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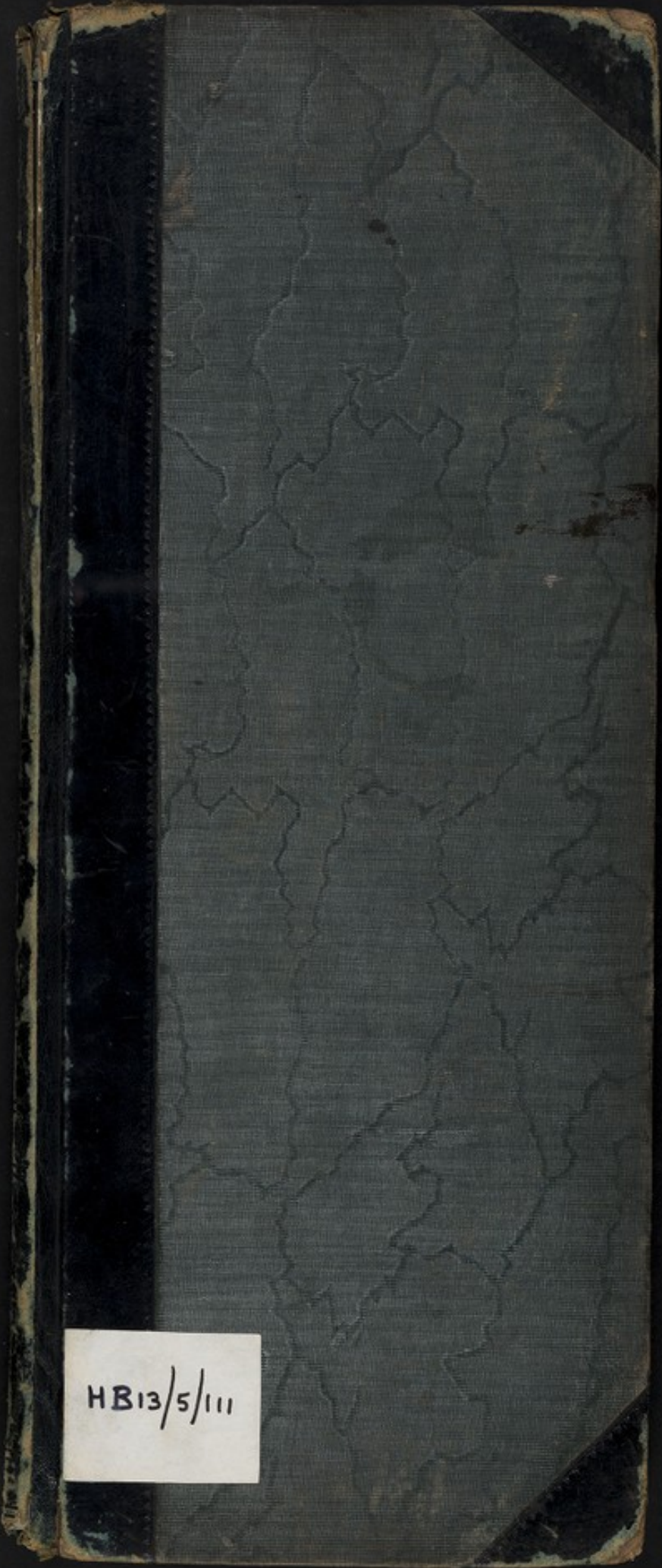
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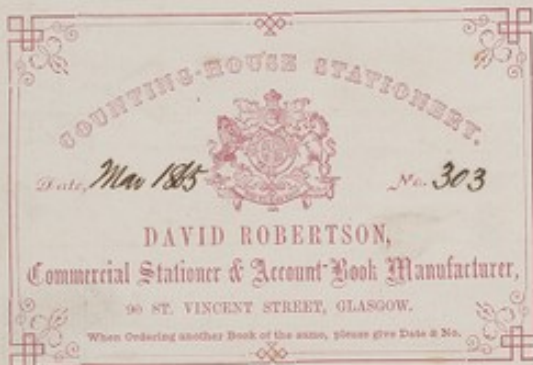
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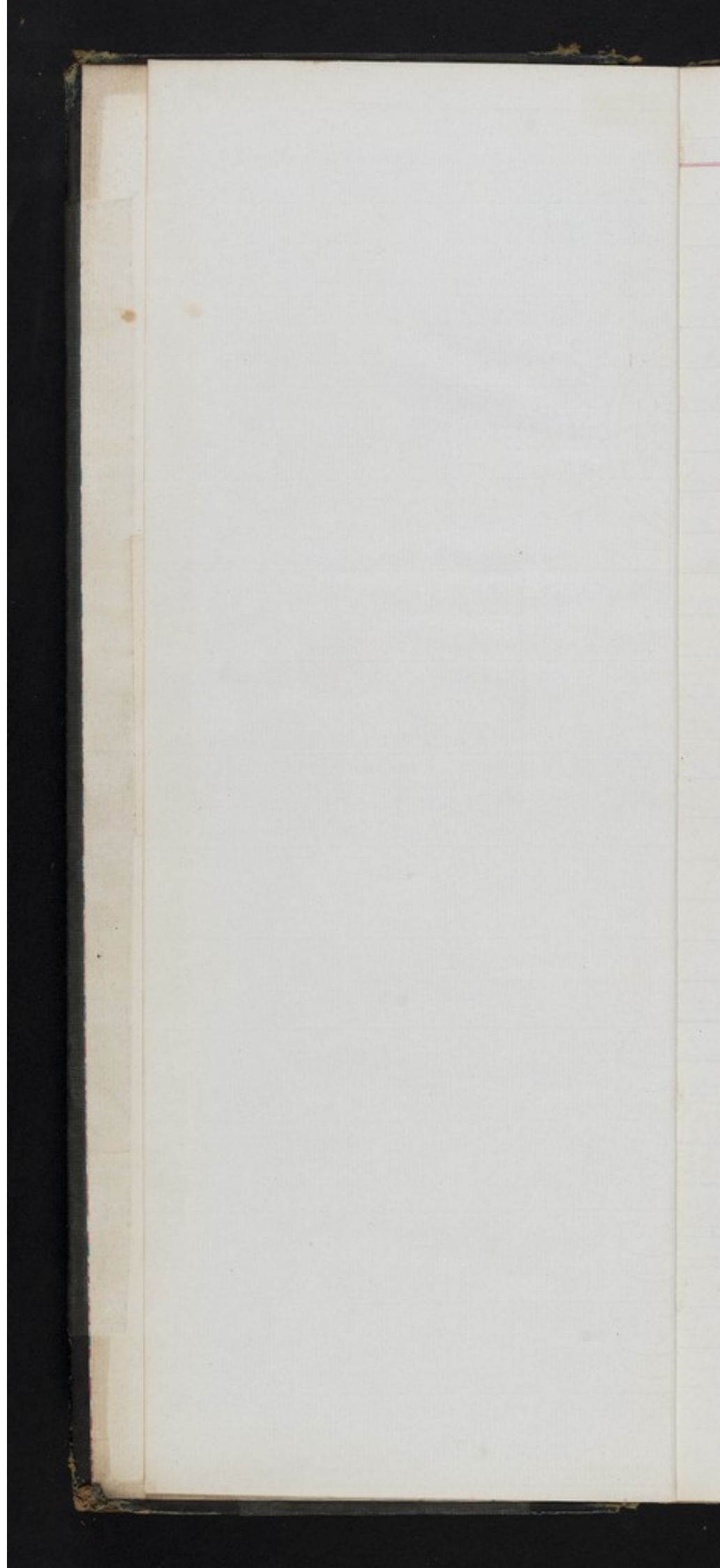
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March

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April

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1865. M. Dancer a Helen Lecker
admitted 3^d Nov 1864

Very much excited, quite incoherent
bodily condition poor

March 5th crying & saying her little girl was
punished for her

27th Is progressing, works well,

31st Wrote to West House to assist
the Housemaid

April 7th crying & saying she could not think to
go home was ashamed &c.

21st Dismissed, cured,

1865

Mary Black

- March 15 Has altered on Thursday list 18°
 Still requires to be prevented
 from interfering with her own person
 16 Very miserable crying at these
 men,
 18 Required constant watching
 16 Better
 21 Examined by Dr Fleming - is very
 excited & abusing the Att^y
 26 Abusing herself,
 28 Put under chloroform by Dr Fleming
 & examined,
 April 1 Head shaved & rubbed at the Back
 2 A Bad cough
 19 Still interfering with herself
 Neck rubbed - very excited
 20 Sent to No 1 - is better
 22 Worse
 25 Still worse sent to 506
 June 25 No better had no gloves & put
 to bed in a room
 July 2 Conduct unbecomingly open violation
 of decency -
 Aug 1 Still the same
 Sept 5 Dr Fleming put her under chloroform
 & burnt her with caustic - was awfully
 excited screamed on coming to herself
 does not alter
 18 Her Father took her away on trial
 for a few days
 29 Dismissed, improved

1865

May 15

21°

June 10

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July 21

Aug 7

Nov 14

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Sept 16

Wm. G. G. G.

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1865

May 15

Also posted 3 Rs of mens stockings
her Brother visited her lately - but
she will not admit - that he is her
Brother - says she believes her Brother
are Dead & that she has no Brother,
has stopt knitting again,

21st

Very excited & obstinate - refused to
take medicine - says it is witched

June 10

Very violent towards Agnes Thomas
had to be secluded

17

Head Blistered

July 1

Violent excited

Aug 1

Rather quieter

Nov 14

Dangerous threatens violence to & Mary
and every one near her,

Dec 10

Dead - 5 weeks ill,

Grace Spencer

1865

Says she was to be married
to a Hollander, the son
of Buckingham

April 17th Very excited in No 4 - Made
a great noise about money &

Nov 6th Complaining of pain in her chest
and weakness,

March 18th Wants poison given her to kill her,

Sept 6th Dismissed - taken away by city
to Board in country,

11th Readmitted - would not do,

1869

July 20th Dismissed to City Prison,

April

July 4

Sept 1

Nov 8th

1866

Feb 15

March

5th

Mr. Hamilton Old case,

April 1st Threatened violence with the
sweeping Brush towards Isabella
Armstrong.

July 8th Talking very loud to herself,
Sept 11th Much the same works well,
mostly speaking audibly keeping
up a conversation with some
person unseen.

Nov 8th Very excited talking to herself
has pulled a quantity of hair
of her head - says there were a
pipe put through her head
while washing yesterday.

1864
Feb 21st Destroyed 2 Bolster slips - tore blanket
& bed cover during the night.
says there is a man in her head,
Got it shaved and blistered & put
her in bed.

March 1st Violent towards Janet Glen, says
there is something in her head the
cause.

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M^r Richmond

1865

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March 15	Says there is a dead child in her belly that it is decaying - that her husband whom she saw last yesterday is not her man at all -	March 25 28
15	A great deal of matter discharging from the womb fearfull smell.	
17	Dejections coming the wrong way by the bladder	29
22	Examined by Dr Fleming	June 5
27	To better discharge stopped	
April 25	Caution threatening violence	7
July 1	Spit blood	
20	Dr	
23	Complains of a sore chest	
18 66 Dec 1 st	Dead	

1865

Charlotte M. Phee

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March 10th Was observed to pass a quantity of
coloured reg. from the bowels -

25th Vomiting every thing she takes - hair &
wool amongst the vomits.

28th Knocked down Mr. Gillespie & hurt
his arm - not serious. Struck Mary
Bain on the face & marked it

29th Much worse - violent - dirty &
neck rubbed -

June 5th Seized with vomiting of blood & a
swelling on the left side of the neck

7th Died vomiting blood.

Mr. M. Gregg & Mr. Dornick
Readmitted.

1865

March

April: Has altered, though post. Met,
1867

March: Readmitted from his Bell Street
City Prison,

40 Years of age, Widow,

Condition of Life - Decline,

2 Weeks insane, often ill before,

Body in poor condition - all vermin.

Clothes, moving - sent them away
with her Daughter,

April: Dismissed Well,

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April 5

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1865

Miss Agnes Buchanan

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- March 1st Was very violent towards Helen Bennett
Mary M Linnen & myself - & denied it.
- 13 Is very restless annoying the patients
taking their food from before them &
- 14 Tore Mary Cummins hair, broke a
Delph Chamberpot,
- 15 Still violent towards Bennett & Cummins,
- 16 Very quiet
- 17 Violent towards the other dirtied floor
- 20 Violent towards Mary M Linnen. Att-
- 21 Struck M. Cairney & M. Mitchell
- 27 Struck M. Smith a patient,
- 28 No sleep restless, neck rubbed,
- 28th Struck J. Burgess
- April 3 Struck M. Hutches & got a blow in return
- 6 Struck Mary Cummins & Bennett, slept well
- 7 Struck M. Blair on the head,
slept well, tore a Dress & a
Newspaper sent her by her Brother
got me business gloves
- 8 Struck Mary M Linnen
- 9 Struck M. Gardner & M. Blair,
- 11 Struck Miss Johnston & Bennett
- 12 Two Hallucinations about seeing
2 dozen men & women up the ward
and that they disappeared,
- 13 Wet the Bed.
- 16 Twice wet during the day,
- 18 Wrote scribbling from her constantly,
- 19 Very violent towards me Bennett & M Linnen
had to be removed -

1762

Miss Buchanan continued

March 10

April 19th Struck Miss Penkine a weekly
patient in bed, ordered an
enema, does not retain it.

20th All fith in bed.

22nd Was violent towards both of the night
att. & slept none - wet.

24th Slept well. Skin broken on the back.

25th Violent this afternoon towards M. Lennon.

26th Violent towards H. Bennett.

28th Says her birth was all prison.

May 9th Died at 1/2 past 8 this morning.

24th25th27thApril 2nd5th9th11thMay 3rd

Elizabeth Crokin

March 10

10 Says that men get in beside her at night though sleeping under observation, write to her mother saying she was disgraced. -

14 Says that Debbie was up trying to choke her last night

16 Heard voices during the night.

17 Had to be removed from the church, got up & dashed up the gallery - all once sudden

20 Great desires after men, would not work, nor go to bed, was violent towards Jesus Thoma

22 Slept in one of the choir rooms
says D. H. was there during night

25 To unwell - menstruating.

27 Not the best last night

April 2 Says D. H. was beside her last night

5 Head shaved & blistered

9 Became obstreperous on the ground & the 2nd hands - to get away required two women to bring her up -

11 Fore the night 2nd H. & pulled her to the ground -

May 3 Dismissed, not cured, Taken to Dundee Montrose asylum -

Barbara Smith Old Case
July 11th 1864

Melancholy does not answer to the
calls of nature - refuses food &

March

14

April 12th Told her sister she must take her
life & would do it - whenever she got out
considers herself in every way that
she is such a blackguard - that I did
not come into the reception room on her
account -

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Aug 1st

Oct 1st

Nov 1st

1866

Dec 1st

May 5th To become unwell this morning ^{a sister}

21st Is unwell

June 25th Changed again

July 20th Do Do

Aug 1st No change mentally

Sept Still depressed

Oct 1st Says there is no mercy for her

Nov 1st No change

Dec 11th Very depressed - crying

Dismissed improved to some

1866

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Margaret Clerk admitted
March 4thHas been quite incoherent since
her admission, constantly walkingMarch 15th Head shered & rubbed14th Speaks quite sensible, complains
of being unwell & asked to bed16th Is quite incoherent againAug^r 1st No changeOct^r 1st No changeNov^r 1st The same

1866

Apr^l 11th Dismissed to Longdale

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Helen M. Brown Old cer March 14

1865

April 19 Violent excited & threatened to kill
Neck rubbed,

20 One arm with rheumatism

22 Arm quite better by taking conium

28 Is excited & delusory about people
here to do with her it might in fact

1864

March 19 A severe attack of rheumatism
put to bed very delusory says
she is the Queen &

Sept 4 Dismissed

April 1

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May 3

Sept 1

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Nov 24

Dec 8

1865

Epilepsy

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March 16

Ann Gray admitted

Face all over with bruises
from falling in fits - Is
unwell of herself - Menstruating
has been in Longdole since 18th Dec
1863 till this date, belongs to Delry
Dreomcha to Refession.

