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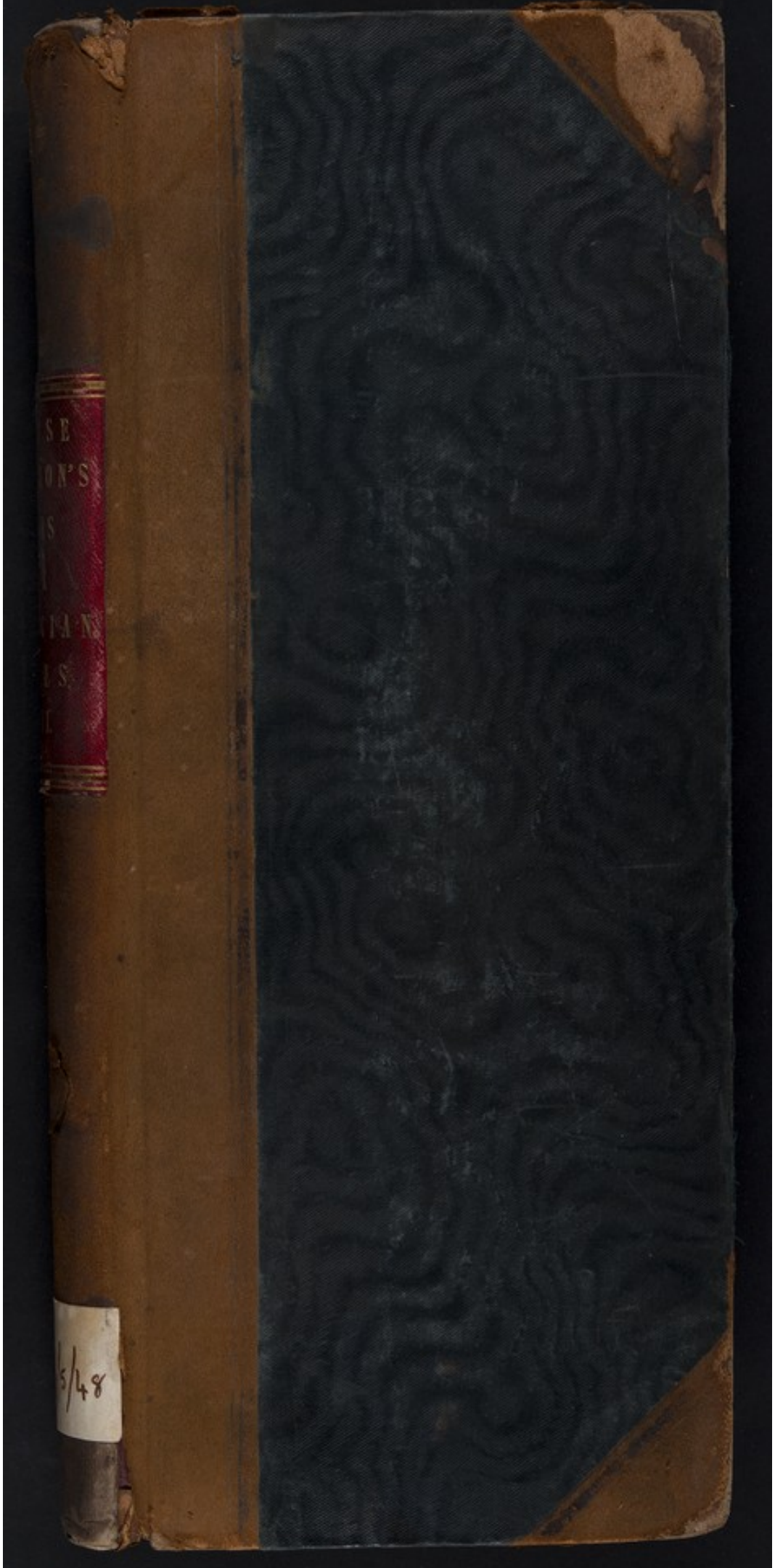

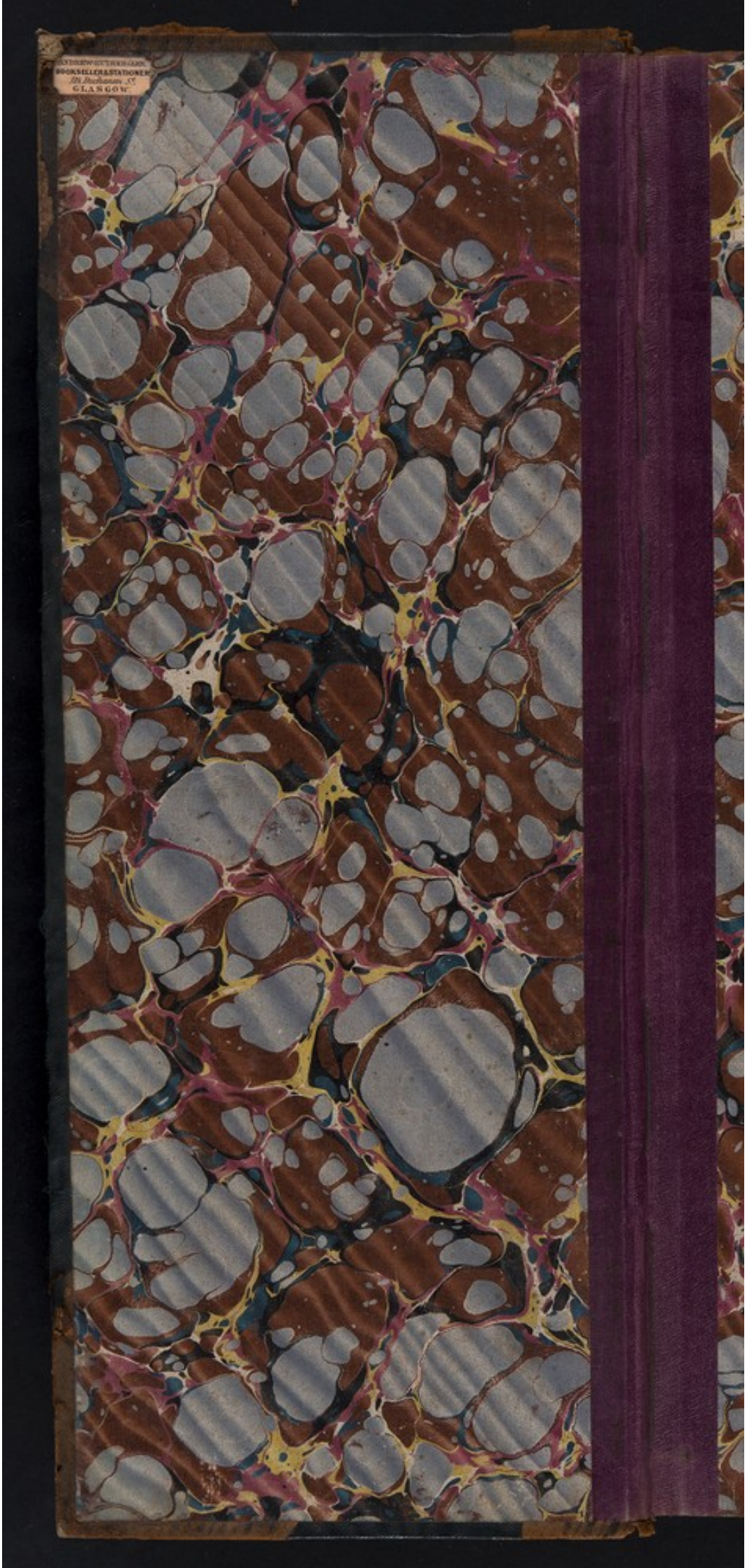
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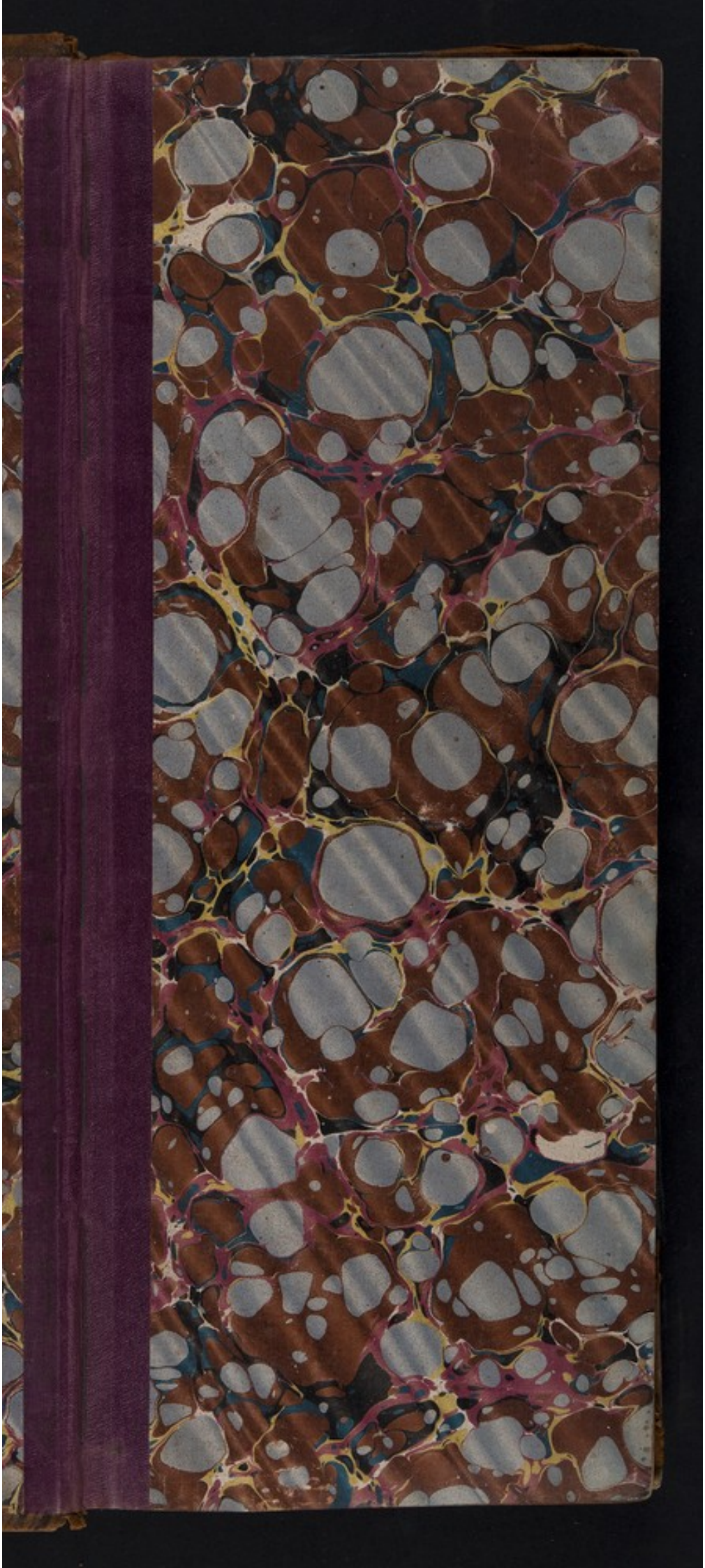

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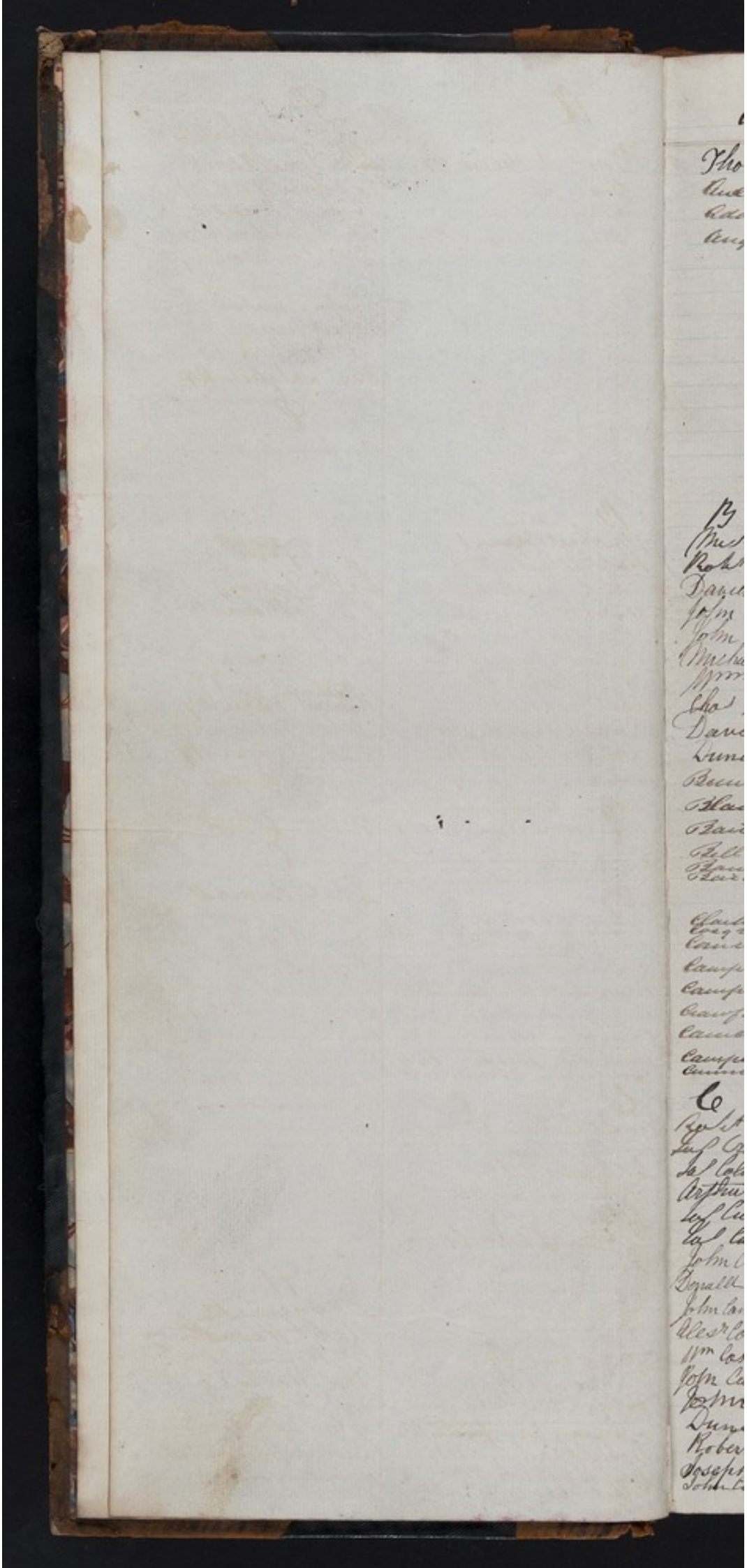

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17

Mr Rael Byrne aged 40
Comyn

Brought to today from the Palace of Justice Conviction Mr Pretory Called Murdering & Brutally Cruel on admission was put into a warm bed & shall not be disturbed admission entered Had a short catalepsic seizure Patient to say repeated stuff & attended with a kind blessing Brought him after sometime got warm & restless & shall to be sent to seclusion Cont

June 4 Very outrageous & determined to be out of his room the moment the door opens Does not seem to be aware of what sort of a place he is in & has the appearance of suffering under delusions Patient Exhausted London Cj

6 Still very outrageous & keeps his room in a filthy condition every thing being strewn about the floor Takes his food well & is getting attentive pulls to pieces his towels easily Cont

8 Considerably quieter & tying in bed Says he had been drinking bottle whiskey but only a little Bowels easy Cont

12 Quite quiet & rational now Feels sore from having worn small shoes Takes his food well but toasts then to have steak Gastric Cont Alvine

26 Has been in bed with the ulcers on his heels which are still sore Cont

July 1 Sores on heels improving but not quite well yet Much calm & composed Takes his food well Cont

" 2 Removed today by the authorities Discharged as Cured

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Admitted Jany 3d 1849

Admt Dalgleish aet 43 yrs single

Brought hither from Paisley
Reduc stated he has been
more or less insane for 2½
years - Energies properly
recovered - is quiet sober &
industrious - Does not injure
himself deserted
& cheated by his friends
Better than he was 2 months
ago - Got again getting more
composed - a young lady in
love with him - Has struck
his sister & often threatened
Bled blistered & mercurial
with marked benefit
Views in an asylum
Jany 13 Conducts himself quietly and
respectably - seems in tolerable good health - Thinks
there is nothing wrong with
his mind - cannot understand
why his friends have sent
him here
15 Much the same - Says
says he has been cheated
by some persons who
when he applied for justice
got him declared insane
& sent here - Health
good Cont
19 Much the same in all
respects - Amuses himself by playing at draughts
at which he plays well
Cont
29 No change of any consequence appreciable
Cont
30 Had an attack of diarrhoea
which however was checked
& he is in his ordinary health
Takes his food well No
mental change Cont
Feby 16 Was attacked with vomiting
which however was of a bilious
nature Got Cal Epi & & sent to
Convalescent Is again in his ordinary
state of health Cont
March 8 Talks very sensibly & acutely on
most subjects shrinks as much
as possible the subject of his de-
lusions Goes out to work in
the grounds occasionally Reads
a great deal Plays at draughts
at which he is a very expert
player Cont

April 8

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Admitted Jany 11 1849

Tenery parish

April 8 Much the same Exceeding by anxious to get out conducts himself in other respects quietly and works in the grounds Still believes that he was defrauded of money that was sent him by post &c &c

10 His sisters with whom he staid previous to his coming here became very anxious to remove him in consequence of his intricacies for liberty They applied to the Inspector of Pool and brought a letter from him permitting his removal Was consequently discharged as

Relieved

John Mitchell 2 G Clerk

7th

Brought today from 181 From Cattle Parkland Bedale Gaol no particulars Is greatly excited shouting shouting & jumping sent to Seclusion for the night

Jany 17 slept a little last night but is quite as excited today Says he is the son of God come to save all Mankind That his wife is a whore That he will get the duchess of Hamilton for a wife &c &c Refd Attendt &c ment i omn note

18 Most noisy & uproarious Gabbles & bawls continually on the subjects mentioned above Takes his food well & has porter & beef steaks Cont

21 Seemed better & quieter & tried up to day but is very restless & noisy Delusions unabated Cont

24 Kept to be removed to seclusion again Quite as restless & noisy False memory Says he delights in Gets steaks & porter without & Quarters Ordered Pil & Draught a sedative draught Cont also

28 Still noisy & obstreperous but is out of seclusion as his health should suffer Walks about the Gallery with his clothes unfastened shouting & gesticulating often mounts on the backs of the tables Takes his food & extras well but goes thro Gets steaks porter beefsteak & teddy Cont

Feby 1 Was placed out of seclusion for two days but was so noisy & destructive that he had to be locked up again very often

10 Not much change noisy filthy & destructive Refuses food takes his food well but sometimes appetite fails a little

Feby 20

March 1

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April 1

18

May 9

June 9

July 9

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Clerk

Estate Allmutt Jan'y 16 1849
Mother in law Mrs Smith 22 Brunswick Place

Feby 20 No change of any importance Still in a state of great excitement Taken out two hours or so daily a two days ago getting near a window he smashed out six panes before he could be prevented getting considerably thinner Takes his food well bowels regular cont

March 1 No improvement still as noisy restless and incoherent shouting and shrieking except when asleep Takes his food and extras well but is getting miserably thin and bedsores are making their appearance Had an attack of bowels complaint for which had Chalk mixture &c to take and opium with milk diet It is now gone cont

8 Little or no improvement The day before yesterday tore all his blankets to tatters Except when asleep is almost constantly talking in a most incoherent manner Is very pale and thin Takes his food and extras well Is usually taken out to enjoy the heat of the Sun each fine day cont

April 1 Not much change still as noisy & incoherent but seems getting flesh although still very thin appetite excellent Walks in the airing ground daily when the weather permits cont

18 No change of any consequence appreciable Noisy restless and destructive Takes his food and extras well but is miserably thin Cont

May 9 No improvement mentally or bodily Noisy incoherent restless and destructive General carbuncles over body one large one especially It is situated over right scapula Takes his food & extras well Getting cod liver oil Cont also

June 9 No mental improvement but carbuncles have healed up and he is evidently gaining a little flesh Very restless incoherent and destructive Takes food ravenously Cont

July 9 Getting miserably thin and probably cannot hold out a great deal longer Gets steaks and porter Cont

17 Being a native of Aberdeenshire he was today removed by his friends to Aberdeen asylum Much the same as at last report Remains a

Relieved

Andrew Lane 7th Pensioner
Falkirk Fusil

Brought today from Falkirk
Under a warrant granted
at the instance of the Pro-
curator Fiscal Warrant
gives not details except
saying that he is a lunatic
& in a state threatening
danger to the lieges

Jany 7 Yesterday stupid & quiet
noisy Roars & shouts &
at other times talks to
erably sensibly Takes his
food well Bowels
regular Cont

21 Much the same in all
respects very noisy at
times Puts off his clothes
Roars & shouts Takes
his food well & gets
steaks & porter Cont
on

23 Little change Clamours
much for tobacco Quite
as noisy as ever Bowels
regular Cont

26 No change of any con-
sequence Bowels
regular Takes his food
well Cont

29 Some days very quiet & on
others very noisy & unruly
at Takes his food & sleeps
well Bowels regular Cont
on

Feby 20 On the whole is considerably
quieter Takes his food well
& rests quietly in bed Bowels
regular Cont

March 8 Continues to conduct himself quietly
says that he was robbed of his effects
by his relatives and when he caused
a disturbance about it he was
sent here One of his toes is swollen
and painful Applicat Collapsion
Cont Ulcer

April 8 Much the same as at last report
always telling the story of his being
robbed Tol now takes his
food well Bowels regular Urine
both in body and mucus Cont
on

May 8 Little change Had an attack of
vomiting & purging but is again
well after being confined to
bed for a few days Treated
with Opium & Cordials
Cont

June 8

July 8

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Augt 14

27

Sept 27
Oct 25
Nov 24
Dec 24

1850
Jany 26

Feby 20

March 8

April 30
May 8

Admitted Jany 17 1849

June 8 Being old and frail is permitted to be abed or get up as he pleases Mind weak and full of delusions about his having robbed of his property by his friends Cont

July 8 Much the same in all respects Cont

" 19 Rather worse has had nausea & vomiting & pain in his side it was rubbed with croton oil liniment by the steward makes complaint of pain in region of heart & bowels

Augt 19 Always complaining either of his bowels being too costive or too loose Had a dose of rhubarb which purged him rather freely and took in consequence some chalk mixture with catechu & opium

" 27 Lies in bed almost constantly being too frail to be going about always complaining of his bowels one day or other and of his being robbed and ill used before he was sent here

Sept 27 No change

Oct 27 No change

Nov 27 No change

Dec 27 Much the same in all respects

1850

Jany 26 Constantly in bed from old age and frailty. Declares that he is perfectly well and strong and that "they" will not give him his clothes that he may get up and that there is no necessity for keeping him in bed. Declares also that he has been robbed and ruined. Mind feeble. Cleanly in habits At present free from any permanent bodily ailment. C. O.

Feby 28 This patient remains as before sometimes complains of vomiting and sometimes of purging which sinch is not the case. C. O.

March 5 Almost no change and none of importance since last report. C. Cummin.

April 30 No change. C. Cummin.

May 8 Was removed by the Inspectors of poor for Falkirk

Received

Robert A Coleman 42 Yrs Old
Patient

Feby 26

Brought to Asylum today from Marshall in Texas he owns a Farm & Stock & Cattle property to the value of $40,000 he had money borrowed. The lenders about 2 months ago demanded their money & this is supposed to be the cause of patients derangement the latter he owned deranged three weeks before which both have at times left & twice Feby 3 days ago by attempting himself on the head with an axe over the frontal region there are 3 small cuts from that cause Right Eye suffered amputation 30 years ago seems very feeble & somewhat paralytic seems to be carried into the anterior Has not spoken a sentence since his Confinement and gets his meals Regularly

28

March 27

Jany 23 Refuses his food & will not speak Stares stupidly when spoken to Bowels not moved Bil alter ation All Excrement & urine voided in bed

24 Has still to have his food forced down Dull & stupid scarcely uttering a word Walks to the door & seems disappointed when he cannot get out

30

25 Eats his food rather better but has often to be coerced Face appears more cheerful but he is still very stupid & taciturn

31

Feby 2 Has met his wife for several months past Estimated Expenditure still requires to be fed Gets porter & cod liver oil

Feby 14 Eye has become very oedematous No mental change Taciturn & stupid & apparently Mr Gave 3/4 Cent Tartar 3ij Mr Trust Tartar 3ij Aqua Ad 3vi Ammon 3/4 Mr Ammon 3/4 Tinct

Stuck Admitted Jan 22 1849

Feb 20 Getting into very bad health & covered with carbuncles lies constantly on his back from weakness & bedsores are forming over sacrum Pulse 100 Talks incoherently but sometimes tolerably sensibly Takes his food & drinks well Brandy Spiritus Hordei ℥ viij medic cont alia

28 Still much annoyed with the carbuncular bedsores which he cannot well lie off in consequence of the loss of his limb Is also attacked with excoriations of left nates testicle & pelvis Cataplas Cuiedda cont alia Mind seems now quite calm

March 27 Considerable suppuration has taken place in the tunica vaginalis which was evacuated & is still discharging a little Bedsores nearly all healed but one which in fact is rather cellular inflamation burrowing deep about the right Gluteus although sores are exceedingly healthy favourable his tongue is glazed & his bowels have a tendency to dysentery R Tersesquinitrat Ferri ℥ij Decoct. Cinchonæ ℥iss ex aqua bullientis cont alia

29 Has failed considerably during the last two days and is also considerably worse in consequence of falling out of bed Has a stupified look and tongue is very glazed Appetite failing Bowels rather worse Pulse 98 very weak cont omnia Aq. Spiritus Hordei ℥vij

30 Evidently sinking back breathing up very much Appetite failing and mind wandering Bowels rather loose Tongue very dry cont omnia

31 Has slept during the night & is so at 10 a.m. so comatose that he could be roused to take anything with the greatest difficulty After that just sipped a little but again sunk & at eight P.M.

Died

Andrew Taylor 22 Baker maker

Brought to Gorbals today from Gorbals
Has been for sometime an able bodied pauper on the roll of Glasgow parish as being out of employment
Has been observed going wrong in his mind for 3 or 4 weeks Has mother died of cholera 3 days ago
& he has been more since & showed symptoms of being about to cut his throat This morning was found with two knives concealed up his sleeve
His mother was subject to periods of insanity
On admission will not speak very pale & has a downcast look

Jan 25 Must the same as on admission Pulse tauturin
Takes his food well
R Pl Retorat XII Lum
vom omni no te

26 Must Luncher today Asked for tobacco promised to work if he got it
says the death of his mother was the cause of his lowness of spirits

Cont

29 seemed to be tolerably well in his mind Talked rationally & conducted himself well But this evening knocked out a sash of a staircase window & made his escape

Escaped

maker Admitted June 24 1849

Ja[mes] Crawford 64 Surgeon
J. H. & Constitutional
Was sent away 10 days
ago although not quite
well in consequence of
prevalence of Scarlet
in the house he had
XIV Jany
Jany 29 Not reconciled but thinks
he ought not to be here
very anxious for medicine
bowels rather costive
to take alteration XII
Sermut urgam omne
nostra
29 Takes the Chloride of lime
used for fumigating
a cell it into a bath
when questioned as
to what he intends doing
refuses to give any ans-
wer he has Copious
calx Londonensis Ol. mod.
Cont alvi
Feby 1 anxious to get home
2 is very annoying on the
day yesterday lies in bed with
his head at the foot
Takes his food pretty
regularly Cont
5 Little change always
sleeps with his head
to the foot of the bed
Cont
14 Still sleeps with his head at the
wrong end of the bed Talks quietly & tolerably
well Gives as a reason for sleeping with his
head at the foot of the bed that the light
hurts his eyes yet he always sleeps with his
head covered with the bedclothes Cont
28 Last night slept with his head at
the proper end of the bed still dull
& missing asks if he be to get away to-
night or not although it is quite absurd to
suppose that such an occurrence is
likely to take place Cont
March 27 Much the same in all respects
as at last report Bodily health
tolerably good Conducts him-
self quietly sometimes
shed tears at the idea of his
being confined in a Madhouse
Was to day removed by the
Asylum Authorities
Discussed as
Relieved

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Admitted Lawyer 1849

Water Ward Jany 20

Inmate

Feby 24

Brought to this Establishment from Gaol on the above date in a state of Delirium Tremens of 2 or 3 days standing. Has been ill at this time 10 or 12 days. Has threatened to cut his throat & leapt over a window. Is afraid that he is to be executed & hears people talking on the walls &c. To have a pint of porter with half a dram of Laud anum

Jany 28 Did not sleep any. Still afraid of being hanged & would rather make away with himself than suffer publicly. Bowels costive. Hyperetur enema communi statim

29 Injection did not act so much & last night had an Aperient which operated a little & had his bowels moved this morning. Feels better

Feby 1 Gets an Alterative Pill every night. Bowels easy. Sleeps well at night but still afraid of some calamity overtaking him. A stone on the inner side of each wrist to turn and properly considerably by the former was caused by leaping over a window. Walks tolerably but no redness or swelling of the soft parts. Pers. of the Cort

5 Improving but still occasionally hears voices. Takes his food but indifferently. R Infusi Cinchonæ ℥iv Tinct Aurantii ℥ij Acidi Sulphurici dilute ℥j ter die

11 Improving considerably talks rationally & make no complaint of noises now. Takes his food well & expresses himself contented to stay for some time if necessary. Cont

19 Tinct valerianæ Bowels inclined to be costive R Pil Alterant x ii dormiat omni nocte

Almshell Lancy 27th 1818

Feby 24 Has conducted himself in all respects well Mind quiet & composed. Expresses his determination to avoid the cause of his malady in future Being in good bodily health & free from delusion as mentioned (at the request of his wife)

as

Lussell

Thos H Wood 82 Wright

	Brought to day from the towns Hospital is said to be subject to no other Sanitary Admitted at night	July 25 Aug 25
Jany 20	Had an epileptic fit during the night Is very stupid Cannot tell how long it is since he first took fits nor what is his age Has considerable difficulty in articulating Takes his food well & Sl attract + 11 Lunat urem omnii nocte	Sept 25 Oct 25 Nov 25 Dec 18 '81 1880 Jany 1881
Feby 1	Very stupid. Has convulsive impediment in his speech No fit observed since last report Takes his food well Cont	
3	Dull & stupid but quiet & remarkably inoffensive Wishes to get away early to himself as he was accustomed to get in the towns Hospital Takes his food well	Feby 28 March 31
10	Much the same in all respects Dull & despondent Anxious to get away Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont	April 30
18	Much the same in all respects Had an epileptic fit but not of a severe character Bowels regular Medicine occasionally Cont	May 31
March 1	Little change constructs himself tolerably quietly Annoyed with a profuse mucous emission about limbs and abdomen Aq Laur Cerasi Cahela Ol Betasantalis Potassae Brom Sulph Sublimati Liq Morphiae Hydrochlor Cont	June 15 July 15
April 1	Urine has disappeared Fits occur occasionally & he gets somewhat agitated Had a fight with one of his fellow patients Bowels relieved Cont	
May 1	No change of any consequence Cont	
June 1	Much the same Fits have been rather less frequent but on one he fell out of bed and cut his lower lip His health however now well Cont	Aug 15 Sept 15 Oct 15
July 1	Is well No permanent mental change Cont	Nov 15

Admitted Jany 29 1849

July 25 No permanent change Bowels
show Flabbent al Recini 3j
Augt 25 Much the same Bowels require
a pill occasionally to keep
them regular
Sept 25 No change
Oct 25 No change
Nov 25 No permanent change
Dec 18 48 Reported chronic
" 20 No change
1850
Jany 28 10 Few days since vertigo and
side of thigh became slightly
sore and moist but is now well
under the use of Sol. Sulph Zinci
with abstinence. A few days
since in a fit fell and abraided
skin on cheek and forehead
Mind slow and weak. Would
wish to leave the asylum. Cleanly
in habits Limit and inoffensive
Appetite good. Bowels regular.
C. O.
Feby 28 Speech slow and hesitating
Mind feeble. Behaves tolerably
well. Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. C. Cinereia.
March 31 No change of any consequence.
Bowels costive. Sumat olei
Ricini 3i statim. C. O. A.
April 30 No change. Requires an
occasional dose of castor
oil to open his bowels
C. Cinereia.
May 31 No change of importance.
C. Cinereia
June 15 Much the same. C. Cinereia.
July 15 This patient is liable to
occasional slowness of
bowels requiring purgative
medicine now and then
Mind weakish and slow
Converses correctly of events
which have occurred some
years since or of his
childhood days but his
memory of recent events is
but limited. He is uniformly
quiet orderly and civil
Amuses himself with drawing
Appetite good. C. Cinereia
Aug 15 No change. C. Cinereia
Sept 15 As before C. O.
Oct 15 Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. Mind weakish.
C. Cinereia
Nov 15 No change of importance C.O.

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John Gelmour 20 ... Calander

Brought today from the Town's Hospital Schedule gives no particulars all matters in the enemy

Jany 30 Very pale Dull & stupid saying nothing unless questioned Says he was at work a fortnight ago Takes his food well Ordinary diet

Feby 1 Very dull & stupid Quiet Has remarkable mild expression in his face Takes his food well & seems in ordinary general health Cont

3 Much very weak Says he means There & wishes home When asked what he would do there says "Stand on the street" Takes his food well Cont

9 Little change Dull & stupid always asking to get away & when asked what he means to do gives the same reply "To stand on the street" Cont

14 Very sluggish & untidy Very stupid Seldom speaks & left to look after home Bowels regular Cont

20 In all respects as reported above Takes his food well Generally goes with his clothes unfastened Picking off his trousers with one hand Cont

March 1 Little change of any consequence Dull and spiritless Goes about in a most slovenly manner Takes his food well Cont

April 1 No change slothful & slovenly Very inoffensive Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

May 1 In all respects as at last report Walks in the grounds Cont

June 1 Mind remains in the same weak condition Bodily health good Works in the grounds Cont

July 1 No change worth reporting Cont

Augt 1 Much the same in all respects Cont

Calendar Admitted Jany 29 1849

Sept 1	Mind very weak Bodily health tolerable
Oct. 1	Has yet to meet the Med of late. No other change
Nov 1	No change
Dec 1	Little change
28	No change of any consequence
1850	
Jany 31	In all respects as formerly. C. O.
Feby 28	Mind very weak. Limit small, stuffy sensi. Caution of his appearance indeed of every thing. Bodily functions natural. C. Oswald.
March 31	No change since last report. C. Oswald.
April 30	No change. C. Oswald.
May 31	Mind & temp very weak. Had some difficulty in micturition and had a blister to sacrum said to have been well. No complaint now. Appetite good. C. Oswald
June 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. A case of incurable dementia. C. Oswald
July 15	His patient is in a state of advanced and incurable dementia. Speaks only when questioned when his replies are of the briefest description and not always correct - Careless of his appearance and occasionally incontinent in his habits at night. Never usefully employed, and seems to take little if any interest in passing events. Bodily functions natural. C. Oswald.
Aug 15	As before. C. Oswald
Septr 16	No change. C. Oswald.
" 18	Wards the same. Was discharged

Relieved

Jas Harvee 34 Moulder

Brought to today from Burnsford Falkirk Schedule
states that he never was insane
before till 3 months Father
insane only Cousin in an Asylum
Cause = Intemperance Disease
increasing has Spectres
Has threatened to commit sui-
cide Not violent Not mischie-
vous Had blisters purgatives
& tonics without benefit
Never in an Asylum
Feby 4 Dull stupid & low spirited
scarcely a word can be got
out of him Thinks he is lost
& that there is no hope for
him Takes his food pret-
ty well R Tl abstract
Zx 11 Lunat insan omn-
noctu
6 Dull & low spirited Speaks
almost in a whisper Anxious
to get home Takes his
food pretty well but is
thin & pale R Infusi
Cinchon Zyss Tinct Cinnam
Zij
9 Dull & quiet Speaks in
a whisper Anxious to get
home says his soul is lost
forever & that he is a guilty
sinner &c Takes his
food Cont
14 No improvement Dull sluggish inactive and
low spirited Speaks in a whisper Takes his food
well Bowels regular Cont
20 Much the same in all respects Has little inclination
to move would remain in bed always if permitted
Bowels regular but Om
27 Yesterday about 5 o'clock a m
made an attempt to hang himself in
the water closet on a projecting
piece of gas pipe which however
fortunately broke Is very despondent
and says he must destroy himself
but does not say why Applicat
rescat accepit
March 27 Has since last report been
out working in the grounds
a good deal & seems on the whole
improved but is still very
despondent & says that he must
die that there is no help for
him Bowels easy Cont R
Taking cold impression of cer-
tain also an alteration
of pull occasionally

May 1

June

Mr. Rebecca Mumford Feb 23 1849

May 1 Not improving. Indeed is rather worse. More low spirited and much more stubborn. Will not go out to work, milk cows, more cotton, refuses his food. Is thinner. Bowels costive from an occasional spell of loose stool.

June 1 Slightly improved but still very low spirited and taciturn. Very disinclined to move, but usually stands or sits with his head depressed on his breast looking at the ground. Getting a tonic mixture. Seems rather improved in bodily condition since last report. Sent

5 Was anxious to try what a change of scene and sea air would do for him came to remove him. She was warned of the necessity of great active surveillance to prevent his committing suicide. Discharged as

Relieved

Robt A Black 2d Clerk
H

Brought today from Russell
Street Asylum no particulars
no particulars Was in
the Asylum a demented
admitted Oct 12 1847
See Book 10 page 121

Feby 6 Conducts himself quietly
Has an ulcer on front of
right leg: Region with deep-
seated pain & pulsiness of
the surrounding flesh Seems
otherwise in tolerable health
Had a tooth extracted this
evening Takes his food
well R R alterat x11
Semat unam omni nocte

Cont
8 Believes that ever since he
left the asylum machinations
of different parties have been
going on against him
Chiefly suspects the people
who dwell beneath us here
He dwells Also thinks that
latterly the people where
he wrought Rudd seems hand
in the matter Applet
cataplas ulceri

10 Ulcer on leg seems improv-
ing Is anxious to get to work
as a clerk as formerly
Takes his food well

Cont
16 Little change in his conscience Takes his food
well & conducts himself quietly Employed as
clerk by the chief attendant & dwells regu-
larly

Cont
20 Still employed as clerk Also employed dig-
ging Says that in October last he burned
two bibles but refuses to give any reason
for so doing Ulcer on leg improving
Takes his food well Cont

27 Officiates as doorkeeper when the
porter is absent Acts as clerk and
delves in the shrubbery Today asked
me if they never in this establishment
made use of human flesh for food
for the patients Takes his food well

Cont
March 27 No improvement Applied to me
to take some instruments from
a patient who sleeps in the
same room with him as he
said that by their means he
was able to magnetise him
and that he Black although he
submitted to these influences

Admitted Febry 1849

from the officer because he could not help it yet he had no notion of allowing a fellow patient thus to annoy him I begged to be excused least the patient should laugh at me However in the evening Walsh had some words with the other patient on the subject when going to bed a scuffle ensued & Walsh got one of his eyes blackened & had to be removed to another ward

April 25 Bodily health good Employs himself at driving Has given up writing and says he will write no more so long as he remains here but assigns no reason for such a resolution Continues

May 25 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Quiet

June 24 No abatement of his delusions Has again commenced writing Much troubled with flatulence and belching R Pil aloes et assafet xxiv Tamarind imam mane manger Cont alter

July 19 Much the same Thinks the pills do him some good Cont

Augt 20 Complained of flies being put in his broth from some devilish motive and that various persons wrought on him by improper means

Sept 20 Little change of any consequence appreciable

Oct 20 No change

Nov 20 No change

Dec 17 No improvement

31 No improvement

1850

Jany 28 Frequently facetious and talkative Evidently entertains the same delusions Behaves quietly although busily and pleased Sometimes reads Bodily functions natural Health good C. O.

Febry 28 Lately applied that a female patient might be prevented from annoying him as she had been in the habit of doing Sees but pleased and tractable Bodily health good C. Continues

March 31 Fancies himself annoyed by a female patient Health good C. O.

