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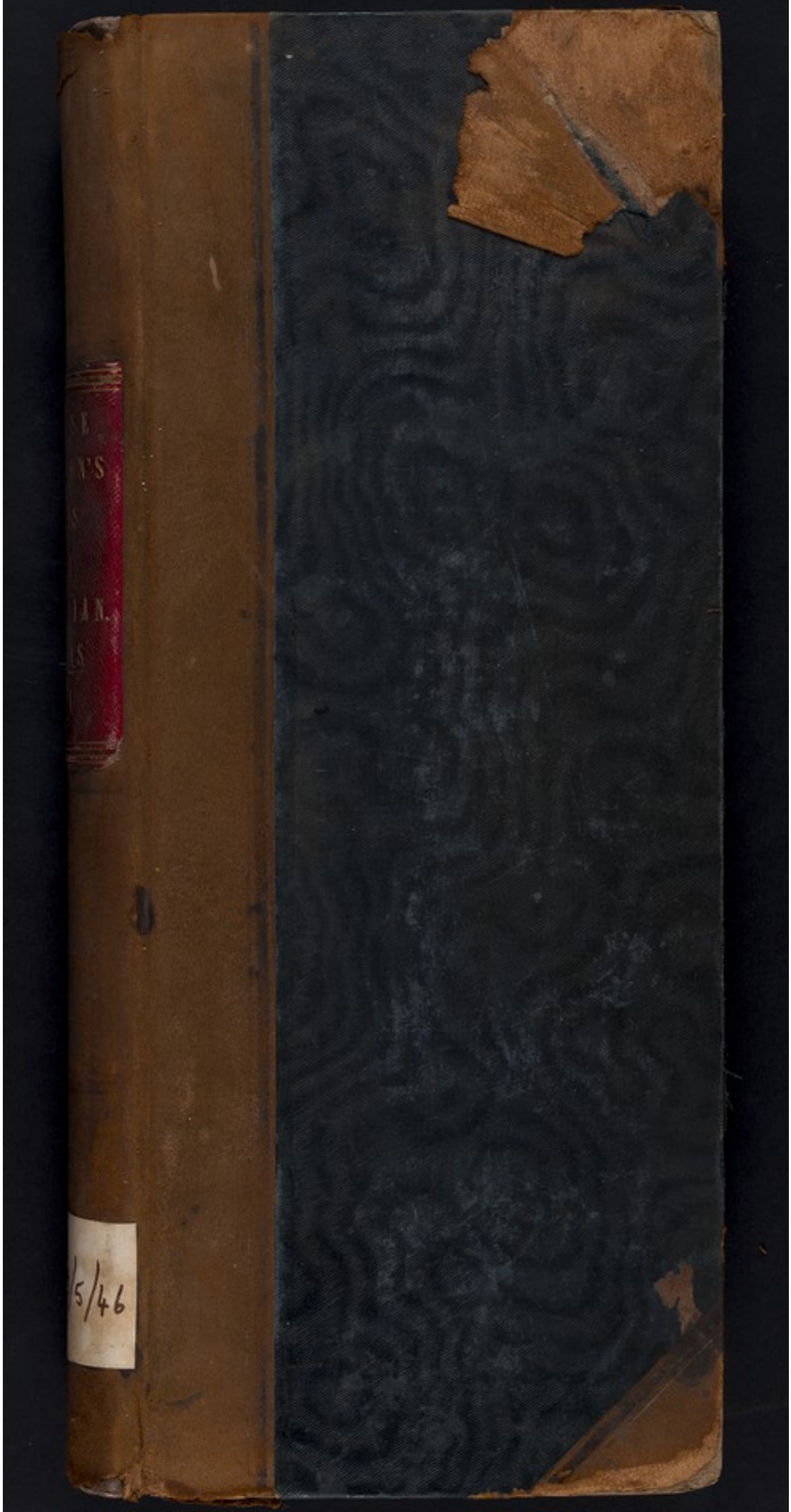

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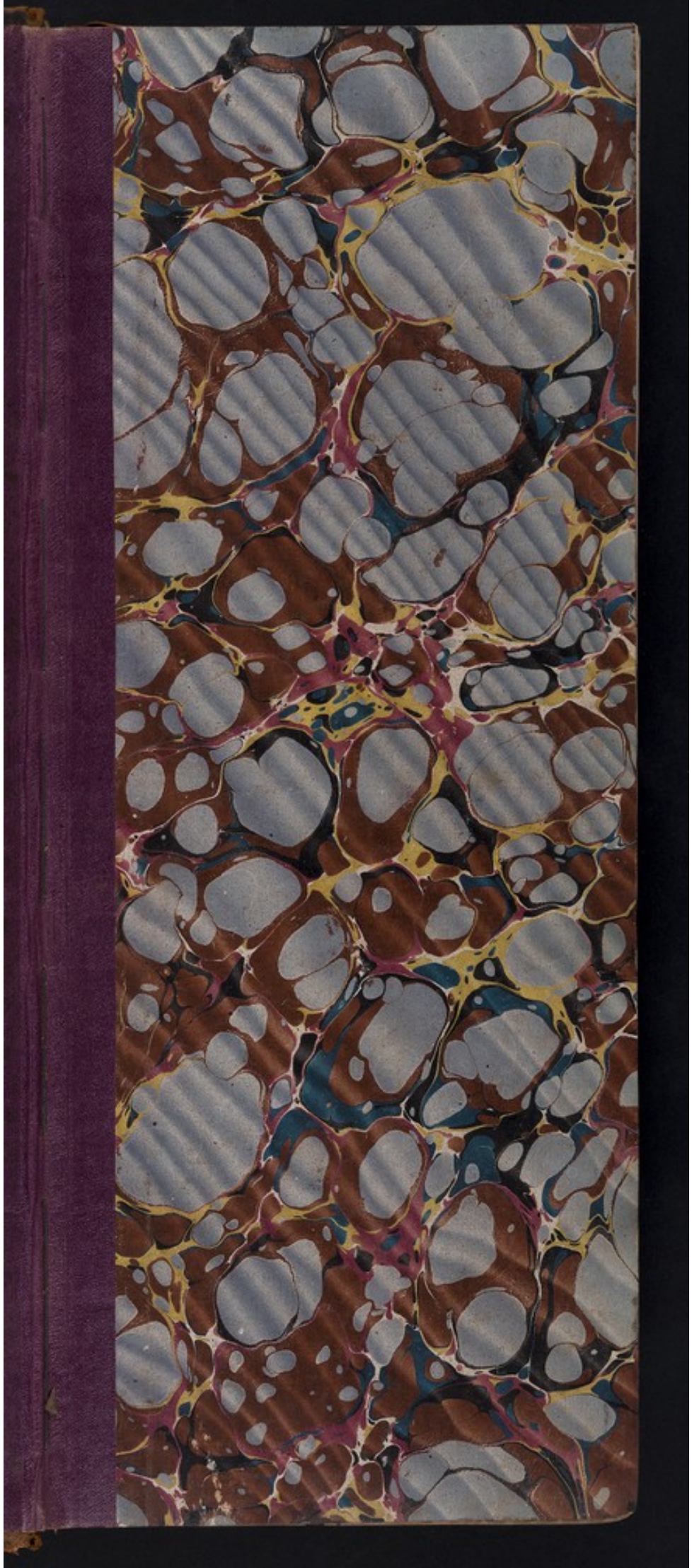

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Daniel Cummings Act La Grange

Brought to the asylum this evening No schedule seen a No history of him Dull & stupid Answers at random Yes or no Laughs silly Is in tolerably good health Constitution of a lymphatic tendency Pulse moderate Skin cool

Jany 3 Dull & stupid says he comes from Calhoun Co Has wrought on railways but is too stupid to give any distinct account of himself Takes his food well R Pl Abdomen ✕ll Lumbar unam omni nocte

5 Dull & stupid sits with his hands in his pockets & scarcely speaks & seldom moves Daniel Somerville last night at the annual entertainment Cont

7 Little change stupid and inactive Would go to bed with his clothes on & lie there if allowed Does not destroy his clothes or wet the bed Cont

10 Still stupid & dull sits for hours on one seat with his hands in his pockets & his head bent down seemingly taking little notice of what is going on around Takes his food well Cont

13 No change of any importance Dull & listless Takes his food Bowels acts R Inguinal ✕ Lumbar omni ℥ij Radial Sulph Abdom ℥j Spinae dorsal ℥ij his nights

16 Much the same in all respects Listless stupid & inactive When spoken to stares stupidly & replies with much hesitation Takes his food well Cont

24 No improvement Dull & listless seldom speaks or moves much Lounges about the corners with his hands in his pockets Takes his food well Cont

Feby 2 No change of any consequence Dull stupid & sluggish Takes his food well but that is almost the only thing to which he puts forth any energy Cont

Admitted 1st Jany 1848

Feby 15 Not much change dull & stupid but had been rubbed out to work at trenching for the last few days which the weather permits & takes his food well Bowels costive Cont

March 15 Still rather dull & stupid but is working very industriously in the grounds eat breakfast well takes his food well keeps his bed dry Cont

April 15 Has been afflicted for some time with a diarrhoea Has Chalk mixture & catechu & is rather improved Keeps Clean & Quiet & takes his food well Cont

May 15 Badly health Exactly food diarrhoea being now quite removed Still dull & stupid answers with slowness & hesitation & chiefly in monosyllables Works very industriously in the grounds Bowels Cont

June 15 Still slow & slow of comprehension but on the whole improved both in bodily & mental Takes his food well & works industriously Cont

July 15 Is on the whole considerably improved Works most industriously answers relevantly although somewhat slowly Health good Cont

Augt 15 Condemning himself in all respects Still Rather dull & quiet which seems his natural disposition but in other respects well Cont

Sept 15 Little change of any consequence Works industriously but is dull & stupid Bodily health good Cont

Oct 15 Much the same in all respects as at last report Works industriously & quietly but mind continues stupified & confused Health good Cont

Nov 15 No change of any consequence Works quietly in the grounds Bodily health good Rather slow & stupid

Dec 15 No change of any consequence Cont

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Jno J McNicol cut to Shepherd
arran

Brought this evening from
Arran The person who brought
him was intoxicated & could
give little account of him
& no Schedule paper seen & no
history got Noisy & incoherent
on admission Had a flattened
lead pencil bullet in his possession
which he seemed to think pos-
sessed of wonderful properties
Came he said to see a new farm
Talk to be put in seclusion a
mag very violent Health
apparently good
9 Very noisy & incoherent
Takes his food well Still
very abusive Talks of
his sheep & cannot understand
why he was left here R
Pulse at XII Tongue ij
Urine [illegible]
9 On the whole considerably
quieter but has torn the shoulder
lining out of his counterpane
& tied the pieces about his
person Takes his food
well Bowels easy
11 Appearance & conducting him-
self pretty tidy but was
taking two minds when
running after the women that
put them wrong in the head
Bowels easy Takes his food
well Cot
12 Conducting himself very quietly
but talks somewhat incoher-
ently occasionally Takes his
food well Bowels easy
Cont
15 Obstinate & self willed Does as
he likes & answers as he likes
Seems to consider himself a person
of some importance Conducts
himself however on the whole
tolerably quietly Cleanly and
careful of his clothes
Health good Cont
17 Myself the same in all respects
Takes his food heartily
but is very connected & talks
in a rambling incoherent manner
Cont on
24 Still very haughty & unbending
Refused to take this afternoon
his allotment of tobacco because he did not
get what would make up an
ounce a week each His allowance

Admitted 6th June 1848

1848
July 2 Still has a high opinion of his own importance. If you ask him a question he gives you for answer a story which seems to have no connection with it. Do you know whom you speak to? Health good. Acts rationally in the gallery Cont

24 Little change of much importance perceivable. Still somewhat talkative & haughty. Assists a little in the gallery. Bodily health good Cont

March 22 Much the same in all respects continues obstinate & haughty. Works in the grounds occasionally. Bodily health good. Not guilty of destructive Cont

April 23 Not much change. Still speaks in the same haughty manner. Assists in the gallery & sometimes works in the grounds. Takes his food well Cont

May 23 On the whole is improved but is still a little sulky & haughty. Complained of a slight discharge from an old fistula but it is very trifling & a little astringent ointment prescribed Cont

June 20 Much the same in all respects. Bodily health good. Discharged as

Cured.

Jan Mc Callum cont
Nurony

Brought today from the
police office to which he
was taken for noisy and
outrageous behaviour. The
officers say that while in the
office he was very noisy -
continually knocking at the
door of his cell. On admis-
sion was very cheerful & merry
and he was to get back
to Gartnavel (see mal 8 page 212)
Is a mulatto. Health apparently
good. To sleep in separate room

8 Whistles & sings. Not dressed
time or all naked. Takes
his food well. Still in
seclusion. Rl as before
x/l sum at times omni noctu

9 Still as merry & contented
answers in a jocular but
tolerably relevant manner
lies in bed until the clothes
when his meals whistling
cont

11 Still given to lie in bed &
whistle very cheerful &
good natured. Takes his
food well. Bowels easy
cont

13 Still in a merry jocular
mood laughing & joking at
everything. Takes his food
well. Bowels easy cont

14 Still jocular & playing on a
jesting strain to all that is
said to him. Conducts him-
self well & quietly. Bodily
health good cont

20 Getting more quiet & steady
Talks tolerably rationally
& conducts himself in all
respects pretty well
cont

27 Conversing himself quietly
well. Talks relevantly. Takes
his food well cont

31 Rather apt to quarrel & rather
restless at night. Answers
in the same jesting manner
Takes his food well. Bowels
easy cont

Feby 6 Note Mr. Ch change of demeanour
Still rather talkative unsettled
& given to bantering or altercation
Bodily health good. Getting an
occasional full at night cont

Inmer Admitted 7th Jany 1848

Feby 28	Conducting himself tolerably well of late but occasionally exhibits a rational Mode of Mental Health pretty good appetite in the Gallery Court
March 22	Conducting himself in all respects well but his rational Mode of Mental Health good Court
April 8	Being in good bodily health & free from all delusion discharged as cured

Lab McLuskie act 32
Barony

Brought to Gallery from the Police Office Was in the Asylum 6 months previously (See Prot 12 Page 145) Was never perfectly cured Very intemperate & subject to epileptic fits supposes that every body is plotting him & mischief to pass over him Bites & those who wash him tears his clothes & is destructive

Jan 10 Stupid & drowsy & is for the most part asleep Wakens up to take a little food & says he is annoyed with blue devils Tongue foul Pupils rather dilated Pulse slightly accelerated Heart & lungs Menses regular

12 Had slight fit of trembling & epilepsy yesterday Is Composed & getting much quieter & coherent Takes his food well R Al alterat + 11 sumat mane omni nocte Cont

13 Up & dressed conducting himself quietly Talks relevantly Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

16 Conducting himself well Talks relevantly but slowly No return of fits Takes his food well Cont

20 Conducting himself in all respects quietly & well although a little slow & hesitating Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

24 Conducting himself very quietly Amuses himself playing at cards & reading Talks his food well Talks relevantly but with considerable slowness Cont

28 Does not lie quiet at night but wanders about & rummages the pockets of his fellow patients To sleep in a small room Takes his food well Bowels rather costive R Al alterat + 11 sumat mane omni nocte si opus sit

Feby 3 somewhat stupid irritable When the attendant brought him a jug of water to wash at out of his room Cont

Baker Admitted Oct Lunj 1848

Feby 28 Rather unruly & dissatisfied that strangers respecting molesting another pair was left in his store completely from take to bottom through work left & is now walking about in his dreamless Court but is on the whole quieter than at last report Roundly early Court

27 Conducting himself tolerably quietly but is still very stupid Fond of making and spends much of his time playing at draughts Takes his food well No epileptic fits have been observed such admission Rounds early Court

March 26 Getting very stupid Wonders about in a dreamy stupid state often walks about his room most part of the night When spoken to does not seem to comprehend fully what is said to him Takes his food well R Fl Alter & Mr. Dumont mann omni notte

April 25 Not much improvement but of late has been out daily in the grounds at walk Still very stupid Takes his food well Court

May 24 Rather less stupid of late & mark tolerably industriously in the grounds Takes his food well Bowels regular Court

June 25 Much the same as at last report stupid but moves well Court

July 25 No change of any consequence stupid & slow but works tolerably industriously in the grounds Court

Aug 24 Still rather dull & stupid Works tolerably industriously Removes Takes his food well Bowels regular Court

Sept 25 Still very stupid & slow Works in the grounds Takes his food well Court

Oct 24 Much the same in all respects Dull & rather slow & stupid Health tolerable Court

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Archd McArthur aged 32

Brought this evening from Glasgow
His brother says he had been very
unruly & outrageous occasionally
of late On admission was quiet
but restless answered with con
siderable hesitation & reluctance
Admitted that people about
the Broomielaw had wanted
to do him harm but could not
be got to explain more Health
tolerably good apparently
but he is dumber that when
he left the Asylum last (See
Book 12 page 61)

Jany 15 After going to bed last night
got up again & dressed himself
Was however persuaded to go
to bed again & remained tolerably
quiet during the night

16 Restless & fidgetty when a door
open makes out & soon wishes
to get in again Answers tol
erably rationally Takes his
food well & is rather ad-
dicted to stealing some of his
neighbours Will attend to
[illegible] nam omnia work

17 Much the same Restless
& unsettled Thinks he will
soon get home as at least
he let out to walk State
takes milk belonging to other
patients Cont

20 Still restless & unsettled Anxious
to get out to walk about the
grounds Talks rather hesitat
ingly but on the whole
rationally Cont

24 Not much change Perhaps rather
less restless Says himself that he
is so anxious to get out to walk
about the grounds Really
health good Bowels costy
Cont

28 Very restless disturbs the other
patient in the gallery at night
by walking about so that it
is intended in future to assign
him a room along with another
restless patient Takes himself
Takes his food well but is
rather querulous & dissatisfied
Cont

Feby 3 Still somewhat restless
& discontented but answers
tolerably rationally Has an attack
at times fell every night

Admitted Jany 14th 1848

Feby 9 Still considerably emaciated complains of his head his clothing &c is wanted they are not when he has been accustomed to sleep in a small room to keep him from wandering about among the patients disturbing them at night Removed today

11 His own trowsers requiring mending a pair more lent him these he tore through both legs from bottom to top & is now walking about in his drawers Cont

27 Of late conducting himself much more quietly & talking more sensibly Apt working in the grounds when the weather permits Bodily health pretty good Cont

March 26 Was allowed to walk out a mark about the grounds but last week got very unsettled & evinced wonderful desire that it was deemed prudent to withdraw that privilege for a little Rest alteration & dumpt appetite Cont

April 25 Rather more settled of late & allowed the liberty of the grounds Works in the garden occasionally Menses made regularly Health good Takes his food well Cont

May 25 Conducting himself pretty well of late Allowed the range of the grounds without an attendant & works occasionally Cont

June 24 Sleep very well in all respects Was at the female ball last night dressed neatly & employed himself well Cont

July 25 Conducting himself in all respects well Health good Cont

Aug 24 Continues to conduct himself well in all respects well Cont

Sept 8 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Discharged as

Cured

John Nixon aged 45 Farmer
New monkland

Brought today from Airdrie
Schedule states that he had a
fever 14 weeks ago & has never
wholly recovered the delirium of
at Head was never insane
No insane relatives, but poses
himself at times blind of one
eye & deaf of the Catholics
Comrade to murder him & has
tried to escape from this one,
a window is not suicidal &
has not threatened violence
to others Has broken some
stoneware No treatment
since the last fever"

16 Noisy & abstracts persons says
he has been left in the Head
since he had the fever Is
rather thin pales rather
feeble Takes his food
well R Pil alterat
R II Decoct unam omni
nocte si opus sit

17 Still occasionally noisy & ab
stracts persons & remains in seclu
sion sings & whistles & talks
much after a clergyman &
a doctor Takes his food
well Bowels opened
Coxt

19 Getting quieter but still talks in
a rambling manner Clean tongue
for food Bowels easy
Tongue flabby & pale R
Infusi cinchonae ℥ j & II Quart
Affusi Camomomi ℥ iij Acidi
sulph dilutij m xxxx ter die
℥ iij bis die

22 Talks in a disconnected rambling
manner conducts himself
quietly Remember & takes
his food well Coxt

26 Conducting himself quietly in all
respects but is dull & stupid
& slow of comprehending & ans-
wering Takes his food well
Bowels easy Coxt

31 Is growing very considerably
connects himself & mostly talks
tolerably rational Takes
his food well but is still
rather slow Gets Draught & pulv
Coxt

Feby 6 Is growing still but still somewhat
stupid & dull Rather slow
of comprehension & slow of ans-
wering Takes his food well Coxt

M.d Admitted Jany 15th 1848

11, Is still improving though slowly being still a little dull & comprehension Two boils on right knee have caused it to swell considerably quite pain & redness applic. & Poultices ordered

Feby 19 Boils about knee have got well Is still a little dull & stupid slow of comprehension but converses rationally well & answers questions pleasantly His friends thinking he would now be better to be at home at his own employment Today removed from it his improvement has been very considerably & he has no delusions is marked as

Cured

Arrd Mc Farlane 29 Mr. Mason
Barony

Brought today from Glasgow
Schedule states that he has been
insane from the 2nd Tuesday of
July last never so before No
bodily disease preceded Had man
been drunk for 8 months before
attack seldom previously quiet
& industrious Has one boy 2 month
old Mother of patient mentioned
ates & anxious cause supposed to
be vexation at the conduct of
his mother who pursued all the
family means becoming removed
was sent to Bridewell At first
incoherent manner then religious
sinking into melancholia Has
remissions but disease increas
-es very at night Latch ment
about much seeking for road
free of tolls At first spoke
of cutting his throat & drowning
himself that malevolent non methi
-nous Had spirit at times but about
hemself Never in an asylum
Jany 20 seems in tolerable good health
health came quietly to the
asylum but when he found he
could not get become very angry
& threatened that if he were not
let out he would find some
means of breaking out but by
& by there is nothing wrong with
his mind that he should be
sent to a madhouse slept
in seclusion This morning on
promising to conduct himself
quietly was let out
21 Says he has discovered a few roads
without tolls but is not fond
of telling where Dull rather
taciturn anxious to get out
& thinks it is wrong to keep him
here Takes his food pretty
well Cont
23 Got up during the night & broke
a pane of glass evidently
with the intention of getting
out but being observed let
down again Anxious to
get away Returns his delu
-sions about the roads Takes
his food well Cont
25 When he sees a door open immed
-iately walks out at it unless
prevented Seems astonished at
being stopped but makes little
resistance Health tolerable

Rules 1848 Admitted Lang 19th 1848

Lang 31 Much the same in all respects still walks towards afternoon when he seems quite surprised when he is stopped Talks but little dresses a little in the gallery Takes his food well Cont

July 6 No change of any consequence appreciable state of it to state but at the door when it opens Bodily health tolerably good Cont as

27 Much the same in all respects Anxious to get away walks out at open doors as formerly Resorts in the gallery Takes his food well Cont

March 26 No change of any consequence very anxious to get away is always enquiring if he is not yet to get out Resorts in the gallery sometimes in the grounds but cannot well be watched in the latter as he would make his escape if he could find an opportunity Health good Cont

April 25 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good but mind deranged State retains the notions about the roads Works in the grounds Cont

May 25 Much the same in all respects very anxious to get home talks almost daily Works in the grounds tolerably industriously Health good Cont

June 25 Seldom allows the medical officer to pass him without enquiring if he is not to get away yet Health good works industriously Cont

July 25 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Cont as

Augt 25 No change of much importance Mind much deranged Health good Cont

Sept 25 Still as troublesome i.e. constantly enquiring when he is to get home Health pretty good Cont

Oct 25 Little or no change

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Robert Newsinnette aet 35 melan. 1/2 Lan
Mitt. Asylum Barony

Brought today from Glasgow
& Neville states that he never
was insane before present
attack which began last week
ago No Bodily disorder present
Nor alteration of temper Has
two children a girl 4 & a boy
4 years of age Relatives un-
known Head not injured
Loss of his wife & other unsap-
pointments assert down as
cause Composed himself
to his house & took no refusals
Increasing no interval
Has no hope Himself & cannot
do anything Prays & declares his
prayers are of no avail Not
suicidal violent nor destructive
never in an asylum No treat
ment

Jany 27 Seems intolerably quiet & orderly
Health Very dull & despondent
Pulse quiet Pupils very slightly
dilated Tongue white Bowels
costive & Pil alterat x 11
Limat duas omni nocte

28 Says he has not slept since
he came here Talks tolerably
relevantly Admits he had got
very low spirited & says that
he had got too fond of money
hoarding the little he had that
he gave all that he had 30/ to
his pastor the evening on which
he came here Bowels still
costive Cont om

29 Says he slept better
last night quiet & rather
low spirited but answers
relevantly Takes his food
well Cont

31 Much the same Dull & anxious
about his family Takes his
food & says he sleeps pretty
well Bowels easy from the
use of the pill Cont

Feby 3 No change Appreciable Dull
& despondent anxious about
his family Pills being reduced
to one per night Bowels do
not act freely Limat duas
omni nocte

6 Much the same in all respects
Dull & quiet Walks in the
gallery Answers with sufficient
correctness but relevantly
Bowels easy Cont

Parker Admitted Jany 26th 1848

Feby 9 Seems on the whole improving but is to say latter more freely but is still anxious about his family thinks he could accomodate more per than if he were at liberty Takes his food tolerably well Bowels easy from the medicine Cont

27 Very considerably improved Sleeps much more cheerful & natural Appetite tolerably good Takes his food well Cont

March 2 Conducting himself in all respects well & quietly Talks rationally & is tolerably cheerful & anxious to get to his former employment that he may be enabled to look after & support his children Health good Cont

April 11 Has conducted himself in all respects well Being free from bodily disease & delusions discharged as

Cured

Hugh Wallace det

Brought today from the police office unchanged
Schedule gives no particulars
Brought handcuffed Talks
in a hurried & rambling manner
running from subject to subject
with the utmost volubility
& mistakes, most persons he
sees at all acquaintances
Seems to be labouring under
delirium tremens Tongue
foul with a white appearance
spot on one side Pulse
72 Eyes bloodshot somewhat hot
Eyes restless Pupils somewhat dilated Slept
little Urine ℥ss Stat

Jany 30 Talks much & in a rambling and
incoherent manner Joyous & acting
Takes his food well Bowels
well opened by the castor oil
Pulse 88 Tongue moist & rather
flabby Cont

31 Still talkative & rambling in his
course Thinks it is time he
were at home Takes his
food well Not violent
R R Ol Ricini ℥ss Linimt
camph omni nocte Ol Ipec ut

Febry 1 Cont of delusions Rather
restless very talkative &
rambles from subject to subject
but does not produce any decided
delusion Thinks however that
it is now just time for him to
get this bloody Tongue flabby
R R Infusi Cinchonae ℥vj
Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi
sulph dilut ℥j Ol Limonis
℥ij Aquæ ℥vj

4 Considerably improved Ram-
bles much less in conversation &
conducts himself tolerably quietly
Has very little recollection of his
doings in the police office previ-
ous to his coming to the asylum
Bowels easy Tongue nearly clean
& has lost its white flabby ap-
pearance Cont

5 Is reported as yesterday
Dismissed today as

cured

Olmütz Lauf 29th 1848

David Dick act 32
a. i. p.

Brought today from Paisley
Asylum no particulars
Was in this asylum from the
2nd August 1847 to the 29th Sept 1847
See Pal 12 page 113 Brought
Tall Head & foot seems
very stupid & unable to stand
Eyes dull & pupils dilated Cries
for whisky Has cold, possibly
from the compression of his
ankles by the irons Court

Feby 7 Very dull & stupid Sits in
a corner of his room in a morose
manner uttering incoherent
broken phrases Asks for
water & whisky Takes his
food tolerably well Bowels
not opened R. Sulphates
Magnesiae ℥ss Tartrate Sodae
et potassae ʒii Infusi Sennae
et Aquae aa ℥ij M Summat
stat

7 Bowels well opened More ani-
-mated & inclined to talk Bowels
not to be touched Still crav-
-ing for drink & Whisky
Condemned ℥j mane

8 Much more sensible & is dress-
-ed & up today Still considera-
-bly stupid & talks in a ram-
-bling manner Takes his food
well Bowels easy Has
a cheerful manner Eats & talks
moderately Tongue a little
white Court

10 More restless & noisy today
Wanders to & fro Muttering Court
incoherent & almost unintelligible
noises Takes his food well
As he is getting an alteration
pill every night His bowels
are in tolerable order Court

12 Still noisy & incoherent &
delusions Takes his food
well Bowels easy Court

16 Much quieter & more composed
Talks much less & more coherently
& with less of his former tendency
to shake hands Still somewhat
dull & stupid Takes his food
well Has considerable difficulty
of articulation & his tongue
when he does he left Home he
had a fit of stuttering which lasted
several months but there

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were no convulsions There things considered make a rather suspicious as a case of General paralysis Cont Getting a tonic mixture

July 21 The night before last got out of bed many times & put on and off his clothes & spent most of the morning the same way Is honorer employed carrying coals &c has not exhibited the same degree of stupidity since Takes his food well Bowels very Cont

27 Has conducted himself tolerably well since last report is works industriously but is still considerably stupified Takes his food well Bowels very Cont

March 26 Is somewhat stupified & likely never will be better Is quiet & industrious assists at carrying coals &c Takes his food well Bowels very Cont

April 25 Much the same in all respects Considerably stupified but quiet & industrious assisting at carrying coals &c Takes his food well & gets a pill occasionally to keep his bowels regular Cont

May 24 Still somewhat stupified but Makes himself useful at carrying coals &c Answers questions tolerably relevantly Takes his food well Bowels Cont

June 24 Although his intellect is not very bright & probably never will be so yet he talks rationally marks quietly & industriously & may be deemed convalescent Cont

July 25 Much the same in all respects Quiet & industrious Cont

Aug 25 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well Cont

Sept 25 In all respects as reported above Cont

Oct 23 Removed today by his own friends Being as well as he likely ever will be before discharged as

Cured

Mr Ferguson aet 18 Cotton Spinner
7th

Brown PA today from the Havannah Schedule since not particularly Head much misshapen as he has an idiotic look says he has just come out of the infirmary where he has been for 7 weeks with some chest complaint & has still a severe cough Pulse 90 Has been subject to a pulse for the last 10 or 11 years

Feby 10 Seems subject to chronic emphysema numerous sibilous rales audible in chest Heart's action violent & sounds abnormally loud Has a harrassing cough R Rl alterat ℥ ii sumat ℥ss omni nocte R Vini antimonii et Syrupi sulfuris ää ℥ss Mistura Mucilaginosa ℥vi sumat ℥ss ter mensis

11 Has had no pots since admission Pulse 96 Breathing oppressed a case of emphysema complicated with bronchitis Mind weaken Does not appear to have been ever very strong at least for some years cont

12 Much the same in all respects Breathing rather oppressed & more so on any exertion Takes his food well cont

14 No pots have been observed since admission Pulse still too rapid & breathing somewhat oppressed Mind weak but he thinks no delusions Bowels open cont

18 No pulse Has had attack of chest trouble mitigat &c Had a blister applied which rose well & he thinks himself rather easier this morning cont

21 Morning no bodily ailment but is much troubled at night with dyspnoea Has had no pulse Has had no pots since admission Bowels easy Takes his food pretty well cont

27 Much the same No pots no excitement long & disagreeable still troublesome but not so much so as formerly Bowels easy cont

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Mar 26 Had an epileptic shock 3 weeks ago But has not shown any symptom of excitement or of insanity since admission Bodily health has considerably improved Cough & sputa much less troublesome respiration is freer Continue

27 Bodily health being considerably improved & he showing symptoms of excitement or insanity Discharged as

Cured

Robert Gardner æt 28 Edinb.
Wm Gardner 47 Kirkintilloch Carory
Brought today from Gladsmuir
Schedule states that he has not
been insane for five months
No bodily disorder preceded attack Was quiet & inoffensive
& maternal aunt insane Head
never injured Cause said to be
self-esteem unruly at night
supposing that flats are persons
breaking into the house to injure
him Occasionally sensible
for short intervals supposes
his food to be poisoned That
apparently suicidal Has sometimes threatened to strike with
a stick Not destructive No
treatment Never in an asylum
First attack
9/Feb 17 Dr Yule's case rather a stupid
dark Pulse of moderate frequency
Tongue pale & flabby States
that there was poison put into
his food often but does not
know by whom Of darkened
his food & had the smell &
taste of tar Conducts himself very quietly says he has
heard that flats is some law
against him but does not
know what R Vi Alterat
Zii Sennæ unam: omni
nocte
18 Says he has heard a great deal
about some law but does not
know what it means Is very
quiet & does what he is required
Meets in the Gallery Tongue
pale & flabby R Infusi Cusc
Zvi Vi Tinct Cusconæ ʒvi
Vi ʒij Acidi sulph dilute ʒij
Succi limonis ʒij Fiat mistura
19 Quiet & peaceable but cunningly
anxious to get home Says that
he hears voices often speaking
to him but does not recollect
what they say Nor does he know
the melancholia but one of the
most prominent is a phrenalo-
gical Cont
21 Says that when in Edinburgh he
made of the nurses talked about
ruling quarantine but he did
not understand the matter
well & does not know
whether he rode quarantine
Takes his food well Bowels
costy Cont

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Feby 27 Much the same in all respects
quiet peaceable & works tolerably industriously Bodily
health rather improving
cont

March 27 Little change of any consequence appreciable Asserts
in the Gallery & sometimes in
the grounds Bodily health
tolerable cont

April 24 Conducting himself very
well & quietly excepting
very occasionally in the
Gallery very anxious
to get home but still
owns that he was sent
back from Edinburgh
by a voice Bodily health
tolerable & good cont

May 24 Much the same in all respects
Bodily health good Coherent
humbly quietly & rational
Occasionally questions relevantly
but there is still a belief
that voices warned him
to leave Edinburgh cont
on

June 24 Much the same in all respects
quiet & industrious & obliging
talks rationally on ordinary
subjects but has still some
notion of being watched out
of Edinburgh Health good
cont on

July 24 Conducts himself very well
in all respects Bodily health
good Assists in the Gallery
cont

Augt 24 Of late his imagination has
become much more prominently
affected He imagines that
his former employer Mr Napier
blames him with some instrument
he calls a "gun" by which he
tears his heart lungs &c
& even blames the latter for
events Getting a pill at night
to regulate his bowels cont

Sept 24 Much the same as at last report
Delusions the same but either they
are less minded or he is getting
more accustomed to them for he
does not complain so loudly of
them cont

Oct 24 No improvement says that
Napier has mesmerized plates
in his (patients) head cont

John Mason aged 40
Scotch F.

Brought to day from Dalkeith under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal. Could give no particulars. Was in this House about a year & dismissed as relieved on the 5th of last month. See Reel 10 Page 174 & Reel 13 Page 99.

Feby 17 G.Q. Very quiet on admission & taken direct ment at once to the gallery he was in when dismissed. Is considerable thinner than when he left. Visage of moderate. Frequently Tongue moist. Breath offensive. Says his bowels were not opened yesterday. Scalp cool but says he is much troubled with giddiness. Says he is annoyed at night by the sound of people's voices & the noise of carts. Does not hear these except in the dark often smells Phyric. The smell is a strong Phyric but the kind he does not know. Before he came to the asylum formerly heard reports of people going to poison him but now says they were merely reports & he does not know who told him. However has felt his food bad tasted. Does not think anyone in the asylum attempts to poison him but thinks that the breath of persons outside may have been injurious to him. Vide attested Xd. Dum at unam omnia notæ

Endem die. Further examined when he answered questions rationally & explained the mode in which he was brought here. States that he was sitting out of the house that his Father came from Fife to visit him & was examining (his Father is dead) & that his father was formerly employed about the Meat Market but now did different things principally about meat. That he himself had been employed by a man in Bell Street Market & his mind is very weak though his health is fair. It was explained to him that he

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would see the Sheriff on Tuesday & have an opportunity of stating his case – the complaints of his having been brought back here for nothing – Ordinary diet & Regimen –

18 In all respects the same as yesterday. Cont. comma

19 Examined to day respecting his father – Declares that he is not dead – that when he went home he came & seen him one night & brought a letter to see – He is an old Irish man, gray hair wears an olive kind of surtout He was obliged to go back the next morning to Hope as he had fallen [illegible] there No change. Cont. ungrateful Reads his Bible almost constantly & says that it not only keeps him from cursing & swearing himself but prevents him from being inflected tainted or made to participate in the cursing & swearing of others Would meet with a little persuasion get up & danced before all the patients in the sitting room Says that his father slept along with him that night that he came to see him. He is so circumstantial about the whole matter that it seems probable that he has mistaken some person for his father Breath & [illegible] Cont [illegible] R Ri Jusii anchovies fiiss ℥ss ℔ii Zinc tannogromi ℥ij Acidi sulph dilute ℥i ss Liquor ℥ij ℥ij Aqua ℥vi

22 Still quite exact circumstantial about the person he calls his father Gives the same reason as he did formerly for not reading the Bible Points out one memorial (Mc Phail) whom needs he has felt disagreeable after he had gone away, suggests the propriety of getting vinegar or some such thing to sprinkle the place with says he has often felt a smell coming from Glasgow to the asylum grounds

May 10 April 6 Must the same in all respects Cont No change of any consequence Must repeat today to insert in the next House Cont

May 16 No change of any consequence Employed in the next House Health tolerable Cont

George Sutton aet 40 Weaver
of Hamilton

Brought to day from Hamilton under a mandate of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Prosecutor for a Warrant says he has been for a long time insane & of late has become dangerous to the lives of small stature thin & pale tongue white pulse of moderate frequency
Feby 20 talks exceedingly incoherently wandering from subject to subject no apparent connection in his answers very often does not the slightest reference to the questions asked it seems a case of long standing dementia & no coherent story can be got from him takes his food well
21 talks in the same incoherent style no connected story can be got from him
Conf
23 The Attorney called talking of State Hospital patient became insane about 12 years ago He has been partially so for well as to go work at his trade for months at a time but from the distance between the Hospitals he is not certain if patient was ever quite recovered No relatives insane
24 No change of any importance Bodily health tolerably good takes his food well talks in the same incoherent manner Conf
28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health tolerable Tongue very much as before incoherent & nonsense talk Conf
March 3 Much the same in all respects talks much incoherent nonsense & seldom gives a relevant answer takes his food well Conf
18 No mental change Weather in the grounds tolerably clear Bodily health fair to good Conf
April 6 Much the same in all respects Works industriously Health good Conf

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May 16 Mind remain in the same weak confused state Talks very incoherently Works very industriously in the grounds Bodily health good Cont

June 16 Little change of any consequence Bodily health good Mind weak & confused Works industriously Cont

July 16 No change of any consequence Cont

Aug 16 No improvement Very incoherent Works assiduously Health tolerable Cont

Sept 16 In all respects as reported above Bodily health good Industrious & quiet but mind very confused Cont

Oct 16 In all respects as reported above Cont

Nov 16 No change of any consequence Works daily in the grounds when the weather permits Bodily health good Cont

Dec 16 No mental improvement Bodily health good Works assiduously Cont

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Jany 6 Had a feeling of sinking with distressing pain in stomach Took as follows R Rhei 3ss Vi Calomel gr xii Tinct Opii Tinct Capsici aa gtt xx misce and drank with a glass of brandy totally Has got on well since that time in bed

Feby 6 Bodily health tolerably good with the exception that he has a very somewhat troublesome cough Rx Ammoniatis 3ss Mistura Mucilaginosa 3vi Rumex 3ss ter quotidie

March 6 Cough not altogether gone but not so troublesome Works in the grounds Cont

April 6 Bodily health pretty good Mind weak and confused Cont

May 6 Works assiduously in the grounds Mind very weak Cont

June 1 No change of any consequence Cont

Lauder Wright Dec 4-4

Received today from the Old
Magdalen Asylum Edinburgh
Agnes Hyslop Farmer
a Dark Kicker in Edinburgh
Jail Thumb Thus a Turned Play
Book. Pulse weak says his
bowels are relaxed that
he has sailed his trousers
Schedule contains no particulars
Refuses to take any food
Feby 25 Refuses all food Asks if his
soiling his trousers that is
a detention & his bowels have
not yet been opened seems
tranquil but cannot be got
to say for what says is sure
by dies a mistake to send
Mrs Hyslop left tolerably
quietly last night at least
say's check R Allen Keeper
of Magdalen Asylum Edinburgh
Nurse Lamont Nord town
26 Today took his breakfast
porridge also some dinner & some
porridge for supper but to Doctor
no time Still much afraid
& says he is ashamed to tell
of what he is afraid
After much persuasion
stated that he had defrauded
General merchant when he
was in business
27 Continues to take some food
although not his full allowance
Still much afraid & when asked
to explain of what says he is
ashamed to say & what he
has done R Still afterwards
Lamont unam omnia nota
29 Takes some food but still
rather hurriedly Has still the
same frightened look & still
says he is ashamed to tell of what
he is afraid Tongue clean
Bowels acty Cont
March 2 Thought the same in all re-
spects as he belongs to
Edinburgh was removed
to day Discussed as

Relieved

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Ludlow Smith aet 30

Privy 1st Valley from Hewarton
Has been at least 3 times in
the Asylum before Lee
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Feby 28 No schedule seen Was tolerably
quiet on admission but as
on a former occasion when left
alone after admission he broke
a number of panes of glass he
was on the present occasion
committed to seclusion After
some time got excited struck
his urinal a blow the blanket
answers questions relevantly
conversed & takes his food
Pulse somewhat agitated Pulse
& moderate & strength & frequency
Bowels somewhat constipated
R Sol Potas Mxv ter die
Tartrates Potas et Sodae 3ij
Infusi Semnae 3ij Mixa fiant
Haust

29 Rather quieter today Very
anxious to be allowed his
clothes promising to be more
than Takes his food well
Bowels opened by the draught
R Pil Aloes et Asaf x H Haust unus
omni nocte Cont

March 2 Conducting himself quietly
Answers questions relevantly
Takes his food well asks
if he will get home on Saturday
as he is afraid of losing his
situation Bowels acted Cont

4 Quiet & out of seclusion Conduct
ing himself tolerably well
desirous to get home lest he
lose his situation Takes his
food well Cont one

6 Conducting himself quietly Ans
wers questions relevantly
Takes his food well Says
he was travelling was met
fatigued & took some whisky
which he supposes was
the cause of his going wrong
at this time Cont

8 Conducting himself well &
quietly in all respects
Answers questions relevantly
Takes his food well
Health & Bowels
Cont

10 Conducted Urine & Motions well
will have left for post Discharged
as

Cured see Page 40

Admitted Feby 27 1848

John Forbes aet 34 Married
Baron

Brought to today from 45 Main
Gaol Strut Preston Schedule
states that Twelve years ago
he was treated for insanity by
Dr Malcom at Bethlehem Hospital
an asylum Has been insane
on the present occasion at least
2 months No remote Previous
except Headache & a tendency
to flush No relatives insane
or nervous Got a severe fall
on the head 6 years ago Gradually
increasing subject to alcoholic
paroxysms of late Recently has become
desponding & refrains from food Copy
extracts from printed books
with abundant ejaculations Has often
threatened to murder his wife
& threaten her Not destructive
Has been treated with Tonics
purgatives

Feby 29 Quiet & cool & seems in
good health Cannot imagine
why he was brought Thinks
that they who took him there
must themselves have
lost their reason Tongue
white Pulse moderate
in strength & frequency R
Pl attend to all comments
omni nocte

March 2 When asked what reason he can
give for not working of late
replies You know well enough
& when still further pressed on
the subject says that there are
matters connected with the Married
life which require to be attended
to & declines further explanation
Takes his food well Cont

4 Conducting himself very quietly
Reads a good deal Still de-
clines explaining the reasons
which keep him from working
Takes his food well
Cont

6 Little change Reads much
Answers questions on ordinary
topics rationally enough but
still declines giving any ex-
planation as to the cause of
imputing his working Cont

11 No change of any importance
Conducts himself quietly Goes out
in the Gallery Reads Eats well
Cont

maker Admitted Feby 28th 1848

March 18 Must the same in all respects
must peaceable & quiet & in
the gallery Health good Takes
his food well Declines
giving any explanation
Cont'd

April 6 Must the same as reported
above still declines giving
any explanation as to certain
duties necessary & certain per-
iod must elapse
Takes his food well Cont'd

May 6 No change of any importance
Mostly Health Orderly good
but still retains the same
notions & is still as unwilling
to enter into any explanation
regarding them Cont'd

June 6 Conducting himself in all
respects well & quietly
assists in the galleries
Mostly Health & good
Cont'd

19 Continued to conduct
himself quietly & to mark
manifestly still declin-
ed to give any explanation
as to what he meant by
the duties connected with
married life Orderly
Health good At the
earnest request of his
wife discharged (cured)

Robert Grant Act 30
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Brought today from the Police office where he has been for three days Roving been noisy & obstreperous on the street No other history accompanies him an excessively fat little man looks as if he had drank hard & been confined for months but his health seems tolerably good

March 1 It seems that he was in the asylum formerly & discharged cured Bodily health good Quiet - asked answers questions tolerably pleasantly Rolls about X 11 dined at usual hour eats as others

2 Conducting himself very quietly Wanders from the subject of conversation occasionally seems heedless of what he is talking about unless he be strongly recalled to it Health good Cont

3 Quiet & civil but still rambles considerably in conversation Has not detailed any delusions since admission Bodily health pretty good Cont

7 Conducting himself very quietly in all respects Troubles no delusions but mind is evidently somewhat weak Takes his food well Health good Cont

10 Must the same Quiet and civil Has gone out to work in the grounds Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

14 Conducting himself very well At work in the garden is very industrious Bodily health good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

22 Must maintain but conducts himself very quietly & works industriously in the garden Bodily health good Cont

April 7 Employed in the garden Works industriously Bodily health good Must maintain but betrays no delusions Takes his food well Cont

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April 25 Conducting himself very well & working industriously as an assistant in the Gallery Little improvement since that he was sent out of Edenburgh to labour in open Health pretty good conduct

May 18 Got a severe beating from an Epileptic patient about three days ago complains of pain in his chest very anxious to get away sometimes requires to remark but on the stoppage of his allowance of tobacco recommences to get it again Health good Conduct

June 18 No change of any consequence Badly Health good Works in the garden Put allowance ably tasks put of laziness a days he is not well but by means of the tobacco is induced to begin again Conduct

July 19 Has some delusion of a Mr Wilson owing him some money Works steadily in the Garden General Health good Conduct

Augt 19 Much the same in all respects marks industriously in the garden Badly Health good Tolerably cleanly Conduct

Sept 19 Little or no change Still employed in the garden Badly Health good Conduct

Octr 19 No change of any consequence Badly Health good Works in the garden Conduct

Nov 19 Was kept in the House for three days in consequence of showing an inclination to run off Is again quietly at work as formerly Conduct

Dec 19 Much the same as at last report Works about the farmyard Conduct

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Janr 30 No change of any consequence Employed about the farm Steadily Health good Habits regular

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Daniel Cowan aet 29 Mines Est

Brought to Colney from Chesterton Cryptors hall & the Commissioners Schedule states that he has been insane three months no bodily disorder preceded attack Dull & cheerful by turns Has an inclination to injure himself no relatives insane Head never injured No amorous change in the disease Previously reserved Threatens self murder but has been restrained to others Was treated with Phlogistic remedies with good effect at first time

March 3 Talks in a rambling confused manner yesterday on admission while sitting in the reception room put one of his shoes on the fire Face flushed Eyes rather warm Eyes brilliant Pupils slightly contracted Tales not accelerated Tongue white appetite good

4 Has become very noisy & excited Knocking at the door of his room muttering laughing & dancing Face flushed

5 Still noisy & excited Face flushed Tongue white Bowels acted on but sparingly by the pills Treatment Mixture mitte 3 iv stat

7 Much quieter today is out of seclusion & dressed still wanders much in conversation Takes his food well Bowels is often asking for food Tongue white Bowels acted on Cont

10 Conducting himself tolerably quietly Very anxious to get home to work Mind wanders much Health good Takes his food well Cont

15 Continues to conduct himself very well Works diligently in the grounds & does not ramble so much in conversation Takes his food well Health excellent Cont

22 Continues to conduct himself very well Talks tolerably rationally on all ordinary subjects Works industriously Health good Cont

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April 6 Conducting himself in all respects well, Health good, Works most industriously, talks rationally, & shows no trace of insanity Cont

" 25 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well, Works industriously, talks rationally & may be considered convalescent Cont

May 13 Being in good health & free from all delusion discharged cured

Chas Rancey aet 18 Rose Hamm
Bethlemar P. D.