April

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Fearing shorts

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2 Fits is very incontinent & respectful

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Struck the little in the 2 was out of order

April 7

Very restless & stupid fancies a carriage
is waiting her at the door

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Fell on the floor hurt her face, not
marked

May 8

Fell in a fit & hurt her forehead
in dining court

Sept 1

Stupid - faint - putting off her clothes
dirty in her habits - very angry could not
be kept out of a room with safety

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Well - excited & restless

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Violent towards Bennett tore her hair
& struck her violently

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Much better - had a fit

Nov 29

Fell in dining court & hurt her face
in a fit

Dec 8

Died in bed - without any signs
of illness

W. Murphy

Old Case

1865

March 14

- April 14th Excited. Idle - Neck rubbed
 25th Neck rubbed - threatens violence
 to me for keeping up her Throat
 May 1st Visited by the Priest - commenced to
 knit again
 7th Prevented from knitting as it is Sunday
 9th Has not done any work since
 10th Threw 2 Tin Bowls at Janet Glen
 12th Commenced to knit
 18th Cutting her name out of her clothes
 from some unexplained delusion
 July 8th Threatens violence to every M^r
 would not take his medicine
 Aug 1st Destructive - broke two Dishes
 Nov 1st Continues dangerous works little
 14th Bit Miss Mackenzie's thumb & struck
 her on the face
 Dec 8th Dismissed, was taken to the
 Court in order to have her transported
 to Ireland, & did not return

15th16th17th18th19th20th21st24th

April 5

8th15th16th

March 14 Mary Reid admitted

Discoloured Marks on legs
right foot one skin broken
screamed when washing it
Clothes in a sad condition dirty
is in great terror & dreads something
is to be done to her -

Has been a servant in Cumberland
St. Asaph place & England
says she was born in Stirling
is a Protestant

- 15 Very restive & noisy screaming rolling on
the floor putting off her clothes & was
in a room for 1 hour in the morning
- 16 Very excited throwing the broth
about the day room violent toward
Ann M. Mullen
- 17 Was in a Bath with cold to head
3 hours fell asleep in the water
- 18 A sleepless night but quiet
- 19 Slept well
- 20 very stupid all day - slept none to night
- 21 Threw Belle M. Rice & attempted to
bite her - slept well at night
- 22 Menstruating, very stupid
- April 5 Head shivered & restored
- 8 Feeding herself - quiet
- 15 Violent towards Mary Ewing - He collected
^{too much} & talking freely about what
occurred in a situation she was in
- 16 Says she expects to be liberated on
Tuesday, as the time will be up
then that she was to be here 23 days &
Is unwell Over

Mary Reid very filthy in her habits

- April 19th Better, cleanly taking her food
 22nd Father visited her & told me she was
 ill for 2 years past - not disposed to
 work - restless in her situations was
 twice at London & could not
 assign a reason
 24th An eruption on her arms & body,
 May 10th Menstruating - is worse mentally very
 restless & excited
 22nd Treated for itch -
 June 1st Is better of skin disease
 10th Very dirty habits
 11th Is unwell - menstruating
 24th Destroyed the wire screen & the
 walls of the room with filth
 & urine - is very mischievous
 July 1st Scrubbing the floors -
 5th Continues to do a little work,
 9th Wet the Bed tonight in bed
 Aug 1st Constantly under observation it seems
 to keep her clean
 20th Is working at the floors scrubbing again
 is some better
 Sept 11th Likes great fits of excitement & violence
 is quiet & sometimes retires when
 they go off
 Oct 1st Destroyed a Gown this morning,
 Nov 1st Working in the work house
 still silly weak minded & filthy
 if not watched
 Dec 1st Able to sleep from under observation,
 1866
 Dec 11th Dismissed, improved

March 16

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April 1

Oct 1st

Nov 28

1866

Jan 28

Aug 18

1865

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bits

Jane Redmond & Bowie

March 14 Trying to swallow pins - had to be
taken out her mouth several times

30 Kicked & struck Catherine Matheson
& Ann M. Miller etc

April 1 attacked C. Smith & attempted
to injure her person, had to get
assistance to get clear of her,
struck Mr. Johnston with shoe
on the head.

Oct 1 No change in her condition

Nov 28 Bled Betsey Morrisons Nose & scratched
her neck & tore Mary Ewings Gown,
Head shaved and blistered with
ointment.

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Jan 29 Violent towards C. Smith etc.

Aug 28 Died at 15 minutes past 10 forenoon.

Mary Sloan

1865

March 13

very poor condition, refuses food,
is demented, filthy in her habits, destroys
her clothing, is violent, swears furiously
always says she is whirled round &
drawn about

April 15 Has uttered the first time since
admission

17 Dismissed cured

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April 9

March 13th Eliza M. Callahan & Smith admitted

Obey
July
&

Some small cuts on her head
is in great fear of being killed.
Attempted to bite. Threatened to break
the Glass of the Front Door says
her name is Watson, that she was
here 4 months since & a City
Prisk brought her from the Central
Police Office could give no informa-
tion about her

16th Tinct. to leg took her medicine &c.

17th Imagines her throat is to be cut,
is more coherent & states that she ran
away from her husband 7 years ago &
went to Gloucester & lived with a man she
fell in with there

18th Sensible, Bowels pinned

18th Redeemed her Plaid & Bonnet from
Whites Temperance Hotel. Risk of
Her legs & feet very much swollen,

April 9th Dismissed - bared

Jan 7/18
1865

M. Hildman & Co. Ltd.
Readmitted

From Old Monkland Brook
5" atack

April 10th Much worse since her Husband's
visit, restless, demented, incontinence
to herself, or her own comfort
crying for forgiveness &c

17th Much rubbed

25th Violent dirty restless - fed by M^r

26th Head shaved & rubbed

May 15th Much better

June 22nd Seems nearly well

25th Is very dull again

July 1st Sent to Inf - very excited

18th Is rather better

Aug 1st Continues better

10th Bowels relaxed - sent to bed

18th Mind much better - working stockings

Oct 10th Continues better, but is at times
depressed & afraid she will not
be kept here

14th Much worse demented

Dec 11th Better working

Jan 19th 1866 Ill again - demented stopped, lip cut

Feb 18th Arm broken at the wrist, sent first
out how it happened. Head stitches

9th Set tonight, very stupid, restless
sleeps none, dirty in her habits

10th Has slept all night and all day
except for a few minutes now & then

April 2nd Much better sent to N. 4.

May 10th 1865 Dead

March
April

Mr. Lottell a Hunter admitted
Jan 3rd 1865

Came from Warringside & was in
the Towns Hospital 8 days - came
here & was seized with Bowel
complaint - was very ill.

Lost her Husband at age six
years since - was a carpenter, then
lost an only child - kept lodgers but
they robbed her - then her mind gave
away - Belongs to Orkney.

Merckel's Head Giddy - a Blister applied to neck
April 9th Dismissed cured

1863

M^r Gardner

Weak minded for years become
excited at a revival meeting, thinks
at times she is lost & other times she
is saved, hears God speaking to her
has to be fed, is very restless, running
to doors to get out &c

March 17 Head shaved & rubbed, very restless

18th very restless screaming at night
does not speak

20th slept well

25th Neck rubbed, very restless

April 5th Not any better mentally, stronger
Physically

19th Sent to No 4 sawed & little

26th Worse sent to 5 &c

29th Neck rubbed,

May 5th Fed by stomach pump

14th Wine omitted

22nd Neck rubbed - still restless,

June 8th Has slept better these few nights

25th Sent to No 1 - not so restless

July 1st Sent to 4th - says she must
take her life - no sleep for 3 nights

8th Is composed & sleeps better, but
won't sit down & do any thing,

Aug 5th Away in Parole

8th Dismissed relieved,

Apr

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1864

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1865

Mr. Mulholland, Old case

April 10 Head shaved & rubbed - excited violent
 towards the other patients
 20 Very much quieter,
 July 1 Very noisy - language obscene
 Head shaved & rubbed -
 Aug 1 Is rather quieter,
 Not dangerous noisy,
 Dec 11 Struck Mr. Carr on the eye,
 1866 Jan 11 Still excited,
 April 12 Much worse very noisy
 Head shaved & rubbed
 1867 July 1 Dismissed to City Lunatic
 Ward

Christine Mitchell

March 15 Lying on her belly in bed speaking
and to some person unseen speaking
nonsense - repeating Lady's will
Person sheet and keeping up
an argument,

May 10 Cursing & dooming to eternal destruction
several parties not present prophesying
the Jews restoration to Jerusalem &c
all to herself - making a great noise

19 Still delusive says she was in
Heaven - that her body is not natural
that she will never die - that
she is a Jew &c

26 Same views & delusions

1869 July 21 Moved to City Lunatic Ward

Mar

July

Aug

Nov

23

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Dec 1

1869
March 1

Mary Davidson

March: very delusive, says Ann Gray in
attendant & Maria Perry a patient
were connected with stealing goods
in Dawson & Macnicol's warehouse
with her

July 17 Made her escape to the western
road when walking on the grounds,
was overtaken & brought back.

Aug 5 Bitten on the shoulder & left hand
& attempted to be choked by
Catherine McTherion at 11 O'clock
at night, not serious.

Nov 1 Says one of her ears belong to Jane
Spence a patient that died, now
that the patient is dead, she thinks
she might cut off the ear.

25 After an attendant's keys - that was
sick in bed & made her escape
on Saturday night between 7 & 8 O'clock
was missed on my going round
to see them in bed.

26 10.30 found in Mr Burgess's house
Cowanaddens at 11 O'clock Sunday
forenoon & brought back, by not
found.

Dec 10 Wet the bed - because she was
not treated with the catheter.

13 Wet again - had to get the
catheter introduced.

1863
March 12 Wet the bed.

At Bryden & Johnston Old case

May 17th Got her head hurt either against
a Bedstead or the floor by a fall
July 4th Dismissed to Longdale asylum

Nov

April

May

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Sept

Jan Campbell

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Very excited, says she gets no peace
at night - with men having to do
with her - thinks I am aware of it
that I am there too in disguise

March 26 Better & cheerer than ever I saw her

28 Continues better

29 Delusory - says she gets chloroform morphine
which makes her sleep too much
so that she can be abused while asleep

April 20 Talking about Dr. Hays & others coming
into her bedroom & abusing her while
asleep - says there are a host bent
to her body abusing her

May 27 Still complains of the speaking she hears
at night,

June 1 Still delusory

July 1 No change

Aug 1 No change

Sept 20 Dismissed, Green took her away

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1865

Margaret Beir - Old case

March 24th Very excited tearing clothes dirty using
 a^g much quieter

1866

March 24th Very stupid excited destructive
 dirty & taking fits sleeps
 in bedclothes.

Mar

May

June
July

Aug

1866

Janet Peters admitted
10th Oct 1864

31

Body health bad - quiet, stomach
delicate, Delusory - fancies her case
is before the world &c.

March 6th Very excited says it must be
known to me that her body is abused
by men - that her bed is no bed to
her as she gets no peace in it, these
men that called from Goven are
the guilty parties, that she is wrought
on by electricity &c.

May 4th Very excited - would not sit at the
Table with the other patients, says
their breath hurts her &c.

6th Says the patients can blow their
breath on her though a long way
from her that she cant bear it
that Mr. Murdoch & Grace Spencer could
blow a long way on her &c.

10th Is very much excited about smells -
June 1st Worse

July 1st Wont stay in the house if she can
get to the court for people blowing
bad breath on her,

Aug 1st Not quite so bad - never does any
thing of work

1869 Negro Dismissed to Goven Bnkhous

Gene M. Keell - Wilcox - Old case

May 1st Removed from No 4 to B very
excited

June 1st Dismissed to Bernegal Asylum
very excited

Jan
1861

Mar

Apr

July

Aug

Nov

Dec
Oct

Jan 7 5th Arch Monee admitted
1865

From Police Office - naked, & reg on his
No. Marks on body,

March 6th Bit Ann M. Millers shoulder very
one - very dangerous if left one minute
cuts her filthy nose & bone language,

19th Struck M. Gillespie violently, does not
alter,

29th Gave Agnes Cameron a blow in the nose
& blood it,

30th Thiked Mary Reid on the face
& blood her nose,

April 19th Head shaved to prevent her stuffing
the hair with filth,

20th Gave M. Gillespie a violent blow
on the eye - suddenly, eye flesh,

26th Struck Mary Beir on the eye,

27th Struck Elizabeth Smith on the face

July 20th Thiking biting & tearing & striking
constantly unless held - had to be
occluded

Aug 7th Still violent & pinches her face
with filth & cuts it,

Nov 14th Bit Bella M. Rees finger while
trying to take a look out of her mouth
Thiked Mary Curing on the lower
part of belly, some times,

Aug 7th So much quieter able to be in hall
Oct 14th Dead

1865

April¹⁸ Says she believes Dr. Muirhead
was her first Husband,
wonders he does not look after her
enquired if he was not here about
her,

May¹⁵ Is giddy & says there is something
given her in her food that injures her.
heard a voice calling her & fears
her relations are concealed in the house.

Aug¹⁷ Still delusory - sits all day rocking
her body - unhappy &

Oct¹⁷ Says she gets something in her
food that injures her.

1866
Jan¹ No change in her condition.

30th Says she heard her daughter calling
her last night, believes her Husband
and daughter is in the asylum
concealed somewhere.

March¹ Still idle, does nothing, delusory
says she saw the Devil & his wife
on Piggly Road & that they
vanished out of sight.

June¹ Says her daughter is in this house
and seven hundred thousand pounds
of her money is in my hands.
(Also that Dr. Steel her husband)
Dr. Muirhead (sent two hundred
thousand here for her use) says
she hears her daughters voice.

1865 March 17th Mary H. Donald ³⁵ ~~Steward~~
admitted. Body in ordinary
condition, speaks sensible

20th Removed to No 1 - working some

21st Aft. none is confused, about losing her
child's hair, refuses to take medicine, is
lifting her head to chase away dust she sees
before her eyes, all day

22nd Says her Husband witched her,
& made her mind ill

24th Excited, insolent & demanding attention

April 5th Struck James Thomson & Mary Mills
with her shoe & was abusive in her
language

15th Putting off her flannel - is insolent
when dealt with

18th Neck rubbed,

20th Sent to No 4 - is quieter,

21st Scrubbing & working about the ward,

25th Working in Laundry

26th Do Do

May 15th Working in the washing house today

29th very abusive to the att. picking
up rags & bits of dirty paper & sewing
them together

June 2nd Excited, abusive calling the att. all
sorts of bad names

21st Orders Ann Brey away from her,
says her Ghost haunts her at night

Oct 11th Neck rubbed & wont work, says
she will never work here, that she
does not need to work &

26th Head shored & Rioted

1865

Isabel Reid or Weir admitted
March 18th

From Botetuck, Dumfries, W.D.
Petulant - Rivet

Is quiet & sensible.

19th

The same takes her food

21st

Give me 2 Plain rings in case she
would lose them.

April 25

Is better & knitting stockings.

May 20

Became excited in No. 1 & quarrelled
with the att^o - used violent language
& refused to take medicine.

22nd

D. Hery had to give her medicine
threatened to report him to the
Commissioner.

July 1st

Quarrelsome - sent to B in case
Mr. Sullivan should hurt her.