April 30 Fancies others influence him by means of magnetism Health good C. Continues

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Benj. Nelson R Wales 40 Sailor

Feby 4

Brought today from the Seventh Hospital Stepney. Schedule gives no particulars. Pale dull & stupid but quiet like

Feby 8 Dull quiet & stupid says he was turned adrift by the captain of the vessel in which he was. Has a longitudinal indentation of the skull on left side of frontal bone which he says was caused some years ago by a marlinspike. When in a storm says he is a native of Prussia

March

10 Dull & stupid seem quiet & inoffensive. Eyes very dull & the whole face has a dull fatuous appearance. Coast

13 Mind much Memory seems much impaired. Keeps quiet & inoffensive. Takes his food well. Coast

16 Stupid & inactive. Often lies down in a corner rolled together

20 Continues much the same in all respects. Often lies coiled up in a corner. At other times walks rapidly to & fro in the gallery without evident aim. Takes his food well & conducts himself quietly

He

24 Last evening sunk suddenly down in a fit insensible & very severely convulsed. The convulsion never wholly intermitted but came on in paroxysms like severe fits of epilepsy only the glottis was not so much shut. Had a turpentine injection which acted well. Head shaven & blistered. Blister rose well but failed to restore sensibility in the slightest degree. Convulsions now chiefly confined to right side larynx & tongue which are constantly & regularly slightly moved 30 or 40 times per minute. Eyes are also slightly moved at the same time. Swallows a little today with the greatest difficulty in fact each teaspoonful seems about to choke him. Inspiratory enem. prescribed to be given

Chr

26 Very little change except that he swallows rather better. Applied Recruit restorative

Anderson

Admitted Feby 7th 1848

Feby 28 The convulsive movements somewhat varied both as to locality and rythm still continue. Swallows better but otherwise does not seem much more sensible to light & heat failing much in fact it is probable he will not survive over the night. Raises his stools and urine in bed. Has had several severe paroxysms of convulsion. Tonight is constantly putting up the left hand to the right side of his neck as if to pull away something that annoyed him. The convulsions chiefly affect the parts mentioned in the report of the 24 but sometimes all the limbs are involved. Gets the fleas to dry & urine Cont.

March 1 Getting much weaker but more restless so much so that his bed which is on the floor has to be surrounded with matresses. Yet he is unconscious of everything around him. Swallows liquids put into his mouth much better but is evidently sinking Cont.

2 Continued to get weaker very gradually and had lost flesh greatly. Restlessness continued until he was too weak to move. After noon the pulse at the wrist was scarcely perceptible. At midnight

Died

Inspection 13 hours after death

Head Scalp not turnified indeed rather thinner. Skull very thick all over but especially so on the left side of the as fronta above and in front of the indentation mentioned in report of Feby 8th On looking the skull towards the light it was only translucent in the situation of the frontal suture. Internally there was no mark corresponding to the impression outside. Rather slight opague thickening from infiltration of serum. The vessels turgid with dark blood. A considerable quantity of serum in the sac of the arachnoid and the ventricals contained 3j Little abnormal appearance in the brain. The posterior part of the right centrum ovale seemed to show more bloody points than any other portion. Brain tolerably firm indeed perhaps rather too much so. Pons & oblongata firm.

Chest Lungs engorged solidified pyeny & softening in dependent portions. Slight tuberculous deposit in right apex. Exceedingly firm coagula in heart. Otherwise healthy.

Abdomen Spleen small & otherwise congested.

Jas Theodore Fallmus 30 Mann

7th

Brought to day from Glasgow Bridewell quite no particulars appears to be labouring under a slight attack of delirium tremens Noisy & boisterous To sleep in cell

Febry 10 Full of oaths & wants to be very knowing says he has often had the blue devils before & that he will be all right in a day or two

11 Quieter & anxious to get up but his clothes were in such a filthy state that they has to be sent to the washing house Takes his food well Gets an altered pulse full & soft not stout Bowels sluggish

Cont

13 Conducting himself in all respects well Mind calm & composed Takes his food well Cont

16 Continues convalescent Employs himself with a needle at which he is very proficient Cont

19 Continues convalescent conducts himself in all respects well Amuses himself with music & playing Takes his food well Eyes a little tender R Sulphate Aluminæ ℥ij Aquæ Purae ℥viii ft collyrium

24 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Removed today by his wife Being in good bodily health & free from all delusions Discharged

Cured

14

30 Marian admitted Feby 9 1849

Robt Reside 45 M. A Lawyer Jul C

Dunlop Fi

Brought today from Dunlop
Schedule states that he never
was insane before Has 3 wives
Has five children Ellen a girl
15 years youngest 3. Talks
much of religion Is apprehensive
& his level is lost
Has threatened to drown
himself & to go into the fire
Not destructive nor given
to strike Treatment Purgatives
Anodynes Antimony &c
Feb 4/11 Dull stolid & stupified Does
not seem to know where
he is or what he intends
to do Stands in dull unsavy
state
13 Dull & stupified Speaks but
little & with slowness &
hesitation Takes his
food well Rises alters
& will smart when com-
pelled
14 Much the same stupified &
dull Thinks he would like
to get home & does not com-
prehend where he is Takes
his food well Cont
19 greatly improved Says that he has but
a dim recollection of coming here Says
that he got nervous & went to his
head & he lost all recollection of what
he was doing Looks now quite well
& is anxious to get something to do to
keep him from uneasiness Health good
Cont
24 Mind improving Talks pretty
rationally Works in the grounds
Complains of a numbness in the
course of the ulnar nerve of
right fore arm & hand & especially
the fingers R Lenimenti Ammon
Zij Tartar dulcet Perpurgentem
Cont alem
March 7 Numbness much reduced in fore-
arm but little in fingers Bowels
health otherwise Bowels easy Mind
tolerably calm & collected Works in
the grounds Cont
28 Hand now pretty well & mind
calm & free from delusions
Reasoned today Discussed
as

Cured

Fuel Adm Act 10 Feby 1849

Robt Hamilton 20

Yoman

Brought today from Launceston Was in this House for upwards of four years & discharged as well five weeks ago See Book 7 page 229

Feby 15 Admitted Feels in tolerable health & every way much the same as when discharged Mind weak but not so as to incapacitate him from making himself useful. Has gone to his old employment Assistant & manager about the store Cont

19 Employed about the store Bodily health good mind weak

22 Conducts himself in all respects well Mind weakish Takes his food well Cont

March 7 In all respects as above Bodily health good Mind weakish Cont

April 7 Bodily health good Simple credulous and easy minded Works about the store Appetite sleep and bowels natural Cont

May 7 No change of any consequence Cont

June 8 No change except that he is getting somewhat more corpulent Cont

July 8 Mind weakish Employed at the store Cont

Augt 8 No change

Sept 9 As reported above Works about the store

Oct 6 No change

Nov 6 No change

Dec 6 No change

31 Still employed at the store

1850

Jany 13 Good humoured and contented. Mind very feeble. Smiles in a silly manner when spoken to. Assists about the store and is very useful in fetching and carrying. Answers ordinary questions correctly but and misconceives very details Health good C. O.

Feby 28 Employed daily at the store. Mind remains in the same feeble state. Good humoured and contented & C.

17

Admitted July 13 1849

March 31 Was this day removed to another asylum.

Relieved

Rob[t] Stewart Hamilton
Roman

Brought last today from Lunatic asylum Was in this House for upwards of four years & removed four weeks ago See Book 7 page 220 He is much the same state as when he left

Feby 14 Mental weak From chronic weakness of the joints walks badly Takes his food well Likes one to his old employment looking after the fires in the tunnel west house Cont

18 Still employed in the west house Bodily health good Takes his food well Cont

22 No change mental or physical & none for the better can ever be expected in his mental state Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

March 7 No change of any consequence Health passable Cont

April 8 Much the same Still employed in the west tunnel looking after the fires Walks about the grounds and makes no attempt to go away Cont

May 8 Much the same in all respects Cont

June 8 Mental weak Cheerful and contented Works in the west house feeding one of the furnaces in the tunnel Cont

July 8 No change observed worth reporting Cont

Aug[t] 9 No change

Sept 9 No change of any consequence

Oct 6 No change Health good Demeanor as

Relieved

Admitted Feby 13 1849

Lab Johnston 22 June 46 — Engn

old Monkton st.

Brought today from old Monk Lodge Schedule states that he never was insane nor in an asylum before. Has been a reserved dissipation paternal friend father insane. Cause = disapproval from employment. Is described as constantly melancholy not suicidal nor quick to strike. No treatment

Feby 15 Seems in tolerable health but is then tongue white at base. Takes his food well Bowels attended to Lumat unam omne nocte

16 Sits dull & listless with his head hanging down on his breast yet answers ordinary questions tolerably correctly Takes his food well Cont ord

19 Little or no change Takes his food well sits with his head hung down on his breast without apparent interest in anything passing around Takes his food well Cont

21 Much the same in all respects Sits with his face averted yet when roused answers tolerably relevantly but with much hesitation & diffidence Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

March 5 On the whole less dull and listless Has been out working which seems to have caused the improvement observed Bowels easy Takes his food well Cont

28 Works constantly in the grounds Bodily health improving and mind seems brighter Takes his food well Cont

May 1 Much the same as at last report Had his hand hurt which confined him for several days but is now well Cont

June 1 Little change Not so dull and low spirited but mind still weak Works industriously Bodily health good Cont

July 1 Much the same Works industriously but mind weak Cont

July 25 Bowels rather relaxed Has sent Mist ferruc c opia mitte mells duet

Engineer Admitted Feby 14 1849

Augt 13	Mother more dull of late and sitting with his head hung down as formerly Does not take his food unless fed Have Pulv Gregori 3ij yesterday which opened his bowels freely Rubs nape with croton oil liniment
22	Has refused the ordinary fare of the Galleries of late and is getting emaciated Pulse weak for some time very rapid without obvious cause but it is now more moderate R Sulph Quinae 3ij Aquae 3ij Acid Sulph dilute 3ij M Ft Mixt 3j ex aqua 3ij nocte maneque
Sept 22	Takes his food when it is put into his mouth but not otherwise sometimes soils his clothes occasionally very abstinate Flank hip & pink rubbed with croton oil liniment Bowels easy
Oct 22	Not very much change but on the whole better Not soiling his bed so often Urine usually kept regular by pressure or enemata
Nov 22	As above
Dec 16	Not improving Has of late manifested to eat his own excrement Gets an injection twice a day & well washed
30	No manifest improvement
1850	
Jany 31	Disposing to eat his own excrement continues and is only prevented by constant attention and emptying his bowels by frequent enemata. Urine dribbles constantly from him during the day unless his bladder be emptied with the catheter. When this is done he remains dry for some hours but not at any time seems capable completely to empty his bladder as when the catheter is introduced although he may have been at the closet just before. Some urine is always found. No stool can be detected with the normal. Urine copious and almost without colour. Appetite now good. Tended not too much. Catheter used twice a day Urine at first Sp. Grav. 1005 afterwards 1015 to 1020 No gastric or solid deposit. R.O.
Feby 28	Much better Retains his urine and passes it freely. Mind slow and weak. C.O

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Wm Howie 17 Single Sailor
Irvine P.

Brought today from Irvine
& Rebuke states that he
never was insane before
till 3 months Has Grandfather
was insane Cause supposed
to be a fright at sea
At first Feverish not so
now No head internals
Increasing Incoherent
No delusions Not sound
Starts at times Not
mischievous Blistered
on the neck Head purgatives
Never in an Asylum

18 Seems in excellent bodily health
Is a stirring boy answers ordinary questions tolerably
reasonably says he was bound
apprentice in the Jane Arran
for four years & has already
served one & a half & is willing
& anxious to regain his vessel
to complete his time

20 Good tempered careless & stirring
amuses himself with the other
patients Bodily health good
Takes his food well Cont
same

23 Lively cheerful & active Answers ordinary questions tolerably pertinently and
says it is those who sent him here that
are really daft Amuses himself by
playing at draughts & also playing off
mischief

26 Much the same in all respects
Answers pertinently & quickly Assists
in the gallery still makes himself
generally useful Bodily health
good Cont

March 7 Conducts himself in all respects well
No delusions perceptible Says that
while on shipboard the Caithness
Lon & he fell out & the Chief of him
caused him (Howie) to get somewhat
wrong in the head but he was
now quite well Health good
Cont

28 Conducting himself in all respects
well and working industriously
Bodily health good No delusions
In fact there does not appear
to be anything the matter with
him Cont

April 12 Continued to conduct himself
in all respects well Removed today
by Inspector Dismissed as
Cured

Admitted Feby 17th 1849

Tho[s] Anderson 44 Grocer
Wm a case of Mr Millar
Brought today from Coat-
bridge Has been drunk
any time this month and
18 months Sched
gives no particulars Admitted in a
state of intoxication

Feby 18 Looks & answers questions correctly
Admits he has been drinking too much
for a long time Tongue foul Pulse
moderate R.S. Sulphat zii Sumat
unam omni nocte Haust aperiens
mortei ʒij statim

20 Conducts himself quietly in all
respects Acknowledges that he
had been drinking too much
but hopes that tho now that
he is well he will not be
kept long here Takes his
food shall Bowels easy
Cont

22 Mind calm & composed except that
he is now anxious to get home Has
got cold & has a severe cough with
sense of constriction in the chest
Applicet Sinapism thorac R Rem
Antimonialis ʒss Mistura Mucilagin
ʒx Sumat ʒss ter quotidie

25 Cough & sense of constriction considerably
better but cough still some-
what troublesome Takes his food well
Mind composed Cont

March 1 Cough again worse with considerable
pain & sense of constriction in chest
Pulse 94 Talks chiefly To go to bed
Applicet vesicat Latere dextro Moist
loud mucous rales heard all over
chest especially on right side

7 Cough expectoration & breathlessness
much relieved Pulse 84 Rales in
chest diminishing Takes his food
well Cont Mistura

16 Cough gone although there still re-
mains a little breathlessness Mind
calm & composed Anxious to get
home Cont

21 Being in good bodily health com-
paratively speaking and free from
all delusions Discharged as

Cured

State admitted Feby 17 1849

Thos Hall aet 32 Married Miner
New Brunswick

Brought to Asylum from Gaol see Schedule
states that he never was insane before
Has been ill six months. Heads sober
until he became insane Not liable
to any bodily disease but six months ago
complained much of heat in his head
Has 3 children 7- 4½ & 2 years old respectively Had a brother in America insane
from a sunstroke After he became in-
sane got a severe stroke on the nose
& was worse after ~~Decem~~ Decease
increasing Thinks his memory is
burned That his head is worse Has often
wished to be dead Does not smoke & is not
intemperate

Feby 20 Seems in ordinary health but is pale
Pulse of moderate strength & frequency
Tongue moist but pale whitish at the
base Takes his food well R. P. after
7 11 Sumat unam omni nocte

21 Says he does not sleep well but
cannot or will not assign any distinct
cause why he cannot Merely states
that something troubles his head Takes
his food well

23 Conducts himself quietly Given to shake
hands with the medical officers and
strangers Still says something in
his head prevents him from sleeping
so well as he was accustomed Bowels
easy Cont

26 Still says he cannot rest in conse-
quence of things coming into his head
When asked what these things are
declines giving any distinct reply saying
usually "different things" Takes
his food well and conducts him-
self quietly Cont

March 3 Walks the same Walks to and fro
in a musing manner Speaks little
little The evening I found him wal-
king alone in the sitting room after
the patients were gone to bed I asked
what he was thinking about he answered
about the formation of a church here
He thought it might do good to the
institution Goes out to work in the
grounds Takes his food well Bowels
easy Cont

17 Not much change Works in the
grounds tolerably steadily but given
to muse when not employed Health
pretty good Cont

April 17 Not much change Given to muse
much when not employed Works
in the grounds Health good
Quiet and cleanly Cont

Independent Committed July 19th 1849

May 17	Dull and slow. Seldom speaks except to ask away. Walks slowly to and fro ~~on~~ or stands musing and brooding over something that is unable or unwilling to tell what. Works in the grounds. Health good. Cont.
June 17	No change of any consequence observable. Dull and moody. Works in the grounds. Health good. Cont.
July 11	Continued in the same dull melancholy taciturn condition seldom speaking except to ask away. Bodily health good. Removed to day by the Inspector of Poor to be placed in the Poors House. Discharged as

Relieved

Jas Caldwell 40 M a Cooper
r F Lanark

Brought today from the prison of Lanark where he has been confined for the last eight days by a warrant of the sheriff granted at the instance of the procurator fiscal as the patient had for several days previously been going about the country with a gun & firing at hen-doves Was tried before the sheriff adjudged to be insane & sent here says he came here to see the poor patients & to set them free

Feby 21 Seems in good health No undue heat of skin Pulse of moderate strength & frequency Talks much of the great gun of the gospel & that it was necessary to make a noise on earth that would be heard in heaven Ordinary diet

22 Fond of walking arm in arm with some patient talking away in a very voluble & incoherent manner Is not mischievous however Keeps himself clean Takes his food well

24 Still restless & talkative Wears a muffler round his wrist in form of a sash says it is to hide the loss of his coat tail which were cut away by a fellow prisoner in Lanark Jail.

27 Much the same as reported above Fond of walking & talking in a rambling careless manner Is very good humoured & fond of jokes practical and verbal Sent out to work today Cont

March 4 Very considerably improved Quieter and more sensible Out working in the grounds Wrote a letter home, expressive of his thanks at getting well Health good Cont

16 Has rather retrograded since last report Yesterday in the grounds told me that he had the power of necromancy & in proof of it swallowed a pebble before he could be stopped and was busy sent in by the gardeners as being too unsettled for them Health good Cont

April 1 Appears very much improved says he has again got quite of his delusions and hopes he will now keep well Works diligently in the grounds Health good Cont

May

June

July

Admitted Feby 20 1849

May 1	Was confined to bed for a few days with sore throat but they are now well May be considered convalescent Works in the garden Mind calm & composed Cont
June 1	Quite convalescent His friends have been written to to remove him Works in the garden Cont
July 10	Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Removed today by his uncle Discharged as cured

Andrew Wolfe 27 Single Shoemaker Pauper
Lang S. by Golspie

Schedule states that patient never was insane before but has been so since last March. Had small pox about 18 months ago & a year ago something like fever. No oddity or eccentricity was observable previous to his becoming insane & his general character was quiet & inoffensive. No relative known to be insane or nervous. Head never injured. Cause unknown. No delusions but a constant restlessness. Stationary. Has never threatened suicide. Attempted to strike his sisters & threatened to take his brother's life. Not mischievous. No treatment

Feby 22 Restless & anxious to get to see some relative in Partick. Never seems at rest. Wanders slowly to & fro as if pondering on something. Tongue whitish at base. Pulse of moderate frequency. Takes his food well. R. Vil alterat. ℞ Sumat. unam. omni nocte.

24 Much the same. Mind never seems at ease. Wanders slowly to & fro, stands in a doorway looking anxiously along the gallery as though any door that may be opened. Cont. ℞.

25 Little change. If the medical officer in sight follows him closely and is always asking to get to see his friends. Says he ought to be sent to another gallery for the one he is in is not good enough for him. Cont.

March 1 Little change of any consequence appreciable. Bridge of nose somewhat discolored from a blow which he says he got from a patient but accident. Still restless and anxious to get out. Health good. Cont.

8 Still seems restless and apparently does not well know what he would be at. Sent out to work in the grounds. Bodily health good. Cont.

28 Very little change in any respect observable. Has still the same restless impatient to get home. Takes his food well and works in the grounds. Cont. as

Freechurch Monmouth Feby 21st 1849

Mar 1	No change of any consequence — Bodily health good
June 1	Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Works in the grounds Takes his food well Not dirty nor destructive Cont
July 1	Exceedingly troublesome on the subject of getting away following the medical officers wherever he sees them and boring them on the subject Health good Cont
14	Little change except perhaps rather more stupid Tongue White C.C. Medicine adm. Hiatus Rumix Cont
16	Little change Tongue still white Rub ung. Potass Iod. Hiatus Pulv. Jalap Comp. 3i
Augt 11	Very little change except that sometimes he gets somewhat excited on the subject of getting away and makes money for the purpose says he is a gentleman
Sept 14	Getting more troublesome on the subject of getting away often pushes after the officers & strangers to get out also demands money to pay his passage home Health good Cont
Oct 14	Very troublesome in the manner mentioned above Health tolerable
Nov 14	Much the same as reported above Got Rx an eye bleared but is patient he was annoying
Dec 14	No improvement
31	No improvement
1850	
Jan 31	Bodily functions natural importunate to get discharged. Quiet and good natured. Usually seen usefully employed. C.O.
Feby 28	Functions natural. Mind weak. Seldom usefully employed at present. Usually in his habits and appearance. C. Omnia.
March 31	Mind weak. Anxious to get away Health good. C. Omnia.
April 30	No change. C. Omnia.
May 31	As before C. Omnia
June 15	Mind weak. Sometimes a little importunate to get out Health good C. Omnia.
July 15	Mind weak and childish. Bodily health good C.O

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Andrew Nov 25 27 Single Mechanic
Laurg S. by Coleficd

Schedule states that patient never was insane before but has been so since last March Had small pox about 18 months ago & a year ago something like fever No adelicty or eccentricity was observable previous to his becoming insane & his general character was quiet & inoffensive No relative known to be insane or nervous Head never injured Cause unknown No delusions but a constant restlessness Stationary Has never threatened suicide Attempted to strike his sisters & threatened to take his brother's life Not mischievous No treatment

Feby 22 Restless & anxious to get to see some relative in Parish Never seems at rest Wanders slowly to & fro as if pondering on something Tongue whitish at base Pulse of moderate frequency Takes his food well R Vil altebat x II Lunat unam omni noste

24 Much the same Mind never seems at ease Wanders slowly to & fro, stands in doorway looking wistfully along the gallery or through any door that may be opened Cont com

25 Little change If the medical officer he in sight follows him closely and is always asking to get to see his friends Says he ought to be sent to another gallery for the one he is in is not good enough for him Cont

March 1 Little change of any consequence appreciable Bluish of knee Somewhat discolored from a blow which he says he got from a patient Is excited at times restless and anxious to get out Health good Cont

8 Still seems restless and apparently does not well know what he would be at Sent out to work in the grounds Bodily health good Cont

28 Very little change in any respect observable Has still the same restless propensity to get home Takes his food well and works in the grounds Cont com

Freechurch Allanwell Feby 21st 1849

May 1	No change of any consequence Bodily health good
June 1	Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Works in the grounds Takes his food well Not dirty nor destructive Cont
July 1	Exceedingly troublesome on the subject of getting away following the medical officers whenever he sees them and boring them on the subject Health good Cont
14	Little change except perhaps rather more stupid Tongue White C.C. Medicine as 3/ii Flaheat ale Rimitt Cont
16	Little change Tongue steel white Rub na pe with Croton oil Flaheat Pulv Jalap Comp 3ij
Augt 14	Very little change except that sometimes he gets somewhat excited on the subject of getting away and wishes money for the purpose says he is a gentleman
Sept 14	Getting more troublesome on the subject of getting away often pushes after the officers & strangers to get out Also demands money to pay his passage home Health good Cont
Oct 14	Very troublesome in the manner mentioned above Health tolerable
Nov 14	Much the same as reported above Got Rx on eye which smelled he is patient he was annoying
Dec 14	No improvement
31	No improvement
1850	
Jan 31	Bodily functions natural importunate to get discharged. Quiet and good natured. Usually usefully employed. C.C.
Feby 28	Functions natural. Mind weak. Seldom usefully employed at present. Cleanly in his habits and appearance. C. Amelia.
March 31	Mind weak. Anxious to get away Health good. C. Amelia.
April 30	No change. C. Amelia.
May 31	As before C. Amelia
June 15	Mind weak. Sometimes a little importunate to get out Health good C. Amelia.
July 15	Mind weak and childish. Bodily health good. C.C

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Arthur Cowan 28 Single Shoemkr Barony

Estate

Brought today from Glasgow
Schedule states that he has been
subject to periodical attacks of
insanity for 14 years Ill at pres
ent 6 days No relatives insane
Head injured by a blow 14 years
ago Thks supposed the cause of his
disease Thinks he has a serpent
in his leg & imagines people intend
doing him harm Threatened last
week to cut his throat & attempted
to strike his brother with a poker
Treated in Ireland formerly How
not known

Feby 23 Rather dull & stupid yet answers
questions tolerably relevantly In an-
swers to enquiries shows a slight pro-
minence on his forehead which he
says was caused by a stone which
a boy threw at him Has also a
slight prominence behind This
he says was caused by a young
woman striking him with a
piece of wood Says he got
some physic yesterday before
he left town Bowels easy
Cont

24 Improving and laughs at his delusion
of supposing that there was a ser-
pent in his leg Conducts himself
quietly Bowels easy Cont

26 Conducting himself quietly and well
and agrees to go to the shoemaker's shop
to work Takes his food well and
exhibits no delusions Cont

28 Working quietly and industriously in
the shoemakers shop Mind calm &
composed Bowels regular Takes
his food well Cont

March 3 His mother came today & said that
he was sent here without her consent
She only sent for a doctor to give her
son some physic & he insisted on
sending him here although she as-
sured him that the disarrangement
was merely temporary & that he
would be quite well in a day
or two Dismissed by the
physician

Cured

Established Admitted Feby 22 1849

Alex Wallace 27 Weaver Single
Abbey P.P.

July

Brought today from Paisley
Has been several times inside
before & was twice in this asylum
already See Book # 12 page 101.
Schedule only states that he
has been threatening his parents
& using abusive language Seems
in good bodily health on admis-
sion & talks calmly & rationally
Feby 23 Ordinary Diet & regimen
Conducts himself tolerably quietly
but talks rather ramblingly admits
that he threatened his mother but denies
that he had any intention of striking
her Seems in good bodily health
Has allowed the hair to grow on his
upper lip Cont
25 Still rather rambling in his discourse
& mind seems slightly confused Conducts
himself well and assists in the gal-
lery Takes his food well Tongue
covered with a whitish fur At base
R Pul altered + ll Urinat unam
omni nocte
27 Still a little rambling in his discourse
but is improving Works industriously
chiefly assisting in the gallery Takes
his food well Bowels easy Cont
om
March 4 Conducting himself pretty well and
is very useful assisting in the gal
lery Bodily health good Bowels
regular Cont
8 Conducting himself very well and
assisting very efficiently in the
gallery Bodily health good Mind
seems more settled Cont
17 Conducting himself in all respects well
and assists efficiently in the gallery
Health good Cont
April 17 Bodily health good Conducting him-
self in all respects well Assists
in the gallery and grounds Cont
om
May 17 Conducts himself in all respects
well Cont
June 17 Bodily health excellent Assists
in the gallery and in the grounds
Conducts himself in all respects
well No delusions Cont
July 17 Continues convalescent Health
good
29 Rather down hearted because
he is to be sent away and does
not take his food so well
Obstruct Pulse R Rec Compa
Zi

Admitted Feby 22 1849

July 24 Being in good bodily health and free from delusion discharged as

cured

Hugh Jack 23 Teacher single
Brother Robert Elk Brantwood Carlisle petitioner

Brought today from Carlisle schedule states that he never was insane before Ill 16 months Troubled with depression of spirits before attack began Is very retired No insane relatives Head never injured Cause unknown unless over study Desease increasing Has never given expression to any delusion but leaves home and travels about for a day or two at a time Has never threatened suicide nor attempted to injure others No treatment Never in an asylum

March 3 Dull & angry at being forced from home by people who have no right to coerce him He states that he had made a small competency to support himself & feeling the burden of teaching too heavy retired from society but his relatives would not let him live in retirement She would not give him proper diet they even went the length of putting things of a poisonous or at least unwholesome nature in his food As his mother prepared his food she must either have done this or at least been aware of it

4 Refuses his food saying that it is not the sort of diet he has been accustomed to Becoming very taciturn lies stretched on a form staring at vacancy & beating with his knuckles on the table Replies to remarks accurately & intelligently Limbs unimpaired Right leg some inches shorter than the other from disease in childhood Wears an iron apparatus in walking

6 Taking a little food but still very scantily Taciturn and mostly speaks not moves when spoken to Bowels easy

8 Not so cataleptic although he still stares much at vacancy Has gone to walk in the airing ground today Takes his food rather more freely Bowels easy

16 Has become much more tractable and conversible also takes his food well now Bodily health seems tolerably good Bowels easy Cont

April 10 Much the same as at last report Bodily health tolerable Takes his food well often walks about with his cap and handkerchief in hand in an absorbed manner and muses little with his fellow patients

Sanity
May
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Admitted March 2 1849

Surety		
Jarvis Jack Balcomock Campsie		
	May 10	Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont
	June 10	Walks about the airing ground with his cap in his hand pausing at about evidently with reference to some imaginary objects Health good Cont
	July 10	Walks about the airing ground as at last report Bodily health passable Cont
	14	Tongue white Natural pulse jalap Comp 3ij & Tinct Spiij
	August 14	No mental change Walks about holding his cap in his hand Talks to imaginary persons and sings Takes his food well In good bodily condition Bowels easy
	Sept 14	Has broke several panes of glass of late otherwise there is but little change
	Oct 14	In consequence of breaking glass had to be removed to another ward where it is out of reach No mental improvement conducting himself quietly since he was removed from the windows
	Nov 14	Much the same Broke another pane of glass
	Dec 14	No improvement
	31	
	1850	
	January 31	very restless. Constantly talking but addressing no one - usually with his cap off. Careless of his appearance. does not give a coherent answer. Cleanly at night. Bodily health good. his skin very violent C. Omnia.
	Feby 28	Bodily functions natural Talkative and incoherent careless of his appearance C. Omnia.
	March 31	Mind incoherent. Careless of his appearance. Somewhat restless seems usefully employed. Health good. C. Omnia.
	April 30	No change of any importance. Bowels costive. Sensorial perfect. Station. C. Omnia.
	May 31	Much the same. C. Omnia
	June 15	No material change C.O.
	July 15	Mind very confused and weak. Careless of his personal appearance. Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia

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Pd Togan 60 widower Irishman
Jones
Brought hotary from Frankston Has been gradually getting wrong in the mind for two years Two weeks ago his wife died & he has been much worse since Had two children both are dead Imagines that people annoy him that they suppose him a thief and wish to do him injury Two months ago inflicted a wound on his arm with a suicidal intention Does not strike unless much crossed No treatment Never in an asylum
March 3 Supposes that people accuse him of theft &c & that broker espec. ally have an ill will at him Thinks they ought to be punished for their bad feel to him Has rather a dull look Speaks little unless questioned Takes his food well enough Tongue pale & covered with a thin white fur R & L alternat & U sumat omni nocte
5 Still annoyed by people accusing him wrongfully When asked where they are says that is well enough known you don't need to ask that Cont
7 Much the same Quiet and dull & annoyed by imaginary persons accusing him wrongfully Tongue pale R Infus Cinchonae ʒ & ½ Tinct Cardamomum ʒij Acid Sulph dilute ʒj misce Sumat ʒij bis mane
13 Little change in any respect Anxious to get home Affirms that we are well enough aware of the annoyance & seems to insinuate that we have somewhat to do with it Health tolerable Cont
28 No change of any consequence Very malignant occasionally at being thought a thief &c otherwise converses to himself quietly Takes his food well Cont
April 24 Very little change of any consequence Delusions the same Health tolerable Employed in the grounds Cont
May 25 Often scolds at imaginary persons who annoy him & accuse him falsely of things he never did Works in the grounds Takes his food well Cont
June 24 Very much troubled by persons who will not let him alone Health tolerable

Cottage — Admitted March 2nd 1849

Aug 25 — Little change sometimes gets considerably excited and answering and when he hears his imaginary persecutors talks his food well Bowels easy

Sept 26 — No change

Oct 26 — No change

Nov 26 — Much the same as reported above

Dec 26 — Often very excited & noisy at times subjected to false accusations Talks his food well

1850

Jany 31 — No marked excitement since last report. Annoyed and as he says unjustly accused by those around him And by invisible persons. Cleanly in habits. Bodily health pretty good. C. Omnia.

Feby 28 — In all respects as formerly C. Omnia.

March 31 — Often talks when alone. Had an suppuration on left side of cheek beneath. ear which is now well. Speaks little. Complains sometimes of imaginary persecutions. Cleanly in habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

April 30 — No change noticeable. C. Omnia

May 31 — Quiet and inoffensive Health moderately good. C. Omnia

June 15 — Much the same. C. Omnia

July 15 — Complains that he is annoyed at night by men in spirits does not seem sure which when keep him from sleep and such the moaning from his bones. Talks sometimes to himself. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural - C. Omnia.

Aug 15 — Much the same. C. O.

Sept 15 — No change. C. O.

Oct 15 — Has been tolerably quiet and free from annoyance of late. A small boil has appeared on left cheek Bowels open C. Omnia

Nov 15 — No change of consequence C. O.

Dec 15 — Appetite sleep and bowels continue natural as before C. Omnia.

1851

Jan 1 — Weakly in bed and pulse accelerated Normal pulse beyond 2 & 80 Patient

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John Quigley 50 Negative Lachman

Brought today from high street Glasgow schedule gives no particulars came here under the impression that he came to the sheriff states that for sometime past has been annoyed by certain persons whom he hears but is not aware of their presence by means of any other sense The people much against his will give him commands to do certain things such as to walk speak pray &c & to command other persons to do so and so And those parties by means of legerdemain have acquired the power to force him to do what they command but by tomorrow at 12 their power will cease Is a hale healthy looking old man

March 3 Says that some persons he thinks four five named Docherty's two Devlin have still the power by means of legerdemain to order him to do as they please but their power of them will cease tomorrow at 12 o'clock He only hears them & knows them by their voices some of them he has not seen for 10 years Takes his food well

5 Has not heard the voices of these persons since the night before last Is very anxious to get home to his old wife People need not suppose he is out of his reason & keep him in a madhouse for he will nothing but the truth

7 Says he hears a voice yet but it is not one of those he heard formerly Gets up out of bed and walks about the gallery nearly half the night Takes his food well Bowels oddy Keeps himself clean & quiet & civil

10 Much the same says there is no madness about him for that he really heard the voices & if they had not acted on him by means of leger de main how could they have forced him against his will to do what they asked him

16 Much the same Hears one person anxious to get home to his old wife & c

April 13 Not much change peaceable & tractable Bodily health good Walks industriously in the grounds still hears voices &c

Admitted March 2d 1859

May 10	Little or no change Perfectly healthy good Works diligently in the grounds but no abatement of his delusions Cont.
June 10	Works quietly and industriously in the grounds, but still retains the delusion that there are persons whom he cannot see who lurk about to annoy him Hears them often At present there are two located somewhere in the roof above the gallery Cont
July 10	No change of any kind as noted since last report Cont
13	Tongue white Pustular eruption on upper lip R Calomel Gr iii Pulv Rhei Mxx Sumat stat
25	Lip better Bowels slow No mental change Habeat ol Ricini Zi
Augt 25	A slight eruption again on upper lip Very industrious and conducts himself well in all respects but still retains the notion that some people who lurk unseen about the building combine to annoy him Bowels easy
Sept 26	No change
Oct 26	No change
Nov 26	No change
Dec 26	Still retains the delusion of being haunted by certain fairies &c Tranquil & quiet
1860	
Jany 31	Morose and insolent. Bilious gastric. Health good. C.O.
Feby 29	When seen by the Lunacy Hospital Committee asked how he could be well since he had got Londonderry sent him by his former medical attendant instead of rhubarb — an intentional substitution Clearly in his habits. Somewhat irritable at times. Health good. Convalescence.
March 31	Talks of being killed and delivered over to Dr Kane for dissection. Health good. C.O.
April 30	No change C. Convalescence
May 31	Much the same. C.O.
June 15	No change C. Convalescence
July 15	Believes that he is made the subject of experiments by the medical officers Health good. C. Convalescence

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John Moore Æt 60 Joiner
Old Monkstown R. C. Admitted 10th March 1880 insane

Brought today from Malingavie where he has been working at his trade for some months Schedule gives no particulars but he himself states that he was in the old asylum seven years ago Very talkative To sleep in seclusion

March 4 Very talkative Rambling from subject to subject Talks of spitting horns on cows &c complains of his ankle which he says was kicked by the Policeman who brought him here It is red and swollen pars dolens fovetur

6 Restless & talkative often up making & remaking his bed Washes his ankle with his urine & even applies his excrements to it Rel alterat x11 sumat unam omni nocte

7 Restless & smelling going away from the ankle Still as rambling & incoherent restless engaged turning over the bedclothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont om

10 Still noisy and restless Soils his bed Has tired out one day but got to fighting with the attendants Applied nescat annum accepit

16 Very little change Always turning & arranging his bedclothes Washes the walls with his urine Takes his food well Asks for meat & such like Health tolerable Sleeps pretty well Cont

26 Still very restless & given to meddle & direct the other patients However is considerably improved and work in the grounds

April 10 Not much change but on the whole is improving Works well in the grounds but still with the inclination to meddle with and direct others Today promised to give the medical officer the a present of a pair of peacocks Cont

May 20 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Restless & meddlesome and often getting into scrapes Cont

June 4 Much the same in all respects Always meddling and always complaining of being abused Health good

June

July

Admitted March 4 1849

June 13 As usual complained of being abused getting wks broken &c Today is found to have severe pleurodynia Dulness on percussion chest all over right side Aegophony in infra scapular region Applicat Resicent Lotio destr thoracis R Sal Tartrat Antimon ℥ iij Aquae ℥ss Linimt ℥ss quaque tertia hora

20 Has had a second blister applied and is getting the Lotio ordered R Spirit Aether Nitros ℥ss Aet Potas Nitratis Potassae aa ℥ij Aquae Aetatis Ammoniae Mist Camphoratae aa ℥iij M Linimt ℥ss ter quotidie Pulse 80 of moderate strength and fulness Tongue clean Appetite good Is very troublesome and filthy tears the bed clothes and dressings Washes the floor and walls pulls the urine &c and is scarcely ever at rest Cont

28 Dirty restless and destructive Dyspnoea still extends all over chest Had another dressing applied but will not let the cotton stay on the wound

July 6 Chest right side still dull but breathing not oppressed except on exertion Not outrageous but very destructive wherever she can reforming matters of all kinds that come under his notice Cont Mucilaginosa

17 Resonance of chest improving much but he is exceedingly destructive tearing every rag she can get at out holes in the ground &c Appetite excellent Gets steak & porter Patient Pulse Specimen ℥i at 8 a.m. daily

19 One keeper kept constantly looking after him alone Much neck built Croton chloral mixt and stop porter Haust 20 grains of Potassium Bromide Effervescing Draught mitte

23 No mental improvement Most annoyingly meddlesome and destructive Tongue white Bowels freely moved by Comp Jalap Breathing short Lower effects oedematous Bowels slow Hydr Chlor gr iii Pulse Specific gr &c

See next page

Ja[s] Donaldson 4 P. M-Smith
48 Belle St Glasgow 5 H

Brought today from Glasgow should
not give no particulars The person
who came along with him said that he
believed drinking spirits was the
cause of his malady Talks incoherently
on admission but it is not outrageous
To keep in seclusion
March 6 says he slept tolerably well during
the night Tongue white somewhat
flushed Bowels confined at
present little affected Pupils slightly
dilated Talks confusedly says he was
sent here by one Gordon to raise
the mind R Kl Aperient x11 Sum
mam omnia nocte
7 somewhat quieter & more sensible
to fact talks tolerable rationally says
he had been drunk many a good deal -
ment wrong in the head & quite exas-
perated because they took him down
Complains of his head which appears
to have received a burn & its plantar
surface & inner aspect is inflamed
in a large desiccation Bowels opened
Takes his food well Cont
9 Talks sensibly but is very irritated
at his friends for having sent him here
thinking such a step quite unnecessary
for merely getting drunk Heel very
painful Applic Cataplas Farinae
Cont
10 No delusions Mind calmer & less irrit
tated at least he does not give ex-
pression to it In bed with his
foot to which poultices are applied
to promote the separation of the
slough Cont
16 Still confined slough not yet sep
arated from sole or ankle Mentally
health otherwise tolerably good
Cont
April 1 Slough now separated and the hole
which was very deep filling up
rapidly Health otherwise pretty
good Mind calm & collected Cont
as
May 1 Heel now almost well Mitte
calch & compound Cont
18 Mind continued calm and composed
Heel well but tender Removed
to the Town's Hospital Discharged
as
Cured

Admitted March 5th 1849

1849 John Moore from Page 20

July 26 Right side of chest again loosing its resonance even up to the clavicle and breathing greatly oppressed Pulse weak and rapid Face bloodless and puffy Evidently very ill To go to bed Blistered epigastrium Hemisperi 3ii

27 Much worse at morning visit and evidently dying An hour after begged for a glass of wine in presence to Regent Today Had it Between 9 & 10 became suddenly much worse and at 10 a m

Died

John Wm. Pollock 20 74

Brought today from Glasgow
Schedule quite no particulars
Is labouring under delirium tremens
& in a state of considerable excite-
ment Pupils dilated face flushed
To sleep in seclusion for the night
Came handcuffed

March 8 Mind still quite astray Demands
a sword to go out & fight Hears
crowds of people talking around
him & through the walls Brow
hot Head hot & feverish Pull when
have brought away a costive stool
Ol Alterative respectant

9 Bowels again opened Much
quieter & more collected today
Brow & skin cool Thirsty Take
his food Still kept in seclu-
sion Cont

10 Today dressed says that he
had been drinking whisky &
when he lost his reason he
swallowed a quantity of laudanum
Was taken to the police
office walked about & shaken then
sent here

12 Mind quite calm & collected says he
has got a lesson which he will never
forget Bodily health good Takes
his food well Cont

16 Removed today by his mother
cautioned as to the consequences of
intemperance Being in good
bodily health & free from all
delusions Discharged as

