Pres. in the City

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical. A tall, thin woman with clean cut
features. grey hair, grey eyes, rough skin
sandy complexion, wild
expression. Tongue clean
moist, & steady. appetite
good. bowels regular. She has
but no physical signs of
disease in location or ab-
dominal organs. She is
fairly nourished & has
no bruise on admission.

B. Mental. Mania. She
is noisy, untidy, & dirty -
shouting out disconnected &
frequently obscene phrases. ^{ff}

20 Feb. She remains in same condition as on admission -
noisy, untidy & dirty - rushing up & down the
gallery with her hair down - talking & shouting
incoherent sentences. health fair ^{ff}

28 Feb.

Unchanged -
10 March There is no improvement - to the record - during
the day she is noisy, untidy, dirty, constantly
chattering disconnected sentences & phrases;
she requires sleeping draughts at night -
is dirty in her habits - health fair ^{ff}

10 April She remains in the same condition of acute
mania - noisy, untidy, dirty & destructive
bodily condition fair ^{ff}

10 July. Unchanged

4 Oct - Noisy, excited & incoherent still, her
general health & bodily conditions are
satisfactory - ^{NO to 11.}

Jan. 8-92 No improvement can be observed, she continues
noisy & excited, destructive to clothes, wet & dirty,
altogether most unpleasant, spitting about the
floor & quite regardless of any niceties. Health
good. She will at rare intervals speak in a pleasant
& refined manner. ^{J. B. Henderson}

Jan. 10-92 Patient was observed to be looking ill, she was
very drowsy, had a cough & there was much
discharge of blood-stained phlegm. T. 101 P. 104. Resp. 24
patient was immediately put to bed in the
Infirmary.

Jan. 11. The breath sounds are feeble all over the chest.
Cune very red, probably the staining of the mucus
was from the teeth & gums. P. 92. R. 23. Patient is
very restless & there is still much discharge of
mucus.

Jan. 12. Feeling better. Tongue very foul. Bowels confined

(See also Vol III p. 115)

No 746

Adm. 11 Feb 91
 Phys. rd. 11 Feb 91
 C. in L. 12 Feb 91

Mary Annely Herkloths Place. 47. Single.
 no occupation. Ch of England. Pres abode, the Holloway
 Sanatorium, not yet attacked, age on 1st attack about 20.
 Treated at Holloway Sanatorium from Feb 90 to Feb 91.

duration of present attack about 13 mts. supposed cause
 Climacteric + previous attack. Not epileptic, suicidal
 nor dangerous.

1st Cert.

She is hypochondriacal + weak minded, talkative about
 her exertions. Has delusions of persecutions imagines
 the medical officer is enamoured of her. W. W. Hager 11 Feb 91

Family Hist.
 Previous Hist.
 Condition on
 admission.

A. Physical.

B. Mental. She is hypochondriacal, weak minded.
 - 12, confused, & deluded. She is constantly
 talking about her various secretions & wanting
 medicines. She suffers from hallucinations
 of hearing, cannot settle down to any
 work or occupation for long without getting
 restless & is constantly rushing to the door &
 looking out. Her letters are eccentric &
 incoherent e.g. those appended on opposite
 page - She is constantly concerned about the
 medical officers, believing at one time one
 is in danger & then the another & fancies
 they are alternately enamoured of her etc.
 She remains in the same state of mental
 weakness & confusion as on admission -
 She hears voices, telling her one of the medical
 staff is about to be arrested & when he is
 in the room gallery in which she is
 she hears him speaking to her, when he is
 not. Health good. C.H.

24 Feb.

9 March 1891 She remains hypochondriacal, confused, &
 deluded & in good bodily health.
 She went today on leave in charge of
 the Pallards of Hroburg -

20 April 91

She was today discharged "Recovered"

Fanny Lovegrove. (Continued from Page 190)
 2nd March 1891 Went to-day to Hare Villa. Delusions very
 marked & of a religious character - sup. she is
 "the Holy Dove" & "the Lamb of God" - Quiet.
 Physical health good - E.W.
 June 5. Continues at Hare Villa RCB-
 Sept. 12 Still at Hare Villa RCB-
 Dec 11. At Hare Villa RCB
 March 5. " " " " " "
 June 28. Seen yesterday at Hare Villa - continues as before
 in a state of partial dementia with very marked
 delusions of an excited, & scriptural character.
 continues to style herself the "Lamb of God", "the Holy
 Dove" etc. Hallucinations very marked. Physical health
 appears to be fair but she has failed much of late
 & seems much older & more frail. RCB.
 July 4. Returned yesterday from Hare Villa RCB
 Sept. 10. Delusions are very marked & she is extremely
 excited & delirious - but she occupies herself
 is capable of parole. Physical health has somewhat
 improved of late - RCB.
 Oct. 25. Went yesterday to Hare Villa RCB.
 Dec. 30. Continues at Hare Villa RCB-
 July 17. 01. Returned July 2 - continues partially demented & very
 deluded - conversation rambling, incoherent. Physical health
 fair RCB (cont. on p. 201)

Agnes Mary Summerson (cont'd p. 170)

Sept: 20. The slight improvement mentioned in last
72513 notices continued but she is still very

anergic & automatic - is taking food better,
though still pale is less anemic than she was ^{RCD}

Dec: 13. Continues much the same - though she has not

gone back, the improvement is not progressive
physically she is better - is less anemic

& the dysmenorrhea is markedly less ^{RCD}

5th April/99 Occupies herself to some extent under
62564 supervision - will not enter into conversation
willingly but answers a few questions - Physical
health fair - ^{SLD}

June 5 Still very stuporous & anergic - & rarely occupies
62510 herself or enters voluntarily into conversation -

Phys: health fair - catamenia irregular - only
2 periods on Nov: 19 & May, this year - ^{RCD}

Sept: 10. Unchanged -

62507 stuporous more

& anergic - at

times mildly

excited - cat:

only about every

4 months ^{RCD}

Dec: 11. Stuporous &

62510 more but has

lately begun to

read to herself -



& seems somewhat less depressed - catamenia has
been regular since last note & she is less anemic ^{RCD}

March 7. 10 Is somewhat less depressed than she was.

62513

occupies herself a little & reads (though

almost always the same book) rarely speaks

of her own accord - is less often excited -

Phys: health somewhat improved - catamenia
now regular & there is no dysmenorrhea ^{RCD}

June 21. Continues to occupy herself to a limited
7251 extent - is very morose & silent, rarely speaking

voluntarily - Phys: health very fair - catamenia
continues regular ^{RCD}

Sept: 10. Continues morose & silent - & mildly depressed
7251 occupies herself very little, usually spending

her day lying about the crute & seated in the
attitude of the photo on the last page - after 2

months amenorrhea had a severe attack of
dysmenorrhea on Sept: 15. ^{RCD}

Dec: 29. Continues unaltered - but physically is
62513 somewhat stronger - rarely speaks & voluntarily -

dysmenorrhea improved - ^{RCD}

March 2. 01 Morose & silent - rarely speaks & voluntarily
62512 will not always answer when addressed - reads

the same book over & over again, often holding it
upside down - Phys: health fair - ^{RCD}

June 8. Unchanged - rarely speaks & only occupies
72512 in reading the same book - Phys: health fair

dysmenorrhea at times severe but on the
whole catamenia better than it was ^{RCD}

Sept: 9. Continues much the same, but is a trifle
62513 less morose & irritable - Phys: health fair ^{RCD}

Dec: 30. Continues to be somewhat less morose &
irritable - but she still rarely speaks - Phys:
health has slightly improved & late ^{RCD}

March 27. 02 Continues as in last note - depressed, more
72513 unoccupied but for occasional reading - rarely

speaking & voluntarily Phys: health fair - ^{RCD}

June 9. Continues quite unaltered - Phys: health fair - ^{RCD}

Sept: 9. Continues unchanged - Phys: health fair ^{RCD}

Dec: 11. Continues depressed & morose - & still rarely
62511 speaks & voluntarily Phys: health fair - ^{RCD}

As 749. Cicely Purrell (The Hon^{ble}) Engle. 33. daughter
 of a peer (Lord Curzon) Ch. of England. Res. abode
 19 Feb. 91 The Walden, Hale, Surrey. 1st attack of about a
 year's duration, nowhere under treatment, age
 at commencement about 32. Supposed cause
 "overworked brain". She is not epileptic nor
 dangerous to others but may be suicidal.
 1st Cert. She moved about in an excitable manner & told me
 a long story of how her friend Miss Phillips was
 being horribly tortured either in the house or at a
 farm opposite (which is not true). Puts lights in
 the window to warn her friend of danger &
 2nd Cert. says her father's mother are incarnate fiends.
 Knows this by her clairvoyant revelations. Had
 jags made to keep her father out of the room &c.
 J. A. Currier 19 Feb. 91.
 Fam. Hist. M.L.
 Previous history

Condition on Admission. A thin delicate looking young woman
 light hair, ~~with~~ pale freckled complexion, anxious
 worried expression, low sitting
 forehead, small pinched fea-
 tures. Tongue clean, moist
 & slightly tremulous. Appetite
 capricious, bowels regular.
 Lips cracked & brown. She is
 sparsely nourished & presents
 symptoms of cardiac disease
 (Mitral Stenosis) & doubtful
 signs of disease of the other

of such kind on auscultation - no bruits, no
 admission ^{delusional insanity}
 B. Thral. She appeared very mysterious &
 suspicious & at first refused to answer questions.
 She afterwards told me that her father &
 mother were killing a great number of hens who
 are staying in the house; she heard her cries,
 saw her being dragged about in the twilight
 & stated she had to do all sorts of things to try
 & save her - She admits she would start
 screaming at the top of her voice in order to
 bring assistance - She was much pleased with
 her room & expressed great satisfaction that she
 would now be free from all this annoyance. 16
 28 Feb. She is in a chronic state of terror, fearing some
 frightful thing is about to happen. Start at
 every sound & is constantly imploring me to
 follow a nurse who may happen to go thro'
 the gallery - at times she refuses her food
 thinking that other people are harmed by
 her eating - she sleeps badly & is subject to
 the same vivid hallucinations (Hypnotic).
 10 March. There is some improvement & she rested. She
 takes her food with less pressure & satisfaction in
 conversation with other ladies, but she still remains
 subject to the hallucinations & horrible dreams at
 night. General health improving. 16
 15 March. The improvement is very marked. She is quite
 quite rationally & quietly - says she no longer
 believes the horrible thing, & is positively & is content
 to believe that her own bones may have been
 She still maintains however that her father & mother
 are in open sinning against her & she writes
 to her mother. General condition improved. 16

26 April. She continues to improve. She is still however nervous & confused - She still believes her father is against her & is perpetrating some fearful crimes, which she is unable to forgive & which she will not make known to me. She admits she has impulses to run away & do things which she knows she ought not to. That at times she is so confused & excited as to be almost unconscious. She cannot but think there was some truth in those horrible sights she saw when she first came, as she is positively certain 2 of the lady nurses, who were with her have never been the same since, but have remained like ghosts & others, in due, she thinks, to the fact that they were in some way concerned for what she saw. Bodily condition improved. Patient has very much improved, she has formed a warm attachment to Mrs. Leachwood goes out with her in the grounds, reads with her & listens to music so that she has been taken out of herself, & a few days ago began to say that if she could only see her friend Miss Phillips she would be convinced that she had been in the wrong as regards her father & mother. She said that if she could convince herself on that point she would apologise for all the hard things she had said against her relatives. She was still agitated & afraid to ask her friend to come here lest she should receive some injury. Yesterday she went to London & saw Miss Phillips found her very well & returned saying she was quite convinced of her delusions. J. T. Henderson.

12 April.

12 June The improvement has been steady & uninterrupted. Patient has written to her father & mother, & has been visited by her mother & cousin who found her remarkably well. Has enjoyed going out for short strolls beyond the grounds. Wears flowers occasionally, has been shopping in London buying hats &c. & altogether seems happy & interested in her surroundings. Health good. Appetite excellent. J. B. Henderson.

6th July The improvement has continued up to date. Patient has been visited by her father & mother. Writes home regularly & takes an interest in everything that goes on. Has today gone on leave to visit some relatives.

12 Aug. Today she was discharged Recovered.

14 Aug. She has been suffering from a severe
whirlow of the right thumb - involving the
loss of the terminal phalanx. This is now
progressing satisfactorily - Mentally she is
so nearly well that today she was allowed
home on trial. She is still emotional and
at times a little depressed. the natural reaction
of her recent excitement. (R.C.D.)

28 Sept. Today she was discharged recovered at
the request of her husband. (R.C.D.)

Mary Ann Lilley (cont'd p. 194)

Dec: 11- Demented - unoccupied - usually chattering
8 Oct 2 incoherent nonsense to herself - PS in lungs
continues as before - Tubercle bacilli in sputum
numerous - she is however stronger & the
dyspnoea is less - is out nearly all day R.C.D.

March 7. 00 Demented & rarely occupies herself - has
7 Oct 1922 many hallucinations of hearing, wh: she answers
in a loud voice - cannot sustain a conver-
sation but can usually answer simple
questions - has very little memory & numerous
delusions of identity - addresses the Sup: as "Mrs
Moore", a male A.M.O. as "Lady Dufferin", reporter
(naming) as "Mr Stevens" Physically the PS are
much the same - the sputum contains many
tubercle bacilli - she has numerous attacks of
dyspnoea. the cyanosis is less, & she now coughs
little in the day time & is gaining a little flesh
(? influenza) in the end of December. (R.C.D.)

June 21. Continues as on last note (R.C.D.)

Sept: 10. Her breathing has been much embarrassed
8 Oct 4 of late & at times she has been much exasperated
is now better after taking stimulant expectorant
mentally unchanged since note of March 7. R.C.D.

Dec: 29 Continues much the same - is incapable
9 Oct 2 of conversation & has many delusions of identity
though these as still as on note of March 7 - she
can answer simple questions though with
slow reaction & in an automatic way - can still
do simple reasoning - language often foul -
she rarely speaks voluntarily - memory very
poor - Physically improved of late. the cough
rarely occurs & cough is much decreased -
PS as before - has gained 2 1/2 lbs this yr: is out
almost all day. (R.C.D.)

March 2. 01. Continues as on last note - Physically has
1 Oct 4 greatly improved - has gained 2 1/2 lbs in 14
months - the moist sputum in lungs are now only
heard after coughing - there is rarely cyanosis
& little cough - Pooriasis rather more marked R.C.D.

June 8. Unchanged - weakened with many
1 Oct 12 delusions of identity - & quite incapable of
looking after herself - Physically greatly
improved - no moist sputum & little cough except
occasionally at night - Pooriasis continues
to be more pronounced - continues to gain wt: R.C.D.

Sept: 9 - Catherine's spirit unchanged - but has
1 Oct 4 lately lost a little weight. (R.C.D.)

Dec: 30. Unchanged - Weakened with many delusions
chiefly of identity - speaks not at all clearly -
has little memory & is quite incapable of
conversation or of more than the very simplest
occupation - requires much attention - Phys:
much improved - still has little cough in spite of
the cold weather - Pooriasis more easily controlled
(Sept 21/5)

No 787
 Adm: 23 Feb 91
 Ord. d. 3 July 87
 C. L. 23 Feb 91
 Beatrice Martelli, 38. Single, no occupation
 Ch. of England Pres. abode Chilton Hall, Chas. Suffolk
 1st attack commencing at age of 34, about 4 years duration
 Under care of Dr. Lutton, Lillingstone Sp. 5-13. 87, then
 with Dr. Medlicott, Long Dane, Lillingstone Sp. about 3 mos.
 since then with Dr. C. B. Fox, Brickington House,
 till Feb. 23. 91. Cause unknown. Not epileptic
 not dangerous to others but suicidal.

1st Cert. Talks in a rambling manner & tells me she said
 something very wrong. That she has a disease for
 which she ought not to reveal. That she wishes to die soon.
 Y. B. Linscombe 30 June 89

2nd Cert. Has hallucinations of sight & hearing, hears her
 brother's voice. Says she has only one day more to live.
 noisy at times shouting & struggling in bed.
 C. W. C. Medlicott. 30 June 89.

From: Hist. Unknown
 Pres. History

Condition on admission
 A. Physical a fairly nourished woman, with
 dark hair, blue-green eyes, low set eating
 forehead, muddy complexion,
 vacant, dull, vacillate ex-
 pression. Tongue clean, & moist
 appetite good & bowels good
 regular. She is well nourished
 but presents some symptoms of
 disease at apex of L. lung, viz
 dullness on percussion & fine crackles
 on auscultation - no other signs
 of phthisis

B. Mental Chronic mania with weak-mindedness.
 She is incoherent in appearance & manner, is incapable
 of engaging in an ordinary conversation, her
 replies being chiefly in monosyllables. She
 is hypochondriacal constantly complaining of
 pains all over her body. She is silent,
 morose, suspicious, easily roused to
 anger when she becomes noisy, violent &
 obscene. H. Medlicott.

5 March. She is at present in an excitable attack -
 this morning she was standing in a window
 in the airing-courtyard, shouting out blasphemies
 & obscene expletives in a hoarse voice,
 working herself up into fury. Bodily
 condition good. H.

14 March. She is now more quiet & content. Complaint of
 pains all over her body, especially of electricity in
 the left foot. Health good. H.

24 March. She is excitable, rude, abusive, & obscene -
 Bodily health very good. H.

27 April. She continues rude, abusive & obscene to
 nurses, ladies & medical officers - her
 language being often most blasphemous &
 filthy & obscene. She is constantly listening
 to voices & shouting out her answers at the
 top of her voice. She is at times violent.
 Bodily condition very good. H.

27 May. She remains subject to periodical outbreaks of
 passion (once per day) - during which she is
 rude, abusive, obscene & foul-mouthed in
 the extreme. General condition good & pleasant.

2 June. Unchanged, patient is occasionally quite pleasant
 in manner but more frequently is noisy & abusive
 making use of the most disgusting language

so that she has to be kept in seclusion.
Health fair, pt frequently complains of pains & aches & says she is dying but she is apparently strong & well. J.B. Henderson

20 Sept. Her condition does not improve. She frequently requires to be isolated from other patients on account of her noisy & obscene language. General health fair. R.C.D.

5 Oct: 91. Was today removed to Beckham House "not improved". J.B. Henderson

Anne Bishop Gardner (cont'd p: 182)

March 27, 1900 Returned today from leave - & has gone to Holly Lodge - condition unchanged. R.C.D.

June 21. Continues querulous irritable & hypochondriacal but is rather less cantankerous & noisy than she used to be. Phys. health fair. R.C.D.

Aug: 16. Returned yesterday from Holly Cottage to N.S. R.C.D.

Sept: 12. Went yesterday to Hare Villa - unchanged. R.C.D.

Dec: 30. Continues at Hare Villa. R.C.D.

Feb: 8. 01 Went on leave today from Hare Villa - R.C.D.

Feb: 12. Transferred to S. Andrews Northampton from leave.

Discharged Feb. 12. 01

Fanny Lovegrove (cont'd p: 200)

Sept: 9. Continues weak-minded & very deluded - her delusions usually having a Scriptural tendency - her conversation is rambling, disconnected & is often very threatening & abusive - she frequently "calls down fire from Heaven" with much gesticulation on any that offend her - & still styles herself the "Lamb of God", the immortal Sarahite &c &c.

Her physical health has failed somewhat lately but she is evidently now getting advanced in years though her exact age is unknown. R.C.D.

Oct: 23. Continues unaltered - yesterday went to Hare Villa - R.C.D.

May 28. 02 Returned yesterday from Hare Villa - & has gone to Holly Lodge - mentally she is unchanged - physically seems somewhat stronger than she was. R.C.D.

Aug: 20. Continues unchanged - very deluded, her delusions being weird & wonderful & mostly of a Scriptural tendency - Phys. health fair. The right ptosis is often very marked, varying considerably. R.C.D.

Oct: 31. Went yesterday to Hare Villa - R.C.D.

July 22. 03 Returned yesterday from leave to Red House - is quite unchanged - R.C.D.

Aug: 20. So very restless & deluded - continually talking of these delusions - calls herself the "Lamb of God" & brings down vengeance on all around her. R.C.D.

Nov: 9. She continues unaltered - went on leave on the 5th Nov: to Hare Villa - R.C.D.

April 5. She continues at Hare Villa - S.Y.P.

May 26. Patient returned from Hare Villa to Holly Cottage.

No 752

Margaret Andrews. 48. Single. Probationer (niece)
 Children's Hosp. Deacons' Midway Park Inst. Ch. of England
 Res. abode 16 Clarendon Terrace, Manchester. Not in attack
 C. in L. 24 Feb. 91 Age on 1st attack 44 how long treated. Duration of present
 attack about 10 days. Cause ^{Previous attack} ~~unknown~~. This not
 epileptic suicidal nor dangerous to others.

1st Cert. Stated that she was under the influence of spirits &
 hypnotized that she heard voices bidding her to do
 not to do certain things the nature of which she
 appeared unable to explain, says her home is watched by spirits
 Threw her Bible out of the window, sits in bed singing hymns.

2nd Cert. Subject of many delusions, hears voices & cannot stand them
 Says people conspire together to cover her with a net, make her a madman
 Sam. Hist. Aunt's first cousin affected mentally.

Previous History Four years ago had an acute hysterical attack followed
 by excitement & delirium. The present attack commenced
 about 14 days ago with excitement & delirium that she was
 under the power of spirits, was excited, heard voices &
 presented pain manifest - along peculiar remarks to her.

Condition on admission
 A. Physical - a woman of average height with
 grey hair, grey eyes pupils equal & react to light
 light & accommodation, reddish complexion, with localized cap-
 tary congestion on cheeks, dots
 on the face, secretion had
 tongue slightly coated with mucus
 white fur, appetite capricious,
 bowels constipated. She
 is fairly nourished & presents
 no physical signs of disease
 in thorax or abdominal
 organs - no bruises

B. Mental. Delusional insanity with ideas of persecu-
 tion. She suffers from hallucinations of hearing -
 believes she is the house of spiritualists & hypnotists
 & says she prefers to have her messages from God
 direct ^{not} through intermediate persons, that these
 people are trying to make her a medium. She
 has been very agitated on religious matters, the Popes
 Salvation Army & dissidents all causing her anxiety.
 She believes the house was watched, & accuses the
 spiritualists of calling her names & influencing her
 actions e.g. she says they prevented her marriage
 with a gentleman to whom she was much attached.

5 March. She is sitting down quietly & is now occupying a
 room to herself. She now says she does not
 hear voices, recognizes what she said respecting
 hypnotists & the party nonsense but is sure
 that some one is trying to influence her from God
 & that she will not take them unless they
 come direct. In good bodily health.

14 March. She continues to improve - She still says she was
 much in the way at the Midway Park Inst. that
 they all wanted to get rid of her, that she objected
 to be made "the crucial test for different sects" &
 obstinately refuses to enter into conversation on
 some subjects. Bodily health good.

24 March. She remains quiet occupying herself in needle-
 work & reading & now recognizes she was mis-
 taken in what she said when she came re-
 specting spiritualists &c, & cannot think what
 could have made her say it. She still feels
 people were seeking her a "crucial test for the
 different sects" - Bodily condition good.

24 April. She continues to improve & now sees the meaning
 & remaining longer under observation
 She has parole outside the grounds.

Margaret Quirens (continued).

- 24 May 91 She continues to improve mentally & physically. She occupies herself in reading, needlework. Good at making & is assisting with other patients. She continues in parole which she has never once abused, but prefers to remain on her feet quite well, without having a chance to private care - (L.C.D.)
- 24 June Improvement continues, patient occupies herself usefully & goes out for long walks. She is rather weak-minded & suspicious still. Health good. J.B. Henderson.
- 27 Sept. Today she went on leave. in the care of friends, her mental state being satisfactory. Health good. J.B. Henderson.
- Jan 8:92 Patient remains on leave. J.B. Henderson.
- Feb 12 Patient was today discharged "Recovered"

1906

in good physical health with delusions persisting.

Miss Liley (222)

July 10

Patient had last month a mammary abscess (p. 10) which was opened twice and is now healed. Erosions is very marked over the lumbar region and buttocks. She has been very depressed lately, restless, wringing her hands, asking what she can do - S.H.P.

Sept. 27

Patient was transferred to Boston City Hospital "not improved". There are physical signs of chronic phthisis in both lungs - a moist rales murmur - Also chronic pressure of buttocks and legs. There are no lesions on the left leg. Discharged.

Mary Ann Liley (cont'd p. 210)

- March 27 02 continues as on last note 9:11 R.C.D.
- June 9-10 05 7 Weak-minded - has many delusions chiefly of identity, both her own & of that of others - is incapable of connected conversation or of more than the simplest needlework. Phys: health greatly improved - R.C.D.
- Sept. 9-10 05 11 continues as on last note - her phys: health is now very fair - the psychosis is rapidly by treatment - there is now no cough - R.C.D.
- Dec: 11-10 05 5 1/2 Continues unchanged - weak-minded & foolish - with delusions as above - language often very fond - Phys: health now good - R.C.D.
- March 10 03 She continues weak-minded & deluded - language fond & conversational more or less resembling & disconnected - Phys: health has improved of late - R.C.D.

June 18

Aug. 20.

9 00 1/2

Nov: 21.

8 00 1/2

Feb 16. 04

8 00 1/2

May 28.

June 30.



She continues weak-minded & deluded with delusions of identity - conversation resembling is incapable of more than the simplest needlework - Phys: health very fair. R.C.D. She continues quite weak-minded. psychosis improved since the above photo. was taken R.C.D.

continues weak-minded & deluded - often excited, then becomes violent & uses foul language - Phys: health fair - R.C.D.

She continues unchanged mentally - her breathing has been bad of late, partly owing to the cold damp weather R.C.D.

Breathing no better, the weather being warm (Sep 2002)

Do 403.

Adm. 26 Feb. 91

Del. d. 26 Feb. 91

C. m. d. 26 Feb. 91

Christina Mackay. 29 single. no occupation
Ch. of Scotland Pres abode 63 New Bond St. W. (Surrey, No. 9)
1st attack of about 4 mo. duration commencing
at age of 29. supposed cause "worry". Treated nowhere.

It is not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert.

She is silent & it is difficult to get any answers
from her. She says she is ruined & that it is no
good. She wanders aimlessly about & tries to escape
from the room. G. H. Savage 24 Feb. 91.

2nd Cert.

Unwilling to speak. In a restless state continually
jumping up & running round the room attempting to
escape. Says she has ruined all her friends & is deeply, morbid
rel. G. H. Robinson 26 Feb. 91.

Fam. Hist.

Previous History

In June last she was called to London to nurse a
favourite brother: previously in excellent health
with a good constitution she now had a double
cause for worry. She ascertained that her brother
had heart disease & might die at any moment,
also that he had been losing money very
heavily & endeavouring to recover his losses was
losing more & more. These facts she had to
keep whilst she saw him visibly sinking & after
after weeks residence in the S.
of France ~~she~~ died. Presumably to
her death her mind gave
way. She suffered from loss of
sleep, loss of appetite, & hallucina-
tions here - on Dr. Savage's
advice she was told of her bro-
ther's death & was advised to
come here.

Condition on
Admission

A. Physical - a brown-haired woman, under average
height with grey eyes, pupils equal & react - pale
pasty & unhealthy complexion, caput & vacant ex-
pression. Tongue moist, clean & steady, appetite bad
bowels regular. She is fairly nervous & nervous
no physical signs of disease in thorax or abdomen
organs - no bruits.

B. Mental. Melancholia - She is restless, agitated
& nervous - is constantly listening to & answering
voices - is violent in her replies, answering
yes & no to the same question within 2 or 3 minutes.
During conversation she wanders aimlessly about
& tries to get out of the door. She says she is
ruined & at times is very noisy & violent. G. H. Robinson

8 March.

Dr. Brierley 31
Dr. K. 31
Dr. C. 31
Dr. M. 31
Dr. P. 31
Dr. R. 31
Dr. S. 31
Dr. T. 31
Dr. V. 31
Dr. W. 31
Dr. X. 31
Dr. Y. 31
Dr. Z. 31

15 March.

Recovery - This morning she is noticeably facing
the gallery morning in an undertone "I am ruined"
"I am ruined" Bodily health fair G.

26 March.

She remains in the same agitated condition
restless & nervous, listening to & answering
voices. Constantly rushing at & trying to
break down doors. is unable to fix her
attention even for a few seconds for a
conversation. Bodily condition fair G.

27 April.

There is no improvement to be noted. She sleeps
badly, takes her food indifferently, but luncheon
is noisy & violent. She is unable to occupy herself
in any way or indulge in a rational conversation.
General condition good.

Christina MacLay (continued)

- 27 May 91 She remains restless, agitated & preoccupied in listening to voices. When addressed she takes no notice but turns away. Is often found pacing the gallery with her shoes in her hands, wanders from one door to the other trying the handles in a meaningless way & when in the airing-courts sits grass & roots. Bodily condition good. *Halderick.*
- 27 June. There is some improvement patient will answer a few questions but will not enter into conversation, she is fond of playing with grass but does not exhibit quite so much talk. She is less restless but is generally moving about more quietly & does not try the handles now. Health good.
- 24 July Improvement continues, Patient is now fairly quiet in manner, amuses herself weaving the grass but does not eat it, occasionally does some plain needlework. Answers rationally but does not enter into conversation. Health good.
- 18 August Today she was discharged relieved at the request of her brother.