Brought today from Bethlemar Sterling Shire Under a Warrant of the Sheriff Granted at the Instance of the Grand Jury Charged with attempting wilful perjury Tale of them Clothes a person very dirty seems to have been kept in a destitute state Ordinary Quest of Reasoning Tolerably quick Mind. very weakly Cannot give any coherent account of himself except that he says he belongs to Aberdeen that his parents are dead that he was there for three months at rope spinning with one Henderson in Dundee Admits swearing but says he has to some Extent can give no reason why he did so

March 17

18 Answers questions with much reluctance & hesitation seems shrewd & sharp Showing no inclination to do anything he is shut Walks the Yard Mixes little in conversation with the other patients Reads Literate X11 Grammar man. Some note

20 Wanders to & fro in the gallery almost constantly with his arms clasped across his breast in a musing moody manner Takes his food well Some note

21 Little change Walks to & fro in the same manner Speaks with reluctance Takes his food well Cont

22 Very little change of any consequence Wanders about in the same solitary moody manner Takes his food well Cont

April 6 Much the same in all respects Dull morose taciturn & moody Sometimes does a little at work Takes his food well Cont

April 24 Little or no change Dull taciturn & unsocial Speaks to no one & answers with the utmost reluctance Takes his food well Cont

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May 18 Dull must the same Dull stupid & taciturn Walks much to & fro in a moody manner Badly health tolerably good Takes his food & sleep Dull hurtful habits neither thin corpt Taking a large exercise

June 18 Little change of any consequence Dull moody and taciturn Takes his food Sleeps his bed accustomedly corpt com

July 19 Much the same in all respects Badly health tolerable Dull moody & taciturn Takes his food & well Not employed

Aug 19 Not improving Dull & listless moody & melancholy scarcely ever speaks at meals Takes his food well Commences corpt

Sept 19 Much the same in all respects Dull stupid & taciturn Takes his food well Sleeps his bed at night corpt

Oct 19 Little change of any consequence Dull & taciturn Wanders to & fro in a moody manner & sits for hours shut out moving & seldom speaks & can scarcely be got to answer yes or no Takes his food well corpt

Nov 19 No change of any consequence Takes his food well Dull & Excited Keeps the bed Constantly destructive corpt

Dec 19 Dull & stupid Never speaks unless spoken to & then only answers at best with a monosyllable Takes his food well corpt

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Feby 1 Much the same in all respects Bowels regular corpt

March 1 Little or no change appreciable Health good corpt

April 1 No change of any consequence at work in the grounds corpt

May 1 No change appreciable corpt com

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Jas Kemmel aet 28 Weaver
Kirkintilloch Parish
Brought today from Dumbarton Jail where he has been confined for a fortnight
Mar 17 past proceeded against by the Fiscal in consequence of having given a Justal a threatening to shoot himself
Was examined by the Sheriff of Dumbartonshire & sent there under his warrant
seems in tolerable health but dirty & cannot give any coherent account of himself
Mar 18 Health seems pretty good but mind weak Can give no coherent account of himself answers questions carelessly & apparently at random Takes his food pretty well N.B. All after at 12 dinnat unam omni nocte
20 Conducting himself quietly answers questions tolerably relevantly but carelessly Bodily health good Keeps his bed clean & himself tolerably neat Cont
23 Conducting himself very quietly Says he has no duty except to work but being a weaver he is not fitted for heavy work Takes his food well Cont
26 Conducts himself quietly decently answers ordinary questions solemnly & makes allusion to the Fiscal's does not speak any delusions Health pretty good Cont
April 1 Now admits that he fired a Justal at his side & shows the mark exactly where they say it entered & left side of his chest says he did so in consequence of his friends discovering him that he had wandered from home a considerable time without any settled place of abode Works very industriously on the Kitchen Cont
25 Conducts himself somewhat absent when not actively engaged answers questions tolerably relevantly Bodily health good Cont

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May 22 Little change of any importance appreciable answers ordinary questions relevantly Declines working in the grounds, alleges that the work is too heavy for him Resorts in the gallery Dull & rather sluggish Health good Conduct good

June 20 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Resorts in the gallery Answers questions relevantly but is occasionally dull & rather lazy Conduct

July 21 Much the same Responded above Resorts ~~rarely~~ in the gallery General health pretty good Takes his food well &c

Augt 21 Answers ordinary questions quite correctly Dull & rather lazy Resorts in the gallery Health good Takes his food well Conduct

Sept 21 Much the same in all respects Answers questions relevantly & resorts in the gallery Health good Conduct

Octr 21 Resorts peaceable Resorts in the gallery very frequently Answers ordinary questions relevantly Makes no complaints Bowels regular Conduct good

Novr 21 Much the same in all respects resorts in the gallery Rather dull & lethargic but answers questions relevantly Conduct

Decr 24 Careless of his personal appearance seldom speaks unless spoken to Takes his food well resorts in the gallery Conduct

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Feby 1 Much the same in all respects seldom speaks Bodily health good Conduct good

March 1 Little change of any consequence Bodily health good resorts in the gallery Conduct

April 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Conduct

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John Simm Aet 27 Warner
a p p [illegible] Mass

Brought to today from N. C. Union
Street Charleston Dursley Schedule
states that he has been ill
about 10 days Never was in-
sane before Sudden disorder
preceded the attack Doubts
& melancholy previous to attack
Cause unknown Increasing
Has not attempted murder
but tried to strangle his
wife Not destructive
Never in an asylum

March 21 Very much excited on all
occasion came round hands & feet
Repeats almost constantly "Critic
Fathers" Has to be kept in seclu-
sion & when the door is opened
seeming by fear terror makes
most desperate attempts to
get out Bites very hard
but will on no account put
out his tongue Deeply depressed
dilated Pulse at 120 Temp Normal
Mgri 3ij Chloral Antim Capella

22 No improvement State as
excited still repeat "Critic
Fathers" Takes but little food
& spills most of the porter given
& attempted to be given him
R Mistura Camph 3iij
Tinct Camph Comp 3ij
Tinct Hyos 3ij Spiritus
Aether Nit 3ij Spiritus Chlo-
roformi ℥ xl Tinct Mur
Morphiae ℥ xl M Ft Mistura
3ij ter die & Bibat Jusculi Bovini
24 Much & quieter to day Says
he is very much Is undoubtedly
considerably exhausted Slept
a little last night Took his
breakfast well this morning
Coat Cerevisiae Londinensis
et Jusculum Bovinum

26 Quite quiet & rational Dressed &
talks & conducts himself correctly
says he supposed himself
in the Bastile that & that he
had a mission to preach &
criticise the deeds of men
Can give no reason or assign
any cause for this turning more
to them mark & exhausted
Ordered Steak & Porter

April 1 Continues to conduct himself
in all respects well
Improving in strength but
is still often a mark
Coat

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April 5 Continues convalescent & is improving in flesh but has a somewhat annoying cough Has a cough ointment Pleurisehell Court

12 Being on board healthy free from delusion Cough being now all but gone Discharged as

Cured

John Smith Aet 24 Farm Servant
John Melia Farmer

Brought today from Bodmin
Gaol Pathetic parish where
he has been for sometime em-
ployed as a farm servant
It appears he has been insane
for the last 3 days but no
history of himself of any
account of his relations can
be got very maniacal on
admission brought down
hand & foot struggling &
raving incoherently shut
to seclusion

March 22 very noisy & incoherent
singing & shouting
Does not attempt to take
notice says he was sent
here because he has gone
mad Does not seem to
sleep any Takes food
regularly

23 Bowels freely opened but
excitement does not seem any-
way abated Takes his food
pretty well Does not
seem to sleep any R
Pulv Comp ℞ ij Directs
bath Retires Directs his
Restraint as ℞ ij Sumat dal
mediately Mor ℞ ij Mistur
camph ℞ iv Nocte Sumat ℞ ij
statim

25 Still noisy & incoherent & full
of mock mimic & analogous gestures
but is on the whole quieter
Takes his food well Cubes
as to the cleanliness or order
of his apartment Stout
& active Cont

27 Employed today at dressing
the yard during grounds
but still noisy incoherent
& restless Asked the medical
officer if he had been changed
last Sunday & such like absurd
suggestions Cont

April 1 Continues to be employed at
dressing but is very unsettled
& incoherent & still only the
dread of being sent to seclusion
Just keeps him at work at
the same time curses & swears
he will not work Cont

4 Last night while employed
in the garden made his escape
& went to a farm house near
to where his employer lives

Admitted March 21st 1848

Was traced by Bore sent in pursuit of him & brought back
Mind very considerably impaired
but is still somewhat
sensible & unsettled Cont
10 Has wrought tolerably well
since his escape but is still
somewhat unsteady answers
questions relevantly Badly
Health good Taking exercise
as

Garrett
Blennerhassett

Patrick McLaverty Act 34
Adm McLaverty 218 Cormongate Edin Lunatic
Brought to Asylum from Glasgow
Prison 2 months no particulars
Came to the asylum under the
impression that he came only
to meet the house Sale Skinner
a rather dotty Sulks readily
says he is a Tailor & was formerly
a Hawker Value 8s
of ordinary strength
March 26 Much troubled last evening
when he found his friends
had left him & he was
confined here answers
questions relevantly Tongue
rather foul at base R
& L Abdt & Int normal
27 Conducts himself tolerably quietly
but is very anxious to get
home Thinks that he is
likely to succeed in business
& Income very much takes
his food well Cont
29 Much the same very anxious
to get home Works a little
in the grounds but is not
very strong Cont
30 Removed to Ireland Today by
his friends / Discharged
as cured

Released

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Tudor Admitted March 25th 1848

Jas Cullender Act
Dismissed

Brought today from Stirling Jail under a warrant of the Sheriff Granted at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal In the warrant he is Charged with having Stones attached & threatened to kill his Wife & also threatening himself offering to fight & threatening to kill other persons & wandering about the country in an insane state for the last few weeks Brought to the asylum shaved & put to bed but was tolerably quiet & sat to dinner like [illegible] ground & few minutes after his admission Bodily health seems tolerably good Takes his food well

March 28 Working quietly & steadily at dressing Denies that he struck a poker to his wife or threatened to kill her says that she corrected the children unnecessarily & severely & he interfered And as to the other persons they threatened to destroy him which was the cause of his retaliating Cont

29 Continues to work well & quietly Health apparently pretty good Tongue rather whitish at base Bowels acted once Urine normal Cont

April 1 Works steadily & industriously says he is aware that his mind was not sound

4 Continues to conduct himself very well Works steadily & very industriously Employed at present dressing the stones during recreation Cont

11 Conducts himself well & working industriously Bodily health good answers questions pleasantly & exhibits no delusions Cont

26 Continues to conduct himself well & quietly & industriously expresses himself very grateful for his recovery Health good Cont

May 23 Very religiously inclined & walking quietly the bible in his hand Health good

2 Chamber Admitted March 27th 1848

June 23 Works industriously & conducts himself peaceably but is somewhat deaf & religious reading his Bible & religious books when ever he can get an opportunity cont

July 22 Is on the whole more reserved to work days much talks very incoherently says that his name is McCall that he has had a call from God & all his conversation at present runs upon this subject cont

Aug 22 Got so excited that he had to be sent to seclusion for a few days calmed down to his usual state & is now quietly at work still very religious reading probably & whenever he gets the opportunity Get on alternate Sabbaths accompanied to keep his bowels regular cont

Sept 22 Still very religious prays & reads the Bible much but is tolerably quiet Takes his food well & Works industriously cont

Oct 22 Little change of any consequence Readily Health good cont

Nov 21 Mind still much astray but is tolerably quiet to Works when the weather permits Takes his food well Still religiously inclined & says he has had a call from God cont

Dec 21 No change of any consequence Must be given to read his Bible Mind very much disturbed Health tolerable cont

1849
Jany 21 Last night at 10 was observed vomiting & cramped Said he had been ill all day but was unwilling to speak Discovered in a pair of blankets wringing out of hot water & warm tins placed around him Soon darkened Get gr x add opm 9 i was the prescription shortly employed but in attempt to get on the pills stimulants useless Creasote checked the vomiting but Pat did not learn of any benefit at 10 p m

Died

Alex' Bell act 26

of H

Brown Att today from Gladstone Wheeler gives no particulars of case was in the asylum last year seems Lang 28 title Act 12 see book 12 page 10 Appears very stupid and answers questions with much difficulty & hesitation

April 2 Very stupid Answers with much difficulty & hesitation & often mistakes the point of Qs very confused & unable distinguish actual events His memory too seems much impaired Brown a stout generally coal Pt is Dr & said that he had admitted a short time ago he himself however says it was before his first confinement here R Pd Altered & ill himself was omni noctis gratia put

3 Dull, slow & stupid Slow of comprehension & slow of speech Badly shaven seems tolerably good Leers quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well Cont

5 Much the same in all respects Dull stupid & slow of comprehension Takes his food well Bowels costy Cont

9 Little or no change quiet slow manner & dull Takes his food pretty well Bowels costy Cont

12 Shaken & stupid Works in the grounds a little occasionally Takes his food well Difficulty of articulation continues Bowels costy Cont

16 Conducting himself tolerably quietly Assists in the garden & grounds Takes his food well Cont on

May 13 Quiet & peaceable & industrious seldom speaks Takes his food well Cont

June 15 Much the same in all respects Dull & rather stupid but works quietly & mends knives daily Cont on

July 15 Continues much the same in all respects Readily shaves tolerably good

Admitted April 1 1845

July 21 It appears that when the medical Gentleman called on him previous to his being sent here for the purpose of being enabled to certify as to his insanity that the patient urged a strong resistance at the Door when coming into the room pushed the door close to keep out the patient who used all his efforts to push open the door sometimes when he partially succeeded he put in his arm & attacked at the doctor who at length managed to overturn him & escape

Augt 21 Conducts himself quietly and works industriously Talks very little Health tolerably good Takes his food well Cont

Septr 21 Much the same in all respects Talks but little is intelligent & retired Works industriously Takes his food well & conducts himself quietly Cont

Octr 21 No change of any consequence since last report Dull & taciturn Keeps himself much alone Walks occasionally in the grounds Cont

Novr 21 Works in the wash house Rather dull & very quiet Answers ordinary questions tolerably well Appears to be dejected Takes his food well Cont

Decr 24 Much the same in all respects Quiet & alone Takes his food well Cont

1846

Jany 1 Employed in wash house Cont

March 1 Agams returns at night from the wash house Bodily health good Quiet & dull seldom speaks unless spoken to Cont

April 1 No change of any importance Bodily health good Cont

May 1 Still employed in the wash house Cont

June 1 No change of any consequence Cont

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Archd Macmillan aet 21

"matter"

Brought today from Comrs
Office Schedule and
no particulars merely stating
that he was in the Asylum
formerly: which he was from
the 8th April 1846 to August
1846 & till 4th Augt 1847 by Le
Mal 10 page 213 Was discharged
recovered as relieved Insane in
April 8 Goal Validity Health. Says
he is still annoyed
as formerly by persons
talking to him & mutter
continues to be so as long as
he remain under the spell
with which he is bound at
present & thus he is likely
to be for at least 12 months
yet Whether will then
be acknowledged as the
rightful Heir of the Argyle
Estates he declines saying
at present Health Goal
Takes his food well. Con
10 Has the same delusions / Validity
Health seemingly getting
Goal Takes his food well
days he brought at his
trial in consideration for
3 months but the people
began to talk to him Cont
12 No change of any importance
at present quiet & says no-
thing against his confinement
but probably ere long he will
take up the notion that some
one is bewitching him as he
calls it Health Goal Cont
14 Little change of any conse-
quence says he will not
use torture as the women
wont let him & keep him
under a spell Health
Goal Cont
20 Has been talking very loudly
& using persons whom he ima-
gines have by some supernatural means the power &
inclination to injure him
answers ordinary questions
relevantly & very careful of his
dress & personal appearance
Health Goal Cont
May 3 Rather quieter for the last two
or three days Bodily Health
Goal Delusions as to his
being Spellbound continue Cont

Admitted April 7th 1848

May 29 Was sent to seclusion for several days in consequence of striking a fellow patient who he imagined by some mysterious means had done him injury Now is sent to sleep in a room by himself Bodily health good Cont

June 29 Has of late been allowed to sleep in the open gallery for want of accommodation elsewhere he promising not to strike anyone Has kept himself tolerably quiet but will not mark the saying it is to grant an indignity for a Pauper patient now to take a spade in his hand Cont

July 29 Has been out doing a little work at intervals on the grounds & assists industriously in the gallery Has to be sent to sleep in seclusion again in consequence of again imagining that people were mocking him & enjoying him Health good Cont

Aug 29 Little change of any consequence Delusions the same Sleeps in seclusion Health good

Sept 28 Delusions continue as reported above Went to have some conversation but gave over considering it derogatory to the dignity of the heir of Argyle to do such work Cont

Oct 28 Much the same in all respect Bodily health good Cont

Nov 27 Little change of any consequence Still sleeps in seclusion Has the same delusions Bodily health good Cont

Dec 27 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Cont

1849
Feby 1 Delusions continue as before Health good Cont

March 1 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Prefers to sleep in the gallery as there no one annoys him Cont

April 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

May 1 Much the same in all respects &c

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John Houlston act 45 takes
Bonnell
Brought to day from Atlantic
anderson Schuylkill County
that was taken in the old
asylum first 20 years ago
& last 7 years since Has
been for the last 8 months
in a melancholy state
but during the last 8 days
has become much worse
excited Was always in-
clined to melancholy & of a
mild character Mother of
his relatives insane Head
never injured Disease getting
worse Afraid of the
terrors of Bell Never
threatened suicide or violence
not destructive First
time he was in the asylum
8 months & the second time
6 Both times cured
Has dark hair beard whiskers
& blue eyes" Looks as if
he would scarcely survive
a day Emaciated Eyes hollow
& dull Pulse very feeble
Will not open his mouth
but his teeth & lips are coven-
ed with sordes Has a nervous
& apprehensive appearance Takes
beef tea & cordials & warming
drinks put round him to get
him made warm in bed
April 9 The attendant says he gets out
to the yard by forcing his
way on his hands & knees
nor moves Pulse very feeble
10 Has to be forced to take his
food Has taken two pints
resembling oatmeal & milk
-ture Mouth covered with
a clammy perspiration
In making his lips move
quickly but not his
jaws Pulse feeble Had
an injection yesterday brought
away a small quantity
of faeces It Pil Cathart
& Nitrate ammon Mist Acetat
12 continues much the same
sometimes raves in an incoherent
manner & even sings & contorts
his face & lips but is too feeble
to get out of bed Takes his
food in the rather less forc-
ing diet & readily beef tea
& bread & beef & milk

Hunter Admitted April 8th 1848

April 14 Does not improve any His
memory is shuffling a sort of mutter
with contorting of the muscles
of the face he being too weak
for much exertion Takes
little except beef tea & tallow
18 Just the same in all respects
Very emaciated & feeble
Takes no sustenance but fluids
such as beef tea tallow
& occasionally a little farinaceous
very dark his head passing
sugar nothing unusual he lies
constantly
22 Little or no change constantly
confined to bed usually lies
on his back which with his
passing all in bed makes it
difficult to prevent bedsores
Takes little food & that only
of the kind mentioned above
Const
May 1 Much the same in all respects
Takes perhaps a little more food
but still of a liquid character
such as some beef tea milk
&c Pulse very weak Skin
over sacrum getting considerably
fretted little passes all
in bed takes more distinctly
for drink when he wishes it
Const
12 Has improved since last
report Taking a little solid
food now speaks more
readily pulse stronger and
fuller Countenance improved
Some twitching muscles are getting
contracted from the habit
of lying constantly in one
position Const
24 Much the same Tries to sit
up got a little exercise but
was too weak to get out
of bed Takes only soft
food Mind again desponding
Asks people to pray for
him Const
June 6 Getting more emaciated & weak
Takes nothing but cordials & liquids
13 Getting very weak & emaciated
Is taking less nourishment Pass
es all in bed & is getting bedsores
16 Continued to get weaker & more
emaciated This morning when
removed to have his bed shifted
& himself cleaned at 8½ A M

Dill

Jas Murphy aet 40
Govan

Brought today from the Police Office Govan's having been there for a day or two. Not delusional. Gives no particulars. Has a miserable appearance. Is utterly a trembling wreck. Brought handcuffed having been very noisy & violent in the office. Eyes sallow. Pulse feeble. Has the appearance of a case of delirium tremens. Is now a tall man. Could not sleep in seclusion.

April 9 Says he has been annoyed during the night with devils. Still considerable muscular tremor. Takes some food. Pulse better today. R.P.L. altered. Urine not yet passed. Bowels communicate. Eyes not yet [illegible]

10 Much better today. Quiet & sensible. Takes his food well & talks rationally. Says he comes from Cork & has only been a few days in Glasgow. Coat

12 Not working today but still occasionally a little unsteady & had subsequently to be put in seclusion last night. Nonsense on the whole talk rational. Says that he is a plasterer & that he came over from his native place Cork to Paisley to purchase shawls & that he was robbed of all his money & part of the drink & part of the loss there upset him & at his mind. Takes his food well. Coat

14 Conducting himself very quietly & works industriously. Reading. Rest of the time tolerably good. Says he is pale & they seem to have suffered both in body & mind from his late excesses & excitement. Takes his food well. Coat

18 Very quiet & industrious and industrious. Takes his food well. Normal regular. Answers questions rationally. Coat

admitted April 8th 1848

April 25 Conducting himself in all respects well Healthy Health good Working on the Grounds Many times considered convalescent

May 8 Has continued to conduct himself in all respects well Good Parish authorities Recommend him today Intending to transmit him to Cork His nature Place Discharged Cured

John Gillies aet 36 Labr
Fatal

Brought to this enemy from the Palace of the Glasgow under the warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the procurator fiscal Has been an inmate of this asylum several times (see Book 12 40) Is many a enclined to pray a sing Psalms In fatal epileptic & bodily condition To be removed to seclusion

11 Pulse of moderate frequency Tongue foul Pupils some what dilated Raves much about religious & talks as if he were very holy & had communicate communication with the angels & spirits

12 Still noisy & raves incoherently sometimes he is Christ sometimes the Father & rambles incoherently from one point to another Thinks his head well &
All about X11 Remarks omitted

14 Considerably quieter today but still very religious Was visited examined by the Sheriff & sent home Sang psalms Prayed in the Salutation Conduct

16 Tolerably quiet & at work in the grounds Returns his religious delusions whenever & he reads the Bible much prays & sometimes sings psalms Conduct

22 Working occasionally but is more inclined to read the Bible & indulge in religious exercises Bodily health good Conduct Good

May 12 Still much more inclined to read the Bible & talks on religious subjects to those who will listen to them to work Bodily health good Conduct

June 12 Not much change Still too religious & chooses to read his Bible rather than work Assists in the garden Whenever Health good Conduct

Admittd April 16th 1848

July 12 Much the same in all respects
Works in the gallery but
has still the same notions
of his own righteousness and
powers with God some disputes
between the females trouble
for his maintainance has caused
his removal to the Isle
of Skye Dismissed
as

Believed

Robert Simpson Adm 4 Oct 1875
Confirmation by Coun. Dr Norburn Rep.

Brought today from Wetherby to Leeds Asylum stated that he had had two or three attacks previously. Last time about two or three years ago. Present attack began 6 weeks ago & is gradually increasing. No moral cause ascribed. The attack was preceded by a melancholy disposition. Deserted & supposed to be murdered. Head not known to be injured. Cause unknown. Talks nonsense restless & runs about some days goes into the Church to preach. Has not the natural mildness to himself or others & is but little destructive. No treatment. Never in an asylum.

April 14 Very restless & very incoherent wanders & about the room shuts about his arms & is making incoherent expressions. Troubled with ophthalmia tarsi. Very thin R Fol alterat. ℞ Ammonii nitratis ℈ ss Aquæ purae ℥ viii ter quotidie sumend.

15 Much the same. Very restless & incoherent. Takes his food well but is thin. R Morphiæ Hydrochlor. ℈ i Aquæ ℥ i Misce. Ammoniae ℈ ss ℞ viii Aquæ purae ℥ viii ter quotidie sumend.

16 Little change. Noisy & furious & incoherent but does not strike or destroy. Takes his food well. Appetite & bowels

22 Much the same in all respects. Bodily health good. Refuses nothing. Takes his food well. Still restless & noisy & incoherent. Cont.

May 12 Rather improved of late. No remedy to notify & unsettled but mind is little. Very weak. Takes his food well. Cont.

June 1 Has been more destructive to his clothes of late & otherwise not improved. Takes his food well but is thin. Bowels regular. Has a tour[illegible]

Lab[r] Admitted April 13th 1848

June 24 Much the same thus put filthy unsettled & destructive to his clothes Loosens flesh & strength Takes his food & extras well Gets thicks porter & a tonic mixture Con[t]

July 24 Continues restless filthy & destructive & seems shaking under the continued action of his excitement He is getting very thin & haggard Takes his food well Gets Con[t] on

Aug[t] 1 Had a fit of sinking yesterday so as to require to be sent to bed but is to day better & taking his food but still restless & destructive What can be done in case

2 Last night went to bed & took his food as heartily last night When the attendant last saw him at night no change was observed but in the morning he was found cold & dead in bed Probably a fit of sinking similar to the one he had two days ago was the cause why he

Died

Wm Adamson Oct 18 by Parsons

Brought today from Lancashire. Schedule states that he never was away before. Ill 7 weeks precluded by pneumonia. When depression was great amiable, jovial, unfeigned. Head never unpicked at first must be despatched that quantity exhaled increased. Imagines he hears voices which he supposes to proceed from watches. Attempted to shoot his father but never suicide. No treatment

April 14 never in an adjoining restless & raving out of bed anxious to get out of his room talks of communications from the Almighty, directs the medical officer to go to a certain place & it will where he would receive these communications Pupils must be dilated pulse 80 Tongue foul R Tel Alternate II Diet

16 Rather more quiet today pills did not operate. Ord had a dose of castor oil which brought away a copious bilious stool Complains of pain, hears voices in his head, wishes to get to Dr Maxwell to get rid of them R Tel Alternate XII Diet urine pro re nata

18 Yesterday was allowed to walk about the airing court but got to fighting & blackened the eyes of a patient. Is quieter today says he has done wrong & will not do so again Takes his food well bowels acted Cont

21 Restless & wanders about seemingly without object & evidently imagines he sees & hears persons where none are Rather taciturn & answers in a confused manner says he has done wrong & kneels down & prays Takes his food pretty well Cont

Spaur admitted April 13th 1848

April 25 Wanders about in a somewhat listless solitary dissipated manner Holding no communication with his fellow patients Depressed countenance Takes his food tolerably well R Infusion Cinchonae ℥ℓ/ℓ Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi Sulphurici ℥ij Misce Augment ℥ij his melancholy somewhat improved of late answering questions rationally & cheerfully Takes his food better & is not quite so careless of his personal cleanliness Will be treated at marking in the ground Court

May 17 Very much improved Talks rationally & works industriously Says it was during a fit of insanity that he imagined that he was the Messiah from which he has just recovered Health good Court

June 24 Occasionally troubled with a little dejectedness of spirits & thinks he is long of getting his liberty marks industriously Last evening was one of a number of quiet patients who went to a ball on the female side Seemed to enjoy it much Court

July 22 Conducting himself in all respects well Talks quite rational by Works and Attends by Bowling Health good Court

Has continued to conduct himself in all respects well Remains in good bodily health & free from all delusions dismissed as

Cured

Ward Thomson Act 13
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Brought today from the Town Hospital where he has been confined for some time but being very filthy in his habits he is to keep here

June 14 As a very dynamometric pale sickly looking child very filthy smiling his head & clothes Bowels very much relaxed Answers questions on the whole tolerably reasonably but appears much childishly than his years ought to Medicine R Mist Gentian Comp ℥ij Tinct Catechu ℥ij Tinct Opii ℥ij Mucilage ℥j ter indies

15 Bowels still very relaxed & he soils his bed & clothes Urines much as usual Answers questions tolerably Is prone to rise & milk out the last & spits Harden ℥1 C under

16 Bowels still continue very relaxed Tongue large red & darker red Appetite keen Cont

19 Appetite keen Bowels still relaxed but rather less so than at admission & is not quite so dirty in his habits says his father & mother are dead Does not seem to have any delusions or any way more insane than a somewhat weak minded child Neglected child must be expected to be & except to find that he cannot see to read large type Cont

22 Without trouble & Appetite keen but micturates pretty passes through him almost unaltered Tongue large coated red Has milk out of bottle & tastily Bethat Decoct Hae. matoxyl ℥j ter indies

25 His father who called to see him stated that he is 18 years old & that he has been subject to Epilepsy for the last 7 years & sometimes takes as many as 12 fits a day This must not been ascertained since his admission Cont

May

June

July

Aug

Sept

Admitted April 14th 1848

May 2 Not much improvement diarrhoea continuing use Alt but little assistance Bowels often affected with Spasms & remains sometimes for hours in a rigid state R Sulph Zinci gr x ii Pulv catechu Zij Mucilag q s Mass Bendr in pilul xx x ii Summit unam ter indies

9 Has had several fits of late in them is more insensible than commonly with a tendency to catalepsy in the hands & feet Feet & hands become oedematous Pills renewed with a double quantity of Sulphate of Zinc R Liquor Potassae Zii Decoct Colombae Zvii Tinct Aurantii Zij Aquae Zii Mistura Cam Shake Zii Missa Summit Zij ter indies

24 Swelling of feet has rather abated but is still affected with diarrhoea When the weather is good is usually out to enjoy the air but is too weak to walk much

Cont

June 24 Has continued very well walking about daily No fits since last report Takes his food well keeps his bed clean & talks pretty well

Cont

July 22 Has B continued well & free from fits since last report Takes his food well

Cont

Aug 22 Continues remarkably well in all respects No fits no excitement Health good

Cont

Sept 22 Continues free from fits & seems excitement Very stout Takes his food well & assists in the gallery Cont

29 Removed today to the town's Hospital Remains in good health Health & free from delusions discharged as

Cured

Patrick McLeary Aet 35
4 H 10 C Saltmarket

Brought to Lodge from Salt
market & Street H Glasgow
Was here for some days last
month (see Page 24) & removed
by his wife with the avowed
intention of removing him
to Ireland but it appears
instead of so doing she al
lowed him to wander about
& he disappeared but after
a search of a week was
found in a field near
Strathaven
April 21 seems in a kind of bewildered
state for he came here with
his brother for some blankets
& he is waiting to get them
Is paid 2 thirs K til alterat
X 11 dimat unam omni nocte
et opus est R Infusi
Cinchon 3 X ℥ Tinct Aromat
℥ij Acidi Sulph dilut ℥j in
Aquæ ℥ij bis die
23 Much the same Still sup
poses that he is to receive
the blankets & wonders
why he is so long of
getting them Takes his
food tolerably well
Bowels of each Const
25 Much the same Has an
idea that he is soon to
become rich although he
cannot state very clearly
how Still expects the
blankets Const
May 2 Still has the idea that he
is soon to become immensely
rich & says he has a house
£1000 at home Mind
much in general Takes
his food tolerably well
but is rather thin Const
17 Little or no change Dull
& listless Lying on the ground
or in corners most of his time
sometimes makes passionate
attempts to get away & cries
when he finds he cannot
Takes his food tolerably
well but looks thin & pale
Const Tinct Cinchae Comp ℥ij ter die
June 17 Continues very stupid
suggests a fracture Lies on
the ground or in corners Takes
his food tolerably well Const

Taylor admitted April 20th 1848

July 17 No improvement indeed is becoming more & more stupid dull & sluggish This Smith to seems in a great measure to have left him Takes his food well however cont

Augt 17 Much the same in all respects Dull & stupid sluggish & inactive Takes his food well Cont

Sept 17 Very dull & stupid lets all lies on on the ground & in corners sluggish & inactive Takes his food well however Cont

Oct 17 Much the same in all respects Readily removed but very inadvertent Takes his food pretty well however Constantly gives a relevant answer to the simplest question Cont

Nov 6 Getting more & more stupid loses his hat & pull his food upon his clothes when feeding Can scarcely answer the simplest question Bowels easy Getting a tonic mixture regularly Cont

Dec 16 No improvement in any respect Takes his food well sometimes keep his head dry Cont

1849
Jany 27 Much the same in all respects Dull stupid & filthy Takes his food well Cont

March 1 Getting stupid and filthy that it was necessary to send him to a filthy gallery Mind very weak Cont

20 Daily declining that is to say getting more stupid and filthy Appetite still good Gets emulsion of cinchona porter and steaks but is losing flesh Bowels easy

April 2 Had an apoplectic seizure last night Had a suppurating enemia and head blistered Lies in an insensible state with convulsive movements of right upper extremity

4 Has had occasional exacerbations of the clonic spastic movements & occasional intermissions Swallows nothing but beef tea & toddy Cont

Barony 64 Lanarkshire Port Dundas

Brought today from Port Dundas Was in this Asylum for 2 years & removed at the earnest intreaty of his mother last week She says he was right for two or three days pretty well but then fell back since yesterday as he had no means of inducing him to work or supporting him if he did not work She had him sent here again

April 22 Bodily health excellent Cleanly & tidy Careless & slovenly Appetite voracious as formerly

24 Quiets in the gallery Careless & slovenly Appetite voracious Especially for tobacco Health excellent Mind unchanged Conduct

May 1 Works in the grounds and assists in the gallery Careless of his clothes & person Appearance Bodily health excellent Appetite voracious Conduct

15 No change of any consequence Untidy careless & destructive to his clothes Appetite voracious Bodily health excellent Conduct

June 1 No change of any consequence Appreciable Bodily health good Conduct

July 1 Much the same in all respects From his careless & reckless habits very destructive to his clothes Works very industriously but requires strict surveillance Bodily health good Conduct

Aug 1 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Mind much the same Conduct

16 This morning the usual messengers of one of the farms ground looks again effected his escape His clothes were marked with "Glasgow Asylum" but he changed them & took with him other portions which he left

Escaped

Admitted April 20th 1848

Patrick McLaney from page 34

1848 April 6 still lies in the same insensible state swallowing the fluids put into his mouth. Convulsive movements continue sometimes extending over the whole body. Bowels slow. Urinal pel. Rachal Cal. crat

8 seems to be getting much weaker and swallows his toddy with difficulty. Bowels opened by the pill. Cont. om

9 continued to sink after a considerable time before his death the convulsions left him at 3 p.m.

Died

David Scott act 53

June

Brought today from Gorhal
Police office where he has
been confined for three
days Came after ten o'clock
p m & went immediately
to bed

April 21 Eyes are blackened &
he admits that he had been
taking some whiskey Has
been a Soldier & has lost a
part of right thumb and
has a pension Answers
questions tolerably rational
although a little rambling &
seems in tolerably good health
Pulse of moderate
strength & frequency Scalp
coal

July

23 Talks rather rambling & in
connected Seems in passable
health Pulse of moderate
strength & frequency Scalp
coal Tongue white Takes
his food well R Pl altered
X II Lunat unam omne

Aug

Leg

note Cont

24 Says he has no recollection
how & he got here &
supposes it to be about
a month since he came
to out working in the
grounds Is still some
what confused & ram-
bling in his discourse
Appetite sleep & bowels
natural Cont

25 Still rambling in his discourse
& answers Works in the
grounds Restless at night
& has to sleep in seclusion
with his bed on the floor
as he is apt to explode the
bed stead Takes his food
well Cont

May 2 Improving but still rather
delusionary & diffuse in his
discourse Converses about
his pension which he says
will be due in a day or two
Works in the grounds Health
tolerable Cont

16 Rather more unsettled & restless
so that none of the attendants
will take to work Takes his
food well Bowels regular
Retires quietly but I find in
his bed clothes Cer

Admitted April 20th 1848

June 1 Not much change since last report Destructive to his clothes Rambling & incoherent in discourse Has not been much at work since last report Takes his food well Cont

25 No improvement sometimes works a little but is too unsettled & stupid to be useful in anyway Takes his food well Cont

July 22 No change of any consequence Mind very much confused Destructive to his clothes At present have seated them lest he destroy his sheets & stocking Takes his food well Cont

Aug 22 Little change of much importance Is perhaps less dirty & destructive but mind is still very much so Cont

Sept 19 Yesterday was seized & put to bed for much although he did not become insensible it was deemed necessary to send him to bed & this morning he is affected with hemiplegia of left side chiefly affecting arm He is able to walk & to move his leg & side of head does not seem much affected Is very stupid Bowels acted on pouring during the night Requires to be fed & swallows only liquids Rx Cerevisiae Londonensis ℥j ft Guaiaci Bonnæ ℥jss Aquæ Puræ ℥ii mores also called for Take 36

20 Swallows only liquids & refuses the gallop Is voluntarily picking at the bed clothes Left arm has become tonic & flexed Passes his urine without assistance Rx Tinct Aconiti ℥ii Liquoris Ammoniæ Acetatis ℥ss Aquæ Puræ ad ℥iss Misturæ Camphoræ ℥vi Misce Sumat ℥ss ter in die

22 On the whole improving Does not pick so much at the bed clothes Takes his food better & face has a better appearance

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Henry Braithwaite act 24 Weaver
Savory

Brought to Salary from Bridgeton Schedule States that he never was insane before, Malady began two months ago Mother a quiet when well. No bodily disease known, supposed to be derangement in some Malady seems increasing no determinations says he is much tempted by the devil to commit murder to go after women, to blaspheme God but prays and crosses himself to put aner come there & they still return Thinks he can never well finally get the better of satan Has never threatened violence to himself or others not destructive. No treatment Never in an asylum"

April 22 Conducts himself tolerably quietly says that he is tempted of the devil but prays to be relieved from mind says that he is a Roman Catholic crosses himself to get rid of temptation When he speaks there is a convulsive movement of eyebrows & of anterior portion of scalp

23 Talks little except when spoken to Answers tolerably freely & pertinently says that he is tempted to do many things but hopes to overcome the devil Rational & coherent in conversation

24 Eyes & movement rolling & fluttering scalp coal black Malevolent tongue tolerably clean & moist Delusions as above

28 Still much given to praying & crossing himself Answers well many questions tolerably relevant but still afraid of being tempted by the devil Eats his food well Conduct

May 2 Still praying & crossing himself much Has the same convulsive movements of the muscles of the face when he speaks Health good Conduct

single
Elizabeth
on fortune

Admitted April 21st 1848

May 18 Still prays much in corners crosses himself &c Refuses to employ himself Walks still the same contortions of his face when speaking Takes his food well Bowels costy Cont

June 18 Still much given to prayer answers in an unbecoming manner about his powers of understanding entirely his powers in consequence of his Insanity Looks Health good Cont

July 19 Walks tolerably industriously in the grounds but often on his knees praying in the grounds during church or wards Bodily health good Takes his food well Cont

Augt 19 Still prays much Works in the grounds Little improvement General health tolerable Cont

Sept 19 No improvement says he thinks Bishop Murdock is his father on being asked how he came to think so said it had been whispered to him Still given to prayer much even in the most unreasonable places such as when at digging ditching &c Cont

Oct 19 No change of any consequence since last report Still supposes himself the son of Bishop Murdock Works moderately & prays greatly Cont

Nov 19 Much the same in all respects complains that there is a fire in his inside & wishes something to quench it Health & habits regular Cont

Dec 19 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Delusions as above Works with the others Cont

1849
Feby 1 No change observes that he is the son of Bishop Murdock Cont

March 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

Wm Grant Act 70
Barony
Brought today from No 6
main Street Bridgeton
by Richd States that the
Patient was insane before
Decease has been ailearing
on for 2 years but last
the last four weeks has
been labouring under
strong excitement Labours
also under diabetes Has
four Children alive Eldest a
Male 39 Youngest a female
22 No relatives insane
The relatives generally are
intemperate & given to gambling
Cause getting neglected in circum-
stances Getting worse
Disconsolate & jealous Imag-
ines he is starved & plundered
by his wife & family
Has often to strike them
at night Not suicidal
Breaks dishes &c Head
blistered & strongly purged
Never in an asylum
April 26 Complains bitterly of his
friends abusing him by
sending him here a man
who never did any harm
in his life Tongue rather moist
Sent of ordinary frequency
Tongue white Takes his
food Pulse cool Ordinary
deat
27 Noisy restless is constantly
shifting his head about from
place to place denies that it
is he that does it Complains
much of his friends for sending
him here Takes his food
well Cont Rl alterat
& H Tongue unam omni vocte
28 Still restless & full of complaint
about being sent here & kept
here Anxious to get away &
is always expecting that
he is just about to get his
liberty Rather pale & lymph
atic Takes his food well
Bowels easy Passes a large
quantity of urine
May 5 Much the same in all respects
Abuses his friends says that
that there was nothing wrong
with his mind further than
that he had the fever Takes
his food well

Weaver Admitted April 25th 1848

May 17 Not much change Still talks in a half complaining half abusive manner of his relatives Takes his food well Answers ordinary questions tolerably reasonably Not destructive to keep in his respective Court

June 17 Much the same in all respects Bodily health much the same Always complaining & anxious to get home Mind wanders Takes his food well Court

July 12 Has become affected to a considerable extent with the acutes for this has had the following Epistaxis left Retinal Hy Acutus Catarrhus Catarrhal Pneumonia Cystitis Acquae Ascites commencing Hy Dimunt Epistaxis more Court

Aug 12 Much the same in all respects Bodily health rather improved Acutes being less Attainment as at last report

Sept 12 Little change of any consequence Still inclined to be dropsical & gets the abdomen distended along with the stone impression commonly employed in the house Court

Oct 12 Much the same as reported above somewhat despondent at being kept here & begs hard to be allowed to go home Court on

Nov 12 Talks a good deal in his sleep One of the patients who sleeps next him getting disturbed got up & gave him a beating Blackening one of his eyes Remains left side of chest No mental change Court

Dec 10 Little or no improvement in bodily or mental peculiarities & annoying in his applications to get home Still has a tendency to dropsy Gets the abdomen & tonic impression at intervals pouring out the steaks & porter Court

See page 41

Adm Miss Logan Act 33

Brought today from Glasgow Schedule gives no particulars & those who brought him know nothing of his history rather talkative & incoherent on admission Bodily health seems tolerably good

April 27 very talkative diffuse & minute as to circumstances says he is a profounder & is about to give a full history of his adventures & travels in such a manner that no one can want to hear the end of it & no persuasions will induce him to go on but in his own way Slight difficulty of articulation dull vocal tongue white coated Takes his food well R Pil alterat & Pil Lunat unam omni nocte

29 This mother was out calling today & stated that the patient had been very intemperate for the last 12 months & that she supposes to be the cause of his present malady which began to show itself fully 2 months ago at which period he went to Edinburgh & she knows but little of his proceedings since Seven years ago went for a master to England as a Methodist preaching missionary but it did not agree with his health & he came home

May 1 Still verbose & desultory in his discourse at the same time tiresomely minute upon trifles Takes his food well Bowels regular Still slight difficulty in articulating tongue

4 No change of any importance Talks much & in the same rambling verbose manner Difficulty of articulation little & somewhat less Phlegmatic R Infusi Cinchonae Jvjss Tinct Cinnamomi 3ij Potass Sulphatis 3ij M Sumat cyathum quartis horis

Admitted April 26th 1848

May 8	Talks much in a rambling incoherent manner Imagines himself very clever & jests for anything he meets in the gallery Takes his food well & sleeps well cont
13	Says his wife is about to be delivered of twins & wishes to get to see her Also expects to get wages for assisting in the gallery cont
21	Very anxious about the money (wages) which he says was to be paid him for assisting as an attendant Incoherency of articulation continues with the peculiarity of his discourse Takes his food well cont
June 20	Much the same in all respects Talks in the same diffuse & rambling manner Keeps at himself pretty good articulation Health & strength tolerably good cont
July 20	Much the same in all respects Healthy & pretty good Much inclined to be confused & assists in the gallery & sometimes works in the grounds cont
Aug 20	No change of any consequence General health good cont
Sept 20	Much the same in all respects Rambling & prolix in his discourse Thinks himself very clever Incoherency of articulation continues Assists in the gallery Takes his food well cont
Oct 20	Getting more stupid & less loquacious Difficulty of articulation increases Less tidy in his appearance Takes his food well & sleeps well Cleanly cont
Nov 20	Much the same getting more stupid & indolent Is a case of general paralysis Takes his food well cont
Dec 20	Much the same as at last report Stupid & tottering in his gait Takes his food well & sleeps well Cleanly & [illegible] [illegible]

Ludlow Mass. Sept 22
Brother Sept 24 Dept Asst

Brown R.C. today from observation should give no part
unless very noisy talks
incoherently & wants with
his feet Eyes mild &
unsteady Pupils somewhat
dilated Talks rather rapid
to be placed in seclusion
May 7 still noisy & incoherent
talking when spoken to
Takes his food well
Bowels Costive R. Sulph
Ats Magnesiae 3ij Tartras
potassae et sodae 3ij Infus
Sennae Ft Aquam 3ij Sum
Repeat Statim
9 still talky & talkes sui-
queter Last night Repo-
ner tore to shreds & throw
quilt &c mat or counterpane
says he has not got any food
for 8 days Takes his food
well Bowels Costive
11 Much the same as at last
report says his name is
Craig Bowels moved with
the Physician on a Syringe
manner Takes his food
well Bowels easy still
in seclusion Cont
14 Much quieter out of seclusion
Conducting himself peaceable
but still placed in seclusion
for security talkative disa-
ppointed Answers quest
ions more relevantly Bowels
easy Takes his food well
Cont
21 Conducting himself quietly
& peaceably in all respects Well
Bodily Health good Takes his
food well Cont
27 Continues to conduct himself
well in all respects Is
working industriously
Bodily Health good
says that the cause of his
attack of insanity at this
times was working too
much & late at nights &
that he took no intoxicating
Cont
31 Being in good bodily
health & free from all
delusions discharged
as

Cured

Admitted May 6 1848

1848 David Scott from page 36

Sept 29 Continues in a sleeping state unprovoked or rather unprocuring stake. Takes his food & extras hourly. Left side still continues paralytic. He is able however to guide his urine by his own efforts. Can only articulate a few words. Pulse does not seem very remarkable. Gets two glasses of wine two of whisky & part of a pint of beef tea & a cup of tea & the surrogate &c cont

Oct 3 Becoming evidently worse. Urine requires to be drawn off by catheter. Breathing gets very difficult. Pulse 100 small & tongue brown & dry cont

4th Breathing becomes more hurried. Pulse very small & weak. Lies on back in a state of stupor. Urine requires the catheter

5 Lies quite insensible & motionless except the movements of respiration which are very laborious. Mortification

6 Died 4 A.M.

Dead

Robt Campbell act 27

Brought today from Glasgow Lunatic Asylum
Schedule & refers no particular
Recy Statement & Pauper to
Asylum in seclusion for
the present

May 9 Says that a word & sense no
application they & the hears
any when spoken lets almost
immovable where he is place
staring fixed at any person
who approaches Shifty Requires
to be fed & fil attend to
Evacuat in omni naste
& Urns Ext

10 Has only uttered one word
that for Similar since his ad-
mission Looks his head Requires
to be fed & sits motionless
moving whenever he is
placed Dribbles after meals
Lies in & after Stairs
Stupidly at those who must
to engage his attention Must say
not known

13 Very stupid & filthy Re-
quires to be cleaned dressed
& fed Does nothing for him-
self allows his clothes to
drabble down over his clothes
Speaks not a word & Plainly
moves

16 Little change of any importance
Speaks not a word
Constantly remains where he
is placed takes the food
that is put into his mouth
& allows his clothes to be
put on & taken off
Cont

21 Very greatly improved in
out working industriously
in the grounds answers
questions tolerably pleasantly
says that he has been
drinking to excess of late
Keeps himself clean and
tidy Takes his food well
Cont

June 1 Conducts himself in all respects
well Bodily health & strength
improving Works moderately
& talks rationally Cleanly &
careful of his clothes Cont

9 In all his habits conducts him-
self well Works moderately
Bodily health Cont

Admitted May 8th 1848

June 14 Being in good bodily health & free from all delusions aforesaid

Cured

1849 Wm Grant from page 38

Jan'y 14 Continued in the same delirious state & during the forenoon of Sabbath was allowed to be down in bed when he slept. Continued to take food & usual & had no disturbed sleep. But last night at 1 o'clock A.M. was suddenly seized with pain & vomiting & in a quarter of an hour sunk into a state of collapse so that he never spoke more & from which no stimulants or external heat could rouse him. Was given Calomel & opium were the chief remedies employed. His pulse was quite perceptible at the wrist to the moment of his death. This probably arose from his heart being diseased. He was a dark sallow & had latterly bluish tinge probably from his being a most intemperate individual. At 11 A.M. Tuesday he

Died

Lo Dunbar act 20 yrs

Brought to day from Glasgow Sheddens no particulars Walked tolerably quietly into the gallery as if was enemy sent to sleep in seclusion for the night

May 9 Got excessively noisy during the night Mentions dreaming a mischief attempts to burst open the door seems to hear & see imaginary objects which terrify him Has the appearance of a person affected with delirium tremens Took two alterative pills last night which have slightly relieved alteration & restlessness continue

10 Quieter today but there is still considerable muscular tremor Pulse somewhat more weak & more rapid than normal Tongue white at base with a yellowish tinge still somewhat annoyed with spectres says that he was drinking until he took his fourth glass of porter Takes his food well cont

13 As he still continued to see & hear imaginary objects & Muscular tremor was getting more violent was allowed two glasses of whiskey & a pint of porter daily & the following ordered R Sulph Camph ℥j Spirit Aether Nitros ℥unites Tinct Opii aa ℥ss Sol Myrrhæ Nitros ℥iij Mist Gent Camph ℥vi m Sumat ℥ss mane nocte Has slept during a portion of the night Is quieter but there is still muscular tremor & annoyance from imaginary persons with a considerable degree of exhaustion On the whole however there are symptoms of amendment cont

16 No quiets out of seclusion Talks rationally & admits that taking too much spirits was the cause of his malady Takes his food well

Admitted May 8th 1848

May 24 Continues to conduct himself very well Assists in the Gallery & renders himself very useful & State Hoosier not quite sure that he heard Pacific tolling down the Court & the floor when he has all at home before admission Health Good Cont

June 1 Conducts himself in all respects well Bodily Health Good No delusions Cont

3 Being in good bodily health & free from delusion & insanity Discharged

Cured

Alex[r] Anderson Aet 21
Brought from Irvine [illegible] Fulleton

Brought today from Irvine & Saddle states that he has been insane from birth supposed to be caused by the Effects of his mother Dies Father Having drowned during the time she was pregnant with this child She is subject to frequent fits of Epilepsy very irritable Labours under a load of dog Tears his clothes strikes his mother & other insane relatives Never in an asylum Has had no medical treatment for a long period Health apparently good Has an erratic look

May 11 Mind evidently very weak Expression of the eye erratic Badly built & good Takes his food heartily very restless & noisy Strongly advised restraint

13 Mind very weak Is careless restless & rather mischievous to be destructive Does not manifest much ill-nature however nor offers much resistance when told to desist from anything but immediately forgets when anything again attracts his attention Health good Appetite Like rather ravenous

Cont

18 No change Childish & reckless Takes his food well Noticed some admission

Cont

24 Much the same Childish & reckless but on the whole not ill natured or unmanageable Had an epileptic fit 2 days ago but it still much in the state he was on admission Takes his food well Cont

June 16 On all respects as at last report Restless careless & mischievous Takes his food heartily Cont

July 12 May be the same in all respects Fits occur occasionally & he gets more mischievous for a time Takes his food well Cont

Kennett May 10th 1848

Augt 12 No change of any consequence very destructive to his clothes & especially after having one or more of the fits cont

Sept 12 By all respects as reported a bone felt a slight inflammation of left leg It was pronounced inspected this morn quite well cont

Oct 12 No change of any consequence destructive to his clothes apt to strike on the slightest provocation cont

Nov 12 After a series of epileptic fits got excited & was sent to seclusion for 3 days is again tolerably quiet & comparatively sober & cheerful today cont

Dec 10 Very destructive to his clothes & feeble apt to strike when excited Takes his food well cont

1849
Jany 6 At 9½ a.m. suddenly sunk down in a state of collapse & cholera blue & cold by the application of hot water & friction soon had his heat at 2 p.m. when a little lunch had his feet thoroughly warmed & half an hour in hot water & hour previously had 9x of calomel No vomiting or purging after same attempts the heat of his trousers at that time was met at hand & part 2 pitchers more yesterday

Died

Jas McCann aet 37 Tailor
Gth

June

Monday Attendant from the Glasgow Asylum person who brought him says this misfortune occurred two years ago & that he has no relatives in this country but that his son a boy of 7 years old happened to be present at the time of his insanity in which this unfortunate man has remained for nearly four months & is increasing. Two days ago threw himself into the river & this morning attempted to cut his throat with a razor

July

Aug

17 Dull & listless countenance depressed. His pulse being very feeble he is kept in bed until they can be got cleaned. Takes his food & pulse rather subdued. Tongue moist. Skin cool

19 Still dull & depressed but answers more readily & on the whole tolerably rational. Takes his food very well. Accounts for his attempt at suicide. Looks pale. Eyes & features natural but has an air of deep melancholy in his countenance. R Inf Gentian Co ℥ss Tinct Cinchonae Frigid ℥ss Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij. Acid Sulph Dil ℥ss Infusi Lunat ℥ij. This mixture to have a little daily

Sept

Nov

21 Dull & depressed. Tongue moist & less flabby. Answers with reluctance but relevantly. Takes his food well. Continue R Infusi Cinchonae Frigid ℥ss Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij. Acid Sulph Dil ℥ss Infusi Lunat ℥ij. This mixture to have a little daily

Dec

24 Is improving. Takes his food well & answers questions more readily. Says he has no friends in this country & most of his relatives are in America. Avoids mention of his suicidal attempts. Continue

June 1 Continue. Improving. Sleeps well & is more tolerably cheerful & is at his own request to be employed in the tailor's shop. Improving in health & condition. Takes his food well. Cont

Whole Insane admitted May 16th 1848

June 24 Two days ago felt somewhat sick got a dose of castor oil & went to his meals yesterday but again complains of head ache pulse 90 tongue not
July 22 sometimes lies a day & part of a day in bed felt cannot say that there is anything positively the matter with him & other times marks in the tailors shop on the whole is rather depressed in mind although he answers rationally there is a degree of dullness & taciturnity cont
Aug 22 Occasionally takes to his bed for a day or so or even for a few hours & gets up & goes to work again dull & quiet answers questions rationally but with heat of countenance & bowels vary from an occasional full cont
Sept 22 Working more steadily that is to say does not take to his bed so often bodily health pretty good but still dull & disinclined to converse takes his food well bowels regular cont
Oct 22 Much the same as at last report rather dull & taciturn Works in the tailors shop Takes his food well but is pale cont
Nov 22 Talks well: works well: treasurer: has not been to bed during the day for many weeks on the whole much improved & seems pretty well cont
Dec 9 Has continued to conduct himself in all respects well exhibiting no delusions Bodily health good Seems cured

Wm Lorrie Aet 27

July

Brought today from Broomhill by his father & brother Was in the House from July 1862 to the last year & discharged relieved His father says he has since his discharge conducted himself very quietly until a day or two before then has been restless talking about & flapping with his arms / See Book Keepers

May 18 64 Bodily health seems tol erably good but mind must astray Stands often leaning at the ground as steps forward with slow measured thumping steps Answers in monosyllable & speaks not unless spoken to Takes his food well

20 His Mothers says that after his discharge from the asylum he did very well & brought at Broomhill in charge of a horse & cart then he was about to emigrate to Port Phillip & had actually gone as far as Londonderry the day when his insanity returned He gave away his watch money &c to his fellow passengers His brother who had come so far with him with a view of taking him back & he was after a fortnight's stay at home sent here June 4 to Asylum Broomhill Costume N 2 Coloured with Comp & 11 Admission

22 Dull & stupid Answers little beyond "Yes" or "no" Wanders about without evident object Takes his food well Is not destructive & keeps his clothes clean Cont

26 Much the same Dull & quiet often sits or stands a long time leaning head forward at the ground Takes his food well Bowels easy from the action of the pills Cont

June 6 No change of any consequence Appetite healthy Health good To cut to work as exercise much Cont

Admitted May 17th 1848

July 4 Works tolerably industrious & moral but is still very dull & stupid. Has good bodily health & good take his food well & requires a full proportion daily to keep his bowels regular Condition

Augt 4 On the whole rather improved but makes an attempt to run off last week & still considerably stupid & dull. Bodily health good & takes food well & requires a full proportion daily to keep bowels regular Condition

20 Does on the whole improved but still mischievous & cunning. His relatives think he would now be better at home & have removed him accordingly

Released

Robert McKay 40

June

Brought to day from
Glasgow Lunatic Asylum who
Brought him said that he
heard that patient this morn
ing went down to the side
of the Clyde & that boatsmen
cautiously roused him to see
that no one was observing
him & then slid quietly into
the water & sailor going
over the Broomielaw bridge
observing him leapt over
the parapet into the river
& brought patient out
On admission patient being
questioned denies that he
had any suicidal intentions
& affirms that he got giddy
& fell in by accident &
seems intolerable neatness
but rather lean

May 19 Dull depressed & rather moody
Refused to answer questions
says he has been dull & unsettled
in his mind for some time
back on account of his sins
but cannot well or rationally
enumerate any particular sin
Takes his food well

20 More dull & taciturn today
moving little but standing
looking at the ground as
if uneasy in mind Pulse
moderate frequency but not
very strong R Rl at heart
R/ Lemonade j o.s. R Infusi
cinchona ℥ss ad ℥x M Bmt
Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi Sulph
dilute ℥i m Lemonade ℥ij
bis quotidie

22 Rather more cheerful today
Last night vomited a quantity
of clear fluid & thereafter
vomited after tea Ordered
to be kept at the work & to have
stout & porter

24 Varies much sometimes much
depressed & taciturn at others
times cheerful & chatty Works
tolerably industriously & bodily
health tolerable Bowels
easy Cont

June 6 Has on the whole been much
better since last report
being more cheerful & working
industriously Cont

Admitted May 18th 1848

June 24 Conducts himself well. Works industriously & talks rationally says he was dull in Quincy before he went into the water Takes his food well & is very anxious to get home to provide for his family Conducts

28 occasionally a little dull but on the whole has conducted himself well & industriously Taken removed by the Town's Constable authorities Discharged as

Cured

Thos Carpenters act 64 Typhoid Fever

Wom

June

Brought today from Danville Pa Insane Asylum States that for many years has been weak of intellect has been for the last 3 or 4 years insane Has no particular bodily ailment Has a son insane but nothing is known of his parents Tells a straightout story told by others Imagines that people meddle with him & is much afraid of the Blacks Not dangerous or violent to others but is very destructive to his clothes & furniture No medical treatment

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May 21 Never in an Asylum seems in miserably bad bodily health His feet & legs are oedematous Below left Tibia & fibula there a soft swelling size of an apple containing pus or other fluid but as there is no history of it & his legs are all of a dark color there is not certainty as to what it contains Microscopically thin & very stunted papillae contracted very much R R L Operated & left dressed with Carbolized Lint Peruvian Linseed & Zinc ointment

July

22 Does every thing & the steam allowed him in addition is constantly muttering noises & talking Bounds as Does already stated Pulse feeble Tongue & teeth & parts in addition Coat

23 No improvement seldom lies down but is constantly groaning among the others or pounds the walls Takes his food well but has a most unpromising appearance Coat

27 Has slept more & seems on the whole quieter & less destructive & nonsense talk more stupid Eyelids remain closed Takes his food & extras well & looks neat Quite so miserably groans Will he tread up to day Coat

Mdmoiselle Estelle Demuthed May 28th 1848

June 2 Is able to be up & dressed during the day but is still very stupid Looks his bed at night Takes his food & extras well but still has a miserable look from a tenderness to oedema of lower extremities allowed two glasses of gin daily Cont

10 Very stupid & filthy Turns his clothes & bed clothes Cannot return an intelligible answer to the simplest question Takes his food well but is still miserably thin Cont

24 No improvement Takes his food well but is losing flesh & strength Tears his clothes & pulls about the straw & bedclothes till he lies down & pants & pulls as if asleep Very filthy Cont

July 4 Daily losing flesh & strength although he continues to take his food & extras well Very stupid filthy & destructive Cont Pulse & pantus 120 111 mores

16 Evidently a case that will not much longer as he is getting miserably thin stupid & destructive Takes his food well still Cont

18 Yesterday rather pulled in his appetite Took but little Vomited Early this morning

Died

Joseph Johnstone ætat 40

Brought to Colney from Bailey
Schedule not seen
Seems quiet & ordinary
Recd to except that he
talks somewhat fluently &
pufferly generally questions
relevant & tolerably relevant
& pulse of normal strength
& frequency It is said that
he attempted to strangle
himself & fortnight ago
May 20 Answers questions relevant
& readily Is anxious to
know what amount of
money has been lodged for
him & that he may know
how long he is to be confined
says he has no idea why
he should be sent here
that he was accustomed to
take a dram regularly but
seldom too much Takes his
food pretty well Cont
22 His daughter called to say
a statement that he has been
in the daily habit of taking
spirits for a year or two
& for several months has
laboured under the impression
that he & his family were taken
to come to want & that the
business is not properly
conducted & was often much
depressed & about 3 weeks
ago attempted to strangle
himself
24 Conducts himself peaceably
& talks tolerably cheerfully
Seems to retain the notion that
his affairs are not properly
conducted & is but rather avoids
the subject Works a little
in the airing court but is not
strong Takes his food well
Cont
28 Talks rationally & cheerfully
Is very anxious to know how
long he is to be confined
here Bodily health pretty
good Does a little work at
reasonable Cont
June 5 Conducts himself in all res-
pects quietly & well Bodily
health good Takes his food
well Chiefly amuses himself
by reading Anxious to get
liberated Cont

Committed May 19th 1848

June 15 Conducts himself in all respects well. Quiet & talks rationally, anxious to get home / Cont

July 9 Continues to conduct himself well respects quietly & well talks rationally Health good Cont

Augt 4 Conducts himself in all respects well Works in the grounds Cont

11 Being in good bodily health & free from all delusions discharged as

Cured

Robert Young Sent Oct 11

Brought today from Bridgeton
Believes States that when
three years old had a nervous
fever & since then insanity
has been continuous & increasing
to the destructive No relatives
insane Despises increasing
& has exacerbations which
seem to occur monthly
seems to suppose that
every person wishes to
injure him Very mischievous
& throwing stones at
windows, dishes &c No
treatment Never in an asylum

May 30 In middle health & tolerably
well grown for his age
Roves from object to object
without the power of fixing
his attention to one for any
length of time talks, at
least mutters to his bed
Takes his food well

June 1 Has to be separated from
another troublesome inmate
patient in consequence of
of their constant quarrels
Restless & mischievous
Badly health good
Cont Con

3 Careless & mischievous
Wets his bed at night
Otherwise further says that for
some years he has been subject
monthly about full moon
to put in his bed although he
does not fail to the ground
he loses consciousness of surround-
ing objects throws his arms
& exclaims "that boy is paying me"
Health & general good

6 Much the same Careless
troublesome & mischievous
Badly health good Cont
Con

9 Wets his bed & troublesome
& apt to aggravate
& quarrel with the other
patients Health good
Cont

17 Much the same in all re-
spects careless & mischievous
Health Good Cont

July 12 Much the same in all
respects Careless tidy &
mischievous Cont

Admitted May 9 1848

Aug 12 No change of any consequence considered detrimental to this Clothes from carelessness & carelessness accidentally tears his head
Cont

Sept 12 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good
Cont

Oct 12 No change of any consequence An attempt is about to be made to teach him to read
Cont

Nov 11 Much the same in all respects removed today by his mother Discharged

Relieved

Ann R. A. Galloway aet 43 Collier
Govan
Brought to Gartnavel from Tremacks
Schedule states that he
has been ill for 10 months
Never was insane before
No bodily disorder preceded the
attack Was formerly quiet &
good natured No relation insane
except a paternal Grandmother
who sunk into senile dementia
when 100 years old & died at
103 Has wife separated from
him & went to live with another
man 9 years ago Has been
rather more intemperate since
These causes combined are
supposed to have had some
effect in inducing the malady
Was at first much depressed
Now more elevated & excitable
& excited talks every body
Sandie Not suicidal not given
to attack sometimes tears
his clothes is filthy No
treatment
June 4 Very stupid addresses every
body as Sandie dirty
head Seems intolerable bodily
condition but seems to have
a slight degree of appetite
Tongue moist although rather
flabby Pulse natural R
Pil Colocynth X II Sumat
unam omni nocte
5 Very stupid mixed comet
gives a relevant answer to
the simplest question
Takes his food well R.
Spiritus aeth Nitrosi ℥ij
Potassii Citratis Potassae ā ā ℥ij Mistura
Cinnamomi ℥ vii m ter
die
7 Dirty head & clothes &
can take no care of him-
self To all questions says
something about Sandie
Cont
10 Very stupid & filthy picks
at & tears his clothes Head
bent down in bed is so heavy
& has so little energy that it
is with difficulty he can get my
stiff mutton & tea steals food
& bodily Cont
14 No improvement Stupid
filthy & helpless Picking and
tearing at his clothes Cont

June

July

Aug

Sept

Oct

Ward Admitted June 2 1848

June 24 Much the same in all respects
badly health but indifferent
homeless he tastes his food well
still some ascites very feeble
& stupid cont

July 12 No improvement of any conse-
quence stupid & feeble &
unable to put off or on his
clothes takes his food
well take a little opium
into the peritoneum cont

August 8 Much the same in all
respects filthy foul and
stupid takes his food
well cont

Sept 8 Little change but on the
whole rather improved
seems rather less filthy
& bodily health slightly im-
proved cont

Oct 1 Has got very stupid & fuil
of late & is seen confined to
bed takes at the bed clothes
& rolls restlessly about takes
his food tolerably well appe-
tite voracious acceptic

3 Does not improved & does not
seem likely to survive long
has picking & tearing at the
bed clothes Motherby constantly
Bowels easy Has beefsteak with
two glasses of whisky two of wine
cont

5 Much the same as at last
report with the addition
of a nervous twitching in
the muscles about mouth
& cheeks Rather falling off
in appetite

7 Evidently sinking more drowsy
with cold extremities
called Nervous twitching of
face increased cont

8 at 9 p m

Dead

Nathaniel Campbell aet 56

July

Brought to today from Glasgow Lunatic Asylum No particulars No is there any other history seems a tall stout man but pale ridge natural ashen coal tongue white a pale ordinary diet & regimen

June 6 Dull & stupid lying quiet in bed & does not like to be disturbed answers rel enquiries but with much reluctance like a person half asleep N.B. at present & till present appears omni nocte

8 It appears that he is subject to epilepsy & has been so for several years He more lately getting up & dressed but is often sluggish takes his food well cont

11 The nurse says that he has been subject to epilepsy for more than four years No cause can be assigned No relatives known to be affected with epilepsy or insanity A year ago in the exultation attending a fair & a fray with some railway navvies & was severely hurt about the head with a crowbar Was sent by the sheriff to Monmouth gaol from whence he remained five weeks

14 Is tolerably quiet but dull & dreamy Slow in answering says he is not aware of any ill he has felt Takes his food well Bowels easy cont

20 Somewhat dull & incoherent in conversation but works most industriously Takes his food well & conducts himself quietly cont

July 12 Had several epileptic fits got excited & struck some of his fellow patients Was removed to seclusion was quiet & weak N.B. Electricity & ii Summat unam omni nocte

Admitted June 5 1848

July 8 Remained a week in seclusion & then quietly resumed his employment At present working quietly and industriously but on June 4 suicidal tendencies Takes his food well

Sept 8 Seems to have had a fit a few days back at least he is crafty & irritable He till almost [illegible] Remains [illegible] Court

29 since last report has conducted himself quietly & well working industriously His wife wishing to take him to Ireland to his friends he was today removed by the town's authorities & discharged as

Cured ?