Cured

Backhouse Adjourned March 9th 1849

John Love 70 Joiner
Jam Montgomerie Engineer to Portuguese

Brought today from Glasgow
Schedule states that he never was
insane before. Since the begin-
ning of the year - Frequent elevation
of spirits and violence of temper
with long continued aversion to
his present wife. Has suffered
five years with paralysis agitans
No insane relatives. Cause supposed
long continued tippling. Is nervous
violent and excitable. Disease menses
-ing. Occasional lucid intervals
Supposes his relatives are always
irritating him and driving him
to make foolish bargains often
threatens to commit suicide and
yesterday attempted to go over
the parapet of the wooden bridge
Strikes & tears his clothes at times
Abstinate & will not submit to
any treatment

March 9 Has paralysis agitans of right arm &
partial weakness of the whole side
Says that is all that is the matter
with him & that there is nothing
wrong with his mind. Seems to
have suffered from aphthalmia Furri
Tongue pretty clean lips No unusual
heat of skin

10 Restless & walking about constantly
enquiring to get home & affirming that
the palsy is the only thing wrong
R Pil aperient & 11 Omnet undam
omni nocte

12 Much the same Asserting every body
about his being well & wanting home
Mens evidently weak R Infusi Cin-
chonae fortiter ℥ vi Tinct Aromatic
℥ij Acidi Sulph Dilut ℥j M Sumat
℥ij his mixtus

16 Much the same Always expecting to be
immediately liberated & when he sees
any officer says he will go out at the
door with them Takes his food well
Cont

21 Very little change appreciable seems
however in better condition & rather
more quiet Does not broach any de-
lusions Bowels regular Cont
omnia

April 9 No mental change but within the
last few days has got very drop
-sical Lower limbs and abdomen
considerably swollen also slight
ascites R Spiritus Aetheris Nitrici ℥ij
Acet Potas Mistur ℥ss Infus aa ℥i
Misce Cumpl 4 horal ammon

Admitted March 8th 1849

aquae ää ℥ij m fumat ℥ss ter in die Bals Sapientes Lini ℥ij quotidie

April 11 Oedema seems rather abating especially from limbs but there is considerable distention of abdomen chiefly flatus Appetite keen Urine not unnatural colored R Pil Scillae ℞ij fumat mane ter in die

13 Much the same except that Bronchitis is increasing Appetite still keen Says he never was better in his life and is very anxious to get home out

14 Very restless last night getting up and carrying his bed clothes with him to the door of the ward for the purpose of going home. Last week broke the frame of a door and threatens to do the same again

14 During the night became much more restless often getting up to uncover the other beds in the infirmary Between 4 & 5 A.M. got up with the same intent but was so weak that he rolled over on the floor although he was not bruised he seemed to lose consciousness and asked where he was then suddenly after one or two gasps

Died

John Jarvis 68 Married Carter
Gorhams Farish Admr W. Town mspt

Brought today from Gorhams schedule states that he had for three week a fit of mania 15 years ago & though fit for work has never been correct in his mind since but has again become quite incoherent for the last eight days Always since first attack has had a voracious appetite No ms ane relatives cause unknown Decrease increasing Talks constantly and incoherently on religious matters Not suicidal nor destructive No treatment Never in an Asylum Was bled for three weeks previous to the first outbreak of insanity

March 10 Very unsettled & depressed in mind says he is a great sinner that he is lost forever Tears his clothes and cuts his head Seems in tolerable bodily health Pulse moderate Tongue moist but whitish Scalp not unusually hot R Pil alterat ℞ Pil sumat unam omni nocte

11 Moaning & lamenting his unhappy condition Tears his clothes and cuts his head Cannot rest Tongue pale R Infusi Cinchonae fuguke ℥ j ℞ Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ ij Acidi Sulphi di m Sumat ℥ ij his mane & sunt

13 No improvement Says there is no hope for him Takes his food Tears his clothes and sits or walks about naked Appetite voracious accipatur

16 Not much change but on the whole rather quieter Takes his food well Does not tear his bedclothes so much Bowels regular cont

21 Been considerably improved Is out of seclusion & dressed Neither hears nor feels of his clothes as formerly Anxious for tobacco Is still occasionally low spirited & thinks his soul lost cont

April 9 Much the same as at last report A somewhat frail old man Mind also very weak and although still somewhat depressed not nearly so much so as formerly Takes his food well & keeps himself tolerably quiet & clean cont

25 Much the same in all respects complains of a pain at top of head Rub ℞ Linimenti Ammoniae ℥ ij Pars dolens fricetur

Estabk

May 2

Genet

July 2

Augt

Ebenezer Church Admitted March 9 1849

May 25 Little change of any consequence
Mentally health seems rather improved Takes his food well
Bowels easy Does not complain
of pain in his groin

June 25 Much the same in all respects
Complains of voiding too much
urine which has been tested
for sugar but none found R
Tinct Muriatis Ferri ℥ij Tinct
Muriatis Morph ℥ss Aquæ
℥ij ℥v his usual ex aquæ
Mist alba

July 25 Much the same mentally Urine
not quite so copious Complains
of flatulence Pilulæ Magnesiæ
Ustæ ij cum Menthæ ij

Augt 6 Being quiet and nearly as well
in his mind as he has been
for years His wife thought
she could keep him at
home and removed him today
Discharged cured

Released

David Rewcastle 46 Widower Carpenter — Presbyt
Kirkoswald parish Thos Oliver Insf

March 3

Brought today from Kirkoswald Schedule States that he never was insane before Has been ill upwards of 3 months Has always been of a quick temper & has become more so of late Noted for pride No children No insane relatives Head not injured Cause drunkenness & prospect of coming beggary. Has elevated ideas of his own importance Thinks himself abused by his relations that he is to be destroyed for want of food Disease increasing Never threatened suicide is very abusive but has never struck or attempted one Not destructive No treatment Never in an Asylum

March 14 Stupid & filthy In bed his bed last night Answers questions in confused and irrelevant manner evidently but half comprehending what is said to him Walks lamely Tongue moist Takes his food well & seems to forget that he has had his meals No undue heat of skin

15 Soils his bed & clothes Very slow & from attending to imaginary sensation does not hear & comprehend clearly what is said to him Takes his food well R Pil Aloet ℥ss Sumat unam omni nocte

17 Filthy & stupid Soils his bed and clothes confused & incoherent in his answers Takes his food pretty well Bowels easy R Infusi Lenchonae ℥ss Tincturae Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi Sulph dil ℥j Mistae Sumat ℥ij 3tis horis

20 No improvement Soils his bed and body clothes Stares stupidly when spoken to & answers incoherently Cont

24 Much the same Stupid and dirty Takes his food well Bowels easy

29 Getting more & more stupid & dull Limbs & body œdematous appearing over body & especially lower limbs Soils his bed & clothes In fact passes every thing wherever he may be R Spiritus Aeth Nitr ℥iss Aet Potas Mistae Potas ℥ss Mistura Camph Aquae ℥ij Aceti ℥ij Ammon ā ā ℥iij Sumat ℥ss 4tis horis

30 Much worse today Lying stupid and almost insensible Has to be fed and swallows with difficulty Anasarca increasing Scrotum & skin of penis largely swollen Ordered Spiritus Pini Gallici ℥ss applied to scrotum

Occupation	Residence	Admitted March 13th 1849
	March 31	Continued to get rapidly worse but kept near his end he was able to swallow his gruel chlicked with warm water in the morning he completely lost consciousness and at 11 A M

Died

John D Rungle 42 medical Clerk
Pt Jane L Rungle 26 also four Sons

Brought today from Parliamentary road
Has been in this asylum four times
previously Cause = Intemperance
came late in the day To sleep in seclusion Pulse rapid & weak

March 22 Passed a very unquiet night Slept none Much annoyed with spectral illusions Vomity every thing he takes Bowels open from some medicine he took previous to admission Habeat Spiritus Ammi Calici ℥ss

23 Still inclined to vomit No sleep and troubled with spectral illusions Has taken as food only some strong tea & milk Bit of toast & fried egg Cont Ammi Calici Hyos somni sumat alii 9ti Camphoræ 9ss X

24 Slept a sort of troubled dreamy sleep but is better to day Appetite returning Pulse softer fuller and less rapid Eyes less injected Tendency to vomiting disappearing Sumat pil ol cast i pro re nata

26 Tolerably comfortable out but still complains of want of refreshing sleep Walked during the greater part of the day in the airing ground but says he feels very weak Takes his food well Cont

29 Is now tolerably well and has gone down to the workshop to turn says still he does not sleep well Takes his food Bowels pass Has still an odd look about the eyes Likely caused by want of refreshing sleep Cont

April 10 Conducting himself in all respects well and works in the wrights shop Has a slight cold but otherwise his bodily health is pretty good Takes his food well Cont

25 Complains of a cough which annoys him especially at night R Vini Antimonii ℥ss Mistura Pruni Lagni ℥ss/111 Syrupi Aurantii ℥ss M Sumat ℥ss ter indies

May 24 Still annoyed with cough and a feeling of flatulence Cannot lie on right side as it produces coughing Below right clavicle there is a fine coarse crepitus Pulse good Respiration sonorous dull in the same region Pulse 98 Appetite Resumat mixtura supra sumat detur R Infusi Calumbæ ℥ij Sodæ Potassæ ℥ss Tinct Humuli ℥ij Mist Camphoræ ℥ss

Admitted 21st March 1849

To have milk diet

June 6 Respirations rales extending gradually downward Respirations considerable during night especially lower lobes Pulse 98 not so strong Breathing hurried Strength failing Walks out in good days for an hour or two Rigors in fractionular region rubbed with Ung. Tartrat Antimon Flat a Spont of porter daily. Milk & wine sherry

12 Getting gradually weaker Walks out in the heat of the day with difficulty Breathing very hurried Pulse 120 weak Respirations quick R Acidi Sulphurici Aromatici ℥j Liquor Potassæ Citratis ℥j Syrupi Aurantii ℥ss Mistur. Mucilag. ℥vi M. Sumat ℥ss ter quotidie

14 Complains of the cough at night keeping him from sleeping R Liquor Potassæ Citratis ℥j Syrupi Aurantii ℥ss Mistur. Mucilag. ℥vi M. Sumat ℥ss ter quotidie

18 Yesterday became so weak as to be unable to leave his bed Evidently sinking fast Pulse very rapid and very weak Mind wandering much cannot last very long Cont. Vinum

19 Mind wandered much during the night and he gradually grew weaker till at 8 A.M. he

Died

Richard Lewis 45 Carter Estate
Eastwood

Brought here from Rochdale
Never was intemperate before
No bodily disease or deformation of habit observed
Has 3 children alive Eldest 15 youngest 6 years
No insane relatives
Head not injured
Disease increasing
No delusions mentioned on the schedule
Has never threatened suicide
Strikes when restrained
No destructive
Never in an Asylum

March 27 Passed a very restless night
Noisy and incoherent
Says he is God
Has all the bed clothes littered about the room
Is a filthy state
Countenance somewhat haggard & shrunken
Takes but little food
Pulse weak & but little accelerated
Bowels costive
R Pil alterative & Mist Sennæ ℥ j o.n.

28 No change
Noisy and incoherent
Does not seem to sleep any sometimes
Takes his food at stated times
Refuses
Demands a hammer but does not say what he intends to do with it
Is also at times calling out for the Rev Mr Smith
R Pulv Camph ℈ij
Sal Nitr ℈ij
Morphiæ ℥ij
Spirit Aeth Nitros ℥ij
Spiritus Rectificat ℥ss
Mistur Camphoræ ℥iij
M Sumat ℥ss ter quotidie

29 Not improving
Restless and noisy in extreme
Never seems quiet at rest nor asleep
Hands & tongue constantly employed
Has a haggard look
Appetite
Haberat Cerevisiæ Londonensis ℥ij mane
Breakfast

April 1 Slept soundly last night but is again restless noisy and incoherent but not inclined to strike
Takes his food and extras well
Bowels easy
Cont

4 Sleeps occasionally now and is quieter but still very restless and very incoherent
Takes his food well
Bowels easy
Will be tried in the Crown Court today
Cont

10 Improving
Much less restless noisy although still so to a very considerable extent
Appetite excellent
Got a cut over left eyebrow by a fall from a table on which he mounted
Cont
Om prater Mist Morph

Estab M-a Admitted 26 March 1849

April 17 Continued gradually to quieten down since last report but today is much more settled and given to overturn articles in his way annoyed another patient by snatching his bonnet and struck him on the nose causing considerable effusion of blood with a black eye Both sent to seclusion Cont

24 Quiet considerably quieter but he is confined to bed with severe erysipelatous inflamation of the left leg extending from the foot to halfway up the thigh Free incisions made and fomentations applied R Spirits Hartshorn ʒiij Ether Sulphuric Comat camphorated ℥ij Gum ℈ij ℈ij quite manageable

28 Very much excited Has tossed on constantly rolled about & tumbled every thing made him for the last two days Limb not so badly inflamed and matter exuding from some of the incisions Held an inquest this afternoon which sat till late Comat Pulv Doveri ℈ij ℈x make manageable Applic. [illegible] resumed acetate

May 1 After tiring himself out lies down & sleeps for 10 or 12 hours and is noisy after being awake sometime refuses again Swelling of leg much reduced & incisions discharging freely Lower part bandaged and on poultice kept at the upper part when he permits Getting very thin Bowels slow Comat Pulv Doveri ℈ij ℈x make manageable Applic. [illegible] resumed acetate

4 Leg improving but he still has the same alternations of manner which leave him more and more exhausted Getting very thin Takes his food & extras well No acceleration of pulse Bowels opened by medicine Cont.

7 Alterations of manner continue and exhausted him more and more although his leg seems likely to improve Takes his food & extras well Cont

9 Today very low can scarcely speak at all Pulse feeble & frequent Very cold Hot pans & flannels applied round him & to have as much warm bottles as he can swallow Cont

10 Continued to sink at 10 a m

Died

Daniel M. Intosh 46 M. a Farm
Wm Mc Intosh Painter Grahamston

Brought today from Grahamston schedule states that he was insane about 8 years ago & also about 12 months since Insane on present occasion 6 months Annoyed by severe headache Has had 6 children eldest 25 Youngest 16 years old His mother was insane & other relatives have been melancholic During first attack inflicted a severe wound on his head Cause - Obstinate low spleen Prominent symptoms Great depression of spirits as at. tempts at suicide and always worst at night 8 years ago attempted to shoot himself of late has attempted hanging & cutting his throat Has been bled purged for headache had antimonials & opiates according to symptoms

April

May

June

March 28 Of very spare size Abdomen being very prominent says he did not sleep any and is much troubled with headache chiefly across the eyes Says his bowels are always very costive and he requires large doses of castor oil to make them act Ordered Pulv Rhei Resini ℥j P R N Colocynth Comp ℥ij Sumat Quas p.r.n.

29 Bowels moved by oil Tongue very white & flabby Answers questions tolerably well Takes his food R Infusi Cinchon ℥j ℥ij V Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi Sulph Dilut ℥j Ter Sumat ℥ij bis indies

April 1 Still complains of pain in his brown chiefly about the eyebrows but says he feels his mind better Takes his food well Complains much of cold although he is warmly clad and the weather is not cold Cont

3 Had two colocynth pills yesterday which purged him generally Omit pil Colocynth et Sumat Pul alterative ortime nocte Says he is very weak and complains much of cold Bowels easy Cont

9 On the whole improving Annoyed by a pain over right eyebrow Weather so inclement as scarcely to permit of outdoor exercise Bowels easy from the pills Tongue seems improving Cont on

Admitted 27 March 1849

April 14	Continues to improve although but slightly weather not permitting much out door exercise complains great[ly] of cold and likewise of a feeling of dullness in neighbourhood R Liniment Ammoniae ℥ij Pars dolens fricatur
May 12	Much improved. Indeed very much marks about the grounds of his own accord without any surveillance conducts himself in all respects well Tongue still somewhat furred. and bowels require medicine constantly Continue Sumat Pil Ferri ℈ss alvo nam omni nocte
June 6	Has continued to improve since last report Walked out about the grounds daily taken charge upon of a melancholick patient His friends became anxious to try him at home and although he has still some remains of depression about him he is so far well that he may be included among those discharged as

Cured

Thos Babbie 18 single Labourer
Mar 11 McCulloch Sh. & W. McCulloch 28.27 applied

Brought today from Dairy Schedule May
states that he never was insane before
till 8 days but spirits depressed for
sometime previous Quiet & industrious
His uncle Robt died in the asylum
five years ago Cause = mental anxiety
Stationary very incoherent Not
suicidal or not attempts to injure
others Broke everything in the room
on Saturday Leeched on head Syncope
& blisters Never in an asylum

March 28 Head has been shaved Brow some
what hot Pupils largely dilated
Head large Tongue pale & flabby
Talks incoherently Restless & un
settled his feet about the
room R Pol attend till 4 hours
unam omni nocte

29 Restless and rather depressed
exclaiming in a mournful tone
oh yes! sigh yes! and rushing in-
coherently Pulse of moderate strength
& frequency Pupils largely dilated
Does not seem to sleep any R
Pulv Camph 3ss Tinct Opii
Opii gr ii in Pilule ex Chartal xii
Sumat unam omni nocte

April 1 More composed today answers
question more readily sleeps and
takes his food pretty well Does
Pupils much less Bowels easy
Cont

3 Was sent to the quarry yesterday
and although very stupid yet
applied tolerably constantly to work
Appetite very keen Complains of
hunger Speaks slowly but much
more to the point Bowels easy
Cont

8 Working industriously in the quarry
and seems improving considerably
although still slow and confused in
mind Appetite keen To have a
larger supply of food Cont

14 Improving Danced at the
female ball last night and
enjoyed it very much Works
in the quarry when the weather
permits Cont

24 Mind calm and composed although
still a little dull & sluggish Works
in the quarry Health good Bowels
easy Cont

May 12 Conducting himself in all
respects well works assigned
in the quarry Convalescent
Cont

Admitted 27 March 1869

May 16	Continued to conduct himself well in all respects Worked steadily at the good Removed tastily by his uncle Discharged as cured

Jas Campbell 37 Mrd Collier
John Stewart Insp Renfrew

Brought today from Clay Thorpe's Stable stated that he he has been ill 3 months Went attack Was off work for 2 months previous to the more obvious manifestation of malady Married 15 years 4 children eldest 8 years youngest 6 months No relatives known to have been insane Depressed in spirits Hopeless and afraid that he wife & children will starve Refuses medicine saying that it is poison Not suicidal nor violent No treatment in consequence of refusing medicine

March 29 Very quiet dull and inactive Answers in a low tone of voice slowly & with great reluctance Very thin but otherwise bodily health seems tolerably good Tongue is however pale Bowels sluggish & pulse weak R Nil alterat ℞ Glycer amygd amar ℥ss Aq menth pip ℥ss Infusi cinchon Frigide ℥vii Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi sulph ℥j Misce sumat ℥ij bis indies

April 1 Much the same can scarcely be got to give an answer Would lie or sit in a corner constantly if permitted Sent out to work in the grounds Cont

3 At work daily in the grounds when the weather permits but is very slothful listless & dull easy Cont

7 Not improving Grossly dull and very stupid with great want of energy Likely thy To have Steak & porter daily Cont

13 Mental unchanged but bodily condition appears slightly improved Very dull and listless Cont on

May 12 Much the same in all respects Bodily health & gather condition but little improved and pulse not at all Has been put on cod liver oil Cont

June 12 No change of any consequence apprehensive Never speaks and seems much annoyed when anyone speaks to him Works in the grounds Cont

July 12 Not much improved Cannot be got to speak listless and careless Takes his food well Works in the grounds Cont

Estab[lishment] Admitted 28th March 1849

July 14	Getting to sail the bed at night Much attention to be paid time to improve clean habits Rub morning cold Liniment Habeat cum Rubiginosa
Augt 14	Not much change but on the whole rather brighter Seldom soils the bed but sometime his trousers Scarcely ever answers beyond yes or no Coll
Sept 14	Not much change Dull inactive & stupid Takes his food well Bowels easy Coll
Oct 14	Rather improved Seldom soils his bed Answers rather more Takes his food well
Nov 14	Improving considerably Answers much more readily Keeps himself cleaner Bowels regular
Dec 14	Continues slowly to improve Bodily health good
91	No change
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Jany 31	Mind continues weak and inactive. Slow and deliberate in speech and motions. Quiet and inoffensive. Bodily functions natural C. Ozenia.
Feby 28	Seems considerably improved, mind more active and alert. Answers most questions correctly. Cleanly in his habits and appearance. Not at present employed. Bodily health good. C. Ozenia.
March 31	Mind still weak & sluggish and slow. Answers questions correctly. Recognises no delusion. Health good. C. Ozenia.
April 30	No change of any consequence since last report. C. Ozenia.
May 31	Bodily health. Slow in mind and in his movements speaks only in answer. Cleanly in his habits. Answers briefly and slowly but usually correctly. C. Ozenia.
June 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No change in mind C. O.
July 15	Much the same. C. Ozenia
" 24	Has been complaining of late. Was removed this day.

Relieved

Wm Sterling 21 Single Weight
Rev. Rob't Wight Manufacturer
Brought today from Craigie
near Kilmarnock Schedule
states that he has been in-
sane for 3 months Last at-
tack Much elevated in spirits
before attack Much depressed
since Rather intemperate
Was simple and unassuming
yet on certain occasions obstinate
Had a sister insane on occasion
of childbearing Cause not
stated Depressed in spirits &
unwilling to work Disease
increasing Has great sorrow
for his errors & fear of being
reduced to poverty & starvation
Has attempted to hang himself
Not violent nor destructive
Treated but with no benefit
Never in an asylum
March 31 Dull and quiet seldom answers
beyond a monosyllable seems in
tolerably good health Tall fair
haired and sallow Tongue white
ish No smell feet & scalp Tibiæ
moderate R Pd affected & Lum
unam omni nocte
April 2 Sent out to work in the grounds
as he from his suicidal tendency
could not be trusted in the wright
shop Sluggish and inactive Takes
his food well Cont
4 Working in the grounds Takes his
food well Dullish and rather stupid
Answers slowly and somewhat con-
fusedly Has not shown any suicidal
tendency since admission Bowels
easy Cont
8 Still somewhat dull and confused
Yet on the whole brighter than
when admitted Quiet never speak-
ing unless spoken to R Infusi An-
thonidis fugid ℥ss Tinct Cinnam
omni ℥ij Acidi sulph dilut ℥j m
Signetur ℥ij bis indies
13 Much the same as at last re-
port Bodily health good Works
in the grounds when the weather
permits as we are still afraid
to trust him with weighting tools
Cont
May 12 Has very considerably improved
of late and has been for some
time employed in the
weighty shop But this last
week is again somewhat more
stupid Cont

Estabt Admitted 29 March 1849

June 12 Still continues very stupid Refused to walk without his shoes and stockings Has been employed sawing stoks for some time back Never speaks unless spoken to and loves to pace to and fro with a heavy tread

July 10 Yesterday while working in the ground made a pretence of going to ease nature climbed over the stoks and got within a mile of Rowland before overtaken When questioned as to the motive stared stupidly and gave no coherent answer very slovenly

23 Tears his clothes Told his friends that he would run off and commit suicide put opportunity Bowels slow Headach Vil Colocynth ij

Augt 17 Not much change Bowels opened by medicine occasionally Rather dull and mopish Takes his food well Had his neck rubbed with croton oil Liniment

Sept 13 No improvement Sits moping & tearing his clothes Bowels well opened by medicine

22 No change of any consequence Removed on trial by his friends Discharged as

Relieved

David Bankier 21 single Shop
Domd Bankier Lews Largs

Schedule States that he resides with Largs Has always been peculiar & eccentric but could not be said to be insane till about ten months back No bodily disorder preceded attack Had great excitement was overbearing and imperious violent passionate & proud Incapable of continued attention to anything Has insane delusions Father at one time intemperate Cause unknown Increasing Furious impatient of control & contradiction Imagines his head to be too large & endeavours by scrubbing & friction to reduce its size Not suicidal Has often struck his mother & sisters and sometimes broken furniture No treatment

April 1 Dull and stupid Head large Expression of face imbecile Pinna ears and at the lower and back part of cheeks the cuticle is rubbed off and a scabby crust is formed Told that too much rubbing will cause his head to swell more rather than reduce its size and he promises to leave off rubbing Tongue covered with a whitish fur Pulse of ordinary strength & frequency R R Abstract &c Linimt ammon &c

9 Bowels easy Tongue still whitish Appetite good Given to pick at the scabs about his ears and is very anxious to have his head blistered and promises to let it alone R Mist ferri cinchon etc sumat 3ij his meals Cont alia

5 Runs weak and from the size of his head hydrocephalus is probably the cause of his imbecility Sometimes cries like a child to get home Appetite good but he dislikes the food and wishes to get to a better gallery Cont om

8 Has to a considerable degree left off rubbing and scratching his head and consequently the abrasions are healing Takes his food well but still wishes to get to a better class gallery Cont

14 Having again taken to rubbing his head his hands have been tied to his waist to prevent him Cont

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Admitted March 31 1849

April 12	Promises to leave of scratching of set. free Mind weak and childish Tabe and lymphatic R Oleu Lecaris acetic ℥ x ℥ii Lumat ℥ss bis mane Cont takin
May 12	Much the same in all respects still given to rub and scratch his head Very childish and often sheds tears sometimes thinks he is about to die Had an eruption resembling scabies on hands and feet Treated with sulphur and now gone ℞ Tinct Muriates Ferri ℥j Lumat gtt xl ter mane et aqua Cont alia
June 11	Scabious eruption quite gone Is very dull stupid and slow Excited Seldom moves unless forced and would lie in bed constantly if permitted can not be got fat to walk upright Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont
July 11	Very little change since last report careless dejected and dirty Cont
Augt 10	Still dull and dejected careless of his personal appearance sometimes very ill natured to patients he is put to master can answers questions tolerably relevantly when he chooses Takes his food well Does not scratch his head nor soil the bed
Sept 10	No change of much consequence
Oct 10	Much the same as reported above Cont
Nov 10	Troubled with small sores on fingers which however are getting better Mentally much the same
Dec 10	Not much change
31	Much the same
1850	
Jany 31	Mind very feeble Answers simple questions childishly but correctly enough Almost constantly sits with his trowsers undone and hanging about his thighs Cleanly at night Bodily health good Quiet and inoffensive C.C.
Feby 28	No change since last report C. Cuscia
March 31	Looks slovenly and untidy Mind very weak Health good C. Cuscia
April 30	Health good Mind and habits the same C. Cuscia

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Matthew McFie 56 Med Room
7th

Brought today from No 5 Mason street Town Head Schedule gives no particulars Is a native of Co. Antrim Ill 10 month never ill before Never speaks unless spoken to nor asks for food Precedingly ill tempered for 3 years previously Had 8 children 2 of them dead Eldest 33 Youngest 15 None of his relatives known to be insane

April 1 Dull and stupid sits with his head bent down on his breast taking little or no notice of anything passing around Answers slowly compulsorily & often not at all Face pale Eyes dull and lustreless Tongue pale and slightly whitish R Rl alternat with Lumat unam om noste

3 But working in the grounds when the weather permits Dull and without energy Takes his food when offered Answers slowly & in monosyllables chiefly R Infusc lucrum et C ℥ss-℥i sterquat ℥ij bis indie

5 Much the same in all respects Bodily health tolerable but he is very dull and sluggish having no inclination for exertion of any kind Bowels easy

8 No change The weather has been so inclement for some days as not to permit of out door labour Dull and sluggish answers slowly and with great reluctance Cont

12 Dull and inactive When not employed sits with his head hung down on his breast Weather prevents outdoor work at present Cont

May 12 Little change Amenable to order Speaks never unless spoken to & rarely beyond a monosyllable Sits with his head sunk on his breast and asleep Wakes in the forenoon Bowels easy Cont

June 12 Become very dirty & slovenly has kept Careless of his personal appearance in fact of anything Never speaks unless spoken to and then looks up as if newly aroused Takes his food well Cont

June

m Glasshouse Committed March 31 1849

June 16 Fell back M.S.P. into a state of apoplectic stupor with occasional convulsive shaking after which fits he moans heavily but does not recover consciousness Had a blister applied to occiput and a turpentine enema exhibited Pulse weak but got much accelerated Pupils dilated at last the eyelid one only disturbance of limb being on a convulsive twitch Left C. C. much Behalf Quart Hordeum 3/VI

17 Gurgling menaced a fit and he seemed weaker after Gradually sank and at 8 a M.

Died

Jas Ferguson 50 M. a Mechanic
Private wife Elizab Ferguson 19 old wynd Meddon Pastry
Brought to-day from 19 old wynd medden
Pastry Cook-Sale states that he was
in this Asylum five years Has been
ill on the present occasion 3 mons
preceded by dysentery A steady man
of an inventive turn of mind Has
four children alive eldest 20 Youngest
ten years Cause supposed - Dysentery
Disease increasing Form religious
melancholy Has dread of having com-
mitted some unpardonable sin
Has threatened & attempted to cut his
throat & to swallow Gun-pennies Not
violent nor mischievous Has had
purgatives and cold lotions Paternal
uncle insane

April 5 Dull and low spirited Admits that he
is so but laments that he cannot
shake it off Of a pale sympathetic ap-
pearance Tongue whitish pale and flabby
Bowels costive Appetite indifferent
Pulse rather compressible R Pil alterat
℥ii Sumat unam omni nocte

6 Dull and despondent Thinks he is in
danger of being damned for ever and
though he is sometimes aware of his state
cannot cannot get rid of the idea -
its depressing influence R Infusi
cinchonae ℥iiss Tinct Aurantii
℥ij Acidi Sulph dilut ℥j M Sumat
℥ij bis indies

8 Not much change Appetite rather
improving but he himself does not
think himself much better Bowels
easy Cont

13 Much the same in all respects
Bodily health rather improving
but the cold and inclement weather
prevents out door exercise Com-
plains much of the cold Conducts
himself quietly and respectably
Cont

May 11 Has improved considerably
both in body and mind Health
much better and mind much
more cheerful & free from fore-
bodings Cont

June 4 Continued to improve and his
friends thinking him well
removed Hints Being in
good bodily health and
free from delusions discharged as

cured

Session ch. Admitted 4 April 1829

Peter McEwan 55 single Weaver

Brought today from his brother in-law Sydney Street. Schedule gives no particulars. Appears he has been ill eight years first became so when his father died. No relations known to be insane. Thinks that people put combustible into his inside through long pipes. Not emaciated.

April 5 Is rather pale and ashy colored but notwithstanding seems in tolerably good health. Tongue whitish and pale. Pulse a beat of surface moderate. Answers questions pertinently R Pil alterat. ℞ Sumat unam omni nocte. Dieta mag. aut.

6 Takes his food well. Bowels opened. Answers ordinary questions readily and rationally but affirms that people put combustible matters into his inside by means of long tubes. Tongue pale. ℞ Infus. cuchonae lugidum ℥ℓ Tinct. cinnamomi ℥ij. Acidi Sulph. dilute ℥ij omni nocte. Sumat ℥ij bis indies cum alia.

8 Conducts himself in all respects quietly. Weather has not been such as to permit of his going out to work in the ground. Cont.

9 Much the same in all respects. Works in the grounds when the weather permits. Talks rationally on ordinary subjects. Cont.

14 No change. Does not like to be confined among lunatics where he has not a same person to speak to. Delusion unchanged. Health good. Pretty good. Cont.

May 12 No change in his delusions. Very anxious to get home. Conducts himself well and works industriously. Cont.

June 12 Works steadily and conducts himself rationally except that he still retains the delusion of matter being introduced into him by means of tubes. Cont.

July 12 Quiet and industrious. No mental change. Cont.

Augt 12 Quiet and industrious. Very anxious to get home. Says he has not been annoyed by persons putting combustible into him since he came here nor for two months previous. Bodily health tolerable. Bowels early. Cont.

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Sept 12	No appreciable change
Oct 12	No change
Nov 12	Quiet and peaceable Takes his food well Bowels costy
Dec 12	No change
31	No change
1850	
Jany 31	Bodily health good. No mental change. C. Ozanam.
Feby 28	Complained lately of being annoyed by invisible beings. Behaves pretty well. Not any cheerful being sleepful and reserved. Cleanly in appearance. Functions natural. C. Ozanam.
March 31	Refuses to converse on the subject of his being annoyed by invisible enemies. Health good. C. Ozanam.
April 30	No change C. Ozanam.
May 31	Much the same. C. Ozanam
June 15	Observed in conversation very quiet and well behaved seldom seen to smile. Appetite good. Bowels costive Ol Ricini 3i statim.
July 6	This patient has been going on well since last report being quiet orderly civil cleanly and moderately industrious Bodily health good When questioned as to his former delusions puts off the conversation and seems to deny that he ever laboured in them Was this day removed at the request of his wife and by order of the inspectors of prisons

Cured?

Wm Grace Age 40 Year 42 single Mechan
Goran ant

Brought today from the Gorbals police office to which he was taken yesterday in consequence of creating disturbance in the streets Schedule gives no particulars but it is said that patient is subject to epileptic fits Is allowed to sleep in seclusion

April 8 Stupid restless and incoherent very filthy soiling his bed and room Bowels not opened Upper lip bears a very deep scar which may either have been a bite or as resulted from an accident Pulse altered Tongue unnatural manner

10 Still restless filthy and stupid Takes his food well Bowels easy Soils his bed and rolls about his room Too stupid and incoherent to give any account of himself Cont

12 Not so restless lies sleepy & dull in bed Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

15 Much improved says he does not recollect when fits first occurred but they stay away except when he gets drunk or vexed Wife left him lately this vexed him much and was the cause of the renewal of the fits says the scar on his lip was from a fall Takes his food well Cont

19 Continues to conduct himself quietly although still somewhat dull and stupid Bowels easy Takes his food well Cont

24 Employed in the grounds Works quietly and industriously No fits observed of late Bowels regular Cleanly and careful of his clothes Cont

May 20 Has continued free from fits or excitement Mixes quiet & rational Works industriously Cont

June 20 Has had one or two fits but no excitement Bowels easy Takes his food well Works industriously Cont

July 4 The parochial board visited yesterday and seeing that the patient was well free from delusions and had had no excitement since a few days after his admission agreed to remove him to their own poor house Discharged today as cured

Mechanic Admitted April 7th 1849

John Millar 56 Weaver Wiltshire Estab
A. P. C.

July

Brought to Bath from Barsley Wilts to Barsley Asylum for 4 Months about four years ago and also from this asylum 2 years ago see old page Has been ill on the present occasion fully a month at Work in fact never altogether well of last previous attack Supposes that the family are going to die and various other calamities about to overtake him Has taken but little food for a week back and his bowels have not been moved for five days Attempted to hang and to drown himself when ill of first attack but has shown no suicidal inclination since Has four six children 2 9 to 10 years

No treatment

April 8 Very dull and depressed in spirits Tongue foul pale and flabby Pulse somewhat feeble Bowels costive R Pil aloes et ferri Sumat unam omni nocte

9 Bowels moved by the pills still dull depressed and afraid of calamities of various kinds overtaking him Has a pale unhealthy look Tongue white pale and flabby R Infusi cinchon fluid ℥ij ℥iv Tinct ferri mur ℥ij acidi sulph dilute ℥j ter in Sumat ℥ij bis indies

11 Much the same in all respects Dull and low spirited Not inclined to exert himself confined to the gallery in consequence of inclement weather Cont

14 Much the same in all respects says he cannot get up his spirits and that he is afraid of what is coming over him Takes his food pretty well Bowels easy Cont

24 On the whole improved but is still low spirited and dull Has gone out to work in the grounds Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont om

May 20 Still low spirited and dull but works many hours daily in the garden Afflicted with slight paralytic agitations of head when has been so for years Cont

June 20 On the whole improved and assists diligently in the garden Health tolerable Cont

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July 18 Mind as well as when last dismissed Converses cheerfully and works diligent by Takes his food well Bowels Rather slow Hath had Recd 7/

24 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Bodily health good Dismissed cured

John Brown 34 M-a Shoemaker
Goshen

Brought today from Goshen schedule gives no particulars but it is said that intemperance is the cause of his malady Rotter pale Quieter admission

April 10 Answers rather vaguely and in a confused manner said he heard his father through the wall last night Takes his food and conducts himself quietly R Pil attenuat xii Sumat dosim omni nocte

11 This evening threw butted his head against the wall and cut the scalp in coronal region but now expresses himself sorry at having been driven to do such a foolish thing Dressed with plaster

13 Rather stupid and confused not comprehending readily what is said to him Has not again made an attempt to injure himself Takes his food Bowels regular Cont

16 Says that he was dull in the mind and low spirited for 15 days before he came here & a few days after but now feels himself much better Conducts himself tolerably well and seems improving Walks on the ground Cont

23 Has been employed in the shoemaker's shop tolerably quietly and industriously till today when he refused to work any longer & had to be brought to his gallery

May 12 Was again tried in the shoemaker's shop but occasionally burst out in such raptures that he could not be trusted there Works in the grounds Takes his food well Respect R.L. R Pulsatilla Lycopodium Ote 3 x VI Sumat iij pars mensa

June 12 Much the same Works in the grounds but liable to sudden outbursts of devotion and noisy exclamation Takes his food well Bowels say from an occasional pill Cont

July 12 Not so frequent nor so loud in his outbreaks but mind far from well at times although the answers tolerably relevant at others Cont

Admitted 9th April 1849

July 13	Tongue white. Sunot al Riceni
31	
Augt 13	Has been tolerably quiet since last report except that two days ago got a little excited and restless Answers questions relevantly but seldom speaks of his own accord Takes his food well Bowels easy
Sept 13	Much the same Sometimes when his wife calls to see him will not speak to her
Oct 13	Not much change. Dull quiet and taciturn but subject to short outbursts against those he imagines do him harm Gets a little liquor occasionally
Nov 13	Has been considerably quieter but does not work Eats Takes his food well
Dec 13	Much better improvement
31	No further improvement
1850	
Jany 31	Continues quiet but ill. Bodily health good. C. Ormerod
Feby 18	Bodily functions natural. Quiet and pretty well behaved. Seems tolerably contented and good humoured. Cleanly in habits C. Ormerod.
March 31	No change since last report. Cont. Ormerod.
April 30	In every respect as before C. Ormerod.
May 31	Mind weakish. Behaves pretty well. Cleanly in his habits. Bodily health good. C. Ormerod
June 18	Appetite sharp and bowels natural. Mind weak. Seldom speaks much. Broaches no delusions Not much employed. C. Ormerod.
July 16	Answers most questions relevantly. Somewhat careless and indifferent about his detention. Broaches no delusions. Mind seems weakish Bodily functions natural. C. Ormerod.
Aug 15	Much the same. C. Ormerod
Sept 15	No change. C. Ormerod
Oct 15	Mind weak and incoherent. Cannot give a relevant answer Health good C. Ormerod
Nov 15	Much the same. C. Ormerod

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Wm Donaldson 51 Pr A Spainway
Barony L.

Was in this asylum from the 25th
Jany to the 24th March ultimo (see
page 87) became free from any
delusion at the request of his
family was discharged Depres-
sed in spirits again but shewed
signs no particulars

April 10 Quiet and has gone out to work
complains of lowness of spirits
which he says he cannot get over
Takes his food well Bowels
rather costive Tongue whitish
Face rather pale R Pil alter
azen ℞ Sumat unam omni
nocte

12 Bowels moved by the pills
still sullish and dispirited
but works tolerably industriously
in the grounds Appetite pretty
good Cont

14 Dull and depressed in
spirits Weather inclement so that
he cannot be sent out to work
Takes his food well Bowels
easy Cont

16 Rather improving but still low
spirited Has gone out to work
in the grounds Cont

19 Employed in the grounds Improved
in mind although but slightly Takes
his food well Bowels easy from
the pills ℞ Infusi Cinchonæ fuscæ
℥ss ℳ Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi
Sulphuri ℨj ℳ Sumat ℥ij bis in
cont te alva

23 No change of any consequence Still
employed in the grounds Still
dispirited Bowels easy Cont
om

May 1st Works in the grounds quietly
& tolerably industriously but
is still timid & given to muse
Health tolerable Good except
that he seems troubled with
irritability of urinary bladder
℞ Spiritus Aetheris Chloros ℥ij
Aceti Cotarii Infusi Valerianæ
aa ℥i Tinct Glycyrrhizæ ℥ss
Misturæ Camphoræ ℥vi
Sumat ℥ss statim mane nocte
cont in idem

29 Still complains of passing urine
frequently with pain
Bladder sounded but no
stone detected Ordered
an ounce of infusion of
Buchu three times a day

Admitted 9th April 1849

June 28	Much the same in so far as his mind is concerned. Much less troubled with pain in making water but still needs it often. Works in the grounds dont remain.
July 18	Complains of having again more pain and more frequent calls to micturate. No Mental change seems still much depressed of his family & seems beyond hope. R Tinct Cantharid Zij Liquat 9tt xv ex aquae Zvij bis quotidie
Augt 14	Mind more depressed. Moans much over his unhappy state and often utters loud cries of anguish says that his urine is much clearer but otherwise there is no improvement. Bowels regular. Medicine occasionally
Septr 14	Little or no change
Oct 14	Not much change mind seems still very much depressed on account of his imaginary sins
Nov 14	Very little change. Mind much depressed on account of his sins & lot
Dec 14	Much the same
31	No improvement
1850	
Jany 31	Frequently smiles about uttering cries indicative of suffering and anxiety. No change in mental state. Health pretty good. C. O.
Febr 28	About a fortnight ago had a sudden attack in which he lost his speech and power over left half of body when visited could speak. But muscles of face were obliged and he smiled with difficulty use his left extremities to any extent. Complained of pain over left eyebrow. He had castor oil after the operation of which he was much better and continuing to improve is now well. Since this attack has remained in the same way as to his great mental anguish. Bowels obstinately. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omissa.
March 31	Seems from the withered and very despondent way in which he was before subject to. Health pretty good. C. Omissa.
April 30	No change. C. Omissa.
May 31	Much the same. C. Omissa
June 15	As before. C. Omissa.