Mary Ann Lilly (cont'd p. 1 p. 218)

- Sept. 1. 04 She continues demented, unoccupied with delusions of identity & of suspicion at times excited & violent & then uses very foul language. Phys. health improved of late 213
8st 5½
1905. Jan. 4. She is quieter on the whole, but violent at times. ^{improvement in} physical health is good. Patient has lost lately much weight and on examination there is marked supra and infra scapular hollowing anterior on the right side with impaired movement. The percussion note in these regions is 'box' and the breathing bronchial with a few coarse crepitations. The breathing on the left is harsh. Posteriorly the right supra scapular area is dull and the breathing is bronchial also in the upper infra scapular region. On the left side there is some dullness in the supra scapular region with bronchial breathing.
- April 5. Patient is now coughing much less and generally in better physical health. Her mental state is unchanged. S.H.P.
- 8st 4½
- Aug. 20. Patient has been taking Paine's Orocobromine and her physical health has improved. There is no change in the mental state. S.H.P.
- 6st 2½
- 8st 2½
- 1906 Jan 31. Patient is now in gallery VII - out of doors all day. She coughs very persistently but her temperature is not affected and her weight remains fairly constant. She is quite unoccupied with delusions of identity and suspicious at times her language is very foul. S.H.P.
- April 7. Patient continues as described in last note. S.H.P.
^{from the time she was put in} Patient has returned to Gall. VII where she is out of doors all day and is now coughing less & in better physical health. Her delusions remain constant and she talks & swears to herself most vigorously. S.H.P.
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No 754

Jane Ray, married, 44. Protestant, Pres. abode
Adm. Mar. 3. 91. Home Hills, Old Windsor. 1st attack of 5 weeks duration
O.D. Mar. 2. 91. Supposed cause being choke, not epileptic, doubtfully
C. ind. Mar. 3. 91. suicidal but not dangerous.

1st Cert: Tells me she is filled with sulphur & must not go near a fire,
said she had had her last meal as she was to be decapitated.
Has a lost expression &c. &c. J.W. Crook. 27 Feb. 91.

2nd Cert: Says people are going to mutilate or behead her. Thinks she
sees people coming after her to put chains on her, that poison
is put in her food, sees horrid pictures of faces, is very depressed
she has refused all food at times. E.W. Phillips. 25 Feb. 91.

Fam. Hist: Nil. Aunt childish before death at age 72.

Previous History: The primary cause of illness is supposed to have been the suicide
of a relative. It was said to see him & expected to happen at the inquest.
Then 4 or 5 of her children were all & her husband. On going night
was taken ill with nervous collapse & has since complained of pain
at back of head. Flushing. At end of Jan. had delusions that people
were watching her & would take her away. Jan. 31st became much
worse & has had a more since Feb. 3. Natural disposition nervous
& afraid of making trouble.

Condition on Admission: Physical. A middle aged woman, of average
height with grey hair, grey eyes, perfect equal &



react sluggishly. Pale, pasty
complexion, dull anxious
expression. Tongue furred.
Appetite bad. Bowels irregular.
Breath foul. She is fairly
nourished & presents no physical
signs of disease in thoracic or ab-
dominal organs. No bruise.
B. Mental. Delusional mania
with ideas of persecution. She has
hallucinations of taste, smell, &
common sensations e.g. her feet at

Suicidal Tendency

One time is all worst at another salt ^{sulphur}. She feels
sulphur pouring out through the pores of the skin.
She has delusions of identity. Her only two daughters
daughters are in this building & are so acted on
by people here that they cannot recognize their mother.
She believes she is here to be tortured & murdered,
& says the people all round her make signs to
that effect by which she is deceived. Believing
sulphur to pour out through the pores of her
skin she is afraid to go any where in the neigh-
bourhood of a fire or light. Huddell.

12 March: She remains much the same as on admission,
her hallucinations are all present & the delusions
are very prominent. She does not take her
food well & sleeps badly. Some with the idea of
hypnotics. Bodily condition good. H.

22 March: There is no change to be noted in mental or
bodily condition. She is taking an aperient prescription.

4 Dr. Bicart & Co. S. R. E. A. She remains restless, agitated,
unable to occupy herself,
late in the evening, & sleep. Body &c.

3 April: Unchanged - H.

27 April: She maintains the truth of her delusions, as mentioned
above. She is unable to occupy herself, refuses
her food, says she is to be murdered or tortured
tomorrow before tomorrow, that she is doomed
for eternity to Hell. Bodily condition good. H.

17 May: There is some improvement to be noted in
her mental state. She is less restless, less
troublesome with her food. Sleeps better at
night & occupies herself with needlework & a
bit of sewing during the day. She continues to
suffer from delusions of identity believing some
of the younger lady patients are her daughters.

June Ray (cont.)

who have been kept out of or mesmerized in some way so that they cannot recognize her mother. She is occasionally to be seen with her nose & mouth covered with a handkerchief & always walks round the side of the table away from the fire - she says she smelt from her skin a filthy odour & vapour & thinks she is to be tortured - Body and. Ten improved. *Macdonald*

27 June. Patient has improved very much lately. She takes an interest in what goes on but is still inclined to wander aimlessly about. Thinks her "mind" is all out of order, that her liver is congested & that her bowels do not act properly. She appears to have almost lost her other delusions but still complains of unpleasant smells. Health fair. *J. V. Henderson*

24 July Improvement continues & Pt is now in hospital. The suicidal ticket has been called in. She occupies herself usefully, talks pleasantly on general subjects & has no delusions except as regards her own health. When asked how she is she shakes her head & answers in a rather melancholy tone "only pretty well" & presses her hand to her right side. Health good. *J. V. Henderson*

14 Sept. The improvement noted has been quite maintained, and today she was allowed home on leave. *W. H. H.*

24 Dec. 91 Was today discharged "Recovered"

Mrs. Simmons (from 198)

1906 Jan. 31 Patient continues silent & morose. quite unoccupied. Her physical health is poor. *S. H. P.*

April 7 Patient continues as described, silent and unoccupied with a bilious attack at each monthly period. *S. H. P.*

July 10 There is no mental or physical change. *S. H. P.*

Oct. 10 Patient continues silent & morose, unoccupied with poor circulation and usually a bilious attack at each monthly period. *S. H. P.*

1907 Jan. 15 There is no mental or physical change. *S. H. P.*

April 22 Patient incapable of conversation, silent and morose, quite unoccupied. She sleeps well but takes her food badly and is subject to monthly bilious attacks. *S. H. P.*

Supplementary Book A. 97

No 70-6. Ada Jane Batchelor, single 32, no occupation
 Adm. Mar 7/91. 16 of England. Prev. abode, 16 Hamilton Terrace East
 Wivicham. Not in attack. Age on 1st attack 28.
 C. in L. Mar 2/91. Under current Beckham House, period unknown. Supposed
 cause self-abuse. Not epileptic, suicidal but possibly
 C. in L. Mar 12/91 dangerous.

1st Cert.

Voluble, excited, swearing & quarrelsome
 she is chloroformed & prohibited every night
 persons, that her wound is renewed & she is
 to hear it out to take it, that she is con-
 by several agents of a former asylum who
 of her water pipes her wound. That she has a
 excited, tried to burn the house, knocked
 down & assaulted her mother, so H.H.M.

2nd Cert.

Logracious & incoherent, says she has
 grossly insulted & assaulted by her brother

Sam. Hist. Her mother appears very emotional &

Previous History She has been ill for the last 6 years & has been
 Beckham Ho. but for the last 18 months
 at home where she has turned the house
 down - lies in bed in the daytime, & has
 delusions of persecution against members
 whom she not only threatens, but visits

Condition on admission

A. Physical. An excessively obese woman
 brown hair, green eyes, pale, pasty
 complexion, with curly, querulous, expression -
 tongue clean, moist & red, appetite voracious
 bowels regular. Urine normal no albumen
 or sugar. She presents no physical signs
 of disease in thoracic abdominal organs
 except her enormous obesity. no bradycardia

B. Mental. Delusional mania
 with ideas of persecution -

She says that she has been bound
 from head to foot with cancer & that
 she has cured herself by means
 of medicine. That she is assaulted

by several persons who are
 trying to kill her. She says
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 from head to foot with cancer & that
 she has cured herself by means
 of medicine. That she is assaulted

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 trying to kill her. She says
 that she has been bound
 from head to foot with cancer & that
 she has cured herself by means
 of medicine. That she is assaulted

W. H. 5158 (p. 228)

would prefer to be in Beckham House.
 She remains obese & in good health. Calm
 7 May. She remains idle, listless, irritable & abusive -
 at times she is very noisy at night. She is
 in calling the place & nurses foul names &
 makes great scenes & complaints about visits
 by her parents - body condition very good.
 H.M. 11/11

No 406. Ada Jane Batchelor, single 32, no occupation
 Adm. Mary 9/11 Cl. of England. Res. alone, 16 Hamilton Terrace East
 Wickenham. Not at all black. Age not at all black 28.
 C. in L. Mar 8/91 Her present Peckham House, period unknown. Supposed
 Rec. old d. Mar 9/91 cause self-abuse. Not epileptic, suicidal but possibly
 C. in L. Mar 12/91 dangerous.

1st Cert.

Voluble, excited, swearing & quarrelsome
 she is chloroformed & prohibited every night
 persons, that her wound is sore & she is
 to hear it out & take it, that she is com-
 by secret agents of a former asylum who
 of her water pipes her worst. That she has a
 excited, tried to burn the house, knocked
 down & assaulted her mother, so H.H.M.

2nd Cert.

Logracious & incoherent, says she has
 grossly insulted & assaulted by her brother

Sam. Hist. Del. Her mother appears very emotional &

Previous History

She has been ill for the last 6 years, & has
 Peckham Ho. but for the last 18 months
 at home where she has turned the house
 down - lies in bed in the daytime, &
 delusions of persecution against members
 whom she not only threatens, but visits

Condition on admission

A. Physical. An excessively obese wd
 brown hair, green eyes, pale, partly
 complexion, with curly, querulous, expression -
 tongue clean, moist, rotund, appetite voracious
 bowels regular. Urine normal no albumen
 as far as. She presents no physical signs
 of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs
 except her enormous obesity. no tenderness

B. Mental. Delusional mania
 with ideas of persecution -

She says that she has been covered
 from head to foot with cancer & that
 she has cured herself by means
 of medicine. That she is a saint.

that your proceedings, I am the wife of a man
 named Munnis & all the he permitted & if I
 family's do I'll be sure to be improved
 with the utmost care. I certainly do hope
 Providence can allow Peckham House. This
 you & bully a fellow kind of thing runs
 creature & you do not see right country.
 I simply can't make what is it all about?
 stand - it runs in - I have much
 possible to me that - it? I can't understand

would prefer to be in Peckham House.
 She remains obese & in good health. Calvary
 7 May. She remains idle, listless, irritable & abusive -
 at times she is very noisy at night. She keeps
 in calling the place & nurses foul names &
 makes great scenes & complaints when visited
 by her parents - today condition very good.
 H.M.M.

No 406. Ada Jane Batchelor, single 32, no occupation
 Adm. Mar 79. Cl. of England. Pres. abode. 16 Hamilton Terrace Ed.
 Phys. old d. Mar 6. Lichfield. Not at all black. Age most at black 28.
 C. in L. Mar 79. Under recent Peckham House, period unknown. Supposed
 Rec. old d. Mar 79. cause self-abuse. Not epileptic, suicidal but possibly
 C. in L. Mar 12 91 dangerous.

1st Cert.

Voluble, excited, swearing & quarrelsome, asserted that
 she is chloroformed & prohibited every night by unknown
 persons, that her womb is screwed up & an attempt made
 to tear it out & take it, that she is constantly surrounded
 by secret agents of a former asylum who try to get control
 of her water pipes & her womb. That she has a large cancer of face.
 excited, tried to burn the house, knocked her father
 down & assaulted her mother & H. H. Murphy. 6 Mar 91

2nd Cert.

Legions incoherent, says she has been
 grossly molested & assaulted by her brother & co.

7:30 p.m. Mar 8 91.

Sam. Hist. Mar. Her mother appears very hysterical & distressed.

Previous History

She has been ill for the last 6 years, & has been in
 Peckham Ho. but for the last 18 months has been
 at home where she has turned the house upside
 down. lies in bed in the daytime, ~~delirious~~ persons
 delusion of persecution against members of the family
 whom she not only threatens, but violently assaults.

Condition on admission

A. Physical. An excessively obese woman with
 brown hair, green eyes, pale, pasty, flabby
 complexion, ~~with~~ surly, querulous, expression.
 Senses clear, most notably, appetite voracious
 bowels regular. Urine normal no albumen
 or sugar. She presents no physical signs
 of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs
 except her enormous obesity. no traces

B. Mental. Obsessive mania
 with ideas of persecution -

She says that she has been coping
 from head to foot with cancer & that
 she has cured herself by means
 of veridig. That she is assault-
 ed nightly by men who
 come into her room & prostitute
 her, twist & rip out her womb &
 stuff up her water pipes &c.
 That her brother frequently
 beats her. She uses the
 most foul, blasphemous &
 obscene language, but tenses
 to violent. Haidecroft.

15 March. She appears much more comfortable than on ad-
 mission - She however sits idle & unoccupied the
 whole day - is surly & morose. Health good. Ed.

March
 27 April.

She remains idle & unoccupied, at times is
 noisy & destructive, but much quieter & better
 behaved than on admission. Health good. Ed.

7 April.

She is morose, listless, irritable, refuses to
 occupy herself in any way, & still main-
 tains she cured herself of cancer by means
 of veridig. She is much more assured in
 her language - no longer obscene & blasphemous;
 but she states she hates this place
 & would prefer to be in Peckham House.

7 May.

She remains obese & in good health. Ed.
 She remains idle, listless, irritable & obnoxious -
 at times she is very noisy at night. She begins
 in calling the place & nurses foul names &
 makes great scenes & complaints when visited
 by her parents - body condition very good.
Haidecroft

June Pt continues as already described, she is occasionally excited & violent but as a rule remains quiet, unoccupied & unenterprising asking only how long she is to stay here. Health good. Unchanged.

July 22 Sept.

17 Oct: 91

Today she went home on leave ^{at Little}
Patient did not return from leave but was transferred today to Beckham House "Relieved" J.B. Henderson

July 20

Mrs. Longene (from page 228)
Patient is a quaint & eccentric lady fond of wearing wonderful headgear, and pronounced fastidious manner. Her delusions are many. That she is a "Hog Lamb" etc. She is in good physical health for her age. S.H.P.

Oct 21
H.C.

Patient continued in good physical health. Last month had a slight attack of bronchitis now fully recovered from. Her delusions are very varied. She believes that her health is responsible for the state of Europe and that when she is unwell there are wars and commotions etc. etc. She sleeps well and her appetite is good. S.H.P.

Nov 9

Patient went today to Home Villa. S.H.P.

1906 March 22
(III)

Patient returned today from Home Villa, mentally unchanged (many delusions - that she is a "Hog Lamb" responsible for the movements of nations etc. etc.) in good physical health. S.H.P.

July 6

Patient went today to Holly Cottage - Newcastle. There is no change her delusions being many and varied - that she is a Christian martyr etc. etc. She is in good physical health. S.H.P.

Oct 17

Patient returned to the Sanatorium from Holly Cottage today - in good physical health, mentally unchanged. S.H.P.

1907 Jan 15

Patient, though not robust continues in fair physical health - occasionally rather irritable and with a tendency to bronchitis. She is always well occupied and fully interested living in a world of delusions - sees stars ascend to heaven as she lies in bed - is in constant communication with Jacob etc.

April 22

Patient believes she is living a remarkable life, is a Christian martyr - a Hog Lamb - creates flowers, trees, nations even etc. etc. Her physical health is fair -
Supplementary Book A. 93 S.H.P.

Ms 757 Sarah Hillard Malfour Married 43. Ch. of England
 Adm. May 9. Dies. about 25 Perroad St. Brighton. 1st attack
 Oct. 1. 28 & 29. of more or less continuous duration for 2 years
 C. in L. Mar. 8. 9. Age at commencement. Supposed cause Heredity.
 Not epileptic nor really dangerous but has
 threatened to drown herself.

1st Cert: Incoherent ravings, extravagance of language & of
 demerence - e.g. the throwing of gloves & claret about,
 taking off shoes & demanding that I should put them on
 to her feet, candles screaming & loud laughter. Has
 destroyed property, & threatened her husband with a knife.
 Sleepless & addicted to alcohol. Regardless of property.
 Hears voices & answers them. Imagines herself the
 victim of meretric influence. Obscene in language &
 dirty in habits. H. S. Pearson Feb. 26. 96.

2nd Cert: Incoherent & morbid remarks upon the actions of those
 around her. Indefinite ideas respecting what her
 husband's actions ought to be. H. S. Wilson Feb. 26. 96.

Learn. Hist: One sister drowned herself & another has been an
 inmate of an asylum.

Previous History: She appears to have lived unhappily with her
 husband & to have shown many
 eccentricities for the last 2 years:
 there have been more apparent after
 drink to which she is addicted though
 a small quantity is said to affect
 her easily. e.g. She quarrelled with
 everybody in the house, used to cross
 the floor with bread crumbs, back
 at the door with table knives,
 would compel her husband to sleep
 in the middle of the night & she
 would not allow him any back-sitting.

* Sometimes she would keep him lying on the outside of the
 bed with his arms crossed. When commiserated with she would
 burst out into loud bursts of laughter. Appeared one
 letter which she has forwarded to her husband a perjury
 previous to admission.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical: A tall woman with brown hair grey
 eyes, sharp features, muddy complexion, variable
 expression at one time excitable & wild, at another
 cheerful & hilarious. Pupils equal & small.
 Appetite good, bowels constipated. Sleeps indifferently.
 She is well-nourished & presents no physical signs
 of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs. No
 bruises - she suffers from various kinds of
 legs with 2nd degree.

B. Mental: Mania. She is excitable, unsocial,
 frivolous, & amorous & variable, e.g. after dis-
 couraging in tears, resuming her being placed here
 for treatment she was suddenly burst into laughter
 over the ~~fact~~ action she is adopting towards her
 husband - Her conversation is disjointed, & she
 the reporter's arm or hand - She admits she acts
 very eccentrically at Brighton & that she was placed
 under "meretric influence" by her husband in con-
 junction with a medical man, though she says they were
 not present in the room at the time.

14 March 96.

She has settled down comfortably. When visited by
 her husband 3 days ago she worked herself
 into a great state of excitement & fury, making
 various spiteful epithets & threatening words
 if he did not take her away, & send her children
 down - her. She remains very hostile to him.
 She refuses to come down to breakfast & rather
 makes early dinner & goes to bed. She is not getting up
 she was to-day discharged but improved during
 a one medical man not being reported that she was

No. 762 Sarah Hillard Balfour. 45. mar. H

Adm. 14 March 98

ordn? 14 March 91

Cl. 12 My knowledge.

vide page 231.

1st test (urg) Maria - shows excitable, emotional, & fivorous - she considers that she has been placed under morbid influence by her husband in conjunction with her medical attendant, though when this occurred they were not present in the room.

2nd Conty. *Slain Cognacine*, semiostrical, stramellous 18. W. Flo 33. 14 March 91
She bolts laughing immorally, varied whilst talking to
me. States that he has band & the doctor measuring his
before bringing her here, seeking his guests uninvited

Family hist. Previous History & Condition on admission¹⁵

vide page 231.

20 March She remains emotional & frivolous - within a short

1334 "Space of time she and I share she will never leave with
her husband & their little arrangements by which

3/4 She can go out & leave with him - during conversation.

At 7.15 P.M. she laughs & cries inmoderately & refuses to

as: As that has credit before admission was in

any way peculiar & eccentric - Health good. G.

She suffers from varicose veins & is 3 years on the legs

1 April. She remains in the same flighty mounted state.

at times giving the nurses very great trouble

into minute & disgusting particulars about her private affairs with strangers - she is a good looking healthy young woman - 44

14 April. She is changeable, emotional, & excitable, enters into disgusting details respecting her private relationship with her husband unnecessarily. She maintains she was mesmerized by her husband in conjunction with a medical man, though they were not present in the room at the time - She appears to be unable to recall up her mind what course to pursue respecting her husband, having frequent interviews with her solicitor, at which she is constantly authorizing him to pursue a certain course & ~~then~~ frequently withdrawing it - She persists in favoring the truth & states she was told by Dr. Phillips she would only have to remain 2 months, whereas the actual statement was that no definite opinion could be given for 2 months. Bodily condition good. *Good*

14 May. She remains suitable & pleasant especially in the company of the other sex. It is difficult to make out how far her very boisterous manner ^{due to} her natural temperament, but to whatever cause there are very few of the lady companions or nurses who care to accompany her during an excursion & shopping &c owing to her very unpleasant behaviour - On more than one occasion she has shown a disposition to order stimulants rather freely. Bodily health improved ^{since}

6th Mar. Today she was discharged recovered at the
request of her husband, Anti-Sl.

No 463. Alice Maria Cockrem married. 36. No occu-
Adm. 16 Mar 91 Prophetic. Prev above. 57 Alexandra Rd. Hammersmith. Had 1st
Med. 16 Mar 91 attack. age on 1st attack 34. Has been V.B. at Holly & Sand
Comm. 16 Mar 91 for 9 mts. Duration of attack about 3 yrs. Supposed cause
 Childbirth & Melancholia. She is not epileptic but has
 threatened suicide also the lives of her husband & children
 1st Cert: she is suffering from dementia. she is talkative
 her conversation is monotonous at times inconsequent
 then better & pathetic in my opinion incapable of
 looking after herself. N.W. Lloyd. 7 Mar 91
 2nd Cert: Her expression is vacant, she is inopacious when
 addressed, childish in manner & weak-minded. She
 talks in a low monotonous tone. P.P. 7 Mar 91
Exam. Hist: Nil.

Previous History

Condition on Admission A. Physical. a little woman with light hair,
 5'2 1/2, pale stammer complexion with malar
 flush, vacant & stupid expression
 pupils equal & react to light
 & accommodation - Tongue clean
 moist & steady, "abscit" good
 bowel, regular - She is well
 nourished, but breasts very
 soft & supple. Physical signs
 of disease at the apex of each
 lung - the right side appearing
 most affected.

B. Mental Dementia - She is dull, stupid, listless
 & apathetic - often will not occupy herself at all
 needlework being her only effort, & this is performed
 in a mechanical way - She is childish & simple
 in manner & conversation, talking in a low
 monotonous tone, her answers being chiefly monosyllabic.
 She is occasionally dirty in her habits & writes
 rambling & incoherent letters in which disor-
 dered spiteful phrases, & words against her
 husband occur - Specimen

26 March. She remains as an admission ill, quiet,
 & demoralized - She continues to occupy herself
 with the needle & appears comfortable. 66
 6 April. There is no change to be noted in mental
 or bodily condition. 67
 16 April. She remains quiet, occupying herself with
 plain needlework only - at other times
 she sits idle with her hands in front of her.
 She never starts a conversation, does not
 appear to take any interest in her surroundings
 & when questioned as to whether she would
 like to go home she says, she can wait
 till we send her. Bodily condition fair & 68
 20 May. Notwithstanding the latter appeared she
 maintains she is willing to remain till quite
 well - Her other letters, when husband are a
 mixture of flattery & threats - She remains
 quiet, dull & demoralized, occupying herself
 with needlework &c. Bodily condition fair
 unchanged. 69
 15 June. Remains weak-minded - but cheerful and
 capable of busily supplying herself. 70
 20 Sept. There is no marked alteration 71
 to be noted in her condition. J.B. Henderson

Jan. 8-92

Patient continues weak-minded, answers questions but will not enter into conversation. Health fair but prone subject occasional bilious attacks. J.B. Henderson

Feb. 9.

Patient has been ill with influenza since Feb. 13. Temp. 103.2 (m/13th) the bad dulness, rates & prolonged caput at apex & prolonged caput at the apex. She was drawing & complained of great pain all over. Cts. were on and the loss was greater than usual. She was able to be up on the 18th for a short while. On 29th. Phys. signs still remained. By Feb. 24th moist sounds at apices were only obtained on coughing and as the temp. kept normal patient is now considered convalescent although she is still feeling weak.

Mar. 4th

Patient says she has not recovered her strength yet but no moist sounds could be heard at apices now but the base note is dull. She says that she dislike she formerly had to her husband has passed away and that she would like to go home as there is some one there now who could help her with the children & the housekeeping. She refuses to occupy herself and is often cross about little things.

Sp. Ref. & Cert.
Feb. 7-92

She is weak-minded. Her conversation is rambling and childish. She is irritable & lacking in self-control. She refuses to occupy herself in any way. She is sparsely nourished but presents no physical signs of active organic disease in chest or abdomen. (Signed A.D.L.) J.B. Henderson

June 2nd

Aug. 30th

Patient remains unchanged. Health fair. J.B. Henderson
Patient is still weak-minded & childish, she takes unfounded dislikes to people and will sometimes refuse to speak. She is very indolent

moves slowly & sits in an attitude of lassitude.
Health fair J.B. Henderson

Nov. 30.

No change.

March 6, 93

Weak-minded. Laughs in a childish manner when addressed & is unable to sustain a connected conversation. Generally silent & unoccupied. Fairly nourished but feeble, there is some consolidation of apex of left lung. H. Prof. & Cert. J.B. Henderson

June 20.

Generally the same. Physically weaker. J.B. Henderson

Oct. 30.

Has been on leave since Sept. 30. J.B. Henderson

Jan. 26-94

Returned from leave on Nov. 7th in a filthy condition. She is weak-minded & very apathetic, laughs in a childish manner when addressed & cannot enter into conversation. Physically rather weak. J.B. Henderson

May 15.

No change. J.B. Henderson

Nov. 14.

Condition remains stationary. J.B. Henderson

June 12-95

Weak-minded & apathetic. Health varies but she is never anything but feeble. J.B. Henderson

Dec. 13.

No change. J.B. Henderson

March 19, 96

Weak-minded - will answer simple questions usually but is quite incapable of entering into conversation - often sits smiling to herself in a vacant foolish way - Physically she is feeble, but lung mischief does not appear to be advancing. Takes food fairly well. R.C. Deapad

June 9-

Weak-minded - happy & contented - Physically continues feeble but is somewhat stronger than she was. R.C. Deapad

Sept. 10.

Weak-minded happy & contented - has been at Haxby Villa June 23 to July 13. Phys. health feeble but rather stronger than she was & lung mischief continues quiescent. R.C.D.

Dec. 29.

Weak-minded but occupies herself under direction. rarely speaks of her own accord but answers questions though conversation is very slow. Physically feeble & varies much from week to week. R.C.D.

(cont. on p. 241)

M 465

Adm. Mar 19, 91
 Hy. and d. Mar 19, 91
 C. ind.

Kate Edmiston. Single 39. no occupation
 Probertland, Des. abode 44 Aynhoe Rd. West Kensington
 Not first attack, age on 1st attack 25. Nowhere under
 care & treatment. Duration of existing attack 8 days.
 supposed cause Dymenanthose. It is not epileptic
 suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert.

She has delusions, imagines people are following her
 & trying to corrupt her & she has suspicions of all about
 her. Became troublesome in an omnibus last Sunday &
 had to be taken to Police station by conductor. She has gone
 out at 2 a.m. & walked barefooted in her nightdress. Has
 tried to get out of bedroom window the window having
 been screwed down she put her head through the glass.

2nd Cert.

Upon inspecting room she started up from her chair in a loud
 voice & with a violent manner ordered me to go away at once. She retreated
 into a corner & remained standing there. Said it was unsafe to
 remain in the house, that she was watched & annoyed by neighbours &
 that a lot of eggs were kept in the rooming house.

Fam. Hist.

A brother has died of epilepsy & apoplexy. Elderly brother 1870-1891
 is melancholy, eccentric, spoken of as not quite right in his head.

Previous History

Has had 109 similar attacks since 1873, the last two lasts
 3 & 4 days but comes on & passes off gradually & recedes before it.
 Has consulted numerous D.C. From 1883 suffered from dymenanthose
 & her attacks sometimes immediately preceded the period. Habits regular
 & temperate. Has smoked since 1873. Always very undisciplined & personal &
 supposed to have committed several small & strong thefts & was committed to 1870
 & 1871 for some time. Since 1873 she has been in the hospital & in 1873
 & 1874 she was in the hospital & in 1873 & 1874 she was in the hospital.

Condition on admission

A. Physical. A woman of average height,
 with healthy rosy complexion, light hair
 grey green eyes, pupils equal & react, anxious &
 suspicious expression. Tongue clean moist
 & steady. appetite good bowel regular
 sleep badly at times. She is well nourished
 & presents no physical signs of disease in
 Thoracic or abdominal organs. no uric acid.