Aug 15th

Appears much better - more peaceable
and agreeable.

Sept 1st

Sent to No. 4 - is very quiet

Oct 17th

Is worse, full of mischief, never
satisfied with any thing, jealous &

20th

inclines to lie in bed, given up
work.

Nov 1st

Has to be forced to rise out of bed.

Dec 4th

Refuses food sent to her.

1866

Jan 9th

Is more cheerful.

March 7th

Is rather ticklish today - beginning
to get excited.

April 12th

Suspicious of her medicine, being
poisoned.

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1 M. Adenson n. M. Williams
From Coetbridge July 14th 1864

March 14th To become very excited, putting off
& tearing her clothes - noisy abusing the
nurse

21st Slept well last night

April 18th Is much quieter,

24th Seemingly well

May 15th Dismissed quite well,

Margt Reid

1864

March 19th So very violent towards Grace & Anne
kicking biting screaming & beating her
self -

20th Neck rubbed & got medicine

June 24th Brought Margt Measles nurse at night
in bed - had to be secluded

July 1st Dismissed to Musselburgh

1867

Jan 31st Readmitted - From Exigent cough

Age 14 - Bodily health good

So quieter - than when she left here,

May 20th Her several of the patients all marked
nipping & pinching their arms

March

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May 1

July 1

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Aug 1

Sept 1

Oct 1

Nov 1

1870

Mr Littlejohn n Kirkwood

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March 24th Has been very excited, broke a pane
of glass & her clothes struck the
wall & required seclusion - had 1 fit
destroyed a Bingham gown & 2 Petticoats

24th very excited & had to be secluded.

May 1st very excited & delusive, fancies her
husband who is dead, is persecuted
by a female patient - Mr Marshall.

July 1st A severe fit hurt her forehead.

6th Violent & very noisy.

Aug 1st No change

Sept 1st The same

Oct 1st The same

Nov 1st The same

1870 Taken to city asylum

Helen Blakely

- March 19th Menstruating very much - is dangerous
violent & filthy in her habits.
- May 5th Is violent & unwell had to be
secluded
- June 6th Violent towards Dr. Leary on the visit
kicked & tore the shirt - had to be
secluded - is become unwell
too much -
- 10th Able to be out of seclusion
- July 26th Very unwell & not excited
- Oct 13th Very violent & excited
- 16th Became unwell.
- 24th Gave Mary M. Furlong a new petticoat
& flow on the nose today making it
bleed - neck rubbed
- Dec 18th A lot of great excitement sent
to bed in No 8
- 1864
March 14th Took up a chair to strike Jockell's son,
sent to No 8.

Cheer Time - admitted

24th Jan -

Is quite stupid

26th Better quite conscious - seems wellFeb 7th Seizing for the HonorMarch 31st Is ill again - mentally - some timeApril 2nd Sunday Knitting5th Troublesome in the Grounds6th Sent to 50612th Better sent to No 1 -22nd Gave a letter to her Brother in Law25th Sister brought it backMay 6th Becoming ill again9th Is in a room by herself12th Hypo altered - is quieter20th Is quite clear againJune 8th Is rather dull & has a headache8th Is off again this morning10th Returned to 50615th A very bad night - excited - cursed
& swore & pulled the stops down
on her head in the water closet in
the morning.18th Has not altered this month - is
worse than usual - wet the bed
3 times & tore 2 shifts -19th Is rather better but morose22nd Seems nearly well again25th Sent to No 1 - seems well againJuly 4th Altered -10th Is still well24th Not so well25th Still a little worse

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1865

Janet Greer admitted 4th Feb 7
Goven. Parish - Fines, case

Very delusive about sounds in the walls - sleeps ill restles - wont take food - was fed by stomach pump twice, has to be forced to take physic

March 20 Still restless - takes her food does nothing, her neck rubbed to dry new friends.

May 5 Fancies there is Mercury in the wall,

22^d Says there is something coming of the wall that prevents her from sleeping

June 8 Very unruly in No 1 - removed to 3

11th Took her away from 3 & was running into a room in No 1 - in trying to keep her out - C Smith shut the door & came against the side of her head

Aug 1st Has been quieter for some time, but talks constantly to herself & is idle

8th Dull rather pensive delusions about pipes in the Bedroom hurting her head

Sept 10 Has been removed to 5th & then to No 3 for unruly conduct & obstinacy

Oct 30 Much quieter works & plays some

Nov 11 Taken to No 3 very delusive

Disinformed taken to Goven

Oct 18

Celestine Anne

July 28 M^{rs} Anne very excited destroyed her net
sent to N^o 1

Aug 1 Lie in Bed quiet.

3 Much better

5 Much worse unwell of herself,
took out her teeth &

8 Better again

15 Removed to N^o 1 cutting up the cloth
belonging to the house in N^o 1 very quiet

31 Altered

Sept 1 Broke a Chamberpot & was very restless

11 Is rather better still insolent and
indignant in her bearing,

15 Better sent to 4

22 Up Broke with friends

29 Ill again - has altered

Oct 6 Is getting better has not been
so bad this attack but is very
insolent about her food &

14 Still Bad

15 Better

16 Sent to N^o 1

18 Excited more at 8 o'clock in the aft-
noon 2nd month & sent to 5 & 6

25 Is unwell, better mentally sent to 4

Nov 8 Is off again laughing a great deal,
slept ill.

12 Sent to Infirmary - so she took
down the window during night in 4

16 Some better able to sleep in 4

17 Not so well

18 Better

1877

1865

- M. Cochrane admitted, Rinde
 Her husband an Officer in the Prime
 belongs to Agrohere, Delusive,
 says her two children, that died some
 time since, are living at Lord
 Glasgow, is very noisy, wont do
 any thing, cries at times, is jealous
 of her husband,
 March 1st Is quieter, knits stockings,
 sleeps & eats well
 22nd Slept none last night excited
 Tells us she became ill through
 a young man telling her how people
 were affected about their souls
 saw like a vision after that & thought
 the world was at an end, now
 well after
 April 1st Says Lord Melbourne is to judge even
 that her dead children are alive & living
 on his estate &c
 11th Slept none fancies her husband
 & 2 Brothers are drinking & going wrong
 25th Says her dead children are living
 at Muelbournigh - railing against
 her husband very much
 May 29th Accusing Minnie Moorey in pth
 for keeping company with her husband
 says she saw them together,
 June 1st No change
 July 1st The same
 5th Became suddenly excited - cursed
 & swore & accused the attendant of
 seeing her brother today in Prison &
 speaking about her - which was not the
 case

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M. Cookhouse

July 16 Cursed & swore & threatened violence to Dr Mackintosh, had to be secluded,

Aug 1 Is quieter & works at knitting but still delusive.

15 Sent to No 1 at her own request.

23 Had an interview with her Husb & other friends - was excited & kicked her Husband.

Sept 16 Dreadfully excited in No 1 making a great noise had to be removed to 506.

Oct 18 Very much excited today.

Nov 10 Dangerous violent would have murdered the 1st young with hot tea had she not been taken in to room, still excited.

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Jan 11 Very excited delusive.

April Much worse violent, neck rubbed, in seclusion two days.

Oct 20 Dismissed - taken to further confinement.

1865

Helen Muir Simpson, admitted

9th Jan^y

Fed with stomach pump

Feb 1st very weak & ill, still fed14th The sameFeb 20th Mr Simpson taking her foodMarch 20th Continues to improve body & mind" 22nd Saw her son & believed it to be
him for the first time since
her admissionApril 20th Dismissed cured,

March

April

May

1866

Sept

Mar 27th Says she is prostituted her,
April 28th Quick rubbed - violent & abusive
Sent to sleep in Inf

1866

Sept^r Dismissed to Longdale,

L. 8

Admitted March 4th 1865
Magdalene Boyle a Throat & recd. in

Talks a great deal, was ill with
a discharge of Blood for 8 Days
after coming here

March 30th Says that people come into her room
at night, even though the door is locked

April 1st 1865 Much the same, does no work
Sept 14th Dismissed to Longdele

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March 1st Fortell M. Burn admitted

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Dreadfully excited, Body all marks
& discoloured, her bit her tongue
had to wrap her head in a towel
to keep her from biting the cloth
when washing her

8th Able to be removed from bed to 4th

22nd seems nearly well.

Her illness was owing to circum-
stances, two of her sisters died of
fever some time since, she was
ill & recovered, But as they
were all in a Millinery Business
on their own account, after their
Death, she was unsuccessful
& seeing her parents to support
her mind gave way under the
pressure,

April 10th Dismissed - Cured

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1865

Mary McDonald ^{Stewart} ~~Stewart~~

1865

Oct 31 Excited swearing & for us
apparent cause

Nov 8 Continuous indolent & morose
Dismissed - not cured

Dec 25 taken to Musselborough,

May 2

June 2

July 2

Aug 2

Sept 2

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May 2

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Isabelle Armstrong, Epileptic
admitted March 4th

- Cocitelle, very dirty, all vermin
Came from the City Hospital
- May 20th Has had 7 fits since admission, at
night - is very excitable & threatens violence
- June 24th Throat a Horn spoon down her
throat in a fit of passion
said she wanted to destroy herself
- July 2nd Violent kicked on 24th in the face
5 Threatened to hang herself violent
towards the 24th because they took
away rubbish she is in the habit
of gathering,
- Aug 19th Menstruating very much, gave her medicine
to check it kept her in bed,
- Sept 6th In the same state - kept in bed
had a severe fit
- 1867
May 21st Died at 5 minutes to 6 tonight,

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St. Helen M. Dermid Lutz
 Hospital March 4th

So depressed a little took her
 food.

April 10

Became unwell,

May 30th

Dismissed, cured

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March 1

Readmitted, very depressed,

April 10

Dismissed well,

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- March 11th Agnes Ferguson admitted
 from Barnard. Boylum & Doby
 seems weakminded, takes her food
 20th Begun to scrub a little
 May 11th Assisting the House Maid
 June 18th very miserable in Bed says she
 cant get peace to lie for some people
 coming in & tormenting her
 20th Got 2 bad teeth extracted & is much
 better
 Aug 1st Still working with the House Maid
 11th Is very noisy - speaking very loud and
 spitting on some men she fancies
 is following her - neck rubbed,
 Oct 20th Sent into the Cellar,
 Nov 8th Working in the kitchen
 24th Made a great noise at her Bedroom
 Door early in the morning,
 1866
 Jan 11th Kept in from the kitchen calling
 out all day for men
 Feb 11th Dismissed - to Fingele

March 20 Theo commenced her work in
the kitchen

May 9th Is quite clear & friendly

Sept 24th Bowels relaxed - vomiting bile

27th Better - great craving for food

Oct 28th Is off again, would speak, bulky

Dec 11th Away to kitchen to work

1866

Aug 26th Ill again - left of working is noisy

Dismissed to Saragosa

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1865 March 24th - Elisabeth Linné's History

Paralytic - left side, all venous.
From City Poor House - 56 years
of age - says she has some wealth
& that the Chaplain of the Poorhouse is
her brother & wished to get her money.
That she has a house & five sons &
3 Daughters in Blantyre.

March 2nd says she has money & property

7th Is excited about Mary Cameron
says she is a sister in law & has stole
her money &c.

17th Very excited & insulting & abusive
Is more helpless & frets the bed
always cleanly before.

1866

March 7th Has been fed with all her diet
since 1st Feb^r - quite helpless.

May 7th Died at 4th afternoon.

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March 29: Lockell, Whittier
Admitted from City Poor House
Threw herself over a window & stairs
up, her ^{right} arm bruised & her
right side says things were
against her - Her sister
is Mr. Jemison, Nurse - Nigel-top
Bodgelen - -) Glasgow

- 29th Depressed crying much
30th Still depressed about her sins
April 1st Refused her food, very restless
requiring to be watched
5th Head shaved & rubbed
8th Still refusing food
12th Taking her meat & working some
22nd Her sister visited her & told me that
Lockell was ill mentally 9 years since
for 12 months & got quite better
May 1st Head shaved & rubbed
June 7th Talking a great deal to herself
says Dr. Blair is a man of another
name that she knows him well
that he was in Belle Pitney &
11th Became suddenly violent at 4th past
to evening struck Arch Bitterly
violently on the face & threatened
greater violence - had to be secluded
Aug 1st Not improving, idle talks to herself
10th Filthy in her habits - wet floor & bed
Sept 1st Much the same
Oct 1st Still filthy incoherent
Nov 1st The same as usual

March 25th Rebecca Hest - Neil
admitted - at 1 O'clock noon

Became ill after Child Birth
violent restlessness incontinent, bites
takes firm hold of the cloth clothes
does not swallow even Beef Tea
Has a sore Breast - & has a
mark on her forehead from
knocking her head against the
wall in her own house.

Her Husband is Will^m Neil
& Silver Grove Street Carlton

Evening & O'clock took Milk, Beef Tea & wine,

26th No sleep Bowels relaxed at night
No motion this day, took Beef Tea wine &
has a special attendant night &
Day - has been wet & filthy since
her admission.

27th No sleep, took Wine, Beef Tea Milk

28th No sleep - no wine nor Beef Tea but
drank an acid drink prepared for her
Bark broken at the seat, & Neck Blister
Breast pierced by Dr Fleming, &
cup full of matter came away.

29th Slept & dried a little last night.

30th Slept two hours, very noisy when awake.

31st Excited noisy.

April 1st Slept 5 hours last night.

2nd Sleeps night & day.

3rd Took Porridge & Broth, slept all day.

7th More sensible & feels her own

11th Biting the cloth - no sleep

13th No sleep restless,

Janet Freeland

March 22 says she will never die.

April 10 says the little is working experiments
on her body.

May 9 says her body is as soft as cotton
& that the little will kill her by touching her.

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Mr Mary Muir was admitted
12th Aug^r 1864

Her legs as if they were help roasted
at the fire, Body in Good condition
Is quiet - fancies at times that fire gets
into her room & makes her feel hot.

March 27th No Dinner, a Supper says Agnes
Thomson put something in the broth
to injure her - is excited.

April 8th Whose recelling some people had names
at 5 o'clock this morning.

May 1st Says there are dirt put into her wounds
sweering & very noisy.

July 8th Noising during the night - fancies
there is something put in her &

10th Given up work entirely very delusory
about newspapers says they are not
printed in Glasgow &

20th Says she has got poison that she
is weak & can't rise out of bed &
won't sew or do any thing.

Aug 25th Very excited and fancies that people
outside do something to her to injure
her body.

Sept 11th Is excited & delusive.

Sept 12th Telling off in flesh, getting better.

Nov 12th Is very ill - burning heat in her body
pain in her side.

Dec 8th Feet swollen kept in bed - taking little
food - bad cough, breathing very bad.

19th Is dying - very excited about
electric fluid being put into her body.

27th Dead.