La Star Asylum 1832 M-d Lab. Est.
Admitted

Brought today from Barrack-
nie Entrance states that he
never was insane before
Ill 2 hours & months & Intem-
perate by a quiet disposition
but at other times when drunk
Father was intemperate 1 Child
alive 10 months old Disease
increasing Has lucid inter-
vals at uncertain periods
Supposes himself to have
received poisoned water
Has threatened to hang him-
self & has also threatened
the lives of his wife & moth-
Not destructive Not treat-
ment Never in an Asylum
June 8 Refuses to take his food
Imagining it poisoned The
person feels strong & says
that he has taken very little
food for some weeks pre-
vious to which he was stout
& fat Is now lean & pale
with an expression of
fear & dejection Under
moderate tongue pulse
72 Ill altered XII Linnat
unam omn noste Sulph
Lod
June 9 Has taken his food tolerable
well last night & today
anxious to get home & has
been told he will not
get out unless he takes his
food well & works industri-
ously 12 Inspection
&c &c His manner
11 Takes his food well & work-
ing industriously answers ques-
tions tolerably pleasantly
says the cause of his not
working for some months
back was bodily indisposition
Anxious to get away
14 Continues to work industrio-
-usly & take his food well
Thinks he may [illegible] better
Reasons of getting away Ans-
wers ordinary questions rele-
vantly Bowels regular
Cont
20 Works industriously answers
questions tolerably relevantly
Very anxious to get away
Takes his food well
Cont

Est. Admitted June 7th 1848

June 29 Conducting himself in all respects well Readily Recalls & talks on the whole pleasantly enough & says he is now quite willing indeed anxious to return home

July 22 Still retains the delusion that people put poison in his food Is quiet peaceable & industrious Working steadily in the grounds Kennels Ready Cont

Sept 22 Says he has learned it was not his wife who had any intercourse but poison Drink for he feels curious sensations since he came here but who causes them he cannot tell Very anxious to get home to work for his wife & family Readily Recalls all Incidents Works industriously Cont

Sept 22 Much the same in all respects except that he avoids the subject of his delusions as much as possible seems anxious to get liberated to Works industriously but threatens to run away if he can get an opportunity Cont

Oct 6 Told me that he had blamed & blessed his wife for putting poison in his food but some time before he came here he saw two men go to the Com he was in the habit of drinking out of; they merely pretended to drink & he took no doubt they put something in the water He took some of the water to Mrs Dr (Mackie) to get it analysed but he had not time He then took it to Dr Penny who analysed it for him He still feels some persons occasionally striking him on the belly & making it feel as if burning

Nov 9 No change of any consequence observable Cont

22 Says now that he formerly had no proof of poison being in the water but that it was wrong of Dr Penny to tell him so if there was more Conducts himself well

25 Removed today by his wife Discharged

Cured

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John Mitchell aet 40

Brought to today from the Garbulls Police office Sheddon states that he has formed by the police in Marshalk th on Thursday Morning (8th) almost in a state of nudity & seems to be quite insane / He cannot speak to any purpose & cannot tell his own name / There is some reason to suppose he has escaped from the asylum at Edenburg & enquiries are being made

June 11 Found so much confused that he cannot tell his own name or give any information as to who he is or where he belongs to Ankles & feet covered with several healed blotches Arms the same Face & Scalp Takes his food well Does not soil his bed & is not otherwise ordinary diet & regimen

13 No change of importance can be extracted from him Talks incoherently about "Burn" "Hill" "Murren" "Edenburgh" Takes his food well very Warm bed Cont

15 Answered today though very vaguely that his name is John Mitchell & though it is probable that this is his name yet there is no certainty of it's being so Takes his food well Cont

19 Answers tolerably readily to "Mitchell" so that it seems very likely that that is his name Takes his food well & keeps his bed Cont

24 Head the same in all respects has been kept in bed these two days for the purpose of dressing the sores on ankles correct Takes his food well Cont

28 Kept in bed on account of his sore ankles but is otherwise in good health Takes his food well

July 21 Sore on ankles well Assists in the gallery & makes himself pretty useful but still somewhat dull & will not tell where he comes Cont

Admitted June 10th 1848

Aug[t] 20 Henry must be improved as has recovered his speech & recently says he went on a drinking bout & was seized with an apoplectic stroke which deprived him of the power of speech He is a turner by trade & has his intellect now tolerably well but still his memory for words is defective & getting about Dansith in the Gallery & conducts himself in all respects well

Sept 20 Working duely in the wright shop at his trade that of a turner Mind quite composed but memory is still defective Conducts himself duely in all respects well & may be considered convalescent

cont

Oct[r] 20 In all respects as at last report Bodily health good works industriously Memory still defective cannot recall to the name of the street in which he was born

cont

Nov[r] 15 Much the same as at last report Memory for words being still somewhat defective but judgement tolerably good Discharged as

Cured

Robert Wemyss aet 28 Shop Keep
Cert would p

Brought to Gaol by Police from Falloch Braes & Police state that he has been insane for two weeks Never insane before Is troubled with depression of Spirits & suppose this may be made to cheat him Is subject to bowel complaint & has one child No relatives

June 14 insane
Seems in tolerably good health generally Reports although this days he did not sleep well last night in consequence of the noises of his strange companions Seems a little nervous but talks tolerably rationally says he is not accustomed to porridge & milk tea

15 Still somewhat tumerous says he cannot sleep well in such a place as this Takes his food pretty well & assists in the ward Answers questions rationally Cleanly & careful of his clothes Conduct good

17 Conducting himself well & peaceably Assists in the ward Does rationally Admits that he took perhaps rather much whisky but lays the chief blame on the relatives of his wife. She used to especially used to come to his house & beat him sticking him down a stair to a cellar beneath the shop Conduct

19 Conducts himself quietly & well No delusions although mind seems to be naturally somewhat weak Will attend to Work in Garden

21 The friends wished to remove him to send him to the country & he was today discharged as

Cured

keeper Kennett June 13th 1848

John Walker 27 single Mason Surrey

Brought to today from H.G. Head Street Station Schedule states that 3 years ago he had a form of Melancholia has been insane on the present occasion for four months Has had occasional fits of Melancholia for the last 3 years Of a melancholy temperament becoming more furious No bodily disease No assignable cause Disease increasing Supposes himself under the influence of the Spirit of God Thinks he feels a burn on the upper back part of his head Sees angels sometimes Not suicidal Struck at his sister & mother with a domestic weapon without provocation Not destructive Would not submit to any Medical treatment Refuses in an angry tone

June 23 Seems in good bodily health An admission serjeant to Parker Had he not been instantly restrained would have struck This morning is very thoughtful & threatens to strike any one who gives him provocation Sent to seclusion Diet Half Milk Pint 1/6

24 In seclusion still somewhat thoughtful & inclined to threaten Takes his food well Cont

26 Being somewhat more tractable is taken out of seclusion Declines making any allusion to any of his delusions is on the whole rather taciturn

28 Working a little Chiefly associates in the gallery Still avoids allusion to his delusions Takes his food well Cont

July 9 Exists in the gallery Will not go to Church for reasons he does not choose to explain Anxious to get home Conducts himself quietly Cont

Augt 19 Conducts himself very well & orderly in the gallery but sometimes he calls out & complains makes a noise in his head at times Health good Cont

Jane Smith Admitted June 22d 1848

Sept 20 Much the same in all respects very quiet & well behaved seems desirous still to retain the same delusions as when admitted although he can converse rationally on most subjects himself seems very anxious to get out & Health pretty good Cont

Oct 20 Little change of any consequence apparent Bodily health good excepts in the gallery fair but not tolerable Health Cont

Nov 20 Conducts himself quietly & associates indiscriminately in the galleries but seems to retain the same delusions although he is cautious of speaking of them Cont

Dec 20 Much the same in all respects Bodily Health fair subject to Rheumatism well Cont

1849

Feby 1 No change of any consequence Quiet & well disposed employs himself at work in the yard well but is full of them Cont

17 Wife & sister applied to get him liberated & the Physician permitted her to take him away on trial Discharged

Relieved

Hugh McKay aet 9

Brought today from Sir Wallace Court. Schedule gives no particulars that his mother says that he has not been correct in his mind from birth that since infancy he has been subject to fits in which he becomes insensible throws about his arms & legs but the breathing is seldom affected

June 24 Expression of features rather dull & somewhat abnormal evidently lively in his movements takes his food well & generally seems unimproved. Ordinary diet & regimen

26 Attendant says he had a fit today began with a scream. Was remarkably short fell to the ground limbs & muscles of respiration convulsed with insensibility for half a minute or 20 Cont restless but not ill natured nor destructive Mind evidently weak even for a child of his age Takes his food well bowels rather costive Stramonium pil at night p r n

July 2 No change of any consequence to be expected Takes his food well Cont

22 Much the same in all respects runs about in all quarters is rather troublesome to keep in Takes his food well Bowels easily Cont

Augt 22 Much the same Had a slight inflammatory swelling under chin which disappeared under the application of hot poultices Seems attentive to tolerable reading & writing but seldom

Cont

Sept 22 Fits continue to occur but seldom Runs about the main & every corner & scrambles & Takes his food well Also went to sea for some time R Mussel pil R Rhei Comp ℈i Sulphatis Zinci ℈ℓ ℞ ii M ft massa Dividenda in Pil xii Capiat unam omni nocte Cont

on

Admitted June 23d 1848

Sept 29 Removed today to the town's hospital. Has been insane of late & as he has no delusions nor exhibits any excitement discharged as

cured

Ira Cunningham 61 M. d
Burony

Brought today from Crown Point Mile End by Deputy States that he has been insane for nearly 7 years (Was in this house for nearly a year in 1846 See Book 8 p. 90) & has never been altogether well since he left the asylum & thought discharged as cured) (No hereditary disease) Is generally manageable Has three Children alive the eldest 20 the youngest 21 years No relatives insane as intemperate Cause Want of work Disease gradually increasing Is restless talkative & rather timorously inclined No remarkable delusion Not suicidal nor mischievous No treatment since he left the "asylum" Is pale & thin Has an enormous hydrocele

30 Unsettled & flighty but not ill natured Examined the Medical officer & turned him into the greatest rapture Takes his food well Cont

July 2 Still flighty & unsettled jumping about & constantly talking in an incoherent & at least very rambling manner Takes his food well Cont

4 Much the same in all respects Always talking when not asleep Takes his food well but is thin Cont

7 Little change or any consequence Rambling talkative & restless Takes his food well Cont

12 Noisy & troublesome often annoys the other patients & gets beaten Is not ill natured but restless & meddlesome Takes his food well Cont

July 22 Much the same in all respects Restless noisy & troublesome Fond of fun & diversion but sometimes annoying to his fellow patients Takes his food well Cont

Augt 12 Does not improve Noisy restless & troublesome often gets beaten in consequence of annoying other patients Takes his food well Cont

Weaver Improvement

Helmuth June 29th 1848

Sept 22 Much the same a nuisance to the whole house annoying every body he comes in contact with & often get beaten & sometimes very severely the marks of the Strokes being left on his person but neither this nor persuasion has any effect in preventing him from continuing his annoyance Takes his food well Cont

Oct 23 Little change of any importance The friends complained that he was getting ill used To see if he could be quieted he was sent to Selinsgrove for a week but without any beneficial effect Left out today under the threat that if he do not keep quiet he will be remitted to Selinsgrove Cont

Nov 23 Still noisy & troublesome annoys the patients gets beaten & then complains Takes his food well Bathes & changing clothing Gathers trash Smokes Smells very much when out of bounds Cont

Dec 23 Little or no change Has at present a blue eye got in consequence of his annoying his companions Takes his food well Bowels costive Cont

31 Very severe Diarrhoea Stools copious & very liquid Has tongue coated & pretty much furred Takes little but water milk Gets Tinct of Catechu Chalk mixture & Confectionum Opiate repeated Applied Turpentine & Flannels to Abdomen Milk diet

1849 Jany 2 Not improving much Stools more frequent but not so copious Getting Acid tonic & Opium pills with Opiate injections Cont

4 Was much better for short after a little time often diarrhoea returned Alimentary as before Today it is again somewhat subsided Stools frequent but not so copious Cont

John Reed æt 46 M-d Clerk
147

Brought hollay from Barkhead
Schedule states that he never
was insane before Ill 9 months
No bodily disorder preceded
the attack Much depressed
in Spirits No bodily disease
No insane or intemperate relatives
Cause want of employment &
reduced circumstances No change
of diseases Increasing Has remissions of uncertain periods
Much depressed & has fancied
himself dead at times This is
the only marked delusion &
has not been permanent Not
suicidal nor violent Requires
exercise & attention to his bowels
Never was an Asylum Very
thin pale very depressed & does
not speak Pulse weak
June 30 Takes no food Does not
speak but lets motions &
unconsciously very much depressed
Wet his bed last night but
bowels have not acted
Pulse weak & extremities cold
& clammy Unconsciously very feeble
Had to be held & kept up Some
heat up with eggs & milk
administered by force R
Pil Aloes et Myrrh ℈ ij Ammon
Sp. V. R. Infus Gentian Comm
Aij Rini Albi ℈ ij M Ft Mist Omiij
July 1 boiled his bed Very weak &
stupid This morning three
glasses of wine in which two
raw eggs were beat up administered to him by force
The exhaustion consequent
on which brought on a sudden
attack of sinking so severe
that at one moment he was
thought beyond recal Restoratives were employed to the
chest & abdomen Pulse & pulsations
he vomited a mouthful
& slowly recovered & during
the day amused himself
reading an old newspaper
Took chop at 1 & tried to eat
himself
& an egg to supper relished the
wine very much But is
very restless & pulse 100
& very feeble sometimes
a little cross Tongue
red & dirty coat on

Ch of Stat Admitted June 29th 1848

July 2 Continued much the same as at last report until after 6 p m when after partaking of an egg & some tea he felt sick & appeared dying called a nurse but was unable to swallow a few drops of opium without imminent danger of suffocation Continued to linger in this state till 9 p m when he

Died

Robert Hughes aet 9 Hodgen ward No 11 Mullen ward

Brought to day from the Parish of St Thomas aet 9 appears that he has been an idiot from birth can only articulate a few words such as "Mother" His mother says she got a fright while pregnant with him & also that her mother fell into a state of melancholia some time before she died

July 1 An idiot boy who cannot speak but utters common words Takes his food well but looks rude & thin Soils his bed & clothes common

3 Soils his bed & clothes Takes his food well & although restless does not seem ill disposed Babbles a good deal but nothing intelligible cont

6 No change Takes his food well is very filthy & careless cont

10 Much the same in all respects Soils his bed & clothes Takes his food well Bowels today cont on.

20 No change of any consequence cont

Aug 18 No change of any consequence Soils his bed Takes his food well cont

Sept 17 Much the same in all respects except that in consequence of looking thin has been put on extra cont

Oct 17 Very much stupified & dirty Another patient getting amongst his clothes gave him a severe beating with a stick so that he has kept his bed for some time Gets steaks & porter cont

29 Was up for a few days but this morning seems to have lost the power of left side Looks miserably thin & pale Pulse 120 Temp 98 11 inches cont alive

Nov 2 Losing flesh & strength rapidly Unhealthy collections of reddish fluid forming beneath the skin constitution not strong

Admitted June 20th 1848

sugar as enough to form just
gets sufficient allows a mine
Cent

Nov 4 Child emanating a Sub sores begin
ning to form Bowels loose
2 Stone Rice a milk Cent
alive

7 Child continues to emanate
Collections of serous matter
increasing in size Bowels
loose R^d Mistura Cretae 3 ij
Tinct Catechu 3ij Tinct Cinnam
3ij Tinct opii 3ij M Summat
3ij ter indies

11 Mind the same as at last
report The matter with
the consent of the friends with
drawn removed from this
morning Discharged as

Relieved

Jas Crawford 46 Single Farmer

Brought today from South Witchburn Lards Lunatic states that he for 6 times insane during the last 20 years has been in Hillend Fancy farm & Gartnavel asylums (Vide 7 page 95) The the time about 2 weeks Always rather flighty When well rather shy & reserved is of a violent temper Father flighty nervous & excitable An irritable very intemperate Existing cause unknown Disease Stationary Thinks himself possessed of great wealth & a person of great importance Wanders from home & attempts to make bargains Not suicidal If offended apt to strike Inclined to destroy his clothes No treatment

July 2 Noisy & incoherent but not violent Thinks his friends left him here a few hours & wonders why they do not return Bodily health very good Takes his food well Cont

3 Talks a very great deal of rambling nonsense in an animating boastful style Bodily health good Rec'd a Chest & Urinal Lunatic man ormie ward

5 Talks in the same rambling boastful & incoherent style Bodily health good Cont

9 Still noisy & boastful Had a fight with an epileptic patient yesterday Anxious to write home about some person he wished to marry Takes his food well Cont

12 Little change of any consequence Rude & boastful Talks largely of money owing him & threatens he must return at once & demands his liberty to look after these things Cont

19 Was not assisting at Raymah but is very noisy & incoherent talking of his money means of marriage Not he only came to stay a day or so Takes food well Cont

Ward Admitted July 1st 1848

Aug 17 Does not improve very untidy mischievous & quarrelsome steals from his fellow patients & gets into squabbles At present has his eyes black & neck from that cause Health tolerably good but does his work occasionally Cont

Sept 17 No improvement very annoying to everybody but his demands & assumptions Talks of his great riches & his great friends Cut a small wound on elbow & was for some time kept in bed Wound now well Takes his food well Cont

Oct 17 Remains troublesome patient in the house at present very destructive to his clothes Talks much nonsense about having selling his riches &c Takes his food well Cont

Nov 17 Much the same in all respects Troublesome dirty & destructive constantly smoking using all my & pipes in his power Cont

Dec 17 No improvement bodily health good very destructive to his clothing Mind his health good Cont

1849
Feby 2 Glad a return of which there was a sense of depression sickness & coldness He expressed himself as being "tinged" Glad Pulse 96 Vii Cath gr iv Aperient 3 ii Infusion gr " in the course of twenty four hours all had passed off & he did not require any more medicine Health tolerably Cont

March 2 Bodily health good Mind seems also considerably improved & although his still troublesome and talkative he goes out to work in the grounds Cont

April 1 considerably quieter and works very industriously Health good Cont

10 Has still becoming quieter This brother thinking he could now work at home removed him Discharged as Recovered

Robt Campbell 32 Turnkey
4th

Brought today from Glasgow 25th July & states that he was a turnkey in the Liverpool jail & made his escape some months ago in consequence of a love affair was subsequently taken care of by his brother in Glasgow but about 10 days ago escaped by a back window & wandered about the country till he got there days ago very feeble from want of sustenance much depressed. To have tea & beefsteak & porter

July 2 Much depressed & weak says his bowels have not been moved for some days Disinclined to speak as to be annoyed in any way To have mixed calomel & jalap at 8 A.M. & P.M. & Epsom salts at 2 P.M. his address

July 3 Bowels not moved the castor oil to be repeated & a second dose in which to be mixed also Flush Pen an emetic administered in which acted very well still weak & depressed Takes his extras very well Cont

5 Improving but still much debility & confusion of head Takes but little & is desponding tone R Fl Alter ℞ Sumat unam o.n.

9 Continues to improve in bodily health & strength but is still dull & desponding & says he is very weak Takes his food well Cont

12 Has had two or three chills the fits got gradually shorter one of his fellow prisoners sent to Infirmary R Fl Alter ℞ Sumat unam omni nocte

18 Has been in bed for the cure of two small sores on his heels which are now much better Bodily health & strength has also improved much & he seems much less depressed in mind Answers questions readily & intelligently Cont

24 Mind now quite composed answers questions quite rationally says he thinks

Admitted July 1st 1842

that every body wanted to injure him he escaped by a window from his Brother's House got into the country & anxiety every body he met kept the roads & waded or swam all the rivers he came to often crossing & recrossing one several times in fact he knew not why but to escape from those he imagined pursued him often ran for miles at such speed that he was near sinking from exhaustion Mind quite quiet composed

Aug 7 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Being in good bodily health, free from all delusion & his former employer agreeing to reinstate him in his position, is duly discharged as cured

Wm Wilson aet 48 Lab[r]
Nursery

Brought today from Marysville Schedule only states that this is the first attack that has lasted 6 months, & that he previously labours under dyspepsia" Brought to the asylum bound with ropes & very violent

The inner depth of his lower lip is very much lacerated, & [illegible] in a wretched & filthy state

July 4 Very noisy & very disturbed Most part of his noisy exclamations seem to be assertions that he is God

4 Must the same but takes his food & extras rather better Bowels not opened since admission Does not lie down nor sleep Gets porter today Collapse Sulphate Quinine & Aloes Ammon & Tinct of Iron ℥ tt xxx

7 Bowels opened by the medicine Quieter since & lies in bed & has slept some Taking his food well better state very much the same

cont

9 It appears that the bruising & laceration of lower lip was caused by his biting it in a paroxysm of excitement

12 Is now much quieter & takes his food well Bowels easy cont

12 Tolerably quiet & out of seclusion It seems probable that a portion of the lip will slough & otherwise improving in bodily & mental

cont

19 Works industriously & conducts himself very well Lip healing Takes his food well & is looking much better Bowels easy keeps himself clean cont

24 Lip improving Quiet well behaved & industrious but still a little incoherent General health pretty good Takes his food well & is

cont

Aug 4 It appears that on Sunday last during part of his sleep he fell heavily on the head

Admitted July 3d 1848

of his head Has pretty
generally complained of
headache since & To day complains
of headache & has attempt
to vomit ij o m

July 20 Headache Pulse as usual
& he marks merry & lively
quietly & conducts himself
in all respects well

26 Continued to conduct
himself in all respects
well & This morn being
anxious that he should
come home to work for
the family & he being
in good bodily health
& free from delusions
discharged as

Cured

Robert Liggett aet 33 Lunac

Brought to Colony from the Town Road at the Glasgow where he has been for some days in the Town's Hospital but having got an ingenious broken & unumber of unwelcome names was sent here Dull & stupid of a lymphatic temperament scalp & cutaneous surfaces weak

July 4 very dull listless & stupid takes his food well & seems in tolerable health says it is a number of years since he wrought at any & that by trade he is a joiner but very little else can be got out of him ordinary diet & regimen

5 Dull & quiet answers with hesitation & reluctance but tolerably pleasantly takes his food well H R Til Attorat x11 sumat unom omni nocte

7 Still dull & stupid When asked why he broke the windows says he thought he was not in his own house says it is a number of years since he wrought at any

11 Answers questions tolerably pleasantly but is not much given to speak unless questions takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

18 Is on some days duller & more taciturn than on others very sluggish takes his food well & seems to have little inclination to do anything but eat & sleep Cont

Augt 17 Little change of any consequence attempts a permanent character one day he may answer tolerably correctly & the next is so stupified as scarcely to answer a single question Laughs about the Court & seems to have no inclination to exert himself Cont

Sept 17 Little change of any consequence very sluggish & inactive sluggish seldom moving of his own accord takes his food well Cont

Left

Admitted July 3d 1848

Sept 29 Much the same in all respects
Removed today to the towns
hospital Discharged as
Relieved

Wm Gilchrist aet 16 Farm Lab
Old Monkland
Brought today from Dalbowie Asylum Stable Staples Must be removed before 2ll about three months of a quiet disposition Dedeaie unnecessary Never in an asylum

July 7 General Health seems pretty good Dull listless countenance He got to utter a word Very quiet & takes his food Table Rl Cil Alterat xij Sumat unam omni nocte Cont alia

9 Very dull & quiet not speaking a word Takes his food well Bowels Keeps his bed clean is neither dirty nor destructive Cont

12 Remains in the same dull quiet listless state Takes food & what is going on around At least does not betray any apparent interest Generally Health good Cont

16 Little change Cannot be got to speak Dull & quiet Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

20 Still dullness & speaking Takes his food well Keeps himself clean & quiet no annoyance Generally Health good Cont

23 Speaks a little but with reluctance Does not seem got to employ himself in any way Generally Health good Cont

Augt 19 Works in the grounds But scarcely utters a word Takes his food well & is in good health condition Cont

Sept 17 Improving in so far that he now speaks freely although not rationally coherent Would like to get home says he is fit for any kind of work Health good Cont

Oct 17 Mind much as But his mother who was here two days ago says it is now as well as it was Is working in the garden & generally at meals Remaining Health good Cont

Entered Admitted 6th July 1848

Newby conducts himself in all respects well mankes ordinary & his mind is perhaps as well as ever it was Health good Removed Healthy by Mrs Mather Discharged as

Cured

Jas Williamson æt 32 Mason
Falmouth

Brought to Gaol from Falmouth
Has been for many years in
-sane Believes himself such Pow
erful &c By Trade a Shoe-
maker Said on admission that
he was a Shoemaker Healthy
health seems pretty good
ordinary diet & regimen

July 20 Somewhat irritated at being
left here & in consequence
surly & taciturn Takes his
food Removed to Ward
exercise in Yard smart man &
noctc

21 Anxious to get home says
that he ought not to be here
& that he has his senses as
soundly as any man Like
wise taciturn & sullen
making Takes his food
well Court

23 Still somewhat morose & taciturn
declining to speak much to the
purpose himself at anything &
behaves tolerably Neat & keeps
his clothes clean Takes his food
well Visited's cases Court

26 No change of any consequence
observed very much recently as to
almost any name acknowledges
it for his Refuses to employ
himself at his trade Healthy
health good Court

30 Still refuses to work Mind
very confused Speaks but
little unless spoken to Takes
his food well Court

Augt 18 Has gone to work in the
Shoemakers Shop No men-
tal improvement Healthy
health good Court

Septr 19 No mental change Works
industriously in the Shoe
makers Shop Health good
Court

Octr 17 Mind much confused
Works industriously in the
Shoemakers Shop Healthy
health good Court

Novr 14 Mind much as they
works very industriously
in the Shoemakers Shop
Health good Court

Decr 17 Much the same in all re-
spects Healthy health good
Court ord

Surgeon Wilson Admitted July 19th 1848

1849

July 1 Had a rather severe attack of diarrhoea treated with calomel & opium followed by Lead & opium Gums got rather sore for a few days Is now in his ordinary health Conf

March 1 Had again an attack of bowel complaint which however was much more easily controled Is getting first by well again Conf

April 1 Has Bodily health good bowel complaint being completely gone Works with the shoemaker No mental improvement Conf

May 1 Employed in the shoemaker's shop Conf

June 1 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Conf Conf

July 1 Mind continues in the same weak state Works steadily in the shoemaker's shop Conf

August 1 No change

16 Complained of bowels being loose Hab Pulv Myrr: Gr 8 Hyd Cret Gr 5 & used a dose of chalk mixture & catechu Diarrhoea gone

Sept 18 Bodily health good No mental change

Oct 18 Much the same

Nov 18 Little change

Dec 20 Talks in a much more connected free style of late but very incoherently

1850

Jany 31 Health good. No mental change since last report. C. C.

Feby 28 Sometimes shy and quizzical in his answers. Usually very quiet and well behaved. Employed daily in the Shoemakers shop. Cleanly in habits and appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cumia.

March 31 No mental change. Quiet and well behaved. Employed regularly as above. Health very good. C. Cumia.

April 30 Bodily health good. Mind weak. Employed daily Somewhat evasive in his answers at times. Quiet and well behaved. C. Cumia.

May 31 No change C.C.

June 18 Much the same. C. Cumia.

July 13 Works industriously. Mind confused and weak. Health good.

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Jas Gardener aet 43 Builder
7H

Brought today from 38 Sept.
St Andrews Square Edinr
gives no particulars but
it is said he has attempted
to cut his throat & last
night swallowed a pennyworth of laudanum which
was removed by the stomach
pump. Seems depressed
To be placed under surveillance
July 20 says he did not sleep last
night Has a dull dejected
look Answers slowly & with
reluctance Bodily health
seems tolerably good R
Alex Bennet 3rd Asst
21 Bowels moved by the
castor oil Answers more
readily today says he
slept tolerably well last
night says he was low in
spirits because he was out
of work & was afraid
himself & his family would
starve Did not take in that
would become of him in the next
world
22 says that when asleep often dreams
that there are dead people working
along side of him His wife he says
was very drunken & died some time
ago Thinks he is punished for
having too unfeeling a wife
Takes his food well Cont
26 Very much improved says
he has not felt so well for
a long time Assists in the
gallery & works in the
grounds Takes his food
well Cont Gets an alterative
pill every night
Cont
Augt 1 Continues calm & cheerful
Answers questions relevantly
Works industriously Takes
his food well Bowels
regular Cont
18 Continues to conduct him
self in all respects well
Bowels regular Works
industriously & is cheerful
& steady Cont
Sept 17 Mind seems on the whole
pretty well Talks rationally
& conducts himself in all
respects well Bowels reg
Cont

Admitted July 19th 1848

Sept 29 Removed today by the Town's hospital authorities Discharged as Cured

Wm Robertson act 23 Inmate

Brought to today from Salem
Office Anderson Where he
has been for 6 days Is in-
temperate but steady and
industrious when not drink-
ing Mother's brother insane
No Treatment

July 25 A little confused & rambling
in his answers says there is
nothing the matter with him
admits that he occasionally
takes whisky to an extent
greater than he ought to do
but denies having done so
for some time past

26 seems in tolerable health
pulse moderate Tongue his
bowels well keeps his cell
clean Ward & Stewart & 11 Ward
unemployed

29 Answers questions rationally
says he has been drinking
that that was the cause of
his going wrong in the head
Was at this own request taken
out to work at tinning Court

31 conducting himself very well
working industriously Mind
composed Weekly Return
good Conduct

Was further heard unable to say
for his mental responsibility when the
enormity of the charge in general
terms & free from delusion
or hallucinations & he has not much
gone the usual probation is
recommended

Cured

Admitted July 24th 1848

Jas Long aet 42
7 H

Brought today from 245 High St
Utica Schedule gives
no particulars

July 26 Conducted himself tolerably
quietly last night — It
appears that for some time
past he has been liable
to fits of excitement during
which he sometimes attempts
to injure his wife
& relatives Bodily health
seems tolerably good
Urine very turbid & deposits
copious

27 Conducts himself very quietly
answers questions tolerably
relevantly & conducts himself
quietly Bowels rather costive
but seems otherwise in good
health R Pl attend x II Summ
mam omn nocte

29 still conducts himself quietly
& well answering ordinarily
questions tolerably relevantly
Bodily health pretty good
Tolerably cleanly & not restless
in bed

Augt 6 Mrs Brandpouch Working
industriously in the garden is
quiet & docile & answers
questions relevantly enough
on most ordinary questions
Takes his food well Bowels
easy Cont Om

14 Continues to conduct himself
well in all respects Works
industriously talks relevantly
& keeps himself clean Cont
Om

Sept 14 Has continued to conduct
himself in all respects well
Talks rationally & works
industriously says that it was
in consequence of thinking that
his mind became affected
Cont

29 Has not exhibited any delusion
or excitement & conducts
himself in all respects
well Discharged as

Cured

Admitted July 24 1828

Jas Mackie aet 21 Farmer Edinr
Leonard Lagown

Knows Mr Tolloy from Leonard Lagown
Reduce states that he never
was insane before This same for
12 months Healthy Substitute
& inconstant could not settle
long in one place & usually
fell out with his employers
Mother rather weak minded
Head never injured Cause
unknown except intemperance
Is severe increasing Moreover
disturbed by missionary plans
-tions Imagines he must meet
the clergy To instruct them
To bring of Scotland Going
to meet armies to fight against
his country Not dangerous
not violent or destructive
No treatment

July 26 During the last 12 mon Mr
has imagined he saw & heard
& spoke to imaginary persons
Worked for a week or two
occasionally & in the intervals
left off, or took to drinking
Has not drunk any for the
last 15 weeks Some
time ago attended some lectures
on Electricity which interested
him very much & this is supposed to have increased his
malady Seems in good
health Cont

27 Early & says he has no need
of instructors but more need
he should teach them Takes
his food well Rise after
11 Sits at mess on meats
Cont alike

29 Much the same Talkative in a
& surly manner says he ought
not to be here that he is more
respectable than the ministers
who sent him here Takes his
food well Bowels easy Cont

Augt 7 Still dull & dogged Has
not yet been put to employ
himself at anything useful
Takes his food well
Wanders too & fro in a restless
manner & when he sees an
door open goes to walk
out Cont

14 Much the same but out
doors a little more occasionally Health good Cont

Dec 1st Admitted July 25th 1848

Sept 15 Much the same Rather dull & taciturn rarely speaking unless questioned & then answers much as noted at home Bodily health good Cont

Oct 14 Walks industriously in the grounds Talks much to himself & often threatens & swears at imaginary person Health good Cont

Nov 24 Talks much to himself & at times swears & threatens imaginary persons & sometimes those persons who may chance to be near him Walks occasionally in the grounds Bodily health good Cont

Dec 25 No improvement Talks much to himself Has twice pushed out a pane of glass near his head Wounds very much attracted Bodily health tolerable Cont on

1849
July 2 Had an attack of diarrhoea which however was early subdued although it thinned him considerably is now in ordinary health Cont

March 2 Much the same in mind Bodily health good Takes his food well Has gone to work in the garden Cont

April 2 Little change of any consequence Bodily health good Walks in the grounds & garden Talks much to himself Cont

May 2 Mind dull & confused Bodily health Works with the gardener Cont

June 2 No mental change Works very industriously in the garden Cont

July 2 Mind weak Talks much to himself or imaginary persons Health good Cont

Aug 2 No change

Sept 2 As reported above

Oct 2 No change

Nov 2 No change except that he is somewhat more excitable & talks a little with another patient

Dec 2 As above

31 No change of any consequence

vide page 173.

Ap 2d Whitehead 57 R.D. Rich Sussex
Sept

brought today from Sterling
Schedule states that he has
been repeatedly insane at
intervals of several years
present attack of 10 days
duration Constitution spirit
Imagines he hears voices
which do not exist Eating
sparingly & cross tempered
No bodily disease No
relative insane In 1826
he met with severe pecuniary
losses & has been repeatedly
insane since Gets excited
easily excited Disease in-
creasing Had intervals at
uncertain intervals Never
attempted self murder but
has often threatened to strike
various members of his family
seems in tolerable health

July 28 Got up between four & five
in the morning & knocked
loudly at his bedroom door
to get out Is rather rowdy &
obstreperous & does not seem
to have any idea of submitting
to any restraint K Pd attend
x 11 Dismissed on

" 29 Rather quieter but still very
noisy Demands paper pens & ink
Declares he will not stay
much longer here Makes
no attempt at violence & is
on the whole very jovial
laughing loudly at all he
says Cont

31 Calming down deliberately for
paper which he has got still
talks much & laughs loudly
says he thinks that the doctor
had an evil intention at him &
called him a fool so that as to
ruin him Thinks his food
well cooked says Cont

Augt 4 Conducting himself much more
quietly though still somewhat talkative which seems
to be his natural character
Bodily health good Bowels
easy Cont

14 Conducting himself in all re-
spects well but does not
think there was any
thing wrong with his
mind to justify his friends
in sending him here Cont

Session Admitted July 27th 1848

Sept 14 Conducts himself in all respects
quietly & well talks calmly
& rationally & acknowledges that
was proper in his friends to
send him here Walks out
daily Amuses himself with
reading Cards &c Ct

Sept 15 Has continued to conduct him-
self well in all respects
Removed today by Rus son
Discharged

Cured

Alex. Stevenson aet 30 Engl. Lab
old Monkland P.

Brought today from all Monk land Parish / Schedule states that he was insane about five years ago Has been so on the present occasion for three weeks G very religious Has three brothers & a sister very intemperate On admission made a considerable resistance struck & kicked at those who came near him Remitted to seclusion

July 30 Quieter today but talks a very great deal of nonsense in a very incoherent manner appears to imagine that he has power to do any thing he pleases Takes his food well Bowels not observed Movement Stat Haust Aperi

Aug. 1 Considerably quieter Is usually dressed Answers still somewhat incoherently Has the same delusions Takes his food well R Tal Alterat XII Lumin omni nocte

4 Is out at work in the grounds a working tailor Is orderly industrious Keeps his bed clean & is not destructive Conduct

8 Very much improved Medical Officer thinks it was probably that was mainly the cause of his going wrong

14 Works very industriously Conducts himself very well Somewhat loquacious & inquisitive in the expression of his wants & opinions Takes his food well Cleanly & careful of his clothes Conduct

Sept 14 Much the same Works industriously in the grounds Still rather communicative & fluent in speaking which seems his natural character Health good Conduct

Oct 9 Works industriously, conducts himself much in the same way as reported above but as it seems his natural character may be considered convalescent Conduct

Lb Admitted July 29th 1918

Aug 21 Removed today by Mr Lester Kelly Smith Edwards Mumford still some inflammation Discussed as

Cured

Wm Barrons at 40 Weeks
Cumberwell P.

Brought today from Cumberwell P. appears that he had a fever 3 months ago & has not been altogether correct since however it is only 3 weeks since more decided symptoms of insanity showed themselves He is an old soldier but very steady & temperate Prisoner himself very much attached to majesty

August 1 During the night tore all his blankets to shreds steel to the end of some of the stripes the tin utensil he had & sitting at up towards a corner there is in the room so managed to smash the glass out of it When he says he did for the purpose of alarming the people outside that they might come to extinguish him from confinement Bedclothes removed & he only left R. H. Allen Hunt omnia mobile

2 Noisy & incoherent says that the attendant keeps him & starves him Threatens vengeance on those who keep him here Takes his food well

4 Still noisy & boisterous accusing everybody of all crimes & starving him offers to pay for all the damage he has done if allowed to depart

7 Must question & cut examination but mind & talk very much as they will He has had last night and made much noise at his bedroom door When spoken to for any fault still always promises amendment but still commits new faults Cont

16 Must the same He tore off his clothes tumbles his bed about the room &c Takes his food well Cont

Admitted July 21st 1848

Sept 16 Considerably quieter Was at work marking in the grounds but made his escape was brought back next day Has not been trusted out since Mind still confused Gave a mentor a letter (with a penny to pay postage) to a friend asking him to send three medical men to arbitrate to his sanity Health pretty good Cont

Oct 16 Much the same as at last report Thinks himself quite well & that it is very unjust to keep him here Declares he will run off upon the first opportunity that offers Health good Cont

Nov 16 Had an attack of diarrhoea but it yielded to the following remedies R Tinct Calumbæ ℥ij Mistur cretæ ℥ij Tinct opii gtt xij ter in die sumend R Ol Ricini ℥ij Spirit æth nitrat mxv Mucilag ℥ij ter in die Has not had much improvement since He has discovered a method of destroying the enemy's ships by throwing it down the flagon which will not float Has told the method but to the admiralty only Cont

Dec 16 Bodily health good No amendment in his delusion about destroying ships at sea Cont

1849
Jany 16 Complains of being troubled with cough R Pulv Antimon ℥ss Mistur cretæ Mucilag aa ℥ij ter in die sumat Cont

March 1 Bodily health pretty good No abatement of his delusion Says if he had a pistol he would shoot everyone that stood in the way of his liberty and threatens to set fire to the house Cont

April 1 Make application to every stranger he sees to get out declaring that he is quite sane Works on the grounds Health good

May 1 Much the same in all respects Cont

Adm Crawford ext 33

Mrs Dickson 191 Argyle st Birkenhead

Brought today from Dalhousie Lodge Newcastle on Tyne Schedule gives no particulars seems to be suffering from delusions & to sleep in seclusion

Aug 12 Is short & corpulent Londoner & rested but not quite symmetrically until near morning when he appeared to have a tolerable refreshing sleep Is still considerably agitated mistakes the days of the week & thinks that people are calling to enquire about him Very considerable muscular tremor Had two alterative pills last night but bowels have not been moved Has had 2 Attt

3 Bowels freely opened by the castor oil Is considerably better but still nervous Takes his food well R R & Temp XII Urinat unam omni nocte

4 Must better Talks rationally & walks out with the Attendant about the grounds Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

His sister came this evening with Dr Adam's (Resident) permission to remove him if he could be trusted with his friends who move in a respectable sphere After caution & admonition to avoid ardent spirits he was allowed to go with his friends being in tolerable health & free from delusion Discharged as

Cured

Admitted July 31st 1848

Edward Hall aet 43 Lab.
7th

Brought to Gallery from 22 Towns Mill road Lambeth grounds no particulars Was in this Asylum from 2nd Dec 1847 till 12th Feby 1848 See Book 12 page 158 Seems intolerably stupid but rather desponding

Aug 12 Conduct to the grounds to work Says that when at home he was annoyed by Mrs Shillam presuming on his having been in an Asylum domineering over him That when he went to bed for one day he had no inclination to rise the next day his bowels are costive R Rl Catharat x11 Rumat diaz secunda quaque mane

3 Working very industriously Answers questions rationally but is somewhat desponding Takes his food well

5 Working steadily in the grounds Answers rationally Takes his food well Conduct

8 Conducting himself in all respects well Works industriously in the ground. assists in the Gallery Conduct

15 Not employed as yesterday working industriously Healthy Food Conduct

Sept 14 Conducting himself in all respects well very industrious & useful Health Food Conduct

29 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Being in good bodily health & at present free from delusions Discharged Cured

Admitted 1st Augst 1848

Case Sheet Male

Brought today from Hanover-
-nah street Schedule gives
no particulars In a state
of intoxication when ad-
mitted Was in this as-
ylum from 8th May till
the 2d June of this year
See page 42

Augt 2 Takes today but very un-
steady & afflicted with head-
ache Muscular tremor very
great Kept in seclusion
Takes a little food & fluids
somewhat abstracted tongue
tolerably clean Bowels not
Rpt Attempt to leave
unaware ommit milk

3 Considerably more com-
posed today & wishes to
be allowed his clothes
To be kept out of seclusion
Cont

4 Now tolerably calm & quiet
and associates in the gallery
Takes his food well &
Bowels regular Cont

8 Conducting himself in
all respects well calm
& quiet Walks & reads
& walks in the gallery
Cont

16 Conducting himself in
all respects well
Cont

26 This unfortunate man has
arrangements to remove him
to Lunacy asylum to go to
the country to work to
amend Remains stationary
Remands with an
admonition as

Cured

admitted Augt 1848

Walker aet 23 Collu
Hamilton T.

Brought to today from Hamilton Schedule Same no particulars

Augt 2 To all questions answers with the single word Yes, sometimes Shakes about in a fidgetty manner Appears simulated Pupils somewhat contracted Talks of moderate strength Sends his urine on the floor mistakes this for a Pail Will attempt to micturate in urinal

3 Is quieter today but still incoherent in his answers Takes his food well Keeps his room cleaner Bowels easy

5 Still somewhat incoherent but is quieter & out at work Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

8 Works industriously in the grounds Still incoherent & absurd in his answers but must better than on admission Keeps his bed clean Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

14 Much the same as at last report Still somewhat incoherent Works but not so steadily as could be wished Takes his food well Cont

23 Much the same in all respects Bodily health tolerably good but mind still much astray Cont

Sept 22 Mind still much astray Talks in a rambling incoherent manner singing songs & amusing himself in a childish manner Works in the grounds Takes his food well Keeps his bed clean Is not destructive to his clothes Cont

Oct 22 No change of any consequence Much same Works in the grounds occasionally Health good Cont

admitted Augt 1st 1848

Nov 22 Little or no improvement
assists in the galleries
talks[illegible] quiet not dirty
nor destructive talks
by a rambling
speech Cont

Dec 22 Improving but much
still needs a nurse
destructive badly
good days he would
per staying here to
home Works
by Cont

1849
Feby 1 Is slowly improving Works
very industriously in the
gallery making himself
very useful Cont

March 1 May be considered convalescent
says that whisky was the cause
of his malady takes his food well
Bowels regular Assists very effectually
in the Gallery

April 1 Being in good bodily health &
free from all delusion dis-
missed as

Cured

Brought today from N° 29
Rutherford Ward Schedule
gives no particulars seems
in tolerable health pulse
moderate. Skin cool

Aug 2 It appears that a fortnight
ago a neighbour drunk came
in to his house & patients
wife to get rid of the
drunk man allowed him
to kiss her since then
patient has attacked his
wife for being unfaithful
to him. Swallowed a penny-
worth of laudanum eight
days ago & declares he cannot
leave under the disgrace
The laudanum sickened
him so that he vomited
it & besides he had pre-
viously eaten & kept down
a little breakfast & dinner

3 Talks deliriously from the
idea that his wife has
been unfaithful to him
says he does not see the
use of keeping him here
that he has his senses
as well as any man
& that he feels his degradation
to acutely ever to get over it

5 Seems somewhat improved
Is out at work in
the grounds Takes his
food well Bowels
acted Cont

8 Continues to improve slowly
& says he thinks he could
get rid of the notion
about his wife Works
industriously Bowels
acted Cont

12 Much the same as at
last report Works stead-
ily anxious to get home
but has still some idea
that his wife has been
unfaithful to him Cont
as

19 Very anxious to get home to
his wife & family but still
maintains that his wife has
been unfaithful to him
Cont

Sept 19 Much the same in all
respects except that he
now says that his wife

Ethel Admitted Augt 1st 1848

had acted foolishly & he himself had taken it to heart more perhaps than he should blame but he could not help it for her conduct was very aggravating

The Rooms in Hospital with the articles were sent yesterday heard his story & agreed to let him have them restored as

Cured ?

Wm Gray Admitted 29 Feb 1820 Gowan P. A. Leaske

Brought to Lodge from Tralleston Schedule G. Says no particulars Right lower extremity is shrunkeld & to a considerable extent paralytic & left arm in both respects still more so left foot slightly affected with tetanic makes Leg stunted

Augt 3 Says that all his bodily pains run out at his lips that his soul is gone that he is a mere shadow that he has a face like a black Expresses these ideas in a rambling & incoherent manner Takes his food well & Rl attends XII Remains engm omni motu

4 Little change still affirms that all his bodily pains run out of him & that he is in a manner dead & is none for very little use and longer in the world Cont

6 Much the same Delusions mentioned continues unchanged Takes his food well & is not unnatural over apprehensions keeps his bed clean Cont

9 Working tolerably industrious & quietly but mind still very confused & answers often very incoherently Takes his food well keeps his bed clean & is not elect[illegible] Cont

13 No change of any importance still affirms that his bodily pains run out of him daily & his bed also equally Cont

19 No change of any consequence Dirty & careless of his appearance No mental change Takes his food well Cont R Refuses Cushions frequently & that Gum ammoniac 3ij Linctus Scillæ Rubri 3ij ter die

Sept 19 Not much improvement Dirty careless often set to work by the other patients who give him tobacco Takes his food well Cont

All Mitchell August 1848

Oct 16 Does not seem his head is on the whale improve but still retains the ration But his inside has run out Acts much in the same way as re-portrayed above Cont

Nov 6 Much the same Tolerably quiet not destructive He keeps his bed clean But still believes that his bowels have run completely out very fond of sporting Takes his food well Tolerable Cont

11 In all respects as at last report Removed today by his mother Discussed Ab

Released

Robert Bell Hawk oct 29

Cardross P.

brought today from Renton
Schedule states that he
never was insane before
All 18 months No bodily
disorder preceded
Is rather furious at times
single & has children Cause
elevated by a female & want
of employment Rests
at new & full moon
stationary hears against
persons entering him Says
& dances & destroys books &
furniture & is full of
resentment towards his
friends

11 seems in good health &
spirits takes the most
quietly takes his food
well says there is nothing
wrong with his mind
& therefore there was
no occasion for sending
him here

12 conducting himself quietly
& assists in the gallery &
still affirms that there
was no necessity for
sending him here

14 Must the same answers
ordinary questions relevantly
& abstracts industriously
in the gallery Cont

19 No change or any consequence
conducts himself pretty well
Bodily health good Takes
his food well Cont
on

23 Must the same in all respects
Bodily health good Assists
in the gallery Cont

Left 23 answers question on ordi-
-inary subjects correctly
Whether there is nothing running
in his mind & that he should
have been here Is
never at rest Watches con-
-stantly to & fro in the court
yard & assists in the gallery
Cont

Oct 23 No change of any consequence
Constantly restless If he is not
to get about bodily Walks in
the grounds Cont

Nov 11 Removed today by his father
Discharged as

Relieved

Calvo print Admitted Augt 18 1848

Robert Mason aet 34
Falkirk

No Medical Patient
Mason at today from Falkirk
Has a wound of about two
inches across his throat
which is granulating This
wound appears to be in-
flicted himself seems
quiet & well

Aug 16 Complains of pain in the
vertex says that his bow-
els are very costive says
that he is annoyed by Voices
& suggestions of the devil &
other evil persons & hears
voices which command
him to do things & at times
he cannot resist R Pil
alterat x 11 Cum at ij
omni nocte

17 Very quiet & well conducted
talks rationally & says it is
only occasionally these voices
& suggestions get the better
of his judgment & lead him
astray Bowels very costive
& difficult to move

19 Granulations of wound
rather exuberant Complains
of heat in his head & headache
at times Not so much an-
noyed with the voices &
suggestions Bowels still
difficult to move R
Pil Colocynth Comp x 11 Cum
Aloes omni nocte

21 Mind keeps on the whole
tolerably calm Talks sensibly
conducts himself quietly &
wound in throat healing
Cont omnia

26 Conducting himself quietly
industriously & in all respects
well Wounds in throat going
on in well
on

Sept 8 Has continued to conduct
himself in all respects well
showing no delusions Throat
all but well Respectable
being here today & pending
Mind to make application to
remove him Discharged

Cured

Boulder Admitted Aug 1st 1848

Wm Armour Aet 31 Mar. Rel
Comm 6th Dragoon Guards
Completon

Brought today from Campbelltown
Schedule states that he was
in the asylum in 1843
Is much addicted to ardent
spirits Has in consequence
been more or less insane for
the last 6 months Has
no better or health as formerly
He was at Hillend asylum
Is not destructive nor does
he attempt suicide but when refused
in liberty has taken water
& threatened to cut his throat
Aug 20 Passed a tolerably quiet night
Has considerable Muscular
tremor Brow somewhat hot
Eye unsteady & pupil somewhat
contracted Pulse but little
accelerated Bowels Ceremens
Lond omnis Aj R Cl alterat
Ad Lunct mane omni nocte
21 Got more nervous towards
evening & had a glass of
toddy & passed the night
tolerably quietly Bowels not
yet acted Lunct pil iii
mane
23 Is getting quiet & steady
Bowels acting regularly
Takes his food well but at
least must better Reads
plays at card & walks out
about the grounds under
care of the attendant
cont
26 Conducting himself quietly
& in all respects well
Takes his food well &
Bowels regular cont
Sept 2 one
Continues to conduct himself
in all respects well Healthy
Health & pearly cont
27 In all respects quiet &
rational Health & pearly
cont
29 Removed today by his
friends Probation Perhaps
too short Discharged as

Cured

Rebf admitted Augt 9th 1848

Robert A Colville act 44 Mo
[illegible] Edwards Co Barn

Brought to Jail from Edwards Co Ill by the State [illegible] that. He has been insane for more than a year. No bodily disorder preceded the attack His maternal grand father was insane. Cause supposed to be disappointment in love. Became increasing incoherent & when reading the bible says he sees the Spirit upon the page. Thinks he has the gift of prophesy. Not dangerous or violent. His treatment shall be in an asylum. Bodily health seeming to be good. Quiet on admission

Aug 22 Got very noisy during the night Screaming & shouting & this forenoon injured one of the doors by striking it with a stick being much provoked with a threatened & has been tolerably quiet since. Directed that before admission to the yard he should put a strait-waistcoat on & be placed in a cell where light must enter to the room of the house may among be said that there be placed treating the Golden city R Pl Catherat XII Rhinat unum omni malo

24 Quiet to noisy & unruly that he ought to be sent to seclusion Talks much about the Plurality of Christ Spirit &c

26 Rather quieter but still noisy Does not disarrange & soil his room so much

30 Tolerably quiet & out of seclusion Still very much on running on religious subjects Bodily health good Cont

Sept 2 Conducting himself quietly & mostly in the house Bodily health good Expresses himself in an incoherent manner on religious subjects Employed painting the walls of the airing courts Cont

27 Continues to mark industriously Bodily health good Markedly cahy Cont

Stable Admitted Augt 21st 1848

Sept 27 Considerably improved but still seems to have some notions of the injustice of the persons who sent him here at the same time he declares himself highly satisfied with his present abode Works very industriously Health good Conts

Nov 26 Says he was sent here for ordering & interfering with people who dwell in his own property & also for throwing stones at Landlords Mind although much improved seems not yet altogether well Cheerful & contented Health good Conts

Dec 25 Much the same in all respects very contented & industrious Mind weaker Bodily health good Conts

1849
Feby 1 Had a dangerously severe attack of diarrhoea Treated with calomel & opium & then astringents Mouth was made somewhat sore but he recovered very well & is at present in his usual health Conts

March 1 Was again somewhat severely ill with dysentery Several astringents tried but seemed to get well on Sesqui nitrate of iron Is now pretty well Mind weak and fanciful supposed that the medicine were given with the intention of poisoning him

April 1 Bodily health good Works in the ground Laughs at some of his former delusions Mind is still weak Bowels regular Appetite good Conts

May 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Works with the mason Conts

June 1 Works quietly and steadily Health good Conts

July 1 Still employed with the mason Good humoured Mind weak Conts

Augt 1 Still has some notion of people annoying him if he gets out yet wants to get home

Wm Hamilton Oct 21 Lunatic Asylum

Gone St today from Marshalls Gallery office Has been drunken much for the last 6 months Imagines that his head is square that he is a most excellent marksman that he has married a French woman & has two children Went forcibly into a house two days ago & demanded dinner in full uniform Demeanour incoherent & restless Pupils of natural size but eye restless Walked quietly to his gallery To remain idle

Aug 23 Answers questions at random & often incoherently Delusions mentioned above continue Stares in a vacant manner Demeanour vacant

24 Still answers in the same incoherent & random manner but is tolerably quiet & out of seclusion Takes his food well R Pil at bed & 11 Lunat unam omni nocte Cont

26 When asked to day of what shape his head was, after some consideration said he thought it was round & put his hand up to feel & assure himself Takes his food well Bowels very Conducts himself tolerably quietly Cont

29 On Sunday much as usual sitting in the gallery in which it at present stands unless marked Takes his food well Bowels very Still not quite certain as to the shape of his head Cont

Sept 3 Much improved Talks rationally Associates in the Gallery Takes his food well & Bowels reg Cont

21 Conducting himself in all respects well except that he makes an attempt to escape Which may now be considered quite free from delusions Has not yet

Berkshire — Admitted Aug[t] 22 1848

Oct[r] 19 — Removed today the inspection of poor Benj[a] in coat hallucinations & delusions

Cured

Robert Colville from page 82

1849 Aug[t] 23 — Mind somewhat weakish and will probably always remain so Had got anxious to get home & his mother also anxious to get him Mind is very much improved but he cannot be said to be altogether well Discharged

Relieved

Wm Watt aet 22 Castlewg
Carmichael

2 nov 82 to 27 Sept 82 Carmichael Ward
Reports that he was not
permanently insane till
some days. No bodily disorder
evidenced. After attack
an unable & quiet & could partake
long insane & dull restless
Believes that the end of
the world has come. Knocks
violently at doors & breaks
windows. Often most
excited furious when
restrained. Never attempts
to suicide. Has struck
several individuals
supposed to break windows
& furniture. Has got
a purge of calomel & jalap
& solution of antimony
when excited. Remains in
on ward

27 Very noisy & violently
knocking loudly at the
door of his cell. Quiet
when taken to closet does
so quietly for some time
& then begins again. Talks
very incoherently. Takes
his food well. Rubs
macerate in throughout
frequently dull. Made
utterly coital. Bl. Blatter
x 11 Urinat in room on
night

28 Much the same noisy
restless but not obstruc-
ative. Takes his food
well. Tears the bed-
clothes & throws about
his legs & body. Cont
as

30 Quiet until 11 o'clock when
taking off throws off his
upper garments & goes
to work tearing & remov-
ing anything within his
reach. Takes his food
well. Cont

Sept 2 Not improved. Today tore
his clothes to shatters & seldom
at rest except when asleep.
Takes his food well & round
easy. Cont

8 Rather quieter. Is again
out of bed when taking but
still destructive. Gets about 3 quarters

Common Admitted Aug 26 1848

Sept 21 Still has occasionally to be sent to Solitude for destructive to his clothes He often kept at work to keep him sewing & tearing his clothes Today cut himself and smelling & unsavory speculations which has a tendency on Health

Oct 9 Must the same yet on the whole improved inasmuch as he is not so filthy & destructive Bowels rather costive R Pill Plumbi & opiatae X II Summat unsettled

Nov 9 Amuses himself much in picking all the wood he can from the floor Read occasionally & attends school Looks well Con

Dec 9 Improves, though slowly attends school regularly & tells his friends he likes it very much Does not tear his clothes now nor the boards Read a good deal Constant

1849
Jan 6 Continued to improve & being tolerably well Still sent away for account of Cholera being so ripe in the house Con Determined as

Cured

Robert Campbell act 34
T.H 17 South Hanover St.