B. Mental. Delusional mania
 with ideas of persecution. She is
 suspicious & reticent, always
 appearing on the alert & very
 careful of her answers. She
 states, however she is watched
 whenever she goes by people from
 the next house & she hears
 voices when there is no people
 present. She is morose &
 by unknown foes who make

not by signs & that she is connected with the
 "Ripper" business. She also admits that she
 gets into state of unconsciousness, during which
 she does not know what she is doing but to believe
 she is mesmerized. (Gale's case).

26 March

She is restless & agitated, much annoyed & being
 detained, refuses to believe there is anything for
 matter with her in any way. She states there
 is an occult means by which she can hear
 voices & conversations at a long distance e.g.
 at London. All her delusions (vide n. adm.)
 can be easily elicited. (Hall's case).

6 April

She is variable. at present she is reticent,
 suspicious, & irritable. at one time she will
 refuse to shake hands, or converse with, or shake
 while at another time she will be quite friendly
 & intimate. She has not been before. She
 still maintains it is true she was watched by
 her next-door neighbours & so. (Hall's case).
 on the 3rd inst. she had an attack of hysterical un-
 consciousness. She fell on the floor, had twitting of
 the facial muscles - was titrated with a centime
 better p. 3 hours.

Miss Kate Edmonson (cont. 1)

20 April. She remains nervous, suspicious & disturbed. She refuses to have anything to say to her brother as she appears to think he is unfairly treating her. She occupies herself with reading & she repeatedly requests to be allowed to smoke cigarettes.

Body health good

Collected

28 April This evening, after a long conversation, she admitted she heard daily the voice of some one (whether natural or not she cannot say) giving her advice telling her not to do things & prophesying as to her future. She believes to see the future in crystals - She sometimes states the voice, but believes the advice is always good. Her

27 May She has once more settled down into her usual mood - She now refuses to talk to me but the most ordinary topics - She says cigarettes, but has refused one more than from my case & appeared startled when I told her information "they were not dressed" I am not sure that she thought so. - She refuses occupy herself in any useful way & at times off her guard appears preoccupied as the listening to voices. Body condition very

6 June 1904 ~~Her condition was today discharged by order of Capt. J. B. Henderson.~~

15 August. She has so far improved that she is now allowed out unaccompanied on parole - She takes vigorous walking exercise, and her friends have reported that she is allowed home shortly on trial. Her

Oct. 5th The improvement continued & she was today allowed to go "on leave". J. B. Henderson

Dec. 30th Was today discharged "Recovered" by the authority of her brother. J. B. Henderson

Alice Maria Cokerum (cont. 2 p. 243)

March 30 1907 Weak-minded but is much less irritable, suspicious than she was. occupies herself fairly well - cannot sustain a conversation for more than 2 or 3 minutes of time only on the very simplest subjects - has little memory. Physically is feeble - but is stronger than she

Miss Cokerum. W. 244. Aug. 26. 95.

R.C.D.

Oh! I had your
letter about the
a few days ago
I was I was not there

W.H. MS. 5158 (p. 244)

occupies
herself
fairly
well,
but the
being
less the
R.C.D.
a fairly
really
R.C.D.
with
self
R.C.D.
more
useful -
R.C.D.

June 7. continues as on last note - physical health improved. R.C.D.

Sept. 16- Weak-minded with little memory. (cannot tell the day of the week, her age, nor (often) the time of day but is less depressed & irritable than she was - Physically though she is stronger than she was - she is still rather feeble. There is some paroxysm of R.C.D. & there is marked tremor - (see letter above) R.C.D.

(cont. 3 p. 244)

Miss Kate Edmonson (cont.)

26 April. She remains nervous, suspicious & depressed. She refuses to have anything to say to her brother as she appears to think he is unprincipled & dishonest. She occupies herself with reading & she reflects by request to be allowed to smoke cigarettes.

Body, health good. (Caldwell)

28 April This evening, after a long conversation, she admitted she heard daily the voice of some one (whether natural or ordered she cannot say) giving her advice telling her not to do things & prophesying as to the future. She believes ^{some} people see the future in crystals. She sometimes talks in a strange voice, but believes the advice is always good. Hall

27 May She has once more settled down into her suspicious mood - She now refuses to talk to me on but the most ordinary topics. She requires cigarettes, but has refused one more than from my case & appeared startled when I told her the information "they were not dressed" & not deny that she thought so. - She refuses occupy herself in any useful way & at times off her guard appears preoccupied as though listening to voices. Body condition very good. (Halden)

6 June 4 ~~Miss Edmonson was today discharged from the hospital of Capt. & Dr. Duffan.~~

15 August. She has so far improved that she is now allowed out unaccompanied on parole. She takes vigorous walking exercise, and her friends have requested that she be allowed home shortly on trial. (Caldwell)

Oct 5th The improvement continued & she was today allowed to go "on leave". J.B. Henderson

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John Gray

John for Lewis

Young

John

June 7. Continues as on last note - physical health improved. R.C.D.
Sept: 16- Weak-minded with little memory. (cannot tell the day of the week, her age, nor (often) the time of day but is less depressed & irritable than she was - Physically though she is stronger than she was - she is still rather feeble. There is some paresis of R^t side & there is marked tremor - (see letter above) R.C.D.

(cont. p. 24)

20 April. She remains nervous, suspicious & isolated...
She refuses to have anything to say to her brother
as she appears to think he is unfairly treated.
She occupies herself with reading & she repeatedly
requests to be allowed to smoke cigarettes.

Body health good (C. D. H.)

28 April. This evening, after a long conversation, she admitted she heard
daily the voice of some one (whether natural or supernatural
she cannot say) giving her advice telling her not to do certain
things & prophesying as to the future. She believes people can
see the future in crystal. She sometimes states as to the
of the voice, but believes the advice is always good. Halden

27 May. She has once more settled down into her suspicious
mood. She now refuses to talk to me or say
but the most ordinary topics. She requests
cigarettes, but has refused one more than once
from my case & appeared startled when I volunteered
the information "they were not smoked" & would
not deny that she thought so. She refuses to
occupy herself in any useful way & at times when
off her guard appears preoccupied & though
listening to voices. Body condition very good. Halden

June 4. ~~She was today discharged~~
~~by order of Capt. & Dr. Halden~~

15 August. She has so far improved that she is now
allowed out unaccompanied on parole.
She takes vigorous walking exercise, and
her friends have requested that she be
allowed home shortly on bail. Halden

Oct. 5th. The improvement continued & she was
today allowed to go "on leave". J. B. Henderson

Dec. 30th. Was today discharged "Recovered" by the authority
of her brother. J. B. Henderson

March 30th. Weak-minded but is much less irritable &
suspicious than she was. occupies herself
fairly well - cannot sustain a conversation for
more than 2 or 3 minutes & then only on the very
simplest subjects - has little memory.
Physically is feeble - but is stronger than she
was & takes more exercise than she did. R.C.D.

June 30. Is weak-minded but fairly cheerful & occupies
herself as much as is good for her somewhat
feeble health - memory very poor. Physically
is distinctly stronger & is much out of doors,
taking short country walks, strolling about the
garden or sitting out reading a book or doing
needlework. Has been at Holly Lodge since the
17th March. R.C.D.

Sept. 30. Condition unchanged - but she continues fairly
cheerful & is much less irritable. Physically
is stronger & much less anaemic. R.C.D.

Dec. 29. Less irritable & depressed - weak-minded with
little memory & initiative - occupies herself
fairly & is much less anaemic. R.C.D.

March 21. 98. Weak-minded but occupies herself a little more
than she did & is less irritable & more cheerful.
Phys. health somewhat improved. R.C.D.

June 7. Continues as on last note - Phys. health
improved. R.C.D.

Sept. 16. Weak-minded with little memory. Examined
till the day of the week, her age, nor (often) the
time of day but is less depressed & irritable than
she was. Physically though she is stronger
than she was - she is still rather feeble. There
is some paresis of R. side & there is marked
tremor. (see letter above) R.C.D.

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No 767

Adm. 23. Mar 91

Oct 11. 90

C. in d.

1st Cert.

2nd Cert.

Lam. Hist.

Previous History

Condition on admission.

Libby Mary Clifford. 26. Single Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Clifford. Roman Catholic. Pres. abode 16 Alexander St. Birmingham. 1st attack of about 6 mts duration. Supposed cause Religious excitement. It is not unusual, epileptic nor dangerous.

She said to me, "I am suffering from religious mania so they say" she says the doctors and others have asked her, she says if God wishes her to refuse food she will not take it. Has been at times cataplectic refused food. Very excited & restless, says had not been honest, told she will not obey me nor take what I order. That my soul is not saved, that protestants do not speak the truth. Has refused her food & stated that she would not eat food. Has had to be fed by the nurse. sec. L. M. Lums. 11 Oct. 90. Nil.

A-Physical. a tall girl with brown hair cut short & hanging loose brown eyes, pupils equal & react, clear, healthy, ruddy complexion, variable open expressions at no time minus thoughtful tendency to the sad, at another hilarious & careless. Tongue clean, moist & steady, appetite good & bowels regular. She is fairly worried & presents very doubtful symptoms of disease at right apex. eg. faint crepitation was thought to be present.

B. Mental - She is depressed gloomy, silent, selfish & hypochondriacal - She states she is very delicate & sensitive into still as to what she should have for her meals & also that it would be necessary for her to lie down morning & afternoon - During conversation she was often absent minded appearing not to hear what was said, at

another nervous & gloomy, & at another hilarious & frivolous. She remembers having refused her food I said she did so from mixed motives, chiefly because God wished her not to take it. She is good bodily health, but remains silent, & morbid. She will sit for long writing or drawing with others in the room, but will not speak - she is irritable, very careful respecting her diet, and always manoeuvring to get into her bedroom to lie down.

5 April.

18 April

23 April.

25 May

She is improving mentally. She occupies herself with needlework & drawing, walks in garden, out & in, & is commencing to make friends with others in her gallery. Bodily condition good. The improvement is maintained. She is still however nervous, hypochondriacal, & morbidly self-conscious - continually thinking whether certain articles of diet are good for her & sudden turning of mind an opportunity of reclining during the day time. General health good. She continues to improve - & now allows herself to walk with another outside grounds. 11 April 91.

Sebst Mary Clifford (cont)

13 June 1891 She has remained perfectly well since last entry, using her parole daily, attending services at the R.C. Church at Weybridge on Sunday.

She went on leave today in charge of her mother Hadcroft.

6 Sep: 91 Was today discharged "Recovered" 913 Headline

Elice Maria Cokerem (cont) (p: 244 & 245)

Dec: 13. Continues to slowly become more demented & is somewhat more feeble than she was - occasionally wet & dirty - R.C.D.

5th April 1899 Continues unchanged - Physical health fair R.C.D.

April 6 - slowly becoming more feeble - now requires much help in dressing & undressing & to be attended to in all respects like a child - Paresis increasing - today came up to the Infirmary - R.C.D.

June 6 - slowly becoming more demented & helpless - cannot now occupy herself at all - reaction to questions is very slow & she is quite incapable of entering into conversation - R.C.D.

Sept: 10 - Very feeble - quite unoccupied, & can rarely even dress or undress herself - there is marked difficulty in voluntary muscular control, her fingers are stiff & the small muscles "stammer" on voluntary movements - occasionally wet & dirty & requires attention in all respects like a child - R.C.D.

Dec: 11 - Practically quite unchanged - R.C.D.

March 5.00 Demented - unoccupied & rarely speaks voluntarily - very automatic & requires constant attention - Physically is feeble & the muscular incoordination is increasing - R.C.D.

June 21. Unoccupied & silent - often wet & requires constant attention in all respects - Phys: is feeble - & the incoordination slowly advances - incontinence beginning - R.C.D.

Sept: 10. Unoccupied & automatic - requires to be washed dressed & undressed - is inattentive to the calls of nature - incoordination increasing - & she is slowly becoming more feeble - R.C.D.

Oct: 2. On Sept: 30 had a severe "fainting fit" - yesterday again became unconscious with convulsions

No 443

Adm. 4 Apr. 91
Old. d. 3 Apr. 91
C. inst.

Constance Beatrice Coddington. 21. Single. Spinster.
Ch. of England. Prev. abode Blackbridge House, Mincing
don't - present (vide case book 4. 191). Duration of present
attack about 4 days. Supposed cause. Excitement on return
of brother from India. It is not suicidal, epileptic nor
dangerous.

1st Cert.

She is much excited, carries on a rambling conversation
with a number of people interspersed with whistles. Her
conversation implies that she is just at one place then another.
2nd Cert. Addressed me as her brother. Held conversations with
nursing people, shouted, raised a ring. Acting most
violently, throwing her arms about, snuffing fingers, whistling.

Fam. Hist.

Mother eccentric & idiosyncratic. Father committed
suicide shortly after the commencement of her 1st attack.

Present Attack.

was exposed for
10 1/2 months prior
to admission in April 91

Conditions on
admission

She has recovered perfectly, with the exception of
writing about 5 days previous when she became excited
about the return of a brother from India & was
admitted with acute mania.

A. Physical. vide case book 2 p. 191.

well nourished, with no physical signs of disease
in thoracic or abdominal organs
no bruise -



B. Intellectual. Acute mania.

She paces up & down the gallery,
throwing her arms about,
laughing, shouting, whistling
& talking incoherently. - 11

April 6 She has remained in
the same state of acute mania
as on admission - no sleep.
Taking her food badly. - Today
she is having continuous Bells. She is

11

11 April 91. Ten days ago her head was shaved for 2 inches.
about 1/2 inch of neck & a blister applied & she
has had a slight draught of chloral hydrate
with very beneficial results. - 1/2 doz. Hyoscin 1/2 doz. 4/91.

She is quieter though still restless, pacing up &
down the gallery, answering inquiring voices &
throwing her arms about - Physical health good -
but is not taking her food well. - 11

20 April

She remains maniacal - walking rather up & down
the gallery or airing-courtyard, throwing her arms about
& incoherently talking. She is however quieter
than many reports better. Body condition good. - 11

[Faded]

27 April

She remains in a condition of acute mania -
incoherently talking, waving her arms about,
& pacing the gallery or airing-courtyard in a
scattered & restless fashion. - Body condition good. - 11

[Faded]

27 May

[Faded]

She remains restless, noisy, excited with acute
mania as in last entry. - Body condition good. - 11

28 June

She still remains maniacal, but is less
noisy. Takes her food well but sleeps indifferently.
- Body condition good. - 11 (Caldecott).

25 July

Patient has greatly improved, although
still rather excited & talkative she is now
able to control it, makes herself useful in
the gallery, does needlework, plays on the
piano and attends service in chapel. Sometimes
very noisy at night. Health good. J.B. Henderson.

14 Oct.

She is now practically well - and is allowed
out on parole. She makes herself very
useful about the garden & her body (as
well as mental) health is satisfactory. - 11

22 Oct. 91

Went on leave today.

24 Dec. 91

Was today discharged "Recovered"

Alice Maria Cochran (cont'd p: 248)

duration till the night of marked twitching of the right side of the face - again repeated with afternoon - Today is better but there is marked difficulty in swallowing - RCD -

Nov: 10. Has steadily improved & is now back in her usual state RCD.

Dec: 29. Continues weak-minded - unoccupied & incapable of entering into conversation - can answer very simple questions with slow reaction - requires to be attended to like a baby - Has had no further fit of convulsions much as before - RCD -

March 2. 01. Continues as on last note - is very feeble mentally & bodily - RCD -

June 8. Continues demented unoccupied & incapable of conversation or of looking after herself - is very frail & there is marked paresis & inco-ordination - no further fit - RCD -

Sept: 9. slowly becoming more demented & feeble. the paresis & inco-ordination are increasing & there is some rigidity & contracture of the hands - no further fit - RCD -

Dec: 30. Continues to slowly fail, mentally & bodily - no further fit - RCD -

Jan: 16. 02. Was yesterday removed to Harwell under Dec: 19 - examined before leaving & found to have no marks or bruises

Discharged Jan: 15. 02.

June 12 Patient has had a right mammary abscess which was opened yesterday much pus escaping. She is being kept in bed. S.H.R.

No 442

Charlotte Bailey. W. Married. Ch. of England.

Adm. 11 Apr. 1891. No occup. Pres. abode 22 Parantham Gardens, SW 1, abode of about 3 years duration, commencing at age 44; nowhere previously treated. Cause unknown. Pts. epileptic & sometimes violent but not suicidal at present.

- 1st Cert: She told me an untrue story of the behaviour towards her of her husband & other children. Her manner to her husband & son was violent & abusive. Memory for recent events ^{very} effective. Continually quarrelling with servants & making immoral accusations against them. Refuses to undress at night, sleep in day clothes.
- 2nd Cert: Locked all the servants in her room, attacked them with a stick, turned her daughter out of doors. Completely altered, abuses husband & children. Has suffered from epileptic fits for over two years.

Yarn: Hist. Tel.

Previous History.Condition on Admission

A. Physical. a woman of average height light hair turning grey, grey eyes, pupils equal & naturally small, features wrinkled, complexion dusky & sallow, dull, sad expression. Appetite fair, bowels regular. Tongue clean moist & ready. No marks or bruises nor evidence of recent injury. She is fairly nourished & presents no physical signs of disease. No trace of abdominal organs.

B. Mental. mad since she was garrulous, quarrelsome, & abusive. She complained of everything & everybody. Her room was not good enough, her nurse was a rude hussey & she herself had been hustled out of house like a prisoner. She gave a long rambling account of her actions during the past 3 days in which she contradicted herself frequently & stated that daughter & relatives were against her & the servants an immoral set, & that she had been turned out of her house on account of the wedding of her son.

20 April. She has settled down comfortably. She comes down to the 1st class dining hall, goes out for walks during the day & makes herself very noticeable in the gallery in the evening. She still maintains she was sent away from home so as to ruin her son's wedding & contradicts herself frequently in explaining her difference with her relatives & domestics. During conversation she is sentimental & at times bursts into tears.

27 April. There is great improvement to be noted. She is quiet, good-tempered & less depressed. She tells the Supt. however that she should like him to give her a dose to finish her off for ever. She now states she only said this as a joke. She recognizes now that she acted in a very odd & peculiar manner before admission & says her memory of what passed is hazy, that she seems to have awoken from a dream & cannot quite recollect what did happen. She is eating & sleeping well. General health fair.

4 May. She continues to improve, but at present time is rather forgetful. She seems to have had a slight

By Gramma 304
H. Bailey Co. 304
9 May 1891

Charlotte Bailey. (continued)

Epileptic fit yesterday & this may account for
her irritable state of mind - Body condition
good. (Hacdr/H)

9 May. She was today removed "relieved" to.

Bishopstone House, Bedford, by the authority
of Vincent Bailey. (Hacdr/H)

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No 778

Adm. 16 Apr. 91

Disch. 16 Apr. 91

C. in L. 17 Apr. 91

Ann Walker. Lunatic by Inquisition

Family History.
Previous HistoryCondition on
admission

A. Physical: a woman of average height, with red hair, steel grey eyes, pupils equal, small & erect. fair freckled complexion - vacillating changeable expression - tongue clean, moist & ready, affable but grossly combative - She is fairly nourished, but is tottering on her feet, dragging off as she walks. She presents no physical signs of disease in throat or abdominal organs - Breasts of right arm & left elbow in admission.

B. Mental. Weak-mindedness - She is restless, constantly turning her eyes about in different directions, twisting her legs from & about - twisting her fingers - She remains unoccupied & when addressed turns her head away & looks generally does not answer, if she does her response is either a memory lapse, or totally irrelevant - She is constantly muttering to herself.

H. B. C. 11

26 April. She is decidedly improved physically. She eats with relish & is stronger in her legs - mentally she remains as an admission constantly muttering to herself, remains unoccupied. When addressed smiles patronizing & turns away. She frequently mutters in her sleep as well as during the day. (H. B. C. 11)

2 May. She continues to improve in bodily health & is gaining quite a colour in her cheeks - She walks out daily in the grounds, but will not occupy herself in any useful way at present. (H. B. C. 11)

9 May. There is no change. She is not in much state - her bodily condition continues to improve. (H. B. C. 11)

16 May. This last entry she has rather deteriorated & it has been necessary to give her a room in the main building. She is more restless, irritable & foolish, pointing her lips, shaking her head, muttering to herself &c. She requires pushing from room to room & room & times refuses her food. (H. B. C. 11)

16 June. She remains in the same condition as on last entry. constantly muttering to herself, shaking her head & waving her hands, refusing to occupy herself in any way. Bodily condition good, but she is somewhat thinner. (H. B. C. 11)

16 July. No improvement can be noted. Patient continues unoccupied, generally talking incoherently to herself, refuses to shake hands. She seems happy & obstinate. Health fair.

4 Oct. Remains unchanged. (H. B. C. 11)

Jan 8:92. Has been down at Brighton a good while now. There is no mental improvement. She refuses to occupy herself, is continually twisting her fingers or picking them, chatters continually & incoherently to herself, generally making a

running commentary on what is taking place around. Her remarks are generally sarcastic or derisive. Often refuses to shake hands & gets excited if the request to do so is persisted in.

Health fair.

J.B. Henderson

Feb. 8. Returned from Brighton three days ago in good health. Mental condition as before. J.B. Henderson

Feb. 16:92 Was transferred today to Litchfield Asylum by the authority of J.B. Bulwer, Master in Chancery. Relieved.

No 481

Adm 23 Apr 91

M.D. 16 Apr 91

C. ind. 24 Apr 91

1st Cert.

2nd Cert.

Fam. Hist.

Fam. History

Condition on admission

Jessima Leonora Lalmon 65 Widow (of Colonel Indian Army) Protestant. Pres. Abode 22 Chaffersburg Rd Southw. 1st aback commencing at age of 65 of nearly 3 mo duration somewhere previously treated. Cause unknown. (Lost her husband 16 mo ago. This not epileptic nor ^{dangerous} suicidal but has a suicidal tendency (See Royal Cholesterol Feb 4 91) Complains that there is a sharp pain in her head, and she is full of troubles, would have trouble about money affairs & not be able to pay her rent. Asked for food & shelter. Her actions look & judge by restless manner. Said "she would like to throw herself out of the window but she may not that she will be thrown out into the street. Is young blind & deaf. Going to prison soon. M.D. Dublin 14 Apr 91. Melancholic expression now great restlessness, continually watching the window & door expecting to be overheard & interfered with. Has a templed suicide with Cholesterol Carbolic Acid. Her continual cry is that she has no means to live. M.D. Haysgate 15 Apr 91.

Has always been considered mild & healthy, active & industrious - 18 months ago lost her husband which caused her great worry & anxiety & for some months has lost her appetite been sleepless at night & then developed melancholia with delusions - Has threatened suicide once or twice.

A. Physical. An elderly widow with grey hair blue eyes, pupils equal & react both light & accommodation, dusky complexion with marked capillary congestion over malar bones, sad & anxious expression. Tongue clean, moist, & slightly discolored. Appetite bad, bowels constipated. Suffers from bleeding hemorrhoids. She is fairly nourished with no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs, no evidence of recent injury.

P. Mental. Melancholia - She sits occupied, silent, & depressed. States that she is absolutely ruined & will have to be turned out of house & home & at the same time admit she has a pension equal to about £240 a year & only herself & daughter & keep - Blackcroft. 30 April. She remains silent & depressed, occupies herself a little with needlework & ironmongery & takes an interest in her surroundings. Health fair.

7 May. There is no change to report in either mental or bodily condition. She continues silent & depressed & cannot prevent herself from thinking she is absolutely ruined - Blackcroft.

13 May. Unchanged - Blackcroft.

23 May. There is some further improvement - She occupies herself in reading, needlework, & is assisting the nurse with other ladies - She is still depressed & silent, never volunteering a conversation & says she will have to leave home for prison as there is no money to pay for her keep. She is sleeping better & eating fairly well. Blackcroft.

23 June. She continues to occupy herself busily, but remains possibly depressed unable to dismiss the idea that her affairs are in a hopeless state of ruin & she will have to be turned into the street - Physically she remains the same, but eats & sleeps well. Blackcroft.

23 July. Patient continues as described, silent, occupied, depressed. But will answer questions readily. Health fair. Appetite not very good. J. D. Henderson.

25th. Her condition has much improved - She is not markedly depressed - she occupies herself readily in needlework & replies cheerfully to questions. Today she was allowed home on trial. - R.D.H.

24 Dec: 91. Was today discharged "Recovered"

No 783 Sarah Jane Pleasance Drake .55 widowed
 adms 27 April 91 no occupation. Church of England.
 Inds 2 28 April 91 Pres. abode 12 Ambrose Place, Worthing. This
 Clin. 28 April 91 is her 1st attack of about 2 weeks duration,
 the supposed cause being anxiety & domestic worry.
 She is neither epileptic nor suicidal, but at times
 violent.

1st Certificate. W. 10, excitable, delirium, tearing her
 excitedly, incoherent in conversation &
 poisoned her. R. A. D.

2nd Certificate. Had the talk incoherently - says she can
 her clothes an officer & does not know
 at the present time. She is very irritable.

Family History absolutely negative? Daughter & her
 her life has been one continuous and
 her husband, who was a clergyman &
 living a life of drunken debauchery.
 ago a son returned without warning &
 unexpectedly came to the house. His
 & from this time some friends think she
 three weeks ago a daughter who at
 for her degree at the London Univ. &
 health than ever & continues her



for the first
 to know of
 of mind &
 day, though at times re-
 fairly rational & conscious,
 at times has been noisy,
 incoherent, & badly like
 & even violent - her whole
 disposition has always been
 variable & excitable.

Condition on admission

A. Physical. She was admitted in the middle of
 the night - a tall woman, with grey hair
 grey eyes. Pupils equal, react, rather small.
 neck & chest with capillary congestion over
 malar bones, harassed, changeable expression
 at times with excited. Tongue red, raw & dry
 cracked at the edges. Lips dry, cracked, & covered

HISTORY OF CASE		TREATMENT		NAME	
ADDRESS		OCCUPATION		AGE	
DISEASE		SEX		RESULT	
POCKET CHART FOR BEDSIDE CASE TAKING Compiled by ROBERT SIMPSON, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S. John Wright & Co. Publishers, Bristol. COPYRIGHT					

had a blacking cloth on - removed to padded room &
 half of Hyoscin in my administration. Slept 6 hours & in the
 morning quiet, rational, taking her food - meaning definite
 9.30 p.m. T. 101. Had 3 hours continuous bath - noisy & hysterical
 Tongue red, glazed, moist - Delirious chatter.
 Threw sleep. Bath 8.30 - 11 a.m. Took all food. Mottled
 & white blot. 6.30. Bath till 9 p.m. Dry & noisy

No 783. Sarah Jane Pleasance Duke .55 widowed

no occupation. Church of England. -
Pres. abode 12 Ambrose Place, Worthing. His
is his 1st attack of about 2 weeks duration,
the supposed cause being anxiety & domestic worry.
She is neither epileptic nor suicidal, but at times
violent.

1st Certificate
was. Wild, excitable & derisive, tearing her clothing, screaming
excitedly, incoherent in conversation & says her son has
poisoned her. A. A. Dulle. 26 Apr. 91.

7th Certificate Let the talk, obviously - says she cannot breathe under her clothes as often & does not know where she is staying at the present time. She is very irritable towards her mother.
Thames Valley
26 Apr. 91.

Family History
Reverin History

absolutely negative? daughter vice versa.
Her life has been one continuous anxiety worry.
Her husband, who was a chatty man died instant after
living a life of drunken debauch. Five months
ago a son returned instant warning from Canada &
unexpectedly came to the house. His act as a shock
& from that time I have feared (think) she has changed.
Three weeks ago a daughter who about to complete
her degree at the London Univ. broke down in
health & was order to discontinue her studies. A

for thought also she commenced
to have distinct operation
of mind & for the last few
days, though at times per-
fectly rational & conscious,
at times has been noisy,
incoherent, & maddish like
a *Seca Violent* - Her natural
disposition has always been
variable & excitable -



Condition of
admission

A. Physical. She was admitted in the middle of the night - a tall woman, with grey hair & grey eyes. Pupils equal, react, rather small. Muddy complexion with capillary congestion over malar bones, harassed ^{rest} & heavy pale sleepiness at times with excited. Tongue red, raw & dry cracked at the edges. Lips dry, cracked, & covered with sores. She is fairly nourished nourished & ^{speech} presents has a loud mitral systolic bruit - aneurysm; bruised on admission - Pelvic hard soft & compressible.

5. Butal - Germanie. She was admitted in the evening of the 26th as a V.B. our quiet & rational; on the morning of the 27th she was noisy, refused her breakfast. She shortly became noisy, wild, excitable, undressing herself, refusing her food believing it is poisoned, chattering constantly on subjects of true impressions. The rambling approaches to delirium. Her memory is much impaired eg. after having been in a bath for 4 1/2 hours, she said she had been in 2 1/2 hours. - She says she saw her name scratched upon the wall ^(written) - & knew it meant she was fore-ordained to be killed here. That I was to do so was unadvising & poisoning in her food -

H. Aldrich.

28. ⁶ Yesterday 8 hours continuous bath - Fed 3 times with tubes.
Sublethal dose at 9.30 pm. at 11.30 pm. She was carrying
m. g. xij
at 11.30
6 max
30
stated (had gagged her, prime) her pa refused to get into
bed & keep any clothes on - removed to padded room &
sup. of Moraine in my administration. Slept alone & is this
morning quiet, rational, taking her food - naming people
9.30 p.m. T. 101. had 3 hours continuous bath - very dry & mis-
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terious red, stayed, moist - ordinary matter.
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Thomus slept. Bath 8.30 - 11 am. Taken all food. yellow
15 white tide. 6.30. Bath till 9 pm. In 10 pm very

Sarah Jane Pleasant Duke (cont.)