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Saltboats — John Potter 32 Mr Baker — Tuesday

Brought this evening from Saltboats Schedule gives no particulars very noisy and boisterous on admission said he had been at London and kissed the queen's feet that he was to have five hundred thousand pounds — Aug. 2

April 12 — Bodily health seems tolerably good Tongue whitish Pulse moderate No unusual heat of cutaneous surface Restless and talks much Says he has been to London and kissed the queen's feet is intends to go again Has been sick very little R. R. attend. & Urinat. drains omitt noctu — Left

13 — According to his own account is possessed of immense wealth Has been sent here to be governor is to have a hundred thousand pounds a month

15 — Talks much of his wealth of his going to see the queen of her appointing him governor of this place very rambling in his discourse much given to pray at night Bodily health seems tolerable Bowels regular Cont.

16 — Much the same in all respects attentations and prays Talks largely of his power riches & influence but without connection probability or consistance Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont.

23 — Tore all his clothes yesterday and had to get on a strong canvas dress Works in the grounds but is very insubordinate Takes his food well Cont.

May 16 — Not much change Works in the grounds rather more quietly but still very noisy Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont.

June 15 — Works very industriously in the grounds No abatement of his delusions Always of opinion that he is about to get away Bodily health good Cont.

July 16 — Some little change of full habit Works tolerably well but still somewhat unsettled

Aug. 1 — Continues to improve Not now dirty nor destructive Assists very efficaciously in the gallery and tends a destructive patient

Fuech. Admitted April 14th 1849

Augst 28 Mined much improved Results very effectively in the gallery Had altercation with another patient yesterday which made him sick and nervous Had a soothing draught last night & is in his usual health today Conf

Sept 29 Continues much improved but mind is still slightly weak and unsettled Anxious to get home Works in the Gallery Health good Conf

Octr 5 As reported above Today discharged as

Relieved

Archibald Johnston 27 Single Clerk
74

Brought today from 146 Rotherwood Schemes Series No particulars known Pale & thin & of a dark & bilious melancholic temperament

April 13 Slept tolerably quietly Skin and pale more dark coloured some of the glands of neck have suppurated are discharging a thin fluid and have a dark color Bowels he has had stools several times but no sore throat All the while he is speaking keeps a most suspicious outlook on the person with whom he is conversing When asked why he has been sent here puts his hand to his forehead & says he is supposed because he is touched here Says he had several fits like falling sickness the night before he came here and got quite out of his reason attempting to jump over the window and such like Never had any fits previously Had been drinking a good deal of brandy Appetite good R Infusi Serpentariae ℥vj Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Liquoris Ammoniae ℥ij Aquae ℥iss Syrupi Zingiberis ℥ij Misce

15 Last night had a fit resembling epilepsy and got so very excited after that he had to sleep in seclusion Is quieter today and out in the airing ground Has a pale cachectic look Takes his food well Cont

17 Quieter but has still to sleep in seclusion as he is usually more restless at night and disturbs the other patients Is however very anxious to get leave to sleep in the open dormitory and promises to keep quiet if allowed Takes his food well Cont

20 Occasionally has short attacks of diarrhoea Pulse weak and rapid Pale and thin Cough troublesome sputa yellow Bronchial resonance of voice below left clavicle Mind weak & meanders Swallows with difficulty and appetite nearly gone Suppuration in the left side of neck Applicat Cataplas Sperits Hordei ℥iss Tinct Benzoini ℥j misce

23 Much the same Appetite bad Takes little but fluid food Slight bursts of diarrhoea for a few hours R Acid Sulph Arom ℥j Aquae ℥

Admitted April 12th 1849

April 28 — gutta ℞ ex aqua ter quotidie
Takes almost no sustenance except a little beef tea eggs or toddy & but little of this daily losing flesh and strength
Cough harrassing & expectoration copious & muco purulent No mental improvement
Still fits of purging occur ℞ Pil Plumbi & Opii ℞ ℥ss ter dumat. unam ter quotidie

May 1 — Daily declining Weak and emaciated
Takes scarcely any sustenance even of a liquid kind Expectoration very copious
Frequently at stool but passes but little
Teeth covered with sordes

2 — Continued to decline occasionally seemingly frightened started up & attempted to get out of bed
at 2 p m

Died

Chas Fraser 27 Ragsorter
X+ B5.

Brought today from the Western District Police Office under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal Was last Apprehended in Jas Watt Street No history given

April 15 Bodily health seems to be really good but mind weak Says he came from Lanarkshire or Parkhead many years ago with a man & his wife named Fraser but does not know whether they were his parents or not They are both dead The man Fraser kept a rag store & the patient assisted him since his death has lodged in various places & last with a Mrs Cochran Boarhead Lane Gallowgate Has been in the employment of a Mr Bruce sorting rags He says that he made an agreement with Mr Bruce by which he was to receive £250-0-0 for each of two offices or situations What these situations are he does not clearly explain but says there is no mistake as Mr Bruce went with him to the bar of the Anderston police office and fully admitted the agreement

16 Is very much annoyed at having been inveigled into this place and explanes being cross questioned regarding his salaries He says that Mr Bruce fully admits that he is right and it is nobody else's business Takes his food well & conducts himself tolerably quietly

18 Much the same Means much but to get to Mr Bruce to see after his bargain Bodily health tolerable Cont

20 Today examined before the Sheriff stated that Mr Bruce went to the bar of Anderston Police office to settle the bargain but some malicious persons there cheated him (patient) and sent him to Gartnavel Remitted here Cont

28 Little change Appreciable Constantly making application to get out Will not believe that he is a patient here Wishes to go to see about his bargain with Mr Bruce Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Admitted 14th April 1849

May 15	Exceedingly annoying in his constant & increasing solicitations to get away says he was stolen off the streets that he is not a patient and threatens the vengeance of the laws Court
June 14	Settled change of any consequence still persuerendly annoying concerning his getting out and being illegally kept in here says Talks rather good natured Court
July 13	Still annoying in his assertions that he is unlawfully kept here and often threatens to punish the officers as soon as he gets out Refuses to employ himself at any thing useful
Augt 13	No change except rather less annoying
Sept 13	No change of any consequence Court
Oct 13	Again becoming more annoying in the subject of his detention Health good
Nov 13	As at last report
Dec 13	Little change
31	No improvement
1850	
Jany 31	Behaves quietly. Seems employed Cleanly in habits Bodily health pretty good. P. Macnia.
Feby 28	No change of any kind since last report. C. Macnia.
March 31	Mind weak and confused Health good. C. Macnia.
April 30	No change observable since last report. C. Macnia.
May 31	Mind weak and confused. Indolent and inactive says he is unlawfully imprisoned and demands to be set at liberty. Behaves quietly. Cleanly in habits. Bodily health good. C. Macnia
June 15	Much the same. C. M.
July 15	A little sluggish and obstinate at times but he is on the whole quiet Mind very weak much confused. but orderly employed. Bodily functions natural. C. Macnia.
Aug 28	Removed.

Relieved

Jas Hay 33 Collier Mk
Sle Monk Land

Was in this asylum from the 7th June
till the 9th Nov last and although he
had still a slight lingering of a delusion
was dismissed as cured Re Vol 14 page 52
Came today to the asylum and stated
that he had been annoyed and per-
secuted almost ever since he left
the asylum He had even gone to work
in Airshire but there also they would
not let him alone sometimes he could
not get any sleep for two or three
nights at a time and last week
they rendered him blind for three
days Has never seen the parties but
knows the places they frequent
Anxious for redress and especially
for relief from his tormentors Went
to the fiscal about it last and not
find him at home Went in to
the fiscal in Glasgow who returned
him here under a special warrant
April 18 Conducting himself quietly but has
the same delusions Thinks there
are parties who have some law plea
against him These he wishes to dis-
cover Takes his food well Cleanly
and quiet Sent out to work
20 Examined today before the sheriff
Readily stated all his delusions and
was remitted to the asylum R
Vil attonat x11 Lunat cum om
nota
22 Little change Delusions remain the
same Quiet and industrious It ap-
pears that getting some lime blown
into his eyes was the cause of the
blindness which he attributes to
his unseen enemies Cont
26 In all respects as at last report
Works in the grounds Cont
May 12 Delusions remain the same
Mostly condition improving
Works in the grounds Cont
29 Works most assiduously
and conducts himself quietly
Delusions however remain the
same as formerly Health good
Cont
June 28 Health good considerably fatter
Works contentedly in the garden
Delusions as before Cont
July 14 No mental change Bowels reg
ular R. vehic Lunat Calomel gr
Pulv Jalapae Comp 3ij
Aug 14 Sharp active and industrious Work
in the garden Health good

Committed 16th April 1849

Sept 14	No change of any consequence that is much extent in ordinary matters but retains his delusion Conf.
Oct 14	No change of any consequence Health good Conf.
Nov 14	Does not work more otherwise as reported above Conf.
Dec 14	No change
31	No change
1850	
Jan 31	Complained of constant headach. for which had his neck rubbed with acton liniment and, compound aloes with pills Quiet and orderly. Appetite good. C. Ormiston
Feby 28	Complained of neuralgic pains in genital organs removed by tincture of iron. States that the commencement of his illness was this – became ill in health – from some conversation amongst his fellow workmen which he overheard suspected the water kept for drinking to be poisoned took some of it to Professor Penny to analyse and who found poison in it – thinks that it was the bad state of the county made this working man do this. Found the same thing to occur wherever he went. Behaves very well. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormiston.
March 31	Behaves quietly and very well. Civil good natured and cleanly. Complained much of headach for which neck was rubbed and he took purgative medicine with some relief. Health otherwise seems good. was lately employed in the garden. C. Ormiston.
April 30	Complains of pain in a spot of scalp where nothing abnormal can be seen Appetite moderate Bowels open Urinal Quiet Pulse 72 Resp 18 Vide Dict. C. Ormiston. Admr.
May 31	Pain gone. Otherwise as before. C. Ormiston
June 15	Much the same. C. Ormiston.
July 15	Says he does not suffer from any annoyance like. Bodily health good C. Ormiston

Vide Dict 18 Page 5 S.

John Kerr Gus 41 Widower Bonbour Farmer
Parony

Brought to day from N Z chesterfield Anderston Schedule states that he never was insane before Ill 3 months No bodily disorder preceded attack Has four children alive & dies 14 youngest four years His wife died of cholera at christmas and this is supposed to be the exciting cause of his malady Talks much on religious subjects yesterday supposed himself in the Free general assembly Put his children out of the house because they were not true believers but is not given to strike neither is he suicidal

21 Is not noisy nor destructive Rather pale and thin Pupil of normal size Takes his food To day is going about with his mouth full of saliva and tossing upwards Refuses to empty his mouth and so cannot speak Ut Vil alterat xii Sumat Zimam omni nocte

23 More talkative and very importunate to get home says there is nothing wrong with his mind & no reason exists why he should have been sent to a mad house Takes his food well & conducts himself peaceably Cont

25 Bowels regular Takes his food well Keeps his clothes and bed clean Anxious to be let home Has gone out to work Cont

28 Mind seems considerably better admits that he was out of his right mind when he came here & for some time previously but during the last two days feels himself getting better & his memory which was almost obliterated is now as well as ever Bowels easy Cont

May 1 conducting himself very well Works industriously but is very anxious to get home to provide for his family Thinks it was the loss of his temper that put him wrong Appetite good Cont

15 In all respects conducting himself well Talks rationally behaves no delusions and works industriously Cont

22 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Discharged as

cured

Feuch Demitted April 20th 1849

7 H

John Buchan Grain dealer

April 3

Was brought today from the Police Office Glasgow under a warrant of the Sheriff (Bell) granted at the instance of the Procurator fiscal. Certificates signed by Jas. G. Easton M.D. & Alfred Hall M.D. Patient came in a fitting state with only shirt drawers and stockings on. Says that he was drinking more especially last Monday & Tuesday although he had been moulging much too freely for three weeks previously last Tuesday became so drunk that he did not well know what he was doing. Knows that he tumbled down a stair & hurt his elbows & knees & believes his clothes were stolen from. Was taken to the Police office that day & has been there since. Acknowledges his weakness in not being able to resist the temptation of spirits and blames his wife for putting it too freely in his way when she ought to have done the reverse. Hand shakes very considerably. Denies that he is troubled with any spectral illusions. Does not exhibit any delusions with perhaps the exception of his wife being too willing to afford him spirits. Asked for a glass of whiskey which was given him. He was well washed and went to bed. Visited at 10 p.m. & found perfectly quiet & expressed himself comfortable on account of the washing and the good bed.

April 28 Visited in the morning. Was in bed reading the newspapers. Said that he washed he had clothes that he might get up as he was quite normal & he thought he would be better walking about. Says he did not sleep much but was not troubled with any delusions but would like another glass to steady himself. Does not think he will need any more. No delusions except that he says he thinks his wife and brother were anxious to get rid of him and supplied him too freely with spirits knowing his weak point. Mental Health Order 25 Still dement & ill advised asylum station.

29 Much the same except that the muscular tremor is lessening from and he is taking his food better. Not out of bed in consequence of want of clothes. Otherwise easy. Cont.

May

June

Remitted April 27 1869

April 30 A pair of trousers having arrived he is out of bed but had an attack of flatulent colic this morning for which had a glass of warm toddy and a sinapism externally which partially relieved it but at midday it returned more severely Had an ounce of tincture of cinnamon with 3 drops of oil of peppermint which completely relieved him Cont on

May 2 Examined today before sheriff Bell who took the evidence of several medical men I was the only medical man who refused to be accessary to shutting him up in a lunatic asylum He appeared in evidence that he was out only 3 days when he took to drinking again and drank at the rate of nearly a bottle of whiskey a day for 8 days Conducted himself well after for a few weeks & then began again His wife had gone to live with him when he got drunk he gave her a black eye at least so said Mrs Lack with whom they lodged Remitted here by the Sheriff

6 Conducting himself quietly but expects to get out soon the sheriff he says told to go out to Gartnavel for a little till the excitement wears off & takes his food well

15 Occasionally troubled with flatulent colic R Rx Alterat ℥ ij Ammoniat mur ℈ i m R Infus cinchonae fuscae ℥ vi Tinct cinnamomi ℥ ij Acid sulph dilut ℥ i m Liquor ammoniae acetat ℥ ij nocte manaque conducting himself quietly Cont

30 Conducting himself well respectful well & also quietly Cont

June 6 Continued to conduct himself well in all respects Having been transferred from the town's hospital to the parish of Lambhill the inspector of poor sent for him today in consequence of a communication from the physician Dismissed as

cured

Jas Dunbar 30

Brought to day from Havannah street Glasgow Schedule gives no particulars but it is said that he had been drinking at Kilbirnie got deranged and was put in the lockup there then transmitted to Glasgow & sent here Tolerably quiet on admission sent to seclusion for security against any outbreak

April 28 Slept quietly Talks rationally admits he has been drinking and got somewhat deranged but feels better now Tunes still shakes somewhat Anxious to get out of seclusion but it is thought prudent to detain him there for another day Was in this asylum on two former occasions for drinking See vol 14 page 74

30 Quiet and rational conducting himself respectably and assisting in the gallery Bodily health pretty good Bowels act from getting an aperient pill every evening Takes his food well Cont

May 3 Conducting himself quietly and industriously Works in the grounds Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

" 7 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well Bodily health good Cont

" 15 Conducts himself in all respects well Works industriously Cont

" 22 In all respects well Works industriously Cont

June 8 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well and to work industriously Seems in good bodily health and free from all delusion discussed as to

Cured

Admitted April 27 1819

Donald McDonald 75

Lunacy

Brought to ward bound with
sheets from 28 Waterside Port
Dundas Schedule gives no particulars Sent to seclusion

April 29 Very noisy and abusive raves
loudly and incessantly chiefly in
Gaelic and in an incoherent manner
shouts dances and knocks at the
door of his room careless of personal
cleanliness Takes his food well
Flaheat Flanestus Rhegri 3/12
station

30 Much the same noisy incoherent
and violent except when asleep
Takes his food well Bowels
opened by the Medicine Skin
hot Eyes rather injected Pulse
moderate Flaheat balneum calidum
cont

May 2 Much the same noisy restless
& incoherent except when asleep
talks a mixture of Gaelic & English
Takes his food well Bowels
easy R Rl Alterat ℥ii Sumat
ubiam omni nocte Effusat
pessaria duplic

4 Quieter down considerably
Blister rose well Injected less
disappearing from eyes and
countenance less flushed
excited appearance Takes
his food well answers in
English and chiefly in a jocular
manner cont

8 Very considerably quieter and
is out of seclusion today
Takes his food well Still
talks a good deal of nonsense

12 Still talks very incoherently
supposes himself a dragoon &
bell to be shaken forcibly
as he was determined to wear
a moustache Takes his food
well cont

14 Noisy and incoherent often
gesticulating much but does
not intersperse with his fellow
patients Takes his food well
but is thin and pale
R Rei Tesonis resolti ℥ss
Sumat ℥ss nocte Manepse

June 14 Considerably quieter and goes
to work in the grounds Has
given to scratch the walls
and talk to himself Still
sleeps in seclusion Takes
his food well

June

July

Admitted 28th April 1849

June 26 Has been quite convalescent to all appearance for the last 8 days Talks rationally works industriously and conducts himself well in all respects Cont

July 7 continued to conduct himself in all respects well Removed today by his wife Discharged cured

John Crawford
H

Brought today from the Towns Hospital Glasgow very excited and noisy on admission sent to seclusion Has been in this asylum twice before & on his getting well sent to the town's hospital

May 5 Sometimes noisy & abusive at other times says not a word but silently nods his head to every thing that is said to him Takes his food well Tongue somewhat whitish Bowels slow R R L Alterat + 11 sumat unam omni nocte

6 Says not a word but quietly & silently nods his head to every thing that is said to him Bowels easy Lifted his chamber pot & was about to drink his urine evidently thinking (by mistake) that he was commanded to do it by the medical officer whom he seems to think some supernatural person

8 Much the same sometimes talks a great deal at other times will not speak a word Takes his food well Out of seclusion

11 Considerably quieter and is out of seclusion but still very peculiar making strange gestures and talking under the influence of delusions when asked

17 Quieter and more docile but somewhat stupid Cannot refrain from laughing to himself without any evident cause Takes his food well Bowels easy Out

22 Working in the grounds quietly Bodily health good Manner meek Laughs to himself without evident cause

June 22 Working in the joiners shop is very industrious Conducts himself quietly but mind still somewhat weak

Cont

July 21 Has continued to conduct himself in all respects well and mind although weak free from delusion or excitement Removed to the Towns Hospital Discharged as

Cured

Admitted May 1 1849

Donald Cameron 27 Single Catholic
Father Angus Cameron Drumarbin Cottage Fortwilliam

Brought from Fortwilliam
Schedule states that patient has
been for a considerable time addicted
to ardent Spirits & has for the
last 9 months been more or less
insane Excited when he gets Spirits
and Low spirited when they are
kept from him No bodily disorder
preceded the attack Has one child
aged 4 years supposed to see & hear
imaginary persons but says little
to any persons Misfortune in business
and ardent Spirits are supposed
to be the cause of his malady
not suicidal Not violent except
when he gets whiskey No treatment
May 6 Seems a little stupid says he has
been drinking too much for the last
12 months chiefly in consequence of
being out of employment says
he was to have gone to Australia
all the arrangements having been
made when he was unfortunately
brought here Bodily health
tolerably good Tongue white
Rx Vin Ferri Zii Sumat cum aqua
omni nocte
8 Quiet and out working in the
grounds says there is nothing
wrong with him but drinking
and that when not under the
influence of whiskey is quite
well conduct
10 Quiet and docile Works in-
dustriously in the grounds Bodily
health good Takes his food
well says he may about
to proceed to Australia and
is anxious to get out for the
purpose of procuring employment
15 Works industriously Talks
rationally anxious to get away
to get to Australia conduct
21 Conducting himself quietly
Talks rationally and works
industriously conduct
June 1 Works industriously Mind
free from delusions His father
intends to keep him here till
about the 20th Curt when
he intends sending him to
Australia by a vessel sailing
at that date
18 Being in good bodily health
and free from delusions
Removed by his father & home
sent as Cured

Ile Speculation Bermuda May 5th 1849

John Campbell 30 Single Carpenter
John McLennon Kirkintilloch Dumbarton Lanarkshire

Brought today from Dumbarton
jail where he has been confined
for 3 days having been put
there in consequence of running
about the streets naked Has
been working in Dumbarton
for 18 months but is supposed
to belong to Ayrshire
May 7 Very morose incoherent and ob-
streperous Filthy & careless of
personal cleanliness in fact in
a state of high mania Pupils
dilated Pulse not accelerated
Tongue Haustus mane 3ii
9 No change Generally as except
when asleep or at least lying
extended and motionless as
if asleep Takes his food well
Very noisy at times Does not
attempt to strike Bowels
open Cont
11 Was taken to Dumbarton
today Conveyed before the
sheriff & remitted here Very
restless and sometimes shouts
loudly pointing upwards as
if he saw extraordinary ob-
jects Cont Appetite tolerable
12 Not improving much Still
very restless taken not asleep
until well not be quiet in
bed but tosses about every
thing Takes his food well
Appetite Bowels open
Rl Chloral 3 ii Sumat
mane & nocte
16 Very much quieter today Is
up washed and dressed
Weather dull and disinclined
to move or talk much Takes
his food well Gets porter
& beefsteaks as the excitement
has thinned him much
Cont
20 Very dull and taciturn and
if removed will strike Several
boils appearing chiefly on thighs
Applic Cataplas Ch Alii
Bowels open Rl 3 x VI Sumat
3ii nocte Mane
24 Feels now well Mind not im-
proving much Is however
not so taciturn talks in
a low toned rambling man-
ner Takes his food well
but is still thin Cont

June 2

July

Augt

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ter Admitted Nov 6 1849

June 28 Bodily health much improved but mind still very unsettled always dancing about talking in an incoherent manner asking for many things as food books paper work &c Will not settle at work takes his food well Cont

July 10 slowly improving At present assists a little in the gallery complains of pain in stomach and inclination to vomit has took R Ol Ricini ʒij Ol Crotonis ℥iii suptat mane hac ℥pm sumat Stat

Augt 12 still improving assists materially in the 2nd gallery cleaning and taking care of other patients still somewhat hypochondriacal at least often complaining of pains here and there Was cupped on nape and yesterday for pain about temples vomited Cont Pulv Ipec ʒi statim he is better

20 Conducts himself in all respects well and works industriously still annoyed by erratic pains Sumat Pulv Ipecac ʒij

28 Being in good health & spirits and free from delusion (save the pains) discharged as

cured

Alexr Robertson 41 Mard Labr from Dalmarnock
Barony

Brought today from Dalmarnock Road Budgetstore Schedule states that he never was insane before. All four days since last newyears day has been affected with giddiness often loosing his ballance and falling and occasionally did not know his own family. Previously was much addicted to drinking. Has two children alive 16 & 14 years. No relatives insane. Had his head injured by a fall sometime ago. Four days ago became quite insensible after getting out of bed in the morning. Decline increasing. Imagines that he is to get great riches. Does not pass minutes quiet at any time night or day. Sleeps none. Eats none. Not suicidal but has struck with his fists. No treatment. Will take nothing.

May 8 Pale thin and weak seems in very poor health. Walks with a tottering gait. Very incoherent & stupid. Has to be confined in seclusion from his rolling about on the ground & falling unable to take care of himself. Tongue covered with a brown fur & teeth with sordes. R. Spiritus Floreti ℥ss mane. Liquor Bovinus ℥j nocte. R. Ol. alterat. ℥ll semat. unam omni nocte.

9 Never rests except when asleep. Pale thin and weak. Requires to be fed. Quite incoherent and does not seem to be able to stand. Very filthy. Cont.

10 Much the same. Has short snatches of sleep at all other times is restless continually shouting and hooting about. Seems very weak & exhausted and not likely to survive long. Apl. Quiet. Nourishment. Cont. Calor.

11 Became much worse during the night and at 8 o'clock a m.

Died

16 Inspection

Head alone opened. Scalp separated easily. Arachnoid and subdural

Established Communicated May 7 1849

much thickened and dark from
venous engorgement. Not readily
seperable from the brain more pe-
culiarly at the anter and poster
ior angles of left cerebral hemisphere
and corresponding to this spot
the cerebral substance to the depth
of fully 1/40 of an inch considerably
indurated, when torn showing a
strongly fibrous appearance. The super
ficial excess of this induration was
fully the size of half a crown the
depth decreasing towards the
edges. The cerebral matter forming
the walls of the ventricles was
even more firm and indurated.
The pons when sliced showed a
striated fibrous appearance much
more strongly & coarsely marked
than usual. The amount of
blood that flowed when the
hemispheres were sliced was
unusually great

Wm. G. McDougall 24 Argyllshire Farmer
Govan & Friends 87

Brought today from Paterson street Glasgow schedule states that he was in this asylum 3 month & years ago & discharged cured June
Ill on present occasion 10 days
No bodily disorder Melancholy
premonites to attack Is usually
mild and tetrany No relatives
insane but some intemperate
cause not assigned Believes him
self a devil & that he ought to be
shut to hell Attempted to drown
himself last Thursday Nervous about
Treasurers General hygiene with
laxatives 2

May 8 Pale & thin circulation weak and
tongued Tongue pale & whitish
Pupils rather enlarged Very quiet
and disinclined to move says he
is a devil and ought to be burned
℞ Pil alterat ℥ii sumat unam
omni nocte ℞ Infusi cinchon
et ℥ℏ ℥ℏ sumat ℥ij bis July
quotidie
9 Dull low spirited & listless
says he is a devil and only
worthy to be burned Seldom
speaks Is mild and gentle
Has to be asked to take his
food and says he does not
deserve any
11 Much the same but is out
more in the grounds says
he has neither body nor soul
and is a devil Was at a
ball on the female side last
night but did not dance
says he sleeps little To have
a pint of porter at night Aug
with 20 drops of laud at noon
and at
14 Not much change but if
any at is for the better Eats
better and thinks his appetite
improved But still thinks
he does not deserve to live
Talks rather more freely how-
ever Bowels easy
19 On the whole improving Looks
less pale and is fuller in body
More cheerful and converses more
freely but still retains his de-
lusion of being a devil 2
29 Continues slowly to improve
Works and walks in the
grounds Also rambles at noon Sept
Takes his food well Cont

Admitted May 7th 1849

June 4 considerably worse these two days back Much more desponding Thinks he must be burned that he can do nothing right and that the end of the world is at hand Sleeps but little cannot be got to employ himself more but would lie constantly on the ground if permitted As he did not seem to require the porter it was stopped to be renewed with the laudanum if required

28 Magnes himself a heart full of fears that he can do no good that he does evil constantly and will be punished for it soon Works in the grounds during the forenoon and walks about the grounds during the afternoon Gets a cold bath shower every morning looks of fuller habit cont

July 19 Delusions the same sumat al Rumi ʒj

15 No change Flora mommi Lumat sal acetat Morph gt xxx

18 Much the same saying that the notion that is going to persecution and deserves nothing else Had last night at Rumi ʒp at Got gtt i Tent Gent Comp ʒp which he thinks and him good Takes his food well

23 No mental change Bowels slow Haustus Ol Cabbyn ii Comp

24 Complains of pain in right hypo gastric region on pressure Rub with turpy Cabon liniment

Augt 1 Yesterday complained much of headache and was cupped to ʒx from nape and had at Rumi ʒj at Croat gtt ii Headache much less today Still supposes that there are animals inside of him The other day when walking in the grounds saw a mouse which suddenly disappeared and he affirms that by some means it got into him

7 Improving much Does not now suppose that animals are in his muscles

27 Works in the garden Mind free from delusion except that he seems determined not to go back to Glasgow

Sept 6 Being free from delusions discharged as Cured

John Marston 45 Single Mans

Brought today from 57 Marlborough Street Schedule gives no particulars but it is said that he has been ill for seven weeks and has been accustomed to drink rather freely

May 9 Conducts himself tolerably quietly Talks but bodily health seems pretty good

10 Mainly health good although he is somewhat pale Has some delusion about marrying some girl & it seems was brought here under the idea that he came here to marry he married to her R P [illegible] [illegible] Semnat unam omnia nocte

12 But working in the grounds conducts himself quietly says he had a nervous complaint in his head and came here to get it cured Tongue white Pulse of moderate strength and frequency Bowels costive

14 Works when the weather permits still has the delusion of being about to marry and thinks it may takes place tonight Takes his food well Conducts himself quietly Not dirty nor destructive Cont

20 Much the same still has the notion of getting a wife and expects it to be soon Works in the grounds Health & bodily tolerable Cont

June 20 Mental weak and subject to the same delusion only that he thinks he is about to be married soon Works diligently in the grounds Cont

July 13 Found Tongue furred Calomel Sp Aeth Pul Jalap Comp ℥ss

25 Delusion about marriage unchanged Quiet and docile Bowels slow Wheat Pulv Jalapæ Comp ℥ss

Sept 16 Shaved and destructive to his clothes Also given to put on all the clothes he can get from other patient often says his bowels are bound when such is not the case Had his neck rubbed and bowels duly opened

Admitted May 8th 1849

Sept 16 No much change Not quite so destructive and occasionally goes out to work in the grounds. Takes his food well Bowels easy

Oct 16 Much the same Not destructive of late but very sleepy Takes his food well Coll.

Nov 16 Much the same in all respects Bowels easy some difficulty of micturition

Dec 15 No change

31 No improvement

1850

Jany 31 General health good. No mental change. C. O.

Feby 28 Soon after last report became restless and threw off his clothes. Got quiet after some days seclusion but has again got into the same state. Will not lie in bed. Stumbles and tosses every thing about the room. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Oxenden.

March 31 Mind very feeble. Slow in speech and motions. Extremities apt to become cold and livid. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. CO.

April 30 Mind very slow and feeble Speech indistinct and drawling. Movements unsteady and deliberate. Very quiet and steady Appetite good Bowels open. C. Oxenden.

May 31 Much the same. C. Oxenden

June 18 Appetite good. Mind very feeble. Speech slow and difficult gait unsteady Cleanly in habits and inoffensive. C. Oxenden.

July 18 Mind remains in the same weak state. Does not broach any delusions but when questioned on the subject says he is very rich counting money by thousands or even millions of pounds. Cleanly at present. Very quiet. Cannot be employed. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Oxenden.

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

John or Jas Shoreburn 15 yrs
Wm Thos Thorburn W Tobago

were 3 yrs from Holland last seen
when he has been for four or
five months scheduled quiet
no particulars Bodily health
seems good

May 10 says he is a soldier & belongs
to the dragoons (a delusion) says his
father & mother are dead Rather
sulky and unwilling to speak
Takes his food well. Tolerably
quiet and cleanly

11 same delusion & seems a dragoon
still. Prominent sulky when
spoken to Bodily health good
Takes his food well R Pil
alterat 3ii sumat semelanus
omni nocte

13 Much the same both much more
sociable and inclined to laugh
Bodily health good Takes
his food well

15 says now he has nothing to do
with the dragoons dismissed
the fire brigade to extinguish
a fire last night Laughs
heartily when he talks Bodily
health good Cont

20 Talks in a rambling manner
seemingly without reflexion
Laughs much seems to have a
high idea of himself Takes
his food well Cont

29 Little or no change Bodily health
good Takes his food well
Works in the grounds Cont

July

June 27 Not much change laughs when
spoken to in a silly manner
Goes out to work in the ground
Takes his food well Health
good Cont His mother was
here this afternoon she states
that he first showed symptoms
of insanity 6 months ago two
days after being struck with
a stone on the left temple
supposing him dead not so
much as to cause him to fall
to the ground The eye fell
of head and nose [illegible] but did not bleed Two years
previously he fell from a swing
in the normal school and
hurt his back and chest
complained for 12 months but
after recovered his health per-
fectly Mind not then affected

Admitted May 9 1849

Greenock

except that he was easily frightened. Was 3 months in Gaol before coming here.

July 11 Seems very much improved. Intellect seems quite rational. Was in the tailors shop but not to go to work in the garden. Health good. Conduct

21 Has continued to conduct himself in all respects well. Betrays no delusions or any wandering but what is common to his age. Health good. Discharged

Cured

John Mc Guffy 50
Varony

Brought from 10 school sayrd
Cinderstone Ill in mind for 6
weeks but loosing the power
of his hands & legs for a
year Thinks he is going
to be hanged Two days ago
leapt into the Clyde with the
intention of drowning himself
is now too weak to walk without
support

May 13 Cannot walk Lies dull & stupid
in bed and cannot be roused
but with difficulty & even
then is very stupid For example
having been got to put out his
tongue does not think of drawing
it in again Passes his
Stools and urine in bed Throbbing
right temple there is a depression
of the scull in each broad and
two inches long got when a
schoolboy from a blow of a
stone Pulse Full
Pale Pulse of moderate strength
& frequency No marked heat of
scalp

14 Much the same Stupid and
half comatose Requires to be
fed Passes all in bed Applic
Applicetur Repetat accipiat
Spumat Ale Lecanis aselli
3ij mane Manegue

15 Much the same Blister to head
No mistake omitted Applicet
Repetat accipiat

16 Blister rose well Lethargic
torpor gone Talks much in
an excited manner Thinks
the world burning or about
to be burnt Got out of
bed once this morning But
after standing a few moments
rolled into it again & replaced
Takes his food and helps him-
self to it a little Bowels
easy Passes all in bed

19 Has relapsed into moody silence
or stupor Eyes open Shuts he
gives no indication of compre-
hending any thing said to him
Swallows his food when it
is put into his mouth Pass
his Stools and urine in bed
without giving any notice
Bowels easy Wellsories
morning Applicetur
Collodion

May

Admitted 12th May 1849

May 22 Evidently getting worse Never Speaks in answer to questions but sometimes makes inchoherent noises Arms and mouth affected with convulsive twitchings Sedatives increasing Can only swallow liquids such as toddy & beef tea Cont

23 Still sinking Sensibility with difficulty Frequently cannot be kept down

24 Today at a quarter past one o'clock P.M.

Died

Wm Nightingale Gangr.

May

Brought today from the Police office Glasgow under a warrant from the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Procurator fiscal On admission seemed in good bodily health Very talkative says he is a ganger on the Caledonian Railway & has been so for four years A native of Carlisle Is married & has three children Has not drunk any for 10 days His uncle spurned the lead both for those shillings but did not give him any share Having been very strict over the Platelayers under him they formed the design to murder him by plastering him over with cowdung & stabbing him with knives This was to have been carried into effect to day He had the door barred and was stripped quite naked to keep them out or dirt past them if he could not keep them out Is exceedingly glad at being brought here as here he will be safe from them Is willing to work here but will not employ any Irishmen

15 Restless and full of delusions says that people or spirits have attempted to shoot him and think they have broken his knee-cap over which there is some ecchymosis from a bruise Talks confusedly and incoherently Form of malady resembles mania a potu and very probably is caused by drinking No muscular tremor observed however Pulse of moderate strength and frequency Tongue moist R R [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

16 Less restless and excited Lies in bed Thinks his knee better Left eye ecchymosed Does not know how or when he got it hurt Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

17 Today has got out of nearly all his delusions Says he had been drinking for nearly a month That it is the first time he had the blues & is determined it will be the last

Admitted 14th May 1849

May 18 Free from delusions today Examined before Sheriff Neil today being found quiet & free from delusions discharged, Charged on the city parish Discussed as

Cured

Well-Ramsay 19 single Baker
John Johnston Inspector of Poor Campbell

Brought today from the Parish of Campsie Dumbartonshire states that he has had several short attacks of insanity during the last 6 month Ill this time five days General character quiet No hereditary disease No relative insane Head not measured Cause unknown Disease increasing Has had five or six attacks and remissions during the last 6 month attacks usually lasting from 8 to 14 days and the remissions fully longer Is labouring under various delusions concerning religious matters Is not educated nor given to drink No treatment except in an asylum previously

May 17 Very fleshy and unsettled talks quick rambling over a great many subjects by fits and then tongue protruded Pulse not accelerated R Pl altered All human unanimi morte

18 Very unsettled Talks rambling[ly] and ostentatiously sometimes affects to command at other times sheds tears Asked for a copy of Byron's poems this morning Takes his food well Cont

20 Became so restless running about shouting and annoying the other patients that he is sent to seclusion Applied Mustard occipitio

23 Would not let the plaister stay on his head Tore his blanket off and himself even threw about Had the following R Ammi Antimon Tart gr j Sulph Magnes 3ij Aquae 3vj M Sumat 3ij 4th quaque quarta hora Is much more humble and desponding to behave himself Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

May 29 Conducting himself much better Works industriously Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

June 6 Conducting himself well and working industriously Seems now like from his delusions and convalescent Takes his food well Works in the grounds Cont

June

July

July

Admitted May 16 1849

June 18 These two days Mack has again been very much excited so much so as to require seclusion Had a dose of salts with a grain of tartar emetic twice repeated without benefit ℞ Pulv Opii gij Pulv Camphorae ℈ß M Limat hora somni et cras mane repetatur

21 Not much better except when under the influence of the opium is very noisy and restless wishing about every thing shouting and gesticulating violently Takes his food well Appetite natural

24 After the blister rose became much quieter with an appearance of weariness and inclination to be confined To-day is occasionally restless and seems inclined to be destructive but as the long confinement is rather telling on his health is allowed to get out into the airing ground Bowels easy Cont

July 4 Has again become much excited and is in seclusion Bowels well opened by castor oil ℞ Pulv Camph ℈ij Pulv Opii gr ij M Bene mane et chart alvo sumat unam hora somni crastino repet Tears his clothes to shreds

July 7 Still continues as much excited as ever Bowels easy from the Aloetic pills Shoots smears and throws upon the floor ℞ Spiritus Aeth Nitros ℥ß Liq Potas Nitrat Potas ää ℥j Aqua Acetatis Ammon Mistur Camph ℥iij Tinct Hyoscami Acid ℥j Limonis ℥ß Hocte manenda Cerevisiae Londonen q omni nocte

11 Fretting rather down although this morning when removed from one room to another as he had soiled the first he threw up the chamber pot and broke the skylight So however much calmer

13 Had a warm bath yesterday Is tolerably quiet except during the night

18 Gradually settling down slept quite quietly in his own bed last night Bowels slow ℞ Ricini ℥j

101

Michael Burns 96 M a

Brought today from the Police Office Suspect to epilepsy says he was in Parkhurst Prison after being in the Edinburgh Infirmary in February last when the left first began says his second uncle on his mother's side died in the Poor's House

May 19 Hospital excited Walking in the airing ground whence he sees farmers at work and debates volubly on their injudicious methods of proceeding Supposes himself in the Lothians near Dunbar Says he was first attacked with falling sickness in February last but does not know what year this is Takes his food well Thin and complains of cold

20 Not so excited but still talks in a rambling manner about farming and eating &c

21 Much quieter and more sane this morning Takes his food well Bowels inclined to costiveness R Mass. pil. alter. ℥ij Sul. Phalis Succi ℥ij M Dentur in pil. XXVIII Sumat unam nocte manenda

24 Very much the same Assists in the gallery Talks rationally

June 6 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well Assists in the gallery and works in the Grounds No hits Mind calm and free from delusions &c

18 The Towns Hospital authorities were out inspecting their patients and agreed to give Burns a trial Their appearance for him today He seems in good bodily health and free from delusions discussed as

Cured

Naughman Committed May 18 1849

Brought today from Morningside asylum where has been for 5½ years. Schedule given no particulars seems in good health Quiet on admission

May 24 Conducts himself quietly Takes his food well Bowels okay From information received it appears that he has been insane 18 years that mind became gradually impaired and unsettled and with occasional slight remissions mal adv is now stationary No relatives known to be insane Never attempted suicide Has a strong desire to escape and has made several attempts Has addicted to onanism

26 Conducts himself quietly says that when in Morningside asylum he several times made his escape but sometime it was of no use does not intend to do so any more Says he was annoyed by hearing voices speak against his self

28 Gives no annoyance Thinks he would like to get back to Morningside to his acquaintances Has not been made to speak much of late Takes his food well Bowels open

30 Says that when his mother and sister called on him in Morningside he neglected to put his hand to his back and this he thinks is the cause of his removal hither

June 3 Still says that the neglecting to put his hand to his back when his mother and sister called on him was the cause of his being transferred here and is determined not to neglect it next time they call that he may get back

27 Mind very much Repeats over and over the story of not putting his hand to get back and his determination not to neglect it next time his relations call on him addicted to solitary vice

July 25 No change of any consequence

Aug 25 Cont Usually states several times a day that he would like to be with Robt Walker Needs spell

Admitted May 23 1849

Mother Mrs Dinestine Elizabeth Hyatt Howard Thurston

Sept 25 No change of any consequence
Oct 25 No change
Nov 24 No change
Dec 28 Much the same in all respects
Cont

1850
Jan 26 Mind weak. Indolent in habits and careless of his appearance. Sometimes lies lazily upon the floor. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Anemia.
Feby 28 Indolent and wilful. Mind very confused and feeble. He is quiet and inoffensive. Appetite good. C. Anemia.
March 31 No change since last report. C. Anemia.
April 30 Behaves quietly. Mind very weak and ideas incoherent. Received the news of his mothers death coldly with indifference. Never usefully employed. Bodily functions tolerably natural. C. Anemia.
May 31 Much the same. C. Anemia
June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind very weak. Indolent and inactive. C. Anemia.
July 15 No change. C. Anemia.
Aug 15 Much the same. C. Anemia
Sept 15 Mind weak and confused. Can answer few questions in a satisfactory manner. Bodily health good. C. Anc.
Oct 15 Talks in the most silly boyish confused and childish manner. Health good C. Anemia.
Nov 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind remains weak as formerly. Talks in a childish confused manner. Bodily in habits careless of his appearance. C. Anemia.
Dec 15 Mind very confused and weak. Talks and behaves in the most simple manner. Bodily health good C. Anemia.