Brought to today from Hanover Street Lehigh Co Penn
No particular history he
himself says that he
was in the old Asylum
20 years ago Is thin & pale
Walks in a rambling manner
Is fond of sleep in seclusion

Aug 26 Somewhat unsettled &
bowed about his head-dress with
Talks in a rambling incoherent
style but is not destructive
nor destructive Tongue
rather foul Will attend
to all Demands omnia recte

30 Talks in the same rambling
style somewhat careless
of his personal appearance
they he supposes he was
sent here for being
mad but is not aware
of any madness about
him Cont

Sept 1 Very filthy soils his bed
Talks in the same rambling
incoherent manner Takes his
food well Bowels easy
Cont

3 No improvement soils his
bed & tears his clothes Talks
in the same incoherent manner

6 Little change of any consequence except perhaps not
quite so violent soils his
bed Talks in a rambling
incoherent Manner Takes
his food well Cont

Sept 13 Is on the whole improving
Does not soil his bed & is
less destructive to his clothes
Has a tonic mixture Porter
& steak Cont

Oct 6 Still inhabits & confused
in mind & occasionally
wets his bed Does not tear
clothes of late
Takes his food well Bowels
easy Cont

Nov 7 On the whole considerably
improved Talks much more
rationally & admits his mind
was wrong at his admission
Takes his food well &
conducts himself quietly Cont

9 Removed today by his brother
Although not completely
recovered he is so far well

Callie Prentiss Admitted Augt 28th 1848

a case proving that he may be considered as dismissed

Cured

Alex^r Davidson act 56 Engineer
Rathgate Canal Makes declaration

Brought to Gaol by from Rathgate
Schedule states that about
14 years ago he had some aberration of
mind for about a month
in consequence of a fall on
the head Recovered perfectly
began act pranks ago No
bodily disorder preceded
the attack somewhat
dull before attack Has
been intemperate for the last
eleven years during that
period has cohabited with
a woman a prostitute
but he is otherwise quiet
& steady Always healthy
Four children by this woman
two by the other woman
33. 23. 9 & 2 years Mr Coleston
known to be insane always
imagines himself among mad
men when humour him
by going out of doors is
dull & rather low spirited
Has not attempted violence
to himself or others Only
destroys furniture since under
the idea that he is putting
machinery to rights Head
has been shaven & blistered
Has had purgatives &c
on admission

Aug^t 30 Very thirsty Wonders about
moving & removing things as if
he supposed himself at his
usual employment talks
incoherently Tongue white
moist Pulse rather weak
R Rd Abstract 7 II Lunat
asylum omni nocte de ut
supra & pediluvium Diet to be
sent to the patients ward (No 3)

Sept 1 Takes his food well Sleeps
pairs his clothes talks rather
weak R Pulse Catharsis
purged 7 XII Dunt Cumamani
3ij Ante Jentac Ablut 3i ut
supra 3ij hus mane

3 No change of any consequence
Very thirsty talks incoherently
Coat Legs somewhat swollen

15 Expecting by the Ford & rather pale
& his pulse feeble Tongue
white Appetite & sleep
Bowels Abstract Rem Gallon 3ij

Pearson Admitted Aug[t] 29[th] 1848

Sept 6 Was more than usually restless last night & took but little food although it seemed evident he was not likely to survive long an immediate post mortem was not authorized Florence this morning he was found dead & cold & stiff No external signs indicates why he died

Dead

Jas M Gibbs æt 28 Dyer

House Pt Tottenham N 140 London Road Schedule gives no particulars Is pale & thin noisy & incoherent

Sept 1 Restless noisy & incoherent Remains in seclusion where he is constantly talking in the most incoherent manner & calling about shouting the Queen &c Pt Platter atur summat unamommi nocte

2 No quieter Takes his food well Bowels slow of action pulse of moderate strength tongue coated Lumat Sul 6 mus omni nocte

3 Still as restless noisy & incoherent talking singing laughing crying Pt Tabn Camph Zij Spirits aether Nitros ℥t Spirits Chlorof punta ū ℥ij Tinct Salut Muriatis Morphiæ ℥iij Mist Camph Zij Mc Lumat ℥ij his orders

4 Not improving Noisy restless & incoherent Must usually good natured Takes his food & extra new milk Coat

8 Little change of any consequence Still noisy incoherent restless & filthy Takes his food well Bowels regular Rx Tinct Cinchon ℥ss Tinct Aurant Comp ℥iij Aqua Camph ad ℥iij M Sumat ℥ij his mitte Get Collaps & Porter Coat

12 No improvement Noisy incoherent & restless talking continually Takes his food well & has Porter Beef tea & toddy Coat

11 Quieter & drowsy Seems somewhat ashamed of his excitement Mind still very much confused Takes his food well Bowels easy Coat

21 Not improving Noisy restless filthy & destructive tearing his clothes & mauling in the yard when he gets out of seclusion Takes his food & extra well Coat

Estab Admitted 31st August 1848

Sept 27 Not much change. Except when slumbering shutters continually & twinkles every thing about. Pulse 100 rather quick. Takes his food well & has urine & bowels Drinks porter & beef tea Cont

Oct 4 Does not improve & is consequently getting exhausted from retainment. Feet are getting oedematous. Pulse getting weaker. Is losing his appetite & his back is getting excoriated from his helplessness Cont

9 When the same was tried out of seclusion & into the infirmary ward but rolled about on the floor & back to be kept back. They were from exhaustion & his appetite

14 Was calm & rational for a day as true but again become in the same state of muttering watchfulness. Talks incessantly except when lying in a drowsy state seeming to only half sleep & taking the following Rx Spirt Aether Nitros 3ij Aqua Ad ounces ij Mist Camph ℥ i ℞ Sal Mur Morph 3ij M Liniment 3ij his meals 3 hourly

16 Seems sinking through exhaustion. Appetite failing. Pulse weak & rapid. Extremities cold. Picks & tears at the bedclothes. Does not seem to be conscious of those around him. Spends about on the floor. Mat. kept constantly in bed

17 Continued to sink & this morning at 7 o'clock

Died

Lo[illegible] Hypochondriack act 25

Wrong Pt today grown
worse Gallons after Should
Sends no particulars
Regarding him Is warm to
as skelton Tongue brown a
dry pulse 120 exceedingly
compressible Put to bed
with additional blankets &
warming pan to his feet Gat
some arrow root & milk
A few cups of tea & thirty
drops of laudanum as he says
he is easily affected with opium
Sept 2 2 Was only three times up at stool
during the night Is warmer
& expresses himself more com-
fortable very dry Mouth and
the weak very feeble as regards
speech & breath Is to have peppermint
Milk arrow root & porter
R Sal Hemhi Opii Tinct XXIV
Liquor ammon ter mihes
3 Tongue still brown & dry
pulse 100 more sleep
& not quite so compressible
stools rather dark & clay
Pony Yesterday Takes milk &
gruel Some
4 Much the same as at last
report stool still dark
& fetid but not so frequent
R Aloes Pulveris Zij Tinct
Opii gtt XX Tinct Cinnamomi
Zij Aquæ Menthæ ℥ viij
8 Pulse still above 100 Tongue
brown & dry A Quarter glass
on Sunday Yesterday took his food
rather better
12 May R the same as at last
report Consolidation of the
lower lobe of left lung
Appears to result partly from
obstruction of inferior bronchial
branches R Infusa Quassiæ
Zij Tinctu Cinchonæ Pallidæ Zij mis-
ceantur Zij ter in die
Sept 14 Not much change Pulse is
less frequent but becomes
more frequent if he sits up
Tongue still
dry Looseness of bowels
Extract Cort
26 Very much improved with
exception of most part of the
day Pulse pretty good but
rises when he sits up from chest Yesterday he took

Admitted Sept 1st 1843

Sept 9 Improving daily Mind tolerably well & strength improving Takes his food well Cont

15 Continues to improve in flesh & strength Mind composed Cont

22 Rapidly improving in flesh & strength Mind composed No delusions Cont

28 Being in good health & free from delusions Discharged

Cured

Brought to Colney from Dobbies Lane
Middle Names no particulars
Has been three times in this asylum
Last time from the
13th May till the 30 Aug
when he was taken away
by his relatives against
the Surgs 45

Sept 4 Badly Health Speaks
Good Talks much in a
low tone & an incoherent
manner Tolerably quiet
& decile Moments Eats
his food well

6 Much the same Mutters
& talks in a low tone to
himself & imaginary Persons
Bowels ordered to be
confined Pil Calomel gr viii
Comp xii Liniment camph
omni mane

8 Much the same in all respects
Mutters a good deal to him-
self Takes his food well
Walks in the grounds

12 Cont
Little change of any conse-
quence Badly Health
Good Cont

17 Cont working in the grounds
Badly Health Good Mind
much confused Cont

27 Works tolerably industriously
in the grounds Answers
questions when addressed
Talks much to himself
Takes his food well
Pil Colchicum xii Liniment
camph omni mane

Oct 27 Works tolerably industriously
in the Grounds
Talks more freely & often
asks to get work Cheerful
is much altered & improved
in health Cont

Nov 25 Much the same Converses
more freely Works readily
when the weather permits
Badly health Good Cont

Dec 25 Continues to conduct himself
quietly in all respects but
must continues much Takes
his food well Gets a full &
-ordinarily to keep his bow-
els regular as otherwise
they are apt to get costive

Admitted Sept 3 1848

1849
July 1 Had an attack of diarrhoea treated promptly with astringents & was soon relieved, mind seems considerably brighter & he is anxious to get home Health good Conduct

15 Has been on the whole much better in his mind & his friends perceive it & are anxious to remove him such being the case & his mind seems probably as well as ever it will be he discharged as

Cured

Alex[r] McDonald 45 Sing[r]
Login R. Adm Forfar Asylum

Brought to day from Causeway[end]
Village of Bank of Logie Pitcur
states that he has been mean
for 12 months but more
prominently during the last 4
Was never insane previously
No bodily disorder preceded
the attack Has been very
intemperate No relatives
known to have been insane
Got a stroke on the eye 12
months ago cause supposed
to be intemperance Better
in prison Not suicidal
Has threatened to injure
others Never in an asylum
Left Q. Kept in seclusion last night
& continued himself quiet
Talks in a rambling &
circumstantial manner
Bodily health seems tolerable
good Scalp coal like
Pupils Tongue moist
rather white Has V.
Alterat x 11 Sumat unc
omni nocte

10 Rather slow in apprehending
& talks circumstantially Tal[k]s
his food well Sort

12 Much the same Answers tole
ably pertinently but muddled
Talks of delusions about
large sums of money he has ha[d]
& treated out of especially
£700 which he says an uncle in
America left him lately He
is very anxious to go to Grenock
to see about this affair Cont
om

16 Much the same as at last
report Delusions the same
Health pretty good Cont
om

20 Anxious to write to his friends
to be put on the list Board
& he says he has plenty of
funds & can well afford it
Talks at times about the money left him by
his uncle Tackles his food
well Cont

Oct[r] 11 Continues very much the same
as reported above this Morning
When he was desired
to rise from bed he was found
the full & unable to stand Can
answer yes or no to questions

Schumer Admitted Sept 8 1848

when roused. Pupils sluggish
Respt shamed a bleather applied
also a turpentine enema admin
istered which acted copiously
at 10 a m had a severe convul-
sive attack resembling
epilepsy except that the
breathing was not much af-
fected — for 3 hours after
wards had clonic movements
of the arms took some tablets
& cheese but nothing solid
12 Rather more sensible to day
but still requires to be
roused to answer questions
Pulse quiet Pupils sluggish
Bowels opened Urine & Faeces
Retained Ord Lunch Bromide
Conf
13 Still requires to be roused
to answer questions & to be
fed Only takes liquids Reads
this urine by natural effort
seems perhaps disposed to help
but is so stupid as to render
certainty not absolute Ord
Rl Altrat. XII Sumat unam
omni nocte
17 Seemed to be getting some rest
better but again subsided & there
is a constant shrugging movement
of left shoulder & constantly
crawling & rolling about so that
he requires to be kept in a room
with a bed on the floor Takes
his food well Appears
Redeunter accepit Conf Ordo
21 Much the same Cannot be kept
in bed crawls about in search
of imaginary things & seems
in a dream Movements of shoulder
still continue Takes his food
well Bowels open Conf Ord
28 More quiet but very little
change otherwise Takes his
food well although he
answers questions distinctly
does not seem to be aware
where he is Rubat Ol Hord Sil
Nov 7 Not improving Indeed large bedsores
are forming which are likely to
carry him off Cont Ord
9 Bedsores increasing to a fearful extent
cannot last long Takes his food &
extras well Otherwise
11 Exhausted by the bedsores which
formed on every prominence at
10¾ a.m.

Dr

Jas Ritchie Act 26
Govan Fs

Brought today from Tralston
Asylum & finds no particulars
seems very stupid & has very
considerable difficulty in for-
mulating
Sept 16 Kept quietly employed a com-
plaint says he was a footman
& then a merchants driver very
considerable difficulty in for-
mulating R Pil alterat ℥ij
Sumat Primam omni nocte
R Infusi Cinchon fusci
℥x/℥ Tinct Rhamnomini ℥ij
Acidi sulphy dilut ℥i m
Sumat ℥ij his mane & omn

18 Quiet & Quiet very stupid
Great want of muscular
energy Keeps himself tol
erably clean To have shave
& shorter coat

20 Stupid & childish Memory
seems much gone Walks in
a tottering manner Takes his
food well Coat

23 Totters about in a slow methodl
manner Very stupid but has
an inclination to dress himself
out in the most manner to which
he was accustomed Shaving seem
a foot man Takes his food
well Coat

27 Much the same as at last
report Slow & stupid Com-
plains if anyone prevents
him doing as he pleases Takes
his food well Coat

Oct 2 Conducts himself tolerably quiet
Talks slowly with difficulty
in a childish manner Walks
in a tottering manner There seems
a want of firmness & decision
in his muscular actions Coat

Nov 21 Difficulty of walking & es-
pecially of speaking very
much Understood Indeed
speaks with very great
difficulty & is getting very
stupid Fell twice out
of bed last night &
the floor on the floor
Coat

22 Removed today by the
Inspectors of Poor to Dum-
barton to whose parish he
belongs Discharged as

Relieved

Quarter Sessions 15 1848

Joseph Stewart Aet 50 Single
Occ. Stewart Register Carlisle Cumb.

Brought today from Carlisle
Schedule states that he has
been insane for four weeks
past attack first subject to fits
usually to lowness of spirits
complains of pain stomach & also
of head very generous &
benevolently disposed himself al-
though he has suffered much
His parents were both much
troubled eccentric Head never
injured occasionally intemperate
Fits and rumours of every body
always thinking they are taking
advantage of him supposes
his bowels are hanging out &
that his head has been taken
Not he has been a great sinner
& must go to Hell Not attended
Made an attempt on a neighbour
saying as he was going to Hell
he intended him along with him
Not destructive No treatment
Never in an Asylum

Sept 17 Does not talk much
seems dull & downhearted
is rather thin & pale tongue
moist but white at base
rather much A small
ulcer above ankle joint very
has caused considerable
inflammation of lower third
of right leg to be confined
to bed a blue poultice
R Pil Hydrarg gr XII Ammon
unguen omn noctis

19 Still confined to bed leg
being still considerably
inflamed seems still low-
spirited & disinclined to
talk R Infusi Gentianae
Conpos ℥ij ad ℥iss Tinct Cardamom
℥ij Acid Sulph dilut ℥ij ad
Ammon ℥ij bis indies

21 Matter forming over external
malleolus & inflammation
becoming circumscribed
To have steaks & porter
cont

23 Tumour matured & matter
evacuated Wound very discha-
ging Wants it still dressed
Pulse Takes his food well
Leg improving but mind
still despondent Takes his
food well Cont

2th Lab Admitted Sept 16th 1848

Oct 27 Much the same as reported above Dull & quiet Eyes roam all but dull Takes his food as much cont.

Nov 27 Sometimes supposes his neck is broken as his side severely bruised & such like Attempt Rouse recollect any injury Takes his food well cont

Dec 27 No improvement still has notions of his limbs being out of joint bones broken &c Quiet & cool Takes his food well cont

1849
Jany 29 No change still retains the delusions mentioned above Health good cont

March 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good but imagines all sorts of things the matter with himself such as his limbs being dislocated as some of his bones broken that he is very weak &c cont

April 1 But working in the grounds Works very industriously and looks better also thinks his health better cont

23 Much the same as at last report Wrought steadily in the grounds Health good but had still the same fixed hypochondriacal delusion His friends thinking he could now do well enough at home removed him today Discharged as

Relieved

Hugh McCallum aet 30
Dranamurchan

Brought to day from Arenamurchan. No History given no particulars except that he has been insane for some or ten years & that upon his mind usually takes a fixed channel seems in good bodily health Constant Eng Cert

Sept 18 Talks quietly in Gaelic in an incoherent manner Rather obstreperous & obstinate & confined in seclusion Takes his food well & Filthy attire x11 dement unconscious

20 Refuses to put on his clothes & come out of his seclusion room Talks much Takes his food well Cont

22 Continuing himself more quietly Scrapes off long standing accumulation which settles upon his person Cont

26 Sits about in corners as he lies upon the ground quietly Takes his food well Cont

Oct 1 No change of any consequence Takes his food well Keeps his bed clean Bowels regular Cont

Nov 1 No mental improvement Talks much incoherent nonsense in Gaelic Bodily health good Cont

Dec 1 No change of any consequence Bodily health Cont Got his eyes blackened a fortnight ago, no one can tell how & he is to unbelle himself to be able to indicate the person Cont

1849
Jan 1 No change of any consequence Bodily health pretty good Cont

Feby 1 In all respects as reported above Still & pitifully Health tolerable Cont

March 1 Much the same in all respects Cont

April 1 No change of any consequence appreciable Cont

Admitted 16th Sept 1848

May 2	Admitted Dr dull dirty & stupid Takes his food well and is generally not much inclined to molest his fellows except that sometime he is somewhat noisy Cond
June 2	In all respects as at previous report Cont
July 2	In all respects as reported above Bodily health good Cont
Augt 2	No change
Sept 2	As reported above
Oct 2	Minor very weak Health good Cont
Nov 2	As above
Dec 2	No change
25	Removed Today No change Bodily health good Desires sent as ~~returned~~

Returned

Hugh McDonald 30
Arkansas

Brought to today from Arkansas. Schedule gives no particulars except that he has been insane for five or six years. Cannot speak English. Seems in good bodily health

Sept 14 Rather unruly requires to be kept in seclusion. Takes his food well. Will attempt to escape at all times

19 More subdued. Will be treated out of seclusion today. Talks a good deal but attends to Gaelic. Attendants says it is very incoherent. Bodily health good. Bowels open. Takes his food well

Cont

21 Still chatters much. Talking to himself in Gaelic. Takes his food well. Keeps his bed clean. Cont

24 Must the same. A case of dementia in which little change is to be expected. Health good. Keeps his bed clean. Cont

27 No change of any consequence. Talks very much but it is all in Gaelic. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont

Oct 1 Very the same in all respects. Health good. Keeps his bed clean. Cont

Nov 1 No change of any consequence. Bodily health good. Nourishment. Cont

Dec 1 Well as reported above. Health good. Cont

1849
Jany 1 No change of any consequence. Bodily health good. Cont

July 2 Much the same in all respects. Conducts himself orderly quietly. Health good. Cont

March 2 No change of any consequence. Bodily health good. Cont

April 2 Much the same in all respects. Bodily health good. Works in the grounds. Cont

May
June
July
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Sept
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Nov
Dec
1850
Jany
Feby
March
April
May
June
July

Admitted Sept 16 1848

May 2	Bodily health good but mind weak Works industriously in the ground On the whole conducts himself quietly & is not dirty nor destructive Cont
June 2	No change of any consequence Cont
July 2	No change since last report Cont
Augt 2	No change
Sept 2	As reported above
Oct 2	Complains of worms of poison put in his food &c
	No change
Nov 2	As above
Dec 2	No change
31	Much the same in all respects
1850	
Jany 31	In all respects the same as before. C. Oscenia.
Feby 28	Cleanly although not very tidy in his habits. Mind feeble and confused Behaves quietly will not employed at present. Speaks little. Bodily functions natural. R.O.
March 31	Indolent and slovenly. Mind very weak. Never employed Seems always very quiet Answers few questions rationally indeed he speaks very little at all. Health good. Cont. Oscenia.
April 30	Speaks only when spoken to does not employ himself Behaves quietly. Untidy in his appearance. Bodily health good C. Oscenia.
May 31	Demeanor quiet and cleanly Speaks little Health good C. Oscenia
June 15	As before. C. Oscenia.
July 15	Bodily functions natural. Speaks chiefly when he is questioned and then answers very briefly. Seems contented. Cleanly in habits. Behaves quietly. C. Oscenia.
Aug 15	Much the same. C. Oscenia
Sept 15	No change. Cont. Oscenia.
Oct 15	Much as before in every respect
Nov 15	Bodily health good. Mind miserably weak. Cleanly in habits. C. Oscenia.
Dec 4	Discharged this day at the desire of the Superintendent

Returned

Thomas Murrat 62 Mason
Cumming for Alex. Lennox Inspect

Brought to Colney from Kelvinsmoor
Schedule states, that he never
was insane before nor in any
asylum Has been insane since May
1847 Subject to haemorrhage
from different parts of the
body often but not of late
Is passionate & stubborn
Has four children alive eldest 30
youngest 18 Has sister mother
& son have been insane Unem-
barrassed circumstances &
his son's unhealthy & reckless
& dissipated habits & friends
acquaintances Fancies that
the medical men are combined
to poison him & that they ex-
ercise a mysterious influence
over him which he cannot
control Disease increasing
Has threatened frequently to
hang himself & has attempted
to cut his throat Strikes the
members of his family & not
destructive Has had purgative
alterative cold applications
to head & the cold douche

Sept 23 Tolerably quiet but rather
desponding Seems to have a
pretty correct reasonable view of
his conduct since he became
insane says he was at first
violent & confined in a strait
waistcoat & that this began 18
months ago Hopes and will
be able to cure him of breaded-
ness which he is much an-
noyed by Is rather pale tongue
white & flabby pulse not
unusually soft full & moderate

24 Wishes to be sent home to his
friends & says he cannot live
here Ry Rei Calomel gr vi Jalap
unam omnia mane Repetatur
cras R Infusi Cinchonae
fregidae ℥xii Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ss
Acidi Sulph dilut ℥ii M
Sumat ℥iij his quotidie

2 6 Very anxious to get home &
says he was stolen or money
from his friends in a very dis-
honorable manner & that there
is no use in keeping him here
as he will never be better

28 Quiet & the same talks of him
being stolen money from his
friends & mentions that he

Admn Att Asylum Sept 22 1848

Oct 1 Constantly talking of being allowed to return to his friends that he will never do well here &c Takes his food tolerably well & conducts himself peaceably Cont

14 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good appetite Takes his food well Cont

Nov 14 Talks much to himself & often asks to get home says his friends are not aware that he may & states a wrong that there that he will never get better here Takes his food well & is taking a tonic mixture Cont

25 Dr Cole has taken to tell long stories to himself Were the hearty two persons the one principally whom he addresses by the name of Thomas & the other a tall persons called the wheelman who converses with Thomas viz the Chief Speaker When asked to explain the duality he says that when he gets on the wheel or rather when this tall person whom he sees very often gets on the wheel or walks in a circle or forms circles the conversations between him and Thomas commence These conversations usually relate to what has been done during the last year or so often to patients are much annoyed but as the dialogs sometimes take place during the night complain of their sleep Cont

Dec 25 Much the same in all respects Gets what he calls "On the wheel" & talks to Thomas for hours Takes his food well Cont

1849

Jany 5 Felt very sick & cold two days ago Took a calomel purge & opium powder with 5 drops of Laudanum & other medicaments Continued with the compound mixture & medication to morn A little this morning but upon the whole much better

John Dickson Johnston 30

Brought today from Glasgow under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the procurator fiscal, Schedule states that he was put running until 2 months in the High Street. Is in dirty rags. To have a warm bath & to be well washed

Sept 27 Slept tolerably well last night asked to get leave to see mother today gives as a reason that he has been without sleep for several days & is still very sleepy. Takes his food well. Says he went out & came home with the Register from Bombay talked with her at and has been drinking so much that he scarcely knows how or when he got to Glasgow but is of opinion that he came by steam from Liverpool. Reports his arrival at Port Glasgow. Has a small excoriation on prepuce & slight discharge from urethra. R Copaibae ℥ij Ext Cardom ℥ij Syrup Zingib ℥ij Aq Menthae ℥ij ter indies

28 Conducts himself quietly talks rationally & is very sorry for what has occurred. Takes his food well. R Pil Hydrarg ℥i Extract i omni nocte

29 His friend Mr Young & one of the friends got the warrant withdrawn & his enemy removed from Dennistoun

Cured

Admitted Sept 26th 1848

Wm Patterson 34 Shoemaker M. Eth

Brought today from No 78
Shotwell Street Glasgow
Where he states that he never
was insane before nor in the
asylum Had been ill for
seven or eight weeks Complains of
Influenza in February the sequalae
of which Chiefly inflamation
of the lungs Been about nine
little July when the first
symptoms of insanity first
showed themselves Was
of cheerful disposition & steady
& industrious Had 2 children
both are dead No relatives
insane Head not injured
Cause supposed to have been
the effects left by the Influenza
Present appearance calls for
dead relatives Watches intently
a great deal Talks much
about railway engineering
Not suicidal Has attempted
to strike his brother Tears
clothes & occasionally knocks his
Left 28 Mind very confused Tumbles
about the floor with his head
sometimes lying nearly naked
on the floor Memory quite
incoherently Judge of moderate
frequency Pupils slightly
dilated Tongue rather foul
Bowels costive
R Kl Alterat x11 Ammon
acet omni nocte
29 Must be the same Had his clothes
put on them but put them
off again & chooses rather to
sit about on the floor
Takes his food well Bowels
opened by the pills Takes
his food well Coat
30 Was up dressed & tidy today
but talks about in a careless
manner & cannot be got to con-
duct himself orderly like
the rest of his fellow patients
Oct 4 Abstinence & medicament but
keeps on his clothes more
does not soil his bed
Takes his food well
Bowels easy Coat
8 There is dullness on percussion
& absence of respiration in the
lower portion of lung & pain
left Has considerable cough
Pulse 106 Had a bath

State Admitted Sept 9 1848

Applied to lower part of left
side of chest by lying
following 12 Minute Quinine
Mixt Sulphate Tablespoonful
Turpentine Liniment
Stiff considerable dullness
at lower part of thorax Cough
somewhat troublesome especially
at present Mouth constricted
Takes his food make Has
a steak & porter Continue
Must the same in all respects
Cough moves pretty [illegible]
come at night sometimes
wets the bed sometimes
gets up & disarranges the
beds of other patients
Cont as usual
No improvement Lies constantly
in bed can't sit up too
much to stand on his feet
Looks pale Head constantly
Pulse 100 per minute &
rather small & thready
Gets Porter & Eggs Beefsteak
Cont Select Quarters Head & Shoulders
Must the same in all
respects Lies constantly
in bed Makes no effort
to keep himself clean
Mind very much Bowels
costive Takes his food
well Cont
This afternoon suddenly
became very ill (that is to say
much worse) Breathing short
laboured Lungs evidently
much engorged Pulse very
feeble Surface & extremities
cold Notwithstanding the
exhibition of cordial & external
warmth he did not rally
but at a quarter to 7 P M
Died

Adm Cuff Act 32 Hamilton
John Hynes Kelly 4/4 St Clyde St

Strong but tolerably from 47 King st
Glasgow Respectable states that
he had no premonitory attack
began in March last No bodily
disorder preceded It merely
found of Children Has general
character is simplicity Has
a child of 12 years one of
fourteen months His father
was insane & his brother intem-
perate Was at first violent
but now more rational &
often depressed Imagines he
sees his dead Children Some
months ago attempted to
throw himself over a window
Has struck his wife & not
destructive Was in Mary
Asylum in April & May with
benefit & has since been
getting country air in Ireland

Sept 28 Looked the right tolerably
quietly & rather than pale
Has the usual names of left foot
Pulse of moderate frequency
but not very firm Answers
ordinary questions tolerably
relevantly He takes his food
well & R Pil Act x11
Sumat unam omni nocte
Spes Set

29 Pale & thin & has a depressed
look Mind evidently weak
Smart & docile Takes his food
tolerably well Cont

Oct 2 Dull & rather stupid Answers ordinary questions tolerably correctly Takes his food well Pulse & Mus R Pil quiet Cont

4 Rather dull Rather & manner Answers question tolerably relevantly & evidently intelligible but has not touched any delusions since admission Cont

9 Smart & dull Rather careless of his personal appearance His shirt is very much torn at the wrist & collar but he cannot himself or another put it on He himself gives no satisfactory account of its being in that condition Takes his food well Cont

25 Dull & stupid Careless of his clothes & appearance Cont

Admitted Sept 27 1848

Nov 17 Had become very ~~unruly~~ apt to strike others attempted to get out of the evening court doors by main force attacked a patient two days ago a a severe scuffle ensued they were all separated & he sent to cells

20 on promising conduct himself more quietly was let out of seclusion Cont

Dec 10 Not so apt to strike but is very quarrelsome annoying in his applications for liberty takes his food well but taste unfavorably thus 2o getting tea & porter with ~~of~~ tonic mixture Cont

1849 Jany 5 Did not improve any in appearance yesterday was seized with the Homeby a purging of watery stools Eyes sunk in & extremities become blue & cold Had a gumme calomel & gum powder with hot brandy toddy Calomel was the medicine only applied In the afternoon he became warmer but the vomiting & purging returned Ice Had then a teaspoonful of turpentine Did not sleep at all for 4 hours after that he began to sweat & every now & then small sloughs fell Had urgent pain but could take nothing but cold water Had a rigor & then a shiver but would not allow them to remain on skin pulse is to take anything but cold water is gradually sinking Asks is he worse more sensible than ever complains of pain

6 6 that Calomel only & considerably improved today Pulse stronger & tongue a little foul Makes a little urine Repeat Calomel

On Young Homeby Cont

2 98 Got melee a mash up for a meal when he became drowsy & fell asleep With the eye of dimeter this also disappeared & he is again tolerably well

28 Feby Health good 154

Ward Record Act 40 Schedule A

Brought today from Nº 6 North Hanover Schedule
Gives no particulars
Seems pretty rational Has a black eye says he has been drinking for some time past that his friends intended to send him here some days ago but he eluded them & came up until this morning

Oct 10 Mind calm Answers questions correctly Admits he has been drinking Little after effects Memories are poor Mobile Slept quietly Takes his food well Will attempt to remain orderly & quiet Cont

12 Continues quiet & rational Anxious to know when he is to get out says he has driven many a patient to the asylum Must do his best to please them Cont

14 Is all respects seemingly quite rational Bodily health good Cont

16 Is all respects well Cont

20 Removed today by his uncle Discharged as cured

Admitted Act^s 9^th 1848

1 Mc Leod Lem[ps]on aet 41
7th

Brought today from Glasgow this evening Medical gives no particulars The person who brought him says he had been drinking for a considerable time past & that he had attempted suicide by cutting his throat Late in the evening when admitted sent to the ward where the best surveillance exists

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Oct 10 Denies he has been drinking much but says his wife has & any drinking of his has been from grief at her abandoning all control says she has left him several times that she was in this asylum at the end of last year some months ago he has a shock of palsy which left his right side weak & the arm is still so much affected he cannot write There is a tremulousness about & a difficulty of articulation which accepts to be produced by the paralysis probably aggravated by his habit of intemperance R R all active & well human nature

12 Does not seem quite so stupid or tremulous today still a shuffling gait as the effect of his misfortunes Takes his food well Bowels seem regular

14 Talks tolerably rationally & says the blame of his drinking on the conduct of his wife Takes his food well sleeps well Bowels seem regular

16 Seems to have got quite rid of most of the muscular tremor but has still a slight difficulty of articulation & displacement of letters of right arm Talks pretty rationally Takes his food well Bowels regular

21 Has improved very much since admission appears very grateful for the attention he receives 8 years ago he was never sober

Wm Adams Admitted Aug 1848

The same man A Settle whisky puts him out of his senses & especially for the last 2 years Two years ago he had an attack of apoplexy & again 10 months ago & his mind has been much weaker since

Oct 31 Conducting himself in all respects well Talks rationally Takes his food well Style Rhymes has impute as the cause of his drinking Court

Nov 7 Removed to day by his wife The hemlock committed himself smelt & well for most of the time he resided here & exhibited no authentic delusions discovered as

Cured

1848 John Mason from page 13

July 20 No change of any consequence a case of dementia Works in the meat house Believes that his father who is dead is alive That people impregnate the air with noxious gases to do him injury Health this [illegible] to prevent [illegible] Remains

Aug 20 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Conduct

Sept 20 Much the same in all respects Has given up working in the meat house, is now chiefly employed in the grounds Bodily health tolerably good Conduct

Oct 20 No change of any consequence Bodily health pretty good Assists in the gallery & assaults in the grounds Conduct

Nov 20 Much the same in all respects Quiet & speaks little unless spoken to no abatement of his delusions Health tolerable Conduct

Dec 20 No change of any consequence Bodily health passable Conduct

1849

March 1 Was since last report confined to the meat house in consequence of the prevalence of cholera No mental or bodily change Takes his food well Conduct

April 1 Still employed in the meat house Mental, weak and fanciful Occasionally goes over to meat house on Sundays Health tolerable Conduct

May 1 Much the same in all respects still employed in the meat house Conduct

June 1 No change of any consequence Health good

July 1 Mental, weak Delusions the same Employed as mentioned above Conduct

Aug 1 No change

Sept 1 As reported above

Oct 1 Much the same

Nov 1 No change

Dec 1 No change

31 Quiet & peaceable Reads his bible much

	13	Admitted Feby 16 1848
	1850	
	Jany 31	Health good and otherwise the same as formerly. C.O.
	Feby 28	Behaves well being cleanly quiet industrious and civil attentive to his appearance, Bodily functions natural. C. Ormerod.
	March 31	No change of any consequence. C. Ormerod.
	April 30	Bodily functions natural. Behaves well being cleanly and peaceable. C. Ormerod.
	May 31	No change C. Ormerod.
	June 15	Health the same. C. Ormerod.
	July 15	Conducts himself quietly answers some questions rationally. Mental powers somewhat weak. Cleanly attentive to his personal appearance and orderly Bodily functions natural. C. Ormerod.
	Aug 15	No change. C. Ormerod.
	Sept 15	Has complained much of pain in loins which came on after lifting something heavy whilst working in the wash House. He has been using purgatives stimulating liniments &c. but still complains of it a little. Quiet and cleanly. C. Ormerod.
	Oct 15	Looks much better since last report. Mental powers in the same state. C. Ormerod.
	Nov 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mental powers as formerly. Behaves himself playing at skittles. C. Ormerod.
	Dec 15	No change of consequence. C. Ormerod.
	1851	
	Jany 4	Was this day by warrant of the Sheriff transferred to another asylum.

Received.

1848 Abstract of Mc Farlane from Jan

Oct 24 Paddy Heath & Joak Was sent to the asylum in consequence of wandering mind about in quest of hyde roads mutton tails &c This subject is he does not seem to have quite given up although it is much less now & he says he must now attend to his work & provide for his family Cont on

Nov 25 Much the same as at last report Paddy Heath very good sorry anxious to get home says it is of no consequence what men his motions regarding work he is now put for his own & wishes to support his family Cont

Dec 24 Conducts himself quietly & works industriously Mind is weak but he is very anxious to get home to support his wife & family Parish authorities same term yesterday & agreed to give him a trial at home

1849 Jan 3 Much the same as at last report perhaps rather more restless to get home Removed today by the Parish authorities / Discharged as

Relieved

Page 7 admitted 15th Jany 1848

Robt Gardiner from pag 12

1848
Nov 26 No change of any consequence ~~that~~ annoyed by Mr Napier who uses a Guyse ~~of~~ Magnetism to ~~torment~~ him Admits in the gallery Cont
Dec 26 No change of any consequence Bodily health tolerably good Cont on

1849
Feby 1 Much the same in all respects Cont
March 1 Still entertains the delusion that Mr Napier works supernaturally upon him by means of the Guyse & Galvanism Health tolerable Cont
April 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good No abatement of his delusions Cont on
May 1 No abatement of his delusions Walks in the grounds and in the gallery Health good Cont
June 1 In all as reported above Health good Cont
July 1 Retains the delusion about his being tormented through the mediums of a 'Guyse' and may return home in the galloway Cont
Augt 1 No change
Sept 1 No change appreciable Cont
Oct 1 Complains much of being tormented by the 'Guyse' magnetism
Nov 1 No change
Dec 1 No change
31 No change

1850
Jany 31 Usually very quiet but a few days quarrelled and fought with a fellow patient No change in mental state — Bodily health good. C.O.
Feby 28 Since last report has been quiet and well behaved. Sometimes speaks spontaneously and seldom in answer to queries. Clean and attentive to his appearance Bodily functions natural C. Oswald
March 31 Bodily health good. Behaved well since last report. Remains weak and confused. C. Oswald

Prog 12 Admitted 16th July 1848

April 30 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Quiet and well behaved. Answers many questions rationally. Cleanly in his habits. P. Mania.

May 31 Annoyed by Mr Napier and exaggerations but suitable. Health good. P. Mania.

June 15 No change. P. Mania.

July 15 Considers himself pretty well at present. Mental symptoms remain the same state. He is cleanly in habits. Bodily functions natural. P. Mania.

Aug 26 Removed

Relieved

1848 Mr D. McFarlane pay

Nov 26 Sems on the whole improving says it is of no consequence what were his notions about roads He is now able & willing to work for his family & I trust however he may wander from the right path at times he will find good Count

7 Admitted 19 Lang 1848

Jas McLuckie par

1848
Nov 26 On the whole pm Prosnell. Works industriously & tolerably correctly Anxious to get another trial at home Bodily health good Cont

Dec 26 Must the same in all respects conducting himself tolerably well but seems weak Anxious to get Home Bodily health pretty good Cont

1849
March 1 Was kept in the west house since last report in consequence of the prevalence of Cholera Bodily health good Is very anxious for another trial at home Mind not likely to be ever very bright again Cont

April 1 Bodily health good Mind weak but free from delusions Anxious to get away but probably if he got out he would again resort to ardent spirits Cont

May 1 Still employed in the west house Anxious to get home Cont

June 1 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Cont

July 1 Mind weakish but free from delusions Anxious to get another trial at home Works in the west house Cont

" 20 As at last report Removed today by proper authorities Discharged as

Cured

4 Admitted Jan 19 1848

Thos Sterrat page 95

1849

Feby 6 Bodily health tolerable although he is very pallid thin & pale No mental improvement state the wheelman carries on long dialogues with Thomas Bowels require opening medicine occasionally cont

March 6 Little or no change appreciable says it is all nonsense keeping him here for that he is not a lunatic but has merely got on the wheel & keeping him here is not at all calculated to get him off Threatens if he be not sent home to make away with himself Takes his food well cont

April 6 Much the same talks almost constantly and disturbs the patients at night still threatens suicide if not liberated cont

May 6 No change of any consequence appreciable cont

June 6 No change cont

July 6 Still talks to himself in the third person What is the wheelman talks to Thomas and retails to him long discourses about various matters chiefly about what he saw when about to be sent here and since he came here Anxious to see his warrant of commital as he calls it affirming that none exists Bowels easy cont

25 No mental change Bowels were somewhat slow yesterday got Sulph Magnes 3ij which evacuated them freely sometimes gets excited on the subject of getting home

August 24 Often gets very excited on the subject of getting home and sometimes strikes at those who prevent his going out at the door Often threatens suicide & conceals sharp pieces of iron about his person such and required to be searched and watched closely

Sept 22 Little or no change Often gets very excited and threatens suicide Bowels require medicine occasionally

Oct 22 No change of any consequence Often much excited Often does much & threatens suicide Takes his food well

Nov 22 Much the same in all respects Often very excited

Admitted Sept 22 1848

Dec 22. Much the same in all respects

1850

Jany 31 No change of any kind since last report. C. O.

Feby 28 Very talkative says that it is not he but the "Clothes wringing wheel" that talks with the nurses. At times becomes much depressed cannot talks and cries like a child. Behaves well. On the whole pretty quietly. Bodily health pretty good. C. Insania.

March 31 No change since last report. Cont. Insania.

April 30 Writes numerous letters to his friends imploring them to come for him and declaring that he is in great distress. Cleanly in habits. Appetite good. Fond of playing draughts at which game he seems to have few equals. Bowels open. C. Insania.

May 31 Complains of a "clothes wringing wheel" in his head putting words into his mouth and keeping him from sleep. Health good C. Insania.

June 15 Much the same. C. Insania.

July 15 Very anxious to get from the asylum and constantly enquiring how he may effect his liberation — Mind confused and weak. At times depressed though talkative when in this state — Knows his brother the medical officer — calls him by name — but gives no reason why he thinks so. Cleanly in habits. Bodily functions regular. C. Insania.

Aug 15 No change. Cont. Insania

Sept 15 As before. Cont. Insania.

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Insania

Nov 15 Mind weak and confused. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Insania.

Dec 15 Continually talking in the most absurd manner about getting home to the medical officer, mother — the wheelbarrow &c — Health pretty good C. Ins —

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Robert Grant Page 18

1849

March 2 Bodily health good Works in the grounds & in the garden Mind weak Still imagines that a Mr Wilson owes him a sum of money Takes his food well Conducts himself gentlemanly Cont

April 2 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Works with the Gardener Cont

May 2 little or no change appreciable Cont

June 2 Still employed about the garden Health good Cont

July 2 Still works with the gardener very quiet and industrious Bodily health good Cont

August 2 No change

Sept 2 No change of any consequence Cont

Oct 2 Much the same in all respects Cont

Nov 2 No change

Dec 2 No change

31 No change

1850

Jan 31 No change of any kind observed since last report. C.O.

Feb 28 Employed daily in the garden No change in his mental condition. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ossenia.

March 31 No change of any kind since last report. C. Ossenia.

April 30 Employed in the grounds Bodily health good Quiet and well behaved C. Ossenia.

May 31 Behaves quietly. Assists the gardener. Whilst feeding the pigs two or three days ago was bitten by the boar on ball of right thumb. Wound was approximated with strapping and plaster. Health good Bowels costive Ol. Ricini ℥ij

June 15 Hand now well. In other respects as before. Ol acted C. Ossenia.

July 15 Mind very weak — Says that he worked for a Mr Wilson and that he owes him some thing but says it was his being employed daily in the garden. Cleanly and very quiet. Bodily functions natural Cl

Admitted 29 Feby 1848

Aug 15- Works daily in the garden. Mind weak. Health good. Cert. Dementia

Sept. 15- No change. Cert. Dementia.

Oct 15- Much the same. C. Dementia

Nov 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Employed daily in the grounds Health good C. Dementia.

Dec 15- Employed daily in the grounds and is very useful and industrious. Answers many questions rationally. Mind however very weak. Steady in habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Dementia.

1851

Jan 15- Much the same. C. Dementia.

Feb 15- Speaks little to any one spontaneously but answers readily enough and on the whole fairly correctly. Works industriously. Assists the under gardener in feeding the pigs &c. Behaves quietly General health good. C. Dementia.

Mar 15- Much the same. C. Dementia

April 15- Mind remains weak as before. Steady quiet and industrious. No bodily complaint. C. Dementia.

May 15- No change since last report - C. Dementia -

June 15- No change of importance since last report. Daily employed in the grounds - General health good C. De.

July 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak yet get he answers some ordinary questions rationally enough. Employed daily in the garden very busy & sensible and quiet. C. Dementia -

Aug 15- In all respects as at last report C. Dementia.

Sept 15- General health good. Mind weak. Behaves quietly answers ordinary questions rationally - Broaches no delusions. Employed daily in the garden. General health good C. Dementia

Oct 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No mental change

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1849

April 2 Bodily health good Employed looking after the fires in the west house No mental change Believes himself the son of Bishop Murdock Court

May 2 occasionally talks in an unsettled and excited manner of the end of the world the judgements of God &c Walks in the stables Health good Court

June 2 much the same in all respects Bodily health good

July 2 Keeps much about his usual power of his being the church & some great change being near at hand Employed about the west house Court

Aug 2 No change in his delusions Refused for a day but was induced to take his food again Court

Sept 2 Sometimes gets very excited & makes speeches about the spirit of Elijah resting in his bosom &c

Oct 2 Little change

Nov 2 Very abusive

Dec 2 Sometimes very noisy says he is God Almighty

31 No change except that now he says he is Paddy Weeks

1850

May 31 Sometimes very talkative and quite incoherent. Seldom answers any questions sensibly Health good. C. Arnold

July 28 Mind weak and confused talks in a very incoherent manner. Sometimes noisy but not violent. Looks a little Bodily Sometimes natural. C. Arnold

March 31 Mind weak and confused Health good. C. Arnold

April 30 Makes very absurd and confused Speeches with much contortion of his face Bodily health good. C.A.

May 31 Very incoherent. Occasionally talkative and noisy. Health good C. Arnold

June 15 For two days was unruly and quarrelsome and was placed in seclusion Now quiet Mind as the same weak and confused State Health good. C.A.

Page 37 Admitted 21 April 1848

July 15 Has of late been unusually excited. Walks about with his clothes in a very untidy state raving very incoherently calling himself God and the prophet Elijah. At times gets so troublesome and quarrelsome as to require seclusion. Sometimes found lying stark naked on the floor of his room Bodily functions natural.
C. Cassin.

Aug 28 Removed.

Relieved

Jas Glennie
Kirkmichael

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1849

May 2 A case of dementia careless & indifferent seldom thinks of returning an answer when spoken to usually when not employed reclines or lies humming to himself and moving his fingers or something he may have in his hand as if he wrote or made circles on the ground wall table or such like Health good Quiet & orderly on the gallery conform

June 2 No change of any importance appreciable Conduct

July 2 Still employed chiefly assisting in the gallery Mockaphey in mental state

Augt 2 Has a short fit of excitement yesterday succeeded by a good deal of perspiration & about the bowels & mouth the bowels well opened Quiet and at work assisting in the gallery

Sept 2 Tolerably quiet Mind weak Assists in the gallery Conform

Oct 2 Much the same

Nov 2 As above

Dec 2 No change

31 No change of any consequence

1850

Jany 31 Occasionally gets excited and quarrelsome and uses the most foul disgusting language Lately bit another patients thumb severely. Health good C. Cassidy

Feby 28 Bodily functions natural Mind weak and confused Sometimes gets excited and uses very coarse language Struts about with a somewhat conceited air seeming to consider himself a man of considerable consequence. Not employed at present. C. Cassidy

March 30 Often demands to get home Appears much. Bold and irascible. Very contemptuous in language. Health good C. Cassidy

April 30 Demands his liberty. Dress much. Cleanly in his habits. Bodily health good. C. Cassidy

Admitted 17 March 1849

May 31 Demential. Insolent and self conceited. Frequently complains and swears much. C. Amenia.

June 15 Having become unruly and struck a patient has been in seclusion almost since last report. Has since been when at liberty and his quietly in bed. Had Compound jalap powder into calomel which acted freely. C. Amenia.

July 15 Struts about with as very pretensions air and authoritatively demands why he does not get his liberty. At times very abusive and swearing much. He is also sometimes getting into scrapes and quarrels when he is usually about up in a day & room for some days. Attention to his appearance. when well keeps in seclusion tends here usefully employed. Bodily functions natural. C. Amenia.

Aug 15 Much as before. C. Amenia

Sept 15 As formerly. Cont. Amenia.

Oct 15 Bodily functions natural keeps at work. Demands in an imperious manner to be allowed to leave the asylum. C. Amenia

Nov 15 Will not employ himself says he will not work till he will do no work when he is not paid for it. Appetite slept and bowels natural. C. Amenia.

Dec 15 No change of importance C. Amenia.

1851

Jan 15 Of late has been unusually excited. Demands his discharge and money for his work with great vehemence and even has offered to strike Health good. C. Amenia

Feb 15 Has there since been in seclusion since last report on account of the violence of his conduct. Health good. C. Amenia.

March 15 Assistant to get out of the asylum. Writes unintelligible scrawls. Health good. C.A.