1891. 20 Apr. 4 hours sleep - restless, excited, kicking off bed clothes & constantly chattering. Bath 8.30. am to 12. - quiet. Bath at 6 pm. Bath to 9. 1/2 hr. m.v. (Haldenst)
- 1 May. 6 hours sleep. Bath 9. to 4.30. Inguis dry. no. sl. & + crachy. Struggling violently from 2-5 pm. T. 103. lung exam. 1/2 base dull - bronchophony - no crackles. high pitched cough. rales along ant. & post. pl. lung. 1/2 hr. m.v. (Haldenst)
- 2 May. Bath to home. torup night dress - forced feeding required. 1/2 hr. m.v. (Haldenst)
- 4 May. Quiet - good night. rough double bruise at base of neck (Haldenst)
- 5 May. Bath 8-2. quiet. no. m.v. (Haldenst)
- 6 May. Refusing food. Bath 3 hours. 1/2 hr. m.v. (Haldenst)
- 8 May. Bath 3 hours. Sulphonal 2 pills. Excited at 8 pm. Hot paracetamol 3/4. (Haldenst)
- 9 May. no bath. quiet during sleeping sounds at intervals. Taken food well. no m.v. or. Sleeping draught given.
- 10 May. Parasthetic bruit 1 inch outside, ran level with, nipple. Restless during night got up & fell. Scraps her back at level of upper dorsal vertebrae. Complaint of pain in right side localized to axillary line at level of 10-11th ribs - rubable - no fracture can be made.
- 11 May. Friction sound on right side circumscribed up to level 2. angle of scapula, side strapped. She complains of no pain, snatches easily & pulls herself up with her right arm - eating & sleeping well.
- 12 May. Improving rapidly - was up for 3 hours this evening but became very excited & childish & frivolous and at the same time was very weak. Mentally she is confused, & incapable of understanding the meaning of things generally respecting her position, her clothes.
- 17 May. There is marked improvement to be recorded. She is rational, but confused - inquires her clothes.

Sarah Jane Pleasant Duke (cont.)

- to see some or being scorned by others. She is also suspicious & cannot understand the meanings of things generally. She has hallucinations of hearing the voices being those of her son & Dr. Back to Haldenst. Mentally she is confused - constantly hears her son groaning & calling for help. at times she is excited noisy & violent, at others almost stuporous or cataleptic. Her bodily condition is rapidly improving. (Haldenst)
- 27 June. Patient is very much improved, she is now in No. 1 & is allowed to walk beyond the grounds with another. She is slightly emotional & a little restless. seems to have a little difficulty in concentrating her attention on any game, with these exceptions she is practically convalescent. Health good. (J. B. Henderson)
- 10 Aug. Patient went on leave today to her friends (J. B. Henderson)
- 13 Sep. Patient was today discharged. "Recovered" (J. B. Henderson)

Britannia Press. from page 274.

Jan. 26. 94. Was not able to remain in the 1 long as she became
very abusive, complaining & disagreeable. She is
now in the 6. E. L. Don

March 27. Today removed "relieved" to Halford House
Sunbury by authority of E. F. Thos Ross.

No 794

Adm. 24 Apr. 91
M.A. 16 Nov. 88
C.M.S. 25 Apr. 91
Cont. R. 22 Apr. 91

Britannia Ross, Single 53. Gentlewoman.
Ch. of England. Prev. abode Richmond, Surrey. No 1st
attack. 1st attack at age of 41. Duration of existing
attack about 18 years. Treated at Manor House, Chiswick
& with Mr P. Rolton, Medbourne House, Cambridge Wells, (since
1877) suffered case "Delirium for marriage". This is not
epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert.

States she suffers great bodily pain from a system
carried on by persons who succeed in drugging her tea, or bag tea.
Takes & smells the drug & has often thrown the tea away. Relieves
the pain is prevented from marrying her by this plot. Mrs
Cumberland especially interferes with her. Drugs have caused a
green sweat & prevent action of bowels. D.H. Luke 19 Nov. 1888

2nd Cert.

Morbidly suspicious, thinks her boxes are opened & letters
tampered with at Post Office. Thinks food is drugged.
Chased Mrs Cumberland round the church & called her a
liar in church, &c. J. Ferguson 2 Nov. 1888

Fam. Hist.

Revised. 16 Feb. 1895.

Condition on
admission

A. Physical - A stout woman, with brown
hair, blue eyes, pupils 5 lines & react to light
& accommodation - pale, hard, glossy complexion.
Patient complains of some uterine misplacement
& is wearing a support on examination some
marked thickening is felt in L. fornix as of old-
standing parametritis with this exception there
are no phys. signs of disease in thoracic or
abdominal organs.

B. Mental - Mania
with ideas of persecution.
Patient was very much
excited when being brought
here both in the train
& coming up from the station.
She refused to come & lay down
on the road.

She believes there is a league
of Dr. & clergy who keep her
in asylums & that she

has been made to undergo improper medical
treatment. J.B. Henderson.

May 4th. Patient continues to hold the delusions already
mentioned, she is full of complaints and is at times
violent & abusive & noisy. J.B. Henderson

May 11th. Patient has settled down fairly quietly, & although
still full of delusions as to her illegal treatment
she is quieter & was moved from No. 2 to No. 1.

May 11th. Unchanged.

May 26. Patient is occasionally very troublesome &
abusive, objecting to conform to the general
arrangements of the Gallery, she was accordingly
sent back to No. 5 on the 23rd. She continues
to hold the delusions of persecution by doctors
& clergymen against her. J.B. Henderson.

June 20th. Mentally there is not much alteration, patient
retains her ideas of persecutions & thinks that
the nurses do things specially to annoy her.
From the 5th to 17th patient was in bed suffering
from dysmenorrhoea, the complaints frequently
of pain in the rt side & constipation.

July 24. Patient still retains the idea of persecution,
thinks that she has been put under restraint

illegally through the influence of some doctors & a lady and a vicar, she thinks the latter did it from kindness & probably her matrimonial intention towards her. Patient is at times troublesome resisting the nurses, but as a rule is quiet & occupies herself with a book. Has generally some complaints to make about her health. J.B. Henderson.

Oct. 1. She is quarrelsome & spiteful, and continues to give much annoyance to nurses & other patients - If allowed she would spend all her time in bed with a novel, though there is no doubt she suffers considerably at the menstrual period - Last week she had hysterical attacks of uric acid. She shows some craving for stimulants. - J.B.H.

Jan. 8: 92. Patient continues about the same. She is generally complaining about something but has not recently made any great complaint. Her health has been fair of late but she seems to think that she is going to be ill. J.B. Henderson.

Feb. 9. Patient did become unwell ^(Jan 18) as she expected and it was accompanied by the usual condition of nervousness & general abstinence. She wishes to lie in bed & refuses to go to the infirmary for the purpose & sometimes violence is thwarted. She complained of pain & throbbing in the st. throat region. Per vag. There is marked anteversion the os being tilted almost beyond reach, a tumor about the size of a small orange appears to fill the left passage. There is some thickening in the right fornix also. Patient has now recovered ^{from the menstrual episode} and is fairly contented & occupies herself with music, games &c and walks out on parole. J.B. Henderson.

May 25: Patient is as variable as ever. At one time amiable & agreeable, at another time dissatisfied

with every thing, this being particularly marked at the periods which are attended by pain. She believes that for years passed drugs have been administered to her in her food at the instigation of some friends and that it causes her pain but that it is intended to do her good ultimately and that it is really done out of kindness to her. She thinks that as she must lie in bed during the monthly period this period is selected for the administration of the drug so that she need not be kept in bed twice.

She believes that she is only allowed to go to places where someone can be found willing to administer the drug and that she has been certified in order to render this illegal administration of drugs legal. She is childish & petted in manner. Health fair & just recovering from dynamitis. J.B. Henderson. Patient remains much the same, apt to be abusive if worried by anything, at other times fairly pleasant. She has been somewhat depressed lately owing to the death of a cousin. She occupies herself with books & work, comes to No. 1. Every evening, walks out on parole, and frequently goes to Richmond to do shopping. Health fair. J.B. Henderson.

Nov. 30. Unchanged.

Dec. 24. Has been in bed lately suffering from dynamitis. The 1st period she has had for some months. J.L. Dove.

March. 2. Has not had another period - Still hypochondriacal & stuffy & occasionally very abusive. Ideas of persecution. J.L. Dove.

April 29. Went on leave. J.L. Dove.

June 20. Still on leave. J.L. Dove.

Oct. 30. Returned from leave Sep. 16 in a very agreeable frame of mind & was able to go to No. 1. J.L. Dove.

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Supposed cause. Religious Influence & too much isolation.
P. is no epileptic nor dangerous, but suicidal.

3rd Cert: Depressed in mind & has voluntarily come to see with Mr. Lamb as a patient in hope of finding occupation to distract her thoughts from melancholy. Confers, having contemplated self-destruction - D. Hack Feb. 26 Oct. 74

Lane: Hurl:
Pres. Hurl:

Condition on Admission. A Physical. Patient is a tall thin lady with smooth light brown hair, blue eyes pupils equal react, complexion clear, features well marked. Expression rather worried. Nerves excitable & energetic. Speech clear, hurried, voluble. No physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

May 9. 91. Patient occupies herself constantly in house-
work but says she only does it because it is
given her to do. She is unkindminded, has marked
loss of memory, repeats flatly contradicts herself
frequently in conversation & writes long, rambling
incoherent letters. Health fair. J. B. Henderson

May 16. 91 Unchanged. Patient continues to work hard but is still unhappy, begs that a friend may be telegraphed for to prove that what she says is true. Is rambling in conversation & complains most of loss of all power to think or will, or love to her relatives. Health fair. J. B. Henderson

May 25: No improvement, patient is constantly busy about the house but still has the same complaints. I lose weight. Health good. J. B. Henderson

2 June 91. Patient is still in the same agitated & melancholic state when spoken to. Says she has lost all power to will, that she cannot do any thing of her own accord, that she is unable to think about any thing, that her hands never act & that the food & the place are much too good for her. She is generally to be seen working quietly in the dormitories or mess-room. Health good. J. B. Henderson

2 July. 91. No perceptible alteration can be noticed

3rd Aug. Patient continues to occupy herself in

the dormitories & mess room, but insists that she has no power to do anything of her own will, says that her bowels never act, & that she feels as if nails were clawing into her head. Her speech is voluble & excited & accompanied by descriptive gestures. Health good. J. B. Henderson

Oct. 5. 16.

Unchanged. Health good.

J. B. Henderson

Jan. 9. 17.

Patient retains her old delusions that her bowels never act & that she is "all wrong". She is very anxious to be allowed to go somewhere to assist in the care of imbecile children. She employs herself usefully all day but says she has no heart for her work or anything else & thinks she causes her relatives to suffer hardships by being here. Health good. J. B. Henderson

May 26.

Patient remains much as before always longing to go somewhere where she could feel some interest in life. She is excitable when speaking but at other times quiet & likes to keep by herself as she finds her head confused with the people. She says that she never sleeps at night (but this is not confirmed by the nurses). Health satisfactory. J. B. Henderson

Aug. 4

Patient went on leave today.

Nov. 1.

Still on leave.

March 14.

Still on leave.

June 20.

On leave

E. D. Dore.

Aug. 21.

Discharged "recovered" by authority of W. G. Hughes

N^o 490

Adm. May 13/91

Rec'd 1 May 12/91

Cin. L. May 14/91

Kathleen Brooks. Single. 40. Formerly Lady's Companion
at Craven. Prev. abode 11 Blenheim Gardens, Wiltenden Green,
Ch. of England. 1st attack about 2 m^{ts} duration,
nowhere treated, commencing at age of 16. Supposed cause
Family Anarchia. It is not epileptic nor dangerous
but possibly suicidal.

1st Cert.

Restless. Constantly walking about, wringing her hands
or reproaching herself, saying that she has brought ruin
upon her family. Imagines persons in street are detectives.
Expressed a desire to destroy herself ^{in a house} with a knife.
2nd Cert. Restlessness. Hallucinations imagining every person
passing as a detective going to arrest family. States that
all the family are indicted. L. H. Taylor. 5 May 91.

Fam. Hist.

Previous History

When her father died the estate was mismanaged, the mother
& daughters had financial troubles & lawsuits. Pt took a position
as daily governess but found it very irksome, then she had
charge of some girls in Sweden but left them there as she found
them unmanageable. She has since been restless, agitated, sleepless & saying
to her food full of delusions about her cupboards & thinks her kitchen
is full of persons & that they are to poison her.

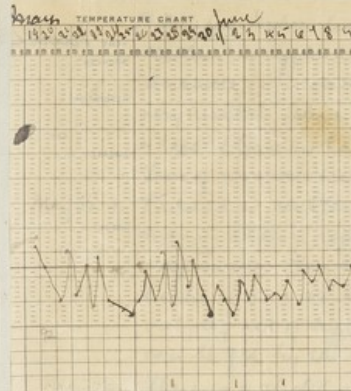
Condition on admission

A. Physical. Patient is a tall thin young lady
with blue eyes, pupils equal
react, light brown hair.
Rather terrified expression
restless & agitated in
manner, refusing food, sleeps
badly. Pruritus on thigh
& body on admission. She is
sharply nourished with no physical
signs of disease in thoracic or
abdominal organs, though the
signs at the apices are
suspicious.



P. H. B.

Oct 9. 1891. Long on leave.



agitated. Patient is very
tall the time of the interview
bles as a rule. Says she is
does not deserve anything
thing in the world.

• becoming speechless
agitated continually
to be employed. Melancholy
treated with prolonged
sedation. Sleep obtained
rare. Requires food but
refuses.

Improvement but patient

is still agitated & unimproved referring to be
occupied. Taking food rather better. Prolonged
baths have been continued, also hypnotics.

June 14th She remains restless unable to occupy herself -
sleeps badly at night & abuses herself during
night & day. She is less trouble with her food
but does not take it voluntarily. She still
believes she is to be tortured or murdered & at
night time of the day, this is her last night
as she is going down to hell, or to be taken
down to the cellar & burnt. - G. A. Scott.

11th She is less restless & agitated, will occasionally
do some plain needlework for a short time
sleep fairly well without sedation. & is
less trouble with her food. Mentally she
remains confused & cannot throw off the
delusion respecting her torture. Bodily condition
fair.

July 13. There is some improvement, but patient still
continues restless & agitated & frequently refuses to
speak. Does plain sewing when in the house.

N^o 790

Adm. May 13/91
 Rec'd 14 May 13/91
 Cmt. May 14/91

Kathleen Brooke. Single. 44

in Caversham. Prev. abode 11 Renshaw
 Ch. of England. 1st attack of about
 nowhere treated, commencing at a
 family amicable. Pt. is not epileptic
 but possibly suicidal.

1st Cert:

Restless. Came lamely walking about
 reproaching herself, saying that
 upon her family. Imagines persons
 to be present a desire to destroy her.

2nd Cert:

Restlessness. Hallucinations -
 passing in a defective going to arm
 all the family are in it. L.H. Taylor. 5 May 91.

Fam. Hist:

Previous History:

When her father died the estate was mismanaged; the mother
 & daughters had financial troubles & lawsuits. Pt. took a position
 as daily governess but found it very irksome, then she had
 charge of some girls in Dicken but left them there as she found
 them unmanageable. She has since been restless, agitated, sleepless & crying
 to take food. Full of delusions about her relatives & thinks she has been
 made to take her relatives to prison & death.

Condition on admission

A. Physical. Patient is a tall thin young lady
 with blue eyes, pupils equal
 react. Light brown hair.
 Rather terrified expression
 restless & agitated in
 manner, refusing food, sleeps
 badly. Bruises on thigh
 & body on admission. She is
 sparsely nourished with no
 signs of disease in thoracic or
 abdominal organs, though the
 signs at the apices are
 suspicious.



Oct 9. 1891. Longman leave.

TREATMENT

NAME

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DISEASE

20. 91

RESULT

B. Mental. Melancholia Agitata. Patient is very
 restless, wriggles about all the time of the interview.
 Answers in monosyllables as a rule. Says she is
 very wicked, that she does not deserve anything
 & adds "I have not a farthing in the world."

Tone of voice distressed & hesitating. Speech disturbed.
 Patient is restless & agitated continually
 moving about, refusing to be employed. Melancholy
 & depressed. Has been treated with prolonged
 baths of 3. 9. & 8 hours duration. Sleep obtained
 only by aid of hypnotics. Refuses food but
 can be fed by the nurse.

There is a slight improvement but patient
 is still agitated & unsatisfied refusing to be
 occupied. Taking food rather better. Prolonged
 baths have been continued, also hypnotics.

July 4th. She remains restless unable to occupy herself -
 sleeps badly at night & abuses herself openly
 night & day. She has trouble with her food
 but does not take it voluntarily. She still
 believes she is to be tortured or murdered & at
 night time often says, this is her last night
 as she is going down to hell, or to be taken
 down to the cellar & burnt. Macdougall.

11th. She is less restless & agitated, is occasionally
 so some plain needlework for a short time
 sleeps fairly well without sedatives & is
 less trouble with her food. Mentally she
 remains confused & cannot throw off the
 illusion respecting her torture. Bodily condition
 fair. Macdougall.

July 13. There is some improvement but patient still
 continues restless & agitated & frequently refuses to
 speak. Does plain sewing when in the house.

Health pretty good. Takes good well's sleep well.
 1/2. 30. Is now practically well and is going
 away shortly on trial. He plays tennis
 5 or 6 times a week - and is in No. 1 gallery -
 J.B. Henderson

Oct. 9. Went home on leave today. Photo taken
 just before starting. J.B. Henderson

Dec. 24. 91 Was today discharged "Recovered"

No 791

Adm. 14 May 91

Ann Henrietta Hunt 34, Lingle, Leighton.
Ch. of England. Prev. abode The Rectory, Lunge.
1st attack of 12 mos. duration. Somewhere treated. Commencing
at age of 33. Cause unknown. Clin. not epileptic
not dangerous, but suicidal.

1st Cert.

In a state of great despondency, moaning & crying
because she says some dreadful thing is going to happen
to her. When asked why she thinks so says the people are
looking at her. Thinks that she has asked people to kill
her & attempted to strangle herself last night. Sleepless.

Refusing food as E. F. Blandford 14 May 91

2nd Cert.

Melancholic. Had been crying recently. Said she was
insane & that she had taken no food today as she
thought it wicked to do so. P. Pipe 15 May 91.

Fam. Hist.

Pastor's History

Relational uncle (cousin of brain) somewhat of a drunkard.
Father died after 8 days. Delirium suffered & loss of brain & sudden onset
on several occasions when she has been ill with fever or has
been delirious. E.g. when after R. H. 70. fell 75. fever - at 77
after an attack of measles became (anxious), ordered occupa-
tion. became an art student - has given lessons -
For 4 years has lived in a studio by herself where she has
had her meals brought regularly & has suffered from herself in
dyspepsia & sleeplessness -

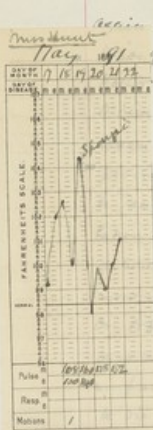
She is naturally passionate, strong-willed, difficult to
guide or control. - no interest in anything but her art
work at which she excels (sculpture). Lived a model
in the Academy this year -

History of previous
attack.

At end of May 1890 had an attack of uncontrollable
weeping when with friends. Mother had to be sent for
she talked incoherently. - Her hands off in 2 or 3 days, &
after 5 weeks illness in Bathurst was perfectly well.
She had had influenza in March 1890 & had not since
herself afterwards. -

From July. Sept 1890 remained well.

Oct 1890 had some form of illness after which she was



begin weeping & talking incoherently. - She went into great
at Lyndhurst. in November took a violent dislike
went to Bournemouth, was treated with ice to head &
baths, seemed to improve. Her deliriousness
at last broke off.

1891. now settled & at end of same month her
husband (a doctor) to London - in proper
in disapproval of work with the world (a book)
in R.A.

At 15. 91. Depression. returned with advanced delirium
& she had to choose between God & Science - an
anathema since - depression - sleepless - anxious
incoherent during in May 90 to the last
before at a menstrual period, at which

time she is generally worse. During this attack she
has had fits of severe shivering - on May 13 underwent
to strangle herself -

Condition on
admission

A. Physical a fairly nourished woman, with pale
dusky complexion, languid blue eyes, pupils dilated
light brown hair - hairless terrified expression -
and little cottony taste - Tongue dry & tremulous, appe-
tite bad, refusing food - bowels constipated. She presents
physical signs of an old cavity at the right
apex - no marks on breast.

B. Mental. Acute delirium melancholic - She
is restless, excited & scared - refuses her food -
constantly moaning & talking in a ranting
manner about her own death for death - that
her life must be terminated owing to her
unpardenable wickedness.

She was put to bed owing to her restlessness &
constantly getting out of bed had full moon
& sleep 6 hours

Re 791

Adm. 14 May 91

Ann Henrietta Hunt. 34. Lingle, Leighton.
Ch. of England. Prev. abode The Rookery, Lwange.
1st attack of 12 mos. duration, however treated. Commenced
at age of 33. Cause unknown. It is not epileptic
nor dangerous, but suicidal.

1st Cert.

In a state of great despondency, moaning & crying
because she says some dreadful thing is going to happen
to her. When asked why she thinks so says the people are
looking at her. Admits that she has asked people to kill
her & attempted to strangle herself last night. Sleepless.

Refusing food as G. F. Blandford 14 May 91

2nd Cert.

Melancholic. Had been crying recently. Said she was
miserable & that she had taken no food today as she
thought it wicked to do so. P. Pipe. 15 May 91.

Fam. Hist.

Pueran History

~~Paternal uncle~~ (uncle of brain) was a kind of epileptic.
Father died after 5 yrs. delirium supposed to be of brain & not of heart.
On several occasions when she has been ill with fever or has
been delirious e.g. when after the 1st fall of St. Peter - at 17
after an attack of measles became (unwell), ordered occupa-
tion. became an art student & has given lessons -
For 4 years has lived in a studio by herself where she has
had her meals very irregularly & has suffered from attacks of
dyspepsia & sleeplessness -

She is naturally passionate, strong-willed, difficult to
guide or control. - no interest in anything but her art
work at which she excels (sculpture). Lived a model
in the Academy this year -

History of present
attack.

At end of May 1890 had an attack of uncontrollable
weeping when with friends. Mother had to be sent for
she talked incoherently. - This passed off in 2 or 3 days &
after 5 weeks illness in Devonport was perfectly well.
She had had influenza in March 1890 & had at 8 months
before July. Sept 1890 remained well.
Oct 1890 had some form of illness, after which she was

again weeping & talking incoherently. - Spent 10 days in the grand
house of wilderness, during this attack was living with a
doctor at Lyndhurst. in November took a violent dislike
to him went to Bournemouth, was treated with ice to head &
warm baths, seemed to improve though delirium was
present but not talked of.

In Jan 1891 more excited & at end of same month was
taken by her brother (a doctor) to London - improper
delirium disappeared & worked with the result (a book)
now in R.A.

On April 15, 91. Delirium returned with advanced delirium
thought she had to choose between God & Science - an
unfathomable mind - Delirium - Sleepless - anxious
to die. incoherent leading in May to the last
exacerbation at a menstrual period, at which
time she is generally worst. During this attack she
has had fits of severe shivering - in May 1891 withdrawn
to Strangle herself -

Condition on
admission

A. Physical A fairly nourished woman, with pale
flesh complexion, languid blue eyes, pupils dilated
light brown hair - hairless terrified expression -
and little cotton-like taste - Tongue dry & tremulous, appe-
tite bad, refusing food - bowels constipated. She presents
physical signs of an old cavity at the right
apex - no marks on trunk.

B. Mental Acute delirium, melancholic. She
is restless, excited & excited - refuses her food -
continually moaning & talking in a ranting
manner about her need of death - that
her life must be terminated owing to her
unfathomable wickedness.

History.

She was put to bed owing to her restlessness &
constantly getting out of bed had self-harmful
& slept 6 hours

May 15. ⁶⁰³ May Haurista Hunt (continued)

Remain restless & continually struggling - had
2 hrs. bath at continued fast a rather requiring 2 or 4
nurses throughout bed - up. 4.30. Slept 6
hours but very excited when awake -
16. ⁶⁰³ Has been making desperate attempts at self destruction
noting, excited & violent, talking in a rambling inco-
herent & semi-delirious manner respecting her
death - Bath 4 hours. Taken, excited re. afternoon
up. 4.30. (8 p.m.) $\frac{1}{70}$ Slept 6 hours - mostly restless
requiring all the night nurses to keep her in
bed - At Brownish Chloral (5 grs. & 1/2) quiet
after 3 am. C. Caeserott.

17. ⁶⁰³ More - Tongue dry brown coated & offensive -
refusing all food fed 3 lines with tube -
then voluntarily took some milk in the evening.
Very restless towards night up. 4.30. $\frac{1}{60}$ Slept 6 hours
T. 102. P. 108. Bore back after dinner -
was fairly quiet when awake - C. Caeserott.

18. Remains in the same feverish, restless & excited
state rambling at times in great muttering
incoherence. T. 102.6. Tongue brown &.
Exhausted. P. 120 feeble, running - very restless
excited & struggling violently packed at 5 p.m.,
unpacked at 7 p.m. up. 4.30. $\frac{1}{60}$ quiet till
2 am. required 4 nurses to keep her from
struggling & damaging herself till 4 am.
when she was repacked & remained quiet
afterwards - C. Caeserott.

19. More exhausted - refused all food fed 4 times with
tube - during 4 or 5 hours & struggling packed
at 2 am. T. at 7.30 104.6 (unpacked) - sponge
& change on & dress immediately P. 160
up. 4.30. $\frac{1}{60}$ Then sleep from 4.30 had to be held

May 19 down - exhausted - nervous C. Caeserott

20. No improvement - fed 6 lines with tube -
P. more feeble compressible, with difficulty can
be felt. Still struggles & mutters incoherent
sentences about death - weak & exhausted.
Subcutaneous marks up. 4.30. $\frac{1}{60}$ C. Caeserott.

21. Slept 7 hours but much weaker & more exhausted
P. 160. - later half a feed of Borden's
milk & 3/4 oz. of Borden's ^{1/2 am} ~~1/2 am~~
- P. 160. ^{1/2 am} ~~1/2 am~~ up. 4.30. $\frac{1}{60}$ Slept 3 hours. - restlessness
excited in evening. up. 4.30. $\frac{1}{60}$ C. Caeserott

22. Slept 6 hours then awake for short - slept
again till 6.15 am. when she became
very collapsed. P. not to be counted &
barely able to be felt when taken at 5.30.
she was dying with Cheyne Stokes Respiration
Hacking. 64 beats minute -
Passed away unconscious at 6.50
C. Caeserott.

Death Certificate by. Charles Caeserott M.D.
1. Acute Delirium Melancholia
2. Exhaustion

Autopsy. Body well-nourished. No rigor mortis, much livor.
May 25: 5 p.m. Abundant congestion. P.M. decomposition marked about
the clavicles. Trachea congested all over on both sides.
more marked opposite the fissures of the lungs but most of all at the
base of the left lung & upper lobe. Milky patches following the vessels at
both fissures of the lungs at vertex of the right lobe. Trachea suberous
tough, anemic, color pale. No exudate of serum.

Color. Lard - stomach covered inside with white
brownish yellow glairy mucus about 1/2 inch thick. Esophagus healthy.
Lungs except slight purring in patches. Lungs congested otherwise healthy.
Liver healthy. Kidneys healthy more congested than normal. Heart healthy.
S.B. Henderson

Mary Anne Dore (continued).

May 20th
Whitely, 10th daily
seen by Dr. Sax-
Gladstone

Feb 8 lines with tube. actively resisting all food-stuffing
violently - Delirious but not absolutely unconscious -
subcutaneous & sublingual measurements of hand & legs to axilla
active - Tongue absolutely parched - lips bleeding. P. 140 - R. 37.
Imp. Hypocline m. of. Slapt. 6 hours. C. Cal. 32.8 -

Dr. J. H. D. D. D.
May 21st

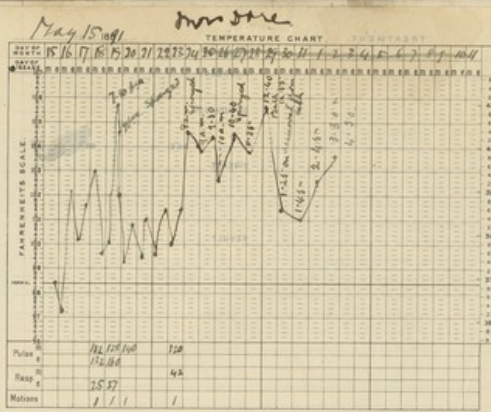
21st Feb 6 lines with tube. Tongue black - wild, terrified aspect
violently resisting & struggling - subcutaneous & tremors persisted
At 9.15 p.m. she was making a peculiar noise, a mixture of
blowing & hissing & violently working her right forearm,
hand & fingers - lungs exam'd. Bronchial breathing
over l. lung at back up to axilla. Scab. & in front
toward the apex of heart - with dullness behind - Crep. over
whole l. lung, behind. Imp. Hypocline. Gladstone.