1851
Jan 15 No change. C. Anemia.
Feb 15 Much the same. C. Anemia.
June 3 No change. Transferred to Lunatic House.

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John Lumber 45 Tensioner
Surrey

Brought today from 42 Stevenson Street Euston Was brought to the Asylum near midnight by two policemen They could give no history of him as he refused to speak a word Had no coat on Sent to sleep in seclusion for the night

May 27 Lying on his pallet Doggedly refuses to answer to any Question except once when he was asked who he was "Ax my a— a—" ordered a blister to scruputa ages a purgative draught Pulse quick Tongue somewhat whitish Eye sullen Brow rather flushed

28 Bowels opened Blister acted but sparingly in consequence of his hopeless state yesterday he refused his dinner and threw it at the attendant Today answers quite rationally says that he was religiously mad thought himself Solomon then that he was damned but after a hard struggle wrought out his salvation and was transported from hell to heaven Says he enlisted at 17 because of his step mother was 23 years a soldier discharged in 1843 Has lived on a pension of 1/ a day since but could procure no work as he has no trade belongs to respectable people but never means to go back to them to disgrace them nor will ever tell to where he belongs

30 Conducting himself properly and works in the grounds Talks rationally on ordinary subjects Bowels regular Health pretty good Bowels rather confined R.R.L. alteratives ×11 Pulmat unam omni nocte

June 3 Continues to conduct himself well and works diligently Bowels easy from the pill to continue

8 Continues to conducts himself in all respects well Being in good bodily health and free from all delusion discharged as

cured

Committed 26th May 1849

Walter Findley 35 M. a Smith
Saxony

Brought today from West Mile Street Was for they asylum formerly Lee Road Page 9 schedule Says no Partic[illegible]ars Having been suicidal on former occasion sent to the gallery & Prop[illegible]nated to that class of

May 29 Says he slept some during the night but is somewhat nervous says he got some castor oil yesterday which opened his bowels Tole and rather thin Pulse but little affected Asked at me today whether if his wife and not come out to see him tonight he was to die Says he had been drinking for three weeks N. B. Attend. All Journal [illegible] omni vote

30 Much the same Afraid of some calamity being about to befal him Still some lameness remaining from the injury he received by falling from a window previous to first admission Still somewhat annoyed by Spectral figures at night

Cont

June 1 Improving but still somewhat disturbed at night Taking his food tolerably well Bowels easy Cont

4 Has got rid of the hallucinations which destroyed him and now that he is well promises never to indulge in Spirituous liquors again Bowels easily Cont

8 Free from delusions but very anxious to get home to look after his business Cont

11 Removed today by his wife Being free from delusions and in good bodily health discharged as

Cured

Admitted May 28 1849

Wm Lambie 38 M. a Battleman Fur
Kilmarnock R. for Belsellie Insp

Brought today from Kilmarnock Was working for 18 months in Paisley and left it 10 days ago Schedule states that he showed slight symptoms of insanity about two years ago Ill on the present occasion ten days Previous to attack seemed dull blot has now become very violent and his disposition is much changed He has temperate and has character in no way marked with eccentricity except by being fond of comic singing and reading Not liable to any bodily disease One child dead & four alive 8½ to 1½ years His grandmother became insane when up in years Head never injured Cause = He talks of being wrongously blamed in something connected with his masters work & his mind dwells principally on religious topics but is at times very violent supposes that the people in the house wish to take away his life At times says he has descended on appointment to some high office Has threatened violence to his nearest relatives by knives Not suicidal Disposed to break furniture &c Has been purged leeched on the head and kept under the influence of tartar emetic - no effect Never in an asylum

May 30 Conducted himself tolerably quietly last night Says that that it was some persons affection of the head that put him deranged that it was at his own desire that he was sent here but already he feels the malady leaving him still however he feels a considerable buzzing in his head Bowels costive Pulse moderate ℞ Pil alterantes ℥ ii Sum. at unam omni nocte

June 1 Conducting himself quietly and respectably Works in the grounds Bowels gave from the pills Buzzing in head diminishing Talks rationally Fond of reading Takes his food well Cont

3 Mind seems quite calm & free from effusions of any kind Works in the grounds Bowels easy Cont

Smith Admitted 29th May 1849

11 Convalescent & provided much amusement by singing comic songs and repeating at the female entertainment last night Works in the grounds & health good Cont

19 Removed today by his Brother in law Being in good bodily health and free from delusions discharged

Cured

Thos Watson 24 Single Miner
Campsie Creek John Johnston Insp

Brought today from Campsie
Asylum states that 11 years ago
he was about to be married to
a young woman when she suddenly
changed her mind and was
married to another man Very
shortly after that he fell into
a dull stupid state and has
done little or no work since
Loves about coal pits and wan-
dering away for days no one
knows where so that he cannot
be said to have been sane for
the last eleven years In his
boyhood was quick and active
Remains to his insanity commen-
cing got much heat about the
head by two men His father
a uncle and a second cousin
(paternal side) insane Decays
increasing in so far that the
disposition to wander increases
Not suicidal destructive nor
violent

June 1 Dull and stupid answers
in a hesitating and confused
manner and often not at all
Staring vacantly as if he did not
comprehend what was said
to him Takes his food well
Conducts himself quietly &
Rl Retires & sleeps at in-
tervals

2 Somewhat slow stupid and
confused Has gone out to
work in the grounds Bodily
health seems good Takes
his food well Keeps his
bed clean and does not
seem inclined to be de-
structive Cont

4 Works in the grounds Ans-
wers slowly and often not
at all Takes his food well
Cont

8 Rather dull and stupid but
works quietly and steadily
Health good Cont

20 Much the same in all
respects sent out to work
daily Cont

July 19 No change Amenable Works
in the grounds Cont

Augt 16 No change of any consequence
Sept 11 Works always on the grounds
and with reason No change
of any consequence

Established Committed 30th May 1849

Oct 11 No change of any consequence
Works in the grounds as
Nov 11 usual
Dec 11 No change
30 Yesterday whilst employed
with the under gardener made
his escape

1850
Jany 19 Having yesterday arrived at home
he was this day brought back by
the Inspector of pris. Mind dull
and weak. Health good. C.C.
" 31 Mind dull and weak. Often
makes no answer. Behaves
quietly. Bodily health good.
C.C.
Feby 28 Bodily functions natural. Mind
feeble. Speaks very little. C. Mania
March 31 Much the same. Health good.
C. Mania
April 30 An excellent out of door
worker and is daily
employed in the garden
or grounds. Mind weak.
Seems very quiet and
inoffensive. Seldom speaks.
Cleanly in his habits -
Bodily health good.
C. Mania.
May 31 Much the same. C. Mania
June 15 Stout and healthy. Works
daily in the garden and
is very willing. Behaves
well. C. Mania.
July 15 Mind extremely weak.
Can answer few questions
Incoherent and slovenly
Bodily functions natural
C. Mania.
Aug 15 Much the same. C. Mania
Sept 15 Works industriously. Behaves
quietly Bodily health good.
C. Mania.
Oct 15 Mind slow and weak.
Made his escape from
the grounds three weeks
ago went home and
was returned after a
few days absence. Health
good. C. Mania.
Nov 15 Much the same. Employed
regularly in the grounds
Health good C. Mania.
Dec 15 Seldom speaks unless when
addressed and then very briefly
Health good C. Mania
1851
Jany 15 No change. C. Mania

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John Johnstone 31 Single Motherwell
L & P

Brought today from Paisley Schedule states that [illegible] 6 years of age had measles since then has been of imbecile mind and subject to epilepsy In 1841 was confined in the Bishopric of Arran In 1844 was confined in Paisley Asylum Discharged uncured in consequence of misconduct Employed running messages since Ill on the present occasion 21 days Fond of theatricals Suspicious of children and may [illegible] his lodgings No collateral insane Disease increasing Considers himself a young lad and is much displeased on being told his age Has often threatened to cut his throat and to drown himself Has injured others by biting and attempts at choking Tears his clothes and uproots his hair Brought handcuffed but seems tolerably quiet

June 4 says he had [illegible] last night and fell out with his Mother which was the cause of his being sent here Seems quite docile but mind is evidently [illegible] Bowels rather costive R Pil Alterat & 11 sum at unam omni nocte

5 Quite quiet and out at work says he takes the pills most usually during the night Takes his food well Bowels rather costive Not dirty nor destructive Continue

8 Quiet and industrious Employed hoeing potatoes at present Face hot and imbecile expression Teeth bad Takes his food well Bowels easy Continues to work quietly and diligently in the garden Mind weak but no delusion apparent Takes his food well Not dirty nor destructive Cont

20 Works very industriously desires to get away a day to see his mother as he is very anxious about her and has been dreaming about her Mind weak Takes his food well R Pil Alter & 11 Sumat i o n

Estatal — Admitted June 3d 1849

July 12	Complained last night that his bowels were relaxed. Had an opium pill which seems to have checked the looseness. Mind weak. No fits have been observed of late. Lost
18	Bowels regular. Fell out with another patient who gave him a blow which slightly cut his lip
Sept 13	Had a dose of calomel & rhubarb which purged him rather severely and left a tendency to flatulence for the next day. Got a teaspoon of magnesia and twenty drops of essence of peppermint. Feels better today
Sept 11	Got into a quarrel with another epileptic and on more than once they fought so that they had to be put in seperate galleries. Takes his food well. Bowels costy
Oct 11	Fits occur occasionally. Mostly health otherwise tolerably good. Cont.
Nov 11	Much the same
Dec 11	No permanent change
31	As reported above
1850	
Jany 31	Mind weak and confused. Slow and hesitating in speech. Head bound out some days since by an unruly patient but it is healing. Careless of his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.
Feby 28	Mind of Richard well. Behaves pretty well. Cleanly at night. Mind very feeble. Employed daily. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Oxemia.
March 31	Of the epileptic fits he comes confused but has not been violent. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Oxemia.
April 30	No change since last report. C. Oxemia.
May 31	Much the same. C. Oxemia.
June 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Behaves pretty and although his mind is weak he answers pretty correctly. Broaches no delusions. C. Oxemia.
July 15	No change. C. Oxemia.
Aug 15	No change. C. Oxemia.
Sept 15	Much the same. C. Oxemia.
Oct. 15	No change. C. Oxemia

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Donald McKay Farmer Thornton

Hugh McKay 9th Lunge fever

Brought today from Thornton Schools states that he has been insane for 2½ years sometimes better sometimes worse Laid to the table to worms Got a severe blow on the head three years ago supposed to be the cause of his malady Desease increasing without any remissions Thinks his friends wish to poison him to destroy him for the sake of his money (Delusion!) Has beaten others Not destructive No treatment Never in an asylume

June 5 Tolerably quick says he is troubled with worms but looks in pretty good health Takes his food well accidentally found himself a piece of tobacco which made him vomit his supper No unusual heat of skin Pulse quiet

7 Has a dose of turpentine and castor oil No worm were observed but he still makes much complaint of there being in his inside Possibly this is partly a delusion Takes his food well Cont

9 Still holds to the notion that there are worms in his inside Does not talk English very well Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

13 Much the same in all respects Mind weak Bodily health good Disposition Scottish Not inclined to work much and still affirms that he feels the worms in his belly Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

24 Mind evidently somewhat weak but with exception of what is noticed above has not exhibited any marked delusion Anxious to get home Takes his food well Walks in the grounds Cont

July 13 Complains of an uneasy feeling in stomach a few days ago was rather excited supposing that some danger was about to overtake him did not know what Ordered Pil Colocynth ij

18 Began complaining of worms Ordered Ol Ricini at all Ricini ℥ss

Admitted 4th June 1849

	Augt 1	Yesterday complained that some poison had been put in his food and still affirms he feels the worms inside biting him. Had calom gr v Pulv Jalap gr x
	29	Complains of itching about the anus to have a warm bath & Pulv Jalap Comp Statim et nocte
	Oct 1	still imagines people put things into his food &c
	Nov 1	Much the same in all respects
	Dec 1	Has been somewhat unruly & when checked for writing on the walls struck at the keeper sent to another gallery
	15	No mental improvement
	1850	
	Jany 1	In all respects the same as at last report. C. O.
	" 9	Bodily health good. Mind remains in the same condition. Speaks almost none. Quiet and orderly since last report. C. O.
		was this day discharged

Relieved

Hector McKenzie 35 Single Labr
Barony

Brought today from Calton having been found at large on the streets said to belong to Inverness and once was Owner and master of a vessel but in consequence of pecuniary losses became insane Mother and brother insane Nothing further of his history known Bodily health seems good and he also seems active and cheerful

June 6 Seems stout and robust Takes his food well Is moody and sullen scarcely returning any answer when spoken to: probably from fancying his liberty curtailed Not in seclusion R. P. L. atterat x ll Lumat tonam omni nocte

11 Sulky and intractable Robust and takes his food well Bowels regular Is not destructive nor dirty cont

13 Much the same Mind weak and he is sulky and intractable Not disposed to employ himself at any thing useful When spoken to smiles vacantly and seldom answers to the point Takes his food well Cont

17 Went out to work daily but against his will Is very anxious to get home Conducts himself much the same way as reported above Health good Cont

26 Much the same Mind weak and confused Does not like to be interrogated and usually answers quite away from the question asked At work daily in the grounds Cont

July 8 Very little change seldom gives a coherent or straightforward answer Anxious to get away Bodily health good Takes his food well Works in the grounds Cont

13 Much the same Tongue white Habeat ol Rem Zj

Augt 1 No mental change Careless & incoherent Tongue white Habeat ol Rem Zj

Sept 1 No change of any consequence Cont

Admitted 8th June 1849

Oct 1	Much the same in all respects Health good
Nov 1	No change
Dec 1	No change
26	Much the same in all respects
1850	
May 31	In all respects as formerly R.O.
Sept 28	No change since last report. C. Russia.
March 31	Very quiet and associates with no one. Never employed. Cleanly at night. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Russia.
April 30	No change of any consequence since last report. C. Russia.
May 31	Much the same. C. Russia
June 15	Seldom speaks and seems indifferent about every thing. Answers mostly when with difficulty he got from him. Behaves very quietly. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Russia
July 15	No change. C. Russia.
Aug 15	Much the same. C. Russia
Sept 28	No change. ~~C. Russia~~. Orig changed

Relieved

Robert McFarlane 27 M.a Notes
Govan asex

Brought today from
Schedule gave no particulars but
He says that three weeks ago
he fell a height of thirty feet
and injured his head. Was car-
ried insensible to the infirmary
but they did nothing to him
and he came home 10 days ago but
cannot rest at night in
consequence of pains he really
does not know what. Thinks
he was stabbed in Greenock
by an old woman. Brought
there 10 weeks ago. A depres-
sion of about two inches in
length extends across vertex
June 9 Complains much of a distressing
feeling in his head. He cannot
describe it but says "it is like
to drive him distracted." Must he
cannot rest. No unusual heat of
forehead. Pulse quiet. Takes his
food. Tongue clean. Bowels
rather slow. R. Pil. Aloes et
Ass. Fœtid. Unam omni nocte
si opus sit. Sumat Haustus Abradalba
10 At times especially towards night
that he is like to go mad with
his head and worries about
yet cannot give any distinct
description of what he feels
To have rice and milk for
dinner and no beef or broth
Cont. alter
12 Is on the whole considerably
less annoyed yesterday and
today and is employed with
the mason pointing the
airing ground with
Rochelle's ease. Cont.
14 Had a sort of tremulous shaking
last evening with great
mental agitation. Today
articulation is evidently con-
siderably affected so much
so that to all appearance he is
becoming affected with general
paralysis
19 Paralysis of tongue seems to
increase with loss of memory
for words. Not quite so agitated
in the evenings and says he
sleeps better. Bowels slow
Repet. pil.
24 Made an attempt to strangle
himself by twisting his neckcloth
round his neck. Removed

July

August

Admitted 8th June 1846

to the gallery where unmarried patients are kept Tongue white & Rl Attends to all comfort unaccommodate

July 8 Stupid and restless always taking his tongue in his mouth more especially before he speak Memory for names very defficient Bowels easy

14 This male called today and states that patient was wrong in his mind for fully five months that is fully 3 months before he fell and at last the dragging in his speech was quite perceptible The fall was the consequence & not the cause of his malady Was in the habit of getting up in the night wandering to & fro holding his head and crying for a Doctor or he should go Mad Wasted and saw things & little people before him During the day he was better but was always running out to his work when he really had none At last got worse and in four days fell Was taken to the infirmary where he remained four days and then was at home for a fortnight before sent here which was in consequence of the increase of his restlessness Married 18 months no child

18 Stupid restless and pushing at every door to get out Two days ago in his anxiety to push out came in contact with another patient who gave him a blow which blackened his eyes

Augt 1 Little change sometimes will not go to bed and is allowed to keep his clothes on later than the other patients Very stupid and does not seem to know what he would be at

7 Very restless often strips off his clothes altogether and runs about the gallery Bowels very slow to move Took yesterday two colocynth pills also Ol Ricini ℥ss et ol Croti gtt ii without effect Haustus statim enema ol Terebinth ℥ij

18 Very little change appreciable Stupid to & fro in a most distracted manner Needs a strong purgative

52

George Flint 40 actor
O.H.

Brought today from the police office Glasgow scheduled cases no particulars Had to be carried into the house Held himself stiff except his head which he threw about as if he meant to bite those who were carrying him However this seemed only make believe Pears considerably the appearance of a person labouring under delirium tremens Tries to sleep in seclusion

June 12 Tumbling and tossing about not noisy but full of theatrical attitudes and antics Bowels slow Pulse 78 of moderate frequency & full nature R Pil Colocynth x11 Cumat um am omni nocte

13 Acts theatrical in his gestures and rather more noisy and violent Attempts to frighten by exclaiming he is a madman and looking fierce Applet vesicator accipito

14 Does not seem to sleep much On his knees with his face to the floor as if adoring the medical officer when he enters as he thinks him the son of God Takes his food well Bowels severe Had a dose of castor oil R Pulv Camphorae 3ij Pulv Aperi gr xii Ft Chartulas vi Sumat unam nocte mane que

17 Now quiet and lies in bed but has a notion that some persons are pursuing him Takes his food well Bowels slow and pulse very severe R Unguentum Gallae 3ss Applet ano Sumat statim Clei Ricini 3ss

20 Seems now to have got out of his delusions Talks sensibly Pulse very severe Confined to bed R Infusi Calumbae 3ij Aquae puree 3ss Tinct Lavaturae 3ss

July 1 Continued to conduct himself in all respects well and quietly exhibiting no delusions It appears that he has led a wandering life for many years and that latterly he became impressed with the sinfulness of his conduct and took to reading

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the bible often sitting up for
in the night perusing it but
this over study he supposes made
ey his malady The inspector
of poor wrote to learn if he was
fit to join his friends and
the being free from delusions
is today dismissed as

cured

John Thomson Artist
John Brown Junr 103 Glassford st

Brought to today from the police office Glasgow Schedule states that he never was insane before Ill for a few days Habits irregular No children Cause intemperance Believes that parties owe him money Not suicidal nor given to injure or destroy No treatment Never in an asylum before

June 15 Conducts himself quietly but seems somewhat stupid On the whole however answers questions pertinently Admits that there are parties who owe him and are not inclined to pay but declines saying much on that subject Answers to be allowed snuff which was acceded to Tongue white Eye dull Pulse landed R Abd distended + ll Sumat unam omni nocte

17 Has had disease of hip and from the trochanter to halfway down thigh there is much contraction and puckering Also on legs & thighs there are many dark syphilitic looking blotches He says it is many years since he had syphilis but not long ago he was in the infirmary under treatment for these blotches R Infusi Quassiae ℥ij Sumat Cumam ℥iij Iodidi Potassii ℥ij ter quotidie Cont Diet

20 Talks tolerably rationally and conducts himself quietly Employs himself chiefly reading and asks for employment in the shape of writing drawing or such like to keep him from wearying

24 Conducts himself quietly makes no allusion to anyone owing money nor against the justice of him being sent here Takes his food well Cont

29 Conducts himself quietly Employed clerking which he does very correctly Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

July 13 Talks rationally and conducts himself quietly and respectably Gets ground parties Cont

Admitted 13 June 1849

July 23	Has conducted himself in all respects well Health good Dismissed as cured

George Skinner 30 Weaver
B.D.

Brought today from the hospital Bridgeton Sheriff gives no particulars Looks pale and listless says that he has been married five years has one child four years ago six months ago he became low spirited and unable to continue at work and two days ago made application to be admitted into Bridgeton hospital and from there was sent here

June 24 Tells the same story that he was low spirited and nervous tongue white pulse soft but not accelerated R Pil Hydrarg Sumat Unam omni nocte R Infusi Cinchonae ℥vi Tinct Cinnamomi ℥ij Acidi Sulph dilute ℥ij M Sumat ℥ij bis quotidie

26 Works quietly and industriously in the grounds answers questions rationally Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

28 Thinks himself getting better Takes his food well and works industriously Bowels easy Cont

July 3 Conducts himself in all respects well Talks rationally and works industriously Bodily health improving Tongue is still white and pulse Bowels easy Cont

16 Had an attack of diarrhoea for which got Chalk mixture and catechu + is now well May be considered convalescent Cont

21 Has continued to conduct himself in all respects well. Being in good bodily health and free from delusions discharged as

Cured

M.a Admitted 23d June 1848

David Jamieson 3D Single Feather
N.P.

Brought today from the hospital Budgeton Asylum gives no particulars as is of very dwarfish stature for although the trunk be of tolerable length and the head of moderate size his limbs are like those of a child of six years of age Beard whiskers and brows like those of a man of ordinary stature seems in tolerably good bodily health

June 24 Hunts about as if he was lord of all indeed he imagines that he is so When any question is put to him as to what he is replies with great pomposity that it is well enough known what he is that he was ruler where he was and that he came here to be ruler Takes his food well

25 Muscles of arms and legs goodwith standing their extreme shortness are well developed but the feet and hands are small Takes his food well and hunts about with all the consequences of hauteur cont

27 Talks largely of establishing a congress there says he has been appointed ruler No straight forward answer to any question can be got from him being seemingly too much taken up with his own notions cont

July 10 Very good natured Talks in a very incoherent manner and fond of employing learned words and phrases Bowing and gesticulating

18 Not much change sometimes rather irascible and last night somewhat noisy No mental improvement Bowels easy cont

19 Again somewhat noisy during night did not take his supper milk lymata stat hab gtt xi

Augt 1 No change of any consequence except that he is quieter & takes his food

Sept 1 Sometimes gets very irritable and somewhat excited Takes his food well

Oct 1 No permanent mental improvement Full of delusions and occasionally irritable and illnatured cont

Admitted 23 June 1849

Nov 1 No change of any consequence
17 Rather excited yesterday
Got two colocynth pills / Mould
Dec 17 Tolerably quiet but no permanent
31 improvement otherwise
Rather excitable of late

1850
Jany 31 Mind and consequently
conversation very confused
Entertains a very high notion
of himself. Health good. C.O.
Feby 28 Occasionally becomes confused and
little unruly. Mind always
confused. Says that he is the
ruler over all. Cleanly in habits
Bodily health good. C. Quinia.
March 31 Occasionally excitable and unruly
for a few hours or a day or day.
when he becomes quiet. Appetite
good. C. Quinia.
April 30 No change of any consequence
since last report. C. Quinia.
May 31 Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. Occasionally
becomes restless and is
apt to throw down and
break the dishes. Cleanly in
his habits. C. Quinia.
June 18 Yesterday was unruly restless
and broke some earthenware
Health good. Sum Specac gr xv st.
C. Quinia.
July 18 Much the same but quiet
C. Quinia
Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

Alexr Cahran 33 Mc

Alexr Martin Exchange Waterbury

Brought today from Prestbury Lebanon States that he has been insane about 3 weeks is very intemperate Has no occupation Spends his time in fishing and trapping Has two children aged 3 and 6 years Has several relatives insane Cause intemperance Sleepless and restless and irritated against his fathers treatment Not suicidal but has threatened others No treatment

June 26 Behaves in a very extravagant manner Talks in a very boastful styte of his abilities riches and how he will crush tyranny and oppression and triumph over his enemies Takes his food well Knuckles have the skin abraded of two or three fingers

27 Talks in the same boastful manner of his riches power and abilities and promises large rewards to any one who will assist to get him out Walks somewhat lame from shortness of one leg Eats his food well Tongue white Face somewhat pimply R Vel Alterative x 11 Simat panam omn nocte

29 somewhat worse and is very anxious to get away Says he is losing £600 every night that he is confined to Surrey Gaol and therefore could easily get that sum for escaping But his abilities accordeing to his own account transcend every body's in every thing Coat

July 6 Suddenly became much excited fell upon a patient and beat him severely assertions that he is a Demon and the cause of his misery Tears the bed clothes Sent to seclusion

11 somewhat pacified in regard to his delusion concerning the other patient being a Demon and let out of seclusion but given to tear clothes to soak in urine to apply to a vesicular eruption about heel and will let nothing else be put to it asserting Skill is superior to all the Doctors in the Kingdom

14 Last night again became outrageous and overturning his bed saying

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Mrs Margt Cochran Canvas dress Jet

Put in seclusion for the night and tore his bed clothes to shreds Not inclined to drink but noisy destructive and full of his own absurdities A warm bath and walk in morning ground

July 16 On the whole quieter Had an opiate last night and rested tolerably well but when he got up this morning broke two panes of glass Heel still somewhat sore but will not let a poultice stay on it R Tinct Hyoscyam ℥ij Sol Mur morph M ℞ Aquae ℥ij m sumat hora somni

" 22 Still somewhat dirty and destructive restless and noisy at night Heel now pretty well Takes his food well To go to seclusion

25 After two days seclusion seemed much quieter and was tried in his own room but not quiet although he had his usual opiate was very noisy and tore his blankets

August 1 Dirty noisy and destructive Gathers all sorts of trash and calls it California gold Talks in a raised and excited manner of his riches power and absurdities This with his gathering trash calling it gold and lastly giving it away kept a succession of maniacal general paralysis Yesterday bowels well opened by Al Rem Al Cro 9ii

6 Heel Yesterday every four hours Tinct Hyoscyam ℥ij Sol Mur morph ℥ij and slept much quieter last night Had a bloose at six this morning and is drowsy omit medicine till afternoon

12 Get the medicine three times a day but is still somewhat restless noisy and destructive but considerably less so All his bedding has been removed and he has now only a canvas dress and straw Fancies he is immensely rich keeps up handfuls of straw calling it gold pearls &c Had a grain of opium at night to stop all

18 Very little change

29 No change for the better Dirty destructive and noisy Takes his food well

Wm Boyd 24 Mal Farmer
Father Wm Boyd Farmer Auchenside Parish of Auchterhouse
Brought today from Auchterhouse
states that he got a fall on his
head 14 years ago and after
that first showed any unset-
tledness but symptoms of
insanity have been apparent
for some time back. Has
been especially under treat-
ment for two months back
His habits are very changeable
temper violent, and liable to be
much elevated and depressed
by turns Has always been in
good bodily health Has one
child about 9 months old No
relatives insane Cause hurt on
head and latterly his wife sep-
arating herself from him about
12 Months ago and refusing
to return Turned his relations
and servants out of their house
Imagines his father's farm
is his, and that the servants
conspire against him Not
suicidal Has threatened his
relations and once struck his
sister Never in an asylum
Little or no bread partak
June 26 Slept in seclusion Passed the
night quietly Is rather guilty
but answers questions relevantly
Wishes to have paper to write to
his lawyer From the state of
his neck appears addicted to
onanism To be let out of seclus
ion
27 Conducts himself quietly Wrote
to his lawyers saying that he sup-
poses his relations wish to take
the farm from him and wishing
to see them that he may instruct
them how to proceed Gets languid
and weary and in the afternoon
especially lies down in bed Takes
his food well R Pl altered ℞ II
Sumat unam omni nocte
29 Has a paroxysm of left side
which he says is painful when
he attempts to left anything com-
plains of being annoyed with the
pediculus pubis especially in the
night Warned against the bad
effects of masturbation which
he most flatly denies R
Sumat unam omni nocte Coch i ℥ j
July 1 Conducts himself quietly answers
ordinary questions rational

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July 12 careless of answering questions or exerting himself in anyway His most usual position is lying on a form or three chairs reading Still asserts that the farm belongs to him and that although his father was in it it was only in his own name Bowels easy Walks out on the afternoon along with the other patients Cont

30 Much the same as at last report Wrote to the Patentee office to learn the manner and terms of getting out a patent And today at the sheriffs visit applied to him to get released Still asserts that the farm is his own Cont

August 9 His father and a friend called out a day or two ago to see him He was very sulky and taciturn Refused to say anything or promise anything while he remains here Has got an answer from the Patent office But says he will proceed no further in the matter while here Last night was overheard scheming with another patient to take the key from the attendant and escape Cont

20 Conducts himself quietly but is evidently determined to escape if possible and had a rope concealed in his hat for the purpose of getting over the windows Tells his friend will Heath good Cont

23 Much the same in all respects Removed today by his cousin Discussed as

Relieved

John Hamilton 30 Trunk maker

Brought today from the Police office where he had been taken yesterday in consequence of having knocked down his aunt in her own house 48 North Frederick attempted to cut her throat with a razor and then emptying several pails of water about her

June 26 Rather dull and low spirited Restless travelling much to and fro in the airing court When asked what his name is answers that his father's name was Howe and he himself was called Howe till he went to school where because he sat silent and moody the schoolmaster changed it to Hamilton says that for some days he has been annoyed by violent pains in various parts chiefly in his belly which often force him to jump suddenly Ως for example on Monday afternoon when he was going to cry success a violent pain in the side made him jump suddenly sound Tongue white Pulse quiet skin cool

27 Delusions the same annoyed with sudden pains & strange feelings which make him jump &c very peaceable R Pil alter ut ✠ 11 sumat unam omni nocte

29 Little change Has gone out to work in the grounds When not at work usually walks to & fro in a thoughtful manner Takes his food well Bowels open Airing Court

July 3 Much the same in all respects as at last report Airing court

1 11 Very little change Works when told to do so but when not employed seems to fall into a musing state Bowels rather sluggish R Pil alter ut ✠ 11 sumat unam omni nocte

14 Pulse slow & sluggish 48 per minute Mind more depressed On his knees praying in the airing ground Restless at night

18 No change of any consequence Pil alter nocte manegue olei Jovis ascelli ℥j

Dermitt Hall 26th June 1849

July 25 Much the same Inclined to loiter about and to move but little To be made to walk about Takes at Recni 3ij at bed gtt i Sucs Prandt 3i bed

Augst 1 Seems improving Talks more cheerfully and not annoyed by the Patients as he used to be Takes his food and porter well Pulse improving bed

15 Mind considerably improved but rather sulky these two days Had a small boil on neck which was opened last night Bowels slow R at Recni 3ij at bed gtt i

29 Excited these two days ascribes talking much to imaginary persons in an earnest whisper Bowels easy Stop the porter

Sept 29 Appears get slightly excited imagining he hears people and feels them about him very stubborn & obstinate How is to require medicine occasionally

Nov 1 Not much change appears calm Writes much on the walls with a pencil Bowels easy

Dec 1 Not improving says the Bible is a damnable book & that he is an infidel Takes his food well

28 No change of any consequence

1850

Jany 31 In all respects as before C. Onnia.

Feby 28 Bodily functions natural Employed daily in the ward House Cleanly in his habits and behaving well at present C. Onnia.

March 31 Complained lately of sore throat and had gargle which omitted on his mixture with good effect. Now up and working Appetite good. C. Onnia.

April 30 Has continued well since last report. Employed every day in the ward House. Inquires to get home. C.O.

May 31 Occasionally laughs to himself Health good. C. Onnia

June 16 Much the same. C. Onnia.

July 15 Remarks no delusions Cleanly and industrious Bodily health good C. Onnia

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Wm Parkie 17 To the Wm Parkie

Brought today from 23 Worlds end High Ferrybridge Schedule gives no particulars His father says he has been idiotic from birth at least since infancy when teething manifested convulsions resembling epilepsy These lasted from fortnight to 6 weeks He was six years of age His getting troublesome from his increased strength has induced his father to send him here Has a pale emaciated look Liable to paroxysms of fury when he does not get what he wants Strikes at every body with anything and often strikes himself towards his head against the wall ordinary diet

June 28 Cannot speak an intelligible word but utters certain sounds or pressure of his own wants and ideas pursued with little trifles as bits of straw paper pebbles &c which he hoards and stows about his clothes Seems to pay little or no attention to what passes external to a few feet from him having all his enjoyments and annoyances within that range Takes his food well Bowels ordy

July 1 Feeds himself although slowly and keeps his head dry Cont

8 Does not trouble his neighbours much amuses himself with straws bits of paper &c Takes his food himself Keeps his head dry Not observed to

18 occasionally dirty room in his own way but on the whole does not annoy nor is annoyed by the other patients

Augt 1 No change Got his face washed by another patient who was annoyed by his noise

Sept 1 No change

Oct 1 In all respects as reported above

Nov 1 No change

Dec 1 No change

18 Much the same in all respects

21 No change

Admitted 26th June 1849

1850		
January	31	In all respects as before C. O.
February	28	Bodily health moderately good, cannot utter an intelligible sound, but constantly utters a peculiar noise and agitates his body and arms. very untidy and unclean in his habits. Appetite good Bowels natural. C. Owen.
March	31	In all respects as formerly. C. Owen
April	30	No change C. Owen.
May	31	Much the same. C. Owen
June	15	Makes a strange inarticulate noise and makes peculiar gestures with his hands apparently indicative of joy. Bodily health good. very inoffensive. C. Owen.
July	15	No change. C. Owen.
Aug	15	Much the same. C. Owen
~~Sept~~	~~28~~	~~No change. C. Owen.~~ Discharged

Relieved

John McAfferty 20 single Labr 12 Cor
Gateshead

Brought today from Blackshaws
she tells that he never was
insane before ill a few days No
bodily disorder preceded attack
Thinks himself God Thinks and
fears clothes No treatment but
a purgative

June 27 After admission fell out with
several of the patients and was
consequently sent to seclusion
Lies peaceably in bed Talks
very connectedly but asserts
that he is God almighty Takes
his food well Cont

28 Delusion the same Lies quietly
in bed and says very little
unless questioned Pulse
slightly related Pulse of mod
erate strength and frequency
Appetite Request acceptit
Will attempt to dismiss
impression omni modo

July 1 No abatement of his delusion
as to his being God Yet admits
that his name is John McAfferty
and in the course [illegible] today
manifests considerable desire
to connect a melancholic patient
to Roman Catholicism Does
not seem inclined to strike
or be destructive Cont

4 Quieter but still labouring
under the delusion that he
is god although it seems rather
feigned Sent out to work
in the grounds Takes his
food well Cont

8 Very much improved Enquiring
as to the likelihood of his getting
out soon as he is afraid that
he may lose the situation he
was in before he went wrong
Working industriously Bodily
health good Cont

16 Works industriously Talks
rationally Behaves in all res
pects well Health good
Cont

21 Has continued to conduct him
self in all respects well and
to work industriously Being
in good bodily health and
free from delusions Discharged
as
cured

Nicholas Hammett 26th June 1849

Wm 9 H Cos grove 25 Sept Mass

Brought today from N 9 old Wyndt Has not been in his right mind since the beginning of the year No many relations Went into a room yesterday with a razor to cut his throat Dull lonesperited restless air says little No further history given

June 26 Conducts himself quietly Answers questions ~~rational~~ relevantly Pulse 88 Tongue white Face has a dusky ashy hue No unusual heat of skin Bowels rather slow R Pil alter alvi ℞ Sumat unam omni nocte

July 2 Dull and given to muse when not actively engaged Talks but little Mutt answers on the whole relevantly Takes his food well Bowels easy Not dirty or destructive habit

5 Admits that he had taken the razor into the room with the intention of making away with himself but can give no reason why Says that now he knows it was wrong will not attempt the like again Works in the grounds habit

9 Still somewhat dull and thoughtful although no obvious delusion is apparent Suggestive and ingenious but does what he is bidden Takes his food well Not dirty Bowels easy habit

13 Not much change Tongue white Flatulency ℞ Infusi ℥j

18 Much the same Answers correctly Works in the grounds Takes his food well Bowels easy habit To have a bath daily

Augst 1 Answers questions correctly and conduct himself quietly

6 Again more stupid and depressed Face rubbed with Croton oil liniment Bowels well opened by two colocynth pills

14 Little improvement Dull and stupid Bowels require medicine occasionally ℞ Infusi ℥ss Bl Mist ℥ss

Lowndes Admitted 29 June 1849

Augt 29 Not much improvement in any way Dull and lethargic Takes his food well and often requires medicine to keep his bowels easy

Oct 1 Rather improved of late Holds up his head and answers better Takes his food well Bowels regular Coat

Nov 1 Dull somewhat dull and sullen Not inclined to stir Takes his food well Get an occasional dose of physic

Dec 1 Seems slowly improving but still sluggish & inclined to hang his head

19 Much the same as at last report Removed today by his friends Discharged as

Relieved

Wm Stewart 70 Labourer Md
asean Jas Paterson

Brought today from Lamlash
Shemide states that he never was
insane before Ill about 18 months
No Preceding bodily disease except
that he got his leg broken
Has 6 Children Eldest 22 youngest
4 years Cause-The accident to
his leg is supposed to have had
some effect on his mind
Disease increasing with occ
casional short impressions
Fancies his wife and family
poison his food Mysterious
Threatened his wife and daug
hter Not destructive Fed
purgatives without any benefit
Order in an asylum

July 1 Quiet and docile says that his
head is light aged that he
cannot steady himself seems
in tolerable health for his years
Bowels rather slow R Pil alterat
+11 sumat unam omni nocte

3 Much the same Quiet and do-
cile Rather stupid says that
his head is gone wrong says
that notions come into his head
that his friends and other
people put poison in his
food and that that is chiefly
the thing that he is wrong
in the head concerning
Bowels easy Cont

7 Much the same complains
that his head is wrong &
that he cannot command
it as he ought Works
in the grounds Cont

11 Little change aware that his
mind is wrong and unsettled
but says he cannot correct
or steady it Quiet peaceable
and cleanly Cont

15 Thinks himself somewhat bet
ter Works in the grounds Eats
his food well Bowels easy

19 Still somewhat stupid and
besides does not understand
English well Rub neck with
Chlt. Liniment Head of

Aug 1 Very little change at least
does not know much change
on himself However seems
rather less stupid Works
in the garden Bowels easy
Cont

	Fred	Admitted 30th June 1879
	Aug 29	Seems very considerably improved Works in the garden daily Bowels regular
	Sept 11	Being in good bodily health and free from delusions discharged as Cured

Chas Bank[illegible] 70
Stevenston Parish Ayrshire Insp[illegible]

Brought today from Stevenston schedule states that he was twice in the asylum previously Insane on present occasion 8 days No bodily disorder Temperate Healthy never injured No cause assigned Delusions religious Not suicidal Does not strike no destroy furniture No treatment for both the former occasion as now stated Cured

July 1 Raves noisy and raves incoherently on religious subject Will not stay in bed and tumbles the bedclothes about the floor Pulse not accelerated Bowels not moved R Pil Aloet ator x11 Sumat mam omni nocte

2 Still as noisy and incoherent Raves chiefly about religion That his is the true faith &c Applicat Resecat occipite Cont Olea

4 This patient was in the asylum from 5th April to 3d Sept 1824 and from 18th July to 1st July 1831 both times cured He has been 3 different times affected since Kept chained at home and not sent to an asylum Has always been a respectable and temperate man. Still incoherent and restless No. of former admission 470 & 778

6 Much quieter and out of seclusion still talks incoherently chiefly on religious matters Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

11 Greatly improved Talks more rationally and conducts himself correctly although there is still some lingering of his malady Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

17 Again unsettled and talkative Was at work in the garden but not fit for it today Tongue white thick & large Habeat Cal gr ii Pulv Ipecacuanh gr x

21 Wet pack last night & this morning Tongue is somewhat better today Yesterday had Calom gr ij Pulv Rhei 3ij Tongue still white Habeat Sulph Magn 3ij

Admitted 30th June 1869
Jas McClelland Townhead Stevenston aged

July 23 Had sulph Magnes ʒi yesterday
which operated freely but he
soiled the bed after is more
restless looks thinner

25 No improvement soils the bed
Restless & incoherent R Tinct Cinch
co ℥ss Liquor Ammon ℥tt xv in aqua ℥ss
Acetat morphine Mixed ℥ss for suppr
July 1 Not much change Dirty with the
stretcher Noisy and incoherent
Gets at night Sal Mur Mercy
℥tt xxxv Cont

Augt 7 Very destructive to the bed
clothes at night and also soils
the bed Does not tear his
body clothes Takes his food
well Continue the draught
Rub nape neck croton oil
liniment

12 Still noisy restless and inclined
to tear the bed clothes Talks a great
deal in a rambling manner Does
not soil his bed so much but very
restless at night Cont draughts &
continue Tinct Cinch

18 Still tears the bedclothes at
night and sometimes soils the
bed Very talkative

28 Continued to tear his bed
clothes every night but last
night Noisy talkative and
troublesome Does not soil
his bed as formerly

Sept 11 Not much improvement some
nights does not tear his
bedcloth Talks much Takes
his food well Gets occasionally
a small dose of Ipecacuan
Bowels easy cold

18 Troubled with bowel complaint
but is notwithstanding exces
sively destructive Getting
Chalk mixture cinchona Opium
also Dovers powder Cont
as

22 Diarrhoea worse and he
is so restless & destructive
that he has to be tied in
bed Cont

27 Diarrhoea still continues
but is rather abated
No mental improvement
Cont

29 His friends came today to
remove him & were told he
had been ill of diarrhoea but
persisted in taking himself away
Dismissed as Relieved

George Martin 33 Locksmith Md

Brought today from Glasgow Asylum gives no particulars
out of work 14 weeks and having
a wife and 8 children dependent
on him without the wherewithal
to give them preying on his
mind are said to have induced
his malady
July 1 Is tolerably quiet and rational
answers questions relevantly
says he is better in his mind
and no delusions have been extracted
from him Rather pale Pulse not
ferate No unusual heat of scalp
says that it was the want of
work the destitution of self &
family and his wanderings
about the streets that made
him lose reason but now
he feels better Bowels slow
R Rl Alterative & Aperient
mane omni nocte
3 Answers questions tolerably relev
antly Mark is dull and restless
not inclined to speak unless
spoken to Takes his food well
and does what he is told Bowels
easy Cont
6 Mark the same as at last
report stands in an unsettled
and musing manner when
not set to work Rather pale
and with a somewhat melan-
choly cast of countenance
Cont
11 Not much change Is set at
work in the grounds daily
answers ordinary questions
relevantly but is taciturn and
given to muse Cont
16 Improving Answers more freely
and cheerfully Takes his food and
Bowels easy Cont
19 As at last report Rub neck with
croton oil liniment
25 Still slowly improving Takes
his food well Troubled with
a chronic cough Bowels easy
Augt 5 Rather more restless quiet
talking somewhat to himself
yesterday & today Habeat
Mr Keyte
22 Quieter But mind still
somewhat astray Does not
answer promptly Slow &
given to muse Takes his
food well Bowels easy

Sept

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Md Admitted 30th June 1849

Sept 22 Talks much to himself or imaginary persons under during the night also seldom gives a direct answer Bodily health tolerably good Cont

Oct 22 Talks incoherently in an incoherent & irresponsible manner With his constant talking prevents the other patients from sleeping sent to sleep in a room by himself Health good Cont

Nov 22 No improvement in any way Bodily health tolerably good

Dec 18 Much the same in all respects

31 No improvement

1850

Jany 31 Since last report seems to have improved very much. Exhausts well. Answers correctly. Broaches no delusions. Cleanly and attentive to his personal appearance Bodily functions natural. C.O.