Rebecca Thurst & Neil
From Page 57 -

- 14th Slept well distracted,
15th Slept well,
16th Had a motion from bowels fitting,
17th Dirty, slept well,
18th Slept none - some better,
19th Slept none - noisy, eyes heavy,
20th Breast pierced by Dr Fleming
a quantity of matter came away,
24th A fearful day with noisy excitement
dirty & no sleep at night
25th I let out the matter out of her
Breast - is much quieter to day,
27th Breast quite better - sits up in bed
is very noisy,
May 6th Set up on a chair for 6 hours &
could walk a little
14th Required 3 draughts to bring on sleep
18th A great quantity of matter came
away to day - very excited,
20th Slept well & quieter & cleanly
21st Continued -
June 8th Able to be out a little - saw her friend
Breast better
14th Destroyed a R. Striking & 1 Pethicret
7th Is very noisy & stripping off her clothes
Breast quite well,
8th Still dirty but more sensible slept well
16th Sent to Dr B. for noise
22nd Wet & dirty still but sleeps better,
25th Dancing amongst her pithy trunks
after being put to bed
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March

April

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June

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March 28 - To delirious - fancies every thing done
or said by any or all of the patients
has in wild reference & points it her
says she could go before her better & still
well,

April 2^d Says Mr. Henderson is injuring her
& that she sent her husband word
that she & Mr. Peacock was not in the room
that it was a gawk errand &c.
Has changed constitutionally,

19th Says she driven about, does nothing
May 20th A Bad night - fancies she hears
Mr. Murdoch calling on Mr. Henderson
to put up the window shutters, imagine
I speak about her & gives orders to Mr.
H. about not allowing her to go out &c.
June 21st Altered & is better than usual when
in this state,

24th Still delirious - says they drive
her up & down & here & there

July 18th Unwell too much so
Aug 10th Very excited says every one makes
a fool of her

Sept 11th Is suspicious - watches every ones move-
ments - Hears people for doing things
that she does herself,

15th Is unwell,

18th 1868
Sept 7th Dead,

Agnes Conner Hospital
From Cordrop readmitted

March 28th Became excited stood against
the press to prevent the dishes from
being put in - had to be removed
between the Dons,

May 1st Very excited threatened violence to a
patient,

19th Fearfully excited making a great
noise - says her hair is become
black - pain being fiercer -

July 30th Excited again - got medicine,

Aug 1st Much the same

Sept 1st Still idle & excitable

Oct 1st The same

Nov 1st No change

25th Ill with a headache & pain in
her back, got a fright with Mr
Bell during the night who took
her night gown & wanted to carry
her to heaven

Dec 1st Fed by tube, refuses food,
lies in bed won't rise

11th Still in bed,

Jan 21st Dismissed - removed to General
Asylum,

March

April

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May 4

Catherine Graham

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March 29th Altered to day - second time,
April 1st Basted suspicious & fences the
Att are speaking about her riding
her

22nd Working about - very usefull

May 1st Dismissed Bured - taken to Towns
Hospital

March 29th 1865 Mary Munro Miller, a Blair admitted

Married - Weaver before marriage
had fever 4 weeks since. Body much
reduced - talks a great deal, lets & duns
a great deal - is 30 years of age,
is menstruating on admission.
Says Dr. Henry is her cousin, that his
name is John Miller.

30th Had to be put in a single room
at night & restless.

April 1st Slept well in ^{Quincy} & seems better.

2nd More excited & restless.

25th Quieter & easy to 50°

29th Transferred to 4 -

May 1st Dismissed & cured.

March

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Catherine Hewert 1864.

March 31st Says Dr Greer & Dr Taylor of
Dakota is or was in the asylum
they ought to have come forward on
their behalf.

Aprilth Says that Dr Greer & Dr Taylor
were brought to the asylum & was
inmates - and they should come
" & relieve them

15th Sent to No 4

May 20th Very excited - feet swollen.

1867 July 13 Dismissed to Governor's Prison,
Marine Hewert

June 25th Febrile, & was in bed all day
took little food - sent to bath

Aug 1st This had a glass of wine or spirits
ever since 25th June.

Both continue idle & obstinate
he to be restrained from preying
too loud & too often.

1866
Jan 14th Aoped and got a Bible and read
for the first time since admission
it was Catherine that asked it.

May 15th Sent to No 4.

1869

Jan 24th Dead

1865

March 31st ^{June} Agnes Kops admitted.
 40 years of age,
 From Seven Pines
 Previous place of abode, Franklin St
 Bridgeton, very dirty,
 Right Hand terribly burnt in the
 Seven Pines,
 One of her eyes discoloured
 Legs legs scratched & large
 discoloured marks on the right one
 is a seamstress
 Roman Catholic,

April 1st Says she is a Protestant
 is very quiet & sensible, feverish
 4th One of the artery of the burnt hand
 burst & a quantity of blood wealed
 & they who sent for & he bled it,
 8th Says the Priest ran after her
 from Bridgeton to Seven Pines
 that she was ill, used in Seven Pines
 that was the reason she burnt her
 hand

12th Got out of Bed, better mentally
 29th May - Dismissed cured

March

April

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Just Stevenson,

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March 31st Bit Milne No 2 Alt
 Thunk, Rankin Assistant in 576
 Mr Carr a patient several times
 threatens to hit & they surely
 had to be secluded

April 1st Head shaved & rubbed

2nd Bryke 7 Pines of Glass in 3 Dormitory
 this morning, & offered violence to the
 Alt^{er} sent to No 8

8th Says she is constantly watched by
 3 men above her one of them Ben
 by name told her to break glass

Says she got clean Broth & clean
 Porridge yesterday, they were always
 dirty & fit only for huts before,
 is out of seclusion today

16th Vomiting, dark bloody looking stuff,

14th Says she gets soap in her meat

25th Broke 6 Pines of glass with her shoe

25th Out on the grounds

29th Says we are pressing on her head,
 says there is a great noise in it at times
 that the men above her sucks up her
 food after she eats it, & spoke obscene
 language to her mother when visiting in

30th Threw the contents of her Chamber pot
 on me - Broke her Dinner Dishes &
 Deo Mens eyes looking at her, says
 there must be holes in the walls,

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Elisabeth Roger

March 31st - Very suddenly excited - cursed
 & swore & made a great noise
 removed to B Gallery

April 23rd Very excited, swearing - loud voices

May 4th Still loud voices - calling her names

16th Dismissed - to Dundee Asylum.

March

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Sept 3

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Oct 10

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Dec 10

Jan 10

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Mary Curbery

64

March 31st Became excited & restless.

April 1st Much worse

9th Quite quiet to day

12th in her ordinary way

29 Excited -

30 Better -

May 27 Is off again

31 continues excited very unwell

June 5 Disturbed the ceiling & walls of her room

14 Better slept out of a room

15 Violent towards Mary Ewing attacked her hair & struck her violently for raising her out of bed.

July 28 Ill again

Aug 12 Better able to sleep in Dormitory was not so bad this time.

25 Very unwell of herself

26 Excited slept in a single room

Sept 5 Still excited

8 Destroyed canvas drawers & coat rack

11 Dormitory quiet

20 Violent towards Jane Babinington

this morning, tore her hair &c.

Oct 10 Very unwell but not excited

25 Is excited requires constant attention

Dec 10 Is off again - unwell

Jan 17 Excited again

27 Better quiet

March 10th
1864

Ann Fisher a Johnston
Fired her - from Dumbarton

April 1st Excited - using her Bedgown
6th Fearfully excited - cursing & swearing

Aug 1st No change in her condition
lies in bed - spits on the floor

Nov Dismissed - sent to be taken to another
asylum

April

Catherine Graham

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April 1st Anspicious. thinks the Att^{rs} are
talking about her & ridiculing her.
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April 1st
1865

Mary Hentchison a Brown

Protestant - From 65 King St.
 Colton - City Parish -
 34 Years of age - Widow
 is said to be in a state of
 Pregnancy, has been disappointed
 in Marriage & also in great
 poverty - is a sewer & scum-pick,
 & lived with a widowed Mother
 & two widowed sisters, is a native
 of Perth & has struck & bit her
 sisters finger.

2nd No food since her admission
 threatens to break skin - puts off any
 state of clothing, this to get in a
 strong Dress.

8th Took Breakfast once dinner
 & Tea - was fed.

9th Fed herself to day.

15th Is more rational.

18th Threatened violence - crying &

25th very excited

May 9th Right Hand seems weak

12th Right arm & face affected with
 Paresis

16th Dismissed - to Dundee asylum
 not any better.

May 1st

April

20th25thMay 1st

June

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May 15

Faint black n. Gillespie readmitted

April 1st Head shaved & rubbed, is very
violent & struck Mr. M. Jude on the
arm.

20th Got a blow on the eye from
Arch Murney, much discolored.

23rd Wet last night.

May 1st Observed to have had some kind
of a fit - not convulsed - but wet
herself - was reported by her husband
to have had convulsions & epileptic
fits long ago.

June 2nd Got a prolonged Beth. it 42.

July 1st Much the same.

Aug 1st No change.

Sept 1st The same.

Oct 1st Do Do.

Nov 1st Violent noisy dirty.

1872 Dead.

1865

April 3^d Mary Murchie & Russell
admitted 15/ per week

16 Clyde Terrace Glasgow

Widow Sheepkeeper her 3 sons

& 2 Daughters says she has

750 £ in the Baiting linen company

Has a sister in the hospital at

Leithgillhead

Mr Russell has been ill 3 months

Supposed cause change of life

& the death of her Mother

says there is a worm in her breast

burning her up, talks a great deal

she got a bad disease from her

Daughters child that her Daughter

is a bad character

Has taken no food for 3 days

says she can live without food

Took Bread & a cup of milk tonight

after admission - No marks on

her body

April 15 Fed by the stomach pump

6 Took her food

15 Was at the concert

17 Is very dull & in great fear takes no food

May 10 Seems felling off though getting

Porter whisky steel & cord liver oil

19 Fed by stomach pump, Rosinits Beef & Whisky

28 Took food herself

31 Continues to feed herself

June 25 Dismissed. Relieved

Aug 15 Death in the Herald Paper at

Clyde Terrace

Mr Margaret M Bellum

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- April 4th Removed to No 3 excited, swearing
 5th Dirtied Wells Bed & Bedding with filth
 8th Violent towards Belle M Mac & Mary
 beumer
 11th Says the nurse put poison in her food.
 15th Dirtied the room
 19th Quieter to day
 20th Out of seclusion
 22nd Worse excited
 25th Is quieter this afternoon
 30th Removed to No 2 is much better
 May 1st On to No 4
 4th Back to 2 not so well
 6th Seems quite well
 29th Ill again very excited sent to No 8
 calling every one thieves & whores language
 very obscene - picked down his Grop into
 30th Had to get in bed
 June 1st Had a Chamberpot ready when the
 Door opened to strike whoever came
 Tne Helen Bennetts Hair in a
 most violent manner when turning
 away from her
 22nd Still excited
 July 8th Seems better sent to 2
 Aug 2nd Feeling a great deal going off again
 3rd Worse
 14th In No 8 very excited
 15th Worse
 25th Is much better

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March 11
1866

Anson Grey = Epelyptus

April 6th Became excited & violent at the visit

April

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May 2

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July 1

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Aug 1

Sept

Oct

Dec 1

1868

May 2

June M. Keller

April 5 Very noisy in airing court.

6 Do at night.

7 continued -

20 To very noisy tonight in bed.

30 very excited - Menstruating,

May 28 Very cailed - neck rubbed

24 Became unwell.

July 1 To regular in her courses but not improved

9 Very noisy.

30 very noisy night & day. does nothing

Aug 10 A fearful night of excitement & attempted violence.

Sept 1 Quiescent but quite incoherent. does nothing

Oct 26 No change.

Dec 15 Spitting a great deal - whiskey added daily.

1868

May 28 Dead.

Catherine Maitland

April
1865

- April 7 Fell & hurt her feet in a fit
 May 22 Fell again & stretched her feet
 July 21 Nearly choked at dinner with
 a piece of meat underdone
 got it out with a fork
 Dec 10 Fell in a fit & hurt her nose,

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May 1

July 1

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April 11th 1865 Anne Leamey of Gosland
City Parish. 75 years of age.
Widow - Her son Arch^d Gosland
501 Gillinggate St. Glasgow - Protestant
Has been insane 3 years - cannot
answer questions properly says
her son & daughter is 2nd years
of age -

Her wound is down - no other
marks on body -

11th Violent towards the 11th restless & had
to be put in a room - slept 5 hours
says her Mother is alive - that she is 75
years of age - that her ring was stolen
of her finger during the night -

15th Is very restless overturns every thing,
wound oint down, Neck rubbed

18th very restless & violent

19th Struck Mr Brown, a bloody discharge
from her wound - Neck rubbed,

20th Dr Fleming put up the wound,
is to have a bandage

21st Violent towards Catherine Graham

May 11th Has taken something like rose
all round her head -

12th Worse today

July 18th Dismissed, no better,
removed by Barony -

M. Curacy Old case

April 20th O Fleming opened up the swelling on her breast, the matter gushed out in great quantities.

24th A very bad smell from the one,

May 7th Laying for poison to kill herself

June 7th Breast broke out up at the neck & kept running lower down.

July 2nd Died tonight.

Mrs Mary Henkine old cov.

April 22 Dying - visited by the Rev^d W. Duncan
 June 3 Died last night at 1/2 past 11 O'clock

Jan 16th 1843 M. Heron, a Tyler admitted
from 49 State Street 0245 Delant

Mucidal - refuses food - puts off her
clothes &c.

Feb 1st very little change;

April 22nd continues to refuse her food & allow her
clothes to be put on - except by force
wants to go naked &c.

23rd very melancholy - refusing food.

24th Fed by the tube with porter & Biscuit

30th The same to night

May 17th Fed again by tube.

June 2nd Her Husband took her away on trial

28th Dismissed from our books

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Margaret Struthers Old Cise

Annelle Black Epileptic

April 25 - Fell against the edge of
the Bedstead in a fit & hurt
her eyebrow

May 10 Fell against a Bedstead & cut
her eyebrow in a fit at 9 o'clock
morning

Aug 1 - No change in her condition

Oct 10 - Seems more prostrate in these fits

Dec 11 - A very long fit today

1866.

April 6 - Died at 20 minutes past 3 this afternoon

Mr. Barker Old Case
Admitted July 28th 1864
Epileptic

April 28th Head 4 severe fits - very weak
stupid & helpless -

29th No fits - week only taking stimulants
& corn flour,

May 5th Is better able to take her food

16th Able to be up to day

June 2nd Not so well had 1 fit.

10th Fell at the table in a fit.

17th Excited & depressed after seeing her
husband - says to me - he is
constantly railing on her mother
& friends every time he comes,

July 4th Lost her sight a short time today,
is very delusive about her food - says
it comes all up again - just after
eating it - which is not true.

8th Had 14 fits tonight, & they saw her

4th Is to all appearance dying,

18th Appears better, able to speak a little

15th Back very sore - complains of
pain in her bottom - has a discharge
of matter from the womb -

18th Died this morning 1/2 past 3.

1865

April 29th Jane Mackenzie admitted

From 176 Hunter Terrace, Glasgow
22 years of age - no marks on
Body - complains of pain at her
person, nothing seen there to
indicate anything wrong,

Says she thinks her head was
taken off & another put on,
that she changed into some other
person &c. Mother says she has not slept

30th Slept none, said a patient ^{for 4 days} flew
her up in the air &c.

Has slept from 3 till $\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 this
afternoon - put to bed at 9 so minutes
Wishes she was the creator that she might
do away with eternal punishment says
it more than any one can bear &c.

May 1st Slept 3 hours during the night,
wishes she was the creator that she
could make herself over again &c.
took her food well yesterday & this
morning - Egg Roll porridge & tea

2nd Slept $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours to day, wants to go into
the fire, tried to strangle herself with
a neck tie,

3rd Slept none last night thrust her fingers
into her mouth, wished her head was
burned off - says she dreams of hell &c.

4th Slept all night ^{7 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours}, bowels open,
well purged by croton oil - had a good
bath strong ale & porridge & walked out,

5th Slept $3\frac{1}{2}$ hours last night -

Helen King

Carderup - Old cow

April 29: Neck rubbed, still idle & excited
& sullen

May 1: No change

June 1: Do Do

July 1: Do Do

Aug 1: Do Do

15: Head shaved & rubbed,

Dismissed - taken to Serugad.
No glum, not better.

1865

April 20 Says Mr Granger or Brombe is cutting
her body, is excited, noisy, &

Says Not taking her food - got a tumor,

1866

Sept 15 Dismissed to Musselborough

May 1st Catherine M. Quare admitted

From Swan Port House

Previously at 8 Tullachan Place

27 years of age - Domestic Servant

Single - Protestant

Is suicidal, dangerous to others,

Is in good condition Fed by tube tonight

2nd Medicine operated well & menstruated

Fed 3 times to day, very quiet.