22nd There is no change to be noted - She remains
restless, excited, delirious. T. 101. P. 120 R. 42
bowels acted well after Senna - Feb 6
lines with tube. The tongue, lips, & teeth
remain covered with dark, foul sordes - in
general condition she is more fuddled &
exhausted. Gladstone.

Before, during &
after bath she
had by hypodermic
injection of 1/2 gr.
morphine

24th As shown by accompanying the T this morning
was 104. After ineffectual attempts to
reduce it by "Sargol", she was let into
a bath at 50° & ice packed in till her
T sank to 102.5 - She remained in bath
for 25 minutes. Her Temp. sank after removal
to 101. & then gradually rose again to
103.6 at 4.30. R. 40 P. 134. - She remained
unconscious & much rattling in throat &
died quietly at 5 p.m.

Death artif. Acute Delirium, Melancholia
Exhaustion
Gladstone.



Autopsy

May 26th 91

Brain Congested all over vertex, at l. parietal occipital
pressure amounts almost to extravasation. Serum
in cases. Jelly like substance abundant under the arachnoid
following the vessels under the sulci. On removal of
Pia mater the cortex of brain is seen to be spotted red
especially on the tops of the gyri. Cortex soft, not
inflamed. White substance not anemic. Consistence
slightly tougher than natural. Arachnoid interposition
congested also membranes over the cerebellum on the
upper & lower surfaces. Cerebral ganglia anemic on
both sides especially the Optic thalami of these the
L. is more anemic than the right.
The cortex of the cerebellum is congested especially
on the L. side.
Oesophagus furled. Stomach presents an
iron-glass contraction. At center of the

May 20th
Whitely 10th 30th
seen by Dr. Saxton
Chadwick

Mary Anne Dore (continued)

Feb 5th lines with tube - actively resisting all food - struggling
violently - Delirious but not absolutely unconscious -
subvultus & violent meaningless movements of head & legs becoming
active - Tongue absolutely parched - lips bleeding. P. 140 R. 37.
Imp. Myocline m.v. Sleep shown. C. (Chadwick)

R. Trich. dist. talis
m.v. Feb.

21st Feb 6th lines with tube - Tongue black - wild, terrified aspect
violently resisting & struggling - subvultus & tremors persisted
At 9.15 p.m. she was making a peculiar noise - mixture of
blowing & hissing & violently working her right forearm,
hand & fingers - Lung exam. Bronchial breathing
over l. lung at base up to angle of scap. & in front
toward the apex of heart - with dullness behind - (Chadwick)
over both lung, behind. ~~Imp. Myocline~~ C. (Chadwick)

23 There is no change to be noted - She remains
yellow, excited, delirious. T. 101. P 120 R. 42
bowels acted well after enemata - Feb 6th
lines with tube - The tongue, lips, & teeth
remain covered with dark, foul sordes - in
general condition she is more peaceful &
restrained. (Chadwick)

24th As shown by accompanying the T. this morning
was 104. After ineffectual attempts to
reduce it by "sponging", she was let into
a bath at 9th & ice packed in till her
T sank to 102.5 - She remained in bath
for 25 minutes - Her Temp. sank after removal
to 101. & then gradually rose again to
103.6 at 4.30 R. 40 P 134. - She remained
unconscious & noisy rattling in throat &
died quietly at 5 p.m.

Death artif. Acute delirious melancholia
exhaustion. (Chadwick)

Autopsy.
May 26, 91
6 p.m.

Body well nourished. No signs of malice.
Brain Congested all over vertex, at L. parietal occipital
pressure amounts almost to extravasation, serum
in excess. Jelly like substance abundant under the arachnoid
following the vessels under the sulci. On removal of
Pia Mater the cortex of brain is seen to be spotted red
especially on the tops of the gyri. Cortex soft, not
inflamed. White substance not anemic. Consistence
slightly tougher than natural. Cereum interpositum
congested also membranes over the cerebellum on the
upper & lower surfaces. Basal ganglia anemic on
both sides especially the Optic thalami of these the
L. is more anemic than the right.
The cortex of the cerebellum is congested especially
on the L. side.
Diaphragm fused. Stomach presents an
hour-glass contraction. At center of the

upper border is a spot with much thickening & radiating puckers but one specially strong transverse band causing contraction at this spot of about one inch in diameter, the diameter at each side being about 3 inches. Stomach congested in spots.

Lungs congested behind. Opposite an old pleuritic adhesion is a patch of about 3 or 4 inches square at the which is quite airless & pale. at the lower part of the upper lobe of the right lung.

Large intestine loaded in its whole extent.

Heart, Liver & kidneys healthy.

Small fibroid tumor about size of marble in uterus.

J. B. Henderson.

Emma Bishop - (continued from p. 296).

5th April/99
9252 Unsociable & somewhat disagreeable. Unoccupied. Delusions apparently persist. In Feb.

had slight fit, which only lasted a few minutes. Otherwise health has been satisfactory. R.C.D.

June 5.
9254 Rather less irritable & contented than she was but continues to think that this place belongs to her as well as St. Paul's Cathedral & the Imperial Institute. Physical health fair. R.C.D.

Sept: 12.
9252 Continues less irritable & talks a little more than usual ordinary subject - quite unoccupied & very full of her delusions of exaltation. Phys: health fair - has had no further fainting attack. R.C.D.

Dec: 11.
9251 Continues to be less irritable & contented than she was. Phys: health improved. R.C.D.

March 7.00
9255 Continues less irritable & quarrelsome, but has numerous delusions of identity & still quite unoccupied. Phys: health fair.

improved & etc

R.C.D.

June 21.
9254 Unchanged since last note. R.C.D.

Sept: 10.
9253 Unoccupied, restless & retains many delusions of identity & of exaltation (e.g. has great possessions - various titles etc) is less contented than she was. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Dec: 30
9250 Continues as on last note - is often very odd & eccentric at night picking up her bed with chains etc & being much excited if they are moved. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

March 2.01
9250 Continues unaltered. Unoccupied, restless & eccentric in little ways - retains her delusions of exaltation - but is less often excited. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

June 8.
9252 So much less often excited - is weak-minded somewhat restless & eccentric - Has been in No 7 637 since April 17. Her delusions of exaltation though still present are less grotesque & are less often alluded to. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Sept: 9 -
9253 She continued in No 7 till Aug: 12, when owing to her foul language she was sent back to No 5 where she remains. She continues unoccupied with delusions of exaltation & occasional mild attacks of excitement but is less restless than she was. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Dec: 30.
Continues as on last note. R.C.D.

March 27.02
9254 Unchanged but continues to be more amiable & less restless. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

June 9.
Unchanged - since above note. R.C.D.

Sept: 9 -
9254 Continues to be somewhat less restless & excited but is quite unoccupied with many delusions. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

Dec: 11 -
Continues unchanged since last note. R.C.D.

March 10.03
9255 Continues unoccupied & restless with many delusions of exaltation & suspicion. Phys: health good. R.C.D.

No 796-

Emma Bishop

Adm. May 21/91
 Disch. 16 May 91
 C. in L. 21 May 91

Lunatic by Inquisition

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a short, stout lady with grey hair, blue eyes, pupils unequal react. Complexion sallow. Speech distinct, rather determined expression with a tone of slight astonishment in her voice. Patient is rather untidy in her dress & wears a silk handkerchief of bright colour tied gipsy fashion over head. Appetite good. No signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs.

B. Mental. Delusional insanity. Patient says this is her house, that it was left to her by her own relatives & that her husband had nothing to do with it. Will not answer all questions as she is rather suspicious so will only say "That's my business". Memory defective.

May 25. 91. Delusions continue as on admission. It was found that one of patient's rings was cutting into her finger so required to be filed off, as she was very restless it was necessary to administer chloroform to avoid injuring her hand.

June 3rd Patient still thinks this is her house, says she remembers playing here when a child, says the other people are foundlings or servants out of employment recognised one of the ladies as a poor woman to whom she gave a shilling one day in an omnibus long ago. Health good. J.B. Henderson.

10th No alteration, walks out in the grounds or sits in the workroom doing nothing. Will not volunteer the fact that this is her property but admits it at once if asked, will not state its value as she thinks it worse to keep that to herself. Speech rather disconnected. J.B. Henderson.

June 18. Unchanged. Remains unoccupied & when addressed usually answers rudely. Health good. J.B. Henderson.

July 21. No improvement. Patient refuses to shake hands & when asked why makes some rude remark or refuses to speak. She is evidently labouring under delusions of identity. Health good. J.B. Henderson.

Oct. 1. 91. Delusions of identity marked - Caciety. As induced to employ herself in any way. J.B. Henderson.

Jan 8. 92. Patient shows no marked alteration. She is silent, unoccupied & refuses to enter into conversation, her manner conveying the idea that she considers herself superior to every one. Health good. J.B. Henderson.

Feb. 9. 92. Patient has recently broken two windows by throwing stones at them from the court.

May 4. There is no improvement patient has been rather more excited in now in No 5. Health good. J.B. Henderson.

- Aug. 30. 92 Patient is still in R.C.D. but she has not been very excited recently, she has always an air of self-satisfaction and evidently thinks she is some one of great importance. She told me that she is a General Agency for finding situations. She has delusions of identity respecting the people around her. Health-satisfactory. J.P. Henderson.
- Nov. 30. No change.
- March 4. 93 Remains in R.C.D. generally silent & unoccupied, often with a superior smile on her face; retains her delusions & is subject to attacks of exaltation. J.P. Henderson.
- Aug. Report to kind. Suffering from delusional mania; she is always restless & excited, at other times unoccupied. She says she is the owner of this Institution, which she keeps for the entertainment of her friends, that she is also owner of St. Bartholomew's & St. Mary's Hospitals, that she has control over several other well-known institutions. Well-nourished & healthy, has no physical signs of disease. J.P. Henderson.
- June Oct. 30. No change. J.P. Henderson.
- Jan. 26. 94. Retains delusions of exaltation, says she is the Queen etc. Very excited, restless & noisy at times. J.P. Henderson.
- May 15. No change. J.P. Henderson.
- Nov. 14. Condition stationary. J.P. Henderson.
- June 12. 95. Retains delusions of exaltation & is restless, talks to herself, is unoccupied at times excited. J.P. Henderson.
- Aug. 5. Some days ago was discovered to have some enlarged axillary gland on left side the skin over one being ulcerated. J.P. Henderson.
- Oct. 13. 95 The glands are much better. No change mentally. J.P. Henderson.
- March 10. Delusional Insanity - delusions of exaltation - is the Queen etc., owns this institution - glands now normal. R.C.D.
- June 12. Delusions of grandeur. undertakes to find every one taken. J.P. Henderson.
- 95.6 she takes a fancy. situation at £1000, £600 to a year - owns several millions of pounds & most of the public

- buildings in London - often excited & noisy. Phys health fair - has lately had 2 or 3 small abscesses, which she resented being cured but which promptly healed afterwards. R.C.D.
- Sept. 12. Is rather quieter than she was - delusions persist - silent & unoccupied - Phys health good. R.C.D.
- Dec. 20. Delusions of grandeur continue - less noisy & excited - unoccupied - Phys health good R.C.D.
- March 30. 97 Chronic Mania with delusions of grandeur - owns many palaces, St. Paul's Cathedral, this institution & many other buildings - talks much to herself - quite unoccupied - less often excited than she was - many delusions of identity. Phys health good. R.C.D.
- June 30. 95.6 Condition unchanged - Phys health good R.C.D.
- Sept. 30. Chronic Mania passing into dementia: her delusions of grandeur continue & she has many of identity - quite unoccupied & is disagreeable & cantankerous but is less often excited than she was. Phys health good. R.C.D.
- Dec. 29. Condition unchanged since last note. R.C.D.
- March 21. 98 Is somewhat less cantankerous & irritable than she was - otherwise unchanged R.C.D.
- June 7. Less irritable & cantankerous than she was but is still unoccupied & has delusions of grandeur. Phys health good. R.C.D.
- Sept. 17. 95.6 Continues to think that this place belongs to her as well as several other institutions & that all officials here are her servants. She is less often excited than she used to be. Phys health fair. R.C.D.
- Dec. 13. Her delusions of exaltation persist but she is rather less irritable & is less often excited than she was. (continued page 298)

No 796

Adm. 22 May 91

Rec. ord. d. 9 Apr. 91

C. in L. 23 May 91

Helen Gina Blackburn. Single. 38. No occupation.
Ch. of England. Prev. abode. 343 Walkers, Church St. Regent.
1st attack of 2 mo. duration. Under treatment at above
address. Agone 1st attack 35. Supposed cause Hysteria.
Thin not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert.

Continually tormented by voices which speak to her
night & day, sometimes complimentary, sometimes reverse.
Thinks they are conveyed by telephone. Thinks house is
full of telephones. & wishes to have it searched by a
magistrate. Used to hold her watch constantly to her
ear & said it directed her what to do. G. F. Blundford. 7 Apr. 91

2nd Cert.

Complains that house is full of telephones. Used to know
by consulting her watch who was speaking, but since watch
has been taken away cannot recognize the voices. Asks
that two of her dresses have been poisoned & that she
has been twice dead. J. L. Lloyd. 9 Apr. 91

Lam. Hist.
Pers. Hist.

Has Cousin in lunatic

Condition on Admission.

A. Physical. Patient as of
medium height, well-nourished.
Hair black turning grey, light
brown eyes, pupils equal react.
Expression pleasant but at
times has an absent look.
Complexion sallow, nose rather
red. Digestion & appetite
good, sleeps well. No marks
on trunk. No signs of disease
in thoracic or abdominal organs.
Remains of small abscess on 1st index
finger.



Fig. 91

13 Mental. Delusional Insanity. Patient thinks
she has been brought here owing to a mistake in
the train, sits in the house with her gloves on
and a muff although the weather is very warm.
J. B. Henderson.

May 28th.

Patient is apathetic, listless & hypochondriacal.
Says she has a constant current of thoughts running
through her head after the manner of conversation,
suggesting to her actions which she is about to
perform & then forbidding her to do them, so causing
great annoyance. Health good.

June 3rd.

Patient admits quite readily that she receives
messages by some kind of telephone arrangement
but she cannot say how it works, these tell her
many things and she likes receiving them but
they cannot foretell the weather or any thing
definite that she wishes to know. Health good.
Patient sings a little at the piano & does a little
work but does not appear to be very energetic.

June 10th.

Patient still retains her delusions, as told me
seriously the other day if I would take her to
her brother at the other part of the house. Said
that she had received a message from one brother
telling her that the other was ill & she would meet her
at Chapel & take her to him & she was quite
disappointed not to see him at the rendezvous,
whereas none of her brothers are here. J. B. Henderson.

June 20

Patient retains the delusions & admits readily
that she receives messages but she does not
know how they come but she likes receiving them.
Health good. Patient goes out daily, occupies herself
in the gallery with work, books or games.

July 21.

Pt still receives messages & acts up to the them.
They tell her to take care of her health &c. She appears

Oct. 30th well & occupies herself as before. J.B. Henderson
General health good - Hallucinations and
delusions well marked. Employs herself
in needlework a little. - R.D.H.

Nov. 1st Remains about the same, health fair, is
rather troubled with indigestion, circulation
poor. Patient thinks there is electricity in
the room which is turned on at certain
hours of the day for the purpose of treatment
& admits that she receives messages by
electricity but she cannot tell where the batteries
are placed. J.B. Henderson

Jan. 9. 92 Patient speaks less of her delusions but she
often appears to be listening when apparently
reading a newspaper. Her physical health is
rather poor, her nose is frequently a deep purple
while the rest of the face is white & she is very drowsy
quite early in the evening. J.B. Henderson

Jan. 9 Patient is complaining of severe headache with
pain in the back and she has been vomiting
Temp. 97.4, P. 45.

14 This has evidently been an attack of influenza, the
prevailing symptoms being pain in head & back of neck
with a feeling of great languor, a low temperature
& slow pulse.

17. Patient is still languid & spends much of her
time on the sofa. P.B. Complains of a numb
feeling in the ears.

Feb. 9th Patient says she still feels weak but much
better than she was, she is sometimes seen
to be talking to herself, she says that she has
arguments with herself on various topics because
other people begin to quarrel if they begin to
argue. J.B. Henderson

May 3. Patient does not often bring out her delusions
in conversation but her letters are still
rambling & very much crossed & always addressed
to Mr. Balfour. She is very lethargic, generally occupies
the sofa & lies covered up with a fur rug & sleeps a
great part of the day. Circulation poor.

May 20. Patient has just had a slight attack of rheumatic
pains in various joints & was in bed for two days.
The heart beats slowly. The 1st sound is reduplicated
and the 2nd sd which is heard distinctly at the
base gets feebler towards the apex where it is inaudible.
She is now feeling better again. J.B. Henderson

Aug. 30. Patient is still very lethargic & sleepy & occupies
the sofa a great part of the day. She has stopped
writing the letters & is now occupied with
a novel, essays &c. She does not betray her
delusions in speech but occasionally carries on
a quiet conversation behind the newspaper. She
says that she is talking to herself. She still
shows evidence of defective circulation. J.B. Henderson

Dec. 30. No change

March 4. 93. Remains lethargic & sleepy, lies on the sofa most of the
day & often sleeps there through the evening. Sometimes talks
to herself but does not appear to hear voices now, or to
have any delusions though she has some rather curious
ideas which were very likely suggested to her by the old
voices. J.B. Henderson

March 30. Dr. Balf. Cert. apathetic & listless but she seems to have lost
the hallucinations of hearing & delusions of unseen
agency. Her mental condition has been steadily improving
& she is far advanced towards recovery. (R.D.H.)

April 7. Went on leave. J.B. Henderson

June 20. Still on leave. J.B. Henderson

Jan. 26. 94. Still on leave. J.B. Henderson

March 5. 95. Discharged "recovered"

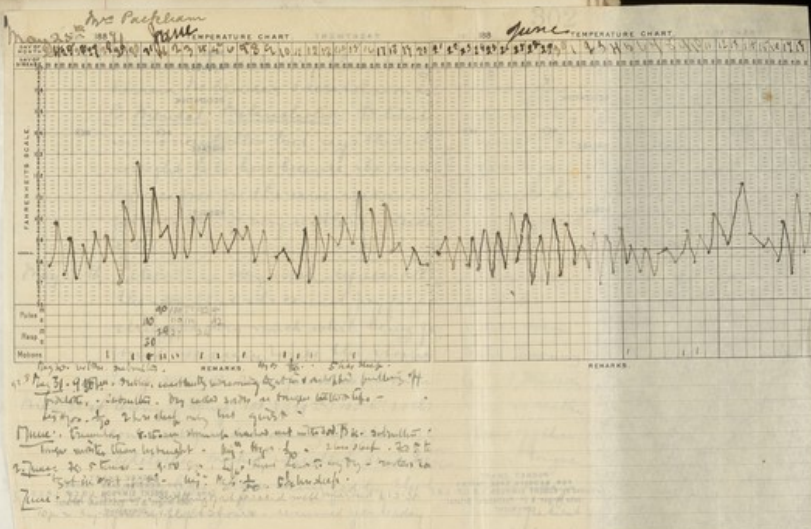
Emma Sarah Packham. Married. 52. Wife
of Hotel-keeper, Ch. of England. Now abode Marlborough
Hotel, W. 11th St. Brighton. ^{1st} Abstract of 7 weeks
duration, nowhere previously treated. Commencing at age
of 52. Supposed cure - Delicacy, (Pallidness) Alcohol.

It is not epileptic nor dangerous but suicidal
Reckless, depressed, taciturn and will not answer
questions. Says she is married but nothing but the clothes
she has on so that they will not even be received in the
workhouse although she & her family are penniless.
Got up in the night & wandered about the house. Has
attempted to cut her throat. R. Black 23 May 91

melancholy & depressed. Thinks she is very weak
 & that something dreadful is going to happen to her -
 her parents that her husband is about to be committed
 to trial. Refuses food because she says they are too poor.
 Has a mark on her throat, caused by a knife. *unclear* + 20
 Uncle on father's side committed *unclear*
 21 Nov 97

Uncle on father's side committed suicide.

A Physical. Patient as fairly
tall, reddish face covered with
some acne spots. Rather un-
happy expression. Hair here
light grey, eyes, purple marginal
red. Throats good. Bowels
constipated. Does not sleep.
Tongue membranous, furred.
Signs of Rheitis in elbow.
2 abs. at apex of left.
Liver somewhat enlarged



June

From one examination of straggling brown we hope
clean with amixed lotion (See body
Stomach washed out with (at night at 3 1/2
No. 1 ad 3 1/2)
God. Percarb. & warm water. Some flakes of
mucus came away. Subcutaneous membranes.
Fed ^{four} times with tube. Drg. Hyocine to give
2 hours sleep. J B Henderson
Fed 5 times & stomach washed out. Rinsed.
tongue & teeth covered with larks which collect
very quickly in spite of constant cleaning. Temp.
at night 101°. J B Henderson
Stomach washed out with solution of Iodine.
Fed 5 times. At 2:30 p.m. there was a well-marked
swelling which is apparently confined to the
right parotid gland, it is not tender & causes
no obvious pain. Its fluctuation is well seen

No 799

Emma Lar

Adm. 23 May 91
 M.A. 23 May 91
 C. ind. 24 May 91

Hotel-keeper

Hotel, 4 Princess

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Pers. Hist.

Condition on Admission.

A. Physical. Patient is fairly tall, reddish face covered with some acne spots. Rather unhappy expression. Hair light grey, eyes, pupils unequal react. Refuses food & drinks constipated. Does not sleep. Tongue furred, furred. Signs of Phthisis in the lung. 2 abs. at apex of left. Liver somewhat enlarged

July 1891



TREATMENT

NAME

ADDRESS

OCCUPATION

AGE

SEX

DISEASE

RESULT

POCKET CHART
 FOR RESIDUE CASE TAKING
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Abdominal walls very thin owing to large ventral hernia. No bruises, 3 scratches on arm. Velvety veins. B. Mental. Melancholia. Patient speaks morbidly in monosyllables but says that she is ruined, has no right to be here because she cannot afford to pay. Refuses food for the same reason and requires to be fed forcibly. Is very restless & endeavours to get out of bed.

J. B. Henderson

ay 28-16 Patient is very weak, refuses all food because of the idea that she cannot pay for it, and as she struggled very much while being fed it has been found necessary to use the stomach tube. Evening Temp. over 99°. No improvement mentally.

J. B. Henderson

ay 31-16 Evening Temp. 101° (39°) 102° (30°). Patient is restless, constantly endeavouring to get out of bed & throw off the bedclothes. Mouth is very dry, parched, red, sore on tongue teeth & lips. After being fed by the hand for two days tube feeding was resumed yesterday so save the patient from the exhaustion of struggling. Mouth to be kept clean with amesad lotion (Ship Candy 2234) 10 drops 3 times a day.

June

God. Bicarb & warm water. Some flakes of mucus came away. Subcutaneous hemorrhages. Fed 4 times with tube. Dr. Hyocine 70 gave 2 hours sleep.

J. B. Henderson

2 June

Fed 5 times & stomach washed out. Restless. Tongue & teeth covered with fumes which collect very quickly in spite of constant cleaning. Temp. at night 101°.

J. B. Henderson

3 June

Stomach washed out with solution of Dimeine. Fed 5 times. At 2:30 p.m. there was a well-marked swelling which is apparently confined to the right parotid gland. It is not tender & causes no obvious pain. No fluctuation, no increase.

of local heat. Mentally unchanged. Pulse 88, regular steady. Pt is restless, tries to get out of bed. Subcutaneous noticeable, tremulousness less marked. J.B. Henderson

7th June The swelling has gone on steadily increasing but remains limited to the parotid. Some poultices have been applied but patient objects to them there is now doubtful fluctuation. Patient does not complain of much pain nor of difficulty in swallowing. The stomach has been washed out daily & patient fed 5 times daily with the tube. She has had some quiet natural sleep (on 6th). The tongue has been steadily improving & the mouth has kept cleaner. Today after being fed once she took food herself. Mentally has much improved, is brighter & answers questions. J.B. Henderson

14th June The swelling continues & there is apparently marked fluctuation. A grooved needle was inserted in two places but no pus came out. Patient has improved very much mentally. Enters into conversation a little. Takes food fairly well & sleeps pretty well. The mouth & tongue remain clean & moist. J.B. Henderson

19th June The abscess in the parotid began discharging last night through the cheek & the external auditory meatus. One opening in the cheek was enlarged & a counter opening made in the most dependent part & drainage tubes inserted & the whole dressed with Iodoform. The Temp: the last 3 nights has been 101.2, 100.4 & 100.6. Mental improvement continues. J.B. Henderson

26th The abscess has been discharging freely but has now almost ceased, there is some induration of tissue around but the swelling has almost

disappeared. Mentally there is great improvement. Patient will enter into conversation, takes an interest in her surroundings occupies herself with work or reading & has written home, she is still however somewhat depressed & emotional.

21 July Patient has improved steadily during the last month, she is now able to make herself useful in the Ward, helping the nurses in many ways. She takes her food well & sleeps without any hypnotic. Mentally she appears to have lost all her delusions but is very emotional & cries a little when spoken to. Facial muscles very tremulous, pupils unequal at times. Health fair. Cough troublesome at night. J.B. Henderson

10 Sept. Her motion bodily & mentally is now satisfactory and she so far today allowed home on trial. J.B. Henderson

7 Oct 9. Was today discharged "Recovered". J.B. Henderson

No 800 Mary Lund. Single

Adm. 2 June 91
M.D. 2 June 91
C. in L. 3 June 91Insane by
Inquisition

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a short thin lady. Fair hair turning grey. Brown eyes. Pupils react to light & accommodation equal. Countenance muddy. Capillaries injected. Expression rather restless. Speech distinct very voluble. Tongue steady, slightly furred. P.C.S. compressible. Heart sounds natural. Lungs natural except for sibilant at end of expiration on right side at level of third cost. Card. No marks or bruises but ecchymosis on fingers.

B. Mental. Delusional insanity with ideas of persecution. Patient tells in a very voluble manner the story of her unjust imprisonment as she regards it, repeating frequently that she is not mad. Says that the certificates on which she is admitted have been forged by

by the Commissioners in Lunacy & others. Said that her sisters & all her relatives are her enemies & have designs on her property. J.B. Henderson

10 June 91. (W. 21.) Patient is suffering from chronic mania with ideas of persecution, says her sister is her deadly enemy that all the papers have been forged. Speaks volubly in a loud voice with excited manner. Fairly nourished, healthy. J.B. Henderson.

17 June Patient occupies herself quietly with a book or work or writing letters, but when addressed will immediately relate in manner already described the long account of her wrongs. Health good J.B. Henderson

26 June Unchanged. J.B. Henderson

1st July Patient writes long rambling letters weekly to the authorities on the subject of her wrongs. Although quiet as a rule she will speak at once of her illegal detention & asks how long she is going to remain here. Health good J.B. Henderson

12th Aug. No alteration can be noticed in either physical or mental condition J.B. Henderson

1st Oct. No change. —

Jan 8:92 Patient continues to grumble at what she calls her illegal detention and is constantly to be found writing very long letters on the subject. She persists that the papers have been forged & thinks all the people are in league against her. Her dress is eccentric, she generally wears dark blue spectacles & when out a very thick veil as well to prevent herself being influenced for evil by men. Health fair J.B. Henderson

Jan 23. Patient has a bad cough with dyspnoea & complains of pain in her chest. Temp 102.2°. There is dulness at the right apex & moist sounds & subcrepitant rales at the right base. Temp 98.10 6.

24. Temp 101° patient is much annoyed & troubled with dyspnoea. Is being poulticed at short intervals P. 96 R. 50

28. Patient is still very ill and refuses to take any solid food but she complains greatly of thirst. The tongue is dry, dyspnoea marked, mucous rales at bases of both lungs. Patient says she is sure she is going to die, asks to see her friends so that she may make her will.

Feb 1st. Patient has been visited by the priest & her sister but today she appears a little brighter, is beginning to take a little food. She complains of great pain through the right side of the chest & deafness. P.S. Inspiration rough wheezing in front on both sides with moist sounds. Friction sounds in axilla. Percussion noted dull & crepitations heard at bases behind. Mentally the ideas of persecution are well marked. Patient wishes to see a legal man that she may leave her money principally to persecute those who have detained her & her sister.

Feb 7th Patient is improving & is now able to sit up in bed & write letters etc. She complains still of difficulty in breathing and says that solid food would choke her & she asks constantly for lemonade, or Soda water with brandy.

Feb 9th Improvement continues and patient takes a little more food.

May 25. Patient is in her usual health. She always talks in the same strain about her illegal detention & etc & she abuses the Drs & visitors without stint. She complains that her hair is coming out. Her dress is extremely eccentric.