Febr 28 Admits that he was confused in mind and now feels quite well. Anxious to leave. Health good. Discharged this day

Cured

John Cairns 43 Carpenter Single Esta

Y H

Brought today from the Towns hospital Glasgow and was Yesterday removed from Perth

July 6 No history can be got of this patient and he is too stupid to tell himself When spoken to laughs silly but gives no coherent answer Takes his food well R Pl altered + H Lennox remain comm nocte

8 Still smiles in the same imbecile manner when questioned answering at random and often not at all Sometimes throws gets rather hot but no flushing observed Pupils of ordinary size Takes his food well Bowels open from the pills Cont

10 Imbecile and careless Laughs in an idiotic manner when spoken to Sent out to work on the grounds careless of his personal appearance In tolerably good condition Has a scar of a large cut over temples known which he says was produced many years ago by fall of iron pillar Cont

13 Much the same in all respects careless and untidy Takes all things in an easy unhurried manner

16 Imbecile easy careless and contented Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

21 Much the same careless and destructive to his clothes Bodily health tolerable Bowels costy Cont

28 Very destructive to his clothes Takes his food well Bowels costy Cont

Augt 7 No improvement Restless dirty and destructive to his clothes Takes his food well + is of full habit Bowels costy

12 Has become so stupid that he cannot command his feet and is therefore confined to bed Lies on his back answers yes or no readily but little else Takes his food well Bowels slow Pulse regular

18 His landlady called today and stated that he belongs to Muthill that it is nearly 3 years since

Estabt admitted 4th July 1849

his mind began to be affected and malady advanced very slowly at first chiefly sleepiness and sullenness and gradually became more & more stupid, and of late his sister noticed that his speech speech was somewhat affected (although the landlady could not detect this) No relative known to be insane Was sober and steady and supported his parents also had saved past £10.0.0 this was stolen & his sister thinks this was the first thing that depressed his spirits & that he never was the same man afterwards Lies constantly on his back and bedsores are beginning to form over sacrum Passes all under him and in consequence of a habit he has of scratching his face till it bleeds his hands have been bound to his sides Bedsores forming

Aug 28 Much quieter and not scratching his face nor tearing his clothes but still passes all where he lies Takes his food well Bowels regular cont

Sept 10 Hands have again to be tied to prevent his scratching his face Passes all where he lies without notice Takes his food well Bedsore not improving Constantly repeating psalms & portions Bowels easy

Oct 10 Has improved considerably and often gets up to stool himself Still occasionally given to scratch his face & repeat psalms Bedsores healed except one fistular passage through which a seton has been passed Fistulae canal has denuded & is now well He is up & dressed but is still given to tear & untie for hours Takes his food well Bowel easy

Nov 10 Keeps himself clean & dry health much better Mind still much astray Confined to bed with a sore toe

Dec 10 91

1850

Jany 31 See Letter Out of Bed. C.O.

Feby 28 No change since last report. C.O.

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Wm Martin 48 Teacher, single
7th

July 7 Brought today from Waverly House Blackquarry. No history given Was in the Poor asylum 18 years ago and discharged improved Has been somewhat weakminded since so much so as not to pursue his former calling and wrought at laboring occasionally but very little Present attack showed itself 18 months ago Often struck his brother and sister very severely and has broken furniture & windows No particular delusions and speaks very little Sometimes refuses food for a day or two Some of his mother's relations she says were nervous

9 Stupid and careless Disinclined to speak Either stares vacantly at me or walks away Pulse of moderate strength and frequency Tongue moist but rather foul R Sol Aloet et Rh Sumat unam omni nocte

Cont alter

10 Mind evidently weak and memory defective Gives no explicit answer to any question Bowels easy from the pills sent out to work Takes his food well

Cont

12 Little change in any respect Mind weak and rambling Takes his food well Cont Pil

16 Much the same in all respects Tongue very white Bowels rather sluggish Haleyt Station Pulv Jalapae Cogn ℈i

21 Much more steady and composed Answers questions tolerably relevantly Takes his food well and works out Bowels easy

Cont

28 Answers questions relevantly and conducts himself in all respects well Cont

August 7 Continues to talk and act well but does not acknowledge that there was any thing wrong with his mind when he came here

19 Talks and acts in all respects tolerably well except as stated in last report Mind weak

22 Being in good bodily health and free from all delusions discharged as

Cured

Estate Admitted 6 July 1829

John Wilson 2d Trk navvy

	Brought today from 18 Mountain lane Bricgadoles No history except said to have been drunk very stupid scarcely able to comprehend or answer any question	Oct
July 8	Tolerably quiet but stupid and restless Says he belongs to the County Fermanagh and has been in Scotland for 9 years working at different railways &c Left leg somewhat shorter than the other formerly from injury to femur high & Pulse 84 Eye dull Bowels opened by two pills he got last night Takes his food	Nov
	Cont	Dec
10	Dull slow and stupid Hesitates long before he give an answer also sometimes gives no answer at all Today asked for tobacco and promised to go to work if he got it (given) No prominent delusion pers opt Bowels easy Takes his food	1865 Jany
	well Cont	
12	Still stupid and slow complains of heaviness in his head Tongue white Eye dull very languid in all his movements Takes his food well Bowels easy from a pill at night C C Mixture	Feby
	ad 3ii	
14	Still slow heavy and stupid Takes his food well but thinks his head is better	
16	Much the same as at last report Tongue very white Nose reddened with Croton oil Takes R Calomel gr iii & Pulv Rhei gr v	
18	Still dull and slow Bowels well opened Tongue still white Takes his food well Pulse long well	"
23	Neck very sore from the liniment Quite nearly heal Not so stupid To be sent out to work Bowels	April
	easy	
28	Looks very stupid and meets the bed R Trust continued 3i Sumat gtt xx mane	May
	Cap aqua Applicet Resecetur capite	
Sept 6	Not much change Head heals and he is again out at work	
29	Goes on improving but is still somewhat slow and stupid Takes his food well Sleeps well Bowels regular but meets his bed rept Trust Cont	

Cath. Admitted 7 July 1849

Oct 1 Much the same as at last report still sorts his bed Bodily health good although he complains of weakness in his back Mentally regular Takes his food well Cheerful

Nov 1 Keeps his bed clean more quiets the Mason very anxious to get away quiet very busy on the 4th yesterday

Dec 1 Occasionally quiets his bed yet & is often very surly & morose on the subject of his confinement here

" 14 Much the same as reported above

31 Last last report

1850

Jany 31 Had an excoriation of hip cured by ointment Anxious to get out. Cheerful at night. Relates fully well. Answers correctly. C.C.

Feby 14 Seems to improve materially Cheerful in his habits. Anxious to get out and obtain employment. Says that he cannot account for his illness but supposes by suppressing that which they if which he pointed rather freely had been drugged. Health good. C.C.

March 30 Very anxious and importunate to get away. Answers questions relevantly Broaches no delusions Says that it was drink alone was the cause of his illness and that he would beware of it again. Bodily functions natural C. Omnia

" 31 General health good. Irritable rather. Answers relevantly Attentive to his appearance. Anxious to leave. C. Omnia.

April 30 Employed as waiting in the Inst House. Answers questions relevantly Broaches no delusions Anxious to get away Bodily health good. C.C.

May 29 Seems this day discharged

Cured

Abraham White 42 McTaylor
TH

Brought today from the central police office having been found on the streets brandishing a knife an threatening to stab people Will not speak a word Very dirty One eye blackened

11 Will not speak lies in a clogged stupid state Attendant reports that he had somewhat like an epileptic fit Rather thinned and pale Tongue white but moist Eye dull Had a full bath on admission Urine non sex

12 Much improved today Says he was in the army Is a native of Ireland Has been 4 years in Scotland and of late much addicted to drinking Spirits Tongue white Bowels regular

14 A friend who called today states that in childhood patient had a severe fall on head Fifteen years ago in the West Indies was for some time delirious Was then a soldier served 21 years Has a shilling a day pension Since his discharge 2 years ago For last 3 weeks has not been quite in his right mind but became outrageous the day he was admitted here Friend relates to addict drinking although patient who is rapidly improving freely admits it himself

16 Conducts himself in all respects well Enjoyed taking charge of a maniacal patient Talks rationally Bowels regular

17 Mrs Wilcock called today and enquiring patient to write to his friends in Ireland as he was now seemingly quite well He may therefore without a lengthened probation be discharged as

cured

Admitted 10th July 1849

John M. Pettijohn 19 Murderer Lunacy
Penny V. Pettijohn Hyp.

[illegible] states that he never was insane before Ill 8 days No bodily disorder His mother at present insane No cause known Furious manner and no change Not suicidal but violent and destructive No treatment Never in an asylum The person who brought him states that he believes that patient has been several times in jail Knows positively that he came out of Sterling Jail about 10 days ago and thinks he had been in several months came [illegible] very restless and incoherent Warm bath cut hair and dose of castor oil

July 14 Restless and incoherent Throws off his clothes Takes his food fluid weak and jerking Bread & butter & punk of porter at bed time Suspicious

16 Still restless and incoherent Tears his clothes and seems desirous to be allowed to go naked Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

17 Talks much and very incoherently Tears his clothes soils his bed Tires himself out and then fall asleep exhausted Cont

19 On the considerably quieter Taken charge of Put another patient Takes his food well Cont Heat Pulse Respiration Bowels not opened yesterday Pulse compressible about 80

21 Still restless during the day but sleeps well at night Takes his food well A kind of dropsical puffiness of lower eyelids but no swelling elsewhere

23 More unmanageable Got a slight scalp wound on the occiput yesterday Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont To have an opiate at night

29 Much the same as at last report Noisy and destructive Must [illegible] to throw off his clothes Bowels slow and dislikes castor oil Hab of Cot 8th ii

July 1 Very little change Dirty noisy and destructive Has a strong inclination to pervert his privates

Admitted 13th July 1849

Augt 5 Very little change Takes his food well but thinner rather still restless dirty and destructive

10 Getting thinner Not so restless but more stupid and sometimes has a sort of fixed cataleptic stare Does not take his food quite so freely soils his bed & destroys his clothes Bowels easy

13 Much the same Paler thinner and more stupid Appetite Rescind Carpenter Porter continue Steak

22 Not improving much in any way Puts off his clothes whenever he can get an opportunity Very dirty and rather destructive Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

Sept 11 Not quite so destructive and dirty but rather inclined to roll and tumble about than stand or walk Does not speak Takes his food well Cont

Oct 11 Quieter and not so destructive seldom soils his bed at night but still very dull and stupid Takes his food well but looks thin Cont

Nov 11 Much the same as at last report Had a boil on chin which prevented him from eating for some time Has still a dull stupid stare Does not speak Bowels easy

Dec 11 Very little improvement still soils the bed at night Never speaks

31 Very much improved Body & his bed dry & answers tolerably readily Health improved

1850

Jany 21 Much better. Behaves well. Answers rationally. Mind weak. Health good. C.O.

Feby 11 Continues to convalesce. Restless in manner. Behaves well. Answers rationally. Bodily health good. Conjunctivæ injected Smelling of bowels of each. Appetite good.

" 14 Was this day discharged Cured

Peter Mc Kenzie 21 Simple Phil Cosp. Fue
Atchafalaya R. Iberia Campbells Island

Brought today from Atchafalaya
Schooner states that he never was
insane before Ill about 3 months
preceded by a simple cold and
depression of spirits Was sober
quiet and inactive yet quite mobile
No hoarse discase No relative
insane Head not injured Cause
supposed to be dread of cholera &
death No abnormal change and
stationary Memory defective
Mental energy totally gone Never
speaks at all on any subject and
will seldom answer the simplest
question Appears quite imbecile
Treatment Change of air & laxative
Ordinary diet

16 Quiet and timid cannot be got to say
one word or put out his tongue
Rather pale & thin Pulse rapid and
weakish Does not take his food
himself and requires to be fed
Will not put out his tongue Bow-
els slow Haheat Ol Ricini ℥j

17 Much the same as yesterday still
requires to have the food put into
his mouth Very timid and will
not speak nor put out his tongue
Hab lab gr iii c Rhei ℥ss Rash nape

18 Bowels moved during the night
Still timid and taciturn Rash
not affected Repeat the liniment

21 Much the same cannot be got to
speak or put out his tongue
Taking his food rather better
An eruption on nape Bowels slow
Haheat Calomelan gr iij ℞ Scammon
gr x

24 Not much change State with
difficulty can be got to answer
a monosyllable or take his
food Yesterday had Calom gr ii
Rhei ℥ss Bowels open

31 Little change Will scarcely
speak and requires to have
his food forced into his mouth
Yesterday had Ol Ricini ℥j
which did not operate Hab
Ol Ricini ℥vi Ol Croton gtt ii
Spirit Hordei ℥ji

August 5 Much the same scarcely speaks
and moves but little Bowels
difficult to move Gets 2 or 3 drops
of croton oil every other day

12 Little change Will scarcely speak a
word and requires to be fed Bowels
still difficult to move Rash again subsided

Tuech Admitted 14th July 1849

Augt 21 Very little change in any way
Will not speak Requires to be
fed Bowels difficult to move
Blisters &c Chlorynth ℥ j p r n
Septr 11 Somewhat improved and takes
his food himself but still some-
-ly speaks Bowels less constipated
Cont
Octr 11 Has got a cold & is somewhat
hoarse Mentally he is consid-
erably improved Takes his
food himself and answers
a little
12 On examination of chest abs-
-ence of respiration is detected
below right clavicle Tongue Furred
Cont Pulse 96
Novr 1 Cough very troublesome especially
at night Pulse rapid Skin
natural Cont in the evening
Hoarseness rather increasing
Gl Sal Cont Digitalis gtt x L
his gruel
5 Much the same as at last re-
-port Sent home to Auchterarder
Discharged as

Relieved

John Manson 21 Tailor Yeadon
Jos Manson Herald office 69

Inquest today from
schedule states that he never
was insane before Ill for a
month but for four years
has shown a determination to
drive a great business without
the means or probability of
succeeding Has two children
2 & 1 years No relative insane
Cause intemperance and matri-
monial dissension Increasing
occasional remissions Trifling
sums he is concerned in and
about to be engaged in great
commercial pursuits Not
suicidal Never struck anyone
Once tore his clothes No delusions
On admission talked very vol-
ubly with considerable excite-
ment of manner Pulse 80 soft
Pupils dilated To sleep in separate
Limbal station Tinct opii ℥ij ℈
Spiritus Horolei ℥ij

19 Slept well during the night
Skin the same volubility and
grossness Pulse compressible
but tolerably full Bowels
slow Lambert station Pil Colocynth
comp ii Tinct opii ℥ij ℈ Spirit
Horolei ℥ij Repetatur Tinct
opii et Spiritus p.r.n. To
have keeper to and from shop

20 Slept well Not quite so volubile
Takes his food well Bowels
not opened although he had
further an ounce of castor oil
Vlaheat Al Rheum ℥ss ol Cryst gtt iii
Spirit Horolei ℥ij Lumbar subito ℥ij ℈ quam
℥ij m

21 Bowels very well opened
yesterday Still a drowsy but
night slept well Pulse more
full & calm Up and dressed
Still somewhat volubile volubile

24 Much calmer although still
has exaggerated ideas of
his own abilities Bowels easy
Has had a glass of toddy and an
opiate every night at bedtime
Permit do them

27 Conversing rationally respect-
ably but still has some of
latter notions of his own abil-
ities and has a notion of going
to Hamburgh to be agent to
parties in this country
Takes his food well Bowels easy

Mr Mentaran admitted 18 July 1849

Augt 4	His brother had an interview with him today and says with the exception of a less excited air he does not know any improvement in patient who is still full of absurd notions of going Hamburgh America &c Bodily health good Conduct
22	Conducting himself very well in all respects with the exception of a slight disagreement with the attendant himself playing cards reading &c
Sept 22	Conducting himself in all respects well Was allowed to go to work in the garden but on information that he meditated escaping not allowed to go there Health good Conduct
Oct 1	Continued to conduct himself in all respects well Bodily health good, Removed today by his father Discharged as

cured

7th Robert Darrock 37 Married M.d Flesh

Mercl A today form
Specific aperient says that
he has two sons 15 & 19 That
he has been off work for 9 months
in consequence of a fall from
a cart which hurt his back
Pale thin and dirty Pulse of
moderate fulness and frequency
Tongue clean pitiful or rather brownish
When he speaks has a convulsive
twitching of the upper lip Answers
tolerably relevantly and says he does
not think there was any reason
for sending him here
July 22 Answers Customary questions tolerably relevantly But there is ab-
solutely a degree of imbecility about
him Says his sons have turned
their backs on him Bowels rather
sluggish Sumat stat Pil Colocynth
Co ℔ ij
23 Much the same Mind quiet
Conducts himself in a quiet and
docile manner Says his sister in
law has turned her back on him
as well as his sons Takes his
food well
25 Much the same Tongue white
brownish at base Habeat
Calomel gr iii Rhei ℥ß
28 Conducting himself quietly and
well although Mind seems
a little weakish
July 1 Stool Yesterday Hyd c Creta
gr v Pulv Ipecac gr x mor-
ning in consequence of slight diarrhoea
4 Has got the backs of his hands
very much scorched by the sun His
wife called today and says that his
mind is now as well as ever it
was and that it was drinking
that put him into an excited state
previous to his being sent here
Seventeen months
10 Conducting himself quietly and well
Mind However rather weakish Hands
getting well Takes his food well
Capt
13 Mind being as well as it probably
ever will be and he in good
bodily health removed today by
his Father in law Discharged
as
cured

Fletcher admitted 21st July 1849

George Peacock 47 M u

Brought today from Campsie
No History Applied and a con-
fused Pulse weak 64. A pterygium
on each eye Takes an ounce Tongue
white Pint of porter at
bed time

July 22 Bowels rather slow Slept tolera-
bly quietly last night but
complains of pain in loins Hab
pil coloc cyth Heis clear but
cerebrum & cerebellum confused

July 23 Slept well Does not talk quite
so confusedly Conducts himself
quietly Bowels opened moderately
Habeat Pil Colocynth Ter

cont

25 Sleeps quietly Bowels well
opened by the pills Takes his
food well Habeat Infusum gen
Pulv Jalapae gr viij

27 Conducting himself well in
all respects

30 Conducting himself quietly &
well

Augt 7 Continues to conduct him-
self in all respects well

cont

22 Conducts himself in all
respects well Bodily health
good

Sept 22 Conducts himself in all respects
well Works in the garden

Oct 22 Cont Continue convalescent

Cont

Nov 9 Removed today by his wife
Discharged cured

Helmsdale 21st July

Henry Ross 27 Weaver Boat
YH 5th Burmese Harbonah

Brought today from Burmese
Has been ill at present
5 days but was ill 3 times
previously in Jany 1834 1835
& 1836 Is married only
eight months now pursues
his wife whenever he sees her
Tears & tears his clothes Is
sober & steady

July 24 Very noisy and restless raves
in an incoherent manner on a
variety of subjects Pulse tolerably
quiet Takes his food well
Bowels opened by a dose of
castor oil Habeat Hora somni
sal Mur Morph 3ss Zinct 3ss
camri 3ij

26 Still noisy and restless but
sleeps better Takes his food well
cont

28 His wife called today & states
that his former paroxysms were
usually short that this one
began suddenly without any
obvious cause Had no particular
delusion but raved chiefly on
religion Conversed very calmly
with his wife today & expressing
a hope that he would soon
get to his employment again
Bowels slow Habeat ol
ricini 3ij

30 For last two days seems quite
convalescent Working industri-
ously Talking rationally Bod-
ily health good Cont

Augt 1 Continues to conduct himself
well in all respect Talks
rationally and assists the assistants
in the Gallery Health good
Cont

4 Continued well in all respect
His wife who is very near
being confined with her first child
was very anxious to have him
home He was today accord-
ingly discharged as

Cured

admitted 23 July 1849

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July 23 Remain excited and last night broke all the panes of his bedroom. Takes his food well. Bowels easy. Cont.

29 Has continued tolerably quiet and rational since last report. Cont.

Aug 18 Has continued in all respects well. Works in the gallery but refused to go to the grounds. Bodily health good. Cont.

24 Mind has continued calm & rational. Being in good bodily health & free from all delusion discharged as

Cured

Committed 16 May 1849

Thos Kyne 40 M. Seaman
7th Nov. Kept by Prunes Street Belfast

Brought from Clyde Police office where he has been since Yesterday in consequence of having thrown himself into the river Had been drinking hard for some days Is very jealous of his wife and says she blames her as the cause of his drinking Anxious to have his head cut off or to get arsenic Pulse somewhat accelerated Knows not Has a small wound above left eye and another on scalp got the same by fighting with the police Habeat Bl Ricini ℥j Habeat Horæ somni Sol Morph ℥ij Spiritus Aurantii ℥ij

July 24 Slept well Bowels will open Afraid that he is to be executed and anxiously asks if such is really to be the case

25 Quieter and much less afraid today Takes his food well Bowels easy

27 Has got quite rid of his delusions Assists in the gallery and is now very anxious about ship Takes his food well and conducts himself in all respects well Quite

30 Quite convalescent Assisting in the gallery Anxious to get home Cured

Augt 3 Continues well Bowels slow Sumat Jalap Colocynth duas

7 Being in good bodily health and free from all delusions Removed today Towns Hospital authorities Discharged Cured

Myers Admitted 23d July 1849

Robt Gordon 11

A. P. D.

Brought today from the Abbey Grich Poorshouse Bewsley where he has been an inmate for eight months during this period he has been subject to epilepsy and he himself says he never had any fits previously It is said that his mother died epileptic. When excited he is found often wandering in dangerous situations Never attempted injure any one Never in an asylum

July 25 No fit since admission Quiet and docile answers question relevantly Tongue tolerably clean Takes his food well It is said that his father became a latter day saint and went to America leaving the children destitute the mother being dead - that the boy then first was attacked with fits first Violent Pulse Rhei Comp 3ij

27 No fits Conducts himself in all respects well Cont

30 Continued well till last night when he had a most severe fit or series of fits lasting fully half an hour After the convulsions subsided he moved up and down at a rate with each inspiration No excitement today Violent ol Ricini 3ij

Augt 6 Continues free from fits since last report Ft Mist Nocte mane Pulv Jalap 3ss Extr Hyos gr ii ss Ft pil No ii ss

15 Continues well Bowels acting Cont

29 Continues well in all respects Cont

Sept 29 In all respects well Assist in the Gallery

Oct 27 Continued in all respects well Being in good health & free from delusions discharged as

cured

Admitted 24 July 1849

Jos Lavery 44 M a Porter
Family

Brought today from the lunatic asylum at Beauport where he has been for 9 weeks previous to which he was insane for some days says he has a wife and children in America Disease rather increasing Imagines that the greater part of the world is his own Pulse and is inclined to be flushed are not unusual Tongue white Pulse somewhat accelerated Came here under the idea the the queen was here

July 25 Rather restless and noisy Bodily health seems tolerably good Takes his food well Flushed Pulse When composed Has a deep wound over left Elbow having the appearance of having been caused by rubbing against the wall or such like Applicant Catalepsis

26 Noisy and troublesome Talks of his power and riches but in a very incoherent manner Takes his food well

27 Noisy and destructive Has torn all his clothes to day To be put in a strong dress

29 Much the same Noisy dirty and destructive Today fell against a form and hurt his nose Takes his food well Flushed Sulphates Magnes 3vi Tartrates antimonii gri

31 Seems if anything rather quieter From his constant restlessness and destructive propensities arm not improving in fact getting more Flushed Calomel gri Jalapae gr x

Augst 4 Not improving Dirty incoherent and destructive Strips off his clothes and wallows in the dirt he can get at Getting thinner and pulse not quite so strong Gets a steak daily Sumat Stat Pulv Jalapae gr x et repet post horas quatuor

11 No improvement Careless dirty and destructive Takes his food well but is thin Cont

19 Careless dirty and destructive Takes his food well Has a steak daily Bowels easy Cont

Estate Admitted 24 July 1849

Augt 28 Rather improved but still very dirty and destructive Takes his food well Bowels regular

Sept 11 Considerably improved and keeps on his clothes seldom sores the head Takes his food well Cont

Oct 11 Continues in an improved state Not leaving his clothes nor sores his head but mind still much astray Cont

Nov 11 Continues to keep his head dry & not very destructive to his clothes but is still weak mindged & fanciful

Dec 12 On the whole improved but mind still weak Cont

31 as at last report

1850

Jany 1 This day removed to Dumfries Asylum.

Returned

John Spencer 23 Single Shoemaker Etat
Raisley

Brought today from the lunatic
asylum at Bridge Foots' House
where he has been for eight
days previous history little
known but it is stated
that his mother was insane
Exciting cause unknown
Was violent threatening to
strike little or no treatment
Wears a crutch left leg being
small from an old affection
of knee received many years
ago Feet inclined to be cold
Pulse rather accelerated
Pale & thin Bowels slow
Flaheat fil Colour compl ii
July 25 Rested tolerably well last
night Is rather depressed
in spirits but answers
tolerably relevantly Bowels
opened by the pulv Jalap
26 When not Pulse 98 As he seems
unable to support himself sent
to bed Complains of headach
C.C. Mucilag ad ℥ii Sumat
Hydr C Creta gr v
27 Still somewhat feverish
and stupid Bowels not moved
Tongue white Sumat Calomel gr v
Saturday gr viii
Pulse rapid Skin hot Abdomen
on pressure Applicat Hirud
xviii ~~Calomel~~ Abdomen
R Cal gr ii Pulv Jacobi gr v
Blad ut Senapism on last
evening on Abdomen
29 Looks ill little better and
cooler this morning but
towards evening sprang the
pulse and breathing be-
came much oppressed with
rattling in the throat
Evidently sinking Flaheat
Spirit Hordei ad libet
30 Much the same during the
night and runs on till
7 P M when he

Died

Established Admitted 24th July 1849

Feb 6th 1847 John Lonnie 27 Carter Penn Co
Andrew Lonnie Broomhill [illegible] Robbins Town

Brought today from Robbins Town
Has been there three times in the
Asylum before From July 6th
1847 till Oct 5th From May 17
1848 till Augt 30 and from Sept
3 1848 till Feby 15 1849 always
discharged as well although
mind never was and never
will be very strong Had a
paternal epilepsy in the same He
on present occasion a few
days Talks a little childishly
Neither suicidal dangerous
nor destructive Had a dose
of Jalap this morning

July 25 Jalap has not yet operated
Bodily health seems tolerably good
Skin not unusually hot Tongue
foul Pulse quiet Makes various
movements and gestures espe-
cially with his hand Mother
taciturn Has heat Hydrarg C
Creta gr x Pulv Ipecacuanhæ &
27 Much the same Scarcely speaks
Makes strange gestures Takes
his food well Cont
29 Will not speak Very quiet
Takes his food well
31 Bowels slow Little improve-
ment seldom giving an answer
to any question Is not dirty
nor destructive Has Pil
Colocynth ii
Augt 6 Bowels flow Symet Pil
Colocynth ii Still slow stupid
& taciturn Fructus mucha
C Ammonia Croton
12 Answers more readily today Takes
his food well Bowels today from
an occasional pill
22 Slightly improving Bowels
costive Cont
Sept 22 Continues to improve Very quiet
answering but little & seldom
begins to speak of his own accord
Cont
Oct 22 Seems about as well as he
usually gets Health good
Cont
Nov 19 Removed today by his father
Discharged as

Cured

Estate Admitted 24 July 1849

Edward Ferrie 43 M. a Sailor 60th

Nov.

Prog[ress] today pom
Wife states that he has been m-
sane and first about 22 years
ago in consequence of a fright
after that was pretty free from
the malady till about 4 years
ago & he has had one or two
slight touches since but never
was in an asylum says his
father was insane. At present occasion[al] weeks cause unknown
Increasing. Thinks himself be-
witched and has attempted
to injure his wife & others &
to tear clothes &c No treatment
July 26 Restless and disposed to wold
in an incoherent manner at being
kept from his wife and children
Thin but athletic Tongue rather
white Pulse moderate Bowels
easy Sumat Pulv Jalapi Comp
3ij
27 Much the same as yesterday ex-
cept that he has begun to count
in the gallery Takes his food
well not destructive nor dirty
29 Talks rambling Takes his
food well Walks elegantly
in the gallery Bowels easy
31 Still talks in a rambling & incon-
nor sometimes somewhat abus-
ive Health good
Augt 6 Talks in a rambling abusive
manner Wishes to get home
Does not want any advice
from the doctors &c Sumat
Cal gr iii Pulv Rhei 3ij
14 Much much the same Thinks his
wife conspired to get him sent here
but will make every body repent it
when he gets out
27 Very noisy and sometimes abusive
Especially abuses his wife as
been the cause of his being
sent here Had a fight with
another patient this morning
and a few days ago eye much
blackened from the same cause
Habt Pulv Jalapae Comp 3ij c
Calomel an gr x
Sept 27 Very little change Noisy and
abusive but dresses in the
gallery
Oct 22 Noisy troublesome often in
expectables Threaten to stone his
wife & a person he supposes to be
her paramour Health good

6th Admitted 21st July 1849

Nov 17 Considerably quieter but still somewhat nervous & irritable & quarrelsome & not free from delusions but appears this week to take the feeling sickness & that she is kept prisoners sends out this children to work with young thieves for the purpose of being initiated by them in bodily wealth & gold Discharged

Released

Ralph Keith 47 Single Master
Govan anex

Brought today from the southern police office where he was taken to yesterday in consequence of summons before two carriers to arrest the boatmen whom he imagined to be thieves He imagines he has a mission from some supernatural being to detect thieves Was in this asylum from the 2d of Augt till the 18th Decr 1846 and discharged cured Was on that occasion sent here in consequence of throwing himself into the canal says that no one has now completely left him Was in Jany 1848 sent to Hillend asylum two days after getting out was put in the House of refuge Edinr but was liberated about six months ago such is his own story as it appears correct Wears spectacles from a shrinelling of the

July 26 Conducts himself quietly answers ordinary questions pertinently Bowels slow Pulse 70 moderate frequency & rather pale and thin R Cal 3ss ii Rhei 3ss mist stat

27 Conducts himself quietly and well complains of headach No change in his delusion

28 Still complains of headach across coronal region Hab beat statim Pil Colocynth Comp iii Bath head with cold water

31 Headache still severe Leeches were ordered yesterday to forehead but he would not posten Admov C.C. ad mulcae ad 3ji Habeat Al Recini 3ji Al Crot 3tt ii

Augt 4 Headache still severe Habeat Sulphates Quinae gr ii noste mane nocte

7 Declines the enema omitt Still much afflicted with headach and has been so for 18 months Bowels slow Limonad Recini 3ji Al Crot 3tt ii

11 Bowels difficult to move: ordered aperient which produced a tolerable evacuation but he vomited his supper at his own request to have bread for dinner and no broth Headach does not abate

Aldmiston 25th July 1849

Sept 20 No change Gets occasionally ol Rheni ℥vi bl Cut ℈ti; Headach often very severe

Sept 20 No change of any consequence Still pulse usually tormented with excruciating headach

Oct 9 Had an attack of haemoptysis yesterday which abated after taking several doses of Acid sulph dil from Today it has occurred with more violence Has ol Crot ℈ti ii Hab Pil Plumb opiat j ter quotidie

" 17 Haemoptysis ceased the day following last report after has not since returned

" 23 Had six cups & leech Rhubarb pills which produced moderate action is followed by oedema for whole day with a dull heavy feeling in head last night & this morning voided some urine & feels better Getting a drachm of Nitrous ether night & morning Hab ol Rosmar ℥ii stat et repet pro re nata

" 24 The first ℥ij of the ol acted 9 times and caused much tormina Getting weaker Pulse full & slow Appetite gone almost Asked for a steak Ate a piece Yesterday but could not touch it today Complains much of drowsiness No urine Conjunctivae injected Hab Aqua Rubri ℥ii

" 25 Had the remainder of the castor oil mixture & the urine passed Has eaten the steak during the night One stool much pain in abdomen which is tender on pressure Cupped in the loins & had a quantity of very bloody pulse 56 Thinks he is going Hab Spirit Juniperi ℥ij

" 26 No more urine Last night & this morn not a pulse to feel but the arms gone off Trembles with hiccup Hab Spirit Nitri Dulcis ℥ii mixtus

" 27 Hiccup much more with severe vomiting Bowels slow Hab enema aperiens repet

" 28 Would not submit to have the injection Evidently cannot hold out much longer Hiccup very severe

" 29 At 8 p.m. Died

John Sherra 25 Single Hamaure
2H

Brought today from the Dorset Hospital where he has been for 24 hours No history given the person who brought him says that he is suspected to be Suicidal but patient himself stoutly declares he is not yet tired of the world is however very stupid and memory seems very much impaired Pulse sluggish

July 28 Dull and stupid Mind depressed about something but he either does not know or cannot clearly express what says his bowels are bound Habeat ol Ricini ℥ij

29 Bowels well opened by the oil but this he denies and complains much of costive bowels in a whining tone Takes his food well

31 Still harps on the subject of his bowels being bound this in fact seems his chief delusion Very stupid Takes his food well Not dirty nor destructive

Augt 3 Very stupid and inclined to whimper Bowels rather slow Sumat ol Ricini ℥i

7 Always complaining in a whining tone Does not seem to know what he would be at Bowels slow Sumat ol Ricini

11 Little change Very stupid and inclined to cry like a child Takes his food well Still complains of costive bowels Habeat Enema aquae tepidae

13 Very stupid and sometimes refuses his food Bowels slow Habeat Pulv Jalapae ℥i To have a steak & a glass of wine daily

20 Very little change Bowels require aid occasionally

28 Very little improvement Require to be fed and require a good deal of medicine to keep them regular

Sept 11 Still requires much medicine to keep his bowels regular

Oct 9 Bowels have become very loose Getting chalk mixture & extract Hyoscyam ℥x ter indies

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Oct 17 Bowels still loose one night last week got up and struck another patient with a chamber pot & hurt his eye Getting Sulph Cupri gr ½ Pulv Opii gr ¼ ter quotidie

23 Bowels complaint better but his back is somewhat sore from bedsores and he has confused rattle cough and expectoration lost

25 Diarrhoea as bad as ever getting very emaciated and bedsores enlarging took the sulphate of copper & try again Pulv Doveri gr x ter quotidie

27 Yesterday Garraca says gone but returned again to-day & he evidently is very much worse and cannot likely hold out many hours longer

28 This evening at half past 7 o'clock

Dead

Wm McCartney 50 N. J. Irish Potter
9H 96 East Clyde St

Brought today from 9 E East Clyde Street. Has been ill
Mate for 7 years seven
months ago through terror of
cholera became depressed in
mind and afraid to die
but has been much worse
for last 8 days and supposes
this must have had something to do with
another man and is afraid
to tell all and so off with
this individual sometimes
the evil spirit tempts him
to take his own life but he
prays earnestly to God for
strength to resist the temptation Pale thin and breath-
less Much troubled with
palpitation pulse at present
regular 100 per minute tongue
white dry[illegible] and flabby
Much troubled with heartburn
shifting from armpit to navel
crown of head Much troubled G
also with flatulence and
gastro dynia

July 31 Mind depressed Bemoans much
thinking that his wife has de-
serted him Bowels not opened
by a dram of Gregory's Mixture
He shall get Wednesday Flaheart
Ext Rh colocynth ii

Augst 1 Mind still depressed but is
not moaning so much very
pale Flaheart Al Senna ad
3ss nocte maneque

2 Bowels slow Flaheart al
Senna 3i

4 Mind still depressed anxious to get
home to his wife and blaming her
for sending him here Breathless
on the least exertion Sibilous rales
numerous throughout chest Bowels
never lies on right side Has not
done so for years Often troubled
with palpitations Bowels slow
Flaheart Syb Rhei Comp 3ii

7 Much the same afraid that
some calamity is about to
befal him Bowels slow
Submur Hyd colocyn ij

12 Filled with imaginary fears such
that he is to be subjected to a cold
bath to be shut up in a dark
cellar &c

14 No change Bowels slow
Flah al Senna 3i

Patk Hawkes admitted 30 July 1845

Aug 20	Still depressed & afraid to move & costive Limnat pil Colocynth duo p r n
Sept 20	Much the same in all respects always afraid of some calamity overtaking him Taking Calum Scoris & Jelly
Oct 20	Very little change either in body or mind apprehensible
Nov 20	No change of any consequence
26	Removed today by the Towns Hospital authorities Discharged as Relieved

G

Jas Dunbar 70 Lab. M.d

Brought today from No History Evidently labouring under delerium tremens Has already been in this asylum 3 times labouring under the same malady (see Page 460 of present volume) Eyes injected tongue moist pulse accelerated much muscular tremor annoyed by spectral figures and sounds Bowels slow Haheat Ol Colocyn Comp ii. Hora somni sumat Spiritus Horlei ʒij cum Sol Mur Morph ʒij

July 31 Rested badly during the night Had a glass of whisky and ʒi of Sol Mur Morph in the morning and slept well Bowels were not moved by the pills she had Ol Ricini ʒij Ol Croti gtt ij which brought away a copious bilious stool Sumat hora somni Spiritus Horlei ʒij Sol Mur morph ʒi

Augst 1 Hallucinations gone but exhausted & sleepy Takes his food well To remain in bed today

2 Up and dressed today Mind quite free from delusions Takes his food well and assists in the gallery

4 continues well and assists in the gallery Bowels easy Cont

7 Convalescent Assisting well in the gallery

11 Mind composed Complained much of pain in side from a bruise Applet Emplast Belladonnæ

15 Side still sore Was relieved a bleak Yesterday Omit Et. Applet Repeat Pulv dolent

20 Side much better Mind calm

22 Side nearly well Being free from all delusions discharged as cured

Admitted 30th July 1849

John Forgen 50 Mason
v. f.