3rd Fed twice to day

4th Do 3 times - Milk biscuits Baple-Coffee &

5th Head shaved & rubbed.

6th Sister called & said - she turned ill in her mind on the 26th without any known cause - it began with freezing a great deal - is 33 years of age - was an only servant with three Ladies & was comfortable. Belongs to the Island of Mull, has been in Glasgow some years had a young sister ill the time of the Revivals in Glasgow, but was kept at home & got better.

7th Takes her food only when Dr. Hay is present.

10th Took her food without force & is quiet.

18th Had medicine given by force, was very excited & abusive in her language.

28th Greatly excited had to be sent to No 81 for the noise, has hurt her body knocking it with her shut head.

Mr. Colgan & Turner

May 4th Threatened to kill the cook,
talks all day to herself.

21st Says she has a grown up daughter
in N. B. called Mary Turner

Aug 1st Much the same - no change

26th Wet the bed - said lives in her
inside & compelled her

1899 Committed to City Prison

May 5th Janet Thomson continued

Is violent threatened to bite the Att^r
 7th Says there are an hundred men
 interfering with her - she speaks
 very obscene language -

27th Removed to Inf^r is in great dread &
 fear that some men are going to kill
 her slept none for 2 nights

24th Has hurt her head knocking it
 on the wall & fled it tore her tongue
 & is very weak -

June 8th Scrubbing the floor seems much better

14th Complains of great pain in her head
 has relapsed into her former state of
 mind - delusive about men

27th Has altered & seems worse mentally
 putting her hand down her throat & hunching
 her against the wall -

July 15th Says she is not troubled with men
 now - so she was for a long time -

Aug 1st Is speaking more & more agreeable,
 & disposed to make fun - but says
 very improper words - rather obscene

Oct 15th Violent towards N. is Att^r removed
 from Inf^r to 506

Dec 18th Very violent & excited towards Agnes
 Thomson - Head shaved & rubbed

1867

Feb 14th Died thro it at 10 to 10 A.M.

May 7 Slept 3 hours - is violent
kicking & striking the other
boys they broke her head & that
they are devils &c

9th No Sleep

10th Slept from 1/2 past 9 till 1/2 past 5

11th No Sleep

12th Slept from 1/2 past 10 till 6

13th Slept one hour

14th Slept 5 hours

15th Slept 6 Do

16th No Sleep

17th Slept all night - violent towards
Helen Bennett on grounds

18th No Sleep

19th Slept all night

20th Slept 3 hours

21st 7 Do

22nd all night

23rd Do Do

24th Do Do

25th 5 hours

26th 7 Do

27th 7 Do

28th all night

29th 4 hours - violent towards Maryann Wright

30th all night

31st Do Do violent towards M. Leamon

June 11 Mark the same does not speak

July 20 Not so violent

25th Dismissed - improved

1865
May 8th

Readmitted Berbere & Loren Adams

64 Years of Age - is married
Bleachers wife
Belongs to Established Church of Scotland
Suffered attack - under 2 years ill.
Is Paralysed - Is shocking dirty -
has a sore leg

9th Slept well10th Slept ill very confused - much rubbed15th Seems better17th Is worse - picking up the patients
clothes & hiding them22nd Utterly excited - tire. Very generous
Grown - very noisy - lies on Couch29th Has got powder & cotton oil but no
effect - Catheter introduced31st Took no food requires constant attention
very noisyJune 2nd Was fed & swallowed some corn flour8th Still requires the Bowels & Bladder
to be relieved by the Tube & Catheter9th Became wet & dirty10th Bowels very relaxed - with great
weakness11th Worse - dejections slimy with blood12th Still relaxed - more sensibleJuly 2nd Bowels better - very hungry7th Able to be up out of bed10th Worse again with bowel complaint22nd Greatly better - mind quite well
able to be upAug 15th Dismissed cured

1864

May 10

1865

Agnes Bell admitted 15/ patient

Farmers Daughter

Age 20

Park Farm Eglesham

In good healthy condition

Says she is a great sinner

Is very dull

Ill since Dec last

15th Became unwell16th No Sleep22nd Neck blistered - very depressed,26th Had a stay laced round her neck,
pretty tightJune 9th Sent to Wimping as Miss Berdy
is from home - slept none & was
faint twice during the night10th Slept well - got strong etc.14th Not altered yetJuly 1st Walked outside much better11th Continues betterAug 10th seems quite well,9th Dismissed well

1866

May

July

1867

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Sept

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Sept

July

Mr. Caldwell

1865

May 9th Seemed to have had a slight shock
of Paralysis - is very unsteady in her
walk & can't use her fingers properly -

20th Seems worse

July 8th Quite stupid & helpless & became
filthy sent to bath

11th Can't help herself at all,

12th Convinced to bed - worse severely

14th Not able to speak or open her
mouth

20th Able to say yes in answer to a
question

Sept 1st So very irritable & violent toward
another patient

18th Sept 18th So much worse - restless - upsetting
waterpots on the floor - picking up
every thing & concealing it,

July 10th Dead.

1860

May 14

Admitted Mary Doolin a Woman

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From Motherwell Parish of Shotts
Widow there two years) Lennox,
No family - Roman Catholic
Is a millworker

Has one eye, says little
no marks on body

Is in poor condition

Clothing wretched & scarce

Is suicidal

14 Has been quiet till today - became
excited & very insolent & threatened violence
is dirty in her habits

15 Very noisy, singing loud

June 15 Nearly killed Mr. Kelly - Broke
a bedstead & smashed every
bit of her body with the bed bottom
beams - Throat severely cut

17 Throat & blistered her head

July 5 Continues noisy & disposed to violence

8 Ordered Calomel & Pter

9 Out of seclusion still threatens
violence

12 Had a fit of violent excitement
tried to upset the table - kicked
& tore at the cloth while taking her vomit

15 Vomiting every thing - appears to
bring it up herself

18 Had on a mustard pillow - is in
pain - vomits every thing

19 Slept well - no throat vomiting

Aug 1 Is better & able to be up - quieter

1865 May 17th Helen M. Greger admitted
from 146 West Graham St. Glasgow.

34 Years of age -

Lady's Maid - Single

Church of Scotland

Second attack

In Edinburgh Asylum in 1855

Is suicidal - threatened to hang ^{herself} & drown

Is dangerous to others,

Names every one around her by different

names & fancies she knows them

intimately - though she never saw them

before - Says she was in America

during the war - which is not the

case - talks a great deal.

18 Violent towards J. M. Roe, att. No. 1

Curse & swore & made a great noise.

19 Kept some dirtied the walls with urine

curse & swore & hunched at the door &

Neck rubbed with croton Oil.

20 Broke a Delph Chamberpot,

21 Very noisy & destructive - broke her pen

brush in pieces.

Spoken hurrying & hovering, excitable, delusive

judged seems much better - works a little

22 Merely well -

Aug 7 Dismissed, cured.

1863

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May 20 Mary Ryan admitted

Brought here by City Parish

Irish Eastern Police Office

Roman Catholic

Transferred to
new institution

Second attack

in Barukill in 1863

21 Years of age

Millworker

No marks on body - in good
condition

Is very dull & won't speak

21st Says she was married to an Italian
Priest & that she became a nun
two years sinceSays she is a native of Ireland,
takes her food, sleeps & acts well & is
perfectly quiet.28th Is insolent & uneasy about her foodJune 17th Has kept working her striking
& is sullen & strange in her conduct.July 1st Commenced to knit again,18th Very excited threatens violence

Says she is used like a criminal

Neck rubbed

25th Delusory - says Christ told her soAug 2nd Worse daily threatens violence

sent to No 3

5th Took off her shoe & threw it at

& Meekintosh

6th Hysterical - no food all day won't speak7th Excited, crop sulky30th Head shaved & rubbed - delusory

Mary Jane M. Kinley admitted

From Green Pige House

Age 37 - Protestant

Single - Muslin Sewer,

Previous Place of Abode

South Wellington St & 176. Means Street

First attack, - a few days ill

Has a Brother in this asylum,

Is delusive about Bills passed
on her says she got entombed in
her food & that Dr. Ritchard had
a hand in it & that she is brought
here for protection till the case is
looked after, -

No marks of injury on her body,

21st June² Very quiet works & sews & cots,

Rather excited today,

7th Is worse suspicious of getting poison

9th Threatened self destruction & made
a great noise, calling & saying names &
sleeps none,

30th very excited had to be secluded,

July 15th Says Agnes Valentine is connected
with the Ritchard case of Poisoning
that accounts for her going to Edinburgh

Aug 7th very excited quarrelsome, threatens
violence,

Nov 1st Has been quieter for some time
in No 3

Dec 3rd Excited, neck rubbed.

Catherine Macquarie continued

May 29th Wet the floor deliberately - throwing the
ten bowls about the table at dinner
dirtied the walls & Bedding at night
is awfully noisy.

June 2nd Had a prolonged Bath,
7th Taken away by seven people.

1867

Feb 15th

Nancy Burton admitted from
Newbridgend, Ricoh of berke,
Is single 61 Years of age,
Protestant

Wes & Weaver,

61 Years insane

Her Mother took care of her till she
died.

Is of dirty habits - but her lips,
legs are like as if she had gone to
her the fire - no other marks.

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Ann T. Leamer, Old case

June 11 Altered to day -

Oct 22 Always in bed subject to bowel
complaint.

1866
April Took a shock of Paralysis & Epilepsy
which last from 8 till 12 hours
left side especially the arm paralyzed

June 11 Died at 1/2 past 11 O'clock tonight.

June 16th 1865

Admitted Mary David a Duff

1865

From a Norfolk Coast Glasgow
 Widowed - has a swelling in the
 49 years of age right side of her
 W. P. Church
 Third attack

In distressed once before this
 Scarcely cognate once
 said not suicidal & dangerous
 No Father insane

Says her friends would not
 put her here if she had less
 money - that they work me in
 on her & that manages her friend
 became very excited at 3 o'clock
 required seclusion threatened
 violence &

20th More stupor - quite incoherent
 dirtied her room &

22nd Was clearly had a motion restful
 July 5th Had a prolonged fit is infirmly
 arising -

6th In the fit again - is very stupor
 & noisy

22nd Expressing herself pained - dreadfully
 excited & like to kick the doors &
 is in No 8 today very filthy in
 her habits &

Aug 2nd Is rather quieter today

7th Fire a Bureau Bedchamber room out

15th Is quieter & cleaner

15th Aft in a Bedstead

1865

June 20th Admitted Jane M. Carroll

16 Years of age

Domestic Servant

In healthy condition, no marks
on Body - or venous.

Destroys her clothes - obstinate.

Has not altered,

5 months ill

21stWould take no food - was fed by spoon
& derived stockings & more pliable after22ndSlept well - Got 2 powders - no effect
yet.24thVery restless - unwilling to eat - very
untidy in dress.July 1st

No better - restless mischievous

22nd

Body in better condition, eats well,

Aug 15th

Working & eating well, not so restless

19th

Altered,

Sept 11thIs worse - not inclined to work
inclines to dress above her condition
involunt to very body,Oct 14th

Neck rubbed,

19th

Is again, is very indolent,

Nov 6thDismissed, improved - Mother
took her away.1866
Aug 30thReadmitted - is said to have been
violent to her mother - who lives at
17 Young Street - City Parish.

Body in good condition,

Aug 30th

Dismissed, to Prioley.

June 24 Admitted June Basington

Single 26 years of age,
 Servant - Protestant
 brought here by City
 from 318 Bellinggate
 an acquaintance that came
 with her sister - that she & the sister
 travelled all the way from Mill
 winning a week since I came
 to her house - that she was insane
 when she came & that she left
 her house for 24 hours & came back
 all wet.

Patient states that she waded
 in water - but can't say where,
 Her legs are scratched, no other marks
 so menstruating or just recovered
 on admission.

27th Is worse this morning - complains
 of headache & seems confused.

July 2nd Fed by Tube - would take food.

4th Fed again tonight

6th Fed once today

7th Fed this morning - very delirious
 says she was brought in the omnibus
 & that she came for experiments.

9th Fed by Tube -

11th Still fed.

17th Still fed violent

18th Thicker & struck & threw her food
 about the patients.

21st Very unwell of herself.

1865

June 28th Admitted Anna M. Auley

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Bodily health good - 25 years of age
 Deep cut on the back of her
 right hand - trying to jump out of window.
 Seems to be just dried up after
 menstruating - Is suicidal.
 Bowels open two days since.
 No food to day etc. One belief
 cause - asinged - disappointed love.
 J. M. P.

Professor Milner her business
 Place of Abode - Washington Street
 Glasgow

Has been to the country before coming
 here -

Arms tied close to her body
 when brought here -

Demands her Husband to be brought
 to her & though she is single
 that his name is Boyle - Milner
 Argyle Street

29th Slept well last night & took a
 good supper & was both in the
 bath 1 hour till she turned shivery
 & walked in the court a little.

Became dreadfully excited - at a point
 had to be secluded - tried to bite - put
 off her clothes undid the dressing of her
 one hand - required 4 M^{rs} to hold
 her while fed by stomach pump
 with Beef Tea - Broth & Whisky

30th Fed twice by Tube - had a prolonged vom.

Ann M. Haley continued

- 30 vomited a great deal
Medicine operated freely
will not take food
- July 1st Fed by the nose - could not
get her mouth open, quiet in bed.
- 2nd Took some Beef Tea & milk herself
became excited at a Belokh tree
a house servant & tried to bite Miss
Bennett - put in bowers & put her
in a room with great difficulty
Fed by the nose it night with
whisky Egg & milk
- 3rd Relieved the Bowels & Bladder
by Enema & Catheter - was quiet
all night went asleep at 11
- 4th Took Breakfast walked out but
had to proceed with feeding - when
she consented to take the Beef Tea herself
- 5th Had a prolonged Bath
- 6th Slept well & Fed at night
& took a hearty supper after
- 7th Slept well - would not take
Breakfast - Fed -
- 8th Here kept her bed & will not rise
since 5th nor take food - wet twice
today - Fed twice daily,
- 10th Wet again - Fed once took Dinner & Tea
Head shaved & blistered, it rose well,
- 11th Took Breakfast & Lunch, went asleep
- 12th Fed by nose - very obstinate to Belokh
slips & sheets, resisting treatment,

July

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Mr. Neil from page 60

- July 5th So destructive filthy violent noisy
 & would go naked if allowed,
 17th Destroyed a beaver's house
 20th Dismissed to Barnhill
 Bodily health better, mind a little
 better.

M^{rs} Catherine M. BellumJuly 5th Took rise in her face7th Worse17th Transferred to 4 - Bitter.

June

July

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June 15

Mr. Weir & Kelly

Nearly killed by Mary Doolin &
Moran - with a wooden Bed
Becker at 10 O'clock 15 June
Head cut in several places
& of the wounds were sewed by
Dr. Hey -

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Doing well

July 7 Up out of Bed able to walk
about

1869
Oct 16

Dead

Ann McAuley

July 21

July 15 Much better took her food
herself - medicine & - Broths &c.

18 Is in the Garden pulling fruit
is in No 1 Belfryall. Day took
her food -

21 No Dinner or Tea - lay down
on the Ground in the Garden
& was carried up & put to bed
neck rubbed extremely obstinate

22 Fed by Tube once today.

25 Still Fed - wet the Bed -

29 Dirty in Bed, vomiting bile went take
any thing very obstinate.

Aug 2 Has been filthy twice today, was fed
once by Tube & once by the nurse.