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Wm Farrons Page 72

1849

June 2 At work in the west house still very anxious to get home still retains his delusions with respect to his invention for destroying ships at sea by means of electric Health Good cont

July 2 Very anxious to get home and although he does not exhibit his delusions never thinks of admitting that he ever was wrong in the mind Assists very industriously in the west House

Augt 2 Spoke to the Sheriff about getting away who looked up his case in the Books No change of late Quiet and industrious Cont

21 Conducted himself very industriously and quietly in the west house Still retains his notion of destroying ships at sea by Electric still maintains that he never was insane Removed to day by his sister Discharged as

Relieved

Committed 31 July 1848

Robert McIntyre 48 Weaver
Wm McIntyre mother

Brought to day from West Kilbride & Reduce states that this is the first attack but it has been coming on gradually for several years Just March more during the last 10 months Long troubled with deafness dyspepsia & nervous irritability also annoyed with worms & dull suppurative sore throat Gradually became nervous retired desponding & irritable Irritable yet his temper was little disturbed Formerly hilarious & easily persuaded but fickle & changeful character industrious & honorable Is afflicted with deafness tinnitus confusion of feeling numbness & pain of right arm dyspepsia occasionally nausea calculus & troubled with worms stiffness of skin & weakness of limbs Has had 5 children 3 dead Oldest 14 youngest 1½ years Cause: uneasiness & application at a sedentary occupation Relations by the mother subject to low spirits

Disease stationary for some months Fancies he has brought on unprecedented & unpardonable miseries on himself & that his breath is infecting his wife & children in a similar way that his hall is breaking up & that bad abscesses on his face are proof that he is marked away Thinks he is dying & wonders how he will come to an end Tries to persuade his wife to give him his clothes to get out at night for every body is wicked Asks for something to help him to his end Has watched the sea during the night & was found in the water several times He had a razor & knife in his hands but seems to want courage to use them against himself One or two times he made a noose with a string or handkerchief & pulled it round his neck clothes Tried to pull his walking ailment & pulled his neck black & red on one occasion

Oct 13 Very dull & desponding Has to

United Vicky. Admitted Oct 12th 1848

Jail Ivy Jane very thin pale
Blakest Crendsine Lonelomness di
mines R ic attent +11 lum
unam omni norte Bo shone ac
collop. at mid day

Oct 14 very dull, low spirited
Answers with a sort of tremor
as if he were afraid of some
calamity about to strike him
Still requires considerable force
to induce him to take his food
very thin Bowels opened by
the pills of which however
he got three at night Cont

16 Still continues dull & low-
spirited but is taking his
food with less of forcing
Speaks but little Perhaps
part from his deafness
Bowels easy R Bs. pus Cantha
ete 3 gt + VI Liquat + 3/4 his pulse
Cont

20 Dull but seems on the whole less
despondent & takes his food
much better Bowels easy Cont

Nov 7 Not much change Takes his food
well & seems getting flesh
Bowels easy Cont

24 says that he is much stronger
and with more in his head
That his bodily health is
very bad but complains of stiff-
ness in what respects
Seems to be afraid of some
thing but whether does not
know or does not explain
what Takes his food
well Appetite natural
Bowels natural Cont

Dec 24 Quiet the same in all res-
pects Fearful of some
calamity Thinks he is in
hell which creeps on to
corners of face Takes
his food pretty well
Cont

1849
Jany 4 Had an attack of diarrhoea
which began 3 days ago & is
now much better Stools
still liquid but not so
frequent Has milk diet &
astringents by mouth & rest
Cont

6 Diarrhoea again much more also
copious vomiting Appears sunken
Ft heat Calomel gr X

14 Gt

John Mc Larry aet 29
Lunacy

Brought today from Hagerstown
Sheddle guest and Spurtzylas
On admission had an open
ulcerous sore closed to
his breast a mass very mu
& incoherent sent to section

Apr 13 In a state of considerable
excitement Restless noisy
knocks at the door of his
room tumbles about the
bed clothes & soils his room
R Pil Cathart X11 Lunat
remain on no change

14 still as noisy & incoherent
Takes his food well Bowels
easy Heat to the shaven
To have a steak at mid day
Cont

15 Continues still in the same
state of high excitement
& not inclined to strike
Removes & takes his food
well Bowels easy
R Pulv Camph Zij Spiritus
Aether Nitrici Spiritus Hordei
aa Zss Sal Murriat Morph
Zij Mistura Camph Zij m
Lunat Zss his moves

17 still noisily & incoherent
Tumbles his bed about on
the floor talks quite incoher
ently Takes his food well
Baked Cornessian Fark Oij mdr

20 Rather less noisy after gather
the bedclothes about him &
stands with his face to the
wall as lies down in a corner
not on his mattress Bowels
easy Appetit Resumt accep
Cont Idem

24 Talky & taciturn Lies in bed
& continues in a talky surly
manner Takes his food well
well Bowels easy Cont
as

27 Not much change Let
out of seclusion today
Had a scuffle with attendt
patient & put his nose bleed
Takes his food well but
looks thin Has a steak a
Lunar Cont

Nov 7 Was considerably better and
seemed almost well but
has relapsed & is somewhat
stupid Takes his food well

Admitted April 12 1848

Nov 19 Does not improve hails his bed at night sits muses upon the ground answers either not at all or in a sulky surly manner Takes his food heartily & complains of being Harnell Gets Steaks ale & porter Cont

Dec 19 Keeps his bed cleaner but is still taciturn & sulky at being confined here Refuses to answer question & says sullenly that he should not be here Gets very much excited on seeing his friends abusing & threatening them for not taking him out Takes his food well Cont on

1849

Jany 19 No mental improvement dully rude & unnatural standing when spoken to Had an attack of diarrhoea which has been subdued Cont

Feby 19 Dull sulky & obstinate Taciturn & morose Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

March 19 Little improvement cannot be got by kindness or any other way to go to work or even to take a civil answer Bodily health good Cont

April 19 Much better and out at work daily Talks quite rationally still there is a sullenness and insensibility of being well used by being sent to the Asylum rather than thankfulness for getting well Bodily health good Cont

May 19 Works most industriously in the grounds Talks rationally but is still somewhat sullen on the subject of his detention here long after he thinks himself fully cured Cont

30 Much the same as at last report Works very industriously Displays no delusions but still continues dissatisfied on the score of his detention Bodily health good Discharged as cured

Robert Wilson aet 16

Removed today from the Toronto Hospital where he has been resident for the last 3 years & is said to have been in the Asylum before that time

Oct 14 Seems in tolerably good health but must mark takes his food well & conducts himself tolerably quietly takes his bed every night

16 Stupid & filthy takes his bed can scarcely answer the simplest question takes his food well sent to the filthy ward cont

18 Seems quiet Mind appears not to have ever been stronger takes his food well Does not seem inclined to be mischievous or destructive but is very dirty

24 Has a mild but unhealthy expression of countenance Quiet & docile but must very much take his bed sent to school cont

29 Much the same as reported very quiet but very dirty in his habits takes his food well Cont

Nov 24 Much the same Farrudge seemed to disagree with him & caused him to vomit Has just on tea cont

Dec 24 Must much & coarse & slovenly very much offensive very fickle takes his food pretty & is not so much annoyed with vomiting R Infusi lini comp ℥vj Sumpt ℥ij his mixture cont alia

1849
Jany 21 Lies constantly in bed & seems daily getting weaker often annoyed with vomiting Gets beef tea & porter which seem to agree with his stomach Pulse quick & hard ℥ij quotidie Cont alia

Feby 21 Bowels sometimes not moved for several days & injections & purgatives seem to have little effects in moving them Often vomits Takes his food well Cont

March 21 Bowels more regular of late Takes his food better & vomits little Cont

Admitted Apr 13th 1848

April 21 Dull listless and stupid Takes his food readily but often vomits it Pale. Bowels costy R Elect Scoria and Zi p nocte Mongue Cont

May 21 No mental improvement Vomits much of his food Omit Alum & Sago tea and only small quantities of food at a time Cont also

June 21 still occasionally vomits much of his food To obviate this gets his food oftener and in smaller portions Also put on tea Bowels require to be kept regular Cont

July 21 Bowels were rather slow. Ord Hydr & Creta ℥ss which fail to move his bowels To-day gul a colocynth pill which moved them freely Appetite voracious swallows a great deal when he can get it & then vomits

Augt 6 Bowels require much medicine to keep them regular Has had 3 colocynth pills Omit the same not aperated Sumat al Rumex ℥j

Sept 6 Continues much the same At times has fits of vomiting and purging when he has eaten too much At other times gets stupified No mental change Cont

Oct 6 Little change

Nov 6 As above

Dec 6 No change

91 Much the same as noted above

1850

Jany 31 In all respects the same C.O.

Feby 28 mind very feeble so much so that he does answer no question. indeed he never attempts to answer. Of late had sore vomiting and was put into bed and had rice and milk with the effect of checking it. Bowels regular. Medicine at night. C. Oxonia.

March 31 Free from apparent bodily complaint. Mind unchanged. C. Oxonia.

April 30 Occasionally vomits. Eats grass in the airing ground but this is not the sole cause of the vomiting. Mind very weak Pale and feeble. C. Oxonia.

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Wm Murray ad. 40 Lab
Gorbals

Remains at today from the public office Gorbals. No Secretary except that he appears to have been drinking. Today ran into Clyde opposite Bridge Street with the intention of drowning himself. Does not like Street Women but tremulous & seems afraid of something but when questioned as to what it is Everyone knows well enough. But he will not be alone in the morning. To be closely watched

Oct 16 Rested in bed tolerably quietly but is still very much afraid of something which he will not name but says we know what it is well enough says there is a something in his head caused by God almighty takes his food well & Rl & Water & ll Lemonade ij o n p o d

17 Still afraid of something he scarcely seems to know what requires to be forced to take his food often trembles seemingly more from terror than from cold yet when asked to tell what he is afraid of says we know it quite as well as he

19 Must the same requires to be forced to take his food. This night when called today says he has been long intemperate & has been more or less out of his mind in consequence for the last 4 months R Infusion Cinchona fzj ad 3vj Tinct Cinnamon 3ij Acid Sulph Dilute 3ß Mistura Lemonade 3ij this morning

20 This morning between 5 & 6 got out of bed & went into the water closet where befouling the legs of a small wardrobe he precipitated himself to the ground a height of 2 storeys He has cut vineth a severe cut over right eyebrow & right ankle are fractured & generally right thumb contused & left shoulder as if a portion were separated A bandage applied to chest & knee fomented Tolerably comfortable

Md Admitted Oct 15 1848

-tered with two grains of opium
& Tulu Aperi fi Tulu Com Thor 34
in Smelle in Chartul x11 Summat
unsam his terne mdccc

Oct 20 Is very great pain Does occas
-ionally from the effects of the
opium Talks of his wife being
about to be hanged & that he
accept out at the hole to try to
save her life Does not think
that he can take himself away he
feels himself so shattered that
erroneous Tartar fi Laudo Rom
fi Spirit Hordei 3j VIII mdccc

21 Much the same as yesterday
says he saw three feather beds
below but they suddenly drew
them away when he makes leaping
down Afraid he will be
hung as his wife being often
asks what has induced him
with him Tales pulse 96 per
minute Cont

22 Complains much less of his
sores Right foot & leg largely
swollen & discoloured Left
less so Takes his food well
Still anxious to know what
we intend to do with him

24 Had a rigor last night &
feels chilly today although not
abject Pulse 84 Bowels
easy Takes his food well
Talks very much afraid that
he will be hung Yet is not
aware of doing anything that
deserves it Cont

28 Still afraid of some calamity
impending over himself & his
wife Pulse keeps of moderate
strength & frequency Takes
his food well Tickles much
shrunken & discoloured Some
pillars have formed over
night one Aphthae Appear
on tongue Cont

Nov 7 The prowny greatly better Bowels
& stand Cont

Dec 7 Can now walk with the help
of crutches Head power seems
slight from confinement to
bed Cont

1849
Jany 6 Walks about with the crutches but
right ankle swollen & pain

20 Removed in consequence of the pre-
-valence of Cholera Would with great
Promised as Cured

Wm Cumming Capt Gordon Oct 16
Gordon

Brought today from the Island of Arran Schedule gives no particulars but it appears that he was in this house an inmate 4 years ago Seems quiet here Slow in his answers Came in the evening & was sent to sleep in seclusion

Oct 18 Very quiet Slow & deficient in answering & usually puts his hand to his temple before he speaks Talks in a confused way of people especially in Arran wishing to do him injury but cannot be got to give any particulars

20 says the reason why he was to be shot & stoned in Arran was because he would not go to the free church but stuck firm by the old one Bodily health seems tolerably good but Refuses very often to take his food will not fill a Urinal Urinam p. r. n.

22 Talks much of three boys whom he took under his protection in Arran to save from the machinations & cruelties of certain bloody minded persons in that island

24 Talks much of the abominations & cruelties of certain parties in Arran which he discloses were most horrible & directed against him & his friends Attributes his visit to this temple to Gods will to take his food by mouth Cont

Nov 7 Considering himself very quiet & takes his food well Delusions continue Cont

Dec 7 Has been more unsettled of late & talking incoherently about people annoying him although he does not seem to understand clearly how Takes his food well Cont

1846
Jany 4 Has had very severe diarrhoea for the last few days Treated with chalk mixture Calumba & opium Looks pale & ansious but although better he is still far from well Apparent Resident Admission

Admitted Aug 17th 1848

Aug 31	Diarrhoea must be checked pulse continues quick & weak Gets arrow root & rice & milk Cont
21	Pulse very low for some time but for some days has been pretty well & is now low Mind very weak Cont
Feby 21	Bodily health quite confirmed Mind very weak Will not let his pulse be felt lest it again induce choreal Takes his food well & conducts himself quietly Cont
March 21	Mind confused & full of fancies Talks in an incoherent & disjointed manner Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont om
April 21	Still more confused Walks slowly to & fro with slowness and caution as if afraid of falling looks suspiciously at you when you speak to him Takes his food well Bowels easy from an occasional pill Cont
May 21	Much the same in all respects Cont
June 21	Much the same Not so much afraid of being touched but is very stupid Cont
July 21	On the whole better than at last report but mind weak and full of fulnesses
Augt 6	Rather stupid with a rapid nervous pulse for some time back and afraid of any one touching him but is regaining his natural state
Sept 6	Rather better than at last report
Oct 6	As at last report
Nov 6	Had another nervous attack relieved by a change of gallery relapsed & is getting worse again
Dec 6	Better than at last report but still a little timorous Takes his food well
31	Better & has been writing a letter of late
1850	
Jany 31	No change since last report C.O.
Feby 28	Behaves very well. Looks remarkably weak. Answers most questions rationally. Cleanly in his habits Health pretty good. C. Orrock
March 13	Leaves this day discharged.

Relieved

Peter Calder aet 54

Brought to Gallery from the Lunatic Hospital where he has been twelve years, no particulars of the person who brought him says he is subject to falling sickness Sent to sleep in seclusion

Apr 20 Had a severe epileptic attack this morning & another in the forenoon Tolerably quiet but has a dull heavy appearance Each day is made up of epileptic fits says it is very many years since the fits first began & that he thinks there were brought on by a fall & cut hurt his head Takes his food well Bowels costive R. Ol. Ricini Cal Croton XII Linimt ammon omni nocte si opus sit

22 Fits occur very frequently & leave him very stupid Sails his bed Does not get out as yet at least has not done so yet Takes his food well Cont om

24 Fits continue to occur frequently dull drowsy & stupid Takes his food well Bowels easy from the pills Cont om

26 Fits frequent dull drowsy & stupid Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

Nov 7 Fits has been less frequent & he is more lively & conversable Takes his food well Bowels easy Tongue clean Keeps his bed clean Cont

Dec 7 Sometimes gets quarrelsome & once or twice struck & struggling with another patient treated this arrangement so as nearly to strangle him Quiets in the gallery Bowels easy Cont

1849
Jan 6 Has been considerably excited & in seclusion for the last few days is getting quieter but still surly Takes his food well Cont

Feby 6 Has been tolerably quiet of late associating in the gallery Bowels reg Cont

March 6 Little change of any consequence Fits occur but rarely and leave in general only a sleepiness for a day or so Bowels regular

Admitted Oct 19 1848

April 7 Had an Epileptic fit today on the whole however they do not occur oftener than once in three weeks & the consequent excitement is seldom such as to require seclusion Cont

May 7 Much the same No permanent change Cont

June 7 Conducts himself tolerably quietly assists in the gallery Cont

July 7 Has been free from excitement and is very useful in the gallery Takes his food well Cont

14 Complains of mouthfuls of sweet tasted fluid coming up from stomach Bowels costy Pulv Rhei 3ij

25 Complained much of headach the day before yesterday and was cupped in the nape Pulv Rhei Pulv Jalapae Comp 3ij Fits have been more troublesome of late & he rather more irritable

Augt 6 Little complains much of headache Has been well purged Ad moventur Hirudines C VIII Fronte capitis

28 Occasionally troubled with headach Bowels require medicine occasionally

Sept 28 Much the same

Oct 28 As above

Nov 28 Much the same

Dec 28 Fits rather severe of late

1850

Jany 31 Has had a few fits since last report but unattended with any considerable disturbance and no excitement At present quiet cleanly and industrious Appetite good Bowels natural C. O.

Feby 28 Has continued quiet since last report Answers questions justly quietly although mind is evidently weakened Behaves well Bodily functions natural C Orexia

March 31 Behaves very quietly Troubled with haemorrhoids Appetite deficient bowels natural C. O.

April 30 Answers relevant and correct Mind weakly Behaves well Appetite good C Orexia

May 31 Quiet and cleanly Mind weak Requires occasional doses of physic C. Orexia

June 15 Much the same C. Orexia

Vide page 183

Lo[rd] Hall act 40
7th

Brought today from the Police office Stepney
Schedule gives no particulars
The person who brought him
said he had been drinking &
had attempted some outrage
on a female in Glasgow
Late in the evening when
admitted sent to sleep in
seclusion

Oct[r] 20 Said he had been much annoyed during the night by persons coming into the room to impede him - to strike him & that he had been taunted &c Confused & unconnected in his statements
Talked of a Mrs Fraser in Maxwell street her children & servant trying all in their power to injure him Takes his food well as the person who brought him last night & said he was deceitful & dangerous To remain in seclusion today R Pl attent
x11 dunsat omni nocte

21 Still confused & rambling in his statements but is getting quiet & the noises of people being in his room & taking him But still affirms that Mrs Fraser her family & servants had a plan the intention to do him injury Takes his food well Bowels easy Pulse of moderate strength & frequency
Cont

23 Quiet & secluded & conducting himself quietly Delusions do appearing absent in the gallery Takes his food well Bowels easy

25 Delusions nearly all gone Has brother visited him yesterday Had not seen him for many weeks Yet the patient says that it was to his brother he owned his disease in a scuffle he had with Mamonon mentioned in last report (& hereon sheet) This woman at times was seen out in the grass by patient Knowing a policeman had he was sent to the infirmary

Admitted Oct 19th 1848

Oct 29 Seems to have got quite rid of his delusions but is working industriously & anxious to know if he will be tried for an assault on the woman when he gets out

Health good Conduct

Nov 3 Mind quite free from delusions & is constantly in the Gallery

Health good Conduct

Cured

& Being in good bodily health & free from delusions discharged

Peter Neiles aet 30 Thief

Brought today from the police office Glasgow 24th ult. appears he has been long habituated a reputed thief. Has been convicted in the Perth Penitentiary &c. Schedule gives no particulars. Seems miserably good health. To sleep in solitary cell.

Oct 25 Much seems weak says he does not remember how many times he has been in Prison. Left Perth Penitentiary on the 21st Oct. & had his first day railway ride to Glasgow. Says he was born in the north of Ireland but thro' put up in Glasgow. Rambling in his discourse & mind evidently weak. Takes his food well complains of first tea. Moderate tongue moist. R.P. Attent. x11 Cumat unam omni nocte

26 Says that it was for threatening to strike two boys in a lodging house in Lothmarket that he was sent to the police office. Again on being questioned as to the matter rambled in his story & said it was a man he was going to strike. Seems simple or rather somewhat stupefied. Cont.

28 Says that his meals is thinking accounts for it thus. The night before he was taken to the police office he slept in the two boys who had the disorder. The wind from them passed up into his belly & caused it to get into a disturbing state.

30 Was taken to bed. Rolling & crying that his legs are paralytic & unless to get away as he is not insane. The commencement disagrees with him. Takes his food well & as his bed is in the seclusion rooms alone to remain.

Nov 1 Getting tired of solitary confinement in bed & getting all tampered at his being kept in an asylum & to all appearance will be a troublesome patient. Cont.

Admitted Oct 24 1848

Nov 7. Out of delusion conducting himself tolerably quietly but still retains his delusion Badly treated Goad Takes his food well Cont

12 Seems to have got quite over his delusions entirely & says that for some months previous to his getting out of Perth penitentiary he could not sleep from the excitement he was in at the prospect of liberty His conduct while here was correct & after getting out was the cause of his name being entirely struck off

17 Discharged in good health free from delusion & discharged as

Cured

Hugh McAvey aet Lab
Barony
The petition of the Jurial states
that yesterday the patient
was found at large in an in-
sane state in Muthill Street
Comrie delens &c addressed
was noisy & excited alternate-
ly on his knees praying &
then threatening & blustering
threw about him Dog Yard
& implements Eye wild & pupils
dilated

Oct 27 Walks on the floor shakes
himself among the bedclothes
would not speak sometimes
on his knees as if praying
Takes his food sparingly
Bowels not opened Urine
not Abundant Capillus R
Al altered x11 Summit ij com
mixte 3ij opus sat

28 Much the same often on
his knees with his face on
the ground as if praying
but not aloud Takes his
food better Bowels easy
Cont

29 Can not be persuaded to
keep in bed rolls out &
lies with his face on the
floor groaning as if under
the influence of extreme despon-
Takes but little food & that
not to the point into his mouth
Gets ale & calves Feet
Spirits Hordei 3 IV mdies

30 Seems sinking Pillow moved
& fluttering lies on his back
can only stir his legs mods
& that with difficulty
Flush in his head Bowels easy Extremities
warm Pulse Insensible Mouth
dry Spirits add 3 VIII

31 Continued in the same state
as reported above Pulse
insensible Head lodged with
Pillow & retained his former
position at Midday when the
attendant went to give
him his Medicine he
found him dead He had
been seen shortly before
& he was quite warm
so that he could not have
been long Dead

Admitted Aug 26 1848

Robert Hall 24 Lge Stockdale
Brother

Brought today from Vanefood near Falkirk Schedule states that at the first attack he has been 20 days no bodily disorder present at present Quiet sober & industrious No relatives insane Cause Death of a sweetheart seems unsettled at present No delusions but melancholic Not suicidal not destructive Has had purgatives and antimonials without benefit Never in an asylum" seems in good bodily health On admission employed himself constantly at the manual labour as if making mats he paces but seldom speaks now

Oct 28 Runs about the airing ground wheeling round & making grimaces at the patients Asked this morning to be allowed to walk alone This is almost the only words he has spoken today Takes his food well & retires to bed

29 Much the same The Supt in seclusion today as it is said he is rather upset to see strangers when approached in this matter Takes his food well Cont

31 Still runs about the airing ground making grimaces & never fails to circle round any one who comes into the court & attempts to get out when the door is opened Never speaks Takes his food well Cont

Nov 3 No change of any consequence Perceptible twists about in the same manner & often puts his fingers into his saliva before he touches a person & he thus touches all who approach him Today sent to me in a parcel which for that he wished to be done Cont

7 No change Always wets his fingers in the saliva & touches any one who comes near him Takes his food well Cont Attendant reports as to

Relief Admitted Oct 27 1848

Nov 14 Considerable improvement is observable yesterday & today inasmuch as he has more control over his gyrations & grimaces & more habits of getting home to his meals but he loses his situation & has considerable of a home so that his voice is a hoarse whisper

21 Continued to conduct himself well & to talk quite rationally. Being very anxious to get to his work before his situation was given to another his friends were written to & came for him today & he was discharged as

Cured

Wm Frederick act 91 Wm a

Brown at today from
Schedule states that he has
had an ordinary education
Fist attack Lee & days
Summary embarrassment
the cause Proud Heedless
Not Immodest & Monarch &
judge Destructive in his
conduct

Act 30 Conducts himself tolerably
quietly sleeps peaceably
Takes his food well
Bowels evacuation tolerably
good says he is immensely
rich Intends to purchase a
commission in the army or
navy Exasperated mistook one
of the Wm Host Intends to be
a great commander Has
considerable difficulty in
articulating these circum-
stances make the presumption
probable that this is a case
of general paralysis Rpt
alterat all Eumet unam
comm note

1 31 Seems tolerably comfortable with
his confinement Unite snuffy
in the employment of his high
hopes Needs a good deal
especially in the Public Walks
in the airing ground is sociable
a touch of conversation Cont
om

Nov 2 Has high ideas of his own
power makes absolutes
very [illegible] Public Quiet but
little trouble Takes his food
well Bowels costy Cont
om

4 Today cried very much because
his temper had been crossed
him & said she had abandoned
him Read quietly especially
the Bible Takes his food
well Cont

8 This morning had a fit
in which he shook as though
much was unable to rise or
speak although he could not
open his eyelids when they
were lifted it seemed as if
he saw Fit lasted fully
three hours then it gradually
wore off & he got up as much
in the same state as previous
Had a dose of castor oil

Elder 7th March Admitted 29th Oct 1845

Nov 12 Continues to eat but no bad consequence arising from the fact. Talks in the same low strange manner of his pretensions a prospects Takes his food well Cont

20 When his wife has deserted him & taken up with another patient in the same gallery with him Walks sometimes & is sullen when with them patients said Was his head full of the notion of drowning Takes his food well Cont

Dec 10 Eat some drawing materials sent him & employs himself occasionally copying sketches occasionally takes the fact pots of seminiconsciousness No abatement of his delusions Takes his food well Cont on

1846 Jany 17 No mental change Had an attack of diarrhoea which has been subdued Takes still frequent

Feby 18 Had a slight fit of unconsciousness & shaking which however only lasted a few minutes This occurred about three weeks ago Of late has conducted himself very quietly Amuses himself reading & playing at whist &c Takes his food well Cont

March 18 General health pretty good Takes his food well & is in good bodily condition No mental improvement Has gone out to work in the grounds Cont

April 18 No change of any consequence Appetite good Mother melancholy Bowels easy Cont

May 18 Letter as no change Takes his food well No abatement of his delusions as to his riches & abilities Cont

June 18 Quiet and inoffensive Getting much more stupid Bowels require an aperient occasionally to keep them regular Cont

July 18 No change appreciable since last report

Aug 18 Had a slight attack of diarrhoea which easily yielded to astringents

Sept 4 Bodily health good No mental change

22 Last night put his feet into

Lr Crawford act 63 Surgn
9th
Borne 1st today from the police office Maitland
Schedule gives no particulars His case states that his wife died three years ago & he has never been quite fit for his profession since Pecuniary embarrassment & family dissensions followed & aggravated his complaint & he has been more or less insane for the last 6 months
Apr 31 says that he has had two sons killed lately one by the Aborigines & one by a fall from a horse that his residence was pillaged by an insurrectionary mob three days ago & to secure himself from them he took refuge in the police office There are alternately delusions says that he is awake his mind has been affected for some time past Pupils rather thin pale & unsettled R tol attention & interest quiet & inoffensive
Nov 1 Quiet & inoffensive & has the same delusions as noted above Very anxious to get home to his family well cont
3 No change of any consequence often listens as if he heard something where no sound is perceptible to others Walks much to & fro in the gallery in a musing manner Takes his food well Bowels reg cont
6 Very anxious to get home always inquiring about it Delusions as to his sons & the pillaging of his house continue Takes his food well Bowels reg cont
9 Delusions seem fading at least he says he must have been mistaken with regard to the pillaging of the house & thinks the death of his sons a dream Takes his food well Bowels reg cont
14 Talks pretty rationally now & conducts himself quietly & well Bowels regular cont

Mid[dle]x Asylum 31st Dec[embe]r 1848

Nov[embe]r 24 Acknowledges that the notion about his house having been pulled down & his sons killed were delusions is very anxious to get home makes by all means to find his parents been there takes his food well but is pale & thinner than when admitted bowels easy in consequence of an alterative pill taken nightly for the last few days Cont

27 Yesterday after seeing his son got excited broke four panes of glass & a small door but to seclusion long he turned quiet again because it is proper to be made in this house & it would not be characteristic to remain here & not act like a madman sometimes Gen[era]l alteration is stat

Dec[embe]r 16 Has been quiet since last report mind is evidently not what it once was although he conceals his delusions for the purpose of getting liberated often asks if he is likely to get away tonight Takes his food well Cont

1849
Jany 6 Conducting himself quietly & respectfully anxious to get home Mind obviously impaired Health not quite so good manner as he is troubled with boils Return to W[est] R[iding]

16 Health rather improved Removed today by his friends in consequence of the promulgation of Poleth here Discharged as

Cured?

Robert Nacmath 36 Yorks
Surrey

Admitted this evening
Private quiet no particulars
Was in this asylum for 3
months in the beginning of
this year has since
Nov 1 seems intolerably well
would fain but dull
could just tell a friend of
mine or enemy but to thank
yet he does not know
exactly why or declines
saying it sounds contra
Thought better found Re
al alteration till summat
unsaw omnia vincit
ordinary diet
3 Still dull & desponding
moving about slowly & taking
a little ground. can be got
to say but very little Takes
his food pretty well Bowels
opened by the pills cont
on
5 Is not quite so dull & asks
now & then for a shave
Takes his food well & walks
about the airing ground
cont
8 On the whole improving
but slowly The weather
being inclement there is
no means of giving em-
ployment & Bowels easy
cont
12 Continues slowly to improve
Speaks but little & spon-
taneously but answers to
make readily & cheerfully Takes
his food well cont
22 Much the same says he
cannot altogether get out
of his desponding & acquies-
cent manner Takes his food
well cont
Dec 22 Little change Conducts him-
self quietly & respectably
but still dull & silent & says
he cannot get rid of his despon-
cent & the patients never
Gets a full account only
to keep his bowels regular
cont
1849
Jan 21 Much the same in all
respects Bodily health
tolerable cont
Feb 21 Still troubled with lowness of spirits
Bodily health good cont

Admitted Apr 31 1848

March 21 Bodily health good. Works daily in the grounds Still however has not confidence in himself talks otherwise quite rationally Cont

April 21 Conducts himself quietly and well but still is somewhat desponding. Works in the grounds and digs in the gallery Cont

May 21 No change converses quite rationally but says he cannot get rid of the giddiness and depression of spirits Since he was not out of the Asylum 3 days the ill returned upon him He was in constant employment and struggled on for Six Months trying to shake off the listless sluggishness and feeling of want of self government that already oppressed him At last however could no longer force himself to work and sunk into listless apathy. Doubts much of his ever regaining command of himself Health good Works in the grounds Reads especially the newspapers Cont

June 21 Thinks himself much improved and would like another trial home Employed in the grounds Bodily health good Cont

July 14 Much the same still somewhat desponding but would like a trial Tongue white Pulse quiet 72

Aug 16 Still somewhat dependent of his own powers Works in the Garden

Sept 16 Much the same in all respects Cont

Oct 16 Little change

Nov 16 Had an attack of sore throat for which has been under treatment Today however is better and is still a want of confidence

Dec 16 Much the same

71 Bodily health good Still has not proper confidence

1850

Jany 31 Hopeless and despondding as to his fitness for society and resuming his employment. Still behaved industriously and steady Health good. C. O.

Feby 28 Is doubtful whether he could conduct himself properly out of the Asylum. Quiet industrious and well Bodily powers retained. C. Continues.

March 31 No change since last report C. O.

Vide Book 1 page 180

Alex Ferguson aet 42 M d Lun

Surgy

Brought ~~to~~ this evening from Glasgow Schedule Gives no particulars except the as he has been ill 18 months seems of tolerably full habit a very tongues but to like si- seclusion

Nov 1 When entered this morning cried very much at having been confined but quiet after on being left out of his room He has considerable difficulty in articulation & he says he has had some kind of fits in which he trembled & lost consciousness for a short time This makes it probable that it is a case of General paralysis

2 Has got very excited talking running about shouting and striking any who wish to make him be quiet sent to seclusion & ordered alternate & 11 Ounces omni mane & aperi set

4 Still in seclusion considerably excited attempting to force out when even the door is opened by the pills Takes his food well Continue

6 Very restless but quiet so as to prevent his being released whether it is send to him Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

9 Is quieter to out of seclusion Difficulty of articulation & shuffling gait seem to have increased Wanders much about the ward talking to every one Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

14 Much the same as at last report Talks much & in a rambling & ostentatious manner Takes his food well Tottering gait & difficulty of articulation continue Gets Stout & Porter Cont

21 No mental improvement Talks as largely as ever is fond of giving directions & orders & calling others by heads Takes his food well Gets Stout & Porter

Admitted Oct 31 1848

Dec 24 No improvement. Is losing flesh & strength very rapidly & disposed to interfere in every body's business & so often gets beaten for his officiousness & impudence &c & it is summer & is indeed to have stark & quarter confined

28 Today became so weak as to be unable to stand. Is very stupid continues to lose flesh greatly but takes his food and sleeps moderately. Affection of muscles of speech so great that speech is nearly unintelligible. Has heat skin enema. Tarchenthines. Rhus Aconitus Hardei & Nit mur confined

29 Becoming much worse & sinking so that it is evident he cannot live much longer continues

30 Continued to sink and at 9 A. M.

Died

Mr Wyer Act 27
Bethnal Green

Brought today from Burrell's Square Hackney Town (where he resided with his father) under a warrant granted at the instance of the Commissioners in Lunacy on the application of his father who says that his son has been in a state of lunacy & dangerous for a considerable number of days & has been guilty of often threatening & sometimes committing acts of personal violence upon various parties in the neighbourhood

Nov 3 Seems intolerably quiet & settled but rather stupid like Mind evidently very weak Answers very incoherently Takes his food well sleeps quietly & passes urine omni nocte

4 Has not rather disturbed during evening Seclusion Says he was in this asylum before but answers very incoherently Takes his food well Cont

5 Getting still more unruly when the door opened for entrance of his room & required 3 strong keepers to put him back but one & now he clothes another Takes his food well Bowels costy cont

7 Still unruly & in seclusion Takes his food well Talks in a violent & incoherent manner Bowels easy cont

11 Has quieted down & well he left out of seclusion Talks still very incoherent Takes his food well Keeps his head dry

17 Out of seclusion for two days & conducts himself more quietly but is still rather excitable & apt to strike Talks very incoherently Has a sulky sullen look Takes his food well Cont

24 Conducting himself more quietly & evidently from bodily fear Refraining from personally threatening his fellow patients whom he struck Cont

Admitted Nov 2d 1848

Dec 24 Surly & ready to strike on the least provocation abstinate & self willed Taciturn & morose Bodily health tolerable but has a dull care by Pulse 72 Respiration Conchoria etc Tongue & Appetite Bowels regular

1849
Jany 21 Little or no change observable Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Feby 21 Much the same in all respects Fits frequent & severe Morose & apt to strike on the slightest provocation Cont on

March 21 No change of any consequence Fits frequent and severe Appetite much the same Bowels very irritable Cont

April 21 Much the same in all respects Dull and stupid Takes little heed of what passes around Takes his food well Cont on

May 21 Fits have been more frequent and severe of late Bowels open by medicine Cont

June 21 No change of any consequence Cont

July 5 Has become affected with ascites Abdomen much swollen Urine scanty not coagulable by heat or Nitric acid Not high coloured Pulse not accelerated Tongue rather foul R Spiritus Aetheris Nitrosi ℥ij Acetatis Potassæ Nitratis Potassæ āā ℥j Spiritus Menderevi Mistura Camphoræ āā ℥iij Succi Sumat ℥ij ter quotidie R Pil Colocynthidis Comp ℈ss Sumat unam omni nocte Cont

July 11 Abdomen much softer Urine more plentiful Pulse not disturbed Takes his food well R Infusi Rosarum ℥iij Sumat ℥j ter quotidie Cont alia

" 25 Ascites seemingly gone and he is now up attending the ward Mind not improved dull and stupid especially so after the fits and then scarcely has need Cont

Augt 6 No return of dropsy Yesterday & today has had several severe fits

Sept 6 Little permanent change Cont

Oct 6 As above

Nov 6 As above

Dec 6 No change

29 Has had some severe fits Weakly & stupid Milk diet Rum Mistura ℥ij

vide page c. 114.

Wm Ritchie act 25

Remains at todays from
Decided Date that he was
insane in this house 2 years
ago (see mal X page 1-7) At
present all about as at days
Rather dull & depressed Cause
unknown No relatives insane
Increasing No delusions known
No treatment

Nov 4 Has a dull stupid look
Does not speak Takes
his food well & conducts
himself quietly Pulse good
Respiration & tongue somewhat
foul Bowels not opened
since admission R
Rl Alterat X11 Remain
as omnia nocte & opn
sit

5 Countenance has a dull sluggish
appearance Takes his food
well but is quiet scarcely
uttering a word Bowels
opened Cont

7 Much the same but speaks
more readily & today asked
when he should be allowed
to go home expressed his
unfitness for work
& his willingness to help
Takes his food well
Cont

9 Little change Rarely speaks
answers questions less
slowly & unintelligently Much
the same statement Takes
his food well Cont

12 Much the same Has still
the same dull sluggish look
Does not speak unless spoken
to But is docile & readily
health good Cont

17 Seems well now At least
talks rationally & seemingly
he was wrong in the head
& thought he & evil was
among him Now exhibits
no delusions & gives a correct
account of himself Cont
Omn

24 Continues convalescent
Assists in the gallery The
inclemency of the weather
not permitting out door
labour Readily health good
Cont Omn

Admitted Nov^r 3^d 1848

Dec^r 9 Has been somewhat dull for some time back but is again brightening up Works industriously Bodily health good Gets an attentive Bell as commonly to keep his hours regular

1849
Jan^y 19 Had a very severe attack of vomiting & purging of mucus or bile & blood Is now convalescent Still somewhat dull in comprehension Takes his food well Costs

26 His brother came to see him & he seemed disappointed at not getting away was very dull for a few days but is again brightening up Costs Cotton Cork

Feb^y 5 Has conducted himself well in all respects since last report Removed today by his brother Discharged

Cured

Jo Mm Higgs æt 43 Meth 7

Dec

Brought today from 114 Rotherhithe Road Lambeth & states that he has been twice insane previously at that time all 3 months No bodily disease preceded attack Has three children male 18 & 14 years A brother insane at present Had some dispute in the church where he is an elder & left it This with the exception of his brothers insanity is stated as cause of the present attack They depressed Thinks his head low & hot sweated not destructive Has had some melancholy Was in the old asylum in 1842 & much the same as he is well

Nov 7 very quiet & docile Walks slowly & cautiously as if afraid of offending any one may face expression of mild acute melancholy Talked but little & answers slowly & in a low tone of voice Thinks his head tolerably well Head two alterative pills last night which opened his bowels R Ol Ricini ℥ss Ol Cruc ℥ij Liquor ammon ℥ss Mist camphor ℥ij ex aqua 8vis

8 Says any difference less depressed Quiet & retiring & depressed with the thought of his soul being lost Bowels cont

9 On the whole improving Takes his food tolerably well & acknowledges himself better cont

12 Continues steadily to improve Very quiet but that seems his natural disposition

20 Getting much better & now thinks himself quite fit for his work & would like to get to it Takes his food well cont

24 Seems tolerably well more cheerful quite quiet & anxious to get

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Dec 9 Thomas Yates his head well bodily health & head cool Yates conducted himself in all respects well Cheerful & exhibiting no delusions Being in good health is today discharged as

Cured

Robert Lorrie aet 46
7th

Brought today from Glasgow
under a warrant from the
Sheriff appointed at the instance
of the Procurator Fiscal
Was here from March
till June last year see Bal
12 page 25 On admission
seemed glad to see his old
acquaintances & spoke pleasantly to them heartily No
history with the case
Apparently quiet & rational

Nov 7 Seems absent & stares about
him a good deal says he did
not sleep very well last
night Does not know how
he came wrong this time
Thinks being out of employ-
ment was the cause
R Rl alb rat x 11 Lumbar
dulness omni nocte pro tempus

8 Still did not rest well
last night Felt the sun
moon & stars moving about
together in the bed the noise
the maids present did him from
sleeping & did also the smell
of dead bodies that were
moving about Hears about
him as if the same things in
empty space Takes his food
with bowels open
Cont

9 Still sleeps but little He
perceives does not see nor
hear the sun moon & stars
neither does he smell dead
bodies but still he cannot
compose his mind to rest
Takes his food well
Cont

11 Annoyed by want of sleep
but has now no hallucinations
of the senses although his
belief in what he does previously remains undiminished
R Pulv Camph Zi Pulv Opii
gr x ter in Die in Aqua
Lumbar omni nocte
Cont

14 Sleeps in consequence of
the powders Otherwise
much the same as at last
report Cont — one

21 Does not complain of want
of sleep now Takes his food

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mildly Works in the gallery
in the grounds when the
weather permits Dismissed
present free from the motions
noted above Cont

Dec 18 Conducts himself tolerably
quietly answers slowly thinks
tolerably rational Held a
boil on right thigh which is
getting well Cont

1849
Jany 20 Glad an attack of diarrhoea
last night is now convalescent
No mental change appreciable Cont

Feby 20 Quite well in body & mind & assists in the
gallery Cont

27 Removed today by the Governors hospital authorities Dismissed as
cured

Duncan Campbell aet 18 Entd
Kirkmuirhill

Brought to Gallow from Kirkmuirhill
Lockhale stated that he never
was insane previously Did at
this time 6 weeks Loss of appetite
Was restless & obstinate but in
general good character No head
ache dizziness No injury of head
No cause assigned Melancholy
& misery of life Increasing
Has stated symptoms & was entd
Sympts Has attempted to drown
himself No medicines nor
given to strike No medical
treatment Never in an
asylum

Nov 8 Seems in tolerable good
bodily health Rather moderate
tonight Most Washeny restless
last night & often attempting
up in bed says he wants
to die When asked he says was
being slighted by a ladies he
was courting Takes his
food R Tol alterat x 11
Semat ¾ omne nocte
Ordinary diet

9 Talks much of his communications
& communications with angels
& seems to be guided in all respects
by what they tell
him Takes his food well
Cont

10 Says that he must attend
today for that before he came
here he attended a meeting
of the Heavenly Fathers who told
him to come here & stay four
days & then return

10 Says that any thing white
annoys him & annoys him
on his clothes he sees numbers
of white shreds & threads
upon them & the idea that he
is always to be in this state
of mind haunts him & makes
him weary of life Head &
Hearth appetite to accompt
Last night more well
Cont

14 Not much strange still annoyed
by things white & shreds on
his clothes Perhaps slightly
improved Has gone to Kilbride
Cont

20 On the whole improving Works
more readily Takes his food
well but still low & perverted

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Dec 17 Worse of late that is more desponding & suicidal Twice made an attempt to suspend himself yesterday is always to the water closets trying doors to get into some secluded place still sees white objects on his clothes The place where he attempted to suspend himself has been removed Cont

1849 Jan 20 Little change mentally had an attack of diarrhoea with retching which continued for a day or two but he is now convalescent Cont

Feby 20 Amuses himself playing cards and assists about the gallery but declares he is no better When not at work or play often stands musing with his head sunk on his chest & his hands thrust to the bottom of his pockets Cont

March 20 To induce him to go out to work was sent to solitude & that failing had a cold bath administered Has been out working during the last week still melancholy & musing Fond of playing at cards Eats his food well Cont

April 21 Not much change but if any it is for the better Walks for the grounds & fond of cards & draughts Made an attempt to run off 2 weeks ago but was caught Bowels costy Cont

May 21 Does not seem quite so despondent Bodily health good Works in the grounds Very fond of playing at cards and draughts Cont

June 21 Improving Much more cheerful Assists in the gallery Fond of draughts Cont

July 21 Continues to improve greatly although he himself does not feel such hopeful opinion of himself Very useful in the gallery Cont

Augt 21 Conducts himself in all respects well very useful in the gallery and seems inclined to stay here Bodily health good

Sept 20 A few days ago got somewhat excited and saw objects like white mice on his clothes Again quiet & much better Bowels costy Cont

Nov 20 Continues tolerably well

Dec 20 Does at last report

vide page 175.

Andrew Ronson aet 21 Edinr.
Kirkintilloch P.

Brought today from Kirkintilloch
Bridewell stated that he never
was in prison before but has
been so on present occasion
for 2 years Was summonsed
& fined 2/6 or
tobacco weekly No bodily
disease no injury of mind
Cause reputation from loss of money
Believes Lady & declares to be dead
Incessantly but has uncertain
impressions of Lady sometimes
mentally & sometimes
Has attempted to drown himself
has sometimes endeavoured to
strike others Not destructive
Head shaven Sometimes undressed
benefit Never in an asylum
Nov 6 Seems in no intolerable mental distress
rather thin Scalp coal Pulse mod
erate Tongue white Bowels open
Talks of having communication
with angels that it was they
who told him that it was
necessary to go into the canal
says he came out of his own
accord but is ready to go in
again if it be required R
Pl Alteratives & II Summat
unum omnia nocte

9 Says that query thing white & grey
thing underneath the spots on his
clothes the two members of white
threads & the beads upon his clothes
& the idea that he is to be always
in this state thereafter shows a misera
ble misery of life & present
resentment at dispute

9 Talks much of his communi
cations with angels & seems
to be guided in all things
by them but they tell him
Takes his food well Constant
ly

10 Says that he must be home
today for before he came
here he attended a meeting
of the heavenly bodies who
told him to come here & stay
four days & then return

12 Still talks of his communion
with the heavenly bodies &
wishes to get home immedi
ately Takes his food well
Countenance does not seem to be
an unhappy one with him he
merely meant to drown himself

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out of complacence to the wishes of his heavenly friends
Cont

Nov 20 No change of any consequence
Notions remain the same Rather
better & disinclined to work
Takes his food well
Cont

Dec 18 No change state affirms that
it was agreed on at the meeting
that he was only to stay here
4 days Is very importunate
to get home Mind very much
Bodily health passable but
is rather thin Cont

1849
Jany 19 No change of any consequence
appreciable Cont

Feby 20 Much the same in all respects Talks of his communications with angels & that he must go home to attend some meetings of the heavenly bodies Takes his food well but looks thin colds pale Cont
on

March 20 No change of any consequence Bodily
health good Works in the grounds but
has still the same anxiety to get to Kirkintilloch as formerly No change in his
delusions Cont

April 21 No change of any consequence
appreciable Bodily health ex-
cellent Cont

May 21 No abatement of his delusions Bodily
health good Was sent to seclusion
for two days for striking and
has been more docile since Cont

June 21 Still anxious to get away affirming
that the people in Kirkintilloch
are waiting for him Cont

July 21 No change of any consequence
Cont

Aug 21 Delusions remain as before
Very anxious to get home and
often asks to get Health good
Cont

Sept 21 Made his escape last week but
was found in Glasgow and
brought back No mental
change

Oct 21 No improvement
Nov 21 Much the same in all re-
spects Cont

Dec 21 No change

1850
Jany 21 Mind confused and weak.
Behaves quietly except that he is
at times talkative. Health good. C.O.

Feby 28 No change since last report. C.O.

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Brought to the enemy from the Police office Glasgow Was found wandering in Castle Street Tenn-head this day 1870. Sent here under a warrant of the Sheriff at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal

Nov. 11 Duffus a incoherent unable to give a relevant answer to the simplest question cannot tell whether he married where he was born what trade he is &c Walk fine pounds on his person when apprehended Takes his food well Eyelids red Tongue moist Pulse modera ate R R L altered X 11 Lime water omni nocte

12 Very stupid Does not seem to know the slightest idea where he is Cannot give a relevant answer at least if he commences to answer correctly forgets the connection after 3 words Takes his food well but requires to be fed Cont

14 No improvement Nothing deposits can be got out of him Rolls about on the floor out of bed in search of he does not seem to know what at least he cannot tell the slightest negative or affirmative Gets 4 tea & barley cont

16 Much the same Very unsteady seems unable to stand on his feet It is quite impossible to get a coherent answer out of him even to so simple a question as "What is your name" Had a bath & afterwards to see if it would rouse to clean Takes his food pretty well

19 No improvement Requires to be fed Takes his food well Bowels very Nothing coherent can be got out of him Cont om

21 Does not improve very little or nothing on his state Feet getting oedematous Urine Horatio Epsom

Admitted 18 Nov 1818

Nov 24 Has Epileptic fits very severe & very frequently requires to be fed Becoming much more stupid & seems to have nearly wholly lost the power of articulation Takes his food & extras but requires to be fed Bowels costy Cont

27 Fits very severe & very frequent & cannot speak when a dose allowed with extreme difficulty became only able to get over Pulse small Gets Draught Water & toddy Applic Recreation for absence Cont as

29 Evidently cannot survive much longer fits are so frequent & severe Becoming much emaciated dose allowed even regularly with the greatest difficulty Bowels costy Cont as

30 Fits severe today but was evidently sinking at 9 ¼ pm

Died

John Maguire

Nursery

Brought today from Glasgow
Escaped from the asylum
about 3 months ago
See page 34 Has been
wandering about the country
since & returned to his
father's house a few days ago
He is a complete pest there
in consequence of his running
off & pawning or selling his
clothes & as this is not a
police where unbalanced
discipline can be administered
it is quite unsuited
for him whom nothing but
dread of punishment will
keep in order His mind
is weak & his appetites
voracious He is careless
& destructive Healthy
health excellent

Nov 13 Health good Full of
protestations & promises
to behave himself & indeed
not one word of complaint
against

16 Must the same in all respects
will do anything or
promise anything for food
or tobacco Cont

20 Dirty careless & destructive
appetite voracious
healthy health good Cont
on

25 No change of any consequence
Healthy health
excellent Cont

Dec 25 No improvement Slovenly
careless destructive voracious
health excellent Anxious to get to
Perth Penitentiary where
he says he will be taught
his trade

1849
Jany 6 Has had a slight attack of
diarrhoea but this has been
checked still in bed
Cont

21 Knocked out a pane of the
small window this evening
& made his escape along
with another patient
Had been quite well
in health for some
time

28 Brought back from home

Admitted Nov 11 1848

Feby 28 A canvas dress has been procured for him with an iron collar secured with a lock of which the chief attendant keeps the key sent out to work Bodily health good Cont

Mar 28 No change Bodily health good Works in the grounds Cont

May 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health excellent Works in the grounds Cont

June 1 As above reported Cont

July 1 Bodily health excellent Careless slovenly and destructive to his clothes Works in the grounds ~~[illegible]~~ Pulse of heart abnormally strong Tongue sound

Aug 1 Complains much of palpitation when he makes any exertion Health otherwise good

Sept 1 No change

Oct 1 Health good Mind still weak

Nov 1 No change

Dec 1 No change

31 No change

1850

Jany 31 No mental change. Complained of dizziness some days since. Thought there was no part of the reality of the statement. Was put on milk diet and back stirring rule. Now admits that he is better. Health to appearance good. C. Ormerod.

Feby 28 In all respects as formerly C. Ormerod.

March 31 No change of any kind C. Ormerod.

April 30 Very fond of being allowed to go out to work evidently with a view to effect his escape. Deliberate and good humoured. Bodily health very good C. Ormerod.

May 31 No change Cont. Ormerod.

June 15 Much the same. C. Ormerod.

July 15 Mind weak and confused. Laughs idiotically and conducts himself in a very childish manner. Careless of his appearance. Gait has been unsteady ~~[illegible]~~ unsteady in his gait & had a desire to head another purgative medicine do now improving C. Ormerod

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Ward No 11 Adams Act 29
74

Strong At today from the Tewksbury Hospital Class 2 on Schedule Sines no particulars Was in the asylum previously sent to the towns Hospital where he has been for 13 months (See vol 13 page 10)

18 A case of long standing Dem entia Is good health Is slovenly & careless often talks his imaginations and incoherent manner Takes his food well & Retains urine & Feces Summary omni nocte

20 Same as must in statu quo Seems very contented Cannot tell the reason why he was sent from the town's hospital here Takes his food well Health good Cont

22 Mus. The same Soils the bed Takes his food well Threatened with a cold bath if he persists in soiling his bed Cont

27 Still soils his bed Very incoherent Bodily health good Cont

Dec 1 Sometimes stands on his head with his feet resting against the wall still filthy Cannot give a coherent answer Cont

26 Not much change Is milked rather cleaner but mind is very weak Very slovenly & careless Takes his food readily Health good Cont

1879
Feby 1 Had an attack of diarrhoea but not very severe Is however somewhat thinner Takes his food well Cont

March 1 Bodily health good No mental change Cont

April 1 No change for the better on the contrary is more filthy in his habits at night Bodily health good Takes his food well Cont

Admitted Nov 17th 1848

May 1 Little change appreciable certainly none for the better Health good Cont

June 1 Careless slovenly dirty and destructive Bodily health good Takes his food well Works in the grounds Cont

July 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

Augst 1 No Change Careless and slovenly Cont

Sept 1 No change

Oct 31 Troublesome dirty and destructive Health good

Nov 1 No change

Dec 31 No Change

31 No Change

1850

Jany 31 In every respect as formerly. C. O.

Feby 28 Bodily functions natural No improvement in mind, nor can much be reasonably hoped for. Careless and unclean in his habits. C. Oswestry.

March 31 In all respects as formerly. C. Oswestry

April 30 Sometimes employed wheeling earth in the grounds but for the most part he is indolent. Careless of his appearance. Mind weak and incoherent. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Oswestry

May 31 No change. Cont. Oswestry.

June 15 No change C. Oswestry.

July 16 Bodily functions natural. Careless of his appearance. Seems contented and quite unconcerned as to home matters or friends only in answer - Converses and seldom answers correctly - Hands usefully employed. C. Oswestry.

Aug 16 Much the same. C. Oswestry

Sept 16 As before. C. Oswestry.

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Oswestry

Nov 15 Bodily functions natural. Mind very feeble. Manners childish Will give very little information respecting himself. Occasionally employed - Cheerful and contented. C. Oswestry.

Dec 15 Cleanly in his habits at night Quiet and good humoured. Bodily health good C. Oswestry

Viola Page 207.

Alexr Gardner ætat 25 Scotch

Brought today from old Smithfield Clerk of County Pleas states that he neither was insane previous to this attack which began a month ago No bodily disorder preceded it Is rather passionate No insane relations Head not injured Cause unknown Delusions of persecution & suspicions of every body thinking himself ill treated Not excited nor quarrelsome No treatment

Nov 18 Conducts himself tolerably quietly but seems much annoyed at being sent here as he does not imagine there is anything wrong with his mind Takes his food well Keeps himself very clean

19 Clean & neat Bodily emanations same as ever smell To have a warm bath says he shall a school in Greenock which he gave up last week in consequence of having a fever & other medicines put into his food The people in whose house he lodged were convicted of certain crimes in this matter

21 Retains the same delusions with regard to poison or at least medicines having been put into his food before his admission but not since Takes his food well Reads a good deal says he is tired of teaching & would like to try something else Const

Same Says he is tired of teaching & would like to try something else Is very scrupulous & cross-questions Takes his food well Reads a good deal Feels lonely for want of company Const

30 No change perceptible except the Roadmaster at teaching Takes his food well Keeps himself very clean Reads a good deal Converses easily Const

Utah Admitted Nov 17 th 1848

Dec 17 Conducts himself quietly & talks
rationally on all subjects except
that he has stole the notion
that drugs were administer-
ed in his food in Greenock
Had a copious watery extrac-
tion last night Cont
30 Much the same in all respects
Bodily health tolerable Removed
tolerably by his Mother Removed
as /

Cured

Wm Wood ac 46 Painter
& H

Brought to day from the
Police office Face & hands
covered with blood from a
small cut on head & another
on little finger says they
were caused by a police-
man striking him in a
scuffle No history
to offer in reference
Nov 24 says that the reason the police
came to his house was because
he abused & threatened to
stab his sister with a knife
because she would not
take the bed clothes to the
pawn shop says he does
not drink Tells his head
still Quiet but still in
delusion
26 says he sees a black thing
moving in the corner of his
room occasionally Does
not know what it is nor
sees the shape nor size does
not Tells his head
still Quiet, mania &
mutal slight & deluded
Pulse moderate R R L
2 Temp F XII Sumat omnes
omnia recte Is up but
27 Hears a person he calls
Jamie & Nothing & talks
to him Laughs & dances &
is out of delusion but very
weak Cold Quiet Cont
29 It appears that he before
he was apprehended had got
a knife with which he threatened
to cut down all who opposed
him Tells sister went for the
police when she returned
with them he cut her on the
head with the knife & also
wounded two of the policemen
Walks about with his stocking
drawn up over his trousers
Cont
Dec 3 Very restless Rings with the
Wears his stockings above
his trousers Quiet to all
-tions & humble About a quantity
of stones which lie in the cor-
ner & pounds & rubs with some
of his fingers Cont
9 No material change Fingers
still continues very sore
Will likely lose the nail

Carnarvon Nov 24 1848

Dec 18 Finger now pretty well
Mind improving but on the slight
the Woe this Blessings alone
his trousers but this he has
given over anxious to get
home Health tolerable Cont.