Brought from the Police office where he had been taken in consequence of attempting to commit suicide by hanging and cutting himself a slight scratch on chin. Was well at work a fortnight ago there is no further history on admission quiet and tractable. Pulse 90 Pupils slightly contracted. Tongue white. Bowels rather warm. Takes pil colocyn ii statim

August 1 Last evening became very much excited. Rush to a door crying "Knock and it shall be opened" and thundered at it till he burst it open and was rushing onwards when secured. He was in a most excited state shouting murder. Put into a room as he was exhausting himself and four men to hold him. In seclusion he kept shouting "Murder I'll do it" and his efforts to get out were so strong that he had to be removed from the upper seclusion room to the stronger ones in N 9. Quieted again after 10 p m. As he was still so excited and his bowels had not been moved had Sal Mur Morph 3ss Ol Crotonis gtt ii about 12 a m fell asleep. Much quieter this morning but ordered out his bedclothes and said that he was sure a few more sen. Had Pulv Jalap 3ss Calom gr v but still his bowels refused to act in the afternoon. Had Ol Ricini 3ij Ol Crot gtt ii which moved them freely. Feels sore & weak. Had Sal Mor Morph 3ss et Terebene London aa Mxxx ter die sumi

2 Much quieter today. Weak and complaining of feeling all sore although he seldom speaks any. Requires to have the food put in his mouth. Bowels easy.

3 Continues quiet and rather disinclined to speak. Takes his food more freely and is up and dressed. Pulse 60 Skin cool

Admitted July 31 1849

Augt 4 More communicative today Is much annoyed at having soiled clothing which is not his own and to him a most distressing confused manner Ft Acet Hydr Acetat gr ii ℈ pulv Opii gr viii

7 Still somewhat confused and muses sometime before he speaks Cannot imagine why he was brought here Complains of not sleeping well Ft Acet Potas gr xxx ad ℥ij Hora somni sumat Diet Mucil Morph ℥ss

11 Much the same as at last report Complains much of pain in his side from a bruise To have a strengthening plaster Mind still confused Tongue white Ft Acet Cal gr v Opium gr viii

13 Late complained of pain in side Had it enlarged and thinks it rather easier Takes his food well Bowels easy

15 Bowels rather slow Mind improving Ft Acet Potas gr xxx ad ℥i Has a gonorrhoea which he says with drinking and black balled by his fellow workmen for working when not in their union make up the causes which turned his brain R Spirit Aether Nitros ℥ss Tinct Opii Camph aa ℥j Mist Mucilag ℥iij M Sumat ℥ss tertia quaque

20 Gonorrhoeal discharge disappearing But has been affected with acrites The moisture however that he is taking is acting powerfully as a diuretic Cont

24 Attacked by one hitter on right side Had a dose of epsom salts which freely opened the bowels Appl Cataplasm Lini called for and taken

28 Complained much of pain in scrotum & had the scrotal vessels opened and a few ounces of blood let flow Complains of pain in the groin Appl Unguentum Hydrarg ℥ss Bowels opened by castor oil

Sept 4 Pain has gone left groin and testicle is much reduced in size Mind calm and composed Takes his food well Bowels regular Being in good health & free from delusion discharged as

Cured

John Gibson
Com.

Brought today from 24 Tobago st under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Procurator fiscal. Was in this asylum from 20th July 1847 till March 31 1849 and removed by the parish authorities of Leith against the will of his wife. Dismissed at that time as recovered see Reg. Vol. Page 111 Admitted late in the evening knew his former acquaintances sent to his former gallery

Augt 2 Conducted himself quietly slept in the large dormitory Mind weak answers ordinary questions tolerably readily and relevantly Rather thinks false of moderate frequency No undue heat of scalp

3 Quiet and orderly Not dirty nor destructive Takes his food well says he came from Leith to sell his grape Thinks it would be for his benefit if his daughter Agnes' head were off Gives no distinct notion as to what manner it would be a benefit Neither is he very sure how it could be got off Yet thinks there would be some benefit and also some means of getting it off

5 Mind weak Quiet and peaceable Takes his food well Bowels well opened by two colocynth pills

7 No examination before the Sheriff Very peaceable Takes his food well

10 Mind weak constantly himself quietly anxious to get home Takes his food well Cont

15 No change of any consequence Takes his food well Bowels regular

Sept 11 Much the same in all respects Quiet and peaceable Mind weak

Oct 11 No change

Nov 11 No change

Dec 11 No change

31 No change of appreciable

1850

Jany 21 In all respects as formerly. C.O.

Dermott Aug 1st 1849

Feby 28 Mind weak. Takes little interest in any thing and speaks only in answer. Cleanly and attentive to his personal appearance. He looks thin and pale and lately took little food but he now again improving. Bowels regular. Conf Omnia.

March 31 General health moderately good although he remains thin dull and quiet. Seldom looks up. Mind weak and slow. C. Omnia.

April 30 No change C. Omnia.

May 31 Much the same. C. Omnia

June 15 No change of any consequence. C. Omnia.

July 15 No change. C. Omnia.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Omnia

Sept 15 Some employment. Speaks little and seems to take little cognizance of what is going on around him Bodily health good. C. Omnia.

Oct 15 Much as before. C. Omnia.

Nov 15 Mind remains in the same state. He speaks only when spoken to. Takes little interest in what may be going on. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Omnia.

Dec 15 1850 Much the same. C. Omnia.

Jan 15 Much as before. C. Omnia.

Feb 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Answers readily enough but never speaks spontaneously. Seldom usefully employed. Cleanly in his habits. C. Omnia.

Mar 15 Much the same. C. Omnia.

April 15 No change. C. Omnia

May 15 As before C. Omnia.

June 15 Behaves very quietly. Mind weak. Seldom spontaneously speaks to any one.

July 15 Seems to notice little that may be going on. but usefully employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

Aug 15 Has got his eye much bloodshot by a blow from another patient. C. Omnia.

Sept 15 No change. C. Omnia.

Oct 15 General health good. Mind inactive and weak. Seldom speaks to any one. Seldom knows about a month C. Om.

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John Johnston 28 single Weaver
Campsie Parish John Johnston magistrate

Brought today from Campsie
parish Schedule states that
he never was insane before
but the present attack began
8½ years ago immediately following
an attack of fever previous to
which there was nothing peculiar
in his disposition. Since
then has been troubled with
melancholia and occasional delusion
but was usually quiet
and wrought occasionally
Has only been one week
for last 11 months Has a
maternal cousin once removed
(Thos Watson) in the asylum
at present Four days ago
became much worse Has the
impression that spirits are
urging to commit suicide
and he inflicted a severe blow
on his forehead with a button
hole Wound is near the
forehead looks foul and
the frontal bone is bared
to the length of 1¾ of an inch
and breadth of ¾ an inch Not
destructive Hurt has worked
at some neighbours (No treatment

10 Augt Very quiet and peaceable Affected
by flitting notions of spirits who often
instigate him to take away his own
life Takes his food well Had
calomel & rhubarb yesterday which
operated freely Getting 30 drops of
acetate of morphine night and
morning To have a steak at mid
day Sore on forehead dressed with
poultices Looks foul Cont

11 Rather less annoyed by evil sug
gestions Very quiet Gets 2½
ounces of Appetite indifferent
Bowels easy Sore still foul
Cont Calumb

13 Quiet & peaceable Sore looking
cleaner Bowels easy

15 Takes his extras but not his
dinner Quiet and depressed Bowels
easy Wound gets healthy
Just granulating

20 Had a forge stroke two days ago
sent to bed Had milk diet
chalk mixture with catechu
Diarrhoea gone Gets steak
and a glass of port daily

28 Bowels regular from a pill nightly
Wound cont healing

Patients admitted 4th August 1849

Oct. 1	Found nearly heal himself quietly answers rationally refuses his food will get a little physic occasionally to keep his bowels regular 1 Cont
Nov. 1	Found quite headed. Quiet answers questions rationally but says he sees figures in the air. They are usually white and five or six yards distant. Refuses his food well
Dec. 1	Much the same as at last report
18 51	No change
1850	
May 31	In every respect the same C. C.
July 28	Mind still a little dull and mark. very quiet and speaks little. Occasionally smiles pretty cheerfully. Tongue is apt to get coated. Appetite moderate. Bowels open. Sumat mist mixtura olei terebinthi cum bis quotidie C. Cucumis.
March 31	Behaves well and answers pretty correctly. Bodily health pretty good. Tongue is coated. C. Cucumis.
April 30	Still a little dull and very quiet. Behaves well. Begins to get home. Cleanly in habits. Circulation languid. C. Cucumis.
May 31	Much the same. C. Cucumis
June 15	Appetite shut and bowels natural. Behaves well. Answers many questions rationally. C. Cucumis.
July 15	Inclined to deny that he was ever insane. Says that he is now quite free from every annoyance of spirits it is doubtful whether he has quite recovered although no positive delusion can be detected. Bodily health good. C. Cucumis.
Aug 20	was this day discharged cured

Hugh McDonald 18 R.C. Dennis
JH

Brought today from No 50 London Street Was for four years a House boy in St Mary's College Blairs near Aberdeen and returned home in an excited state to his mothers house at midnight 12 days ago and no information has reached his mother as to when malady began. A maternal aunt states insane at times excited and bent on getting out of the house saying that he is come to convert all Scotland At other times depressed & taciturn Broke furniture & attempted to get over the window Little treatment

Head has been shaven

Sept 11 Head small Is somewhat pale and thin Tongue moist rather pallish Is restless and confused Memory defective When question does not answer promptly but requires sometime to recollect himself Takes his food R Tinct Cretæ gtt xv Pulv Ipecac gr viii Pulv myrrhæ

13 Yesterday had Ol Ricini ℥ss Ol Crotj which acted copiously On the whole more settled but still agitated and disturbed he does not know wherefore Takes his food well Appetite nescit capiti

15 Bluster rose well No mental improvement since last report Wanders to & fro in a distracted manner says he does not sleep well at night Thinks his head is coming off Takes his food well Bowels easy

17 Answers rather more freely but has twice been observed pulling his nose both so tight that he seemed intent on strangling himself

20 Seems on the whole slightly improving Takes his food well Bowels easy

24 Very much improved Lounges in the gallery & elsewhere

Sept 9 Has shaved somewhat these two days sings a great deal & attempted to stand on his head Pulv rheei Pulv Ol Crotonis gtt ij

28 Has slight fits in which he partly loses consciousness & sometimes falls down But soon again Hal Pulv Jalapæ comp ℥i

Student Admitted 15th Augt 1849

Oct 24 Has very much improved of late both in body and mind Fits seem to have left him and he now talks rationally Takes his food well & looks healthy out

Nov 10 Last week was again for a few days very unsteady but seems calm & rational again Takes his food well Bowels free

Dec 10 Much the same as last report but mind is evidently not correct although he answers questions tolerably well Takes his food well Health good

31 Improved yet still not altogether correct

1850

Jany 31 Seems considerably improved. Behaves well. Very industrious cheerful and contented. Answers questions rationally. Health good. C. O.

Feby 28 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind calm. Answers questions correctly Orderly in his habits C. Omnia.

March 31 General health very good. Answers questions rationally No delusions Attentive to his appearance. C. Omnia.

April 17 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Leaves this day discharged

Cured

Mrs Rodger 50 Hairdresser
6th

Brought today from 55 Old Kent Rd. Medical states that he has been ill at this time for eight days and was so also about six weeks ago Dull and depressed very intemperate and subject to convulsive fits Had four children Eldest 26 youngest 16 years No relations insane Head never injured Cause intemperance Increasing remittant at uncertain intervals Very superstitious Not suicidal not given to stroke Never in an asylum Bowels costive Very filthy and covered with vermin Ord bath Ol Ricini 3i

Augt 13 No fits since admission Conducts himself quietly and answers questions relevantly Takes his food well Bowels opened by castor oil but yesterday had no stool Repet Ol Ricini Pulse of moderate frequency Tongue white

15 Dull and slow says he feels very stupid Takes his food well Bowels opened freely

17 Still complains of dullness and low spirits Takes his food well Inclined to be costive and had another dose of castor oil

20 Much the same. Bowels inclined to be costive Had yesterday Cal gr iii Pulv Jalap Comp 3ij Bowels well opened

24 No fits but dull + complains much of want of rest. Says he has not got an hours comfortable sleep since he came to the asylum

28 Rather better that is to say looks more lively rests better Bowels sluggish Hab Colom et Scammon gr 8 Ol Crot 3 ti

Oct 1 Fits recur occasionally but seldom Bowels inclined to be costive Requires a dose of medicine at least once a week Cont

Nov 1 Much the same mail as regards

Dec 1 No permanent change

17 Had a fit two days ago but has not exhibited any excitement Bowels easy

91 No permanent change

Widower Admitted 11th Augt 1849

1850
Augt 31 Very quiet since last report. Answers correctly. Assists as a helper in the wards. Health moderately good. C.O.

Feby 28 Usually rational in conduct and behaviour. Very civil and industrious. Lately had an epileptic fit in which he fell upon his bed striking his right eye brow upon something and consequently it became much swollen and eye was blackened. Is now well in a few days and injury almost gone now. Assists in cutting hair cleaning &c. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Comatis.

March 1 Was this day discharged

Relieved

Alex Fraser 47 M. a Joiner
74

Brought today from 15 Tarbert street Has been Ill some for a month back particularly at night was attacked with insanity last night and left the house wandering about until taken to the police office Was in this house for a month 3 years ago & was Discharged cured. Had also an attack 7 years previous to that but was not sent to an asylum then Four children alive 17 to 13 yrs one dead Usually quiet and industrious but rather addicted to spirits Bodily health usually good Had a severe fit of epistaxis 3 weeks ago Brought home very noisy and violent Ext Bal 16 grs 4 for former admission

Augt 14 Talks in an incoherent manner and uses strange gestures but does not attempt to strike Had a dose of castor oil which moves his bowels freely Takes his food but requires to be fed Pulse rather accelerated

15 Much the same Full of strange gestures and ejaculations Bowels slow Ordered Pil Colocynth comp iii

18 Mind now quite calm and collected and free from delusions Last night had a little bowel complaint and had a dose of chalk mixture catechu & opium Cont

20 Bowels regular Mind calm and collected Takes his food well Cont

22 Being in good bodily health & free from all delusions discharged

Cured

Estate Admitted 13th Augt 1849

Daniel Baillie 56 M Border

Brought today from Fallowfield shows
Ill a fortnight but it was
noticed a month previously
Had been drinking for some
time previous to a month ago
when he came it up Eight
days ago left his home and
wandered to Irvine where
he was apprehended with his
his left arm dislocated
which he says was produced
by a fall over rocks This was
reduced 3 days ago No relatives
known to have been insane
This is the first attack Bowels
freely opened No particular
delusion

Augt 14 Very quiet and peaceable but
somewhat stupid cannot ex-
plain why he wandered from
home or where he got his arm
dislocated Takes his food well
Bowels regular Pulse moderate
Tongue clean

15 Little change Speaks but
little and only when spoken
to Bowels slow Natural ol
Resini Zi

17 Left shoulder does not seem
to have its proper contour being
apparently flattened behind
and bulging in front Moreover
he cannot raise his elbow as
high as his shoulder

20 Quiet and peaceable during
the day but very restless during
the night getting up walking
about pulling at the bedclothes
of other patients &c

25 The surgeon Dr Fleming today
made an attempt at replacing
the head of the humerus in its
proper place by means of pul-
leys and weights but without
any effect The patient still un-
able to raise his elbow as high
as his shoulder Bound up

Sept 10 By forced movements and shaming
doing he is gaining considerable
use of his arm Takes his food
well

Oct 10 Arm still considerably bruised
in its movements Health
tolerable Mind weak and
confused

Nov 10 No change of any conse-
quence appreciable

Dt. Committed 13th day of 1849

Dec 11 One night last week tore a pair of blankets to strips but seemed to have no recollection of the transaction next morning. Still Dull and stupid. Bowels costy. Takes his food well

20 Has got very stupid and apt to shit his bed & clothes

1850

Jany 31 On the 26 current - having previously been in the state above reported - became suddenly comatose and was much convulsed several times. A blister was applied over head and he had emetics. Continued comatose for some days. Now he is so far convalescent that he turns his head and endeavours to answer when spoken to - Articulation quite indistinct. Takes some food. Bowels open. Pulse 96 full and soft. C. Ammonia

Feby 7 Continues nearly in the same state turns his head and looks up vacantly when spoken to and makes an indistinct answer of yes or no. Blister was repeated a few days since and rose. Appetite pretty good. Has hiccup. Bowels open. C.O.

" 15 Since last report has undergone little change except that he has become weaker and a bedsore has appeared on right trochanter. Cannot answer intelligibly. Appetite good. Bowels open. Cannot take Carg. Ferri Sperites Nitrici Sir guttis dies. Cont. Vinum. et Ammon. C.O.

" 14 Continued to sink and died this morning at 3 A.M.

Dicd.

Alex Wilson 18.
Ward 4th

Brought today from West Russell St. Has been subject to epilepsy from infancy Had fever 12 months ago & the fits were as many as 4 a day during it then became only occasional weekly previously but have been nearly every alternate day since Was for a week in the towns hospital 12 months ago but having slept over the wall and run off Very excitable before the fits and usually sleeps for two hours afterwards Has had a great deal of medicine lately without any benefit

Augt 14 Had an ounce of castor oil last night which opened his bowels freely Is very stupid and dull of comprehension Has a lymphatic look Takes his food well

17 No fits observed since admission Conducts himself tolerably quietly Takes his food well does not soil his bed Bowels easy

20 No fit yet observed. Stupid and rather quarrelsome Fell out and fought with another patient yesterday Bowels easy

24 Apt to strike and very quarrelsome Takes his food well Bowels easy

Sept 15 Little change Very quarrelsome Has fits are of very short duration He does not fall down or become convulsed but become stupid and somewhat unconscious for a few seconds Bowels easy Cont

Oct 14 Much the same ~~Quarrelled~~ Quarrelled so much with another patient that he had to be sent to another gallery Bowels easy Cont

Nov 15 No permanent change

Dec 11 Has had a series of very severe epileptic fits during last week Continue Bowels easy

13 Fits have ceased but he lies in a state of stupor Takes but little food Pulse raised Tongue dry Pasty all over Urine & Faeces getting evacuated

Walter Pearl Committed Aug 18 1849

Dec 17	Getting better Takes his food well Bowels costy Mother attentive
30	Was in confinement for two days but not at present Yesterday
1850	
Jany 31	Had some fits about a fortnight since and was very stupid and weak for some days. At present he is pretty well. Quiet and contented. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. C.
Feby 15	Good humoured quiet at present as well as clearly minded feeble. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.C.
March 10	Mind very weak. Occasionally quarrels and usually gets injured in the scuffle that ensues. Appetite good, Cleanly in habits. C. Anemia.
April 15	At present in seclusion from restless ness succeeding to some fits. Appetite pretty good. Bowels regular. C. Anemia.
" 30	Very quiet since last report although he has had frequent fits. Mind very feeble. Cleanly at night. Appetite good. Bowels open. Const. Anemia
May 31	No change of any importance. C. Anemia
June 15	Fits were so restless and stupid from fits that it was expedient to have him placed in seclusion. Now he is in his usual state. Mind weak. Quiet and harmless. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Anemia.
July 15	No change of consequence. C. Anemia.
Aug 15	No change of importance. C. Anemia
Septr 15	Much the same. C. Anemia.
Oct. 15	Mind weak. Somewhat quarrelsome at times fighting on slight provocation with his fellow patients Lately whilst on the stairs fell in a fit and hurt his face - blackening one eye and bruising his cheek - Appetite good. Bowels open from medicine. C. Anemia.
Nov 15	Mind feeble. Fits frequent. C. An

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John Crawford 44 M. R. Journ
7 H

Brought today from the Queens Hospital Has already been four times in this Asylum (See page 598 of present volume) Is a case of recurrent mania and during the intermissions is usually sent to the towns Hospital Mind at the best but weak On admission very noisy incoherent and restless To be secluded

Augt 18 Noisy and incoherent Not quiet to strike yet whenever his room door is shut knocks at it most violently Takes his food well Bowels slow Tongue moist Pupils dilated Pulse of moderate frequency Haust al Rheum ℥j

20 Still as noisy and incoherent Takes his food well Bowels again confined Sumat al Rheum ℥j

23 Quietens down much but still talks loud occasionally chiefly to demented sort (so he says) Bowels easy Cont

28 Still occasionally somewhat noisy but not ill natured nor inclined to strike Bowels easy Takes his food well Cont om

Sept 15 Again quiet and at work in the wrights shop Mind however weak as before Bowels easy Appetite good

Octr 18 Became excited and noisy for a few days Purged & confined in seclusion Is again tolerably quiet & do Cont

Nov 6 Conducting himself well and at work in the wrights shop Cont

17 Continued to conduct himself well Mind as although somewhat free from excitement & delusions Discharged as

cured

Journ

Dalmatia 17th Aug 1849

Jas H Smart 48 Widower clerk

Brought today from the Police Office Schedule states that he never was insane before Ill four days No previous hereditary disorder Cause intemperance No relations known to be insane Not suicidal violent nor mischievous No treatment Never in an asylum

Sept 21 Dull and stupid Walks somewhat lamely probably in consequence of a Gonorrhoea he has contracted Eyes dull Tongue moist Bowels easy R Spiritus aether Nitros ℥ Balsam Copaibae Liquor Ammoniae Acetatis ää ℥ij Mist Camphorae ℥ix Mist Mucilag ℥vi Sumat ℥ss ter quotidie

22 Bowels rather lax slight incoherence to-day and some headache Omit Mist Sum Hydr Chlor Mite gr i Pulv Opii Camph gr viii No food

23 Diarrhoea & generishness gone Milk diet & bed for a day Mind calm

26 Mind calm but somewhat slow and stupid although he answers questions relevantly Permit his porridge & broth & to have a chop and bread Bowels regular

28 Rather chilly Still slight discharge from urethra Rep Mistura Sumat Spiritus Hordei ℥ij quotidie

Sept 4 Mind calm Sensorium and discharge from urethra gone Complains of a slight cough & feeling of chilliness Takes his food well Bowels easy

17 Had a slight attack of diarrhoea and is getting a mixture of chalk catechu & opium Diarrhoea nearly gone Cont

20 Had a feeling of chilliness before daylight Says that some years ago at the Cape of Good Hope was threatened with ague Habitual Rem ℥ij ter die Mind calm

21 Removed today by the City Guard Office Discharged

Cured

Committed 28th augt 1849

John Watson

Scotch

Brought to Asylum from Hillend Asylum where he has been for some time probably since the beginning of the year when he was removed from this asylum unrecovered after being here 6 years (see old page) Has disease of heart and emphysema of the lungs very thin and breathless

Augt 21 Will not leave his bed indeed does not seem very fit to do so being thin frail and breathless

24 Lies constantly in bed Cough troublesome Mind weak & fanciful Appetite very indifferent

26 Lies in bed Mind very weak Cough troublesome Bowels costive

28 Much the very breathless and troubled with cough Appetite indifferent R Vini Ipecacuan Tinct Balsomi tolutani ā ʒ ij Mist Mucilag ʒ viij Sumbat ʒ ij ποcte mane sumend

Sept 6 Lies constantly in bed Takes his food tolerably well No mental or bodily change

11 Had a little blood two days ago Otherwise no change

22 Much the same in all respects Bodily health very indifferent Lies constantly in bed Cont

Oct 6 No change Removed today by parish authorities Discharged as

Relieved

Admitted 20 Augt 1849

Sept 24 Mc Poor 24 Simple Tooke
Normanway Colm Lunatic Inquest

Brought today from Normanway
Schedule states that he has
been insane for four months
first attack No Bodily disorder
preceded attack Father was
insane Cause of malady = loss
of money he being very fearing
& worry restless and impatient
of all control Thinks he is
to be killed and cannot
escape Never threatened
self violence but has struck
others In good bodily condition
24 On back while his clothes
are washing as they are
very filthy Took a little food
but not much reluctance to take
Bowels not opened Flatus
Ol Ricini ℥ij
25 Much the same but takes
but little food & refuses
his medicine Bowels not
yet opened Repeat Ol Ricini
27 Much afraid of being murdered
thinks he was brought here
for that purpose Will not let
his clothes be put on and is
afraid to take food Bowels
well opened today by croton
oil by the mouth Tongue &
appetite same Urine
moderate Urine high colored
Tongue white
Oct 1 This morning the Physician ordered him to let him clothe him
& still very fearful Moans and
complains much and begs to be
sent home Takes his food but
sparingly Bowels Clone Flatus
Ol Ricini ℥ss iij
4 Bowels easy Takes his food rather
better still afraid and moaning
much begging to be sent home
Out
10 Much the same Takes but
little food Tint Sulph Quina
℥ij mixte mane
16 Takes scarcely any food
and resists any attempts to
administer food or medicine
Gets two glasses wine daily
but often most of it is spilled Flatus enema agnus Repeat
quotidie
22 Taking his food rather better
but is very weak and un-
less Bowels well opened

Sept 2

Oct 12

Fwch Allmuttock 27th Augt 1846

Sept 28 On sunday while divine service was performing turned up his head & immediately got over the top of the windows & escaped. Caught at a neighbouring farm house & brought back

Oct 12 Continued much the same in all respects Taking very little food & begging to get home Removed today by his friends Dismissed cure

Relieved

Duncan Cameron 43 N. Lab
Angus Cameron mason Lenoir Co appin

Brought to Lunacy from Duron Appin
Schedule states that has been
ill for more than a year—Mal
ady came on gradually caused
it is supposed by his ejection
from a small croft he possessed
Peaceable but under the delusion
that every person intends to do
him injury that all his effects
are to be sold his family driven
on the world and he carried
off Never threatened suicide
No to injure others No treat
ment

24 Will not speak and apparently
has very little English Takes his
food well Bowels easy
25 Little inclined to speak or to move
Bowels easy
27 No change cannot be got to
speak Eyes scarcely to move
sits with his head bent down
Takes his food pretty well
Bowels costy
28 Bowels rather relaxed
Valent Sub Oppos et Glyc
cum creta aa 3ij statim
et vespere repetantur
Sept 1st Since last report bowels have
been rather costive Dull and
stupid never speaks a word
but usually sits bent nearly
double Gets a glass of gruel
daily Sumat al Rhei 3ij
14 Very dull & scarcely speaks
a word Takes but little food
Bowels slow Sumat al Rhei
et ℈ij aq menth pip ℥iv
misce
23 Taking his food much
better Bowels easy Still
does not speak & scarcely
moves
Oct 23 Very little change Scarcely ever
speaks and moves with great
reluctance Gets an injection
occasionally to move the bowels
The gelatine glasses of wine
daily
Oct 23 Much the same in all
Nov respects Wine stopped
Dec 18 Much the same in all
respects
31 No change
1850
Jany 31 In all respects the same as
before. C.O.

Feby 28
March 31
April 30
May 31
June 15
July 15
Aug 15
Sept 15
Oct 15
Nov 15
Dec 15
1851
Jan 15
Feb 15
March 15
April 15
May 15
June 15

Wash Admitted 23d Augt 1849

Feby 28 Bodily health good. Cannot speak. Behaves quietly not employed at present. C. Ormsby.

March 31 very dull and quiet. Cannot speak only a few words of english. Not employed. Cleanly in his habits. Health good. C. Ormsby.

April 30 when questioned through the medium of an interpreter says that he wishes to get home that he is in good health - that no one injures him - that he does not thinks he gets poison in his food. An acquaintance called and after some conversation said she could discover nothing wrong with him. Health moderately good. C. Ormsby

May 31 No change. C. Ormsby

June 15 In all respects as before. C. Ormsby.

July 15 Much the same. C. Ormsby

Aug 15 No change. C. Ormsby

Sept 15 Much the same. C. Ormsby.

Oct. 15 Mind seems weakish but from his want of english little can be ascertained as to his state of mind. Sometimes he goes into the grounds to work but passes most of his time in a solitary manner seeming to take little interest in any thing Bodily health good C. Orm.

Nov 15 Much the same. C. Ormsby

Dec 15 His wife called upon him lately and after a conversation with him expressed her conviction that he was no better. Behaves quietly indeed he is dull and moody. Health seems good C. Ormsby.

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Jan 15 Much the same. C. Ormsby.

Feb 15 No change of any consequence. C. Ormsby.

March 15 Quiet and dull. Behaves quietly Health moderately good. C. Orm.

April 15 Much the same. C. Orm-

May 15 No change. C. Ormsby.

June 15 Much the same. Seldom usefully employed. General health good. C. Ormsby

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Robert Clark 21 Single Washerman Must Be
John Clark Brother Carpenter 79 Drumsheugh st

Brought today from 67 Calegan
Street Schedule states that he
never was insane before Ill
five months and sometime before
that never absent Was steadily sober
and industrious Belongs to an
excitable family but none of
them ever insane Cause alleged
Excessive confinement from employment
Is dull and afraid of men Mal
adv increasing Imagines people
conspire against him Also
supposes his food poisoned
Not suicidal Has struck with
his fists Not destructive No
treatment

Augt 25 Was very much astonished when
he found he was to be detained
in the asylum Asked to see
the warrant after a while be
came calm and took his food
Now sleeping warm Bath before
admission Bowels
close Ord Pil colocynth com
dras

27 Quiet and well behaved
Bowels rather slow Complains
of headache especially about
the eyebrows Suburb treat
ment
all 3ii Hab Pil colocynth
dras

28 Headach rather severe Bowels
still somewhat slow Hab
stat Pulv Jalapae Comp 3i et
nocte Repetatur

Sept 3 Head better but still he com
plains of pain in forehead
Sumat stat Pulv Jalapae Comp
3i et cras mane Repetatur
Cont alv

8 Somewhat excited and when he
sees strangers imagines that they
are friends come for him Has
broken several panes of glass
Hab Calomel gr iii Pulv Jalap Comp
3ss Statim et repet cras mane

12 Continues much the same
as at last report Today watched
out making attempt to
make his escape & his
friends resolving to keep
them he is distressed as

Released

Dr Med to Hom C B

Mrs Wesley admitted 21st Augt 1849

John Mitchell 45 M. d Colic Spm Treach

Brought today from Paisley
Never insane before Has been
Low in spirits since December
and insane for last 8 days
Always of a quick temper
No insane relatives Malady
increasing No treatment
Very stupid Walks with dif-
ficulty Tongue white Brown
coat Pulse moderate Oct 23

Aug 26 A large circular gangrenous
ecsar formed over left
nates 8 inches in diameter
and the other much exoria-
Bowels free Very stupid
and scarce able to walk
Apply Cataplasm Calidæ Nov 1

27 Looks his best Bowels slightly
relaxed Takes his food well
Hot Tongue clean Pulse
of moderate frequency To have
a steak 1850 Dec 31

29 Does not seem so stupid and
keeps his bed clean but some
what restless Pulse calm
Takes his food well Slough
seperating at the edges Bowels
easy Jany 15

Sept 2 Eats the Poultices & is very restless
A strait waistcoat has been
put on & he tied in bed Takes
his food voraciously Bowels
easy March 16

4 Slough seperated and a large
raw surface is exposed In the
bottom of the sore is still some
dead cellular membrane Cont
Cataplasm April 10

10 Sore granulating and healing
towards the edges Had some
chalk & catechu yesterday as his
bowels were a little relaxed but
there is no indication of diarrhoea
since

18 Sore on nates clean and con-
tracting Bodily health other
wise good

23 Sore contracting Complains of
dull pain in left leg evidently
resulting from the apoplectic
fit he seems to have had
premons to admit on leg
to be rubbed with equal parts
of turpentine & olive oil Mind
more composed Keeps his
bed clean and walks about
a little May 31 June 15 July 15

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Oct 23 Stile drags leg a little but on the whole it is improving Bedsore also contracting much Mends tolerably calm Takes his food well

Nov 15 Yesterday had an apoplectiform fit of short duration but his eyes were taken when he fell in the fit but no other bad consequences is obvious Bowels easy Cont

Dec 14 Recovers very well both in body and mind Walks in the gallery Takes his food well There is still considerable slowness of muscular movements

Jan 1850 As at last report

Jany 31 Had an epileptic fit about a fortnight since unaccompanied by much stupor or excitement Mind slow. Answers relevant. Appetite slight and bowels natural. C. O.

Feby 16 Slow and deliberate in speech and movements. Answers correctly. Anxious to get away. No fits observed since last report. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. O.

March 10 Complains at present of ankle which is swollen and ~~weak~~ red. Sprained it some time since It is improving under the use of hot fomentations. Relaxes mild Answers relevantly. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Cinchona.

April 10 Ankle still painful although he has kept his bed much and had two blisters applied in succession. Answers questions relevantly. No fits observed since last report. Health in general good. C. Cinchona.

" 30 Disease having assumed the character of rheumatism, colchicum was used and is now being taken. Pains less severe. Bowels open. C. Cinchona. C.

May 31 Much the same pains continuing

June 15 As before. Pain in ankle continues Health otherwise. Sei Secretis C. O. C.

July 15 Still complains of pain in ankle but less Health otherwise moderate.

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Hugh Patterson 27 Single Painter Estab
West Killbride

Brought to today from the Paroch
Poors House where he has been
an inmate 12 Months Has a
great propensation to wander
from home Sometimes he is
very talkative and again for
weeks will not utter a word
Thinks he ought to be better in
the world Rather unsocial nor
given to stroke Has a fancy
to marry the cook of the Poors
House

Sept 1 Mind imbecile Quiet and
stupid Takes his food well
and health seems tolerable
Bowels rather sluggish Urinal
Puh Gregorii ℈ss

3 Anxious to get out he does
not seem to know where
Mind weak Takes his food
well Bowels easy Urinal

6 No change Dull and stupid
Anxious to get out he knows
not where Bowels easy Takes
his food well Not dirty nor
destructive

10 Little change Dull slow and
inactive Takes his food well
Scarcely ever speaks except to
ask away

18 No change Mind weak
Bowels easy Takes his
food well

23 No change of any consequence
Cont

Oct 23 Health good Mind weak
still anxious to get away
Cont

Nov 23 No change of any consequence
appreciable Bodily health tolera
ble

18 No change of any importance

31 No change

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Jany 31 Health very good. No mental
change. C. O.

Feby 28 Mind remains in the same
weak state. Cleanly in his habits
Attentive to his appearance -
Mind seems permanently
weakened. Bodily functions
natural. C. Anæmia.

March 31 No change of any consequence
Mind seems incurably weak
Health good. C. Anæmia.

April 30 No change C. Anæmia

Jany 31
June 1

July 1

Aug 1

Sept 1
Oct 1

Nov 1

Dec 1
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Jan 1

Feb 1

March 1
April 1
May 1
June 1

July 1

Aug 1

Sept 1
Oct 1

Nov 1

Dec 1

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May 31	Much the same. C. Amenia.
June 15	Mind very weak. Seldom speaks but when spoken to clearly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Amenia.
July 15	Seems a little more alert and talkative since last report. Assists in whitewashing. Clearly in habits. Bodily functions natural. C. D.
Aug 15	Much the same. C. Amenia
Sept 15	No change. Cert. Amenia.
Oct. 15	Bodily functions natural. No change in mental state. C. Amenia.
Nov 15	Mind very weak. Employed occasionally. Clearly in habits. Bodily health good C. Amenia.
Dec 15	Much the same. C. Amenia.
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Jan 15	No change since last report C. Amenia.
Feb 15	General health good. Mind remains in the same weak state. Moderately industrious. Behaves fully well. C. Amenia.
Mar 15	Much the same. C. Amenia.
April 15	No change. C. Amenia
May 15	No change. C. Amenia.
June 15	Seldom speaks but when spoken to. Mind feeble. Works daily. Clearly in habits General health good. C. Am.
July 15	No change of importance in this patients state since last report. C. Amenia.
Aug 15	Answers a few questions relevantly enough but mind very weak. Employed daily. Clearly in habits. Seem contented with his present circumstances General health good C. Amenia.
Sept 15	No change. C. Amenia.
Oct 15	No particular change has occurred in this patients state since last report. Speaks little but is answer. Clearly in his habits. Works regularly and is very quiet C. Am.
Nov 15	General health good. Mind inactive and weak. Employed with considerable regularity C. Amenia.
Dec 15	Much the same. C. Amenia

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Daniel Hawe 38 Single Yeo. B. P.

Brought today from the Barony Poors House where he has been for the most part of the time since he left this Asylum in Nov. 1847 after a residence of fully 4 years He was called cunning but mind was weak & he was subject to dull fits sent from the Poor's House because he disturbed the inmates by wandering about the house during the night Melancholy diet

Sept 2 Dull and stupid answers with slowness and reluctance Bowels slow Sumat Pulv Gregor 3ij Capt

4 Much the same Slow dull & stupid Would like to get away Bowels easy Takes his food well Capt

10 Much the same Dull slow & stupid anxious to get away & appears somewhat at being again confined here Takes his food well Not destructive Keeps his bed clean

16 No change Dull slow & taciturn Takes his food well Bowels slow Capt

23 Much the same in all respects Capt

Oct 2 3 Occasionally works out but is very ill at being kept here and sometimes gets somewhat excited on the subject

Nov 29 Much the same as reported above

Dec 14 Bowels have been rather slow of late & he has had purgatives and injections occasionally Takes his food well Capt

30 Bowels very difficult to move Calomel gr v Pulv Jalap gss Comp 3ij

1850

Jany 31 Bowels were slow and had castor oil were much better. Mind dull and weak. Quiet and cleanly. C. O.

Feby 15 Understands cleanly and quiet Answers relevant. Mind somewhat feeble. No delusion Appears to have the regular Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.