3 Fed by the nose would not open
her teeth - Head shaved & blister
visited 3 days successively by friends.

5 Not any better fed three every
day by tube, Beef Tea Biscuits
Eggs milk & whisky.

6 Took dinner from Mary Cameron
dirty twice the effects of Oil came
out of bed twice but would not use
the stool - often wet.

7 Took a large Pudding Biscuits Beef
& 2 tumbler of Milk from Mary Cameron
dry all day.

8 Fed twice by Tube dry - rather excited

9 Do Do wet

10 Dirtyed Floor Bed water Bed Blister
sheets &c 8 times at night had medicine.

July 21st Jane Muir Chelmers admitted

27 years of age -

Married - Engine Drivers Wife,
on the Perth & Glasgow
United Presbyterian

Born on the Pollok Estate
at Pollockshaws - attended the
school when young there &
fancies she inherits the Pollok
estate -

Was examined at 3 Salisbury Place
South side.

Assessed cause - Weakened
consequent on a miscarriage.

Nearly 3 months in bed.

Acute attack - treated at home,
not suicidal, nor dangerous
nor epileptic.

Body in good condition, no
marks.

22nd Fed by the Tube - got physics.

23rd Medicine operated, slept 5 hours
took her food - but is very restless.

25th Fed again by Tube - resisted very much.

Aug 2nd Has taken her food since the 25th
with great persersion.

6th Neck rubbed.

15th No better.

25th Commenced to tumble over head.

Sept 1st Rose up & fought with both hands
& struck Margaret M. Lennon on the
face at the visit, & broke dishes
quite deliberately at meals.

July 2^d Mary Johnston readmitted

Age 25 years Rothory Parish

Millworker

Presbyterian

Lived at 67 High Street Rothory
inclined to be suicidal,

Her sister is Mary Robertson

67 High St Rothory,

no marks on body, body soft,

clothes ragged & dirty,

Has not altered for 4 months

23 Took no food, no medicine
was fed by Tube - says she
is Satan,

25 Fed again is quiet & does not resist

26 Do.

27 Do with more resistance

28 Sent to 506 - took her food
is cleanly & sleeps well.

Aug 2^d Improved - takes her food, medicine &
cleanly in her habits.

7 Melancholy - no work - does not care
about food - neck rubbed

25 Scrubbing some - first time

Sept 15 Tells me there is no mercy for her
that she is lost & cannot pray.

Nov 7 Is still depressed - never changed

Dec 16 To getting better & to be bled

30 bled again - second night

Jan 28 Do Do

Feb 12 3 nights bled again

March 1 Do Do

Sept 1 Dismissed

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M^{rs} Ann Muir Old case

- July 15th Quarreling terribly with Mr M Linn,
Agnes Thomson, & Mr Sullivan,
picking up & keeping in a bag
thread, thimbles buttons worsted &
all belonging to the house.
- Aug 28th Vomiting blood this morning, bowels
released - vomited blood at the evening
visit - bowels better.
- Oct 1st Does nothing but read - tells a great deal
to those around her.
- 29th Sent to No 4 - is quiet but idle.
- Nov 29th Is unwell - is very nervous for whisky.
- Dec 26th Is unwell, and the same anxiety.
- Jan 7th 1866 Is unwell -
- Feb 11th Again -
- March 10th Again.
- 15th Excited quarrelsome pilfers & tells lies
very much these 3 days.
- April 9th Ill of herself.
- 12th Sent to No 6 - is very excited quarrelling
with the Att in No 4 &
- May 6th Unwell -
- 21st Do Do
- June 14th Do Do
- July 2nd Do Do
- Aug 26th Do Do
- Sept 1st Dismissed.

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July 25th admitted Asylum

Wendyside or Middleton

From 5 Pitts Lane below

Parish of Ewen

Age 35 years - Widow Millwork

Protestant

Inmate 4 weeks - because unknown

Is Melancholy refuses food

Fed by Nurse

Thinks every thing is too good for her

Appears to be suicidal - though

not certified so much

26th Stripping off her clothes & would go

naked, says she is a very bad woman

Fed by the Nurse - takes no food

27th Do Do with Eggs & Butter & small pudd28th Do Do Do29th 30 & 31st Do DoAug 1st Took breakfast & dinner2nd Took all her meals Porter &7th Continues to eat & sleepOct 6th Stuck a pin through her hand,

had to get in gloves,

14th Porter ordered her daily29th Destroying her hand through the

glove with a pin

Dec 14th Head shaved & rubbed, very restlessMarch 5th Unwell for the first time since admission7th Took off the gloves of her handsApril 1st Putting a pin in her hand again

had to get in gloves,

1866

March 6th Dead

1865

Aug 1st2nd

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18

25

Sept 26

Nov

Dec 11

1868

June

1865

Aug 11

Isabella Leckie a Beebe admitted

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Irish - Protestant from Lurgan,
33 Years Married

Lives at 234 Castle Street Glasgow
Father lives at Piggusness Lurgan
Ill 9 months

5 Children - youngest 3 months
Breasts full - body ill - Stomach
eaten with vermin.

Clothes shaking dirty - Need Supp
Says she married Lord Lurgan,
to said to be suicidal & dangerous

2^d Slept & eat well, talks to herself.

10th Still delusive - says she is related
to the Prince of Wales.

18th Sent to West house to assist the
aff.

25th Not any better

Sept 26 Brought back from the west, was
threatening violence to some of the ladies
was very noisy after coming over, was
taken to 506.

Nov 1 Very noisy in dwelling house, says
the house is hers, orders Dr Blair
away to college.

7th Another fit of the same.

Dec 11 Excited says she is a Quaker wife
wrote Brandy &c.

1868

June 10

Dismissed sent to Ireland.

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Gow

Aug 1st

1865

Margaret Steel a Boor admitted

58 years Married, Protestant
From 10 Frederick Lane City Prist
No marks on Body - in poor
condition - Intemperate Habits
Ill one month -

Suicidal Dangerous to others
Her Husband George Gow
lives at 10 Frederick Lane

Her Sister Agnes Steel Minster
resides in Nelson Street Glasgow

Talks of getting prison & is
jealous of her Husband &
says she is queen of Denmark,
very delusive says there are millions
of money come from Africa for her
that her relations are the Chiefs
or Kings there is quiet & take
her food.

Aug 16

commenced to work about the Bellary
still delusive

25

Greatly better delusions vanishing

26

Talking again of an enormous sum
of money due to her from India - as
the reel heir left by an uncle
who died - says it must come in 1866
her Daughter tells me it is all
nonsense -

Feb 12

Sent to West house to work

Feb 18

Tells me tonight that she will be
very rich yet and accuses her husband
of impropriety and very immoral conduct
Sent to City Prist

1869

Jane Gilman, Old case

- Sept 5th very restless & kissing every one
 2 new pictures in her case, sent to
 8th Head shaved & rubbed
 Sept 15th very violent towards Ann McMillen
 had to sleep in seclusion
 16th baying like a sheep, takes little food
 Oct 1st Is quiet & takes her food
 11th Ravenous for food
 Nov 1st Threw an iron at Mary Sellers
 in Laundry, fortunately it missed
 her
 Dec 8th Dead

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Catherine Metterson Old car

1865

Aug 5 Rose out of bed at 11 O'clock at night

& bit Mary Davidsons head & shoulder

& attempted to strangle her,

7 Head shaved & rubbed,

Nov 10 Do Do

1866

Jan 28 Cut Mr Hindman's mouth or some
that her lip had to be sewed
with her hands,

Aug 7

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Sept

Oct

1872

Mr. Dooley or Morren continued

Aug 27 Better in health - very insistent
 Aug 28 Vomiting again - still excited,
 Sept 10 To quieter - works some
 Oct 14 Dismissed cured,

1872

Aug 8 Martha Lundy & M. Lachlan
admitted

From 14 Eglinton Street, Green, 11

Age 34 - Married - 3 children 14

Youngest 3 years, Schenck's

Quintal - dangerous to others

Supposed Religion 13

First attack - } Free Church 15

Says she is lost

Body in poor condition

very dirty - all over with spots 16

like Bug bits

Tried to strangle her husband 26

10 Very refractory - noisy violent filthy

takes her food - spitting blood 28

11 Noisy, feet & legs swollen not

passing enough water bowels 30

relaxed 3 times - little food

12 Cough had spitting blood

2 Glasses Whisky & 2 pint. Beef

Tea every day

16 Belly swollen Sep 2

18 Died tonight 8

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Ann M. Bailey continued

- 11 Took breakfast from the 11th
- 12 Dirty twice very Collins - fed by tube yesterday morning till tonight took her tee & head
- 13 Took breakfast - Fed at night by tube
- 14 Took some potatoes at 10 O'clock last night - dry all night - wept a good deal - was very filthy - fed twice by tube
- 15 Eat 2 biscuits & drank 3 cups coffee - & dirtied the bed during the night
- 26 Much the same - fed three daily
- 28 Dirty last night
- 28 Took breakfast porridge & sweet milk
- 30 Took Dinner - Recoup - tries to hurt herself pressing her arms against her body - keeping her hands closely shut - letting herself fall off the bed - keeping her head off the pillow &
- Sept 2 Took Bacon of Broth by feeding at dinner
- 3 Took a plate of porridge - some way does not alter
- 4 Eat well all day - no tube used
- 5 Fed twice with tube - eat nothing
- 6 Took all her meals - Biscuits & coffee for breakfast - Potatoes at dinner - Biscuits & coffee at supper
- 9 Has not required the tube since the 5th - was carried to a chair & sat up all day - but was dirty twice during night
- 10 Was fed twice today by tube

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Aug 11

Annet Bird & Armstrong

From 34 Tyffield St City Prison
Millworker ProtestantMarried is 30 years of age
First attack one week illHad an infant turned to death
3 yrs ago - supposed cause

Her body is not reduced but

a great many small discharges
clothes all near dirt& vermin - has taken no food
since Monday - was fedby tube tonight & tomorrow with
Beef Tea & corn flourIs said to be suicidal & violent
to herself & othersHer husband James Armstrong
& her Mother Mr Crawford lives

at 34 Tyffield St. Glasgow

15 Fed twice by tube & got castor oil

14 Got an enema - oil didn't do

Bowels relieved, took all her meal
with great pressure - fancies thatsomething is to be done to her in the
form of punishment

15 Has altered - ordinary, very depressed

20 Excited - fancies the place

was all her own, demanded
every thing she saw as has, sent

to No 2

21 Much better - takes her food

Sep 5 Much worse - stupid - when in town

much rabbled

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Aug 2

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Sep 4

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Nov 6

1865

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Aug 25

Catherine Beard Miller Currie

Readmitted

45 years

Died

From Portick 110 bottle Brink Street

Married - had a miscarriage, severe

Is in a state of great excitement

all discoloured, down her back

3 Men & Police brought her

Her wrists sore from being tied

23 Head shaved and rubbed

24 Is able to be up & going about

the Infirmary a little discharge

25 Head painful from the rubbing

took medicine without force takes

her food better

26 Aft much better medicine spouted

dirted the floor

27 Bowels relaxed - still excited

Sep 4 Sent to No 3 - is very excited

6 Broke a chamberpot in the morning

11 Still excited swears dreadfully

is violent & mischievous and always

crying she is starved though she

eats well & has help 1 lb Steak & 1/2

lb Bread extra every day

15 Dirted the floor during the day

in 3 dormitory is very noisy

26 Much worse for 3 days, language

of the most obscene character

27 No not improving, language violent

Nov 6 Honored took her away, was

very excited - health improved

1865 Admitted Agnes M. Menonzo Morrison
 Report 16 From Greenwich Police Office

1865
 Aug 21

Examined at Fox Lane - 11 versus M.
 Widow Roman Catholic Greenwich

^{10 children & 2nd & 3rd}
 45 years of age First attack,
 Not Epileptic. Not suicidal.
 Is very dangerous to others.

Cause assigned by her daughter is
 A son drowned at sea 2 years since.
 Has been 4 weeks ill, has one pregnancy.
 Is chargeable to Greenwich Parish.
 Condition of life - Her mother.

Had a sister insane.

Is said to have broken crockery & furniture.

28 Has been violent & noisy & attacked
 the attendants several times.

Has taken in ordinary quantity of food
 took her medicine when she saw
 a force of women about her, & spouted
 obscenely in her habits.

Sept 1 Is very noisy at night & takes fits
 of violence & excitement during the day

2 Head shaved & rubbed.

3 Very violent & excited, broke a Chamber
 pot.

4 Dirty her bed & floor & herself - the
 aspects of physics - slept well.

9 Dirty again - had her shift stepped
 amongst filth, violent & very noisy.

15 Afraid of poison in her food, still
 dangerous & dirty in her habits.

27 Continues dangerous dirty & noisy - not
 taking enough of food.

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1865 Willie Chambers & Shaw readmitted
 Aug 29 From Bowen Creek, W. Va. Marshall
 Her son James Shaw lives there
 56 years of age - Widow -
 Protestant - 20 years ill at intervals
 Dangerous to others & threatens to take
 her family's lives - sleeps none
 No marks on her body - is in good
 condition
 Sept 1 Aspt well
 4 Sent to No 3
 11 Put to bed with bowel complaint
 is very restless & puts every thing out
 of order
 Oct 3 Destroying her clothes very restless
 had to get on gloves & covers
 Nov 1 In bed with cold, rather quieter
 27 Is some quieter - tried in No 1
 Dec 1 Worse mentally - talking too much
 making all kinds of assertions on off
 1866 Jan 10 Better sent to No 1
 Feb 28 Dismissed cured

Mr. Margaret M. Bellum continued
from Page 75

- Aug³¹ Removed to No 2 Much quieter, Ref
 Sep³ Not quite quiet yet constantly finding fault.
 4th Nearly into her quiet state. 14
 6th Quite quiet this morning,
 29th Ill again,
 30th Slept none finding fault with
 the night nurse all night.
 had to be removed to No 8 the up
 1st morning & took out the shew 21
 Oct 10th So very excited, language obscene 21
 18th So some better, out of seclusion
 since 18th
 27th Still excited & restless Oct
 31st Perfectly quiet, sent to No 2
 Nov²⁸ Became very excited had to be
 removed to 8 -- 28 days quiet 6
 Dec 29th Quieter
 30th Removed to 5 flr.
 Jan¹ Very excited & dangerous again
 slept none last night 10
 Feb¹ Better better, 14
 22nd Worse
 27th Quieter
 March¹ Very outrageous
 4th Quite quiet & better, sent to 5 flr.
 April⁷ No relapse, is very quiet, 16
 12th Very excited, had to be secluded, 18
 May⁹ Better sent to 5 flr. has not been
 so bad this time 21
 June 8th Ill again, excited, dirty & outrageous, 31
 July 9th So better again, sent to 5 flr., Nov
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M^r Duff continued

- 18th Much worse dirty in her habits, has
 been quieter & cleaner since 16th Augst till
 19th very dirty in her habits - had to get a
 forner to take the window shutter off
 to get the filth off them, says she
 will do it again,
 21st Has got a teaspoonful of salts
 every morning since the 14th which
 answers the end, with milk diet
 24th Used her Tea dishes for a chamber
 pot - and has poured urine all
 about the shutters & floor,
 Oct^r crying down the water closet to
 some of her friends, she denies
 is below,
 8th Says that a M^r Suld a minister
 whom she heard 29 years ago, visits
 her at night & disturbs her,
 10th Is much better - quiet & knots
 some - Is in No 1
 14th Continues better
 Became furious after seeing her
 friends today, so they told her
 Dr Mcintosh said she was not
 fit to be dismissed
 15th Worse sent to No 3
 18th Very stupid & incoherent
 24th Is more conscious, but noisy,
 31st Is quite sent to No 4
 Nov 5th Spelling on week very poor mind
 better, broke on the 6th and ran a
 great deal
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Barbara Johnston Old case

1865

Apr

Sept 14 Head shaved & rubbed - tongue
very bad conduct violent

Oct 18 Decluded one day broke a Gutter Snake
Pots

20 Much quieter

July 20 Violent outragms destroyed a hen
Dreps

7

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Oct

Nov

Dec

1865

Apr 6

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Catherine Smith ^{at 2 evening} admitted
from 54 Nelson Grove Street Glasgow

51 years of age

Single - Housekeeper

United Presbyterian

First attack

Under 3 months ill

To suicide - cut her throat
with a table knife

William Smith her Brother lives
at 121 Duke St Glasgow

Patient is melancholy - despairing
says little talk keep her at 4 p.m.
of tonight, an little out with her,

7th Slept none out up in bed, very
silent - spoke little.