Dec 31 Much the same as at last report
Mind on the whole improving
although but slowly Looks
his food well Muses a good
deal anxious to get away
says he is willing to do any
planting for us here if
he may get away Cont

1849
Jany 21 Much the same as at last
report This evening along
with another patient made
his escape

Escaped

Dr. Alves æt 44 Was per Medn
7th
Wrongful Robbery from
Rhedute Symps no
particulars Pale thin & ghastly
like Prudently very authoritative
Nov 30 Very emaciated Breathing
very much oppressed
Pulse weak & irregular
First sound of heart much
prolonged Dulness of car
diac region extended
Wheezing & sonorous rales
heard all over chest Lips
blue from imperfect hæ
matosis Glazed Eyes
very staring like those of
a person strangled Tongue
Coll[apsed] & parched Urine
Retention of Micturition
Bowels ✓ Stomach ✓ Stools
involuntary
Dec 1 Much the same Physically
considered When spoken
to looks vacantly at the
person speaking or perhaps
with a gaze of contemptuous
pity Sits up & talks
very rapidly
3 Breathing still oppressed
Anxious to get home Groans
a good deal & when asked
what is the matter with
him says he knows well
enough & will give no fur
ther explanation Takes
nourishment well & Tr
Alterat ✕ II Stomachic
Tonic mixture To have port
& calomel
5 Urine & Fæces passed
involuntarily Urine as formerly
Fæces portions of their diet
which may be ragged &
anxious to get home
8 Sometimes gets so purple in the face
as to look like suffocating
altogether Mucous & sonorous
rales steadily as before
Breathing Heart Expectoration
copious & yellow Gets
Mistura & porter & Tinct
Antimon Urine & Fæces involuntary
Prescription ii ii ℥ss Mistura
Glycyrrhizæ ℥ss

Admitted Nov 29 1848

Dec 12 Has been kept in the House since last report & breathing is now much easier & the lividity of the lips has in a great measure disappeared Mental & wandering especially at night when sometimes he does not know where he is anxious to get out to the air but when-ever he does so gets so breathless as to be almost suffocated Takes his food well Cont

25 Mental wandering especially at night when sometimes he does not know where he is anxious to get out to the air but when-ever he does so gets so breathless as to be almost suffocated Takes his food well Cont

1849 Feby 12 Had an attack of diarrhoea which however being taken early was easily checked No improvement in the breathing anxious to get home Cont

March 12 Does tolerably well as long as he keeps in bed & away from the air but otherwise is like to suffocate altogether

27 Continued much the same in all respects Removed to-day to the Towns hospital Discharged

Relieved

Dec 7th Aliner at 44 Washington Medical
Strong pt Soldiery from
Rhode Island gives no
particulars Calls them a Gaff
like Prudently very authe-
matic
Nov 30 Very emaciated Breathing
very much oppressed
Takes much irregular
Pulse sound of heart much
prolonged Dulness of car
diac region extended
Moaning sonorous rales
heard all over Chest Left
pleura from imperfectly
auscultated Blood Eyes
very staring like those of
a person strangling Tr Rhei
Calloss & Porter ℞ Rhei
Antimon ℥j Mistura
Camphor ℥ss Sumat ℥ss ter
in die
Dec 1 Much the same Especially
considered When Patient
to looks vacantly at the
person speaking or perhaps
with a gaze of confirmed delir-
ium Short Breathing
very apparent
3 Breathing still apparent
anxious to get home Groans
a good deal & when asked
what is the matter with
him says me know well
enough & will give no fur-
ther explanation Takes
nourishment well ℞ Tr
Opii gtt x ℥ Sumat omni
nocte Tr Rhei Porter
& Calloss Cont alia
5 Eyes the cattle at patients
in bed pass from as usually
at portions of their dress
which may be ragged &c
anxious to get home Cont
eam
8 Sometimes gets so short of
as to look like suffocating
altogether Mucous & sonorous
rales steadily copious all
through chest Expector-
ation copious & yellow Tr
Rhei & Porter ℞ Rhei
Antimon Tr Opii Gtt x Aqua
Camphor ℥ii ℥ss Mistura
Camphor ℥ss Sumat ℥ss
ter in die ℞ Tr Opii Gtt

Admitted Nov 29 1848

Dec 12 Has been kept in the house since last report & breathing is now much easier & the debility of the legs has in a great measure disappeared Mind also improving much Takes his food well Cont

25 Mind weak & wandering especially at night when sometimes he does not know where he is anxious to get out to the air but when ever he does so gets so breathless as to be almost suffocated Takes his food well Cont

1849 Feby 12 Had an attack of diarrhoea which removed very tedious early was early scrubbed No improvement in the breathing Anxious to get home Cont

March 12 Does tolerably well as long as he keeps in bed & away from the air but otherwise is like to suffocate altogether

27 Continued much the same in all respects Removed today to the Towns hospital Discharged & Relieved

John Black aet 26 Labr Larceny

brought today from Anderston Police office under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the procurator fiscal. His history says he comes from the county Donegal & has been working about Glasgow since harvest was finished

Jas 1 seems an intelligent young man attempts rather than tells the same story as to his having little or no work since harvest last says that for the last 3 weeks he has lived by begging Denies that there is any truth in the allegation that he broke windows as was stated by a policeman & says let them bring me to trial & if I am proved guilty let them punish me Answers questions pleasantly and promptly

2 Behaved & many in his answers quiet & tractable & well conducted Takes his fate madly anxious to be brought to trial so that he may be either punished or liberated & would say

3 Answers much in the same way but what seemed weariness seems considerably the appearance slowness of apprehension & he either has a very bad memory or does not wish to manifest R Pl attention & will answer upon every matter

4 seems very slow of comprehension Answers questions very slowly & often not at all Cannot tell whether it was in May June or July that he left Ireland His father & mother are dead & the only brothers alive are in America He himself held land in Ireland but that was too dear & he had to part with it & live by labouring Hopes the police he is getting contain no more any reasons he is afraid that Mercury fell would avenge him Reads a

Cott. Admitted Nov 30th 1848

make him stumble to pay turn
Never took mercury but
believes it has that effect
on some people

Dec 5 No delusions can be extracted
from him Answers slowly
& with much hesitation but
what he does answer is in
general correct or else says
he does not remember Thinks
but it seems to stumble health
Cont

9 Much the same as at last
report Dull & inattentive
Answers questions with great
slowness but at present Cont

17 No change appreciable Dull
& slow but answers relevantly
Takes his food well Cont

29 Complained that the medicine
he got burned his inside
This was called inflammation of
the bowels As he has not
recovered flesh considerably
it was stopped Health
good Cont

1849
July 1 Had a slight attack of diarrhoea but it is again in his
usual health & Cont

March 1 Much the same in all respects
Will not take medicine lest it
contain poison Works in the
grounds Cont

April 1 Works industriously in the grounds
Has some notions about people trying
to do him injury but only darkly
hints these Appetite sleep and
bowels natural Cont

May 1 No change of any consequence
Works industriously in the
grounds Cont

June 1 Much the same in all respects
Works steadily in the grounds
but is dissatisfied as being
detained here Health good
Cont

July 1 No obvious change anxious to get
to where he will receive wages says
he is starved here and blown up
by food without strength Cont

30 No decided delusion ostensible
The usual authorities visited and
were anxious to try him out Demands
discharged
cured?

Jas Tuttle admd Nov. Aug
Surony

Brought to Gallery from his cell
Dust Courtesy Attendt States that he was mean
on two previous occasions
7 & 14 years ago at which
time he was treated in
the old asylum & discharged
cured. All on the present
occasion one week & usually
quiet & dull. No delusions
insane or intemperate
Head not injured. Shaved
a cab this morning at one
o'clock. Struck his landlady
for interfering when he
smashed the bleak windows
Fourteen years ago attempted to hang himself
but has not shown any
suicidal tendency since
last treatment
Dec 3 Seems in good bodily health
says he got somewhat
excited & restless & that is
the cause they sent him
here again. Long has com-
menced to talk freely & quiet
& seems quite aware that
he must stay here some
time to steady himself
Tongue white. Bowels
slow. No headache. Seat of
scalp R. Fol. attempt
& 11 Lennet. Urine coms not
cent
4 Still quiet to himself on ward
sleeps & eats. Conversation. Mental
state. Takes his food
well Cont
6 Seems weak minded. Long has
commenced freely from trivial cau-
ses. Seems very good natured
& most obliging. Bodily health
good. Takes his food well
Cont
9 Much the same. Good natured
& cheerful. Walks about with
out shoes or stockings. Bowels
regr. Cont
14 Little change of any consequence observable. Mental
state. Bodily health good
Takes often rather much
food & vomits it again
Directions given to prevent
him taking so much. Cont

Aug 2 Admitted Dec 2 1828

Dec 24 Mind weak but conducts himself tolerably quietly takes his food well but occasionally vomits at Rutter thinks it proceeds from Stomach etc Ft Ul Lunat Asy his mbers cont

1829

Jany 5 3 days ago felt sick could refused his food takes stimulants & extract Calls & bowels Hall a Dram Calomel & opium powder with a glass of Brandy Toddy & bason of Salt & water & only applied a grain of opium & Camphor restored the stomach & he is now pretty well & will probably leave Asylum in a day or two

Feby 5 Mind weak but steadily health tolerably good although troubled with vomiting occasionally takes his food well Cont

March 5 Much the same in all respects Mind still in the same weak condition at present employed tagging hair for the Matron Cont

April 5 Little change of any consequence appreciable Works in the grounds Health good Mind weak and fanciful Cont

May 6 Mind still weakish but conducts himself quietly and works industriously Cont

June 6 No change of any consequence perceptible Bodily health Takes his food well Resists in the gallery Cont

July 6 Much the same Mind weakish usually when spoken to answers incorrectly and with a laugh Bodily health good No delusions and works industriously Cont

21 Mind still somewhat weakish but it is free from delusions and is probably as strong as it ever has been since his first attack His sister says his mind has never been so strong as previously Conducts himself in all respects well Works industriously Removed today to the Baltimore Poor House Discharged cured

Lud Mc Arthur Lew 57
Old Kilpatrick L.P.

Brought today from the
Jail of Dumbarton under a
warrant of the Sheriff
granted at the instance
of the Procurator Fiscal
Schedule given not particular
except that the warrant states
that he is a lunatic & in a
state threatening danger
to the lieges

Dec 10 Seems in good bodily health
but complains of pulpitation
& says several times but es-
pecially six weeks ago he
had an overflow of blood
upwards gushing out at his
nostrils & mouth & impulses
of heart strong & dulness of
cardiac region extend considerably
to the left Systolic sound of
heart loud & prolonged heart
heard to the left & lower part
of cardiac region Takes his
food well R Pl attent
x11 Lunat unam omni nob
ordinary diet

12 Conducts himself tolerably
well says that about a fort
night ago when poorly & in
bed he asked his daughter
to do some trifling thing for
him which she refused for
this he seized a besom &
threw at her & then she &
her mother joined against
him & had him sent to jail
There he was almost starved
through cold & want of food
continues

14 Answers to questions says
that although he fell out with
his wife & family he expects
to make it up & get home
Conducts himself tolerably quiet
& Takes his food well
Cont

17 Much the same No new
or unusual delusion can be
got out of him Talks
much about his health
his hands stained in jail
& Takes his food well
Cont on

24 Much the same in all respects
Has an occasional cough & spews
at night R him Antimon Ext
Mistur Mucilag ad 3vj Ext

Admitted Dec 9th 1848

Dyspepsia Quarantine Nurse
Lungs & Pleurisy
Cont

30 Bronchitis rales heard extensively heard in chest Cough severe Pulse 100 Appetite Tongue natural Extremities to remain in bed

1849
Jany 6 Much improved Pulse 80 soft Cough moist Rattle sensible Turkish Bath to be continued

21 Continued much the same but could never lie on left side At 4 this morning seized with diarrhoea which was not reported to the Medical officer till near midday when his extremities were getting blue & vomiting began He never purged after & only vomited once but no effort could restore the heat & pulse to the extremities & at midnight he

Died

Jas Russell aet 40
by H

Brought to Gallery from the Gaol & Office Glasgow under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal, No particulars given except that he was apprehended in Monteith Street

Dec 10 Says he was in Hell last night & much pleased with small devils & imps flying about, related from remembrance that not Pelle moderate Tongue slightly inflicted says that he had been robbed by a person named Mc Intosh of £8 & was pursuing him through various towns in Scotland Glasgow Edinburgh Inverness &c says he has no relations in this country that an uncle who went to America left him some money that he in company with a person named Mc Donald had a Coachshop in the High Street Edinburgh for three years but gave it up four years ago since then he has been living on his means. Is very composed & incoherent in his answers takes his food & Rl attends Xn Lord at duas or n p o s

11 Says he was not annoyed by spectators shapes last night that his mind had been composed by taking Spirits which had caused these & also his mother about Mc Intosh owing him money Improving respectfully Appetite not very hearty 2d Report

12 Says that he had some money left him on this he has been living for the last 9 years & now he has got through it all This with his taking too much whisky & seeing in mouth for the last month had brought on the fit of delirium tremens

16 Conducts himself in a respectful manner & appears thankful for his discharge he had accosted a policeman and demanded whether he should cut policemans coat or policeman should

Admitted Dec 19th 1848

ent his at the same time pro
ducing a royal Dedimus asked
to see if it was sharp enough
& pocketed it taking pattern
to the office

Dec 25 Conducting himself in all
respects well Kindly Courte
pretty good Yankee this fossil
ized Court

1849
Jan 5 Had an attack of diarrhoea
treated with Laudanum Cate
chu & Chalk mixture Feels
pretty well & upon the
bed to day Continues con
valescent

Feb 4 Continues to conduct himself
in all respects well. Court
in session

" 27 Removed today by the Governor's Mes
sage & Authority Dismissed as
cured

Lo Wm Crawford act 40.
7 H

Brought to today from the towns hospital where he has been since he was discharged from this asylum Sec nal
Has been living in the towns hospital & was allowed to visit his wife & family one day in the week but in consequence of the recent alarm about Cholera this privilege was stopped & it supposed this was the cause of his the recurrence of the malady
Very noisy on admission talking in an incoherent manner but does not seem mischievously disposed To sleep in seclusion

Dec 13 General health seems tolerably good Spine very much caused at the dorsal vertebrae Comment backwards very talkative incoherent rambling from subject to subject but does not seem endeavoured silly rather hot tongue slightly white pulse full & strong Ordered R Sal Rochelle mist ℥ii ter die

14 Was allowed to visit with the other patients but was so restless noisy that she had to be removed to seclusion Cont

15 Tore a strong quilted mat yesterday very noisy & cries out that she gets no food & is starved very noisy bowels carry from the pills Cont

17 Was out of seclusion yesterday but again so noisy today that she had to be removed Roars for a cup & feathers Takes his food well & complains of being starved Cont

23 Much improved & conducts herself tolerably quietly but mind still much excitement to do many things to get to the airing shop to work to write his acknowledgments to the towns hospital hospital To write for his tools &c Takes his food well Bowels carry Cont

Diner Admitted Dec 12 1848

Dec 29 Conducting himself very well anxious to work & to spend for his coals to the Towns Hospital Mind weakish but probably never will be much better Takes his food well Cont

1849
Jany 29 No change of any consequence Mind rather weak Cont

Feby 28 Had a slight attack of diarrhoea but is now quite well Lobbing about the house Mind weakish & will probably always remain so Cont on

March 27 Bodily health good Mind weakish but as well as it will probably ever be Removed today by the Town's hospital authorities Discharged as

Cured

Donald Shaw aet 34 Fm

Brought today from Lunsley
Asylum not violent or dangerous
to the asylum Officials or guard
a maniac much noise when
roused however was not
maliciously inclined but rather
joyous & uproarious Has
the entire rubbed off his
brow seems in good bodily
health stout & ruddy
Dec 14 Noisy uproarious & inclined
to practical jokes which
became so annoying to the
other patients that he had
to be sent to seclusion
Takes his food well
R Pil at Prat x11 lenivat
dies omni nocte
15 Quiet when alone but
talks a good deal of incoherent nonsense says that
the great red whore is up
in heaven but he will
pull her down Promises
to behave quietly if let out
of seclusion says he was
in the old asylum 14 years
ago & was bathed & put down
Bowels easy
17 Was tried out & put back
some of the iron grating of
the ventilators & was today
permitted to seclusion
Takes his food well
Bowels easy Cont
20 Flatters the walls of his
room with his ordure
Tears his blankets & keeps
the room in a filthy state
Sings & prays & talks about
the Sanctified whore being in
heaven Bowels rather slow
Rhei Pract Magn 3ii
Aperient mixture & abs pot
Cont
24 Quiet quieter & was let out of
seclusion but next day
after seeing a friend got
again excited & tore all his
clothes to tatters Takes his
food well Talks little
more Is again in seclusion
Cont Mixt Pil
28 Got very quiet & pressed his sorrow
at having torn his clothes & promised to conduct himself better
Was therefore tried out of

A. Miller McD admitted Dec 13 1848

seclusion but broke three panes of glass & attempted violently to hadly that he was again sent to seclusion today Cont

Jan 3 Not improving much often after taken his food & bowels his excrements in the dish This morning after breakfast suddenly became very unwell Had the following R Tinct Opii ℥VI Calom Opii ℥ii Tinct Opii ℥ii et Camphorae ℥i M Swallowed by a glass of brandy & water & Bags of hot sand were applied around him & in about an hour & a half succeeded in restoring the heat

4 He continued returned totally but the heat soon again restored a feeling of warmth very restless

20 Got over this shaddy ailment after a few days but then became more settled & natural than ever & is at present in seclusion where he busies every thing thinks & talks rationally Takes his food well Cont

21 Yesterday when seen in the morning said he had been ill of cholera all night Could feel a pulse at wrist Treated with external warmth Sinapisms Calomel & opium Had also creasote to check the vomiting Brought gently under the influence of Chloroform several times & about after sunk very low pulse all but gone extremities & face blue Today seems rallying

23 Last night & today almost frequent belches something pulse improved in strength Still calls incessantly for effervescing drinks & takes nothing else Vomiting nearly subdued but still keeps sunken dull & heavy Makes no urine Last 8 hours urine stool procured by injection Has a narcotic look but gets no opium Pulse 100 Respiration natural

25 Continued sleeping & improving till 6 A.M. when he was suddenly seized with retching in the throat & other symptoms of dissolution set in & he never rallied Died

Andrew Bonnie act 20 Comm

Brought today from the police office Forfarshire Schedule gives no particulars. Seems to be a very good nobody. Neatly he washes himself frequently on admission & went quietly to the gallery He sleeps in seclusion

Dec 16 Says he slept well Flashes in the habit for several days past of taking two Bromide pills at night Wishes Ireland to be an independent nation (His father was an Irishman) Because he wishes Ireland independent is the reason they have sent him here R Pl about XII Dimat omnes omni nocte te oro ut bene quietus rather that pupils dilatati Talks incoherently

17 Very noisy & obliged to be sent off to seclusion today to shouting & thundering at the door of his room Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

19 On promising to be quiet let out of seclusion Walks about with his shoes off & with his hat & flannel waistcoat in his hands making speeches to no particular person but as if he were addressing a public meeting on Ireland's wrongs Bowels easy Cont

21 Still promenades about & with energy on Ireland often with his shoes & stockings off Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

24 Mood still much as every but is on the whole quieter very anxious to get shaved & to have his hair cut Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Pgl

28 Has got more noisy & troublesome & has to be kept alone in seclusion as he annoys his fellow patients at night by noise & restlessness Ulcer a cluster applied to accessible parts yesterday Bowels open Cont

Weaver Admitted Dec 14th 1848

Jan 5 Was still to sleep in seclusion from his noisiness Makes long speeches on various topics Chiefly political Goes about in a very untidy manner Takes his food well Bodily health good

21 No improvement Indeed rather worse - Has often to be sent to seclusion during the day even & always at night Takes his food well Cont

Feby 2 Last night in seclusion was suddenly attacked with a copious discharge of bloody stools Had just taken his tea & was sitting by the fire when he got two grains of acetate of lead & a quarter of opium every hour till considerable abatement of the bloody flux took place Pulse 120 Skin hot Had a small ram Affluent ~~symptoms~~ decreased at bedtime R Pulv Ipecacuanh Comp 9i x Hg mides

4 Discharges from the bowels scanty & black Vomits also black matter like coffee grounds & latterly the vomited matter has been dark Cal gr v Opii gr ss Effect Vomiting seems checked & the Pulse become more & more feeble Discharges distressing Would take nothing but Ft Spirits Ext 7 ½ p 8m

Died

Jos McBride aet 20 Tobacconist
7H

Brought today from the Lunatic Asylum Schedule gives no particulars but the person who brought him stated that he had been threatening to put his mother on the fire

Dec 19 Is rather thin but seems in tolerable health and spirits not unusually but fancies himself persecuted talks moderate very noisy & makes out singing, shutters & prays about murder &c; Judges from some things that he courted a young woman but she slighted him & fell a victim to consumption Ordinary diet

20 Much the same as yesterday sings & shouts, shutters & prays by turns Takes his food well

22 Mind still much as they but cries & tears his hand to get out of seclusion says he will be a good boy if let out Takes his food well Bowels very costive To have steak & porter & to be let out of seclusion

24 Much still much but is much improved & conducting himself tolerably quietly Assists in the gallery Takes his food well Bowels costive Cont

28 Has again got more unsettled & noisy running about disturbing his fellows & tearing his clothes Shaved his head Cont

1849 Jany 4 Gradually quieted down & was again permitted to mix with the rest of the patients but had again to be committed to seclusion in consequence of tearing his clothes &c

24 Quieter but sores his head & tears his clothes Is allowed to mix with the other patients Very fine To have steaks & porter Cont

Feby 24 Much the same in all respects Still given to tear his head & on a severe attack of diarrhoea

Admitted Dec 18 1848

which was however soon subdued
Bodily health now quite restored
Cont

March 24 Has been sent out to work on the grounds & is on the whole rather improving Still meets his meal however Takes his food greedily & largely but is thin & hungered like Bowels regular Cont

April 28 Still occasionally meets his meal but otherwise is considerably more tidy keeping his clothes in better order Works in the grounds seems in better bodily condition Appetite still keen Cont

May 28 Much the same as at last report Bodily health good Cont

June 12 Has got a little hoarse of late but does not complain of cough Bodily condition much better Bowels easy Cont

July 11 Tolla Bowels confined upon a little On examination crepitus heard over upper half of left right lung and left scapular region Pulse 104 Bowels easy Tolerably full inhalit but of an unhealthy aubry hue R Sal Mur Morph gi Spiritus Aeth Nitr ʒi Mistura Amygd ʒvi Liquat ʒss Inter males Go to bed

12 Felt somewhat sick and has gone to bed Pulse 96 R Elect Cat ʒi Aloes Aloes ʒss Pulv Ipecac rep gr fiss Extract Colocynth Dextr Bowels rather relaxed Milk diet

19 Bowels still somewhat relaxed and vomited a little bilious matter this morning occasionally a little blood comes up with expectoration Pulse Heat Dry Hot Cretæ ℈ii Pulv Ipecac ℈i Liquor R Tinct Opii ammoniatus ʒss Aquæ cinnamomi ʒi Mistura amygdalæ ʒvi Liquat ʒss Inter quotidie

21 Bowels not so relaxed Mind of late has become glum and composed and wishes to get home

25 Bowels regular Cough troublesome Sputa occasionally bloody Takes his food well Mind calm

26 His mind became calm and composed and he evidently dying of phthisis his mother wished to have him at home Removed today Discharged as

cured

John Rowan act 42 in a
2 H

Wrong st today from Grove
Hall Carried to ward Schizo
States that he never was
insane before Has been ill
two weeks Was affected with
headache & slight depression
of Spirits sometime previous
Badly health good & excepting
that he had his nose frost
bitten in Canada & still has
some affection about the
root of the nose very
proud in his general char
acter Delusions increasing
Loud spirited sometimes
raves aloud Thinks he is
the Lord Almighty Went into
a church two days ago & spoke
from the pulpit that Jesus Christ
Not Mrs Rowan Shall smoke
applied to the head
Dec 22 Speaks in a muffling manner
from some affection of the
nose When spoken to stares
at the speaker & says little
Takes no food Healthy health
seems good Pulse Movements
Wrong somewhat insane
Did attempt to commit
Jesus omni nocte te amo
te

23 Still refuses his food says
he will die before he takes
any Pure says that he is
quite in his senses & there is
no occasion for his being
sent here Says he is the
Lord. His sister Mary was
long a patient in this Asylum
Applies Request accepted
Court

25 Seems improving but
still says he does things
because God tells him
says however he talked
nonsense when he said
that he was the Lord
Takes his food well
Bowels easy Court

28 Now talks quite rational
ly says he had been
taking a little whiskey &
brandy had brain fever
should he imagines that
was the cause of his derange-
ment Conducts himself well
Bowels regular Court

Cadet Estab Admitted Dec 21st 1848

Dec 31st Walks & conducts himself in all respects made at the request of his mess dismissed although prematurely on account of the prevalence of cholera

C W Ell

Richardson Ward Dec 26

Brought today from Richardson Schedule states that he never was insane before the present attack which began 6 months ago. Had Rheumatic fever for 3 months previously from became melancholy. Was always quiet & retiring in disposition & now temperate. Has two children aged 3 & 1 year. Mother's uncle insane & the whole family eccentric. Restless & raving on religious subjects & screaming. Is a great sinner & there is no hope for him. Has threatened to take his life but does not say by what means. No desire to strike nor is mischievous. No treatment

Dec 24 Raving constantly on the subject of religion. Praying & preaching sometimes stands with his face covered with his hands leaning against the wall refuses to answer as allows his pulse to be felt. Takes his food well & is clean & tidy. Remains about same

25 Still prays & chants sees persons & objects where none are. Takes his food well. Bowels open. Hair to be cut close

26 Does not seem to sleep much. Still singing praying & chanting. Takes his food well. Appears reduced & emaciated. R Tinct Cinchonae Co ℥ij Spirit Aether Nitros Spirit Chloroformi aa ℥j Sal Nitrat Mixt ℥iij. Must accept ℥iv in Liniment & rub morning & evening

28 Is on the whole quieter but still restless & sleepless. The Medical officer to see him. Seems to steal & collops lost

29 Weak & exhausted today pulse feeble. Feet swollen & blue & cold. Knees & elbows sore

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dated Feet to be pulled in
flannel Patient Spurtes bowels
by 11 inches Cont dated

91 Feet continue small dark blue
& cold & small spots blackening
slough sing also extending the lake
patellae & slightly at elbows
Fingers blue Tongue dry and
brown in the middle white pe-
ripheral & pink but out at tong
and flush on cheeks Teeth
dirty Restless & incoherent
Expectes Spurtes bowels all
by VIII in doz. Fomentes pulles

1849
Jany 1 More restless & incoherent
Diarrhoea setting in stool
dark & foetid Face dusky
Cheeks flushed Pulse weaker
Takes his extras & stimulants &
extras well Cont

2 During the night rapidly
sank & at 4½ A M

Died

Dr Cummings Exam Page

1846

Janʸ 6 Diarrhoea continues to increase in severity causes all in bed still is brownish colored

12 Diarrhoea still continues very severe but is now more mucous Has had cal et opii & all manner of astringents exhibited & persisted in notwithstanding ℞ Ferri ℥ij Tinct Opii ℥ij ×× ex aqua ter indies

19 Very low & does not seem likely to survive the attack long Pulse very weak passes all in bed ℞ Liq Potassæ ℥ss ad ℥iv Decoct Hordei ℥iv Tinct Opii ℥ij Ft Haustus quarta quaque hora

26 Still sinking Diarrhoea profuse ℞ Acetate of Lead & opium but nothing stops this emaciation although he takes a sufficient quantity of nutritious food in the shape of egg Arrow root Beef tea &c

Febʸ 1 Evidently near his end weary to him & home Coma The supine attitude of iron tread at length Must be prostrate at

Febʸ 3 This morning at 2 o'clock

Dead

57 Admitted June 27 1848

David Cummings Page 1

1849
Feby 1 No change of any consequence Still a rather stupid yet docile & industrious Bodily health good Cont

March 1 Much the same in all respects Quiet docile & very seldom speaks Works industriously in the grounds Cont

April 1 Bodily health good. Works very industriously in the grounds appetite sleep and bowels natural Mind still confused Cont

May 1 Works very quietly and industriously in the Grounds Bodily health good Cont

June 1 Much the same in all respects Works quietly steadily and enjoys good health Manifest no disinclyngtion to get away Takes his food well Cont

July 1 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

Augt 2 No change

Sept 2 No change

Octr 2 Very quiet and industrious Health good

Novr 2 Mind very weak Peaceable unless annoyed

Decr 2 No change

91 No change

1850

Jany 31 A case of dementia apparently incurable. Quiet cleanly and civil Health excellent. R.O.

Feby 28 Seems quiet and contented seldom speaks but in answer to some questions which he is usually asked mostly he Relates well. Bodily health very good. R. Ormerod.

March 31 No change of any consequence R. Ormerod.

April 30 Quiet and good natured mind weak. Speaks little and only after he has been addressed. Careless of his appearance. Not very industrious. Bodily health good R. Ormerod.

May 31 No change R. Ormerod.

June 18 Much the same. R. Ormerod.

July 18 Mind weak. Speaks only when questioned and then only briefly. Has a little quarrels now and in Infirmary twice last week

Admitted Jany 1st 1848

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Amenia
Sept 15 No change. C. Amenia.
Oct 15 Much the same. Cont. Amenia
Nov 15 Mind weak and inactive he however behaves well and is steady in his habits employed out of doors C. Amenia.
Dec 15 Seldom spontaneously addresses any one. Behaves quietly. Mind weak. Answers many questions rationally Cleanly in habits. Bodily health good. C. Amenia.

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Jan 31 No change in mental state. Health good. C. Amenia
Feb 15 Much the same. C. Amenia.
March 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Seldom speak. Mind dull and weak. Very quiet cleanly and industrious C. Amenia.
April 15 Mind continues feeble. Of a dull sullen temper and demeanour - seldom smiles. Apt to retaliate when annoyed. Cleanly in habits General health good C. Amenia.
May 15 No change. C. Am.
June 15 As before. C. Amenia.
July 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Dull and indolent in appearance but does employ himself though not actively at times - Mind weak and inactive. Cleanly in his habits. C. Amenia.
Aug 15 Much the same. Not violent and struck an inoffensive blow on the eye cured has since been in seclusion General health good C. Am.
Sept 15 Occasionally recollected. Always wears a gloomy and sullen expression of countenance - General health good. C. Am.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Am -
Nov 15 Answers a simple question rationally enough. Countenance usually wears a somewhat heavy and sullen expression sometimes he is employed in the grounds. General health good C. Amenia

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Wm M. Logan page 39

1844

Feby 1 Had a sort of a paralytic fit Was bled twice on the account & had a turpentine injection & soon regained consciousness but is so stupid that he is unable to speak or comprehend what is said to him Takes his food well bowels open

(March 1 Much the same but gradually getting more stupid and filthy so much so that it became necessary to transfer him to a filthy gallery Takes his food well Requires a pill occasionally to keep his bowels regular Cont om

16 Declining fast is very fast losing flesh rapidly although he takes his food well with Steaks and porter in addition Unable to speak partly from extreme stupidity partly from paralysis of the muscles concerned in speaking

23 continued to decline rapidly Today left leg is found covered with large dark bullae & part cold and sedematous pulse weak and frequent Left leg fomented & cordials administered Cont

24 Became unexpectedly much worse during the night and died at 6 o'clock a.m.

Died

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1849

Jany 7 Had other 10 grains of calomel & the vomiting & purging abated & the pulse rose in volume & warmth returned to the extremities but moderate

19 Improvement great but he is very thin weak Required Lett & Medicine after the exhibition of the calomel Bowels slow Diet on milk chest with wine Rx Aqua Cinnamon Camphor aa ℥j Tinct Opii Comp ℥j mix

Feby 19 No bowels complaint but a mind more distressed Wishes he was dead yet is afraid to die Wants like to be drowned often requires to be fed his face very thin & pale Tongue & lips very light

March 19 Not much improvement Takes his food with less of forcing but does not improve in bodily condition Feet getting somewhat oedematous He must take strong diet

29 Much the same as at last report Taking his food But is afraid of some impending calamity says he is a great sinner ought to be put to death His brother removed him today in consequence of the importunities of his wife Dismissed as

Relieved

Admitted Oct 12 1848

1849 Arch^d McMillan page 27

June 2 Believes that his body is transparent that he is bound by a spell for some indefinite period that the blood and marrow of the Argyle family is concentrated in Victoria Health good Cont

July 2 Delusions the same Employed sewing canvas Mothers Health good Cont

Aug 2 No change

Sept 2 A few days ago tore his surtout to shreds in a fit of sudden excitement Had been for sometime sleeping in Number 2 but begged to get again to sleep in the seclusion rooms as there alone he had peace Granted

Oct 2 Since his removal to another gallery tolerably quiet

Nov 2 Not seen

Dec 2 No change

31 No change

1850

Jany 31 Since last report has been very quiet. Cleanly cares attentive to his appearance. Answers briskly with downcast eye. Health good C. O.

Feby 28 During the month June some very slight cause struck an Excoriation on the face and blackened one eye very severely Has since been quiet. Speaks only in answer. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Civil and quiet at present. Sleeps regularly in Seclusion C. Recovering.

March 31 Unwilling to sleep along with any other patient saying that he cannot bear their pestilential breaths. Health good. Quiet since last report. C. Recovering

April 30 At his own desire sleeps in seclusion alleging that he cannot sleep with the others from the prison of their breath. Answers some questions rationally. Has a very sharp and intelligent look. Health good. C. Recovering

May 31 No change C. Recovering

June 18 Much the same. C. Recovering

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July 15 Asks that he may be allowed to sleep in a single room at night as he fancies that the air respired by the other patients becomes poisoned causing him much annoyance. Seems active and intelligent. Talks to any one. Bodily functions naturally C. Insania.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Insania

Sept 15 As before. Cont. Insania.

Oct 15 Much as before C. Insania

Nov 15 Answers many questions rationally. Bowels and appetite. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural — C. Insania.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Insania.

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Jan 15 As before. C. Insania

Feb 15 Behaves well in all respects Health good C. Insania.

March 15 Speaks very little. Behaves in all respects well. Attentive to his appearance. General health good. C. Insania.

April 15 Converses pretty rationally on most subjects. Sleeps always in seclusion as he feels annoyed when sleeping in the same place with others as he says from the contamination of the atmosphere by their breaths — Apt to quarrel and strike when annoyed in any way. General health good. C. Insania —

May 15 No change. C. Ins —

June 15 Much the same. C. Ins —

July 15 Fancies that those about him annoy him and curse him and then wishes for a change. Attentive to his appearance. Seldom usefully employed. General health good C. Insania —

Aug 15 In all respects as at last report. C. Insania.

Sept 15 As before. C. Ins.

Oct 15 Struck one inoffensive patient a severe blow on the face and was for several days in seclusion. Health good C. Ins —

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Chas Ramsey from page 20

1849
June 2 Dull and taciturn Never speaks Speaks Walks to and fro in a musing manner Employed on the Grounds Health Upon Cont.
July 2 Much the same seldom answers much beyond a monosyllable occasionally sent out to work in the Grounds or assists in the gallery Cont.
Aug 2 No change
Sept 2 Much the same in all respects
Oct. 2 Much the same
Nov 2 No change
Dec 2 No change
31 As reported above
1850
Jany 31 In all respects as formerly C. Ormerod.
Feby 28 Sits usually in the same posture and seems silent little. When questions usually utters only a single word "yes" or "no". Not at present employed. Bodily health good. C. Ormerod.
March 31 No change of any importance. C. Ormerod.
April 30 Mind in a state of advanced dementia. Answers by a monosyllable only. Seems careless about every thing never employed. Appears to be quiet and harmless Bodily health good. C.O.
May 31 No change C. Ormerod.
June 15 Much the same. C. Ormerod
July 15 The mind of this patient is almost entirely gone. Speaks only in answer and seldom more than a monosyllable can be elicited. Seldom moves from his seat. Sits in a somewhat peculiar half reclining posture. Inclination in his habits at night but keeps himself dry during the day. Bears usually employed Bodily health moderately good. C. Ormerod.
Aug 15 No change. C. Ormerod
Sept 15 As before. C. Ormerod
Oct 15 Mind so extremely weak that he can answer no question correctly but seeming the day &c. C. Orm

20 Committed 16 March 1848

Nov 15 Since last report has become more wet- often passing his urine in his clothes. Bowels almost 3 times. Limit cannot be given. Appetite good Bowels regular. To have two drops for dinner. Ol. Mo.

Dec 15 Much improved in habits and does not wet himself at any time. Skin but few pem pimples. Complaint bodily complaint. Eats well. Bowels regular. C. Cinnia.

1851

Jan 15 Much the same. C. Cinnia

" 28 Has become affected with diarrhoea Stools liquid and frequent - Extremely thin and feeble - Can give little information as to his sensations. Pulse weak. Milk diet. R. Tinct Opii ℥ij Tinct Catechu ℥ij. Mistura Cretæ ℥vj Sumat cochl. mag. post. singl. sed. C. Cinn.

" 29 Respiration hurried. Countenance anxious. Pulse weak and 110 - Bowels still loose. Takes his food readily. Appr. Emp. Lytta Ther.

Feby 3 Considerably weaker. Extremely emaciated. Bowels continue always Habeat bini Rubri ℥iv Sumendi Bovini ℥j quotidie. Sumat Hydrarg c Creta gr v statim. C. Cinnia

" 6 Daily becomes more exhausted. Diarrhoea continues with short remissions. Augeatur brium. C. Cinnia -

" 7 This morning he

Died

1849

July 2 Dull and taciturn No obvious delusions can be got out of him Takes his food well and works industriously Conduct

Aug 1 2 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Conduct

Sept 1 2 No change

Oct 2 Works tolerably industriously

Nov 2 No change

Dec 2 No change

31 No change

1850

Jany 31 No alteration in mind since former report. Health pretty good. C. O.

Feby 28 Bodily functions natural Behaves pretty well Quiet and steady. Speaks little C. Omnia.

March 30 In all respects as before C. Omnia.

April 30 Was in seclusion for a few hours lately having got a little quarrelsome and unruly. Usually he is very quiet - speaks only in answer - and for the most part briefly but pretty correctly - hunts in the grounds. Bodily health very good. C. Omnia

May 31 Quiet since last report Health good C. Omnia.

June 15 Much the same. C. O.

July 15 This patient in conversation smiles and replies briefly but broaches no delusions He seldom speaks to any one. Since last report has been so quiet as to have required no interference with his liberty such as it is. Steady and civil — Mind seems weak - Seldom usefully employed Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia.

Aug 15 No change. Cont. Omnia

Sept 15 Much as before. C. Omnia.

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Omnia

Nov 15 Mind weak. For the most part he is quiet and inoffensive but has quarrelled and struck. Steady in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia

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Dec 15 Much the same. C. Asy.
1851
Jan 15 No change. C. Asylum
Feb 15 Mind weak. Behaves pretty well. Cleanly and industrious General health good C. Asylum.
March 15 Much the same. C. Asylum.
April 15 Mind weak. Somewhat quarrelsome. Speaks little to any one and broaches no delusion. General health good. C. Asylum.
May 15 No change. C. Asy.
June 15 As before. C. Asy.
July 15 Appetite slip and bowels natural. Mind remains weak. At present quiet. Cleanly in habits. C. Asylum
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Asylum.
Sept 15 No change. C. Asylum
Oct 15 Much the same. A Jubilee year has appeared on his mind in connection with Jubilee Jury. C. Asylum.
Nov 15 Since last report has been free from complaint and been daily employed assisting in one of the galleries of the West House in which duty he seems to answer. His mind is weakish. Answers many simple questions with considerable relevancy Cook Invalids and assists in offices. Cleanly in habits. General bodily health good C. Asylum.
Dec 15 Employed daily in the West House. C. Asylum.
1852
Jan 15 No change has been observed in this patients state since last report but he is daily employed in the West House and consequently very much removed from my observation. C. Asylum.
Feb 29 Every day goes to the West House there to assist the attendants in cleaning and watching on the gentlemen. His general health is good C. Asy
Mar 15 No change of any kind C.A.

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1849 George Sutton Page 14

July 2 A case of long standing dementia scarcely ever gives a coherent answer Bodily health good Works occasionally in the grounds Not very tidy in his dress Conts

Aug 2 No change

Sept 2 Works in the Quarry Health good No medical change Conts

Oct 2 No change Unpromising

Nov 3 No change

Dec 3 No change

31 Much the same in all respects

1850

Jany 31 was confined to bed for some days on account of slight illness. Gives no answer when spoken to sometimes answers by a single unmeaning babble. When asked his name answers only by showing the mark inside his cap. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Ormerod

Feby 28 Said to have lost some blood per anum several times of late apparently from haemorrhoids as he has no leucorrhoea and no constitutional disturbance. Mind very much the same. Speaks almost none. Cleanly at night. Appetite good C. Ormerod.

March 31 No complaint since last report. C. Ormerod

April 30 Seems very indifferent about most things. Answers very briefly and only in reply. Industrious in his habits but cleanly at night. Bodily health moderately good. C. Ormerod

May 31 No change C. Ormerod

June 15 Much the same. C. Ormerod

July 18 Seldom moves about and speaks only in reply to any questions that may be addressed to him and then is very seldom coherent or satisfactory. Mind very feeble. Cleanly in habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod

Aug 15 No change. C. Ormerod

Septr 18 Much as before. C. Ormerod

Darmstadt 19th Feby 1848

Oct 22 Lieut Hirschburg 2d

Relieved

John Cuff Page 98

1849
April 1 No change of any consequence
Bodily health tolerable good
Takes his food well Bowels
costy Dull and stupid
but sometimes rather irrac
-ible Cont
May 1 No change of any con-
sequence
June 1 In all respects as re-
ported above
July 1 Sometimes much the same
Dull + slow but stubborn
and irascible Health
tolerable Cont
20 Had a squabble with an-
other patient today and
got a black eye Bowels slow
Flannel abdom & R Pulv Jalap
comp 3ij
Augt 6 Bowels slow Flannel ad Rumi
Sept 6 3ij Little change of any conse
quence Cont
Octr 6 Much the same
Novr 7 No change
Decr 7 Much the same in all respects
31 No change

1850
Janry 23 No alteration of any kind
since last report Leave this
day removed to Edinburgh
Asylum by his friends

Relieved

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Wm Nelson 22 from Vol 12

Barony

1849
Sept 8 House of long standing dementia careless & untidy usually speaks a word Takes his food well Bowels regular
Oct 8 No change
Nov 8 No change
Dec 8 Quiet & inoffensive Conduct
31 No change

1850
Jany 31 In all respects as formerly. C. Ormerod.
Feby 28 Mind very weak but can answer some simple questions readily. Quiet inoffensive and cleanly in his habits Speaks only when addressed. Bodily functions natural. C. Ormerod.
March 31 No change since last report. Cert. Ormerod.
April 30 Seems uniformly quiet and inoffensive. Mind continues very feeble careless about most matters. Good humoured and seems contented with his present circumstances. Bodily health good C. Ormerod
May 31 No change C. Ormerod.
June 15 As formerly. C. Ormerod.
July 15 Answers a simple question relevantly and seems good natured enough. Mind evidently much weakened. Speaks very little unless when spoken to in a silly manner. Not usefully employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod.
Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

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1849 Jas Leung from Val 13 Jany

Sept 8 Dull quiet & melancholy very deaf & when he sees people speaking imagines they are saying something of him. Works in the tailor's shop

Oct 8 No change since last

Nov 8 No change

Dec 8 Still at work in the tailor's shop

(31 No change

1850

Jany 31 Some days since had a slight attack of diarrhoea checked by astringents. Now well. No mental change. C.D.

Feby 28 Employed daily in the tailors shop and works very assiduously. Observes little seems melancholy. Cheerful in his habits. Appetite & sleep and bowels natural. C. Anemia.

March 31 Works only as he pleases - and when interrupted with refuses to go on. Health good. C. Anemia.

April 30 Much the same. Employed daily in the tailor's shop. Health moderately good. Cont Anemia.

May 3 Runs this day discharged.

Relieved

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Sept 8 Very quiet when let alone but apt to resent improper interference Reads much Takes his food well Comb

Sept 8 No change
Nov 8 As reported above
Dec 8 Very quiet Mowes regular
91 No change

1850

Jany 31 Very quiet civil well behaved and cleanly. Bodily health good. C. Oxenia.

Feby 28 Bodily functions natural except occasional trouble from haemorrhoids for which he has been taking the confectio piperis for some considerable time Very quiet and well behaved. Cleanly in habits Attentive to his appearance. Answers pertinent questions relevantly. Reads much. C. Oxenia.

March 31 Had diarrhoea for a few days subdued under the use of opiates and chalk mixture with milk diet. Now free from complaint. Very quiet. Tidy in his appearance. C. Oxenia.

April 30 No change of any consequence since last report. C. Oxenia

May 31 No change C Oxenia.

June 18 As before. C. Oxenia.

July 18 Behaves himself on the whole with propriety Holds himself aloof from his fellow patients and often sits alone perusing a book or newspaper. Answers most questions relevantly Broaches no discussion Attentive to his personal appearance. Seldom if ever speaks about getting away. Cleanly in habits. Bodily functions natural. C. Oxenia.

Aug 18 No change. Cont. Oxenia

Sept 18 Much the same. C. Oxenia

Oct 18 Much as before. C. Oxenia

Nov 16 Appetite chief and bowels natural. Keeps somewhat aloof from his fellow patients. Attentive to her appearance. C. Oxenia.

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Dec 18- has the aspectio pipieris
signi for relief of piles
Quiet and apparently
contented. Health pretty
good. C. Oswin.

1851
Jan 18- No change. C. Oswin
Feb 18- Much the same. C. Oswin.
Mar 18- Appetite slep and bowels
natural. Answers relevantly
but reserved and disinclined
for much conversation. He
employs himself reading and
prefers to do so in some remote
place. C. Oswin.
April 18- Much the same. C. Oswin.
May 18- No change. C. Oswin.
June 18- As before. C. Oswin.
July 18- Appetite slep and bowels
natural - busy retiring and
does not seems to associate
much with his fellow patients
often sits apart reading
sometimes works a little in
the garden. C. Oswin.
Aug 18- In all respects as at last
report C. Oswin.
Sept 18- No change. C. Oswin
Oct 18- Was confined for a few days
to bed on account of diarrhoea
and vomiting - for which
which is now gone and he
again enjoys his usual good
health. C. Oswin.
Nov 18- Seems to associate very little
with any of his fellow patients
and is fond of sitting
or walking in retired
places with a book in
his hand. Rouses when some-
times he is employed at
light duty in the garden -
Cleanly and attentive to
his appearance - Appetite
moderate - Seems to have
moderate health as he
seldom complains but of
haemorrhoids - C. Oswin -
Dec 18- Much the same. C. Oswin -
1852
Jan 18- Busy quiet and retiring
in his manner. Answers
questions relevantly and
broaches no discussion. He
seems contented with his
present circumstances and
never asks to be liberated

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Hugh Love from Aol 13 page 24

1849
Sept 8 A case of long standing chronic Insanity sometimes excitable in the galleries at other times will do nothing Mind weak Health good Cont
Oct 8 Little change often laughs Reads his bible much
Nov 8 No change of any consequence
Dec 8 No change
31 No change

1850
Jany 31 Mind weak. Answers pretty correctly. Assists in the ward cleanly in habits. Complains of chronic cough for which he uses a pectoral mixture. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.

Feby 28 Behaves well at present being civil quiet obedy used, industriously. Answers most questions relevantly although mind is feeble. Except chronic cough bodily health good. Seems quite contented with his present circumstances C. Insania.

March 31 Do all respects as before Cont. Insania.

April 30 Somewhat enfeebled mind, his in bed at present Mind weak. Answers ordinary questions relevantly. Appetite pretty good Bowels confined. Sumat Ol. Ricini mediam. C.O.

May 31 Better and up for some time past. Appetite good C. Insania.

June 13 Much the same. Health better C. Insania.

July 16 Mind weak. Answers most questions relevantly Remarks no delusion Behaves well. Tolerably free from bodily complaint Appetite good. Bowels regular C. Insania.

Aug 8 Removed by his guardians

Relieved

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Sept 22 a pail of calcine matter the attendants concealed this Tonight his feet & legs half way up are becoming denuded of cuticle Wrapped in cotton Restless and pulse accelerated Lemonade Sol Mur Morph ℥j

24 Feverish and restless Pulse 120 Burns suppurating Takes little Mouthfuls of food & port

26 Skin much cooler Pulse rapid & weak Denuded surfaces very extensive One leg dressed with water dressing Vol Acet Kali ℥ij

30 No termination in the disease of the pulse Patient is sinking very fast Appetite failing Considerable delirium and subsultus tendinum Sept Urin ♃ ℥viii

Oct 4 Looked much better yesterday but today appears much worse Much delirium and restlessness Teeth covered with sordes Pulse weak & rapid Burns all but well

6 Evidently cannot hold out much longer Lies prostrate passes all unconsciously Urinates profusely & port

8 This evening at 9½ p m

Died

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1849 Angus McLean from Bd 13 Sp

Nov 7 No improvement. Full of delusions, dislikes to be spoken to. Part of his head to the occiput, sometimes takes his meals while standing by the desk. Will injure himself much the same all respects. Bodily health tolerably good. Careless & obstinate. Given to destroy his clothes & consume in an insolent manner

1850

Jan 31 Delusions fully gratified. Troubled with toothache and pains occasionally. Careless of his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.C.

Feby 28 Mind weak and confused some days since became very destructive to his dress that a strong canvas one had to be provided for him. Does not now destroy ordinary clothes. Careless in habits and of his appearance. Bodily health good. C. Cerevia.

March 30 No change since last report. Cont. Cerevia.

April 30 Remains as formerly bodily and mentally Cont. Cerevia.

May 31 Says he is a catholic. Mind weak. Uses usefully employed Health good C. Cerevia.

June 15 Mind weak and full of fancies Delusions gratified Health good. C. Cerevia.

July 15 Mind weak and full of delusions. Delusions fully indulged. Uses usefully employed. Careless of his personal appearance Bodily health moderately good. C. Cerevia.

Aug 16 Much the same. C. Cerevia.

Sept 16 As before. C. Cerevia.

Oct 15 Mind very confused much weak. Says he is God &c. Health good. C. Cerevia.

Nov 15 Much the same. C. Cerevia.

Dec 15 About a fortnight since got so unruly that he had to be placed in seclusion. He is now quiet. Mind weak and fanciful. Bodily health good. C. Cerevia.

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1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Carrier
Feb 15 No change since last report - C. Carrier.
March 15 Mind weak and confused - Fancies numerous. Sometimes filthy and obscene in his language. General health good. C. Carrier.
April 15 Much the same. Very careless of his appearance and slovenly in his habits. General health very good. C. Carr.
May 15 Much the same. C. Carr -
June 15 No change. C. Carr.
July 15 Appetite sharp and bowels natural. Mind very weak and confused. Seldom if ever usefully employed C. Carrier -
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report - C. Carrier.
Sept 15 No change. C. Carr -
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Carrier
Nov 15 Mind very weak and full of the most extravagant and incoherent deluding calls himself a catholic - never usefully employed - careless of his appearance and has always a dirty look Cleanly at night He is tolerably quiet and manageable. General health pretty good C. Carr.
" 27 Has had considerable swelling of right side of face, for some days, pronounced boil, began to point - Lancet Obs Poison incision made Matter C. Carrier -
Dec 15 No complaint. No mental alteration C. Carrier

1852
Jany 15 Appetite sharp and bowels natural - Seldom answers a question directly and often asks in reply. "What's that to you". Mind evidently very weak. Careless of his personal appearance and unchanged in his habits though not at night. C. Carr.
Feb 15 Mind remains in the same feeble and confused state Health moderately good CO
Mar 15 No change of importance CO

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Wm Tuke from Roll 13

1849
Nov 7 Very quarrelsome & stern in Patients but accords me to his own account when in the South Bounds easy takes his food well

Dec 7 Is tolerably quiet & peaceable at present Cont
31 les at last report

1850
Jany 31 Frequently quarrels with his fellow patients and sometimes inflicts personal injury — Health good. At present in seclusion on account of violence. C. O.

Feby 28 Bodily functions natural, mind weak and very irritable strikes upon the smallest provocation. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.

March 31 No change since last report. Cont. Mensia.

April 30 Pretty free from excitement since last report. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. A case of epileptic dementia. C. Mensia.

May 31 Quiet since last report — Has occasional doses of Calomel and Compound Jalap Powder. Appetite good C. Mensia.

June 18 Continues quiet. C. Mensia

" 22 Complains to day of pain in bowels and constipation Countenance anxious — Appetite small. Sumat Olei Ricini ℥j Sumat Opii ♏j Sumat Olei ℥ß Ag. Cinnam ℥j Sumat statim. C. Mensia

" 24 Medicine acted. Confined to bed yesterday. Complained of pain in right side of chest. Dullness on percussion over middle lobe of lung — mucous rhonchi in upper part of lung. Respiration — painful and accelerated especially when lying on affected side. Countenance pale and anxious. and bedewed with perspiration Appetite gone Pulse 110 full. Had a blister last night. Sumat Pulv. Ipecac gr i cum ℥ß Liq. Ob

Page 60 Accretion Left 20 Ward

Sept 26 No improvement. Breathing laborious and accelerated. Cough not frequent - expressed with mucopurulent not very tenacious sputum. Appetite almost gone. Bowels open. Countenance pale and anxious. Breathing seems easier in the sitting posture. Pulse 120 feeble. Limbs dying: R. Pneumonia. Applicat. Emp. Lyttae. thereupon. R. Mistura

" 27 Breathing gradually became more oppressed and laborious until to day when he sank

Died.

Alexander Cuthbert 6119
Pau Vol 12 page 148.

1850
Jan 31 A case of hopeless dementia. Was troubled with vomiting especially on taking broth for some time after last report but has been since well and has resumed the ordinary diet. Cleanly at night. Self-harmless employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. C.

Feby 28 Cleanly at night. Mind very feeble. Childish in manner. Habits and conversation, quiet and inoffensive — No bodily complaint. C.C.

March 31 No change since last report. Dem. Insania.

April 30 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very feeble. Cleanly in habits. Quiet and inoffensive. C. Insania.

May 31 As before C. Insania.

June 18 No change. C. Insania.

July 15 Mind extremely weak. Does not speak or move about much. Hours usefully employed. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.C.

Aug 18 Much as before. C. Insania.

Septr 18 No change. C. Insania.

Oct 18 The same. Discharged

Relieved

Committed 16 November 1847

George Graham Ward 37
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1850
Mar 31 A case of incurable dementia. Employed carrying coals. Cleanly at night. Bodily health good. R.O.
Feby 28 Employed by the coal porter. Mind very weak. Cleanly at night. Health good. R.O.
March 31 No change of any importance. Con. Insania.
April 30 At times has fits of excitement when he shouts and runs about stamping on the ground and striking with his closed fists as if at imaginary enemies. Mind very weak. Arrivals conversation and examination. Assists the coal porter. Health good. Appetite large. C. Insania.
May 31 No change C. Insania.
June 15 As formerly. C. Insania.
July 15 Mind so very weak that he can answer few questions relevantly. Employed at present and indeed for a long time back in carrying coals. Careless of his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.O.
Aug 15 Much the same. C. Ins
Sept 15 No change. C. Insania.
Oct 15 No change. C. Insania
Nov 15 Assists in carrying coals. Mind very weak and confused. Can answer few questions correctly. Bodily health good. C. Insania
Dec 15 No change of importance. C. Insania.

1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Ins.
Feb 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Has a small boil on dorsum of foot. C. Ins.
Mar 15 Much the same. C. Ins
April 15 Assists the coal porter daily. Mind so very feeble that he can answer few questions relevantly. Careless of and slovenly in personal appearance. General health appears to be good. C. Insania.

Committed 18 November 1847

May 15 Do all respects as formerly. C. Ore.

June 15 No change. C. Ore.

July 15 Speaks only in answer and then very briefly & imperfectly. Assists the coal porter. Appetite slp and bowels natural C. Anemia.

Aug 15 Do do respects as at last report C. Anemia

Sept 15 As before. C. Ore.

Oct 15 No change C. Anemia.

Nov 15 This patient is daily employed assisting the coal porter. Mind extremely feeble. Runs looks very one straight in the face and goes about with a slouching gait. Cleanly at night in his habits — very careless of his appearance and partly from this partly from the nature of his daily employment he has always an unclean look. General health good C. Anemia —

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Anemia.

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Jany 15 General health good. Mind very weak. Employed daily by the coal porter. Usually quiet though he is watched C. Anemia —

Feb 15 Appetite slp and bowels natural. Continues daily to assist in carrying coals Careless of his appearance Mind evidently very feeble. C. Anemia

Mar 15 No change of importance C. Anemia —

April 15 Mind extremely weak. Runs always a slouching gait. Looks a little — At times very usually quiet. General health good C. Anemia —

May 19 Removed to Lunis Hospital

Relieved

1850
Nov 31 A case of incurable dementia. Not quite feeble. Answers questions slowly but on the whole correctly although mind is very weak. Shows in all his motions. Quiet cleanly and inoffensive. Has a large reducible scrotal hernia on the right side which but from its size gives him no annoyance not able for much useful employment. Appetite sleep and bowels natural
C. O.

Feby 28 No change of any kind since last report. C. Oneida.

March 31 See all respects as formerly Cert. Oneida.

April 30 Mind feeble. Quiet cleanly good temperament and contented. Enjoys pretty good health C. Oneida

May 31 No change C. Oneida.

June 15 As before. C. Oneida.

July 15 Is imbecile peaceable contented and cleanly old man. Not very strong. Answers in few questions rationally mind however very weak. Bowels no discussions. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Oneida.

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

Admitted 10th Aug 1843

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1850
Febry 28 Bodily health very good
mind a little weak but
he believes will mind
branches no delusions in
conversation. Looks cheerly
cheerful and contented &
very willing to make himself
useful. C. Insania.
May 31 No change since last report
C. Insania
April 30 Believes in all respects
with order and propriety
mind slightly weak
Branches no delusions
Cheerly and attentive
to his appearance. Bodily
health good C. Insania.
May 31 No change C. Insania
June 15 No perceptible alteration
C. Insania.
July 15 This patients conducts
himself with much
propriety. Converses on
the whole rationally
and branches no
delusions. Mind is
however rather feeble-
Attentive to his personal
appearance. Seems
cheerful and contented.
Appetite sleep usual.
Bowels natural. Assists
the attendant in cleaning
C. Insania.
Aug 15 No change. C. Insania
Sept 15 As before. C. Insania.
Oct 15 The same. C. Insania
Nov 15 Bodily health good.
Mind unchanged
C. Insania.
Dec 15 Made the same. C. Ins.
1851
Jan 15 As before. C. Insania.
Feb 15 Much the same. C. Ins-
March 15 Complains of a slight dizziness
of prolapsus ani and of late
has had slight diarrhoea
treated in the usual manner
and it is now better. Answers
rationally - No delusion
General health good. C. Ins
April 15 Some days since screamed
suddenly and was afterwards
confused and dull but was
not at all convulsed. Had
a blister to head. Is now
in his usual state. C. Ins.