Aug 30:92 Patient continues to write long rambling

statements on the subject of her illegal detention and is enjoying the prospect of a lawsuit which she thinks is coming on. She always wears a thick double veil & dark glasses when out so that her face cannot be seen. Health satisfactory.

Nov. 30. No change. Still has delusions of persecution etc.
March 4. 93. No improvement. Has twice come back intoxicated when allowed out on parole.

June 20. Patient's ideas of persecution, writes voluminous letters & is very eccentric in habits & appearance. Is very thin, health fair.

Oct. 30. No change.

Jan. 26. 94. Persecutional ideas remain. Has not been intoxicated lately. Very thin.

May 15. No change.

Nov. 14. Sep. 24 went on leave.

Dec. 14. 94. Discharged "relieved"

903

Mary Elizabeth Webster 77 Widow Ch. of

Adm 4 June 91 England, Res. abode 35 Diaracle Rd. Putney. 2nd
 Uly. ord d 2 June 91 attacks of about 10 days duration cause unknown.
 C. and 6 June 91 Attacks at age of 76 not specially treated.

Patient is not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert: She is rambling in her speech, affirms she is in
 danger of her life from those in charge of her; that
 attempts have been made to blow her up with
 dynamite, that she is entitled to a guard of honour
 in consequence of being related to the German Royal family,
 is unable to take food on account of not being poisoned.
 Says her sons children are begotten by Lord Romilly, which
 is untrue. Co. S. Murray. 23 June 91.

2nd Cert: Stated that Dr. George Ashworth of "The Oaks"
 that she recognized me directly I came into dinner
 that her son's name was Watkins Williams Wympe,
 that she was connected with several of the oldest
 members of the peerage e.g. R. H. North. 4 June 91.

Lam. Hist. Nil.

Pers. Hist.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a
 rather small old lady with
 sharp features, teeth mostly
 gone. Generally wears a cap, wig
 & blue glasses. Blue eyes, pupils
 equal, react slowly, slight palpebral
 conjunctivitis. Tongue slightly
 furled, fairly steady. Arteries
 very hard, P. 60, regular.
 Patient is much emaciated
 but presents no physical

signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal viscera.
 Says she has been told that she has diabetes. Urine
 examined 27. 1020. Acid. No albumen. No sugar.

B. Mental. Delusional mania. Patient talks
 volubly but rather incoherently. Recognizes
 this place as one of the Queen's palaces. Says that
 her son is a General in the German Army, refuses
 her food lest it may be poisoned also gives as a
 reason that she could not eat in the presence of the
 Royal ladies here. J. B. Henderson.

11 June 1891. Patient was admitted to Haller, No 2, but owing to
 her difficulty in taking food was transferred to No 3.
 On June 6th it was necessary to feed her with the
 stomach tube but after doing so once she took her
 food sufficiently well as not to require it. Sleeps badly,
 is noisy at night. Has had draughts of Chlor. Hydr. 10grs.
 Mentally patient is full of delusions, says this is a Queen's
 palace, that her son has recently changed his name to
 Watkins Williams Wympe. Recognizes the Medical Officer
 as her son just come home from India. Has
 marked loss of memory. J. B. Henderson.

17 June 91 Patient has much improved, sleeps much better
 & takes her food without any difficulty.
 Still has delusions of identity. Thinks the
 Med. Officers are her sons. J. B. Henderson.

26 June Improvement continues. J. B. Henderson.

3 July Patient continues to improve, patient
 is very happy in her surroundings, talks
 reasonably about her past life but is
 troubled in her mind about her son's wife
 thinking that she was in Lord Romilly's
 house at the time of the fire as the ^{handmaid} ~~handmaid~~
 under an assumed name. Health good. Co.

Mary Elizabeth Webster. (cont.)

July 8th She was yesterday seized with a faintness which appears to be due to mental exhaustion there being a doubtful apical systolic bruit & pulse feeble. *Halderoth*

August 25th Her mental condition being very satisfactory she was today allowed out on trial in the charge of friends. *Alk.*

Dec. 24 91 *W.R.* today discharged Recovered.

Julia Ellaby. (continued fr Page 324)

5th April. 99. Oriented. very cheerful & happy. Delusions marked. Occupies herself with much elaborate needlework, of many colours & is much cottoned up. Physical health good. *R.C.D.*

June 5. Becoming more demented - & she is slowly growing more feeble - still does her needlework which is now a mere trifle. is not taking food well & occasional faints. Heart & are toneless & pulse is at times irregular - is now taking a cardiac tonic with benefit. *R.C.D.*

Sept. 10. slowly becoming more demented & feeble but has had no further cardiac attack since taking the cardiac tonic. *R.C.D.*

Dec. 11. slowly growing more demented & feeble. has occ: rheumatic twinges but has not fainted of late - still does wonderful needlework of weird & muddled design, stating that she is the Princess Christian's worker. *R.C.D.*

Feb. 8. Is somewhat feeble & has aged considerably of late. pulse at times very bad & she is apt to faint - is in bed with slight sickness & diarrhoea. *R.C.D.*

March 5. Is stronger than she was - has been up for

NOTICE OF DEATH

WIR 115 5156 (p. 312)

Date of Reception Order, the 6th day of June 1891

I hereby give you Notice, That Julia Ellaby, a Private Patient, received into this Hospital on the 1st day of June 1891 died therein on the 28th day of February 902 189.

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

Dated the 1st day of March 1902 One-Thousand Eight-Hundred-and-Ninety To the Commissioners in Lunacy

STATEMENT RESPECTING THE ABOVE-NAMED PATIENT

Name - Julia Ellaby
Sex and age - female 75
Married, single, or widowed - single
Profession or occupation - Dressmaker
Place of abode immediately before being placed under care and treatment (if known) - 49 Harrington Crescent, Maida Vale.
Apparent cause of death - (1) Senile decay
(2) Bronchitis
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 - 3.55 p.m.
Duration of disease of which patient died - (1) about one week
Names and description of persons present at the death - Mrs. Mrs. Henry Raylance
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

increased - & she slowly sank - & died at 3.50 p.m. yesterday
Died Feb 28.02 *R.C.D.*

Mary Elizabeth Webster. (cont.)

She was yesterday seized with a faintness which appears to be due to mutual agitations there being a doubtful apical systolic bruit & pulse feeble. *Halderott.*

Her mental condition being very satisfactory she was today allowed out on trial in the charge of friends. *Ally.*

Dec. 24. 91. *MRS* today discharged. Recovered.

Julia Ellaby. (continued fr Page 324)

5th April. 99. Demented. very cheerful & happy. Delusions marked. Occupies herself with much elaborate needlework, of many colours & is much coddled up. Physical health good. *Ellaby.*

June 5. Becoming more demented - & she is slowly growing more feeble - still does her needlework which is now a mere cable. is not taking food well & occasional faints. Heart & are tireless & pulse is at times irregular - is now taking a cardiac tonic with benefit. *RCD.*

Sept. 10. slowly becoming more demented & feeble but has had no further cardiac attack since taking the cardiac tonic. *RCD.*

Dec. 11. slowly growing more demented & feeble. has occ: rheumatic twinges but has not fainted of late - still does wonderful needlework of weird & muddled design, stating that she is the Princess Christian's work. *RCD.*

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Feb. 5. Is somewhat feeble & has aged considerably of late. pulse at times very bad & she is apt to faint - is in bed with slight sickness & dizziness. *RCD.*

March 5. Is stronger than she was - has been up for

7th 13th the last 3 weeks of pulse is much stronger mentally is slowly becoming more feeble her eyesight is worse of late but is partly due to opacities in the lens. *RCD.*

June 21. slowly becomes more demented but is distinctly stronger physically. *RCD.*

Sept. 10. Very deluded with marked loss of memory & her attempts at needlework are steadily becoming more & more muddled. she is some what stronger than she was but suffers from occasional rheumatism. *RCD.*

Dec. 28. Continues unaltered - she is gradually failing mentally & bodily but still occupies herself with her extraordinary needlework, almost all trace of design being now lost & available still very deluded & is still somewhat restless. Physical health very fair for her age - (73) *RCD.*

March 20. Very weak-minded & deluded - Physical health somewhat improved of late. *RCD.*

June 8. Is becoming more weak-minded - but her physical health remains in statu quo. *RCD.*

Sept. 9. slowly failing - more weak-minded & confused mentally - physical health fair for her age. *RCD.*

Dec. 30. Continues unchanged - Physical health fair for her age - but she has had some rheum of late. *RCD.*

Jan. 30. 02. Has failed somewhat of late - is more feeble & there is more mental confusion. *RCD.*

Feb. 27. Has a heavy cold & is somewhat more feeble. Having felt the late cold weather considerably. *RCD.*

March 1. Yesterday evening had a slight faint - was put to bed & stimulents administered - but she never really recovered consciousness - bronchitis increased - & she slowly sank - & died at 3.30 pm yesterday. *Died Feb 28. 02. RCD.*

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Laura Schram (vide Vol. 251) 33. Single

Adm. 6 June 91. Gentlewoman. Ch. of England. 3rd attack of one
 week's duration. Previous abode 74 Salgaith Road.
 C. in L. 10 June 91. W. Kensington. 1st attack at age of 21. 2nd attack
 treated at Holloway Sanatorium in 1899.

1st Cert.

This not epileptic, suicidal not dangerous.
 Delusions. Extreme excitability, violent language.
 Incoherence. R. G. Webb. 5 June 91.

2nd Cert.

Libs. with hands clasped & evidently labouring under
 deep dejection. Speaks incoherently about passing
 hills. Gesticulates & screams without provocation.
 Entire change in her behaviour, alternating without
 apparent cause between deep melancholy & violent
 excitement, her talk at being of a religious character.

Lam: Hist.

Pers: Hist.

rel.

J. L. Casady 5 June 91.

Condition on Admission A Physical Patient is a tall
 nice-looking young lady with
 regular features, brown eyes,
 clear complexion, long black hair
 rather coarse. Tongue dry &
 slightly furred. Lips dry & inclined
 to crack. No signs of disease
 in thoracic or abdominal viscera.
 Pulse rapid (130-140) regular
 compressible. Refuses food,
 sleeps badly.

75. Mental Acute Mania. Patient is wild &
 excited in her manner, gesticulating with her
 arms or dropping into theatrical postures, pulling
 at the nurses who try to restrain her, all the
 while uttering disjointed sentences in a loud
 voice and occasionally shouting. Patient refuses
 her food & requires to be fed by the nurses.
 Noisy & sleepless at night. J. W. Henderson.

June 13.

She remains noisy, excited, incoherent, voracious
 in delirium. - Tongue dry & coated. P. 120 & 20.
 T. normal. bowels constipated requiring occasional
 purgatives. - When her food badly, accumulating
 in the upper stomach tube once daily. She
 is having cutaneous baths 5. 7 hrs daily.
 Bodily condition fair. L. Cadcott.

20.

Under the influence of the cutaneous baths
 her bodily condition is rapidly improving -
 the tongue is clean, bowels are acting regularly.
 She sleeps better & takes food well -
 mentally she is acutely morose, talking
 & shouting continuously with but not ill-
 P. 110. R. 20. L. Cadcott.

23.

The same treatment has been pursued up
 to present date with progressive improve-
 ment. - at 6 pm. this evening reporter
 was hastily summoned to find she had
 become suddenly collapsed whilst in
 the bath. She appeared to be gasping
 her last. Two hypodermic ~~injections~~ ^(of morphia)
 of Brandy were given; after a short time
 she was sufficiently well to be lifted into bed.
 She remained comatose breathing
 rapidly 60. Pulse 150. Being hyperpneustic
 & she was let into a bath at 10 pm.

a sheet & ice packed in till her temp^{re} came down to 103°. During immersion respiration, pulse & general condition appeared much improved, but she remained comatose. One hour after bath her T was 99.4 - nutrient injections were given by the bowel which were retained. R. 52. P 140.

Gardner.

June 24

The remaining comatose all day. P 140 R. 50. Cyanosed - The T once or twice rose to 103° when she was sponged with tepid water - nutrient injections not retained after middle day. She died quietly without regaining consciousness at 7.30. pm.

Death Certificate ac. Presumptive
ac. mania
according to autopsy & page 316.

Autopsy.
26 June 91

P.M. claiming marked overall dependent parts & imbrications over ant. surface of arons.

Lung. Weight 160g. lower lobe in a state of red hepatication sinks in water. Bronchioles filled with purulent matter which wells upon section. Right Wt 130g. Congested. Bronchioles similar, no hepatication. Heart, flabby in diastole. Cavities especially short half filled with dark clots & some white clot. Mitral valve normal. Liver fatty weight 44 1/2 oz.

Brain. Dura Mater injected especially in Port. fossae. Membranes injected, feet without much difficulty. Cerebral substance soft, grey & white matter anemic. Cerey centres normal. Ventricle not dilated. Cerebellum soft.

4th Vent: blood vessel on each side of floor intensely congested with slight extravasation on the rt side. The rest of the substance very pale. Weight of brain 40 1/4 oz.

Uterus. Peritoneal covering somewhat injected. Mucous lining slightly congested. Rt Fallopian tube very much congested, its ovary cystic, with one cyst about size of plum containing dark grumous fluid & some blood clot. Left tube & ovary natural.

J. B. Henderson

906

Adm. 6 pm 91
 Ord. d. 6 pm 91
 C. in L. 9 pm 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 25) 64. Single.
 Croovers. Le. ac.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been lost by some woman in Bethlehem. That the Queen often visits her and eventually all her property amounting to 4 million upon one occasion the Queen visited her in the middle of the night greatly alarmed her. W. stated that Queen Adelaide left her £100,000 that a Mr. Campbell tried to poison her & put out her eyes. That some abominable woman in Bethlehem defrauded her of money. That she of hearing, hears almost every night & says "I will cut your throat. I will cut your throat."

R. H. Dorr

Condition on Admission. A. Physical (For description see p. 25).

B. Mental. Delusional Insanity. That she is the daughter of a Russian Duke in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide fortune when she was a little girl & been accumulating till it now amounts to £4,000,000. That some people appropriate money & build this house with it. That her name is "Laida, Fedora, Frederika Olenburgh" she knows because she heard a Russian tell her & outside her window at Bethlehem. etc. Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner with nervous twitch of mouth & jerk of the head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Bunker

The law is being broken by housing ladies. Prospect here, you are filling the house with common people that have no right here. Not one person in this house has the right right to any part of it. Can have no credit. You come to a house you have no right of right to in any way whatsoever for it is built with Queen Adelaide's money. I told you

July 14. 91
 The house of things
 to day I have been given
 a very thoughtful
 to go where I have
 does seem without
 stimulus which they
 section by Greenough
 for the Consulting Surgeon
 at St. George's Hospital
 the back of the house

will no. 5158 (p. 318)

July 13. she remains the victim of chronic delusion & exaltation & persecution. she believes her neighbours are constantly appropriating her money, letters & petty belongings. Health good. 6.12.12.04. C. lae 22.04.

20 Buchanan

C. lae 22.04.

19. Patient complains of pain in the stomach. Temp. which had fallen to 99.4° rose this evening to 102.7° for no obvious reason. Patient complains of pain in the throat the cough is troublesome but the physical signs are diminishing. Patient being treated with bronchitis belladonna poultices & nasal drops. Carb.
20. Complains of pain in the stomach & large

906

Adm. 6 Jan. 91
 Md. d. 6 Jan. 91
 C. in L. 9 Jan. 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 25) 64. Single.
 Governess. &c. &c.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been lost by some woman in Bethlechem Hay the Queen of the West. her own well established all her property amounting to 4 millions upon one occasion the Queen visited her middle of the night & greatly alarmed her. My stated that Queen Adelaide left her £100,000 in that a Mrs. Campbell tried to poison her & took out her eyes. That some abominable woman Bethlechem defrauded her of money. Has had of hearing here almost every night she says "I will cut your throat. I will kill you."

R. H. Dooke

Condition on Admission. A Physical (For description see p. 25).

13 Mental Delusional Insanity. That she is the daughter of a Russian Duke & in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide's fortune when she was a little girl was been accumulating till it now amounts to £1,000,000. That some people appropriate money & build this house with it. That her name is "Laida, Leodora, Frederica Ollenburgh" she knows because she heard a Russian tell her so outside her window at Bethlechem. 2000. Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner with nervous twitch of mouth & jerk of the head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Kendon.

Jan 13 she remains the victim of chronic delusion of exaltation & persecution. she believes her neighbours are constantly appropriating her money, letters & petty belongings. Health good. 6 Jan 1891.

20 Buchanan

C. (adecott)

Now it there at General
 Crotchleys & the Brown mother
 woman & she it at the
 dress & that has been stolen
 I brought a box full of
 clothes & everything I
 stolen from me.
 I have lived for lives
 I have never done so
 single living thing
 I am the wife of a
 Clergyman who when I was
 I took Captain at the
 Russian Court & it is
 the eye kindly asks
 know about me &
 had sent her field &

& jewels which other
 people steal, never in
 all my life have I been
 so badly treated, never
 before have I ever had
 my clothes stolen &
 I think I am treated
 most abominably
 my room is ordered, it
 is filled with embroidered
 people it is miserable
 I am always helped
 last I am a lady
 born & have always
 lived in the best of
 I am the wife of the

19. & patient complains of pain in the stomach. Temp. which has fallen to 99.4° rose this evening to 102.7° for no obvious reason. Patient complains of pain in the throat & the cough is troublesome but the physical signs are diminishing. Patient is being treated with bronchitis belladonna poultices & nasal drops. Carb.
20. Complains of pain in the stomach & large

906

Adm. 6 Jan. 91

Ord. d. 6 Jan. 91

C. in L. 9 Jan. 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 25) 64. single.
Grovers. &c.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been
lost by some woman in Bethlehem &
the Queen of the north. her own well even in
all her property amounting to 4 million
upon one occasion the Queen visited
middle of the night & greatly alarmed her
stated that Queen Adelaide left her 100,000
that a Mr. Campbell tried to poison her &
out her eyes. that some abominable was
Bethlehem defrauded her of money. Has
of hearing hears almost every night &
say "I will cut your throat. I will

R. H. D.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical (For description
see p. 25).

B. Mental Delusional Insanity. 43
she is the daughter of a Russian Duke
in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide
fortune when she was a little girl &
been accumulating till it now amounts
to 4,000,000. That some people appropriate her
money & built this house with it. That her
name is "Laida, Feodora, Frederika Olenburgh" she
knows because she heard a Russian tell her so
outside her window at Bethlehem. &c. &c.
Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner
with nervous twinkle of mouth & jerk of the
head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Hender.

Jan 13 she remains the victim of chronic delusion &
exaltation & persecution. she believes
her neighbors are constantly appropriating
her money, letters & petty belongings.
Health good. 6 Jan 1891.

20 Buchanan?

C. laudat.

Don't you remember when I
went down to Bedgebury with
the horse, little Robin I did it
often, I heard the woman tell
it to Mr. Campbell & I heard her say
she hired a man to do it. She
said she sent five hundred
pounds to you, did she? I did
always saying horrid things
about you that are not true.
Oit. It was at Mrs. Van Humber's
Puck I went when I was a
little girl & the woman called
herself Lady Fernandez I heard
the woman say to I remember
I shall write it all down
because at the I was so small I
can remember all they
childhood quite well & what

Don't you remember when I
went down to Bedgebury with
the horse, little Robin I did it
often, I heard the woman tell
it to Mr. Campbell & I heard her say
she hired a man to do it. She
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W. H. 5158 (p. 318)

19. & patient complains of pain in the stomach.
Temp. which has fallen to 97.4° rose this evening to 102.7°
for no obvious reason. Pt. complains of pain in the
throat & the cough is troublesome but the physical
signs are diminishing. Pt. is being treated with
bronchitis-belle, poultices & nasal drops. Carb.
20. Complains of pain in the stomach & lungs.

906

Adm. 6 Jan. 91
 Md. d. 6 Jan. 91
 C. in L. 9 Jan. 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 25) 64. Single.
 Governess. Le. sc.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been
 lost by some woman in Bethlehem &
 she Queen of the West. here will extend
 all her property amounting to 4 million
 upon one occasion the Queen visited
 middle of the night & greatly alarmed her
 stated that Queen Adelaide left her 200,000
 that a Mrs. Campbell used to poison her
 out her eyes. That some abominable w
 Bethlehem defrauded her of money. Has
 of hearing hears almost every night
 say "I will cut your throat. I will"

R. H. Dr.

Condition on Admission. A Physical (For description
 see p. 25).

B. Mental Delusional Insanity. Y.
 she is the daughter of a Russian Duke
 in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide
 fortune when she was a little girl
 been accumulating till it now amounts
 £4,000,000. That some people appropriate
 money & build this house with it. That her
 name is "Laida, Feodora, Frederika Olenburgh" she
 knows because she heard a Russian tell her so
 outside her window at Bethlehem. c.c.c.
 Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner
 with nervous twitch of mouth & jerk of the
 head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Henderson

Jan 13 she remains the victim of chronic delusion &
 exaltation & persecution. she believes
 her neighbours are constantly appropriating
 her money, letters & petty belongings.
 Health good

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C. lae 1804

George Kemble Your Father
 Grooms who married Maria
 Your Mother's Maid. Semmel
 daughter is here, so instead of
 my being more comfortable
 they think she is the one you
 are interested in & so she has
 a way taken my place -
 I am much better treated than
 I was in Bethlehem but I don't
 want to live here at all. It
 is a Salvation Barracks, most
 of them are inmates I am
 pretty comfortable only it
 is not pleasant to sit in a

room with servants who all take
 the best food, the best places in
 the room. if you pay a sum it
 is called a donation, so I am
 treated as a pauper in a way
 quite as inferior than was
 no lady but all servants in the
 fittings. The food is good but if
 there is a nasty plate full of
 a broken glass I always leave
 it. I am always helped the
 last. There is a person upstairs
 who seems to follow me every
 where & she does everything she
 can to do me harm. She was
 at Mrs. Campbell's & she is the
 very person who stole my
 boots at the King's Head

19.

4 patient complains of pain in the stomach.
 Temp. which has fallen to 97.8° rose this evening to 102.7°
 for no obvious reason. Pl. complains of pain in the
 throat the cough is troublesome but the physical
 signs are diminishing. Pl. is being treated with
 bronchitis-bell's poultices & nasal drops. Carb.

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Complains of pain in the stomach & lungs.

906

Adm. 6 pm 91

Old d. 6 pm 91

C. in L. 9 pm 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 26) 64. single.
Croverness. Le. sc.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been
lost by some woman in Bethlechem. Ho
she Queen of the West. her own evidence
all her property amounting to 4 million
upon one occasion the Queen visited her
middle of the night & greatly alarmed her. W
stated that Queen Adelaide left her 200,000
that a Mrs. Campbell tried to poison her &
out her eyes. That some abominable woman
Bethlechem defrauded her of money. Has been
of hearing, hears almost every night 26
any "I will cut your throat. I will do
R. H. Hook

Condition on Admission. A Physical (for description
see p. 24).

13 Mental Delusional Insanity. Pa
she is the daughter of a Russian Duke
in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide
fortune when she was a little girl &
been accumulating till it now amounts
£4,000,000. That some people appropriated this
money & built this house with it. That her
name is "Laida, Leodora, Frederica Ollenburgh" she
knows because she heard a Russian tell her so
outside her window at Bethlechem. 2000.
Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner
with nervous twitch of mouth & jerk of the
head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Henderson

they say here that everything
that comes here belongs to the
Queen. I have never got one
thing that has been sent to me
I am wonderfully better in
health. I have never taken
any medicine at Bethlechem
or here. It is so tiresome not being
allowed to have a pair of scissors
or a knife or any thing. I have never
heard any delusions of any thing.
It is so dreadful to be put where
I am. My kind love to you
I am so very sorry to have been
such a trouble to you all. I
long to hear from you all again.
Harry is better. Vicary, Kirby
I won't be here about you all.
I am afraid to write to Harry
because I don't know whether
he has come back.

happened. it is so tiresome
people at Bethlechem. Here
they take my name & they get
all my letters & parcels. Everything
that is sent to me is claimed
by a woman up stairs. & a
woman down stairs. They
won't let me have any thing.
There is not one person here
who has the slightest right
to call themselves by my name
or take my letters or money.
I see a woman take the place
of Kenneth gave me
I saw an old woman
who had the brooch on which

with the 5158 (p. 318)

Jan 13 she remains the victim of chronic delusion &
exaltation & persecution. she believes
her neighbours are constantly appropriating
her money, letters & petty belongings.
Health good. 6-12-1004.
20 Buchanan. C. Macdonald.

19. Patient complains of pain in the stomach.
Temp. which had fallen to 97.4° rose this evening to 102.7°
for no obvious reason. Patient complains of pain in the
throat. The cough is troublesome but the physical
signs are diminishing. Patient is being treated with
bronchitis belladonna poultices & nasal drops. Carb.
20. Complains of pain in the stomach & large

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Adm. 6 Jan. 91

Old d. 6 Jan. 91

C. in L. 9 Jan. 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 25) 64. single.
Crounners. Le. ac.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been
lost by some woman in Bethlechem &
she lives in the north. her own well even in
all her property amounting to 4 million
upon one occasion the Queen visited
middle of the night & greatly alarmed her
stated that Queen Adelaide left her 1000
that a Mrs. Campbell used to poison her &
out her eyes. That some abominable w
Bethlechem defrauded her of money. Has
of hearing hears almost every night &
say "I will cut your throat. I will r

R. H. No.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical (For description
see p. 24).

B. Mental Delusional Insanity. 43
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in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide
fortune when she was a little girl &
been accumulating till it now amounts
£4,000,000. That some people appropriated this
money & built this house with it. That her
name is "Laida, Feodora, Frederica Olenburgh" she
knows because she heard a Russian tell her so
outside her window at Bethlechem. 2000.
Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner
with nervous twitches of mouth & jerk of the
head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Henderson

Jan 13 she remains the victim of chronic delusion &
exaltation & persecution. She believes
her neighbours are constantly appropriating
her money, letters & petty belongings.
Health good

20 Buchanan

C. (accedent)

which Vicary gave me — & she insults me in every way
they are so very ill natured to & you know it is not a fair
the upstart & I am quite sure place. But it is the little things
she is a dreadful woman who of every day life that makes
is so bitter against me. I cannot my happiness — The other day
find out her name. It is They got up a picnic & I went too
a beautiful place & the food but I felt so uncomfortable
is good. but there is no because I could give nothing
occasion for me to live with towards it, all these people believe
such common people, be money & I have none. it is so very
ordered about by her own mad because all the people
& not be allowed what I want find me cottons & paper stamps
to wear & kept cold when I I have got one. I can't write often
wrote on shawl. All the money because I have no stamp. I
wears sham diamond brooches could not write to Harry because
given by a woman up stairs I had no stamp. I don't send
so that they may look like me any money in a letter because
I should never get it —

11. venous precussion heard in 2 areas. she coughs & breathes
& patient complains of pain in the stomach.
19. Temp. which had fallen to 99.4° rose this evening to 102.2°
for no obvious reason. Patient complains of pain in the
throat & the cough is troublesome but the physical
signs are diminishing. Patient being treated with
bronchitis belladonna poultices & nasal drops. Carb.
26. Complains of pain in the stomach & large

906

Adm. 6 Jan. 91

M. d. 6 Jan. 91

C. in L. 9 Jan. 91

Julia Cellaby (vide p. 25) 64. Single.
Governess. &c.

1st Cert.

States that a large fortune has been taken from her by some woman in Bethlehem Hospital. That the Queen of the West here will eventually inherit all her property amounting to 4 millions. That upon one occasion the Queen visited her in the middle of the night & greatly alarmed her. W. J. Drew, June 91. Stated that Queen Adelaide left her £100,000 when a child that a Mrs. Campbell tried to poison her & tried to gouge out her eyes. That some abominable woman at Bethlehem defrauded her of money. Has hallucinations of hearing, hears almost every night the woman say "I will cut your throat. I will stick you".

R. H. Dool. 4th June 91.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical (For description & photograph see p. 25).

B. Mental Delusional Insanity. Patient says she is the daughter of a Russian Duke & was born in St. Petersburg. That Queen Adelaide left her a fortune when she was a little girl which has been accumulating till it now amounts to £4,000,000. That some people appropriated this money & built this house with it. That her name is "Laida, Leodora, Frederike Olenburgh" she knows because she heard a Russian tell her so outside her window at Bethlehem. 20.10. Patient speaks in a clear energetic manner with nervous twitch of mouth & jerk of the head. Employs herself with fancy work. J. B. Henderson.

Jan 13 she remains the victim of chronic delusion of exaltation & persecution - she believes her neighbours are constantly appropriating her money, letters & petty belongings. Health good. C. Cadecott.

20 Buchanan? C. Cadecott.

27 There is no change to be noted in either mental or bodily condition - C. Cadecott.

July 5 She continues to suffer from hallucinations of hearing & delusions of exaltation & persecution & are elicited without much pressure. Bodily Condition good. C. Cadecott.

Oct. 1. Hatched - R. H. Dool.

Jan 8. 92. The delusions of exaltation are well marked, patient says this house belongs to her as it was built with money left by the Grand Duke Constantine and when a new patient is admitted she will sometimes object excitedly to the intruder. She does most beautiful fancy work for her friends & is busy writing a book but will not tell what it is about. Health good. J. B. Henderson.