8th Slept well - 1 loose motion, spoke
freely to the nurse - walked out a
little - eats well,

11th Remained to No 1 speaks little,

12th Very melancholy at night - says she
her nurses - is in terror & won't speak
or answer a question for a long long
time - and there is something to happen
her in bed - had to take to bed to
sleep

Oct 4th Appears better able to smile

Nov 16th Says she feels sorry for what she
did to herself - meaning her throat

Dec 19th Dismissed cured

Fruit Bird - Armstrong

- Sept 11 Is still stupid and won't do any thing - and says she is not allowed to work - complains that she is dragged about - stands about the door and tries to find her way out - refuses her food if not made to take it.
- 20 Tied her down - got on glass
- 21 Wandered about the room all night
- Oct 10 Still stupid - does nothing.
- 17 Head itched I rubbed
- 18 Rubbed again
- 23 Is much better, Dresses herself scrubs & sews some
- 30 Heeds voices
- Nov 6 Working in kitchen, a little
- 8 Head to be brought for trying to get away.
- Dec 10 Neck rubbed.
- 15 Is better
- 18 Neck rubbed
- 30 Very excited - delirious - tried to put powdering stuff on her body, and saying she was not ill then
- Jan 20 Applies to me to be pregnant.
- April 11 Has been very quiet for some time has not altered since admission complains of weakness - lies in bed a good deal.
- May 15 Is much better, sews & appears quite rational.
- 20 Has altered twice now, is now well.
- 29 Dismissed, cured.

Ann M. Auley

- 14 Sept 11 Fed. once, today, took dinner,
 15 Took breakfast of porridge & biscuits &
 coffee for supper - not fed by tube.
 16 Took all her meals by feeding in tube.
 17 Good breakfast of porridge, Good dinner
 of potatoes & eggs.
 18 Fed twice to day with tube, eat
 some potatoes at dinner time,
 tried to bite the sth heads while feeding
 her & got red with excitement because
 she could not get her will done,
 19 Took her food some way speaks her
 20 Took 2 slices of Bread Butter & coffee
 for breakfast Potatoes for dinner & coffee
 at night
 21 Did not eat so well today
 22 Fed once by tube took a meals
 dirty twice got an enema,
 Took her food these two days
 in the same strange way, more
 like a farce or farce than any
 thing else to see her eat meals
 23 Has been fed occasionally by the
 tube -
 24 Oct 7 Up out of bed, take her food herself
 25 Walked about took her food, dirty
 26 Took her food in bed, dirty again
 27 Continues better but never speaks,
 28 Became outrageous tore the sth
 arms attempted to bite her, tore
 a sheet, broke a cup & saucer,
 & had to be secluded.
 Dec 151

Sept 12 Janet M. Shoter & M. Donald admitted

Reed & B. is widowed

Protestant

First attack

& Deep ill

Came from Greenwich Police Office

Crime - Intemperance

Body all sores & discoloured

has been tied by the wrists - which

are cut - under part of body is

scalded as if lying wet on so

Is very restless - took a little food

15th Has taken her food well - looks

Porter & dirtied her room & strips

herself naked, destroyed her shift &c.

Had a glass of whisky beside today

destroyed a flannel smock

16th Slept some mischievous restless &

very hot & thirsty

19th Slept some hours last night

destroyed drawers drawers

20th Slept 7 hours last night, still

very restless - always says there are

men looking through the window

at her & said that her mother is

beside her

25th Slept all night

27th Is much better

Oct 5th Is much worse restless & noisy

18th Is nearly well, sewing some

24th Sent to 4th

Dec 2nd Dismissed cured

Janet - Squellie Old case
 Complained first of bowel complaint
 with pain in her belly on the first
 of Sep - was treated medicinally &
 considered better, but observed to fall
 off in her appetite & complained of being
 all sore - was sent again to bed
 her belly growing very large - Dr
 Fleming saw her & found she had
 disease of the womb to a great
 extent

Oct 8 Dr Fleming saw her & cut away
 some decayed matter,
 15 Died tonight.

Elisabeth Rhodes or Mc Lellan
~~Edmund~~

From 214 City Road Glasgow

39 Years of age

Married - Has four children

Youngest 2 1/2 years of age

Is menstruating in admission

Has a Ticcer before marriage

is 6 years ill more or less

Has never engaged under treatment

Is suicidal

Dangerous to her Husband & child

Body in good condition

United Presbyterian Persecution

Her mother is eccentric & much in mind

9th Had to get porter & feels cold

16th Is remarkably obstinate, though very cold - won't sit at fire in any way.

Nov 20th Struck Mr Lindley without any cause
 was very depressed after

Dec 15th Is less inclined to do any thing.

18th Jan 11th Is very depressed still won't speak
 or answer question

22nd Fed by tube, will not take food

25th Still obstinate, will not be fed
 or clad properly

30th Is better today.

Feb 13th Worse, fed by force.

March 1st Takes her food & won't do any thing.

25th Dashed a basin of broth about the
 floor broke the basin & spoiled Books
 Table Bed & c with broth.

1867
 Sep 28th Dismissed - sent to Longdale to remain not cured.

Mary Ryan from Page 108

- cw Sept 20 No breakfast or dinner - took tea,
 21 Took all her meals
 22 To taking her food away
 Oct 20 Head shaved & rubbed
 in 26 Still idle
 30 Took a large loaf out of the Press and
 commenced to eat it, seems hungry
 still idle
 Dec 8 Tied a Handkerchief tight round
 child her neck - till her face was black, when
 removed, does not speak.
 in 9 Head shaved & rubbed
 in 18 Feb 26 Broke 15 Plates & some bowls and
 threatened to do worse - called the
 very att by every improper name - threw
 her fist up in the window sill &
 y 20 Neck rubbed
 28 Sent to 5 o'clock - quiet
 28 Speaks to me now when I speak to
 her, won't work, quiet
 Feb 15 Has been perfectly excited for some
 days - Head shaved & rubbed
 thought, answering dreadfully
 says she has got in a Pig's Head
 & has pig's eyes &
 March 1 Very excited - answers awfully, acts in
 great quantity,

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Sept 26
1865

Jane Mackenzie admitted

Sept 29
1865From Kirkcubbin Meno, Argyleshire
Clergymans daughterSingle - 29 years of age
Church of ScotlandHas been insane 10 years
was under treatment in the Asylum
7 years sinceIs reported by her Brother to be
violent & noisy & destructiveHer sister tells me she uttered
two months since, & that she
tore all her clothes,Is very noisy & crying for food
whistling &c - no marks on
her body,29th Head shaved & rubbedOct 2^o Broke & Batta broke Pot, kicked,
& struck an Att - tore her own dress
was fitting in her habits &c3rd Had a prolonged Bath at 90
in it 4 hours4th Slept better5th Continues quieter, dirtied the floor,10th Habits very dirtyNov 1st Has been able to attend to the calls
of nature, at night - sleep is not
very restless during the day, does not
keep herself tidy, exposes herself
if not prevented5th Is unwell, menstruating freely,4th Do Do

Sept 29
1865

Catherine Murrey Bell admitted
2 o'clock P.M.

looker

From Green Parhouse
Previously at 19 Cumberland Lane
24 Years of age Married
Condition of life - Proper
Roman Catholic

she

3 Days ill, First attack
never under treatment
Cause - Unknown

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Not suicidal, nor epileptic
Dangerous to others,
Cherageable to Green

man

Wm Bell patient's husband
resides at 19 Cumberland Lane
No member of the family known
to be insane

Is reported in the warrant
to bite those around her & that
her Husband is in evil spirit,
& that her neighbours conspired
against her & killed her child,
Is shocking dirty & all vermin
her clothes is littered, no marks
on her body - is in good condition
took dinner & tea well & is quiet
now & O'clock & likely to sleep

cells

bed

at

self

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Oct 1

No food all day - biting & tearing every
one near her, refuses medicine

2

Fed twice by tube - Bladder relieved
by catheter - Hair cut, all by
force

3

Fed once by tube, said at dinner
time she would eat porridge & some milk
got them made & she took them

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Sept 30

Ann Forester a Shepherd admitted
from 78 Old Pennel

24 Years of age - Poor condition

Married - Bootmaker

Has a child 5 months old,

Breasts very full of milk,

First attack - 10 days ill.

Cause unknown

not epileptic, nor suicidal

nor dangerous to others

Chargeable to City Parish,

Her husband is Benjamin Shepherd

78 Old Pennel

Husband states she attempted to

go over the window this morning,

Is a Protestant

Clothes & Head covered with large

lice - had to shave the head

& burn the clothes in Engine house

as they were moving with lice,

4th Became excited last night at 8 o'clock

sang & sang loud songs, had to

be removed into a room,

Nov 6 Is very depressed since admission

never looks up, does nothing but

to be dressed &

Dec 11 Is very depressed cries very much

wont give a reason

18th Feb Fed by tube 3 times daily since

1st of Feb - confined to bed

March Fed by the drinking cup & sometimes with

the spoon

26 Is excited calling in her husband, wants

to the court - takes her food herself

next week

Luther

Catherine Murray Bell continued

in

Oct 2^d Told me today she had a child
on the 26 Aug^r - I examined her
breasts & found there were milk in
them, though they were quite flat
when she was admitted,

4th Took her food & physic herself,

5th Bowels relaxed,

6th Fed by the nose, made great
resistance, broke a bone knife,

heard

7th Fed again by the tube, struggled
determinedly against it, a tooth
driven out,

to

8th Fed again

eg,

9th Took her food herself,

age

10th Do Do

house

11th Takes her food

14th About work

1

31st More affable in her manner,

sister

Nov 25th Became very violent in 4 towards
Agnes Valentine, attempted to bite
was removed - Head shaved & rubbers
was quiet all day, Became violent
towards Agnes Germann at night
in bed tore her Bedgown & attempted
to bite her head, was kept off by
Mr Sullivan till assistance was
got

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verb

Dec 15th So much excited about food
had to be secluded

March 1st Tore the skirt from her gown today
is violent & dangerous.

see next Book

June Bebington from Page 114

Ref

Oct 8 Threatened violence towards night
nurse is extremely insolent & abusive
Head shaved & rubbed

10th Is better, quieter

28th In the report from D. M. head,
today violently, still knits stockings

Dec 14 Has been quieter - still knitting

Jan 17th Is much the same - Knits every day - mending
too.

Feb 18th Wets the bed.

20th Again.

May 7 Capped on the back of her neck.

10th Again done.

Sept 22nd Dismissed to Privy

Dec 4

Margaret Gillies admitted from
Horseshall. Irish of ShottsSingle - 55 years of age. Health Good.
Small shopkeeper & sewer.Protestant - First attack
not known how long ill, but gradually
getting worse for 6 monthsCause Unknown, is said not to be
dangerous, but made a determined
resistance on being taken in.There are no marks - or vermin on
her body - which is very stout.She tells me that for some time past
she has heard cries of wailing & murder
& wandered out to see if she could
find out where the sounds come
from, but could not, says she
lost her sleep in that way, says
her head aches & -

9 Hears sounds at night, is quiet

15 Heard the sound of a man's voice crying
at night

16 Heard, like a cradle rocking all

16 Still hearing sounds - works well,
as to well.

Nov Very industrious never idle.

27 She has been very excited several times
using strong language towards the
att^{rs} impeaching them with cruelty.1806
Jan 11 Very excited, suspicious that
a male patient who was taken
out of church yesterday was cooked
for dinner.16 Ears closed for hearing the cries of ^{murder} at night

Oct 7th Mary Howie admitted from

Alcon Parish of London & Greenwich
Widow - 67 years of age, Protestant.
Condition of life - Pimples,
One week ill, never under treatment
Supposed cause - Poverty in few ^{days}
Is suicidal - threw herself into a
coal pit, a few days since at
London - Body all marks & bruises
She is very clean both person & clothes
Her Brother is John Howie
Hiluholm, Newmilns
No member of the family known to
be insane.

10th Swears to herself without a cause
Newspaper says she had 10 pounds
in silver tied at her chest when
taken out of the pit.

20th Is quiet & cleanly - does nothing.

Dec 12th Has a slight sore throat.

18th Much worse.

22nd No better.

Jan 1st 1840 Is better now.

Jan 20th Continues better mentally, bodily health
week.

Feb 17th Dismissed.

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Oct 7th Admitted Mary Higgins

From Perinail Lodging house Alexandria

Perish of Bonhill, has been c.

peuper 10 years

Single - Brimfield worker

Dangerous to others

Goes to no church

Find her delusive, about boiling
metel poured into her &

No discolurations on her body.

26 Wont work at any thing, quiet &
cleanly in her habits.

Dec 15 No change - does nothing

1869
May 25 Dismissed - not cured

Admitted Mr. Junebring

From 145 Nelson Street Tradesm.

Previous 10 Welworth Terrace

40 Years of age married

Condition of life Domestic Servant

Protestant

2 Months ill, First attack

Dangerous to others,

Body all discoloured

Little toe of right foot broken

2 small burn on her arm

Smells strongly of whisky,

Making a great noise & dirtied

the room shortly after admission

George Stewart Akedeen

Patient's brother

18 Head shaved & rubbed, is restless

& destroyed a gown, vomited a

good deal since admission

takes her food, bowels open

dirtied the floor

20 She knocked her forehead on the

floor & had her nose & bruised

the walls of her room, her bed

knicked, on att - on the chest & hurt

her, the att had to go to bed, kept

her in bed all day with a special att

is quite incoherent & very restless,

24 Is better able to go about

or Dirty in her habits - both in & out

of bed,

Dec 1 Day best night

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Ann M. Guley - Nov 137

- 18th Violent again; threw the night
 stool to the middle of the floor
 the Bolsters after the nurse
 the Tray at Barbara Smith,
 does not speak, but is in a
 passion because she wants something
 & can't get it.
 20th Broke the dishes -
 22nd Do Do
 24th Do Do
 25th Has eaten nothing today saw her
 Father yesterday
 27th Fed twice
 28th Fed once
 Nov 1st Very restless during night going from
 bed to bed, makes signs, but never
 speaks - fed once, every day.
 7th Has taken her food out of the
 Dishes by putting down her ~~hand~~^{mouth}
 without using her hands - for two
 days past - still dirty in the habit.
 14th Fed by Tube once today
 24th Spoke a word or two to the night
 nurse in answer to a question
 for the first time since July.
 25th Excited jumping up on seats &
 Fire guard during the night.
 26th Had to sleep in a room - Bolted
 out on the nurse opening the
 Door & was menaged with difficulty
 did not lie in bed but on floor

M. Muir & Chelmers from 189

- Oct 7th Head shaved & rubbed,
 Hobbs very undecent - exposing her
 person, got in drawers,
 Nov 1st Commenced to work about the house.
 She opened her eyes since the shaving
 of her head,
 12th Violent towards Catherine McDonald
 a Laundry Maid - Red her mouth
 in 5 or 6
 Dec 1st Dug her herself during the night
 had phlegm
 12th Dry Coughed on Louis & had
 a bit both
 1866
 Jan 10th Became unwell,
 11th An eruption on her arms & hands
 & feet
 Feb 1st Legs very bad, takes her food well,
 8th Altered again,
 March 9th Do Do
 14th Very violent towards Helen Bennett
 struck her on the face the shoulder
 1870
 June Committed to Governor's Hospital

1865
Oct 14

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Margaret M. Fozzle admitted
From Parish of Bunkell.