Admitted 23rd May 1846

May 15 Has been free from complaint and quiet since last report. C. Orr –

June 15 As before. C. Orr sen.

" 28 In every respects as before mentioned this day to the Abbey Parish Authorities.

Relieved

Senior

James Smith Ol
Com Book 18 Page 46

1850
May 31 Refuses to go to the work House to assist as he has long been in the habit of doing and gives as a reason that he wishes to see about getting away. Behaves quietly. Cleanly No mental change. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Sumat Sulphuras Purgant. on Station C. O.

Feby 28 A few days after last report resumed his usual duties as an assistant in one of the wards of the work House. Quiet and cheerful. Cleanly in his habits. Bodily health good. C. Arsenic.

March 31 No change since last report C. Arsenic.

April 30 Became insolent and insolent refusing to work was sent to seclusion and not morning was civil and resumed his employment as assistant in the work House. Health good. C. Arsenic.

May 31 No change of consequence C. O.

June 15 As before. C. Arsenic.

June 15 At present he is steadily employed in the work House. Seems to be in very good bodily health. C. Arsenic

Aug 16 Much as before. C. Arsenic

Sept 16 No change. C. Arsenic

Oct 15 As before. Cont. Arsenic

Nov 15 Sometimes insolent and abusive on the subject of his detention. Employed daily in the work House. Bodily health good. Atte.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Ars.

1851
Jan 15 Much in the same state. C. Arsenic

Feb 15 No change since last report. C. Ars

June 15 Much the same. C. Ars.

April 15 Sometimes becomes excited and threatens and talks much. Sometimes disturbs his fellow patients with talking and complaints during the night. Usually quiet. C. Ars.

Admitted 11 July 1845

May 15 As before. C. Ass.
June 15 No change. C. Ass.
July 15 Much the same. Employed in the Work House. General health excellent. C. Anemia
Aug 15 This patient is said to fancy that the estate of Sandhill belongs to him. General health good C. Anemia.
Sept 15 No change. C. Ass.
Oct 2 Some days since began to complain of Sore throat and had a dose of purgative medicine, and a blister to the upper part of his back as well as a gargle. Although he still complains of it a little he is now daily out of bed and takes his food well. Fancies he is the owner of the estate of Sandhill and that he has been gifted by the Almighty with the Spirit of prophecy C. Ass —
Nov 15 A small suppuration or outside of neck on the left side and just beneath the angle of the lower jaw appeared after last report was published. broke and is now less painful and diminished size. Appetite good Bowels open from medicine. C. Anemia.
Dec 15 Has pain bodily complaint. Mind weak and delusions formerly noted. Anemia. C. Ass.
1846
Jany 15 Employed daily in the Work House. C. Anemia.
Feb 15 This patient is daily taken to assist in the wards of the Male division of the Work House an office which he seems to answer well. Steady in his habits. No improvement in mental condition General health good C. Anemia
Mar 15 No change of consequence since last report C. Anemia
April 15 General health good Mind weak. Employed in the Work House C. Anemia.
June 15 No change. C. Anemia.
July 15 As all reports as before
Aug 15 No change C. Anemia

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John Bruce 61
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1850
Feby 28 Usually very talkative and almost constantly demanding snuff and complaining that he gets none. Mind weak and confused. Somewhat restless and mischievous Clearly at night. Careless of his appearance. Appetite Sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod.

March 31 No change since last report. Cont. Ormerod

April 30 Fond of snuff and very unfortunate when he wants it. Mind very weak. Cheerful in his habits. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Ormerod.

May 31 Being noisy and unruly slept for a few nights in seclusion lately. Health good C. Ormerod.

June 15 Quieter of late. Bodily health good. C. Ormerod.

July 15 This patient is in a state of hopeless and constantly declaring that he has no snuff and shewing his empty box in support of the assertion would use a large quantity if he could get it. Occasionally gets somewhat noisy and quarrelsome. Bodily health good C. Ormerod.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Ormerod

Sept 15 No change. C. Ormerod.

Oct 15 As before. C. Ormerod

Nov 15 No change. C. Ormerod

Dec 15 Occasionally troublesome and unruly. At all times clamorous for snuff of which he would consume large quantities Health good. C. Ormerod.

1851
Jan 15 No change. C. Orm.

Feb 15 In all respects as before. C. Ormerod.

March 15 Much the same. C. Orm.

April 15 At times noisy and mischievous as to require seclusion. Always clamorous for snuff. General health good. C. Ormerod.

Admitted 19th May 1846

May 15- No change. C. Ch.
June 15- Much the same. Excitable and noisy at times. General health good. C. Ch. Insa -
July 15- No change. C. Ch. Insa -
Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains in the same very weak state - C. Ch. Insa.
Sept 15- As before. C. Ch.
Oct 15- Much the same. C. Ch. Insa.
Nov 15- On many occasions he is very clamorous for snuff declaring that he is very ill off for snuff that he has access and exhibits his empty box in consideration of his assertion - Cleanly in habits - Mind very feeble - General health good. Never usefully employed. C. Ch. Insa -
Dec 15- Much the same in every respect. C. Ch. Insa -

1847.

Jan 15- General health good Mind remains in the same miserably weak state. Has not of late required seclusion. C. Ch.
Feb 16- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind extremely weak. Never usefully employed. Would use a large quantity of snuff if allowed. C. Ch -
Mar 15- No change. C. Ch. Insa.
April 15- General health good No change in mental state. C. Ch. Insa -
June 15- No change. C. Ch. Insa
July 15- As before in all respects C. Ch. Insa -
Aug 15- Mind in the same weak state - Occasionally becomes restless and excitable Circular of his appearance Never usefully employed Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ch. Insa -
Sept 15- General health good since last report has been quiet. Mind remains in the same very feeble state - C. Ch. Insa -
Oct 15- No change. C. Ch. Insa
Nov 15- Much the same C. Ch. Insa

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John Holland
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1850
Feby 28 Complains of hæmorrhoids for the relief of which he continues to use a mixture of equal parts calcined magnesia and sublimed sulphur. No improvement in mind. Fancies that he has to bear the sins of mankind and that his heart consists of mercury and steel. Very indifferent. Appetite good. C. Arsenic.

March 31 No change since last report. Cont. Arsenic.

April 30 Would like to leave the asylum and get employment that he might support his family. Bowels habitually costive and he often complains of being afflicted with piles. Complexion sallow. Appetite good. C. Arsenic

May 31 No change C. Arsenic

June 15 Much as before. C. Arsenic

July 15 Fanciful about his bodily health. Assists the stoker at present but says that the heat and smoke of the furnaces diminish his appetite much and says he cannot give it up. Mind much weak and confused. Appetite moderate. Troubled with piles and constipation. C. Arsenic.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Arsenic

Sept 15 Mind very weak. Complains that "the young women" want him to marry him. Assists the stoker. Health moderately good. C. Arsenic

Oct 15 As before. Cont. Arsenic

Nov 15 No change of any consequence. C. Arsenic.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Ars.

1851

Jan 15 No change. C. Arsenic

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Arsenic

Mar 15 Daily assists the stoker — Imagines that the female servants want to marry him. Careless of his personal appearance. General health moderately good C. Arsenic.

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April 15 Mind weak and fanciful - Punishment enjoyed - In supposing that the servants about the establishment wish to marry him and declares that he does not require a wife. Industrious and steady. General health & cond. C. Insania -

May 15 Much the same. C. Ose -

June 15 Employed as fireman in the engine house. Health moderately good. C. Ose -

July 15 No change. C. Insania -

Aug 15 In all respects as before - Mind very weak. C. Insania

Sept 15 No change. C. Ose -

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Ose -

Nov 15 Still complains of the young women wishing him to marry them - Mind weak Assists the stoker. Very inoffensive and quiet - Cleanly in habits. General health moderately good C. Insania -

Dec 15 Much the same in all respects - C. Insania -

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Jan 15 This is a case of incurable dementia. Mind very weak silly and childish in his conversation. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Insania -

Feb 15 No change of importance C. Insania

Mar 15 Mind remains very weak and full of fancies chiefly of a religious nature. Often complains of pills. Appetite sleep and bowels at present natural Assists the stoker every day. C. Insania.

Ap 15 No change. C. Insania.

June 15 No change. C. Insania.

July 15 In no respect changed C. Insania -

Aug 15 Employed daily at the furnaces. Mind remains unchanged. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Insania.

Sept 15 Appetite good. Bowels open No change in mental condition. Industrious and assists the engineer. C. Insania

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Alexander McNaught Ct
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1880

Feby 28 Lay in bed for a few days
Lately complaining of headach
for which he had medicine
and a blister to nape of
neck. Mind weak. Out
of bed and free from complaint
at present. Answers rationally
Appetite not great. Bowels are.
Regular. C. Arsenic.

March 31 No change of any consequence
since last report. Behaves
quietly. Pale and pale.
Appetite pretty good. Bowels
open. C. Arsenic.

April 30 Pale and thin but pretty
free from any prominent
complaint. Answers
pretty correctly and
behaves well. Appetite
not very good. Bowels
regular C. Arsenic.

May 31 Weak and thin. Sometimes
complains of headache
very quiet. Not employed
C. Arsenic.

June 15 Better since last report.
Having complained of
want of appetite had
sulphate of Berberine
with benefit. Bowels
regular. C. Arsenic.

July 15 Thin and pale. yet free
from any particular
ailment except headache
occasionally. Answers
questions with tolerable
rationality. At times talks
when alone. C. Arsenic.

Aug 16 Remains the same. C. Arsenic

Sept 16 Continues thin and
weakly. Appetite moderate
Quiet and cleanly. C. Ars.

Oct 5 Was discharged this day

Relieved.

Admitted 5th September 1846

John Cooper Ct
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1850
Jan 31 General health good. Mind weak. Answers questions very briefly. Liable to occasional outbursts of great excitement during which he stamps upon the ground and swears dreadfully at imaginary persons. When not excited which is his usual state seems perfectly quiet and harmless. Assists in the garden. Cent. Insania.

Feby 28 No change of any kind since last report. C. Insania.

Mar 31 Health good and otherwise as before. C. Insania.

April 30 Bodily health good. Has a little unruly of late and required a days seclusion usually quiet. Mind weak. C. Insania.

May 31 Quiet since last report Health good C. Insania.

June 15 In all respects as before. C. Insania.

July 15 Bodily functions natural. Mind very weak and incoherent. Can answer a few and but a few questions correctly. He has of late been free from any considerable excitement - C. Insania.

Aug 15 Remark the same. C. Ins.

Sept 15 No change. Cent. Insania.

Oct 15 Much as formerly C. Ins.

Nov 15 No change observable - C. Insania.

Dec 15 Appetite chip and bowels natural. At times declaims at the top of his voice and with violent gesticulation - He is incoherent in his imaginary persecutors. At other times and usually he is quiet and industrious C. Ins.

1851
Jan 15 No change C. Insania

Feb 15 In every way as before. C. Insania.

Mar 15 Remark the same. Has this day discharged

Released

Admitted 18th August 1846.

1850
Feby 28 Behaves pretty well and answers ordinary questions correctly. Has a reducible scrotal hernia of right side which sometimes comes down in greater bulk than usual – is difficult to reduction and occasions considerable pain. Amuses himself with reading and playing cards with his fellow patients. Cleanly in habits Attentive to his appearance. Very civil and good humoured Bodily health pretty good C. Mania.

March 31 In all respects as before C. Mania.

April 30 Easily put out of humour and cannot bear small interferences and offences which not unfrequently with quiet good humoured and cheerful. Cleanly in his habits Appetite good Bowels open C. Mania.

May 31 No change. C. Mania.

June 15 Much the same C. Mania

July 15 Occasionally expresses a wish to leave the asylum. Behaves very well Attentive to his appearance Bodily functions natural C. Mania.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Mania

Sept 15 Applies for a trial out and has written to his wife to that effect. Quiet and cleanly. Health good. C. Ma.

Oct 15 No change. C. Mania

Nov 15 In all respects as before C. Mania

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Ma.

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Jan 15 No change. Cont. Mania.

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Ma.

Mar 15 Works in the garden – Conducts himself well. Mind remains in the same state. Answers pretty rationally. Somewhat passionate at times and exhibits it in a theatrical manner. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Mania.

April 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Occasionally by his words and actions threatens violence but is reputed very cowardly C. Ma

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May 15 Much the same. C. Ole.
June 15 As before. C. Chronic.
July 15 Conducts himself well — Answers most questions rationally — Anxious to leave the asylum and fancies that a morbid fear restrains his wife from removing him. Appetite slop and bowels natural. C. Hernia —
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report — C. Chronic —
Sept 15 No change. C. Ole.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Chronic.
Nov 15 Conducts himself well — Answers most questions rationally. Cleanly in habits and appearance — Sometimes employed in the garden. Has been free from bodily complaint of late — Bowels easy. C. Chronic —
Dec 15 Much the same in every respect. C. Chronic —

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Jan 15 Answers questions relevantly. Sometimes speaks of getting out but is on the whole very contented. Complained of uneasiness and constipation relieved by a couple of rhubarb pills followed by castor oil. Appetite moderate. Bowels open. C. Chronic —
Feb 15 Appetite slop and bowels natural. No change of any kind in mental condition. C. Chronic.
March 15 In all respects as before C. Chronic —
Apr 15 No change. C. Chronic.
June 15 No change. C. Chronic.
July 15 No change of consequence C. Chronic —
Aug 15 Occasionally troubled with his hernia coming down and being difficult of reduction. Otherwise his health is good. C. Chronic
Sept 15 No change of any kind since last report. C. Chronic.
Oct 15 General health moderately good being only troubled occasionally with descent of the bowels in hernial sac. C. Ole.
Nov 15 Much the same C. Chronic

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Thomas Southcliffe Ct
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1850
Jan 31 A case of epilepsy with slight mental imbecility. At present converses rationally Constantly associates with a fellow patient—another epileptic. Hasty in his resentments and a little proud in temper. Appetite good. Complains of acidity and eructations for which he has been using an alkali and bitter Bowels regular C. Cornelia

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June

July

Feby 28 Shaves and dresses well, answers most questions correctly. Cleanly and civil and willing to make himself useful. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cornelia

March 31 No change since last report. C. Cornelia.

April 30 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Fits occur occasionally and are attended or followed by instability sometimes but not violence Cleanly in habits and appearance. C. Cornelia.

May 30 No change of importance confused and unstable sometimes after fits. Health pretty good. C. Cornelia

June 15 No change of any importance C. Cornelia.

July 15 Looks weak but takes and collected. Answers most questions relevantly. Attention to his appearance Assists at meals. Bodily functions natural C. Cornelia.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Cor-
Sept 16 Complains occasionally of headache and constipation Cleanly in his habits and quiet. Appetite good. C. C.

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Cornelia
Nov 15 No change. C. Cornelia.
Dec 15 Fits occur frequently such as usually very severe—Bowels costive. Unmarried col as ☞ status—

1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Cor.
Feb 15 No change. C. Cornelia.
March 15 Much the same. Generally health good C. Cornelia.

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April 15 Complains of pain in head and various sensations in his head. Behaves always well. Appetite good. C. Amenia.

May 15 Much the same. C. Ame.

June 15 Complains of his hair falling out. Appetite pretty good. C. Amenia.

July 15 Much the same. C. Ame.

19 was this day removed to the Asylum in connection with the Abbey Parish from House of Paisley.

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James Mackie Ad 31
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1850

Jan 31 Quarrelled with a fellow patient lately and had to be secluded. Has since been quiet. Mind weak. Bodily health good. C. Dementia.

Feby 28 Again quarrelled with another patient and in a scuffle struck assured received a blow on right side of face which eye was blackened and considerable swelling resulted. Is now sent to seclusion. Mind seems weak. Health pretty good. Bowels costive. R. Pulveris Jalapæ Compositi ʒiss Calomelanos gr v. Sumat statim. C. Dementia.

March 31 In all respects as formerly. C. Dementia

April 30 Quiet since last report. Mind very feeble. Broaches no delusions. Cleanly in his habits. Bowels open. C. Dementia.

May 31 No change of importance. Health good. C. Dementia.

June 15 Continues quiet. No change in mind. C. Dementia.

July 15 Mind very weak. Cleanly at night. Speaks only in answer and never much. Bodily health good. C. Dementia.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Dementia.

Sept 15 Has been employed in reaping. Health good. No mental change. C. De.

Oct 15 As before. C. Dementia.

Nov 15 In all respects as before. C. Dementia.

Dec 15 Employed almost daily in the grounds. Cleanly in his habits. Mind weak. Bodily health good. C. Dementia.

1851

Jan 15 Much the same. C. De-

Feb 15 General health good. Mind weak as before. C. Dementia.

Mar 15 Much the same. C. De-

April 15 Seldom speaks but in answer to questions. Mind very weak and he can consequently answer but a limited number of questions correctly. Seems to entertain no delusions. On the whole he has been very quiet since last report. General health good. C. Dementia.

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Admitted 25th July 1848

May 15 No change. C. Asa.
June 16 Quiet since last report. Health good. C. Asa.
July 15 A case of hopeless dementia never speaks but when addressed and then only very briefly Can answer few questions correctly. He is occasionally employed in the Garden. General health good C. Asa.
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report. C. Asa.
Sept 15 No change C. Asa.
Oct 15 As before C. Asa.
Nov 15 General health good. Mind very weak. Of late has been very quiet. Steady in his habits at night. Employed in the garden. C. Asa.
Dec 15 Much the same in every respect. C. Asa.

1852

Jan 15 General health good Mind remains in its usual very feeble state. Employed occasionally out of doors. Of late has been free from violence C. Asa.
Feb 15 No change of consequence C. Asa.
Mar 15 Mind remains very weak Employed every day in the grounds General health good C. Asa.
" 31 Removed that he might be transferred to the Chicksaw Institution at Dumfries.

Returned

William Wyper 6127
from Page 125

1850
Aug 15 Since last report has failed considerably in strength & good deal from diarrhoea which although checked for the time by astringents usually occurs. very much emaciated. Appetite pretty good. very imbecile and stupid. Can tell his name but little else. C.O.

" 20 Much the same as at last report. Seems little likely to live long. C.O.

" 24 Much worse to night. Evidently sinking Pulse 140 very feeble. Slight convulsions. Almost no appetite. Sprinkles Kerodin Zjss C.O.

" 25 Continued to sink from last report until this afternoon in spite of stimulants and this day about 3 P.M.

Died.

Admitted 2 Novemb 1848

Duncan Campbell Ct 19
from page 129

1850
Jan 31 A few days since became restless and talked about certain persons who were putting bugs into his head. Was placed in seclusion where he turned his bedding about and steamed the steam about the room. After two days became quiet and still remains so. Answers questions readily, clearly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily health good. C. O.

Feby 28 Since last report has continued quiet and rational. Clearly and cheerful. Bodily health good. C. Ocurcia.

March 31 Remains well. Answers questions relevantly. Clearly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily health good. C. Ocurcia.

April 17 This form symptoms of insanity and in good bodily health she was this day discharged.

Cured

Admitted 7 Novemb 1848

Alexander Whitehead Ct
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1860

March 31 Mind seems weak. Seems often absent and forgetful. Answers many questions correctly. Clearly in habits and appearance. Health good. C. Arrestia.

April 30 Mind slow and feeble. Attentive to his appearance. Behaves pretty well. Health very good. C.A.

May 31 Mind weak and confused. Behaves well. Health good. C. Arrestia.

June 15 Much the same. C. Arrestia.

July 15 This patients mind is very weak and confused and it is very doubtful whether any improvement will ever take place — seldom answers a question correctly — sometimes not at all seeming not to comprehend distinctly. Occasionally he has been unruly and quarrelsome. Clearly in his habits. Bodily functions natural. C.A.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Arrestia

Sept 15 Complained with pains and cold in head and lay in bed for a day or two. Had a purgative in stew butter and up. Takes a mixture containing Syr Cent. Co daily. C. Arrestia.

Oct 15 Has been quite well since last report. No change in mind. C. Arrestia

Nov 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak and confused. Sometimes appears very unruly. C. Arrestia.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Arrestia.

1861

Jan 15 No change. C. Arrestia

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Arr.

Mar 15 Mind weak and confused can or will answer few questions correctly. Very quiet since last report. Clearly in habits. General health good C. Arrestia.

April 15 Sullen and irritable at times. Mind weak and confused. General health good. C. Arrestia.

Admitted 1st September 1847

May 15- Complained of headache and had no appetite. Was ordered beef tea - Headache now gone and appetite improving. C. Case -

June 15- No change. C. Case -

July 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Often speaks addressing imaginary beings whom he abuses and threatens - seldom usefully employed. Some associates with his fellows. C. Caucasia -

Aug 15- In all respects as at last report - C. Caucasia.

Sept 15- No change C. Case.

Oct. 15- As before. C. Case.

Nov 15- General health good. Mind confused and weak - often talks as if holding conversation with some imaginary persons. Steady in his habits - seems usefully employed. C. Caucasia -

Dec 15- Much the same in all respects - C. Caucasia -

1852

Jan 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak as before. C. Caucasia -

Feb 15- In all respects as before C. Caucasia

March 15- Mind weak and confused. Can answer few questions correctly. He is seldom usefully employed Steady in habits. General health pretty good C. Case.

April 15- No change. C. Caucasia.

June 15- No change. C. Caucasia -

July 15- In all respects as before C. Caucasia

Aug 15- General health good Mind weak. Can answer few questions - Does not speak unless when spoken to. C. Case.

Sept 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. At present he is rather excited and talks incoherently. C. Caucasia

Oct 15- General health good. Smitten much to himself and occasionally walks rapidly scrupulously and gesticulates. Mind very feeble C. Caucasia

Nov 15- Much the same. C. Caucasia

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Henry Montgomerie
Vol 13 p. 68

1850

Mar 31 A case of dementia. Seldom speaks. Careless of his appearance Health good, seems quiet. C. Macnish.

April 30 Removed very feeble. Can give almost no information respecting himself. Assists in the grounds. Steady in habits Careless of his appearance. Speaks very little C. Macnish.

May 31 No change C. Macnish.

June 18 As before. C. Macnish.

July 15 His patient remains in the same state of hopeless dementia. He is daily very industriously employed in the garden. Speaks little to any one. Steady in his habits. Bodily functions natural. C. Macnish.

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

Admitted 16 August 1843

Walter Doug Cas Oct 51
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1850
March 31 A case of incurable dementia
mind very weak. Health
good. Conf. Caucasia.
April 30 Mind so weak that he
can answer almost no
questions relevantly. He
is quiet and inoffensive
Bodily health good
C. Caucasia
May 31 No change C. Caucasia
June 15 Much the same. C. Caucasia.
July 15 Bodily functions natural.
Mind extremely weak.
There is no reason to
hope for much improve-
-ment in this patients
mental state. He is
never usefully employed
careless of his appear-
-ance and indifferent
about most matters.
Can answer almost
no question correctly.
C. Caucasia.
Aug 15 Much the same. C. Caucasia
Sept 15 Has been employed lately
in reaping. Cleanly tho'
careless of his appearance
and slovenly. Health
good. C. Caucasia.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Caucasia
Nov 15 Bodily health good
Mind in the same hope-
-lessly weak state. C. Caucasia
Dec 15 No change of importance.
C. Caucasia.

1851
Jan 15 No change. C. Caucasia
Feb 15 Employed in the grounds
no other change.
March 15 Much the same. C. Caucasia.
April 15 General health good
mind very weak. Broaches
no delusion. Can answer
very few questions relevantly.
Careless of his dress and
appearance. C. Caucasia.
May 15 Much the same. C. Cau-
June 15 No change. C. Caucasia.
July 15 A case of advanced
and incurable dementia
Can answer scarcely
any question. Very childish
in manner and habits
sometimes has been
employed in the grounds
Health good C. Caucasia.

Admitted 25th Feby 1847

Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Mania.

Sept 15 No change. C. Mania.

Oct 15 As before C. Mania.

Nov 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very weak and he is somewhat restless never usefully employed. His general health is good C. Mania.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Mania.

1852

Jany 15 A case of long standing and incurable dementia. Sister says not his manner. Can answer almost no question correctly. Appetite good. Bowels ~~open~~ easy. Sumat Calumb ℈ iij. Rhei 9ß. Ol. Ricini. Confectionis 5ij. Aquæ Menthæ 5ij. Sumat omni mane die

Feb 15 No change of importance C. Mania

March 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Restless and childish. Very good humoured usually. C. Mania.

April 15 Mind weak and confused. Pale and thin. Rather restless. Appetite moderate C. Mania.

May 30 No change. C. Mania.

July 15 In all respects as before C. Mania.

Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak as before. Not usefully employed. Cleanly in his habits. C. Mania.

Sept 15 In all respects as at last report. C. Mania.

Oct 15 Mind so very feeble that he can give almost no information respecting himself. Careless of and untidy in his appearance. Childish and unpleasant in his habits. Inattentive to himself and seems to take almost no cognizance of what may be going on. General health good C. Mania.

Nov 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Not usefully employed C. Mania.

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Andrew Thompson Ct 31
from Page 130

1850
March 30 No change of any consequence in this patients' state since last report. Health pretty good. C. Amenia.
April 30 Mind slow and weak. Anxious to get home. Orderly in his habits. Not employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Amenia.
May 31 No change. C. Amenia.
June 15 Much the same. C. Amenia.
July 15 This patient is slow and apparently deliberate in his speech and movements. Maintains that he is not insane - that he never was insane - and is very anxious to procure his discharge. Behaves pretty well. Appetite sleep and bowels natural - C. Amenia.
Aug 15 Complains of being troubled with spirits. Behaves well. Health good. C. Amenia.
Sept 15 No change. C. Amenia.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Amenia.
Nov 15 No change. C. Amenia.
Dec 15 Mind weak. Very quiet orderly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Amenia.

1851
Jan 15 Mind weak. Behaves on the whole well and works in the grounds. Orderly in his habits General health good. C. Amenia.
Feb 15 Much the same. C. Amenia.
Mar 15 No change. C. Amenia.
April 15 Mind remains much in the same condition weak and fanciful he says and hears spirits in the air although he says he is not so much annoyed in this way as he was formerly. Orderly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Amenia.
May 15 Much the same. C. Amenia.
June 15 General health moderately good. Mind weak. C. Amenia.
July 15 Mind remains unchanged anxious to leave. Slow in all his movements. Orderly in habits. Appetite good. Bowels regular C.

Admitted 7 Nov 1848

Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Insania

Sept 15 No change. C. Ins

Oct. 15 As before. C. Ins.

Nov 15 Mind remains slow and feeble. Conducts no delusions conducts himself quietly. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Insania.

Dec 15 No change. C. Insania.

1849

Jan 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains in the same feeble state C. Insania.

Feb 15 General health moderately good. Inferior in his gait. Occasionally employed in the grounds. C. Insania

Mar 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Still retains the same fancy as to spirits & sometimes talks in a very confused and unintelligible manner on religious subjects. C. Insania.

Apr 15 In all respects as before C. Insania.

June 15 No change. C. Insania.

July 15 In all respects the same C. Insania.

Aug 15 Mind weak. Industrious and cleanly. General health good C. Insania.

Sept 15 Employed daily in the grounds. No change in mental state. General health good. C. Insania.

Oct 15 Mind weak which get he converses on familiar matters with sensible employed daily in the garden. No sudden complaint much although he wishes he could obtain his liberty that he might do something for himself and relieve the parish from the burden of his maintenance. Movements are slow and hang mid. Conducts himself in all respects well. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Insania

Nov 15 General health moderately good. Continues daily and industriously employed C. Ins

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Robert Naismith Ct 35
from Page 183

1850
April 15 A case of melancholia
thinks that he might
now attempt to live out
of the asylum. Very quiet
& industrious and well
behaved. Bodily health
good. C. Amnia.
May 31 No change. C. Amnia.
June 15 Thinks he might now do
well if allowed to go
Edinburgh. Employed as
a barber for the patients &
assists the attendant in the
general business of the
ward. General health
good. C. Amnia.
July 15 Has not asked to get away
since last report. Very quiet
and well behaved. Attention
to his appearance and cleanly
in his habits. Amuses himself
with reading drawing &c
and assists the attendants
Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. C. Amnia.
Aug 15 Much the same. C. Amnia
Sept 15 As before in mind. Health
moderate. C. Amnia.
Oct 15 No change. C. Amnia
Nov 15 Much the same. C. Amnia.
Dec 15 Answers relevant. Broaches
no delusions. Conducts
himself well. Not very
communicative. Bodily health
good. C. Amnia.

1851
Jan 15 Employed in the west House -
Health good C. Am -
Feb 15 Still working in the west House.
No change noticed in state of
mind or body. C. Amnia.
Mar 15 Much the same. C. Amnia
April 15 Since of the last report a
swelling appeared on epididymis
of left testicle. Slowly increased
and extended upwards on cord.
It is painful and presents
the other characters of hydrocele.
He wears a bag truss from
which he derives relief. General
health in other respects good.
C. Amnia -
May 15 An opening was made at
upper part of swelling and
a small quantity of watery
evacuated. Mercurial ointment
to be applied. C. Am -

Admitted 31st October 1848

June 15 Much the same. Swelling of testicle not much if at all reduced in size – Appetite moderate. C. Case –

July 15 Of late has been very much in bed. Has become very weak and emaciated somewhat. Face pale – Evidently labours under considerable depression of spirits. Appetite moderate. Has a steak daily. Swelling of testicle not at all less and there seems at one point a tendency towards suppuration – Bowels are inactive and require being occasionally unloaded by a dose of purgative medicine – C. Case –

Aug 15 Asking to be discharged. At present takes iodide of potassium – C. Case –

Sept 15 No change. C. Case –

Oct 15 Employed in the wash House daily C. Case –

Nov 15 This patient for several months past has been employed in the wash House. He seems desirous to leave the asylum but objects to going into the Lunatic Hospital as a previous step – General health good C. Case –

" 21 Some settlement having been come to this patient was this day discharged in good bodily health and tolerably free from insanity &c

Case

Peter W Lilly æt
from vol 12 p 174
1850
April 30 Much weaker since last report and occasionally since several times recurred today he is evidently much worse. Whole surface bathed in profuse perspiration. Respiration hurried and laborious. Much accumulation in bronchii Pulse very feeble. Countenance pale. Lakes front pretty fully. Bowels natural Urinal Pulse 70 medium sized bottle of yesterday. C. Mercurio. Applicatur Emp Sinap thoraci — C. Mercurio
May 2 Cold perspiration copious and almost constant. Much dyspnoea still. Pulse very weak Expectoration copious and purulent. Lakes his food still. Cannot live long. Aq vitæ ad ℥ij Applicet iterum Sinap. thor. C. C. A.
" 3 Makes but no other change since last report C Mercurio
" 6 Lingered until this after noon when after sitting up in bed and taking his allowance became worse and died

Died

Admitted 28 Sept. 1841

William Cochrane Ct
from Vol 13 page 116

1850
May 31 A case of dementia. He is epileptic and dem B. Often fits he sometimes becomes restless and screams in his own peculiar fashion but does not get outrageous Appetite good Bowels open C. Dementia.
June 15 At present quiet. Bodily health good. C. Dementia.
July 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Since last report has been free from excitement although he has had several fits himself very weak. as although he makes many signs and gestures nothing definite can be understood from them. C. Dementia
Aug 15 Much the same. C. Dementia
Sept 15 No change C. Dementia.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Dementia
Nov 15 This patient has undergone no change since last report. C. Dementia.
Dec 15 Bodily health good. Since last report has experienced no excitement. C. Dementia.

1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Dem.
Feb 15 Free from excitement since last report. General health good. C. Dementia.
Mar 15 Much the same. C. Dementia.
April 15 Cannot be usefully employed. Not troublesome nor violent and cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Dementia.
May 15 No change. C. Dem.
June 15 Much the same. C. Dem.
" 28 Was this day removed to the asylum erected in connection with the poor house of the Abbey parish of Paisley.

Relieved

Admitted 17 July 1846

Peter Calder Ct 5 S.
from page 116

July 15 Soon after last report was suddenly deprived of speech. features were observed to become ~~distorted~~ changed and immobile on left side and his tongue when protruded inclined towards the right side - He could not articulate with any more than yes or no so distinctly as to be understood. Makes signs but from his feeble - ness of mind seldom makes himself understood. Appetite good. C. Camphia

" 31 Tongue when protruded still deviates towards right side. Articulation little improved. Cheerful at night. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Camphia.

Aug 15 Much the same. Requires repeated strong doses of purgative medicine to maintain his bowels regular. Appetite good - C. Camphia

Sept 15 Speaks with greater distinctness. Very quiet Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Camphia.

Oct 15 Still very indistinct in speech. Mind weak. Bowels are very torpid requiring an occasional active purgative. Appetite good C. Camphia

Nov 15 Much the same. C. Camphia

Dec 15 Speech very indistinct & imperfect still rendering it necessary for him to communicate his wishes chiefly by signs. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Camphia.

1851

Jan 15 No change of consequence since last report. C. Cam.

Feb 15 Much the same C. Camphia.

Admitted 19 October 1848

Mar 18 No remarkable change since last report. C. Symonds.

April 18 Appetite slep and bowels natural. Mind feeble. Still speaks with great indistinctness yet he can usually be pretty well understood. C. Symonds

May 18 No change. C. Sym-

June 18 No change since last report- C. Symonds -

July 18 Bowels torpid and require repeated doses of purgative medicine. Speech continues very obscure and articulation imperfect. Cleanly in habits. Appetite good Epileptic fits frequent but attended only by temporary stupor after - C. Symonds -

Aug 18 In all respects as at last report C. Symonds.

Sept 18 No change. C. Sym.

Oct. As before. C. Sym -

Nov 18 Speech remains slow indistinct and articulation defective yet by a little attention what he says can be generally made out - No paralytic affection of any other part of the body unless it be an occasional twitching of the features when he speaks. He is quiet and makes himself useful assisting the attendant Cleanly in habits decent appearance. Appetite good Bowels somewhat slow and occasionally a dose of castor oil is administered. C. Sym -

Dec 4 Yesterday had a quarrel with a fellow patient struck him on the head with an iron or metallic instrument and cut the scalp in several places. To-day he is quite quiet. Bowels confined. Tongue white. Sumat salamak gr. iij Pulv Jalapa comp 3ij statim C. Symonds -

" 18 Bowels open - Since last report has been quiet C. Symonds -

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Jan 18 Continues quiet. A case of dementia consequent on epilepsy. Appetite good Bowels open C. Symonds

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Robert Young Ct

1850 pencil vol 13 page 185

June 15 Fancies himself immensely rich indeed thinks about every thing belongs to him but that he is deprived of his rights and prevented from enjoying his wealth. Says he has been unlawfully imprisoned and demands his liberty." Bodily health moderately good. C. Cancia

July 15 Mind confused weak and full of delusions. Says that his nerves are drawn out of his body every night by means of loadstone - that his body is drank by those about him - and from that bitter supposition he says he infers he is immortal and will never die. Says that he is the Duke of Argyle - Marquis of Rudalbane - King of England - King of Turkey when he is there in short he is every person in existance or out of it - wears pieces of wood &c in his mouth and stuck between his teeth a large brass ring on his fingers he says to protect those parts. Skin seems excited to his fancies. Hands employed. Demands by what authority he is here detained every day. Appetite good. Bowels natural C. Cancia

Aug 15 Mind the same. C. Cancia

Sept 15 No change. C. Cancia

Oct 15 Mind the same. C. Cancia

Nov 15 No change. C. Cancia

Dec 15 Mind weak and as full of fancies as ever. Hands usefully employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cancia

1851

Jan 15 Calls himself Robert Sawers Douglas and full of delusions Health good C. Cancia

Feb 15 Had bowel complaint for one day which has disappeared under the use of milk diet & chalk mixture with tincture of catechu and opium. C. Cancia

Admitted 20 Sept 1848

March 15 Much the same. C. Ansonia.
April 15 Appetite chop and bowels natural. Cleanly in his habits. Mind full of the same fancies. C. Ansonia.
May 15 No change. C. Ans.
June 15 As before. C. Ansonia.
July 15 Entertains delusions on almost every subject. He fancies he is Emperor of China and many other countries and is constantly asserting that those about him are not what they are called. Writes the most incoherent matter on every scrap of newspaper which comes into his hands. Seems usefully employed. General health good C. Ansonia
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Ansonia.
Sept 15 No change. C. Ans.
Oct 15 As before. C. Ansonia
Nov 15 Mind remains in the same weak and confused state - full of delusions. Cleanly in habits. Continues to write the greatest nonsense on every scrap of paper printed or otherwise he can find. Usually accosts visitors and hands them notes to them - Seems usefully employed Appetite Chop and bowels natural. C. Ansonia -
Dec 15 Much the same. C. Ansonia
1849
Jan 15 No change of consequence. Mind is the same mental weakness and the same delusions observable General health good C. Ansonia -
Feb 15 No change of consequence C. Ansonia
March 15 Appetite chop and bowels natural. Mind remains weak and fanciful as before. C. Ansonia -
Apr 15 As before C. Ansonia
May 15 No change. C. Ans
June 15 In all respects the same C. Ansonia
July 15 No change. C. Ansonia.
Aug 15 Health good - No mental change

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George Brown
Admitted 18/2.97

July 18 A case of incurable dementia. This patient was long most destructive and dirty in his habits but during the last six months has so much improved in his habits that he is now cleanly at night and is not destructive to ordinary dress which he now wears instead of canvases. Can answer no questions correctly - hands employed. Appetite large. Bowels open C. Dementia.

Aug 18 No change. C. Dementia.

Sept 18 Mind very weak. Seldom speaks. Bodily health good. C. Dementia.

Oct 18 No change. C. Dementia

Nov 18 Mind very weak. Not usefully employed. Cleanly in appearance and habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Dementia.

Dec 18 Much the same. C. Dementia.

1851

Jan 18 No change of consequence since last report. Health moderately good. C. Dementia

Feb 18 Much the same. C. Dementia.

Mar 18 No change. C. Dementia.

April 18 Mind extremely feeble. Careless of his appearance but sufficiently cleanly in his habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Dementia.

May 18 Much the same. C. Dem.

June 18 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak. Can answer some questions however correctly. C. Dem.

July 18 Answers a few questions relevantly - Mind very weak. Sits upon the walls and is otherwise unclean in his habits but is sufficiently cleanly at night - Not usefully employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Dementia.

Aug 18 Quiet and cleanly in his habits. Answers many questions relevantly - Broaches no delusion. Health good C. Dem

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Admitted 21st November 1863

Sept 18- No change. C. Ann.
Oct 18- As before. C. Annia.
Nov 18- Mind very feeble. Assists the attendant in cleaning the ward &c. Cheerful and content - cleanly in his habits. Careful of his clothes. Answers a few questions of the simplest nature correctly. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ann.
Dec 18- No change. C. Annia.
1864
Jan 18- Much the same. Answers relevant. Mind remains weak. He is somewhat careless in his habits often spitting on the wall and doing such like actions not destructive. Cleanly at night in respect of his bed. General health moderately good C. Ann.
Feb 18- Much the same. C. Annia
Mar 18- General health moderately good. Mind weak but collected. Not destructive nor dirty at night. C. Ann.
Apr 18- No change. C. Annia
May 18- No change. C. Annia
June 18- As before C. Annia
July 18- No change of consequence C. Annia.
Aug 18- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak yet he answers most simple questions relevantly. Somewhat cleanly in habits yet cleanly at night - C. Annia.
Sept 18- In all respects as at last report. C. Annia
Oct 18- Continues quiet cleanly and in good health. Mind very imbecile. C. Annia
Nov 18- Much the same. C. Annia
" 23 Confined to bed. Complains of pain in chest particularly on right side - Some pain in cough Skin hot, pulse 110 full. No appetite tongue white - Bowels confined Sumat pulv. purgant. Effer camp. Sylt a hor. C. Ann
" 24 Respiration accelerated - pulse 120 weak - feetid of prostration. Same as this pr to Calomel gr ij Ext. Anti. gr 1/8 omni quarta hora. C. Annia
" 25 Much from last report and at 6 p.m. Ann

Died.

Adam Masterton
from vol 18 p 89

1880

June 15- Bodily functions natural. Mind so extremely weak that he can answer few questions relevantly. Laughs much and unmoderately from no observable cause. Employed as hammerman by the blacksmith C. Murria.

July 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. A case of incurable dementia. C. Murria.

Aug 15- Much the same. C. Murria

Sept 15- Employed daily assisting the smith. Health good. C. Murria.

Oct 15- No change C. Murria

Nov 15- Much the same. C. Murria

Dec 15- Mind extremely weak. Can answer few questions correctly and those only of the simplest nature. He often gives an suitable answer but is usually harmless. Laughs and talks much to himself. Cleanly at night careless of his appearance. Employed daily by the blacksmith. Blows the bellows and strikes with the forehammer and does messages. Bodily functions seem natural. C. Murria.

1881

Jan 15- Much the same. C. Murria

Feb 15- Health good. Employed as formerly. C. Murria.

Mar 15- Much the same. C. Murria

April 15- Mind very feeble. Can answer few questions relevantly. Laughs much from no observable cause. Works fairly industriously General health good. C. Mur.

May 15- Having got rather unruly was not permitted to go to work for some days Health good. C. Mur.

June 15- Much the same. C. Murria.

July 15- Assists as hammerman in the smithy. Mind very feeble. Talks and laughs much to himself Careless of his personal appearance. General health moderately good C. Murria.

Aug 15- No change. C. Murria

Admitted 6 March 1864

Sept 15 No change. C. Ormiston
Oct 15 As before. C. Ormiston
Nov 15 Employed daily as assistant and hammerman to the blacksmith. Mind very weak. Often mutters and laughs even when no one is by. Quite inoffensive unless interfered with when he sometimes exhibits a degree of passion. Bodily functions natural. C. Ormiston
Dec 15 No change. C. Ormiston.
1863
Jan 15 Mind remains in the same feeble condition. Can answer few questions yet he does what he is bid readily enough. Employed as assistant smith. General health pretty good C. Ormiston
Feb 15 No change of any consequence C. Ormiston
Mar 15 Bodily health good. No change in state of mind or habits. C. Ormiston.
Apr 15 No change. C. Ormiston.
May 15 No change. C. Orm
June 15 In all respects as before C. Ormiston.
July 15 In all respects as before C. Ormiston
Aug 15 Mind remains very feeble employed daily in the blacksmiths shop. General health good C. Ormiston.
Sept 15 Employed as before daily. Mind very feeble. Can answer very few questions Laughs much talks incoherently even when alone. Health good C. Orm.
Oct 15 General health good Laughs much talks much in a manner bearing no reference to present circumstances. Employed daily in the blacksmiths forge - he blows the fire and strikes with the fore hammer. Mind very feeble indeed. C. Ormiston
Nov 15 Careless of his appearance and untidy in his habits. Usually good natured but he is at the same time easily exasperated C. Ormiston

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Thos W Lauchlan Ct
from Vol 13 p. 61

1850
July 15 This patient is in a state of irremediable dementia. Mind very weak and confused Can answer very few questions correctly. Cleanly and industrious. Bodily functions natural. C.O.
Aug 15 very quiet and almost taciturn Health good. CO.
Sept 15 No change. C. Amentia.
Oct 15 No change. C. Amentia
Nov 15 No change. C. Amentia-
Dec 15 Speaks only in answer to questions. Cleanly at night Assists the stoker very industriously. As the whole he is quiet. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Amentia.

1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Am-
Feb 15 Mind weak Cleanly in his habits General health good C. Amentia.
Mar 15 No change of consequence C. Amentia-
April 15 Speaks very little spontaneously and answers a few questions very briefly but usually with correctness. Quiet cleanly and industrious General health good. C. Amentia-
May 15 No change. C. Am-
June 15 As before. C. Amentia.
July 15 Quiet and unobtrusive in appearance. Somewhat taciturn. Assists the mason daily. Easily managed. Cleanly in habits. General health good C. Amentia.
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report. C. Amentia.
Sept 15 No change. C. Am-
Oct 15 As before. C. Amentia-
Nov 15 This patient daily attends on the mason in his operations fetching mortar carrying for him. Obeys addresses any one spontaneously and his answers are usually very brief. Mind weak. General health good C. Am
Dec 15 No change. C. Amentia-

1852
Jan 15 Mind remains very weak Assists the mason. General health good C. Amentia.

Admitted 14 Febʸ 1844

	Feb 15	Conducts himself quietly Assists the nurses. Almost taciturn. Cleanly in habits Health good C. Insania
	March 15	In all respects as before C. Insania
	Apl 10	Discharged and transferred to the asylum at Dumfries

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William Moffat Ct
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1850
Aug 28 Removed

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Admitted 10 Sept. 1840

James Pollock Ct 46
from Vol 13 page 100
1880
Aug 28th all respects as before.
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Admitted 8th Sept 1846

John Christie Ct
from Vol 13 page 121

1850
Aug 15 Bodily functions natural. Pale and thin but free from particular complaints Behaves well. Cleanly in habits. Speaks little to any one. C. Coe

Sept 15 Much the same. C. Coe

Oct 15 Bodily health good. Seems that him is much clothing here belonging to him that he brought with him C. Coe

Nov 15 When told of his father's death calmly declared at once that it was not so - Health good C. Coe

Dec 15 Behaves well. Seldom speaks but in answer to questions Cleanly in habits. Seems moderately content at home usefully employed. Thin and pale but free from any particular complaint and seems to enjoy moderate health - C. Coe

1851

Jan 15 Much the same. C. Coe -

Feb 15 Mind weak and confused Behaves very quietly. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite slow and bowels natural C. Coe

Mar 15 No change. C. Coe

April 15 Speaks little. Behaves well. Not usually employed. Cleanly in his habits - General health good C. Coe

May 15 Was weakly and was ordered Cod tea daily. He is now somewhat better - C. Coe -

June 15 Much the same C. Coe

July 15 Appetite slow and bowels natural. Continues thin and pale - Cleanly in habits. Not usefully employed. C. Coe

Aug 15 Appetite slow and bowels natural. Mind remains in the same weak state - C. Coe

Sept 15 As before. C. Coe.

Oct 15 No change C. Coe

Nov 15 Appears to have the same mind remains unchanged Appetite slow and bowels natural

Admitted 21st April 1847

Dec 15 1852 — No change. C. Ammia.

Jan 15 — Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No alteration in his state of mind. C. Am.

Feb 15 — General health may be said to be on the whole good although he is thin pale and far from robust Steady in habits. C. Am

Mar 15 — No change of consequence C. Ammia.

April 15 — No change. C. Ammia.

May 15 — No change. C Ammia

June 15 — As before C. Ammia

July 15 — Mind remains weak. Health infirm yet he is free of particular complaint C. Ammia

Aug 15 — Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Steady in habits No change mentally C Am.

Sept 15 — General health moderately good. Seems much employed C. Ammia.

Oct 15 — Conducts himself very quietly but often becomes a little quick when speaking of his confinement. He is thin and not strong and is seldom regularly employed Steady in personal appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Ammia

Nov 15 — Much the same. C. Am.

Dec 15 — Since last report this patient has undergone no observable change. He passes his whole time in idleness and pursues his bodily condition - his want of vigour - renders this unavoidable. His mind is feeble. Appetite moderate. Bowels regular. C. Ammia.

1853

Jan 11 — was this day discharged to be removed to the poor house of Falkirk

Relieved.

William Wallace Ct
from Vol 13 page 140

1850
Aug 16 A case of long standing dementia. Calls himself Sir William Wallace. Perpetually moving about and talking in the most childish fashion. Health good. C. Cameron
Sept 15 When out walking in the grounds with the other patients collects all the trash he can find and deposits it about his clothes till he gets into his ward again. Bodily health good. C. Cameron.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Cameron
Nov 15 No change. C. Cameron.
Dec 15 Assists about the store — fetching and carrying — Attentive to his appearance. Cheerful disposition and not deficient in activity and intelligence. General health good C. Cameron.
Dec 15 Much the same. C. Cameron.
1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Cameron.
Feb 15 Mind much as before — talks in the most childish strain. Steady in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cameron.
June 3 No change. Was this day transferred to West House.

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Admitted 16th July 1845-

Louis Williamson Co H 84
Penn page 65
1864
Aug 15 Had very weak limbs
daily in the afternoons
sleep. Clammy in bed at
Health good. C. Cachexia
Sept 15 Same as the same. C. Cachexia.
" 30 Discharged

Relieved

Admitted 19th July 1848

John Shankie Ct
page 132

1850
Aug 28 Stock as at last upset.
Sows this day removed
to Barnhill

Relieved

Admitted 11 Nov^r 1848

James Logan Pt
1850 pun bk 12 page 60

Oct 18 Assists in attending on the patients and assisting the attendant generally in the work of the second class gallery and makes himself very useful. Health good. Lately wrote the following letter which conveys a pretty good idea of his mental state.

Gartcavel Oct. 10. 1850

To the Gentlemen on duty at the Notary public Office — King Arms entry Falkirk

Gentlemen

I request the favour of your attention to this note at present as it is three years and seven months since I came here from that Office to see if there was any possibility amongst you for me to come down again as every person that came away from Falkirk is lying here still besides more from all parts of the country and they cannot have the prisoners without me taking them away the basest of all kinds of the people from England Ireland and wales is assembled among them that they really cannot get down to Glasgow to get out without me being along with me and as a number of these should be carried to sea to take the above away from the land which they have occasioned I will be obliged if you could procure me my liberty to try if they can get out. As I came from Greenock south I will be greatly obliged to you if I could get my liberty

(Signed) James Logan

To the Officers at the Notary Public's Office King's Arms Entry Falkirk

Nov 18 Assists as usual in the ward. Health good. Conduct

Dec 18 Employed daily in the second class ward and makes himself very useful. Behaves quietly. Attentive to his appearance. General health good. Con-

1851 Jan Feb Mar April May June July Aug Sept Oct Nov Dec 1851 Jan Feb Mar April May June July Aug Sept

Admitted 15th January 1847

1851
Jan 15 Much as before. C. Dementia
Feb 15 Mind much. Assists in the second class gallery very efficiently. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Dementia.
Mar 15 Much the same. C. Dementia.
April 15 Industrious steady and always civil and quiet - Steady in habits. Attentive to his appearance. General health good. C. Dementia.
May 15 No change. C. as -
June 15 As before. C. as -
July 15 Much the same. Mind unaltered. Assists the attendant. Civil and quiet. Attentive to his appearance. General health good. C. Dementia.
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Dementia
Sept 15 As before. C. Dementia
Oct 15 No change. C. Dementia -
Nov 15 Employed in the wards every day and of late has been engaged making canvas bed bottoms. Changed and sentenced. General bodily health good C. Dementia -
Dec 15 No change. C. Dementia.
1852
Jan 15 General health good Mind remains unchanged Assists the attendant - C. Dementia -
Feb 15 At present employed with canvas bed bottoms which he makes and mends well. No change in state of mind. Steady in his habits. General health good. C. Dementia.
Mar 15 No change of importance C. Dementia -
April 15 No change. C. Dementia.
May 15 As before C. as
June 15 No change C. Dementia -
July 15 Mind remains much as before - General health good C. Dementia
Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No change in his state of mind. C. as.
Sept 15 General health good Quiet, tidy and industrious C. Dementia

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John W. Seed Ct
from Vol 13 page 107

1850
Dec 15 This is a case of incurable dementia. Speaks only when spoken to and answers few questions correctly — looks in the grounds when the weather permits. Behaves quietly General health good C. Insanity.

1851
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Insanity
Feb 15 Mind weak. Can answer few questions correctly. General health good. C. Ins.
Mar 15 No change. C. Insanity
April 15 Mind very feeble. looks in the grounds. Breaches no delusions General health good C. Ins.
May 15 Much the same. C. Ins.
June 15 No change. C. Insanity.
July 15 Mind so very feeble that he can answer few questions. Seldom speaks. Cleanly in habits. At times empty sat in the grounds. General health good C. Insanity.
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Insanity.
" 31 No change. was observed in this patients state yesterday, nor when he rose this morning in a state of dressing by perfect health; but soon after getting on his clothes; he, without complaint, suddenly fell on the floor, continued to breathe for a few minutes, but when visited by the medical officer, in as short a time as possible, he was dead. He died at about half past eight, about ten minutes from the time at which he fell down.

Died.

Admitted 2d October 1846

Charles Mitchell Ct

from vol 13 page 112

1850

Dec 18 A case of dementia. Mind occupied with erroneous fancies. Speaks often of persons and money having no real existence. Behaves pretty well. Orderly in habits. General health good. C. Ormerod.

1851

Jan 18 Much the same. C. Ormerod.

Feb 18 General health good, mind remains weak as before. C. Ormerod.

Mar 18 No change. C. Ormerod.

April 18 Much the same. C. Ormerod.

May 18 No change. C. Ormerod

June 18 Health good. No mental alteration - C. Ormerod -

" 28 Was this day removed to the asylum in connection with the new Abbey parish poors house, Paisley

Relieved

Admitted 17 July 1846

David Anderson Ad
from Vol 13 Page 187

1850

Dec 18- A case of dementia with occasional fits of excitability. Gets into violent passion from slight causes but seldom proceeds to acts of violence being usually contented with a volley of oaths and abuse uttered with great energy. He does however occasionally quarrel with his fellow patients. For the most part he is good humoured and cheerful. Attentive to his appearance. Active and agile. General health good. C. Ouvrie.

1851

Jan 18- Much the same. C. Ouvrie

Feb 18- Bodily health good. Mind remains in the same feeble state. C. Ouvrie.

Mar 18- No change. C. Ouvrie

April 18- Much the same. C. Ouvrie.

May 18- No change. C. Ouvrie

June 18- Occasionally employed - General health good Mind weak. C. Ouvrie.

July 18 Employed occasionally in the grounds. Mind weak. Answers many questions rationally - Careless in his manners and language. Very cheerful and seems quite happy in his present position. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Ouvrie -

Aug 18 In all respects as at last report C. Ouvrie.

Sept 18- No change. C. Ouvrie

Oct 18 As before - C. Ouvrie -

Nov 18 During the last few days this patient is said to have had diarrhoea and has been ordered milk diet and chalk mixture. He has not been confined to bed nor does his bodily health seem otherwise much affected his pulse skin and tongue being natural. C. Ouvrie.

Dec 18- For a few days his bowels continued easy but are now well. Health otherwise good C.

Admitted 23 July 1848

1852
Jan 15 Mind remains unchanged A case of incurable dementia usually but is quiet yet he is excitable. General health good C. Ormiston.

Feb 15 In all respects as before C. Ormiston

Mar 15 General health good Mind remains weak as before. Employed in the garden. C. Ormiston.

April 15 No change. C. Ormiston.

May 15 No alteration C. Ormiston

June 15 As before C. Ormiston

July 15 Mind remains feeble. Industrious and cleanly General health good C. Ormiston

Aug 15 No change. C. Ormiston

Sept 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak as before. Employed occasionally. Cleanly and contented. C. Ormiston

Oct 15 Seldom usefully employed. Always cleanly and apparently contented. Has not been excited for a considerable time past - cleanly in his habits. General health good C. Ormiston

Nov 15 Much the same C. Orm.

Dec 15 Frequently attends assemblies of patients which occasionally take place when he is very active in affording entertainment by singing and sometimes dancing. Usually he is very good natured and contented. Seldom actively employed - but walks a good deal in the airing ground. General health good C. Ormiston -

1853
Jan 15 No change of importance since last report. C. Ormiston.

Feb 28 Much the same. Contributes very much by his fine singing to the brilliancy of the evening musical entertainment each Tuesday night. His voice is a very powerful one and his songs are first class. Of late has been fond of excitement.

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Alexander Gregory vs Galt
from Vol 15 page 148

1860
Dec 15 This is a case of hysteria and incurable dementia. Sits all day in nearly the same place making certain motions with his arms and hands of a very peculiar kind and which are seldom varied or he stands in a corner usually on one leg and continues the same motions. Can or will answer no question in an intelligible manner. Relatives of his appearance and occasionally met at night. Unemployed. General health good. C. Inst.

1867
Jan 4 Leaves this day by warrant of the Sheriff transferred to another Asylum.

Relieved

Admitted 21 October 1845.