Jan 13. Patient has a cough. T. 100.2. P. 96. R. 24. Prolonged expiration with rhonchi at apex. Face very flushed. Excited. Henderson.

15. Feeling much better, up a chair while Cough has been troublesome. Patient says she has had pain all day all night. Temp. 99.6.

17. Pleuritic friction heard in L. axilla. The cough is harsh & patient complains of pain in the stomach.

19. Temp. which had fallen to 99.4° rose this evening to 102.7° for no obvious reason. Pt. complains of pain in the throat & the cough is troublesome but the physical signs are diminishing. Pt. is being treated with bronchitis bell & poultices & Mist. Demm. Carb.

26. Complaints of pain in the stomach & dyspepsia.

21. Slight pleuritic friction in 11 axilla
- 29- Patient gradually improved without any more complications & is now convalescing. The cough is still troublesome. Through the illness patient has been as independent & energetic as possible. objected very much to being moved from her room to the Infirmary & talked disparagingly of the people around her as if they were greatly her inferiors.
- Feb. 7. Patient has now recovered from her illness, she is not troubled much with cough & has lost the feeling of extreme weakness that she had. Her delusions of grandeur are as well marked as ever & when she talks excitedly her words are not always distinct. She does beautiful embroidery. J. B. Henderson
- May 3. Patient has been rather more excited lately. She considers the place is her private property and protests against new people coming in. her language is then more forcible than polite so it has been considered well to send her to her room for a time. She sits near Queen Rachel but refuses to recognise her as Queen, says she is "a stupid woman" out of her mind. She still has hallucinations of hearing & hears a woman's voice who accuses her of misdeeds and claims to have done the things that have really been done by Miss Ellaby (e.g. her needlework or writing her book etc.) She thinks the voice is thrown to her from a distance by a ventriloquist & it disturbs her at night. Health good. J. B. Henderson
- Aug. 30. 92 There is no obvious change. Health good. Patient continues to do beautiful work & to read & write her book. J. B. Henderson

Nov. 30. Unchanged

March 4. 93. Is just the same, retains her delusions. Thinks this is the Imperial Institute & that it is going to be glorified

- May 21. in a short time. Has not been excited lately. Ed. Day
J. Paph. & Cert. Has grandiose ideas concerning herself her relations & her property; has hallucinations of hearing & is at times excited. Well nourished & has no physical signs of disease. 2. d. Dove
9. d. Dove.
- June 20. No change.
- Oct. 30. Excitable, talkative, retains ideas of exaltation.
- Jan. 26. 94. Very excited at times & talkative. Thinks she is living in "Flats" which belong to her, resents other people coming in. 9. d. Dove
- May 15. No change. 9. d. Dove
- Nov. 11. Condition stationary. 9. d. Dove
- 19 May. 95. She kept a list. She is full of ideas of her wealth & importance. She thinks that the sanatorium is her private property, that ring & watches worn by other ladies are all hers etc. (Vanity) She is in a fair state. J. B. Henderson
- June 12. Becoming much more weak-minded in every way, also dirty & untidy in appearance, spills food down the front of her dress etc. Does a great deal of fancy needlework which is now too badly done to be of any use, though there is a certain amount of originality in it. Always cheerful & talkative, full of grand ideas of her importance. 9. d. Dove
- Dec. 13. Retains delusions & hallucinations. 9. d. Dove
- March 6. 96. Remains much as before, though she is gradually becoming more weak-minded - retains delusions, that the sanatorium belongs to her, that it is shortly about to be opened by the Queen, that she will then let it out in flats etc. - Physical health fair. R. C. Despard
- June 12. Condition unchanged - delusions as before - does elaborate fancy work, the designs for which she draws herself, they are now quite muddled & confused. Physical health good. R. C. Despard
- Sept 12. Weak-minded, happy with delusions of grandeur, always occupied - Phys. health fair. R. C. D.

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M 804

Anne Louise Clarke 26. Female. Single

Adm. 10 June 91. Deaconess connected with St. Barnard's Mission.
 Md. L. 10 June 91. Raphael. Rev. abode 71 Downs Park Road, Clifton.
 C. Md. 10 June 91. 1st attack of about 5 weeks duration nowhere

1st At.

previously treated. Supposed cause, the result of
 Influenza. This not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.
 Most of her actions appear to be without aim or object.
 The talking is rambling & incoherent. Occasionally violent
 making grimaces, fancies she has a baby of her own in
 bed & believes the doctor is her husband. R.D. Smith. 7 June 91

2nd At.

Excited, vacant expression, talking incoherently
 e.g. saying "it is bright, one had measles, another had
 horse race etc. Said a tiger claw on my chain was her
 circumcised knife. Violent, striking people etc. A. Wilson. 9 June 91

Fam. Hist.

Cousin on both father's & mother's side affected. And
 since patient developed her symptoms her sister has
 become affected also & required to be sent to another
 asylum for treatment.

Pers. Hist.

It was in her mental health till 7 weeks ago
 when she had an attack of Influenza and two weeks
 later she became violent, breaking windows etc
 so that it took 3 or 4 people to restrain her.
 Before her illness she occupied herself in
 visiting the poor, taking charge of large classes
 in the "Heart Fund", she has been noticed to be
 at times very low-spirited & at other times
 quite the reverse.

Condition

on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is
 a pleasant-looking young lady of medium height
 with short dark brown curly hair, grey eyes,
 pupils equal, contracted. Features regular,
 expression rather affected & cognate.
 She is well-nourished, but has marked
 kyphosis of dorsal spine. Heart natural.



Drugs. Possibly some disease
 at right apex but owing to
 her restlessness it was difficult
 to be quite certain.

Catamenial functions not
 absent but have always been
 irregular. Appetite good.
 Sleeps very badly, noisy at
 night.

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is said to her. Says her relatives are all dead to

her. Health fair. Has had 10 days

Bath daily

W.H. 115, 5158 (p. 322)

leading me through
 heaps of other eyes
 & peroration
 of four years
 Sprawls of
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 what I think
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2nd At: Excited, vacant expression, talking incoherently e.g. saying "lit up lighter, one had measles, another had horse race so. Taid a tiger claw on my chain was her circumcised tongue. Violent, striking people so."

Lam: That. Confin on both Father's Mother's not affected. And since patient developed her symptoms her mother has become affected also & required to be sent to another asylum for treatment.

Pers: That. Pt was in her usual health till 7 weeks ago when she had an attack of Influenza and two weeks later she became violent, breaking windows so as that it took 3 or 4 people to restrain her. Before her illness she occupied herself in visiting the poor, taking charge of large classes in the "Heart Land". She has been noticed to be at times very low-spirited & at other times quite the reverse.

Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is a pleasant-looking young lady of medium height with short dark brown curly hair, grey eyes, pupils equal, contracted. Features regular, expression rather affected & cogitative. She is well-nourished, but has marked kyphosis of dorsal spine. Heart natural.



Lungs possibly some disease at right apex but owing to her vacillancy it was difficult to be quite certain.

Catamenial functions not absent but have always been irregular. Appetite good. Sleeps very badly, noisy at night.

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M. 804 Anne Louise Clarke 26 Female Single.
 Adm. 10 June 91 Deaconess connected with St. Barnard's Mission.
 Bd. d. 11 June 91 Raphael. Res. abode 91 Downs Park Road, Clifton.
 C. m. d. 11 June 91 1st attack of about 5 weeks duration nowhere
 previously treated. Supposed cause, the result of
 Influenza. Pts not epileptic, suicidal not dangerous.
 1st Atk: Most of her actions appear to be without aim or object.
 The talking is rambling & incoherent. Occasionally violent
 making grimaces, fancies she has a baby of her own in
 bed & believes the doctor is her husband. R.D. Smith, 7 June 91
 2nd Atk: Excited, vacant expression, talking incoherently
 e.g. saying "lit up higher, one had measles, another had
 horse race so. Vaid a tiger claw on my claim was her
 circumcision knife. Violent, striking people as
 Lam: That. Concern on both Father's Mother's not affected. And
 since patient developed her symptoms her sister has
 become affected also & required to be sent to another
 asylum for treatment.
 Pers: That. Pt was in her usual health till 7 weeks ago
 when she had an attack of Influenza and two weeks
 later she became violent, breaking windows so
 as that it took 3 or 4 people to restrain her.
 Before her illness she occupied herself in
 visiting the poor, taking charge of large classes in
 the "Lard" end, she has been noticed to be
 at times very low-spirited & at other times
 quite the reverse.
 Condition on Admission. A. Physical. Patient is
 a pleasant-looking young lady of medium height
 with short dark brown curly hair, grey eyes,
 pupils equal, contracted. Features regular,
 expression rather affected & cogwheelish.
 She is well-nourished, but has marked
 kyphosis of dorsal spine. Heart natural.



Lungs possibly some disease
 at right apex but owing to
 her restlessness it was difficult
 to be quite certain.
 Catamenial functions not
 absent but have always been
 irregular. Appetite good.
 Sleeps very badly, noisily at
 night.

To. Mental. Anne's Mama. Patient walks about the
 arm with Mrs. 5158 (p. 322) knows
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 eyes. Curt or dare down. as to
 men. The vote thrown. B. Henderson
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 June 17. She n. brain. I'm of you
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M. 904

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Deaconess connected with St Barnard's Mission.

M.D. 10 June 91

Raphael. Res abode 81 Downs Park Road, Clifton.

C.M.D. 10 June 91

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making grimaces. fancies she has a baby of her own in
bed & believes the doctor is her husband. R.D. Smith, 10 June 91

2nd Cert:

Excited, vacant expression, talking incoherently
e.g. saying "lit up lighter, one had measles, and
house race as laid a tiger down on my claim &
circumcision knife. Violent, striking people.

Lam: That:

Concern on both father's & mother's side of
since patient developed her symptoms her
become affected also & required to be sent
anywhere for treatment.

Pers: That:

Pl was in her mental health till 7
when she had an attack of Influenza.
later she became violent, breaking up
so that it took 3 or 4 people to restrain
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absent but have always been
irregular. Appetite good.
Sleeps very badly, noisy at
night.

To Mental. Anne's mother. Patient walks about the

This is what I think
the truth

I am being being always
in this room being

muddled & outlandish

squeezed & strained till

and to keep my self

as far as my old

standard of virtue can

help me ever I have

to keep half my brain

on fire to work the

other ends as pure

as I can squeeze

till if I have to go

on at this sort of

rubber I must

borrow a throw -

everybody -

I can hardly breathe

for I believe my heart

will squeeze next

if that so it is

through all the cruel

mistakes that I could

never make any one

believe so please

is said to her. Says her relatives are all dead to
her. Health fair. Has had 4 kids. J.D. Henderson
Bath 10/10/91

M 804

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1st Cert.

previously treated. Supposed cause, the result of Influenza. P. is not epileptic, suicidal not dangerous. Most of her actions appear to be without aim or object. The talking is rambling & incoherent. Occasionally violent making grimaces, fancies she has a baby of her own in bed & believes the doctor is her husband. R.D. Smith, 10 June 91

2nd Cert.

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Fam. Hist.

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Pers. Hist.

P. was in her usual health till 7 weeks ago when she had an attack of Influenza and two weeks later she became violent, breaking windows so as that it took 300 people to restrain her. Before her illness she occupied herself in visiting the poor, taking charge of large classes in the "Heart Land", she has been noticed to be at times very low-spirited & at other times quite the reverse.

Condition

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Lungs possibly some disease at right apex but owing to her restlessness it was difficult to be quite certain.

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P.S. Mental. Aunt Maria. Patient walks about the

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P.S. Mental. Abuse & drama. Patient walks about the airing court in a most affected manner or throws herself on the grass full length. Turns up her eyes cogitatively or makes grimaces. Refuses to answer questions at all or makes irrelevant remarks. Treated with prolonged baths. J.D. Henderson. The attached letter was written before admission.

June 17

She remains acutely maniacal, laughing, talking chattering, shouting & throwing herself about - continues baths daily - Body's condition fair. Halden.

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There is no change to be noted in either mental or body's condition. Halden.

July 2.

There are some signs of improvement - she is quieter, less restless but is extremely unstable & frivolous; after answering questions rationally, she will make hideous grimaces or some wild personal remark respecting her interrogator - Body's condition fair Halden.

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Continues restless & excited, conversation rambling & incoherent, makes grimaces & gesticulates but appears to understand what is said to her. Says her relatives are all dead to her. Health fair. Halden. J.D. Henderson. Bath daily.

- Aug. 20 She is quieter and more coherent in speech. Her bodily health is satisfactory. She does not suffer herself in any way.
- 1st - 30th She is still in the reaction stage, quiet & full but not depressed, doing but little or nothing for herself. She replies in monosyllables to questions, but never starts conversation. General health very good. all 1891.
- Nov. 1st - 71. The condition remains fairly stationary, patient is unoccupied & when addressed often answers rudely & irritably. Health fair.
- Jan. 8 - 92. Patient is now much quieter & more reasonable. Will answer questions but will not enter into conversation. She will do a little work but she does not appear to have much energy or determination. Her health is not quite satisfactory as the glands on the sternum are on both sides are swollen & tender but they are becoming less so. P. is taking Pilul. Sulph. & Mist. Ferri.
- Apr. 14 - 92. Patient continued to improve markedly, she was rational in her conduct & conversation a little childish in her manner but able to occupy herself usefully. She was promoted to No. 2, and today went to Howe villa for a change. The glands of the neck have continued to be enlarged but are very much smaller than they were. They were painted with Lin. Sod. & Syr. Ferri Phosph. Co. administered. Her health in other respects was satisfactory. The improvement has been marked.
- May 27. The improvement has been marked & continuous. She is now quite convalescent and able to make herself very useful with the other patients. Her health is also

July 3, 92. Sister again admitted - P. said to have kept perfectly well since discharge - quite satisfactory. She was today discharged recovered by the authority of her father & Clarke.

Julia Ellaby (continued p. 320)

- Dec. 29. Grows slowly more demented - still does elaborate embroidery most of the day but the designs are
- Feb. 8, 93. need 9 p.m. no 7 RCB as before, worn the two a year - occupies quite RCB delusion of embroidery colored RCB. silly with RCB. delusions are RCB. 2 - Phys. S. RCB. is now little but her delusions of even these are becoming confused - Phys. health fair RCB.
- Sept. 16. Her memory is slowly failing - & she mixes up her delusions more than she did - eg she states that her father was Peter the Great played cricket well & saved the life of the D. of Wellington. Phys. health fair - RCB. slowly becoming more demented. Phys. health fair RCB. (continued p. 324)
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- March 30 - 97. Slowly becoming more demented - delusions as before, eg her father the son of Peter the Great & won the battle of Waterloo - she herself has \$2000 a year - this institution belongs to her - &c. &c. occupies herself but her embroidery is now quite muddled. Phys. health good. RCB.
- June 30. Dementia gradually increasing - delusions of the same type - still able to do her embroidery now a mere jumble of stitches in colored silks. Phys. health good. RCB.
- Sept. 30. Becoming slowly more demented & silly with numerous delusions. Phys. health good. RCB.
- Dec. 29. Dementia is progressing - her delusions are more marked. Phys. health good. RCB.
- March 21 - 98. Slowly becoming more demented. Phys. health good - occasional letter of Feb. 5. RCB.
- June 7. Dementia increasing - her work is now a meaningless jumble - talks of little but her delusions of grandeur these are becoming confused. Phys. health fair. RCB.
- Sept. 16. Her memory is slowly failing - she mixes up her delusions more than she did - eg she states that her father was Peter the Great played cricket well & saved the life of the D. of Wellington at Waterloo. Phys. health fair. RCB.
- Dec. 13. Slowly becoming more demented. Phys. health fair. RCB. (continued Page)

20 Aug. 91 The improvement continues, though she is still somewhat depressed & probably hears subjective voices. She sleeps fairly well. - *Ad. H.*
 30 Sept. During the last 3 weeks there has been a relapse in her mental state. She has been very troublesome - confused & childish, wasting everything that is done for her. - *Ad. H.*

Nov. 8-91.

There is not much improvement to be noted. Patient would keep quiet and be fairly contented so long as things went on without any diversity, but the fact of coming in by a different door or doing anything novel would quite upset her & she would remain saying in a peevish whining voice "I don't know what to do." I don't know what it all means - *Ad. H.* Her speech is frequently very hesitating as she repeats her words & sentences so that it is quite a long time before she reaches the end of a sentence.

Health fair. J.B. Henderson. Pt. went on leave for a week last month & it appears to have done her good. She is now quiet & tractable & though still silent she will answer questions reasonably, although after an obvious interval. Her voice is much less peevish & she does not repeat her words & sentences. She is capable of reading an easy book but does not remember very much about it. She looks much better & goes out for long walks daily. - *J.B. Henderson.*

Feb. 24-92

Patient appeared to be improving a little. She was brighter, occupied herself with work &c. spoke more readily and more intelligently and one day went to Hindost to do some shopping. She told me of her illness (see Hist.) and how

impatient she became at the long period of ill health and said that she never never could be right again. She said she was all wrong inside & nothing could ever put her right, and that she was more ill & more unhappy than any other person. Yesterday she went again to Hindost & when returning to the station she got away from her companion & went into the Thames requiring to be helped out by the bystanders. Today she does not appear to be any worse in physical health but she is agitated, fretful and depressed, hesitating in speech and worrying herself about what will be done to her.

A suicidal ticket has been issued. She is transferred to No. 6. *J.B. Henderson.* Patient remains depressed but there is some improvement. She will enter into conversation and occupy herself and is very fond of long walks, and is less troublesome in taking her medicine. Her physical condition is scarcely satisfactory. She is losing weight (10.5) and suffers from more obstinate constipation in spite of regular aperients. The amenorrhoea also continues. She appears lacking in vitality and in energy. She seems to want something to take an interest in something. *J.B. Henderson.* Patient improved a little having been visited by her husband frequently. She went out daily and when occupied herself with needlework or a book. She is still depressed and her speech is hesitating. Constipation & Amenorrhoea continue. She was today removed to Otto House. Relieved by the authority of P.H. Rickman (Her husband).

Catherine Mary Shefferd. (continue)

8 July 91. There is no improvement mentally. She is still fed 5 times daily with tube. & sleeps badly with Sulphonal at night - no notice of surroundings or questions; still wet & dirty. Physically she is no weaker. Pulse 100. R. 30. T normal. Inguinal test & right still dry but clearer - no further development of any disease in left lung, but the lower half is duller & breathes sounds less audible than on right side. The stimulants, food, & medicine are continued exactly as in previous notes.

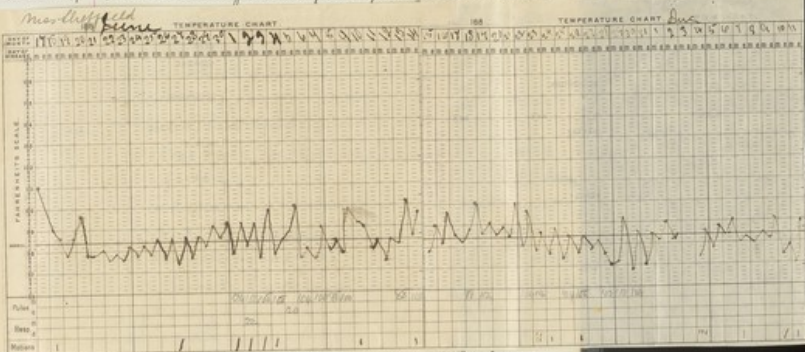
15 July. No improvement to be reported mentally. On the evening of the 12th patient took some strawberries & on the 14th she was fed by the nurse but as she resisted strongly it was necessary to recommence feeding by tube. This has been done 5 times daily since the 15th. Patient at times noisy & excited & kept in bed with difficulty.

General health somewhat improved. J.B. Henderson
21st. The tube feeding was continued 5 times daily till the 17th since then patient has been fed by the nurse. On the 17th patient tried to bite the sheet around her neck. She is now quieter, lies in bed without making such constant attempts to get up. Does not speak but sometimes attempts to answer questions more intelligible tone. Sleeps badly. J.B. Henderson

20 August. Her physical condition is improving daily. She remains dull & stuporous mentally - and cannot be induced to speak - there is no resistance to feeding or dressing - and no cataplexic fixation of limbs. - R.D. L.H.

30 Sept 91. She continues to improve - though still very dull & apathetic. She has a tendency to wander out

corridor & search herself - Her bodily health is satisfactory, and she looks healthy - 29th 91
Patient varies from day to day, being sometimes



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May 30

attempted to cut her throat with a blunt knife consequently a surgical ticket was issued. (No injury was inflicted) Health good J.B. Henderson

Patient remains in a kind of stuporous condition, generally sitting with her hand to her throat, or with her fingers in her mouth apparently trying to get something disagreeable away. Her expression is stern & frightened and she appears very unhappy, at times she is more agitated & violent. She refuses her food & appears to be fed. Sleeps badly requiring an occasional hypnotic. General health fair

Aug 30. There is some improvement, patient well at times plays the piano & sing (she has a strong well cultivated voice). Her habits are improving, but she is still unable to enter into conversation and generally sits or stands with her hand at her throat.

Cont. page 335. Health good J.B. Henderson

Catherine Mary Shefferson. (Continue)

8 July 91. There is no improvement mentally. She is still fed 5 times daily with tube - & sleeps badly.

TREATMENT		NAME		NY
		ADDRESS		
		OCCUPATION		
		AGE	SEX	
		DISEASE		
		RESULT		
15 July.	but as we			
	recommence feeding by tube & this has been done 5 times daily since the 13th. There are at times noisy & excited & kept in bed with difficulty.			
	General health somewhat improved. J.B. Henderson			
21st.	The tube feeding was continued 5 times daily till the 17th since then patient has been fed by the nurse. On the 17th pt tried to tie the sheet round her neck. She is now quieter, lies in bed without making such constant attempts to get up. Does not speak but sometimes attempts to answer questions in inaudible tone. Sleeps badly. J.B. Henderson			
20 August.	Her physical condition is improving daily - She remains dull & stuporous mentally - and cannot be induced to speak - there is no resistance to feeding or dressing - and no cataplectic fixation of limbs. - J.B. Henderson			
30 Sept.	She continues to improve - though still very dull & apathetic. She has a tendency to wander into			

corridor & secrete herself. Her bodily health is satisfactory, and she looks healthy - 24th 91. Patient varies from day to day being sometimes noisy & excitable at other times quiet & stuporous. She seems most contented when able to go out in grounds which she does whenever it is fine. She does not occupy herself & will not answer questions, but sometimes she speaks in an undertone e.g. "Oh, these dreadful lectures". Health - S.B. Henderson

Jan 5 92. Patient remains unoccupied & refuses to answer questions. She frequently appears to be trying to clean something out of her mouth or holds her hand to her throat. She does not speak on ordinary subjects but often says "I want a sword" "Give me a sword" or "I want a soldier to come & kill me". About 3 days ago she attempted to cut her throat with a blunt knife consequently a surgical ticket was issued. (No injury was inflicted) Health good. J.B. Henderson

May 3rd. Patient remains in a kind of stuporous condition, generally sitting with her hand to her throat, or with her fingers in her mouth apparently trying to get something disagreeable away. Her expression is staring & frightened and she appears very unhappy. At times she is more agitated & violent. She refuses her food & requires to be fed. Sleeps badly requiring an occasional hypnotic. General health fair. Aug. 30. There is some improvement, patient will at times play the piano & sing (she has a strong well cultivated voice). Her habits are improving, but she is still unable to enter into conversation and generally sits or stands with her hand at her throat.

Cont. page 335. Health good J.B. Henderson

N^o 810.

Adm. R. J. M. 1890. Roman Catholic. Pres. abode. 3 Moulton Gardens. S.W.
 1st attack of less than one week's duration
 Cause unknown. Nowhere treated. Pt. is not
 epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert. Tells me she is going to be burnt that she
 must not eat, that all the world is against
 her. She has a very melancholic aspect & cannot
 sleep.

Dr. H. Savage. R. J. M. 91.

Jan. Hist. Unknown.
 Previous History.

Condition on
 Admission.

A. Physical. A tall, gaunt woman with dark
 hair & eyes, dusky muddy complexion,
 prominent malar bones, harassed expression,
 tongue coated & moist, appetite bad, bowels
 constipated, breath foul. She is well armed
 with no physical signs of disease in thoracic
 or abdominal organs, no evidence of cerebral
 injury.

B. Mental. Melancholia with delusions -
 She is restless in manner, unable to occupy
 herself in any way constantly walking up
 & down the room, clenching her hands, refusing
 her food, as she says, she must not
 eat - She believes she is to be chopped off
 or burnt.

Heard H.

July 25. Her constipation was relieved by Dr. Caldwell;
 at bedtime with a black draught in the
 morning - She now occupies herself with
 needlework, is less restless, & less trouble-
 some with her food though she still requires
 feeding at times - She sleeps better
 but occasionally requires Sulfarnel -
 mentally she is still depressed & believes
 she is to be tortured in some way, though
 the delusions are less prominent.
 Heard H.

27. She was today discharged "relieved" - Having
 no relatives in England, an arrangement
 was made by the French Consul & Home
 Secretary & she was restored to her
 relatives in France - In consequence the
 Judicial Reception order was never
 signed in her case - a correspondence
 with the Comitee in Lunacy took place
 about her case & they sanctioned another
 urgency order being made use of, but
 it was found unnecessary.
 Heard H.

Citizens Mary Sheffield. Cont'd from Page 332.

- Nov. 30. No change
- March 4. 93. Has not been excited lately, & her habits are improved, though she still practices self abuse openly. Is dull & very seldom speaks, but occasionally plays rings. J. L. D.
- June 8. 93. Sh. High & lost. Subject to attacks of excitement in the intervals she is usually silent, but sometimes mutters to herself & cannot be induced to answer questions to occupy herself. J. L. D.
- June 20. No change. J. L. D.
- Oct. 30. No change. E. L. D.
- Jan. 26. 94. Generally silent & apathetic, refusing to speak or to occupy herself; does not always appear to understand what is said to her. Habits improved. J. L. D.
- May 15. No change. J. L. D.
- Nov. 14. No change, if anything habits improving. E. L. D.
- June 12. 95. She is unimpaired & indifferent to her surroundings; she rarely speaks when addressed, or occupies herself in any way; she nearly always has to be fed, & has a tendency to wander away from the stove unless carefully watched. She is only occasionally dirty in habits. J. L. D.
- June 13. Sh. High & lost. Demented. Cannot answer questions. Generally, she is sometimes dirty in habits. She does not speak as a rule. Physically in a fair state. J. L. D.
- Dec. 13. Will occasionally answer simple questions & occupies herself usefully with needlework. J. L. D.
- 753
- March 12. 96. Reasoning demented. Though she is somewhat less apathetic, occupies herself with needlework & will sometimes make a few remarks of her own accord (often in German) & will occasionally answer questions. Habits better. Health good. R. C. D.
- 757
- June 12. Demented - incoherent - occupies herself more than she did. Habits improved. Health good. R. C. D.
- 759
- Sept 12. Demented - talks in an unintelligible manner. tho' will sometimes answer a few questions - occupies herself. Habits better - has a trick of constantly sleeping

her forehead - Health good R. C. D.

- Dec. 29. Demented - talks to herself in an almost unintelligible way - continues to slap herself violently at intervals in a foolish impulsive way - will now rarely answer questions & will occupy herself very little. Habits a little better but she still practices self abuse. Phys: Health good. R. C. D.
- 7512
- March 30. 97 Demented - & rarely occupied. stands about talking to herself almost incoherently - will rarely respond to questions - is less often excited than she was - habits better but still maintains Phys health good. R. C. D.
- 7513
- June 30. Less often often excited, otherwise her condition is unaltered - Phys health good - has been at the Red House for the past 2 weeks R. C. D.
- 821
- Aug. 24. Discharged today - transferred to Peckham House - "impaired"

Discharged Aug. 24. 97

No 811

Adm: 20 June 91. No occup. Ch. of England. Res. abode 1 Clements Rd. Ash Rd. Aldershot. 1st attack of 6 weeks duration supposed cause 'childbirth'. Nowhere previously treated. This not epileptic, suicidal nor dangerous.

1st Cert. She declares that she is very dirty & that her clothes are soiled & need to be changed (which is not the case) that she knows me to be Dr. Patterson & believes that I am Jesus, the Saviour, that she knows she is in Aldershot but cannot tell if she is in her earthly home or on her way to heaven.

Wanted to fly. said the house was falling on her, that people were poisoning her, that she possessed a number of arms & legs, that she was surrounded by boiling water, that she was falling thro. the bed, that she had lost a finger & must go to look for it.

2nd Cert. Delirious Delusions & misbehaviour. C. G. Patterson. 20 June 91. Nil.

Jan. Hist.

Previous History

As a child a young woman she was considered healthy in mind & body - she married just before she was 18, went to India with her husband who was a Sepoy in the Durand's & during the first years of her married life has had much worry & anxiety. She has been confined 3 times. 1st with twins, then a miscarriage, lastly 2 months ago with a normal babe. During her life in India she was never in the same station for more than about 2 months together but constantly changed about - about 2 weeks before the birth of her child they started home from India on a trip of 6 weeks. This they had to leave a local woman in order that she might be confined on shore. The confinement was natural, but she remained

very weak. an abscess formed in her right breast which was opened, & about a month after delivery she showed signs of mental aberration, lost strength till within about 3 days before admission when she refused all food.