Has lived 20 Years in Alexandria
Found at a lodging in N. Adamsland
Single - 31 Years of age
A Protestant.

Second attack

Had an attack 3 years since, but
passed off without treatment
Her sisters are Agnes M. Fozzle
& Mr. Peter M. New - her Brother.

John M. Fozzle - all in Alexandria
Is very restless & excited, & travels
repeated on admission, is unwell,
small discoloured marks on body,

20 Very excited no sleep

24 Very restless, got a blow on the nose
by Helen Blechely - fled a deaf.
Is violent herself struck & kicked
the att.

28 Out of seclusion, all day, quiet
took her food,

31 Aft. all but quiet & cleanly

Nov 1 Is very restless & insistent, says she
came here to get married to her
Master, takes her food,

4 Much worse, violent noise

7 Rather quieter

Dec 1 Violent towards every one around her
struck the att. on the face.

17 Not at night - better introduced

20 Very dirty in her habits requires to be
dressed and undressed, fed & Washed Washed

1866
Feb 3

Is much improved

Mr. W. Manning in Morrison continues

Oct 26 Still hungry, no sleeping her food
very dirty in her habits, using violent
& dangerous -

28 Destroyed a Jacket

Nov 1 Destroyed a canvas Bedcover,

11 Destroyed another Do

20 Destroyed a Sheet

28 Tore the flannel lining out of
canvas drawers,

29 Had a swelling under one of her
breasts -

Dec 1 Destroyed a whole suit of canvas
Boots striking sheet &c during
night

18 In a bath at 98 for 8 hours

14 Repeated same time,

18 Bath repeated - quieter Breast worse
& they opened it.

1866 Nov 10 Still dirty in her habits very using
violent &c -

April 7 Has slept in bed for 3 nights and
is cleanly & much quieter

12 Had to be secluded on account
of the Printers - dirtied the room
fearfully, the effects of medicine,

1873

Dismissed to Greenock Asylum

Mr. Duff Continued

- Nov 27 Slept none - excited singing
and talking nonsense all night
18 Very stupid - stripping naked - noisy
had to get in harness.
29 A slight attack of Rose in her face
is still noisy,
Dec 1 attended the concert - is better,
22 Appears nearly well,
28 Dismissed cured,
1820 June Dismissed

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Nov^r 11

Margt Petrie admitted

M^r Petrie patient's Mother lives at 42 Regent Square

Single Age 39

Teacher in Free Church School,

Is very depressed, ill, one month,

No marks on body which is

in ordinary condition,

Was examined at Bowling but lived

previously at 12 Pollack St Glasgow

Nov 13

Asks her case and conduct

is in the Newspapers

That she is worse than Ritchie

because she has ruined her

friends by her bad conduct,

she eats well, and slept well

last night, and her bowels

were freely moved by medicine.

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Very miserable, says she is to be

taken rounder that her blood has

to be spilt

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Is ill with a white discharge,

24

Has got a bit better for several

nights with benefit,

Dec 19

Dismissed cured.

Jane Mackenzie-continued

- Nov 14 Got her finger or rather her thumb
bit by Mr Murphy & a blow on face
- 28 Got 2 prodigious Belts to bring on
Sleep - which had the desired effect
- Dec 11 Tore a Blanket & was filthy in her
habits -
- 28 Tore a Tablecloth
- Jan 10¹⁸⁶⁶ Still destructive, tears the pocket-bags
in half
- 30 Tore a shawl, Aprons, caps &c
- Feb 10 Has been quieter for 2 days, not so
destructive,
- 18 So much worse destructive filthy,
- March 1 Picked the water closet putting down
a dolphin Tee Cup - roaring very loud
violent destructive,
- 5 Got several powders which soothed
her - was quieter after,
- April 10 Able to be in No 1 - plays on the Piano
15 worse had to be removed habits
very bad - conduct unseemly,
- 25 So unconstructing -
- May 19 Do Do,
- Dec 25 Dismissed, well,

Isabella Whiffet continued.

Nov 14th Face and hands inflamed like
rose put to bed

15th A very sore ulcerated throat
Dec 29th Attempted to bite the staff for
rising up to the bedside,

1866

Sept 18th Began to walk in walking hours

1869

Sept 12th Dead

Nov 20 Mary M. Munzie a Robertson admitt

aged 31 - Married, Protestant
Born 249 Gallowgate Street
First attack, 10 days ill
To suicidal, no food for days
no sleep for 10 nights
To incoherent - Melancholy
Physical condition very poor,
no marks on body,
Fed by tube the same night she
was admitted.

Her husband says a child's
death in Sept brought on this
depression.

21st Fed by tube - excited had to
be sedated 4 hours.

22nd Fed by the nurse without the
tube

Dec 1st Very miserable takes her food hardly
but refused it this morning lest
others should want - always

1864 Pleads to have her life spared
thinks Dr. Hay will kill her.

14th Is still miserable.

March 1st Fed by tube every meal

7th Still fed very weak kept in bed.

14th Has taken her food yesterday & today

April 1st Continues to take her food is very dirty
& noisy.

May 1st Sent to No 11 - a mistake.

July 9th Died at 12 noon

Clemor Prime Continued

Nov 2^d Has uttered today -Dec 9th Rather excited going off again.19th Sent to 5 & 6 so unruly,20th Back to No 4 - but through quitters not well.30th Quite well. Dismissed.

1866

May 15th Readmitted, her friends say she is unmanageable at home.17th Head Throated & rubbed,26th Sent to No 4 - is much better.June 8th Had to be sent to No 4 - is excited again.21st Sent to 4 Better,27th Altered,July 10th Ill mentally again sent to No 423rd Better sent to 4 -Aug 9th Excited unruly wasting her clothes.

Sent to No 4

30th Is better sent to No 4,Sept 26th Altered, sent to No 4 on the 26th
has not been altogether right since
last attack.Oct 28th Had 2 or 3 Fits of Epilepsy,31st Dismissed Well.

1863 Anson Remondy admitted
 from a private place City Prison
 Dec 1 24 Years of age - Single
 Roman Catholic
 Direct attack - Cause unknown
 Not Epileptic Nor suicidal
 No dangerous to others
 In poor condition - No marks
 or bruises on Body
 Was violent towards the att^o using
 had to be secluded
 Is unwell of herself
 5th Employed herself during striking
 6th Throwing things sleeps ill
 12th Sings during the night
 15th Has been quiet at night since so
 20th Very excited
 1866
 Jan 14th Very noisy at night sings and says
 very bad words, Neck blistered
 Feb 15th Very excited using obscene language
 was violent towards Asmus Thomson
 1870 Taken to City Hospital Asylum

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1865
Dec 15

Mary Burns admitted

1865
Dec

Aged 24 - Single - Sewer

Chromen Catholic

From 35 Canon Street - City Bristol

One month ill

Last attack

Anginal - not Epileptic

Threw herself over a window

hurt her left foot - which is much
swollen

No relatives known.

Has taken no food for 3 days

Bowels confined.

7. Dead

Dec 6

June Horn, a Colored admitted
from Fallow, Old Monkland

Age 30 years - Married

Husband Collier, has had
a still born child 3 months since

Body in good condition - But
in a wretched state of dirt &

rags - 8 days ill - no cure
known - Dangerous to others

Husband says she eat nothing
these 3 days - but she eat heart-

ily after she was admitted, at
Dinner & tea,

No Marks on Body -

First attack

14

Is much better - working about
the house -

30

Dismissed - cured

1865

Dec 9th Joabella Campbell admitted
From Green Parkhouse

Aged 24 - Single - Domestic Servant
Protestant -

Dangerous to herself -

Jumped through a large pane
of glass in Green Parkhouse & dislocated
her ^{left} shoulder & stretched her right
arm, also sprained her right
leg - answers questions quite
correct - is unwell,

Whether first attack, not known
Length of time insane not known
Cause not known

Lived previously at 17 Lilybank Street
Labouring under Nymphomania,
Nurse of Green Parkhouse told me
that she had intercourse with
several men - that Dr Liddell
examined her & found that
something was wrong,

14th Able to be out of bed & in No 4

Dec 17th Is unhappy about her oral hold,
her head is miserable in appearance
Suspicious, disaffected with every
thing -

19th Brie's she is lost but principally -
during night, tries to appear well,

26th Is very uneasy to get consolation
with men - wants the standard
to find out for her - won't work in

1866

Jan 7th

Threat her face by a fall in a struggle
with Mary Cameron while giving her
breakfast - trying to get to Dr. J. J.

Sun M. Sully continued
 Jan 10th Got out of bed - passed water in
 a wash Basin & drank it,
 11th Cough very much during the night
 & this day
 18th Asked Patient Brose Bread
 Jelly &c said she was on Board
 a ship at present - still wet
 drinks her urine from her hand &
 21st Threw scalding tea about M^r Caldwell
 22nd Bearded Helen Bennett called her a
 tyrant - demanded her own coffee
 cup &c
 1866
 Jan 1st Very filthy in bed
 2nd Broke breakfast dishes threw coffee
 Bread &c about the bed, says
 she gets meat fit for pigs,
 nearly scalded Helen Bennett
 with Broth tried to drop them
 in her face, took the steak in
 her shut hand and ate it in
 a prison, has cried all day,
 10th Bowels relaxed vomited &
 cried for water,
 March 10th answered me & said - better - when
 I inquired for her
 April 10th Became unwell last night, first
 time since admission,
 12th Head shaved & rubbed, Herbits
 extremely dirty,
 May 8th Tried in M^r B -
 10th Has altered again
 July 11th Head shaved & rubbed, is very
 excited,
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Janet Craig continued

Dec 15 Had a fit of epilepsy at
1/2 past 9 this morning.

19 Up today very restless & troublesome.

1866

Jan 28 Another shock at 1 o'clock today
right side affected, could not speak
for some time.

19 Better but stupid, has to be fed.

19 Another shock - lost her speech and
the power of her right side for some
hours -

Feb 4 Had several shocks of epilepsy today.

10 Convulsed all day from 11 forenoon
tillApr 26 Became unwell last night, first time
since admission.

June 30 Dismissed, improved

1865

Oscar

Annabella Campbell admitted
From Green ParsonageHer sister, with whom she lived
previously - is Mr. Alex. Beattie11 ~~Albion~~ Place, GreenSingle Age - 21 Domestic Servant
ProtestantAll four days, First attack,
Reported to be suicidal, not
dangerous to others,Is quite incoherent, does not keep
on her clothes, took dinner when
the nurse fed her with it,This an old healed up sore at
the bottom of her spine,

25 Fed by tube, twice

26 3 Times Fed

27 Once, & violent vomit stand & walk,

28 Twice & filthy in her habits

29 Once, & wet it night,

Jan 30 Fed it, backfoot wet

3 Took her food - clean & dry but spot
about the bedding,

4 Much the same,

5 To some letter sent to B from Miss

8 For a flannel sheet

March 8 Head shaved & rubbed

14 Still dirty in her habits,

April 6 Dismissed improved,

Dec 29 Margaret M. Ferling a Theorer admitted
from Seven Pines.

Lived previously at 87 Commerce Street
Franklin, aged 40 - First attack
a few days ill, cause unknown.
William Shearer the patient's husband
lives at 87 Commerce Street.

Says she has got a great deal
of sulphur in her food, complains
of pain at the back of the head.
Bodily condition poor, no marks
of injury on the body.

1866
Jan 12 Religious persuasion Protestant.
Is very delusive, says her Brother
was passing through an ordeal while
waiting her yesterday, and that
she was in the Chapel or Hall
on Sabbath just for a pentecost.
Also that her body was dishonored
by a friend of her husband's and
that she did not confess it freely
to the Church.

Feb 14 Says that it was pills she took every
night, brought this on her, is very
unhappy and anxious, complains nervous.

17 Very depressed sleepless, had to be
reminded to sleep to be watched, much distress.

24 Better, sent to No 1 - sleeps & eats well,
April 10 Dismissed, improved.

Admitted Helen Wright or Moore,
 Aged 60 - Widow of John her Amos
 House 514 St Vincent Street
 Religious persuasion Reformed Presbyterian
 Lived previously 8 years West Street Hill,
 Ten days ill, seemed attack,
 Was in this asylum thirteen years ago
 Bodily health poor,
 was destructive in admission, had
 to get in convalescence,
 1866
 Jan 1st Fed by tube 3 times daily
 slept some to day.
 5 Is more sensible - named the attack
 slept better, but won't eat any thing.
 7 Took her food today herself.
 8 A little better.
 9 Took her food well.
 20 continues well, rather stupid.
 Feb 19 Removed to No 1 - much better.
 27 Better still, Bowels tender, appetite
 very keen.
 March Dismissed, cured.

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1866
Jan 12^o

Isabelle Campbell continued.

Had to wrap her in Bedcover to
get her left in a room, she is
so determined to be at Dr. Hays,
Mary Cameron and her fell together
on the floor & hit the left side
of her face.

3^o Face much discoloured.

4^o Still very excited and determined
to be at Dr. Hays. Head & neck
rubbed without shewing, two att
shut in a room with her till
the stuff would dissolve, had to
get 4 women to hold her while
doing so and giving her a dread
sight.

9^o Is quieter, got a bottle and her sleep
and taken her food quietly.

10^o Worse obliged to be in a room.16^o Is much better.

Feb 1st Had a prolonged fit 3 hours
is in a state of madness, using
dangerous to herself and others.

15^o Head shaved & rubbed yesterday
& a Prolonged bottle at 90 p 4 hours
today.

March 1st Dismissed to Lochgilphead asylum.

Christine Neufelge admitted Oct 23
From Hampshire Parish 1865

Talks a great deal but quite sensible
though in a rambling kind of way.

Nov 6 Became excited and interfered with
the treatment of the patient, quarrelling
with the Att 9 removed to 516.

Dec 25 Removed to No 4 is much quieter,
employs herself knitting sewing &c.

1866 Jan 10 Excited quarrelsome talks a great deal
nursing at night 9 sent to No 3.

18 Had to be secluded for violent conduct.

22 Thinking the Att 9 in a very dangerous way
Brawl's released room very filthy.

Feb 20 Sister sent to No 4 works about the
house sews &c.

March 3 Excited sent to No 3.

14 Has not been so bad this time, able
to knit some.

19 Very excited violent kicking anyone
who may be near her, has to sleep in No 8
not able to knit.

May 1 Treated for itch skin rubbed with
Sulphur.

24 Very excited violent.

Sept 5 Dismissed to Longdell.

1866 Readmitted from Niven & Humphreys
 June 188th Herlin Street Glasgow

28th Attack - Intemperance the cause
 Body in poor condition - wout speak
 Is a widow - 38 years of age
 Has been 8 times here

Her son is the petitioner and
 Pays 10/- per week for her

Her certificate says she is epileptic

18th She refused her food and required
 the nurse to feed her till today

20th Sent to 5 d. -

Feb 12th Is much better,

April 14th Dismissed well,

Aug 21st Admitted again,

Her left leg is spotted, sometimes
 like an eruption,

She took some food & milk
 after admission, she had
 taken no food since Friday,

Sept 1st Is better and able to be up,

Nov 19th Dismissed cured

1867 Aug 18th Admitted

Cause Intemperance

Feb 20th Is better again,

March 25th Dismissed well,

May 25th Admitted 15/-

Aug 10th Dismissed well,

Dec 28th Readmitted, seems depressed and
 speaks badly from - some sleep