James Anderson Ct
Jum Vol 13 page 144

1850
Dec 15- A case of incurable and hopeless dementia. Speaks only when questioned and can answer few questions correctly. Almost always has a book in his hands and which he seems attentively to pursue. Very quiet and harmless. Cleanly in habits but regardless of his personal appearance — Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cressia

1851
Mar 15- Remarks quiet and unobtrusive. Cleanly in his habits. Health moderately good. C. Cressia

Feb 15- Remarks the same. C. Cress.

Mar 15- Mind remains in the same very feeble condition. Bodily health moderately good C. Cressia.

April 15- Remarks the same. C. Cressia.

May 15- No change. C. Cress -

June 15- As before. C. Cressia.

July 28 Almost constantly this patient possesses a book over which he pores with his face close to the page, being short sighted — Mind almost gone — Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cressia

Aug 15- In all respects as at last report C. Cressia.

Sept 15- As before. C. Cressia

Oct 15- No change. C. Cressia -

Nov 15- This mans mind is very weak. He seldom addresses any one and he can answer very few questions correctly. He sits almost constantly with an open book in his hands as if reading. Sometimes it is English sometimes Latin and at times Greek. Cleanly in his habits at night. Careless of his personal appearance. Seems to enjoy moderate health. Appetite good Bowels regular without assistance from medicine C. Cressia.

" 20 On the 17th instant this patient experienced an attack of hemiplegia. The quantity of blood was very considerable. He died next

Admitted 6 June 1843

complain of pain in chest. He continued to eat well. His bowels were confined. A dose of castor oil was prescribed and afterwards he had the acetate of lead and opium pill. The haemorrhage continuing next day he was ordered ten grains of gallic acid three times daily combined with one grain of powdered opium to each dose - to-day he is out of bed - has put up on blood for two days. his pulse is calm and appetite good Bowels were yesterday again costive and he had six drachms of castor oil which operated. C. Maurice -

Dec 15 No return of haemorrhage C. Maurice

1843

Jan 15 Mind remains in the same miserably feeble condition Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Maurice -

Feb 15 In all respects as before C. Maurice

Mar 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very weak He is of a scrofulous habit and thin. C. Maurice -

April 15 No change. C. Maurice.

May 15 No change. C. Maurice

June 15 As before C. Maurice -

July 15 Mind weak. No bodily complaint. C. Maurice

Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Quiet and cleanly. Reads or seems to read much. C. Maurice.

Sept 15 Mind remains unaltered very quiet and inoffensive. Cleanly in habits. C. Maurice

Oct 15 Sits all day turning over a book and it seems a matter of no moment to him in what language the book may be written. He walking also he is seldom without a book in some hand General health good C. Maurice

Nov 15 Much the same. C. M.

Dec 15 Health habits and state of mind remain without change

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Peter McAllister Ct
from Vol 13 page 159

1850
Dec 15 Genral health good. Mind weak and confused as formerly. There is no hope of amendment in this case. Assists the mason. Usually quiet Cleanly in his habits C. Insania.

1851
Jan 15 Same as C. Ins.
Feb 15 No change since last report C. Ins.
Mar 15 No change. C. Insania.
April 15 Genral health good. Mind very weak and when he attempts any length of speech very confused and unconnected. Assists the mason. C. Insania.
May 15 As before. C. Insania
June 15 No change. C. Insania.
July 15 Assists the mason. Mind remains weak as before. Cleanly in habits. Usually quiet but sometimes becomes self willed obstinate and threatens refusing to work this usually soon passes off and he resumes as before - Genral health pretty good. When he attempts any length of speech becomes very incoherent - C. Insania.
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Insania
Sept 15 As before. C. Insania
Oct 15 No change. C. Insania.
Nov 15 Assists the mason when he daily attends and for whom he fetches sands and makes mortar. Mind weak and ideas incoherent. Cleanly in habits. He is very willing to work. General health good C. Insania.
Dec 15 As before C. Insania.

1852
Jan 15 A case of incurable and long standing dementia. His mind is weak and confused. Cleanly in his habits. General health good. C. Insania.
Feb 15 At times becomes excited and scolds at times at passers Assists the mason daily. His bodily health is good C. Ins

Admitted 27 December 1845

March 15	No change of importance C. Mania.
April 15	No change. C. Mania.
May 15	As before C. mania
June 15	No change. C. Mania.
July 15	Mind weak. Conversation incoherent usually quiet. Assists the nurse General health good C. Mania.
Aug 15	No change. C. Mania.
Sept 15	General health very good At present he assists the under gardener in carrying &c. C. Mania.
Oct 15	General health good Cleanly in habits. He is very willing & useful industrious. C. Mania
Nov 15	Of late has been employed in the ~~work~~ bakery and seems to assist the baker tolerably effectively. No change in mental state General health continues good C. Mania.
Dec 15	No alteration in mental state. Continues to assist the baker. General health good. C. Mania
1853	
Jany 15	Assists very efficiently in the bakehouse. General health good C. Mania.
Feb 15	Much the same. C. Mania
Mar 10	On the 6 instant became much excited on the occasion of a quarrel with another patient and has since been in seclusion. Mind weak and confused. Appetite good. Bowels open from medicine. C. Mania.
" 15	Has been at liberty for two days and has behaved himself. Mind as before weak. Cleanly in habits. General health good. C. Mania.
April 15	Since last report has been quiet and working men and then in the grounds. General health good C. Mania.
May 31	No change. C. Mania.
June 30	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind in its usual weak state. C. Mania.
July 31	General health good. No mental change C.

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George Almond Ad
from vol 13 page 162

1856

Oct 31 Francis he is enquired at the instance of his creditors Has some notion that he has made a discovery which if secured to him by patent he would realize much money. Very inactive. Seldom moving out used in the gallery seldom leaving his seat. Converses fully rationally on some subjects. Bodily health good. C. Cornia

Nov 30 Has been confined to bed during last week on account of moderate diarrhoea was treated with chalk mixture calumba and opium and with diet - is now out of bed. Has lost flesh considerably. Appetite moderate. Bowels regular. C. Cornia.

Dec 15 Since last report has improved in strength and somewhat in flesh. Behaves very peaceably. Seems delusions General health good C. Cornia.

1857

Jan 15 Much the same. C. Cor.

Feb 15 No change since last report. C. Cornia.

Mar 15 Much the same C. Cor.

April 15 Complains of pain in throat and spitting of blood both of which symptoms seem in a great measure fanciful Attentive to his appearance - Francis he is detained in the Asylum at the instance of his Creditors with whom he is desirous to obtain some settlement. Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Cornia.

May 15 No change. C. Cornia

June 15 Has been confined to bed for several days by pain on account of haemopty sis which is now much diminished. He takes pulvis plumbi opiatus Appetite moderate. Eats with diet. C. Cornia -

July 15 Haemopty sis gone. Very hypochondriacal at times Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Cor.

Admitted 18 March 1859

Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Ormerod

Sept 15 As before C. Ormerod

Oct 15 No change C. Ormerod

Nov 15 Mind remains in much the same condition. He is extremely quiet and manageable. Somewhat forgetful as to his bodily health. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite thirst and bowels natural. Hair usefully employed C. Ormerod

Dec 15 On the 2nd instant passed some blood per anum without pain or other inconvenience He took an ounce of castor oil and was ordered after words the acetate of Lead pill of the pharmacopoeia. The oil acted. Some blood was passed on the 3rd. On the 4th the bleeding had ceased but his stool was scanty and very dark He was ordered two half ounce doses of castor oil in succession. He has since been free from complaint and every day out of bed has been quiet and well. Appetite moderate. C. Ormerod

1860

Jan 16 Much the same. Answers rationally. Says he is anxious to leave the asylum. General health good C. Ormerod

Feb 16 No change of consequence C. Ormerod

Mar 16 Much in bed. Complains of cough sometimes so severe that he cries out and occasionally has slight hæmoptysis. These disorders are treated in the common modes C. Ormerod

April 16 In bed and otherwise as before C. Ormerod

May 16 No change C. Ormerod

June 16 As before C. Ormerod

July 16 Always in bed. Complains of head throat and bowels. Continues emaciated Appetite moderate Pulse regular. C. Ormerod

Aug 16 Continues in bed constantly. Seldom free of complaint Appetite moderate. C. Ormerod

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Charles Anderson Act
from vol 13 page 185

1850
Dec 15 Since last report has been quiet and not in confinement. Mind confused and conversation incoherent. Good humoured. Cleanly in habits. General health good. C. Cannie.

1851
Mar 15 Mind weak and confused since last report has been quiet and not confined. Health good C. Cannie.

Feb 15 Employed daily in the grounds. Answers some questions rationally. Good humoured and inoffensive. General health very good. C. Cannie.

Mar 15 Has become fat and stout - industrious and well behaved. C. Cannie -

April 15 Mind weak and confused. Industrious and well behaved. Had some diarrhoea one morning which was soon checked by chalk mixture - and he is now well. Appetite good. C. Cannie -

May 15 No change of importance. C. Cannie -

June 15 Has been for a considerable time in seclusion being excited neither cared today. Has also had several doses of purgative medicine and bowels are at present open - Appetite good. He takes a pint of ale at bedtime. C. Cannie -

July 15 Much the same. Always in seclusion. Sits in bed constantly moving his right arm backwards and forwards as if sawing and repeating at the same time a few words over and over - Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Cannie

Aug 15 Always in seclusion. No change. C. Cannie.

Sept 15 As before C. Cannie

Oct 15 No change C. Cannie.

Nov 15 Since last report has been uniformly excited and incoherent and unfit for

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useful employment indeed pretty much in seclusion. When employed almost always in but constantly repeats a few words which are seldom intelligible and imitates with one arm the movements of sawing with a hand saw. His bowels are often confined and he has an occasional dose of purgative medicine. His appetite is always good. He is not violent C. Morris -

Dec 15 Since last report has been in the same state of amusement and inobservance and has been very much in seclusion. Appetite good. Bowels upon purgative medicine. C. Morris -

1846

Jan 15 Much the same except that for several days he has been out of seclusion. Mind unsound. Appetite sleep sound bowels natural C. Morris -

Feb 15 In all respects as before C. Morris

Mar 15 Appetite sleep sound bowels natural. At present he is restless continually running and talking but not so troublesome as to require seclusion C. Morris -

April 15 No change C. C. Morris -

May 15 As before C. Morris

June 15 No change of consequence C. Morris

July 15 Mind insufficient. Often noisy restless and excited. Appetite good sleeps in seclusion and has often to be confined during the day C. Morris

Aug 15 As before C. Morris -

Sept 15 Continues talkative and restless. Occasionally noisy. Usually sleeps in seclusion. General health good C. Morris -

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Morris

Nov 15 In seclusion. Noisy and restless. Mutters and talks almost constantly - Requires frequent doses of purgative medicine. Appetite good C. Morris -

Dec 15 No change In seclusion C. Morris

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Alexander Mair Ct
from vol 18 page 208

1850
Nov 15 Mind weak. Edema at present almost gone. He is very feeble. Appetite moderate. Bowels regular
C. Arsenic

Dec 15 Considers himself as strong and healthy as he ever was Edema at present gone - sometimes he is troubled with cough. Appetite slight and bowels natural
C. Arsenic.

1851
Jan 15 Mind weak. Occasionally the old tenderness to evaporation shows itself Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Arsenic.

Feb 15 Some inflammation and swelling occurred lately on scalp exciting an suppuration and an opening from which was discharged an even purulent matter & piece of strongly cellular or spongeotic tissue. Scalp is now well. Some swelling of face and inferior extremities. He picks and inflames his scalp so much with his hands that it is sometimes judged necessary to confine them in a strait waistcoat. Has the following powders. Appetite good. Bowels open
℞ Antimonii Potassae Tart. gr. j
Potassae Supertartratis ʒij.
Pulveris Radicis Scillae -
Pulveris Fol. Digitalis aa gr. xij
divide in chart + No. j. Sumat unam ter die. C. Arsenic -

March 15 Much the same C. Arsenic.

April 15 This morning has become cold and weak. Has been getting worse for some days Hiccough & Cold. Much dyspnoea & sweating. Breathing oppressed - Sputum Sanguinis Sir quotidie. Heat. C. Ars.

" 16 Breathing became more and more oppressed until this evening when he sank and died at 11 P. M.

Died

Admitted 25 May 1847

Alexander P. Gibson Ct
from vol 15 page 191

1850
Dec 15- Appears usually very insolent and almost always very irritable. Writes obscene stories apparently of his early life on scraps of paper and is very angry when refused paper for this purpose. Fancies he has visions - that he reads God's laws usefully employed swears dreadfully when vexed. Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Insania.

1851
Jan 15- Much the same. C. Ins -
Feb 15- Insolent and abusive on the slightest cause of offence or when none is received - Got so noisy and threatening lately as to require seclusion during several days - Bodily health good. C. Ins.
Mar 15- Has been unruly of late and was in seclusion for some days. General health good C. Insania -
April 15- Much the same. C. Insania -
May 15- No change. C. Ins -
June 15- As before. C. Insania.
July 15- General health good No improvement in mind. Fancies he sees visions at night - Apt from small provocation to be very abusive. C. Insania.
Aug 15- Having become unruly has been in seclusion for some days - C. Insania.
Sept 15- No change. C. Ins -
Oct 15- As before C. Insania -
Nov 15- Since last report was for a few days in seclusion as he had quarrelled and been violent in his conduct - Steady but is not otherwise usefully employed. Often swears and makes use of very abusive language - Steady in habits and appearance. General health good C. Insania -
Dec 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Since last report he has been quiet. Answers theirs of reasoning &c. Seldom if ever employed at actual work. Cont: Insania -

Admitted 7 May 1846

1852
Jan 15 General health good
not usually employed
Cleanly in habits C. Mania
Feb 15 In all respects as before
C. Mania
Mar 15 Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. Mind remains
unchanged. C. Mania.
Apr 15 No change. C. Mania
May 15 No alteration C. Mania
June 15 As before C. Mania.
July 15 Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. Mind remains
weak and verbacle
C. Mania.
Aug 15 No change. C. Mania.
Sept 15 Of late has been very
peaceable. Works usually
employed. Cleanly in his
habits. General health
good C. Mania.
Oct 15 Much the same. C. Ma
Nov 15 His sentiments of complaining
and peaceableness. Cleanly
in habits. General
health good C. Mania
Dec 15 Appetite good. Some abrasions
of cuticle on skin of pubis
which he fancied was a
return of syphilis which disease
he says he has had several
times during his life. His bowels
being serfused took a dose
of sulphate of magnesia
C. Mania.

1853
Jan 5 18 Was this day removed by an
assistant inspector that he
might be transferred to
the lunatic portion of the
Falkirk workhouse.

Relieved.

John Sprott Ct
from vol N page 212

1850
Dec 16 A case of extreme destitution can answer few questions. Quiet and harmless. Careless of his appearance but cleanly in habits have usefully employed. Appetite good. Bowels regular. Abscess in back healed. C. Pneumonia.

1851
Jan 16 Same. C. Pneumonia.
Feb 16 Appetite slip and bowels natural. Mind remains in the same weak state. C. Pneumonia.
March 3 No change. Was this evening transferred to next House.

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Thomas Stovall Ct

from page 106

1850

Dec 15 Mind weak. Conversation confused and often absurd. Fancies he has a "Catharine wheel" which makes him talk nonsense in spite of himself. Cleanly in habits. Appetite good. Bowels natural. C. Amenia.

1851

Jan 15 Much the same C. Ame.

Feb 15 No change since last report. C. Amenia.

Mar 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains very weak. Talks in the same style of the wheel and enumerates individuals whom he calls wheelmen C. Amenia

April 15 No change. General health remarkably good C. Ame.

May 15 Much the same. C. Ame.

June 15 No change. C. Amenia.

July 15 Same delusion respecting a wheel being in his head causing him to talk nonsense. very talkative and rambles much. Cleanly in habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ame.

Aug 15 do all reports as at last report C. Amenia.

Sept 15 As before. C. Amenia

Oct 15 No change. C. Amenia.

Nov 15 Roams in the same pasture about wheelmen his liberation &c. Cleanly in habits. tidy in his personal appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. seldom usefully employed C. Amenia.

Dec 15 Talks in the most silly childish manner. Mind very weak. Careless of his appearance. Hours usefully employed Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Amenia.

1852

Jan 15 Mind remains unchanged A few days since was said to have vomited some blood and he had pills of acetate of lead and opium Since has since been nauseous and he is at present free from prominent complaint. C. Amenia.

Admitted 22 Sept 1848

Feb 18- very anxious to leave the asylum. Conducts himself apparently except that he talks much. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morris

Mar 18- In all respects as before C. Morris

April 18- No change C. Morris

May 18- No change. C. Morris

June 18- As before C. Morris

July 18 Mind remains weak and confused as before Feeble in general health yet free of particular complaint C. Morris

Aug 18- No change. C. Morris

Sept 18- This patient remains without change in any way. C. Morris -

Oct 18- Mind remains very much. Talks constantly in the same way - repeating constantly the same expressions which for the most part are without meaning or application. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Morris -

Nov 18 Much the same. Was this day removed to the asylum at Dumfries and discharged as

Relieved

Archibald Adams C127

from page 188

1880

Dec 15- Employed in the grounds when the state of weather permits. Mind weak and childish. There is no hope of improvement in this case. General health good. C. Asylum.

1881

Jan 15- Much the same. C. Asylum

Feb 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains unchanged. C. Asylum

Mar 15- Much the same. Employed in the grounds. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Asy.

April 15- Much the same. C. Asylum.

May 15- No change. C. Asy.

Jun 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very weak. C. Asylum.

July 15- General health good. Mind remains very feeble. Can answer few questions. Childish in manner and habits. Seldom usefully employed. C. Asylum.

Aug 15- In all respects as at last report C. Asylum.

Sept 15- No change. C. Asylum

Oct 15- As before. C. Asylum.

Nov 15- Mind very feeble. Sometimes assists the attendant but is not very fit for useful employment. Cleanly in his habits at night. General bodily health good C. Asy.

Dec 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very weak. Remarks non delusion. Cleanly in his habits. C. Asylum.

1882

Jan 15- Mind remains feeble as before. Not usefully employed. Free from violence. Cleanly in his habits. General health good C. Asylum.

Feb 15- In all respects as before C. Asylum

Mar 15- Childishly minded and playful. General health good. C. Asylum

Apr 15- No change. C. Asylum

May 15- As before C. Asy

Jun 15- No change C. Asy

July 15- General health good Mind remains in its usual weak state. C Asy

Admitted 17 Novemb 1848

Aug 18	No change of any kind C. Insania
Sept 18	General health good Mind remains unaltered C. Insania -
Oct 18	Much the same. C. Insania
Nov 18	Moreover indications of great weakness of mind and retains childish and impulsive. Cheerly at night. Untidy in his personal appearance. General health good C. Insania -
Dec 18	Was so mischievous and interfered with the clothing of the more helpless patients in No 3 gallery that he was transferred to No 9 where he has since been. Mind remains very feeble. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ins.
1853	
Jany 18	This case has undergone no alteration of importance since last report. C. Insania.
Feb 18	General health good. Mind very childish and weak. His habits are corresponding with his mental state. Cheerly at night. Not much employed His clothes are usually worn in a very untidy state - Generally he is good natured. C. Insania -
Mar 18	No change. C. Insania -
April 18	General health good Mind remains as before in an imbecile state. He is restless and frisky full mischievous. C. Insania.
May 31	No change. C. Insania.
June 30	In all respects as before C. Insania -
July 31	As before. C. Insania.

Bernard Handley Ct
from Vol 13 page 110

1851	General health very good
Feb 15	Good humoured and apparently hard working. Mind weak from birth. Speaks in a childish strain and articulates hurriedly and with much indistinctness. Very industrious. Assists the Coal porter very ably. C. Amelia.
March 15	No change since last report. C. Amelia.
April 15	Much the same. C. Amelia.
May 15	No change. C. Amelia.
June 15	As before. C. Amelia.
June 28	Was this day removed to Abbey Asylum Paisley

Relieved

Admitted 17 July 1846

Thomas McFarlane Ct
June Vol 13 page 118

1851

Feb 15 General health moderately good. Mind remains in the same very feeble state. Not usefully employed C. Cumin.

Mar 15 Much the same. C. Cumin.

April 15 No change. C. Cumin.

May 15 As before. C. Cum —

June 15 Mind very weak. Very unclean and disgusting in his habits at meals. Health good C. Cum.

June 28 Was this day removed

Relieved

Admitted 17 July 1846

Thomas Shipie Ct

1851 from vol 13 page 114

Feb 15 General health good, mind remains weak as before. P. Cannon.

Mar 15 Much the same. P. Cannon.

April 15 No change. P. Cannon.

May 15 No change. P. Can.

June 15 Conducts himself well and is very industrious. Breathes no delusion. Health good P. Can

June 28 1851 This day removed to Penitentiary.

Returned

Admitted 17 July 1846

James Campbell Ct
from vol N page 130

1851
Feb 15 A case of dementia. Assists the stoker. Bodily health good. C. Insania.
Mar 15 Much the same. C. Insania
April 15 Speaks almost none. General health good. Mind evidently very feeble. Appetite good Industrious - Orderly at night. Careless of his appearance. C. Insania -
May 15 Much the same. C. Insania
June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very weak. Employed daily by the Engineers to tend the boiler furnaces - C. Insania.
July 15 No change. C. Ins -
Aug 15 Never speaks unless addressed and even then says very little. Assists the stoker. General health good C. Insania -
Sept 15 As before - C. Insania
Oct 15 No change. C. Insania -
Nov 15 Assists the stoker in the wash house. Mind very feeble can answer very few questions correctly. He is usually very dirty partly from indolence and slightly from the nature of his employment. He seems perfectly quiet and inoffensive General health good. C. Ins.
Dec 15 Much the same. Mind very feeble. General health good C. Insania -

1852
Jan 15 A case of long standing and incurable dementia Continues to assist the stoker in keeping up the furnaces. Cleanly in his habits at night. General health good C. Insania -
Feb 15 Has undergone no change of importance since last report. C. Insania.
Mar 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Insania.
Apr 15 No change C. Insania.
May 15 As before C. Ins
June 15 No change C. Ins
July 15 Mind as usual very feeble. Assists the stoker and coal porter. General health good C. Insania
Aug 20 Discharged (to Memphis Asylum)

Relieved

Admitted 16 July 1846

1850 James Dennie
from page 109

April 15 Mind weak. very irascible - Fancies he was sent hither to work and to be paid for his work and often impudently demands his wages and is profuse in his abuse. Cleanly in habits General health good - C. Dennie -

May 15 As before. C. Den -

June 15 No change. C. Dennia.

July 15 Constantly demands in an insolent authoritative tone to have his wages for the work he he has done since his confinement. And the whole however he may be said to be quiet. Appetite slep and bowels natural. C. Dennia -

Aug 15 In all respects the same as at last report C. Dennie

Sept 15 As before C. Den -

Oct 15 No change. C. Dennie -

Nov 15 Incessantly demands remuneration for the labour he has done since he came here and is profuse in his threats of procuring his discharge if his claims are not satisfied. Refuses to work any more. Cleanly in his habits. very fluent and passionate - General bodily health good C. Dennia.

Dec 15 Constantly demands the money he has worked for and his discharge. Cleanly in habits - Diet usually supplied. General health good C. Dennie -

1852

Jan 15 Appetite slep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak and excitable. Often threatens his entry. C. Den

Feb 15 Constantly demands in an imperious tone the wages he has worked for since coming to this place and requesting to be forthwith discharged C. Dennie

Mar 15 Complains of having been badly used - of having got "common victuals" &c. Health good C. Dennie -

April 15 No change C. Dennie

May 15 No change C. Den

June 15 As before C. Dennie

Admitted 17 March 1849

July 15 In seclusion having been excited quarrelsome and abusive Genl health good C. Mania.

Aug 15 Exhibition noisy and impulsive. Genl health good Refuses to work C. Mania.

Sept 15 No change whatever in mental condition Health good C. Mania.

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Mania.

Nov 15 Constantly demanding the money he has written for - that he may get his discharge and be allowed to work for his living like an honest man & get food for the support of his body. Appetite check and bowels natural - C. Mania

Dec 1 Having quarrelled with and struck one of his fellow-patients he is at present in seclusion. Had purgative medicine with the desired effect lately. Appetite good C. Mania.

" 15 Has confined only for a few days and has since conducted himself more quietly. Continues to demand wages and to be set at liberty that he may procure "proper clothes and food for his body" Refuses to employ himself. Genl health good. C. Mania.

1853

Jany 15 Since last report has been free of violence. Genl health good. Works usefully employed C. Mania.

Feb 15 No change of consequence C. Mania.

Mar 15 Expressions and his object and sometimes abusive noisy and violent. Hours satisfied judging from his language. Genl health good C. Mania.

April 15 No change & consequently since last report. C. Mania.

May 31 No change. C. Mania.

June 30 Genl health good. Mind and habits remain unchanged

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James Bell Ct
from vol 13 page 141

1851
May 15 This is a case of dementia considers himself a man of some importance. Fancies the asylum his and takes upon discharging officials & when offended with them. Works in the grounds and is very useful in keeping the borders flower plots & in order. General health good. C. Asylum.
June 15 Employed daily in the grounds. Health very good C. Asylum.
July 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural – evidently fancies he is a great man. C. As.
Aug 15 In all respects as before. Employed daily in the grounds – General health good. C. Asylum.
Sept 15 As before – C. Asy.
Oct 15 No change. C. Asylum.
Nov 15 Mind weak and fanciful. Employed daily in the grounds. Cleanly in his habits. General bodily health good C. Asylum.
Dec 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains in its usual weak state C. Asylum.

1852
Jan 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak as before – Employed daily in the grounds C. Asylum.
Feb 15 No change of importance C. Asylum
Mar 15 Employed about the grounds General health moderately good C. Asylum.
Apr 15 No change. C. Asylum.
May 15 As before C. Asy
June 15 No change. C. Asylum.
July 15 Understands things clearly and quiet. Mind very weak and confused Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. As.
Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak as before – Employed every day in the grounds C. Asylum.
Sept 15 General health good Employed daily as before

Admitted 28 Jan'y 1841

Oct 15	Seems to fancy himself a great personage and to consider that the officers of the asylum are in duty bound to be under his control. He is daily occupied in the grounds when the weather permitting. Mind very feeble. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Insania.
Nov 15	Much the same. C. Insania.
Dec 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No alteration has occurred in his mental state. In fine weather is employed in the grounds by the gardener. Cleanly in his habits. Very forgetful frequently charges the medical officers with messages to imaginary persons and usually considering his circumstances one of an absurd nature. He is often irritable but never violent. C. Insania.
1853	
Jan'y 15	No change of consequence since last report. C. Insania.
Feb 15	General health moderately good. His mind is in a very imbecile condition. Cleanly in his habits. Employed daily in the grounds. C. Ins.
Mar 15	No change of any importance C. Insania.
April 15	Much the same. C. Ins.
May 31	No change. C. Insania.
June 30	Sullen and ill humoured and will not reply when spoken to. He is daily employed in the grounds. Appetite sleep and bowels natural &c. C. Insania.
July 31	No change. C. Insania.
1861	
January 29	This patient is in a state of dementia. He is very incoherent, talks to himself and is rather irritable.
March 17	His general health is good, he sleeps well, takes his food well and is cleanly in his habits.
May 30	Neither mental nor bodily change since preceding report
July 18	No change in any respect.
Sept 20	He is garulous, weak minded, and occasionally excited. Is never employed at present.
Nov. 25	Often gives the medical officers small pieces of paper to convey to imaginary people.

Malcolm McCallum
1851 from vol 18 page 161

May 18- A case of hopeless dementia. Can answer almost no question. Never speaks to any one spontaneously - cleanly in habits. General health good C. Ore -

June 18- Much the same. C. Omnia.

July 18- Much the same. C. Ore.

Aug 4 Removed

Relieved

Admitted 30 May 1846.

George Snedeker
from Vol 13 page 164

1851
May 15- General health good. A case of incurable dementia. Never utters an articulate sound. Of late been quiet. C. Ormsbee
June 15- Much the same. C. Ormsbee
July 15- Employed daily in fetching and carrying. Very strong and apparently healthy - Appetite good C. Ormsbee.
Aug 15- In all respects the same as at last report C. Ormsbee
Sept 15- No change. C. Ormsbee -
Oct 15- As before - C. Ormsbee -
Nov 15- Occupied daily assisting the coal porter - For a long time he seems not to have shown any mischief. General bodily health good C. Ormsbee -
Dec 15- Much the same. C. Ormsbee
1852
Jan 15- A case of dementia. He has at times been noticeable and his last but of late no appearances or changes have been observed in his state worthy of being recorded. He seems deaf and is certainly dumb besides the mental affection General health pretty good C. Ormsbee -
Feb 15- In all respects as before C. Ormsbee
March 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Assists the steward by carrying coals. C. Ormsbee
April 15- No change. C. Ormsbee
May 15- No change. C. Ormsbee
June 15- As before C. Ormsbee -
Aug 15- General health good Mind remains in its usual very weak state - Unable to answer any question apparently from being dumb. Cleanly in his habits. C. Ormsbee.
Sept 15- No change of any kind C. Ormsbee -
Oct 15- Employed every day carrying coals &c. On entering any of the officers usually smiles nods and sometimes inaudibly. Of late been been quiet. General health good C. Ormsbee -

Admitted 7 June 1842

Nov 18 No change of any kind since last report. C. Harris.

Dec 18 General health good. Smiles nods and mutters when spoken to but never returns an intelligible answer. Enjoys cold water & retires in company with another patient about the grounds and buildings. C. Harris.

1843

Jany 18 No change of any consequence. General health good C. Har.

Feb 18 Appetite slight and bowels natural. Careless of his appearance and untidy. He seems extremely deaf and is never heard to articulate. C. Harris.

Mar 18 No change. C. Harris.

April 18 Requires an occasional purge. Heard muttering in the same unintelligible manner. Never speaks so as to be understood nor even articulately. When spoken to smiles and mutters in a low tone. Employed in the grounds. Appetite slight and bowels natural C. Harris.

May 31 No change. C. Harris.

Summer All respects as before C. Harris.

July 31 No change. C. Harris.

Robert Harvie Ct

from bk 13 page 191

1851

May 15- Much the same. A case of seeming by incurable dementia. Speaks spontaneously to no one and answers with great brevity. Thinks on the whole correctly - Apt to take offence easily and strikes readily Health good. C. Asylum -

June 15- Daily employed in the grounds. Health good. C. Asy.

July 15- Much the same. C. Asylum

Aug 15- In all respects as before. C. Asylum

Sept 15- As before. C. Asy -

Oct 15- No change. C. Asylum

Nov 15- Mind remains dull and inactive. Speaks spontaneously to no one and seems to be indifferent about almost every thing which may be going on unless he himself be interfered with when a little matter puts him in a passion and makes him violent - Employed in the grounds. General health pretty good C. Asylum.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Asylum -

1852

Jan 15- Much the same in every respect. C. Asylum -

Feb 15- Very quiet seldom speaking to any one. Of late he has not been at all employed Health moderately good C. Asylum

Mar 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No material change. C. Asylum -

Apr 15- No change. C. Asylum.

May 15- No change. C. Asy -

June 15- As before C. Asylum

July 15- Mind remains weak General health good C. Asylum.

Aug 15- Of late has been very quiet and frequently employed. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Asylum

Sept 15- In all Respects as before C. Asylum

Oct 15- General health good. Mind remains very weak. Irritable when interfered with otherwise quiet and inoffensive. C. Asy

Admitted 30 Oct. 1847

Nov 15 No change of any consequence C. Insania.

Dec 18 Very dull - low spirited and solitary seldom or never speaking to any one but when addressed and manifesting desires to shun all notice. Of late has been free of all violence and excitement. Cleanly in his habits. General health good. C. Insania.

1848

Jany 18 No change of any importance C. Insania.

Feb 18 Smoothe and depressed. Seems interested in nothing seldom usefully employed. usually sits with his hands in the pockets of his trowsers, his back curved and his head reclined and his eyes cast out on the floor. When questioned he slowly and hiefly answers accurately enough. General health moderately good C. Insania.

Mar 18 No change. C. Insania.

April 18 Puts his trowsers and takes position of countenance &c for the same demeanour and aspect. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Insania.

May 31 No change. C. Insania.

June 30 Corpid and his actions hasty & nervous as upon very public. Cleanly in his habits. Tongue still at times wet. Appetite good Requires an occasional purgative. C. Insania.

July 31 No change. C. Insania.

1861.

January 15 Patients mind is weak; his habits are indolent and dirty and he is unsocial.

March 19 His bodily health is indifferent, he is phthisical and harassed with piles.

May 20 There is no change in his mental state or in his bodily health.

July 19 He is taciturn, retiring, weak minded and irritable

Febr 25 No improvement in his mental state since last report

Nov 19 His bowels are always inclined to be too free and he frequently soils his bed clothes. Mind weak, disposition very tractable

William Tebbs Ct
from vol 13 page 192

1851
May 15 A case of dementia combined with epilepsy. Has frequent fits of excitement when he is noisy and threatens. Has often to be secluded. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morris
June 15 Much the same. C. Case -
July 15 No change of importance. C. Morris -
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Morris
Sept 15 No change. C. Case -
Oct 15 As before C. Case -
Nov 15 Of late has been quiet and for a considerable number of days has not required seclusion. Cleanly in his habits. Employed a little occasionally about the wards Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morris -
Dec 15 Has not required seclusion since last report C. Morris
" 24 On the 20 and 21 current had several fits each yesterday and to day has been confined rather wakeable and in seclusion Had castor oil on the 21st but his bowels are again confined - C. Morris
medicines ordered Clothes C. Morris

" 24 Continues confined and excitable and in confinement - Appetite moderate - Bowels again costive. Ordered the same Oil Medicine and medicine C. Morris -

1852
Jan 15 was liberated soon after last report and has been since quiet. C. Morris -
Feb 15 Often querulous - of late pretty free from violence. C. Case
Mar 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Works usefully employed but within doors when occasionally he scrubs or washes dishes. C. Morris.
Apr 15 No change. C. Morris
May 15 As before C. Morris
June 15 No change. C. Morris
July 15 Occasionally abusive otherwise as before C. Morris

Admitted 7 August 1846

Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak and excitable. Often in seclusion. Cheerful in his habits. C. Insania -

Sept 15 No change since last report. C. Insania -

Oct 15 No change. C. Insania

Nov 15 Much the same. C. Insania.

Dec 15 Was recently in seclusion having been quarrelsome and irritable but is now quiet and at liberty. but employed probably on account of his fits rendering employment out of doors dangerous and improper. walks in the airing ground when the weather is favourable. Appetite good Regimen an occasional purgative to maintain his bowels in a reliable state. C. Insania -

1854

Jany 15 For the most part since last report has been very quiet. C. Insania.

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Insania.

Mar 15 Became excited two days since and is in seclusion. will not lie on the heathers but passes the time pacing. Irritable and sneering. Appetite good. Bowels confined. Smart shiver occasionally. C. Insania -

April 15 Been tolerably quiet and is so now. C. Insania.

May 31 Continues quiet. No bodily complaint except epilepsy. C. Insania -

June 30 Much the same. C. Ins.

July 31 No change. C. Insania.

Samuel Carmichael Co
from vol 13 page 160

1851
July 15- General health good
mind remains in the same
very weak condition
C. Insania

Aug 15- No change. C. Insania
Sept 15- No change. C. Ins -
Oct 15- As before. C. Ins -
Nov 15- Mind weak. Answers most
questions with tolerable
correctness. Steady in habits
employed occasionally in
the garden. General health
moderately good C. Insania.
Dec 15- Much the same. C. Insania.

1852
Jan 15- Appetite slight and bowels
natural. No mental
change. C. Insania.
Feb 15- In all respects as before -
C. Insania
Mar 15- No change in mental
condition. General health
good. C. Insania.
Apr 15- No change. C. Insania.
May 15- No change. C. Insania
June 15- As before C. Insania.
July 15- General health good
mind weak - C. Insania
Aug 15- Appetite slight and bowels
natural. Quiet and civil
employed in the garden
or elsewhere. C. Insania.
Sept 15- Conducts himself with
great propriety. Sometimes
employed in the grounds
and when in the house
he is very attentive to a
little boy who is restless
and mischievous. Appetite
slight and bowels natural
C. Insania -
Oct 15- Much the same. C. Insania
Nov 15- Frequently reports very
ill treatment he may
observe amongst the
patients and his statements
seem usually appear to
have some foundation -
General health good
C. Insania -
Dec 15- Very attentive to small
company of a little boy
who lives in the same
ward and is restless
and helpless. Quiet civil
and contented. Appetite
slight and bowels natural

Admitted 11 October 1846

1853

March 15 General health good. Mind remains unchanged. C. Morris.

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Morris.

March 15 Has a pleg nonsum tumour on left arm having a very hard & large base with the top shaded pigmated with holes through which gray slimy has ceen to be seen. An incision was made across its centre. Health & Mind unchanged. Answers relevant. Remarks no reluctance. Regularly in habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morris.

April 15 Since last report ~~plug~~ plegnum have disappeared. He had an attack of piles which has also been overcome and he is now free of complaint. C. Morris.

May 31 No change. C. Morris.

June 30 Quiet civil and working. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morris.

July 15 In seclusion. Had been excited for a week past talking and preaching in the airing court and giving irrelevant answers to questions. Two days since began to preach in the wood and was placed in seclusion where he has since been. Appetite good Bowels free. C. Morris.

" 31 Has been pretty much in seclusion since last report but is now quiet. Answers tolerably correct. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morris.

1861

Jany 10 This a case of chronic recurrent Mania. The paroxysms occur at irregular periods and are manifested by great excitement incoherent raving, irascibility and threats of violence on the slightest provocation and often without any sufficient cause. During the intervals between the paroxysms he is very quiet, often depressed and spends his time in reading his bible.

March 10 No change

May 20 No change

July 15 So excited today and walks about slowly singing

Sept 10 Quiet at present

Gilbert McLaren Ct
from vol 13 page 163

1861
July 19 In accordance with a resolution of the parochial board of the parish of Neilston this patient was removed to the lunatic department of the Abbey parish workhouse Paisley

Released

James Dickson Ct
from vol 12 page 187

1851
Jan 1/5 General health moderately good. Converses pretty rationally. C. Cannie
Feb 1/5 Much the same. C. Cannie
Mar 1/5 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Employed at present daily in the garden C. Cannie
April 1/5 Much the same. General health good C. Cannie
May 1/5 Appetite sleep natural bowels natural. Bronchocele diminishing. Attention to his appearance. neat cleanly in his habits C. Cannie
June 1/5 Works daily in the garden Rice continued much good humoured. Has written me a two plays in the scottish dialect C. Cannie
July 1/5 Pretty much as before C. Cannie
Aug 1/5 No change. C. Cannie
Sept 1/5 Daily employed in the garden shrub continued and apparently tolerably happy. General health good. C. Cannie
Oct 1/5 Much the same. C. Cannie
Nov 1/5 No change. C. Cannie
Dec 1/5 Of late has been allowed to visit his relations in town once a week. Saturday took to his bed and vomited some blood Today his bowels are confined ordered Olei Ricini mxxxiss ordered pil plumb opiat; his genitalia

Admitted 28 December 1844

Admitted 4 October 1847

Dec 15- Vomitted no blood since last report and has been tolerably free from complaint- Attention to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Ammonia.

1852

Jan 15- Since last report has been free from complaint. C. Ammonia.

Feb 15- Goes to town regularly. General health good C. Ammonia

Mar 15- On the 26 ultimo went to town but did not return. On the 2d instant he was brought back by his relatives having written from Perth to them. General health good C. Ammonia-

Apr 15- No change. C. Ammonia.

May 15- As before C. Am-

June 15- No change. C. Ammonia.

July 15- In all respects as before C. Ammonia

Aug 15- Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains as before - C. Ammonia-

Sept 15- In all respects as before C. Ammonia

Oct 15- No change whatever. C. Am

Nov 15- Much the same. C. Ammonia

Dec 15- Very fond that he should be permitted to get to town occasionally as formerly. Very industrious and useful in the ward assisting the attendant in his duties C. Am

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William Buchanan Ct
from vol 13 page 175

1851

July 15 General health good. Mind remains in the same very weak condition. Speaks very little. Occasionally employed in the garden. very quiet - Cleanly in habits for the most part although he sometimes wets his bed at night C. Curran -

Aug 15 No change. C. Curran

Sept 15 As before C. Cur -

Oct 15 Same the same. C. Curran.

Nov 15 Mind remains in the same very weak condition. Cleanly for the most part in his habits. Quiet and inoffensive. Occasionally employed. General health good C. Curran.

Dec 15 Much the same. C. Curran.

1852

Jan 15 Much the same. C. Curran.

Feb 15 In all respects as before C. Curran

Mar 15 Mind remains very weak employed in the grounds when the weather permits Health good C. Curran.

Apr 15 No change. C. Curran.

May 15 As before C. Cur

June 15 Health good. No change in mental state C. Cur.

July 15 General health good Mind remains in the same weak state C. Curran -

Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains feeble. Cleanly in habits C. Curran -

Sept 15 No change of any kind since last report. C. Cur.

Oct 15 Mind remains very feeble. Mutters a few words in a low tone in answer but runs spontaneously addresses very are cleanly in habits. General health good C. Curran -

Nov 15 very quiet and seems to take little notice of what may be going on around him. Endeavours usefully employed cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep sound bowels natural C. Cur.

Admitted 4 July 1846

Dec 16- Occasionally employed out of doors. Hears & talks but when addressed and then only in a very low indistinct tone and very briefly usually only with a monosyllable. General health good. C. Insania -

1853

Jany 15- Mind remains very feeble. Cleanly in habits. General health good. C. Insania.

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Insania.

Mar 15- General bodily health is very good. He is very quiet seems, to attend little to surrounding objects, and displays otherwise the usual effects of imbecility. When questions his answers are of the slightest description and rarely correct. Cleanly in habits for the most part. C. Insania -

April 15- No change of any kind since last report. C. Ins.

May 31 No change. C. Insania.

June 30 Much the same. C. Ins.

July 31 No change. C. Insania

1861

Jany 24 A case of advanced Dementia Mind very weak, pays little or no attention to surrounding objects, answers to question very indistinct and generally incorrect Works a little, assists his coal porter. Bodily health good.

March 18 The same

May 11 In statu quo.

July 20 There is no change as his mental state nor in his habits

Sepr. 18 Mind is almost a complete blank. Patient cannot answer the most simple question correctly and pays no attention to surrounding objects or transactions.

Octr. 10 No change

Novr 12 No change

Decr. 18 Continues in a state of advanced dementia. Works with the stoker assisting him to carry coals. Bodily health good.

1862

Jany 10 There is no alteration in his habits or in his mental condition

March 12 No change

May 10 No change

July 24 Neither mental nor bodily change.

Sepr 20 No change

Novr 10 Mind very weak, Health good.

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John Shaw Ct
from Vol 13 page 180

1851

July 15 A case of hopeless dementia
Can answer almost no
questions. Passes much of
his time in sleep. Cleanly in
habits. Face pale - Tendency
to edema of feet - Appetite
sleep and bowels natural.
C. Omnia -

Aug 15 No change. C. Omnia.

Sept 15 As before -

Oct 15 No change. C. Omn -

" 20 For some days this patient
has been observed to be
paler. Today his breathing is
quick and oppressed and his
appetite not so good. Bowels
easy. To be put to bed. To have
tea - a cottage for dinner - a
pint of porter and a large
blister to his chest - C. Omn.

" 22 No improvement. Coughed
much during the night -
evidently very weak. Breathing
quick and oppressed. Appetite
small. Repetition Empr
Sytrs Thirael. C. Omn -

" 23 From last report continued
to sink and this day he

Died

Admitted 16 August 1848

Alexander Young Esq
from Vol 18 page 186

1851
July 15 A case of dementia. Mind very weak. Quiet cleanly and industrious General health good C. Insania.
Aug 15 No change. C. Insania.
Sept 15 As before. C. Ins
Oct 15 No change. C. Insania.
Nov 15 This patient is very quiet and inoffensive. He is at present employed by the stoker in the west. Mind very feeble. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite Sleep and bowels naturally C. Insania.
Dec 15 General health good Mind as before weak. C. Insania.

1852
Jan 15 Since last report no change in this patients state worth recording has occurred. C. Insania.
Feb 15 In all respects as before C. Insania
Mar 15 Mind very feeble. Assists the stoker. General health pretty good C. Insania.
April 15 No change. C. Insania
May 15 As before C. Insania.
June 15 No change. C. Insania.
July 15 General health good Mind remains in same feeble condition C. Insania.
Aug 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains in the same very feeble condition C. Insania.
Sept 15 In all respects as before C. Insania.
Oct 15 Mind unchanged. At present is industriously employed in assisting the stoker. Conducts himself uniformly in a very peaceable manner. Some complaints seeming to be quite contented. General health good C. Insania.
Nov 15 Remain the same C. Insania.
Dec 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Quiet in his behaviour and cleanly in habits. Appears contented. He daily assists the stoker in the west House C. Insania.

Admitted 1 March 1839

1852	
Aug 15	In all respects as before C. Insania.
Feb 15	No change of any consequence C Insania -
Mar 15	General health good. Mind remains unchanged. He seems free from permanent delusion. His mind is evidently weak. He daily assists the firemen in the work House. C. Insania -
April 15	In all respects as before C. Insania.
May 31	No change. C. Insania.
June 30	Much the same. C. Insania.
July 31	As before. C. Insania.

Lockie Caffrey
Journal Vol 13 page 197

1851
July 15 Appetite good. Since last report has had no excitement Cleanly in habits. Assists the attendant occasionally C. Insania -
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Insania -
Sept 15 As before. C. Insania
Oct 15 Since last report of the having had one or two fits his mind was considerably affected - he was very confused and wandered about his room - being in seclusion He had one or two doses of castor oil and in a few days had resumed his usual state in which he now is. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ins -
Nov 15 Since last report has been free from particular complaint except constipation of bowels which has been overcome by a purgative - mind weak and inactive. Appetite good C. Insania.
Dec 15 Much the same. C. Insania.
1852
Jan 15 Mind remains in its usual weak condition C. Insania -
Feb 15 No change of consequence C. Insania
Mar 15 In all respects as before C. Insania -
April 15 No change. C. Ins -
" 27 Has had fits and is stupid confused and in seclusion C. Ins -
May 15 Since last report has got quiet and has continued since - General health moderately good C. Insania
June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak - Since last report he has been free of all excitement C. Insania -
July 15 Mind as before. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Insania
Aug 15 Mind very feeble. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Quiet and cleanly C. Insania -

Admitted 26 May 1846

Sept 16- No change of consequence since last report. C. Chemia

Oct 16- Appetite slept and bowels natural. C. Chemia

Nov 16- Appearing dull much sleepy lately. Had a blister applied to the nape of his neck and a dose of castor oil with the effect of returning him to his usual state. Is still weak but collected. C. Chemia

Dec 16 A few days since complained of pain in sternum over the heart and a blister was applied and a dose of castor oil with complete relief. At present he is free of complaint. C. Chemia.

1853

Jany 16 No change of consequence since last report. C. Chemia

Feb 3 Went to bed last night in his usual health. This morning the attendant found him lying half out of his bed cold and dead. His forehead was marked as if from a fall against the bed frame. In all probability he had died in an epileptic fit

Died.

Andrew Crawford Ct
pmn vol 18 page 201

1851
July 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Quiet and inoffensive. Orderly in habits. Not usefully employed. C. Cumnia.
Aug 15 In all respects as at last report C. Cumnia.
Sept 15 As before. C. Cumnia
Oct 15 No change. C. Cumnia.
Nov 15 Mind remains very feeble. Orderly in his habits and appearance. Very quiet and peaceable. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cu.
Dec 15 Much the same. C. Cumnia.
1852
Jan 15 No change. C. Cumnia.
Feb 15 Mind feeble. Very frail in his gait. Quiet and inoffensive. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cumnia
Mar 15 In all respects as before C. Cumnia.
Ap 1 Discharged

Returned

Admitted 6 June 1839

Edward Dvcherty Ct
from vol 43 page 202

1851
July 15 A case of demeritia and epilepsy. Carries his bible always in his pocket. Appetite good. C. Ansonia
Aug 15 Usually screams and runs forward on the access of a fit - C. Ansonia
Sept 15 No change. C. Ans -
Oct 15 Since last report became very stupid - required to be obstinate and took little part. He is still very stupid and weak but much better - Appetite good Bowels open. C. Ansonia -
Nov 15 Mind very weak and confused. He is considerably thinner than before the illness mentioned in last report Steady in his habits. Appetite moderate - Bowels open - C. Ansonia -
Dec 15 Much the same but still thin and weak. C. Ansonia.

1852
Jan 15 No change of importance since last report C. Ans -
Feb 15 Mind as usual weak - Feeble and indolent. Cheerful at night. Quiet at all times. The fits are ushered in by a loud scream and often at the same time he rushes straight forward. Appetite good and bowels natural C. Ansonia
Mar 15 No change of importance C. Ansonia -
Apr 15 No change. C. Ansonia.
May 19 No change. He was this day transferred to the Lunatic Hospital

Relieved

Admitted 29 October 1844

James Graham
from Vol 13 page 204

1861
Nov 15 This patient is a state of advanced and incurable dementia. very inoffensive and quiet Cleanly in his habits. Hands usefully employed It seems that he was formerly a mariner. General health moderately good C. Mania.
Dec 15 No change. C. Mania.
1862
Jan 15 Much the same. C. Mania
Feb 15 Mind very weak. Cleanly in habits. General health good C. Mania
Mar 15 In all respects as before C. Mania.
Apr 15 No change. C. Mania.
May 15 Mind remains [illegible] as before. Quite unfit for any useful employment. Cleanly in habits. Appetite Sleep and bowels natural C. Mania.
June 15 As at last report except that left leg which has been before much ulcerated is again discharging and ulcerated at two or three points but not to any great extent. Appetite moderate Bowels easy. To be dressed with plaster and bandage C. Mania.
July 15 Ulcer now healed. No other change C. Mania.
Aug 15 Leg has again begun to ulcerate. General health otherwise good. Mind very weak. Cleanly in his habits. C. Mania.
Sept 15 In bed with leg but ulcers improving in appearance Health otherwise moderately good. C. Mania
Oct 15 No change whatever. C Mania
Nov 15 In all respects as before C. Mania
Dec 15 Entirely quiet and inoffensive Cleanly in habits. Unfit for any useful employment. Appetite Sleep and bowels natural. C. Mania.
1863
Jan 15 General health good. No change has occurred in mind or habits. C. Mania.

Admitted 1st July 1858

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Mania.
Mar 15 General health moderately good. Does dress herself but requires assistance yet he can play a game of cards. Always twisting his mouth into a sort of hideous smile. Occasionally he strips himself of his clothes. C. Mania
April 16 Much the same. Dances occasionally at the meetings of patients. C. Mania
" 22 Yesterday got on a saddle and fell & left off. He could not rise. When taken to bed and examined the right ankle was found swollen. Numerous pustules around and under them malherbus and considerable erysipelas in spreading the joint itself. The right ankle is similarly injured though all the symptoms are present in an inferior degree. Today the swelling has increased and there are appearances of erysipelas to a very considerable degree in both ankles but around left especially. His pulse is calm skin cool and tongue clean. Ordered Ol. Ricini 3ij statim Hot fomentations to the affected joints. C. Mania
May 31 Has been in bed ever since last report and is now scarcely able to walk. The joints are much hopeful. His general health is moderately good. Mind unchanged C. Mania
June 30 Limits still stiff and he walks only tolerably and with difficulty. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite good Bowels rather confined C. Mania
July 31 Much the same. C. Mania
1861 Jany 8 A case of advanced & incurable dementia. Quiet, listless & harmless. Mind never occupied pleasantly nor profitably. Bodily health feeble.
Sept 20 No change
Nov 14 No change
Dec. 12 Mind is very weak. Patient never speaks but merely nods in reply to any question

William Adam Ct
from Vol 13 pag 206

1851
Nov 15- This patient is in an miserable state of dementia He wanders about the building which he fancies he has the superintendence employed every day—weather permitting—he works in the garden and makes himself useful. Orderly in habits. General health good C. Mania—
Dec 15- No change. C. Mania—
1852
Jan 15- No change. C. Mania—
Feb 15- Works a little in the garden every day when the weather permits. Very quiet and inoffensive. Orderly in habits. General health good C. Mania
Mar 15- In all respects as before C. Mania—
Apr 15- No change. C. Mania
May 15- Diligent in the garden planting cabbages—has mental change. General health good C. Mania.
June 15- No change. C. Mania.
July 15- In all respects as before C. Mania
Aug 15 Appetite slep and bowels natural. Employed daily in the garden—Attentive to his appearance. C. Mania—
Sept 15 No change since last report C. Mania—
Oct 15- Daily occupied in the garden. No change in mental condition—General health good C. Mania—
Nov 15 As before C. Mania—
Dec 15 As usual daily in the garden. Cuts the vegetables as dogs the succulent roots and conveys them to the kitchen. Considers the garden to be his and the house to be under his superintendence and accordingly by makes a daily circuit of the house and grounds to see that all is as it ought to be. Can give a tolerably clear account of his early life and the persons with whom he was then in relations. Obey

Admitted 27 November 1832

1853
Jany 15 Health habits and mental condition remain without change. C. Insania.
Feb 15 Much the same. C. Insania.
Mch 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Busy in industrious and useful in the garden. C. Insania.
April 15 Always employed in the garden. Collects most of the vegetables for the kitchen and conveys them thither. General health good C. Insania.
May 31 No change. C. Insania.
June 30 Much the same. C. Insa.
July 31 Much as before. C. Insania.
1861.
Jany 18 A case of incurable dementia. This patient known by the title of the "Doctor" is very quiet, industrious and peculiar in his manners. He takes charge of the cabbages in particular & other vegetables in general. On request he will also prescribe for any person. His remedies are Castor oil salts & croton oil, the latter he recommends to be taken in tea-spoonfuls. He occasionally solaces himself with the idea of a trip beyond the grounds. This he accomplishes by thrusting his head through a space between the palings. According to his notion this is as good as a bona fide journey to any place in the neighbourhood. Bodily health good.
August 26 No change
Nov 18 No change
Dec 20 There is no change in his habits or mental peculiarities
1862
Jany 20 Mind continues weak, conversation incoherent and habits peculiar. Bodily health good.
March 10 No change
April 20 No change
May 19 The "Doctor" as he is familiarly styled, still supplies the kitchen with vegetables, tends the cabbages, walks round the palings on a tour of inspection regularly and prescribes for a friend when occasion requires. He has made no further additions to his pharmacopaia.
July 10 No change
Sept 20 No change
Oct 17 There is no change in his mental state nor in his habits
Dec 20 Mind remains weak. Disposition quiet creative, lobby & industrious.

Joseph Neill Ast
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1851
Nov 15- General health good. Mind weak. Has a [redacted] swaggering - "who cares" sort of a manner of acting and speaking. Assists the attendant. Cleanly in his habits and appearance. C. Mannia -

Dec 12 Of late had been much troubled with cough and soreness of the throat and has had two blisters applied to the front of neck. He is thin and weak. Sumat obs decimis Aculli dum - succidaneum bis die C. Mannia -

" 15 Appetite not very good. He is thin and pale. C. Mannia -

" 24 Yesterday began to cough blood and continues to do so today Complains of pain in back yet - Opp. Emp Lytta pain after his Appetite not good Bowels free. C. Mannia -

1852
Jan 15- Since last report has daily put up more or less blood very thin and weak. The blood is not pure but mixed with pus and mucus. It has perhaps diminished somewhat in quantity within the last few days. Mind remains unchanged. Wishes to leave the asylum - Appetite moderate - C. Man -

Feb 15 In all probability this man will not live long. He daily becomes more emaciated and weak. Expectoration of blood has not reappeared since last report - but it is copious and purulent. His voice is hardly audible - inspiration difficult and expiration pue in fits or paroxysms indicating disease of larynx and glottis. Appetite moderate - Bowels easy. C. Mannia

March 1 very feeble - has paroxysms of difficult breathing - inspiration being much obstructed and expiration easy. Appetite moderate C. Mannia

Admitted 15 December 1847

Mar 5 His urine - sums vrt et cetera but his appetite begins to fail. He is evidently sinking. C. Cu

" 6 Remained much as before till this evening at about 5 o'clock he retired unexpectedly

Died.

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