Condition on Admission

A. Physical. She was admitted at 10 P.M. having travelled by road (20 miles) accompanied by her husband & mother - she was somewhat exhausted. She had to be carried out of her cab into the gallery, was immediately put to bed & took with some cooking eggs in ½ pint milk with ½ oz. brandy.

A pale slender woman with light hair light eyes. Tongue thickly coated with moist creamy fur. P. 115. R. 40. owing to the exhaustion of the patient it was deemed advisable not to subject her to thoracic & abdominal exam. - Bed sore on back.

B. Mental. She is dull, listless & apparently only semi-conscious - she refuses to speak, refuses all food but liquid nourishment, which she requires much prompting - 11/2 oz. & dirty in her habits.

June 21.

with 3/4 pt. 55% by 100% 100% 100% 100%

22

T. 102.2. P. 120. R. 45. Dulness over left lung behind up to angle of scapula. with bronchophony bronchial breathing. faint crepitations in front. at 7.30 P.M. T. 105.2 antipyretic 8 grains brought T. down to 104° - First Quinine 4.0 grs. slept at intervals during night. P. 130. R. 40. all signs of pneumonia left lung at 4.30 T was 106.2 she was accordingly given a bath at 5.0 & ice put in all her T. back to 102. She was wrapped wrapped

in a blanket took small quantities, furnished
 & appeared better & more comfortable. She
 remains wet & dirty in her habits, refuses to
 speak & lamely, with nearly everything
 done for her - *Gladden*.

23. slept in intervals, refused food, fed by
 tube twice. Temperature about 101 all
 day - visited by her husband & mother who
 were advised not to see her, as she at present
 knows no comfort - P. 120. R. 32. M.
24. was called at 5 a.m. to find a sudden change.
 she now collapsed - moribund - mucous rattle,
 in throat.

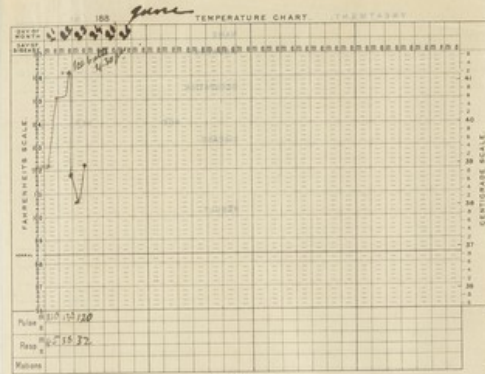
Passed away quietly at 8.50 a.m.

With tubercle & acute pneumonia
 Perforated mania

S.D. (Charles Caldwell) 178.
 acting Superior Conduct.

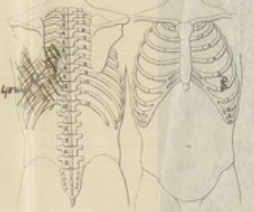
No autopsy made; the corpse removed
 the same evening for burial at Aldershot

Gladden



NURSES INSTRUCTIONS DIETARY &c.
Mrs. Lhollons

METHOD OF INDICATING PHYSICAL SIGNS
 Graphs C. Bates R. Froben - Contains 100 Illustrations of Physical Signs
 CARDIAC WORKING
 Point of greatest intensity M. Area over which it is audible (M)



21. Temp. 103.5, pulse 100, respiration 20, cough - 7 p.m. T. 104.
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Walden



TREATMENT.		TRANS. AUTOPSY	
NAME		AGE	SEX
ADDRESS			
OCCUPATION			
DISEASE			
RESULT			

POCKET CHART
 FOR MEDICAL CASE TAKING
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N^o 812

Adm. 22 June 91

M.A.D. 23 June 91

C.A.D. 23 June 91

Hilene Marguerite Aimée Pacotte, Single 23.
 As occupant. Albany Ho. Victoria Rd. Warrington. Probable
 1st attack of 14 days duration, nowhere previously treated.
 Supposed cause unknown. It is not epileptic, but
 is suicidal & violent.

1st Cert. Has a fixed gaze with great restlessness, constantly
 trying to unbind bandage on arm which is placed over
 wound caused by her jumping out of the window.
 Says she wishes to kill herself because she does not
 know how to manage.

Tried to hurt herself & her mother. Hallucinations
 that mother is molesting & all people in neighbourhood
 are acting against her. Tried to strangle herself w/

2nd Cert. Determination to attempt suicide again. ^{4th Collected 23 June 91}
 she has brought great trouble on her family & is
 anxious to relieve them by destroying herself.

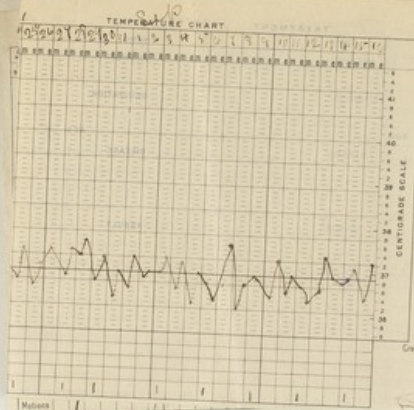
Fam. Hist.

Prev. Hist.

No insanity. Father eccentric, alcoholic drinker.

Condition on
 admission

A. Physical. A short dark-haired girl, with pale
 sallow face, dusky complexion, pupils dilated.
 Tongue coated with thick creamy fur. Bowels
 constipated. Refusing food. She is fairly nourished
 with no physical signs of disease in thoracic or
 abdominal organs, but rapid pulse with double
 first & second heart. She is admitted with many
 sores on all part of the body & no importance &



June 29.
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 102°
 103°
 104°

July 6
 100°
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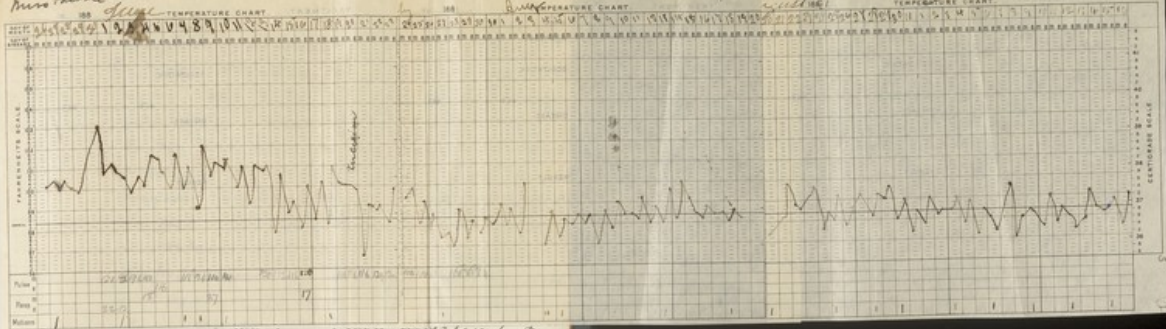
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stained by throwing
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 ia - medication
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 in many ways.
 bath - she refused
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 or warfare & refused
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 to, she hears people
 right. Calves
 in her family &
 consequently attempt suicide - S.T. issued
 She remains silent absolutely refusing to answer
 any questions or respond in any way -
 refuses all food, sips 4 times daily, visiting
 actively with all her strength in every way at
 each feeding - continues bath 8 times daily -
 bowels constipated. breath foul. T. 101. P. 120. Hardly
 there is no change to be reported. T. 101. P. 120.
 bowels have been relieved with Calomel.
 Perspires freely. Still fed with two 4 times daily
 refuse to speak & actively visit. Hardly
 Since July 10 has taken her food of her own accord;
 with the remains silent, refusing to speak or
 respond in any way to simple questions - there
 is some bronchial edema of left arm with doubtful
 fluctuation - a grooved needle was inserted in 2
 different spots with a negative result - T. still
 remains about 101. P. 120-140. Perspires freely.
 no cough. 1/2 acid test.
 owing to the arm being systematic with more distinct
 fluctuation, the patient was yesterday placed under

Marguerite Annie Pasotte, Single 23.
 Albany, N.Y. Victim of. Working. Proscribed
 of 14 days duration, nowhere previously treated
 since unknown. It is not epileptic, but
 is a violent.
 d. gaze with great restlessness, constantly
 trying bandage on arm which is placed over
 head by her pumping out of the window.
 makes to kill herself because she does not
 want to marry.
 and herself her mother. Hallucinations
 her mind - all people in neighbourhood
 against her. Tried to strangle herself w/
 a knife. Collected by police.
 a threat to kill herself again. She has
 brought great trouble on her family & on
 to relieve them by destroying herself.
 Father eccentric, alcoholic drinker.

A short dark-haired girl, with pale
 skin, dusky complexion, pupils dilated
 with thick creamy pur. bowels.
 refusing food. She is fairly nourished
 although signs of disease in thorax &
 abdomen, but rapid pulse with double
 systolic beat - She has admitted with many
 parts of the body & no importance.

Mrs. Pasotte



June 27.
 Pulse 24 beats
 100° W
 Bowels
 Sleep - fairly

July 6
 7. Pulse 100
 100° W

Consequently attempt suicide - S.T. used
 She remains silent absolutely refusing to answer
 any questions or respond in any way -
 refuse all food, refused to take daily visiting
 actually with all her strength in every way at
 each feeding - sometimes bath & change daily -
 bowels empty? breath foul T. 101° P. 120. Spasms.
 There is no change to be reported. T. 101° P. 120.
 bowels have been relieved with Calomel.
 Persists freely. She fed with two 4 times daily
 refuse to speak & actively resist. Had no rest.
 Since July 10 has taken her food of her own accord;
 with the remains silent, refusing to speak or
 respond in any way to simple questions - There
 is some brownish odema of left arm with doubtful
 fluctuation - a grooved needle was inserted in 2
 different spots with a negative result - T. still
 remains about 101° P. 120-140. Persists freely.
 no cough. / fact cost.
 21 Being to the arm being symptomatic with more distinct
 fluctuation, the patient was yesterday placed under

No 812

Adm. 22 June 91

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C. M. L. 23 June 91

Helene Ma

No occup.

1st attack of

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she has brought great trouble on her family & is

anxious to relieve them by destroying herself.

Fam. Hist.

No insanity - Father eccentric, alcoholic drinker.

Prev. Hist.

Condition on admission

A. Physical. A short dark-haired girl, with pale sallens face, dusky complexion, pupils dilated. Tongue coated with thick creamy fur, bowels constipated, refusing food. She is fairly nourished with no physical signs of disease in thoracic or abdominal organs, but 2nd part of the body. Not very hot in breast - She is admitted with many marks on all part of the body, 7 no importance &

TREATMENT.

NAME

ADDRESS

OCCUPATION

DISEASE

AGE

SEX

RESULT

June 29.

with 25 grains

1/2 lb. 4

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July 6

2. 25 grains

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a small stab in the left arm obtained by throwing herself at the window previous to her admission -

B. Mental. Obsessional melancholia - madman

she was noisy, excited, shrieking & throwing herself

endeavouring to injure herself in many ways.

she was put into a continuous bath - she refused

to sleep, resisted in the most determined

manner every thing done for her welfare & refused

all food - according to the doctor who was

in attendance upon her admission she believes

the people around her are ghosts, the more people

walking about the house at night. Otherwise

she has brought great trouble on her family &

consequently attempted suicide - S.T. issued

June 29. She remains silent absolutely refusing to answer

any questions or respond in any way -

refuses all food, refused 4 times daily, resisting

actively with all her strength in every way at

each feeding - continues bath 8 days daily -

bowels empty? breath foul T. 101. P. 120. Hard stool.

There is no change to be reported. T. 101. P. 120.

bowels have been relieved with calomel.

Perishes freely. Still put with tube 4 times daily,

refuses to speak & actively resists. Hard stool.

4th Since July 10 has taken her food of her own accord;

with the remains silent, refusing to speak or

respond in any way to simple questions - there

is some bracing odema of left arm with doubtful

fluctuation - aspirated needle was inserted in 2

different spots with a negative result - T. still

remains about 101. P. 120-140. Perspiration freely.

no cough. - Hard stool.

21 During the arm being syringed with more distinct

fluctuation, the patient was yesterday placed under

July 21

H. N. A. Pacolle (cont?)

Caloriform - an incision on outer side of arm
 and 3 inches above elbow. Cautery made down
 to the deep tissue - a good director forced
 through. When it was found to come back
 bone - the dressing forceps were used to enlarge
 channel, a counter opening made on inner
 side of arm & drainage tube passed through -
 the arm was put up in a rectangular splint
 & covered with iodoform & gauze dress. -
 There did not appear to be any pus - Since the op.
 the T has sunk to 98. P. 120. Mentally unchanged

22. Dressed today. Looks well. T. normal. P. 116.

Takes her food - refuses to speak - requires Morphine
 for hypodermically owing to her restlessness at night.

Aug 20th

The wound is still open - Mental conditions
 unsatisfactory - Calatropic stupor with resistance
 Requires much looking after - at times forcibly
 fed - maintains absolute silence & a fixed position
 Looks emaciated & feeble - but displays
 unexpected strength when an attempt is
 made to feed or dress her.

Sept. 30th

Her condition on the whole about the same -
 Still well dirty - stuporous & calatropic - wound
 healing up - is taking tonic. ^{at little} ~~but requires~~



July, 1891.

Oct. 1891.



S. H. M.



Sept. 91

Oct. 30.

The above photo gives an idea of her condition
 about this time. She obstinately resisted
 everything that was done for her, was constantly
 on the watch prepared to bolt through doors.
 Her arms were generally in a state of extreme
 muscular tension. She occasionally endeavored
 to destroy her things but invariably repined
 about 1/2 inches to dress & undress her.

Nov. 7.

Was today transferred to
 St. Luke's Hospital. "Not improved."

Emma Bishop (cont'd p. 392)

June 18.03 She continues quite restless - restless
9.25.11 & unoccupied with delusions of exaltation
(that her wealth is unbounded, that she owns
this Hospital, St. Paul's Cathedral, many palaces)
She is occasionally excited - Phys. health
good - RCB -

Aug. 20. Continues as on last note - RCB -

Nov. 21. She continues restless & unoccupied
9.25.11 with delusions of exaltation as above but
is less often excited than she was - Phys.
health good - RCB -

Feb. 16.04 She continues as on last note RCB

May 23. Continues unoccupied & restless with
delusions as above. Phys. health good RCB
Aug. 20. Continues restless - but is less irritable
9.25.11 & abnormally than she was RCB -

Nov. 12.03 Continues restless & unoccupied with delusions
9.25.11 of exaltation (as above) but is less irritable
& abnormally - Phys. health good RCB -

Jan. 13.05 Patient continues quite unoccupied - delusions
9.25.11 of exaltation persist - Physical health good S.H.P.

April 5.06 She continues unchanged - in good physical health S.H.P.

9.25.11 Patient is very restless, quite unoccupied with
many delusions of exaltation - occasionally she
is abusive, her physical health is good. S.H.P.

Aug. 20. There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.

Oct. 21. Yesterday evening soon after going to bed she
9.25.11 had a convulsive seizure which from the
description given by the nurse appears to have
been an epileptic fit. She is reported to
have had two fits previously - see note
for Apr. 5-99 p. 241. M.T.

Nov. 19. On 13.11.06 today patient had (from description

Dec. 7

of nurse) another epileptic fit, was generally
controlled & "foamed at the mouth" After then
by the M.D. five minutes later she had regained
consciousness & was no longer convulsed. She is
now on Pat. Room p. 241-1-01 S.H.P.

1906 Jan. 31 There have been no further epileptic attacks
patient continues on Bromide. S.H.P.

April 7 Patient still free from any further attacks, remains
restless & unoccupied with delusions of exaltation
which occasionally cause her to become abusive.

Aug. 10 Patient has remained free from epileptic attacks
and is in fair physical health. Mentally she is
unchanged. S.H.P.

Oct. 10 Patient remains free from epileptic attacks
and Pat. Room has been discontinued for
some months. She is silent, morose and
unoccupied with delusions of exaltation. S.H.P.

1907 Jan. 15 There have been no further epileptic attacks
Patient continues silent, morose, unoccupied
with delusions of exaltation. S.H.P.

April 27 There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.

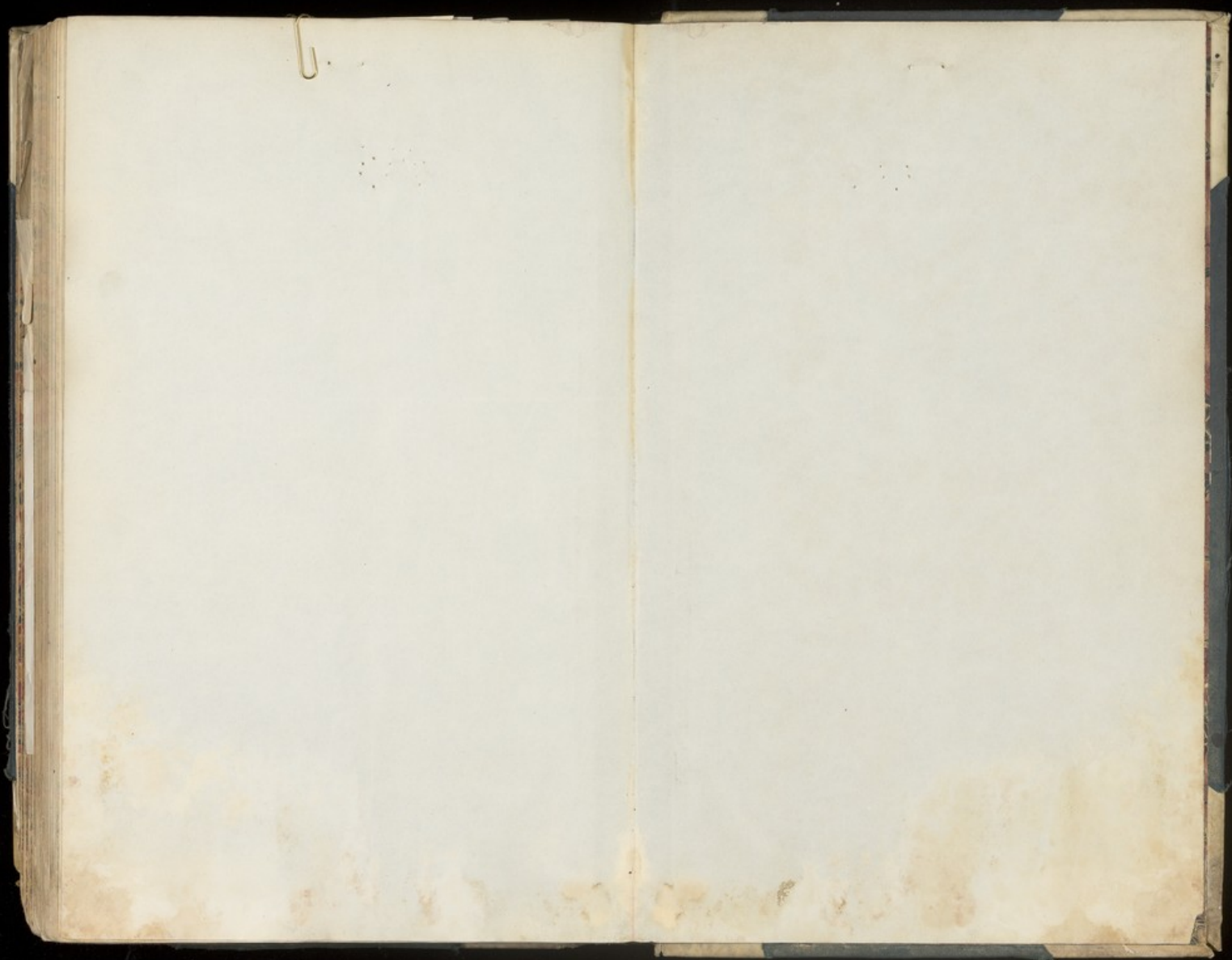
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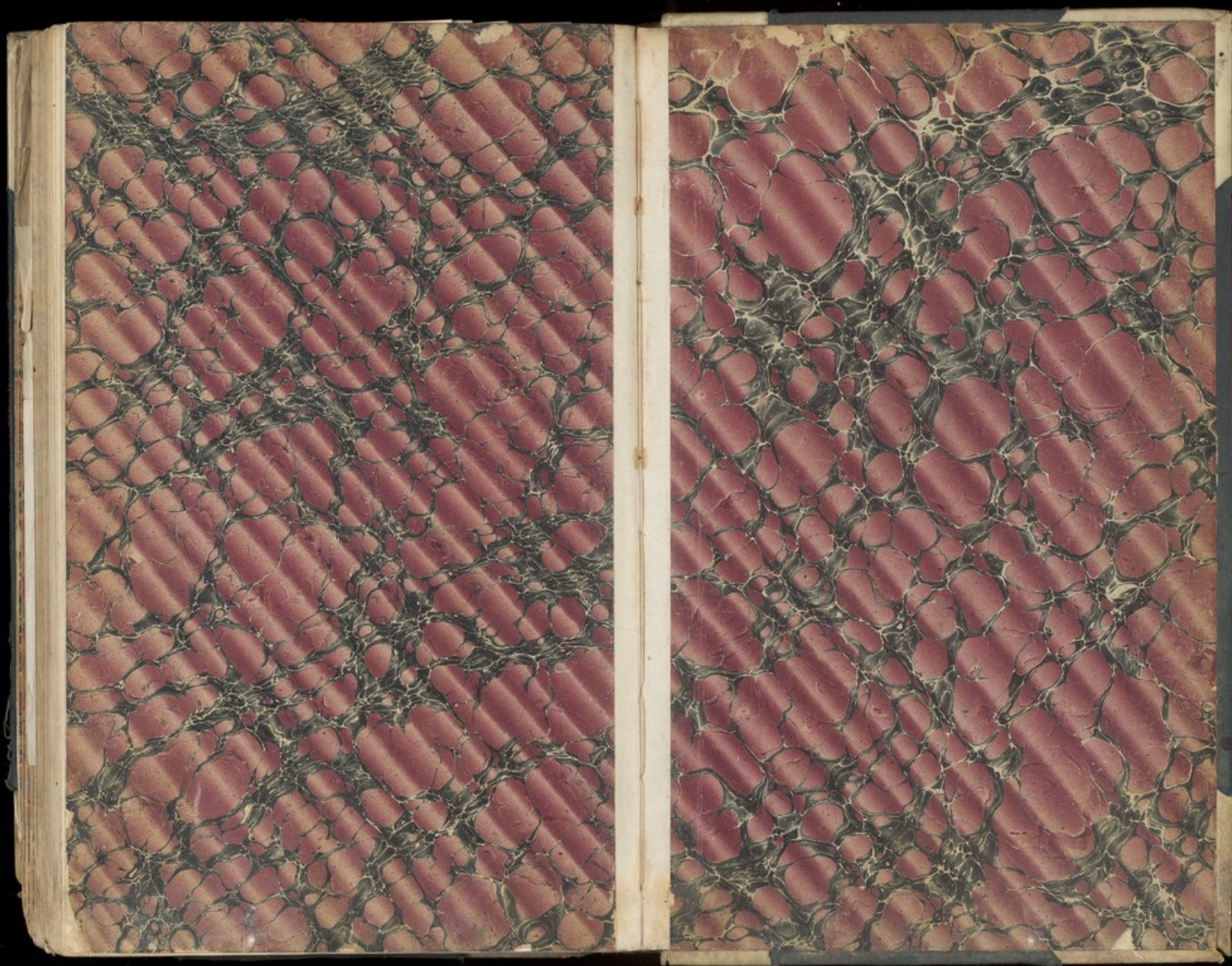
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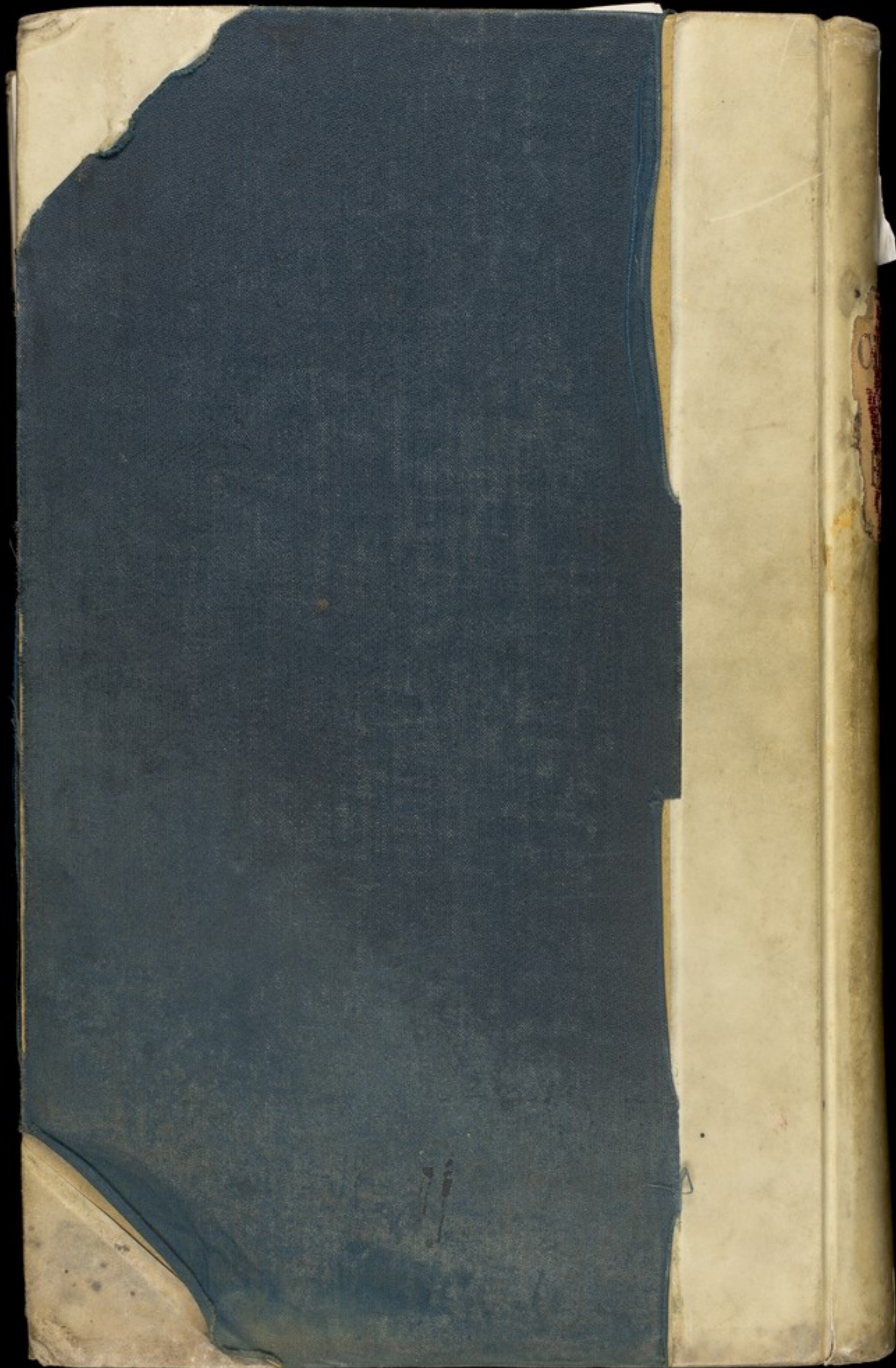
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- Jan. 13.05 Patient continues quite unoccupied - delusion
9.25.11 of exaltation persists - Physical health good S.H.P.
- April 5. She continues unchanged - in good physical health S.H.P.
- 9.25.11 Patient is very restless quite unoccupied with
many delusions of exaltation - occasionally she
is abusive. Her physical health is good S.H.P.
- July 20. There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.
- Oct. 21. S.H.P.
- Nov. 19. Yesterday evening soon after going to bed she
had a convulsive seizure which from the
description given by the nurse appears to have
been an epileptic fit. She is reported to
have had two fits previously - see note
for Apr 5.99. p. 391. M.T.
- Dec. 7. On 12.45 p.m. today patient had (from description

of nurse) another epileptic fit was generally
controlled & passed at the mouth. After then
by the N.B. first minutes later she had regained
consciousness & was no longer convulsed. She is
now on Pot. Brom. 9.25.11. S.H.P.

- 1906 Jan. 31 There have been no further epileptic attacks
Patient continues on Bromide. S.H.P.
- April 7 Patient still free from any further attacks
restless & unoccupied with delusions of exaltation
which occasionally cause her to become abusive S.H.P.
- July 10 Patient has remained free from epileptic attacks
and is in fair physical health. Mentally she is
unchanged. S.H.P.
- Oct 16 Patient remains free from epileptic attacks
and Pot. Brom. has been discontinued for
some months. She is silent more and
unoccupied with delusions of exaltation S.H.P.
- 1907 Jan. 15 There have been no further epileptic attacks
Patient continues silent more unoccupied
with delusions of exaltation - S.H.P.
- April 27 There is no mental or physical change. S.H.P.
- Supplementary Book A. 10







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