Removed

April 10

" 30
May 31
June 15

Left
Aug 20

Admitted 31st August 1849

March 10	Answers questions rationally. Mind slightly weak. Employed daily at the store. Cleanly in his habits. Wishes to leave the asylum. Bodily health good. C. Murcia.
April 10	Mind rather thought slightly weak. Converses justly rationally. Answers questions correctly. Employed about the store. Health good. C. Murcia.
" 30	No change. C. Murcia.
May 31	Much the same. C. Murcia
June 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak. Employed at the store - Behaves well. Begins to get home. C. Murcia.
July 15	No change C. Murcia.
Aug 28	Removed

Cured

John Tumperley 33 June Surveyor Clerk
John Tumperley 63 Woodford Essex
Brought to day from the Dorchester police office Schedule states, that he has been insane for a few days preceded by loss of appetite & depression of spirits Was remarkably steady & sober Much given to solitary study No relations insane Head never injured Cause supposed to be want of employment Thinks himself John the Baptist & that the second coming of Christ will take place this afternoon at 12 o'clock To prove his faith ran into one of Mr Dickson's smelting furnaces a day or two ago Head & hands severely burned Also a cut in scalp above right temple Burned parts cleaned & enveloped in cotton Sumat Nova somni Sol Mist Morph Zij
4 Very restless during the night dozing only a little Thirsty Skin hot Sumat Calom gr iv ol Tulp Jalapae Comp Zij
5 Bowels slightly moved Takes but little food Very thirsty and restless taking off his shirt and changing from one bed to another Pulse 100 Skin hot Repet mixture
6 Head also last night Liq Magn Zss Bowels copiously moved Slept two hours this morning Takes no food
8 Takes a little soup and coffee but appetite still indifferent somewhat restless changing from one bed to another and says he is compelled to do so Mind urged on to do things he knows not how Much of the cuticle & some of the nails coming away Head Calom gr iv Pulv Jalapae Comp Zss
10 Hands dressed Yesterday that is to say the cotton and dead matter removable were removed and poultices applied to clean the wounds Scalp does not seem likely to slough to any extent Had Yesterday Calom gr iv Pulv Jalapa Comp Zss Bowels scarcely moved Hab Liq Magnes Zi
14 After having a feeling of sickliness two days ago he shook & appeared with Retained Urine Staff and Nurse had very much

Clerk. Admitted Sept 8 1869

Pulse 110 weak Has an emaciated sunk look

Sept 15 Getting weaker and spasms are occasionally very severe Swallows liquids with the greatest difficulty and only in the smallest quantities

16 Got more & more exhausted Mind seemed calm & free from delusion at 11½ P M

Died

Alex Steven 52 Mar
son Alex 4 Dalhousie Lane Dalhousie St

Brought today from 4 Dalhousie St
Schedule states that he was once
12 months and twice six weeks in a
Private asylum near Port Glasgow
Ill at present about 2 months Came
in temperance & usually of mild
disposition. Three children alive 10
to 20 years Disease stationary no
delusion stated. Not suicidal nor
given to strike & destroy On ad-
mission quiet and talked rationally
Pulse slightly accelerated complained
of thirst and slight relaxation of
the bowels

16/Oct 16 Slept pretty well and conducts
himself quietly in all respects
Takes his food well Bowels
easy but not too relaxed

15 Continuing himself in all respects
quietly and made Bowels
rather relaxed Milk diet
Chalk mixture & calechu
Cont

19 Bowels still rather loose
Cont Mucilaginosa

22 Said to have a very voracious
appetite to keep him in the
night stool & bread concealed
about his bed that he may
consume them during the
night This has been stopped
Bowels much better Cont
am

28 Conducting himself quietly
Amuses himself copying music
& playing on the flute Bowels
regular Cont

Oct 20 Much the same anxious to
get home Had a slight cold
and lay in bed a day Cont

Nov 4 Conducts himself in all respects
well Amuses himself playing
cards reading copying music

5 Removed today by his wife
Discharged

Cured

Estahl admitted 9th Septr 1849

George Grey 29 M. a laboring master Irish
Govan

Brought to Asylum from
Scholars Hotel that he never was
insane before Ill 3 weeks
Headach and cough Irrevously
Was of a quick temper Has four
children & sons - 2 days previous
his father's sale insane Head
not injured Cause = nature of
employment Is restless sleepless
& occasionally violent Increasing
Worst at midnight Plots and
intrigues are formed by all to
his prejudice Has threatened
suicide attempted to cut his
throat and says it is better
that his family should die
Mischievous Had purgatives
Sept 15 Cannot understand why he is
sent here Will not believe he
is insane Presses earnestly
to get away Bowels slow
Limpet Pill Julap comp 3ij p
cont
17 No change Pertinacious in
his applications to get away
Bowels sluggish Limpet pil
colocynth comp ij
20 Just the same Anxious
to get out but otherwise
quiet and well conducted
Tongue white Limpet Pills
Julap Comp 3ij
23 Much the same except that
he is less pertinacious in
his applications to get out
Bowels easy
28 Much improved Talks rationally
& conducts himself quietly
Tongue white Had Pills
Gregori 3ij
Oct 6 Conducting himself very well
in all respects Complains of
occasionally of heartburn Same
Pills Gregori 3ij
13 Being free from delusions &
in good bodily health dismissed
as

Cured

Committed 13th Sept 1819

Wm Farlane 50 Tailor

74

Brought from the Police office. Resides in 104 Irongate Old Bank Office court. Has been confined for 12 months. Became outrageous a few days ago Bit his wrists & arm yesterday Tore all his clothes this morning I shall trust he is dead His mother insane & some other relatives Very outrageous on admission Clothes torn & hands bound with ropes Hab Pil Colocynth comp ij

Sept 18 Not so noisy today Bowels not opened Hab Ol Ricini 3ij

20 Tolerably well behaved and quiet. Very deaf Takes his food well Bowels easy Clean and tidy

22 Very quiet & friendly deaf but answers tolerably correctly Takes his food well Bowels easy Pulv Jalap Co 3ij

27 Takes his food well & is very quiet & well conducted but in consequence of his deafness nothing can be said about his delusion Tongue white Hab Pulv Gregor 3ij

Oct 12 Getting very depressed often cries, and refuses his food Ordered Beef tea Ale & Milk Hab Pulv Opii gr ½ Ammon Sal Acetat Morph ji mixt. mane nocte

19 Mark the goat last report Takes but little food cries a great deal Under in the tailors shop Hab Pulv Opii gr ½

24 Yesterday got a mortise chisel and not able to be constantly got below the bed & jumping on by the bedstead as if the chase for life Had a warm night & slept well during the night Today quiet & tells what was the matter with him yesterday Bowels easy

Nov 3 Seems improving Takes his food well Bowels easy

17 Very considerably improved Works in the tailors shop Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

Wm Establ Admitted 17th Sept 1849

Dec 14	On the whole keeps considerable better although sometimes a little dull Taking his food well Mostly very
30	Reports the same as at last report
1850	
Jany 31	About 8 days since from the severity of the weather and his own inaction middle finger of right hand became affected with severe chill Blain which ended in extensive sloughing of the integuments covering proximal phalanx. Sloughs have now separated leaving bone sheath of tendon exposed. Whole surface now granulating freely. Weak and appetite small. Vini Rubri Zv ter die. Cor. bov. of quinidia.
Feby 18	General health improved since last report. Finger very much improved and is now rapidly healing. Appetite good. Much strength though still emaciated. Bowels open C.O.
March 10	Finger almost well. Takes little interest in any thing. Mind seems weak. Cleanly in his habits. Well behaved and orderly. Appetite slight and bowels natural. C. Decrease.
April 10	When spoken to in writing says that he hears voices which tell him to do things - before he left home to kill his wife thinks they are evil spirits that speak to him. Very quiet. Anxious to get home. Health good. C. Decrease.
May 7	Was this day discharged

Relieved.

Josiah Crawford 18 Shannon Utah

Brought by from 14 Black Spurs
Utah 18 months. First
attack Queen much to religious
meditation and fond of going
often to church. From infancy
till 13 he was subject to fits
in which he as it were fainted
away for 10 or 15 minutes
very much afraid of the
devil a deep-seated inflammation
Takes his food tolerably well
No treatment

Sept 20 Bowels close Mind desponding
always praying or reading the
bible Bull and cautious
otherwise Pale and rather
unhealthy looking Tongue
Cl. Croton 3 tt ij ex aqua

22 Will not take his medicine
except by force Bowels
close No mental improve-
ment Tinct Cl Crotonis 3 tt ij
ex aqua

24 Mind depressed Takes no broth
always praying or reading the
bible (not fond of letting
any one touch him) Speaks very
little Bowels rather sluggish
Tinct Cl Crotonis 3 tt ij

28 Little change Still taciturn &
depressed Takes no broth
Prays & reads the bible asked
for some physic but his bowels
were said to be rather loose Tinct
Cl Crotonis 3 tt ij Tinct Opii gtt xii

Oct 19 Pronounced slowly Takes his
food much in part his appetite
is very keen Bowels can
not be often asks for physic
Cont

Nov 1 Much the same in all respects
Takes his food well Medicine
he is well that he needs physic
& is very circumstantial
Bowels costy

2 Pronounced to-day to Colonel
as having no settlement
in Scotland Discharged
as

Relieved

Utah Admitted 18th Sept 1849.

Duncan Black 5-9 M d Labourer
Appin P. A Cameron Esqr

Brought from Fermore Perm
insane before 7 ll two months
Was subject to frequent attack
of phrenitis of mind and melan
choly No bodily disease. Four
children 13 to 23 years Hasan
aunt by mother's side and a
brother insane or at least nervous
cause unknown No change
Disease stationary Impelled
by some agency to destroy his
family Has attempted threatened
to drown himself Not mischiev
ous or destructive Treatment
Purgatives & alteratives

Sept 21 Tolerably quiet but complains
of sharp sensations in his
head which seem to arise
from the state of the stomach
as he is troubled with flat
ulence and epigastrodynia
Bowels were opened by
two colocynth pills R Pulv
Rhei Comp 3ij Aquae menth
3vj ter sumend stat

22 Still complains of uneasy sen
sations in various parts for
example in head epilepsy
C C pulsat ad 3ij R Pulv
pulv

24 Complains of a tearing sen
sation in stomach Bowels
trouppled with flatulence
Apples C C Sulphas pd 3ij

27 Still complains of his stomach
Appetite reservator Sulphas
Magnes Pulv Gregorii 3ss
stat

Oct 8 Still troubled with his
stomach To have mist
alcal Vial Cal Rubra

19 Much the same in all
respects

27 Mind seems considerably
better and for some days
back has appeared to be
quit of his delusions and
free from stomach complaint
Very anxious to go Home
and as some of his friends
called today he is permitted
to go on trial Discharged

Relieved

Estatt Admitted 19th Sept 1826

Alex. Dalgleish
& F. Paisley parish

Brought from Neilston Was
in the Asylum for 3 months
in the beginning of the year
and discharged relieved See
page 20 of present volume
Lodged an account against
the parish for damages to the
amount of £3000 for wrongous
imprisonment here and was
very much surprised to find
that he was again to be detained
here but on reading the Warrant
it's warrant submitted quietly
Freeman Clerk

23 Hab. Three loose stools since
admission Habeat Pulv Jalap
℈ iij ℞ Hydr c creta ℈ ij ℈ ij
Opii gtt iij Mist Camph
℈ catechu Decoct tactis

24 Conducting himself very quietly
Bowels only once moved yester
day Ordered ol Ricini ℥ss ol
Cinnamom ℈ ss ij

28 Much the same anxious
to write to lawyers about
his affairs complains of
the food not agreeing
with him Hab Pulv
Gregori ℈ss

Oct 7 Much the same anxious
to write to lawyers

14 Much the same To day again
expected home to write to his
lawyer complains of pain
in the left ear

Nov 4 Much the same Mentally
pain of ear gone Takes
his food well occasional
trouble with palpitation
Bowels can from an occas
ional small dose of Gregory
powder

17 Complains much of soreness
Conducts himself quietly
No abatement of delusion
Cont

Dec 14 Full of notions of his health
being very bad anxious for
a great variety of medicines
Much troubled with palpitation
Takes his food well Hab ol
Ricini ℥ij

24 Complains of pressing pain
at crown of stomach Bowels
rather tightened Mist Camph
℞ Mist Gentian ℥ vi Tinct
Catechu ℥ij Tinct Opii ℥ij M

1850
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March

April 10

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May 5
June 15

July 15

Aug 15
Sept 15

Admitted 22 Sept 1849

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1850

Janf 31 very fanciful about his health. Had some beef tea and complained afterwards of being ill – as he said from the beef tea having been taken into his system unaltered and irritating the blood. Answers most questions rationally. Fancies that he was injured by some medicines (mercury) he received when former-ly in this asylum and that he still labours under the effects of the same. Appetite good. Bowels natural. C.O.

Feby 15 Has been pretty free from complaint since last report. Behaves very well. Appetite good. C.O.

March 10 No change in mind. Fanciful concerning his health. Says that he feels as if under a course of mercury. Health pretty good. Cont.d Omissia.

April 18 Hypochondriacal. Fancies his blood watery and thin. That his food enters into the circulation in a crude and undigested state. Conducts himself well. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omissia

" 30 Complains often of very anomalous sensations Behaves very well. Cleanly in appearance. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Omissia.

May 31 Much the same. C. Omissia

June 15 More hypochondriacal of late. Behaves well. Wrote the following note tolly.

Paisley 8 June 1850

Dear Sir

Have the goodness to credit the bearer Mr James Sarvis the sum of £2,000. he is a friend of mine at Garthmael. I remain Obliged

Dear Sir

Your mo obed Servt
Alex: Baly Lisk

Mr Henry Brock
Clydesdale Bank
Queen Street
Glasgow

Cleanly in his habits. Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Omissia.

July 15 Conducts himself well. Health good. C. Omissia.

Aug 15 No change. C. Omissia

Sept 15 Much the same. C. Omissia.

Vide Vol 18 page 118.

Wm Watson 16 Builder
Barony

Brought from his mothers house 20 Killermont court Glasgow. First attack 14 days. Spirits elevated pneumonia. Head not injured. Prominent symptoms religious excitment and sleeplessness. Increasing calls himself God the son of God & says he is sent for the salvation of the world. Not suicidal but has struck his attendant & broken furniture. Has been purged.

Sept 27 On admission was tolerably quiet took his food & went to bed but during the night became excited and had to be put in a room by himself. Seems in good bodily health & condition. Very noisy knocking at the door. Will not keep on his clothes or lie in bed. Pulse moderate. Has slightly convergent strabismus. Hab. Pil. Colocynth comp. iij

28 Still noisy restless & incoherent. Does not seem to have slept any. Constantly dancing about his room knocking at the doors &c. Hab. Tinct. Hyoscyam. Zij. Bona somni. Bowels not opened.

Oct 2 Very much better. Quiet and clear. Answers questions rationally. Walks in the gallery. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont.

10 Convalescent and associates with other patients in the gallery. Health good.

18 Continues convalescent. Cont.

19 Removed today by his mother. Discharged.

Cured

Fuch Admitted 26 Sept 1829

John Cook 28 Married Slater Dec

old Mortis Canal

Brought from Coatbridge. First attack. Ill fourteen days. One child of 2 years. Father unsaw. Cause unknown. Disease in cocaine. Has threatened to hang himself. Usually gets excited towards night. Tongue foul. Bowels slow. Habes pill colocynth comp duas

Oct 3 Very much afraid of everything and everybody near him and shrinks in terror when anyone speaks to him. Takes but little food. Eyes rather hollow. Bowels slow. Habt al Rhei

5 Weather less afraid and taking his food better. Cont

8 Answers primary questions relevantly but with some hesitation. Tongue white. Bowels rather slow. Habt Pulv. Rhei comp 3ij

12 Much the same as at last report

16 Improving. Takes his food well & conducts himself quietly but is still somewhat afraid of some calamity impending

19 Much the same. Has a fear of something but either does not know or will not distinctly tell what. Bowels easy

24 Much the same. Habt Pulv Rhei 9ss

Nov 3 Has got much more depressed and afraid of some impending danger. Will scarcely let anyone touch him. Wanders about the yard at night disturbing the other patients. Had his neck & spine rubbed with croton oil liniment & gets 30 drops of the solution of acetate of morphia night & morning. Bowels easy. Cont

16 Not improving much. Takes his food but very unwilling to take physic. Bowels sluggish. Habt Ol Crotonis gtt iij

Dec 2 Seems considerably improved. Takes his food. Bowels easy

Dec Ch - Admitted 29 Sept 1849

	Bentis still different and taciturn
Dec 17	Again worse. With the greatest difficulty can be persuaded to put on a new suit of clothes with which he has been furnished Takes his food. Bowels costy
31	Rather better again sent stool for food mille
1850	
Jany 8	Considerably improved. Seems pretty cheerful and active Answers questions rationally well behaved and cleanly. Appetite good. C.O.
Feby 15	much better. tolerably cheerful Behaves in every respect well. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily functions natural. C.O.
March 10	Can smile with tolerable cheerfulness now and answers rationally. Attentive to his appearance. tolerably industrious Bodily functions natural. C. Quassia.
April 10	A few days since had an attack of haemoptysis which disappeared after blood letting and the use of astringents. Mind calm and rational. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Quassia
17	Leaves this day discharged

Cured

John Morrison 35 Barrowfield Single

74

Brought from the Hanamuck Street Has been depressed & dull for some years but capable of working except at short periods All this time 8 days Thinks every body conspires against him & watching for his life Three years ago attempted to hang himself on 9th July last was anxious to get a drink to put an end to his life Takes several any food complains much of headache His sister Mrs Mercer is a patient here

Oct 4. Dull and depressed Speaks little & in a low tone Afraid of some calamity overtaking him but does not know what Tongue white Pulse soft Pale and rather thin Hath Pulv grey

6 Much the same quiet & peaceful Takes his food pretty well Bowels easy Cont

8 No obvious change Bowels rather slow Hab Al Rem

10 Wishes to get to another ward as he says he dislikes or annoys the patient where he is Bowels slow Hab Al Rem iij

16 Seems improving Bowels rather slow Hath Pulv Gregor iij

19 Thinks that he is now fit for work again & would like to get home Takes his food well Conducts himself quietly

22 Removed today by a friend Discharged cured

Cured?

Lizzie Stitch admitted 1st Oct 1849

John Stewart 14 Compositor

	Brought from 194 Stirling Road [illegible] two days ago he is [illegible] noisy and says he is going the celestial regions [illegible]
Oct 4	Noisy incoherent and very theatrical in his manner pronouncing set phrases in a pompous theatrical manner Will not keep on his clothes [illegible] in seclusion but will not lie but stands with a blanket about him making speeches Had 2 oz Tinct Hyos [illegible]
6	Bowels slow Not opened although he has had 3ij of castor oil Noisy and theatrical Will take his food but often only after it has stood some time Hab Enema aquae tepidae
8	Bowels well opened Lies in a drowsy state and unkempt & troubled Takes beef tea & porridge but better glue
10	Much better Talks rationally & conducts himself well respects well Beh Imm Retire 7.10 Index a chop tea
12	Gets up dressed Noisy and filthy and as incoherent as before Bowels easy
16	Rather quieter but more obstinate to nurse sorting his bed on the whole considerably better than at last report
19	Much improved again Talks quietly and tolerably rational Takes his food well Bowels easy
23	Quiet and keeps his bed clean but has a strange absent look and gives evidently not right answers abruptly & in monosyllables Takes his food well Bowels easy
Nov 3	Much the same as at last report Perhaps rather improved Habeat Pulv Gregori 3ij

Fred A Matthew admitted 2 Oct 1849

Nov 17 Answers in a strange fantastic manner but on the whole is tolerably quiet Takes his food Bowels costive

Dec 13 Not much permanent improvement Rubs his neck rubbed with croton oil liniment Bowels costive

31 Very much improved of late Conducts himself well & answers questions quite rationally Convt

1850

Jany 31 Since last report has been very quiet cheerful and cleanly. Engaged at arithmetic and is an apt scholar. Health good. C. O.

Feby 15 Behaves very well. Cheerful industrious and attentive. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily health good. C. O.

" 19 Has been going on favourably since last report. was this day removed from the asylum

Cured

Jas McNeil 44 Slater
Govan

Brought from Govan Poor House where he had been for some time. Was in this House before. Several years Subject to epileptic Convulsions Habits dirty Tongue furred Bowels somewhat confined Ordered Mist Senn Co

4 Bowels affected by medicine is quiet and answers tolerably rationally Takes his food well

8 Continues quiet As yet no Bowels Takes his food well Lies quietly

12 Conducts himself quietly No fits

20 No fits since admission at least none have been observed Conduct

27 Much the same Quiet and troubles no one

17 Has had one or two fits but no excitement Bowels regular

Dec 5 Last night fell out with another patient & beat and kicked him rather severely

21 Rather irritable but quiet Bowels require strong purgative

1850

Jany 31 Quiet since last report. Bowels often costive and very difficult to move. Appetite good. Has action and easier at when he is costive. C.O.

Feby 15 Very quiet since last report. Mind feeble. Behaves pretty well. Answers many questions correctly. Appetite good. Bowels costive Ordered Mist. Purgent Statim C.O.

March 10 Was irritable the other day and struck a fellow patient severely upon one side of the head. Usually quiet and civil Cleanly in his habits. Appetite good. Requires frequent doses of purgative medicine C. Annis

" 15 Was this day discharged.

Relieved

Admitted 7th Oct 1844

Alex^r M^c Taggart 40 M^os

Brought from Mc Kenneyville. Has been ill since Saturday last supposed to be caused by a blow he received on his head on Saturday night when he was knocked down in the street by some person unknown. He has been dull and at times unnatural ever since he has not attempted to injure himself or others. None of his relations were ever insane. He has three children aged 16. 9 & 6

6 Accordingly stupified cannot even tell his name Pupils rather contracted No external mark of injury on the head Bowels slow Tongue white Pulse not disturbed Sumat cal et Jalap com

8 Much more sensible very anxious to get home Takes his food well Bowels very foul

10 Tolerably sensible but seems to have no recollection of being knocked down says he had been drinking freely on the Saturday evening previous to the admission

18 Conducting himself well in all respects Works in the tailors shop Health tolerable

22 Cont At work in the tailor's shop conducts himself in all respects well

27 Removed today by his wife Discharged as

Cured

Admitted 24th Oct 1849

Andrew Scott 24 Student Single
Dec 1st Farmer Summerhill Antrim
Brought from Summerhill
Schedule states that he was
once insane about two years
ago but never in an asylum
Is at present 2 weeks
Bad tempered irritable
restless and changeable
No bodily disease (No return
insane cause unknown
Disease stationary Will
not submit to any rule of
conduct Finds fault with
everything & everybody Has
struck others Not suicidal
Broke window on two
occasions
11 Seems of a free & careless dis-
position & appears to think he
ought to get everything he
chooses to ask for Bodily
health good Bowels costive
14 Must the same Asked to
be allowed to go an hour
to bed after dinner and to
get something for supper
at night first not permitted
but to get bread and gruel
at bedtime
19 Much the same in all
respects
23 Always asking for more
food otherwise conducts
himself pretty well
Nov 3 Little change His head was
soiled with something not
unlike semen but when
questioned on the subject
said it was oat
17 Rather unsatisfactory & trouble-
some asking for many things
especially more food Bowels
costive
Dec 14 Not much change but is
rather less troublesome
lately
31 No change of any consequence
1850
Jan 31 Bodily health good. Always
little anxiety about leaving
Answers questions correctly
C. O.
Feb 15 Sometimes violent to the attendant
but otherwise behaves pretty well
Answers questions rationally
Careless in his manner seeming
to make himself anxious about
nothing. Health good. C. O.

Ap Cot
Bond
March
April 10
"
May 3
June

B. Catt admitted 9 Oct 1849

March 10. Sometimes apt to resist the authority of the attendant but on the whole behaves well. Answers questions rationally. Broaches no delusions. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily health good. C. Cerussa.

April 10 Behaves pretty well. Entertains somewhat elevated notions of his own abilities. Not employed. Bodily health good. C. Cerussa.

" 30 Apt to complain and to quarrel with his attendants. Cleanly in his habits at night. Bodily health pretty good. C. Cerussa.

May 31 Bodily health good. Answers rationally. Broaches no delusions. Entertains a very high opinion of his own powers and abilities. C. Cerussa

June 1 Was this day removed by his brother and discharged

Cured

Peter Smith 18 Weight
Bothwell P Tom Torrance

Brought from Bothwell
Appears to have been mole-
cule from birth seems in good
bodily health No particulars
except that he is said to
have three years Has father
Infirmary diet

19 Mind very weak cannot
give a rational answer ex-
cept to very simple questions
Takes his food well table & round
every

22 Much the same Bodily health
good Mind weak Not
destructive nor filthy
conduct

26 During the night broke
three panes of Glass and
turned his bed on end
with the intention of getting
out

Nov 7 Conducts himself tolerably quietly
but would escape if he could
Bodily health Good Mind
weak It is said he had
a severe fall on his head
when three years of age & it
was then his imbecility com-
menced

17 No change Bodily health
Good

Dec 4 No change of any consequence
cont

17 Much the same a little deaf
Attentive to call caught in bed
clothes

21 No mental change

1850
January 11 Since last report has been quiet
General health good He was
this day discharged

Cured

Committed Oct 17 1846

Alex Hume 53 M a shoemaker

Brought from N 2 John St Bridgeton NJ for 3 or 4 months at this time He has been once before in the old asylum in 1824 (No 467) Intemperate & restless Gathers trash and interferes with everybody Appetite keener than previous to becoming insane as he was then troubled with dyspepsia Not suicidal or destructive One child dead

Oct 20 Has talkative fond of talking to anybody who will listen Must be weak Takes his food well Bowels slow slight oedema of feet especially the right one Has pain & fulness in head

22 Bowels opened moderately by medicine Takes his food well Constantly talking and in a very childish manner Repeats Psalm & Collect

24 Much the same Bowels easy

26 Little change Talks much in a silly manner says he is aware that his method is not altogether correct Complains of sore throat

Nov 8 No change silly & talkative but not violent Takes his food well

16 Same as silly & continuously talkative Very anxious to get tobacco Is allowed

17 No improvement Bodily health tolerably good

Dec 4 Seems on the whole rather worse More unruly & quarrelsome Had a scuffle with another patient To be removed to another gallery Sometimes gets up & walks about during sleep Same as Dr Gregory

16 No improvement Talks very much & in an absurd rambling manner Takes his food well

31 Much the same

1850
Jany 31 Noisy talkative and quarrelsome mind weak and confused Talks in a very childish way Health seems pretty good. C.O.

Estokt Admitted Oct 19 1849

Feby 15	Constantly talking. Subjects with and annoys any one around him and is very annoying at night from his constant speaking so much as that he has had to keep in seclusion at night. Careless of his appearance. Conversation rambling and confused. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.
March 10	Talkativeness noisy and troublesome, from his interfering with his fellow patients. Particularly talkative at night. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep good, bowels natural. C. Continued.
April 10	Restless and troublesome, but free from vicious. Talks in an absurd rambling manner. Feet sometimes slightly edematous. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Continued.
" 30	No change of any consequence since last report. C. Continued.
May 31	Much the same. C. Continued.
June 15	Absent no change since last report. C. Continued.
July 15	Usually abuses his wife much when she visits him although she brings him tobacco &: Cleanly at night. Careless of his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Continued.
Aug 15	Much the same. C. Continued.
Sept 15	Seems somewhat quieter of late. Otherwise as before. C. Continued.
Oct. 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Confused in his conversation and apt to interfere with matters he has no business with and to abuse those about him or his wife when she visits him. Cleanly at night. Careless of his appearance. Never usefully employed. C. Continued.
Nov 15	At times very quarrelsome abusive and noisy. Never usefully employed. Bodily health good. C. Continued.
Dec 15 1850	Much the same. C. Continued.
Jan 15	No change Cont. Continued.

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Archd Cumming Aged 33 Signalman

Brought from the Police Office Had been at Troon on the 19th to engage a vessel & brought to the office to Glasgow as the place of his settlement sent here under a warrant granted at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal Wigtown the 18th June 1848 See Book 14 page

Oct 20 Doctor stupid asks to be announced to be in bed complains of his bowels being sore and feels very unwell no tumour are perceptible Pulse 80 mouth moist & foul Tongue white Skin cool Ordered Calomel powder

21 Says the same Lies in bed says that he went into the sea a considerable way to hail a vessel he had passed for the purpose of getting to England This day Jam informed a corked near Troon that he was taken out of the water & sent to Glasgow but a day or two after was found at the same place in the same situation Bowels not yet opened Skin as before

22 Bowels not yet opened Skin still enema aquae tepidae

23 Injection produced a large operation is much more lively & communicative Is dressed takes his food well Does not see anything absurd in his making into the sea to hail a vessel

26 Conducts himself quietly and answers ordinary questions rationally but says that one of the 12 Archangels speaks to him & commands him to do things For example he made him go to Troon & neither to turn to the right hand nor the left says he is quite unknown to the angel tells him

28 Had 2 drops of croton oil which purged him very severely but now he feels better

Admitted 14th Oct 1849

Nov 6 Complained with a small ulcer on leg which is getting no worse. No mental change. Takes his food well. Bowels out

Nov 17 Leg well. Conducts himself quietly & in all respects well but delusions remain as before. Bowels easy. Takes his food well

Dec 4 Conducts himself very quietly in all respects. Complained this morning of sweating & tenderness feet not allowed the heat or perspiration. Has fully. When Comp. Jones in bed says he is very ill that he is all gone & bruised that his is so stiff he cannot move his arm although at times gets up to pass urine. Refuses food. Bowels slow. Has Cal Rheum ℈i R Tinct Colchici ℈ss Sumat ℈i his mixes

" 13 Refuses medicine & food. and sometimes will not speak. Bowels easy. Passes but little urine. Getting emaciated. Talse calm

" 16 Still refuses the most part of his food & all medicine. Says he wishes to be allowed to die in peace & not to be troubled. Often will not speak nor move. Pulse very rapid

" 29 Takes his food well and answers questions readily. Bowels easy from myrrh &c

1850

Jany 9 Very much improved. Eats & sleeps daily and rapidly gains strength. Seems a little depressed. Associates little with his fellow patients. Speaks as delusions. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. C.O.

" 25 Soon after last report became confined to bed and has lain almost constantly since. Takes almost no food and always irregularly — Refuses wine and beef tea ordered for him. Breath fetid. Bowels open from medicine. Last night he got out of bed and stood beating at the door of his bed room. Says that this arose from his being injured with fear and trembling. C.O.

" 31 Quiet and much better in health. Takes his food well. Bowels open. C.O.

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Wm Gardener 21 Surgt Wam N. Y.
Mattoon Inspect Richardson
Transfer from Kilbarchen
Ill at this time for two weeks
also insane about two years
ago & I met him since
At a returns despondent time
Thinks road Tonic of Pigeons
Silly an idle mistake Not
getting exercise nor mixing
with associates Dull &
thinks he is to come to mount
Has no hope for the future
is so great a sinner Once
attempted suicide by
drowning in a well. Not
destructive nor mischievous
Never in an asylum No treatment Health seems tolerable
Oct 23 Dull depressed and taciturn
Pulse compressible Bowels
Not moved Tongue white
R Pulv Jalap ℈ x ℥ ij Sig
stat pro emetico Hyoscyam
morte Sal Aet Chlorat ℈ ℔ x ℥
To have Collops & a glass of wine
daily
24 Keeps dull scarcely speaks
a Word Bowels sluggish
reluctance Bowels slow
Vlat ad Rem ℨ ij cont
ubi
27 Much the same dull slow
depressed & taciturn Eats
with reluctance Pulse
rather full & slow
30 Bowels slow No mental
improvement Vlat ad
Rem ℨ ij ad Cratonem
Nov 1 Eats occasionally ℨ ij Haust
Mist to keep his Bowels
open Very little mental
improvement cont om
16 Not much improvement
Bowels very sluggish Vlat ad
ad Cratonem ℨ ij
26 Much the same
Dec 7 Removed by his friends
Discharged Cured

Relieved

A. Beeby admitted Oct 22 1849

Wm Lonnie 36 Mod Imm Ref

Brought from 25 Duke St
All the accts Head delerium
tremens & before very
intemperate. Has one child
7 years old. Disease increasing
Cause intemperance Attempted
to hang himself & is mischievous
Sent to sleep in a large
gallery with all the shutters
up. Extenuated talkative
27 Much more docile this
morning & says that it is
only drink that is the matter
with him & there was
no necessity for sending
him here. Urinæ Pal Color
comp. iij Tinct Hyoscami
Zij Aquæ Cinnamomi Bethal
ad Aquæ Unciæ Zij
28 Bowels well opened
Feels much better & more
rational Takes his food
Repetant omnia
30 Seems pretty well Talks
rationally & conducts
himself well in all
respects Takes his food
well
Nov 3 Mind calm & rational complains
of pain in joint of great toe
left which is somewhat swollen & is now
less painful Urinæ
Pal Colory ij o m p o s
10 Continues Mentally convalescent & toe is now not troubling him Bowels kept
regular by an occasional
pill
17 Continues in all respects
well Cont
21 Continues free from all delusions They sometimes occasionally to simulate insanity Discharged as
cured

Keeper Admitted Oct 26 1849

John Cutter 32 M a Baker
Saltcoats Yorkshire
Brought from Saltcoats
Was in the asylum and
discharged as Recovered
3 weeks ago (See page 50)
Brought back handcuffed
very unpromising and would
not walk so that he had
to be carried to the ward
2 sent to seclusion
Oct 28 Very Noisy and incoherent
General paralysis seems to have
made rapid progress since
his discharge Walks very
unsteadily & there is very
considerable difficulty in
articulation Takes his food
well Has al Regained
29 Bowels well & quiet Rest
less noisy and incoherent
swears greatly but verbal
memory seems much impaired
Takes his food well Does
not fall off in flesh seems
still somewhat full headed
Nov 1 Noisy & incoherent still. Up
& dressed but very restless
staggering rambling & unman
to & fro in the ward swears
greatly Difficulty of articulation
Dysarthria very pronounced
Takes his food well Has
Fil Colosynth iij
3 Still noisy & complains loudly
of having lost his own head
& got a small one belonging
to one Hunter
7 Does not improve much Will
not keep on his clothes and tumbles
about everything Takes
his food well Bowels easy
lost
10 Not much improvement Dysar
thria & speech seems more
evident Lies & crawling on
the floor & swearing & shouting
in an incoherent manner
Does not sleep a great deal
16 Rather quieter and is usually
up several hours daily but
very noisy restless & incoherent
yet. Fumbles about his head at
night & soils his room Takes
his food well Bowels easy
22 Not much change
Dec 5 Very little change
9 Has fallen off in flesh and
strength very much Does

Ward Medical Oct 27 1849

not look like the same person
Pulse 8 Easily compressible
shot to be confined to a warm
situation Bowels Open Head
Ill
11 Much the same as at last
report Cheeks of a Good Colour
Have passed all in bed Motion
Urine to undergo as usual
to be intelligible Mouth as when
Cause Milk diet R Opii
Cretae ℥vi Tinct Catechu ℥ij
Tinct Opii ℥ij m Fiat Haust
ter die sumend
12 Bowels in tolerable order Same
all in bed Gradually not talking
to Cause long Coat
Mr Clay Sensibly Jaundiced Pulse Accurate
Respiration
14 About 3 a m
Died

Walter Fendley

Brought from Isle of Sheppey
Previous symptoms no particulars
Has evidently been again drinking as he is labouring under
Delirium tremens. Has already
been 3 times in the Asylum
(see pages 9 & 71) There is a
cut or scratch across his
throat. This he himself says
was caused by his breaking
a window in attempting
to escape over it but from
superficial looks as if done in
that manner. Talks & hears
imaginary things very much
excited. Some muscular tremor
Haust Mori 3ij ℞ Tinct
Hyoscy 3ss Mist Camph 3ij
Nov 9 Pulse somewhat accelerated
Tongue slightly furred. Slept
a little, feels better but is
still excited. Bowels opened
Takes a little food. Still troubled
with Spectral illusions
but less so than Yesterday
Haust Spirit Aetheri 3ss ℞ Tinct
Opii 3ij ter quotidie
10 Improving. Slept much
better last night. Haustus
Spirit Aetheri 3ij ℞ Tinct Opii
gtt XL hora somni
12 Improving. Nearly quit of
his depressing delusions
Omit Spirit Aetheri Bowels
rather slow. Pil Colocynth
Comp duas
16 Going on well. Seems quite
quit of his delusions Complains
of the broth disagreeing with
him. Gets a steak at midday
Bowels easy
20 Convalescent but annoyed
with asthma Haust Mist
Ipecacuanhae
26 Removed today by his wife
Discharged at
Cured

Committed Nov 8 1849

Gwen Dykes
74

	Escaped from the asylum on the 12th Sept last Readmitted today Has a small ulcer in front of right leg To be kept in seclusion for security	
Nov 11	Bowels close Rather irritable & obstinate Takes her food well Flesh Pulse good	"
21	Bowels still sluggish Flesh & Pulse as before	May
23	Had a quarrel with another patient took a spar out of the bed bottom to strike him sent to seclusion	
26	Leg healing still somewhat irritable & apt to ulcerate Pulse 72	June
Dec 1	Getting very troublesome Broke three panes of Glass 2 was sent to seclusion Throws the food at the attendants occasionally Bowels easy	July
4	Last night forced his head & shoulder against his cell door breaking off one of the hooks and otherwise injuring the door Placed in another cell without a bedstead still occasionally throws his food at the attendant Bowels easy To have bread & butter	Aug Sept Oct Nov
13	Still in seclusion but now quiet & penitent Very anxious to get out Bowels easy	
30	Still in seclusion	Dec 1851 Jan
1850		
Jany 23	Has been daily among st his fellow patients during the last fortnight but still keeps alone. Since last report has been quiet. Kind and and childish Cleanly in habits Bodily functions natural C.O.	
" 31	Remains in exactly the same state as at last report - free from excitement and in good health. C. O.	
Feby 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Kind & mildly feeble. Quiet since last report C.O.	Feb Mar
March 10	Has not required confinement since last report. Kind & peaceable. Cleanly in her habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.	April May June

Admitted Nov 17 1849

April 10 Lies in confinement for a few days lately though not his first. Mind at all times weak. Requires occasional doses to keep his bowels soluble. Health otherwise good. C. Mania.

" 30 No change of importance since last report. C. Mania.

May 31 Got excited and broke some panes of glass lately and has since been in seclusion. Very penitent says it was his passion that got the better of him and he could not help breaking the windows. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.O.

June 15 Continues quiet since last report. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Mania.

July 15 No change of consequence C. Mania

Aug 15 No change. C. Mania

Sept 15 Much the same. C. Mania.

Oct. 15 Bowels require an occasional purgative to maintain them in a soluble state. Cleanly in his habits. Apt to quarrel from slight causes. Appetite good. C. Mania.

Nov 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Still apt to quarrel and to require seclusion C. Mania.

Dec 15 Much the same C. Mania

1851

Jan 15 Enamelled and broke some earthenware lately and was secluded for some days. In one of these got out of his room and struck at the guard of a window so forcibly that he beat the wires inwards and thereby broke 4 or 5 panes of glass. At present moderately quiet. Appetite good. C. Mania.

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Mania.

Mar 15 At present in seclusion having been excited and quarrelsome. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Mania.

April 15 Much the same. C. Mania

May 15 No change of importance. C. Ma.

June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Mania.

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John Galbreath 40
H

Brought from
an state of paturity Walks
half bent Eyes small & stupidly
sent in head answers in a
childish manner

Nov 19 Mind very weak Gets half
bent double Takes ~~little~~
food Looks his head & ~~body~~
trousers seems very imposs
ture

21 Mind patuous Takes his
food greedily Bowels
costy Gets his head and
trousers

23 Much the same Retains
one place seldom moves
Takes his food well
Bowels regular

26 Much the same in all
respects Blood test
Carbonates gtt xv ter
quotidie

Dec 1 Not much change Rather
less given to wet his clothes
Cont

" 17 Much the same as at last re-
port

" 31 Still apt to wet his clothes
& bed

1850
Jany 19 In spite of every attention wets
his clothes and bed. Urine
drubbles from him as it is
secreted as on introducing the
catheter he runs him any but
a very small quantity of urine
in his bladder. Mind steadily
for gone. Appetite large. Bowels
regular. C. Cornicia.

Feby 18 Mind so very weak that he
can answer no questions
correctly. Observes nothing
that is going on. Dirty in his
habits. Not very strong Appetite
good. Bowels regular. C.C.

March 10 Had an attack of erysipelas of
right leg which improved
under fomentations with
rest in bed and is now well
and he himself out of bed
Mind very weak. Very unclean
in his habits. Appetite large
Bowels open. C. Cornicia.

April 10 Health good since last report
C. Cornicia.

Admitted Nov 17 1856

May 8 Under lip has become swollen and abraided. Face seems a little edematous. Incloses at night and very cheerful. Appetite good. Bowels open. Sumat Pulv. Jalapae Co gr xv omni mane. P.O. Alvin.

" 31 Edema almost gone - mind extremely weak. C. Cinnia

June 15 Swelling gone. Appetite rather large. Mind very weak. Sits in any position he may be put. Deliberate moving about. Speaks very little. C. Cinnia.

July 15 No change C. Cinnia.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Cinnia.

Sept 15 No change. C. Cinnia.

Oct. 15 Mind extremely weak. Speaks only in answer Passes most of his time in a sleepy state unless urged some moves about. Appetite large. Eats his bed. Bowels regular C. Cinnia.

Nov 13 Yesterday evening was observed to injure his foot was sent to bed and a dose of Calomel and rhubarb given. To day left leg from knee to ancle was found dry & pitted with a shade of yellowness and some heat and swelling. Appetite small. Bowels free. C. Cin.

" 14 Fomentations have been applied and the swelling and inflammation is much faded. Appetite has returned. Bowels open. C. Cin.

Decemb 8 Continued to improve and was up daily though weak. Four days ago dry & pitted stomach right leg and foot was treated with fomentations and seems to day much better. Appetite good. Bowels open from inj ection. C. Cin.

" 31 Leg got sore week. but a phlegmonous swelling appeared on upper front of right thigh suppurated and is now healing. Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Cinnia.

1857

Jan 15 Thin and weak but sores healed and he eats well & is up daily.

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Chas Cameron 38 M. Waiter
Convicted of

Brought from
Lunatic Asylum Hamburgh
Six or Nine Years ago Ill on
present occasion two weeks
Large supposed to be meant of
employment Has 2 children
Much depressed Three days
ago attempted to cut his
throat Seems very depressed

Nov 20 Very depressed says he
is for no more use in the
world, that he should be
out of it for he is quite
useless Pale & thin Bowels
slow Tongue white Has
al Ricini ℥ii Ol Croton
gtt ij

22 Bowels well opened
Seems rather less depressed
& does not talk so
much about his useless-
ness Takes his food well

cont
24 Improving slowly Takes
his food tolerably well
& conducts himself with
propriety

29 Much the same as at last
report Bowels slow
Hab al Ricini ℥ij

Dec 14 Slowly improving Bowels
apt to be costive Gets a dose
of castor oil occasionally

cont
20 Continues to improve Answers
questions quite relevantly

1850
Jany 19 Has continued to improve
since last report. Conducts
himself well. Answers questions
relevantly. Broaches no delusions
Attentive to his appearance
Bodily health good. Pulse

" 26 Does not evince any symptom of
insanity. Bodily health good.
This day he was discharged

Cured

Admitted Nov 19 1849

1849 Robert McFarlane from page 77
Govan

Augt 20 This morning at one o'clock seized with a most severe apoplectiform convulsive fit attack the whole of left side but especially arm agitated with strong clonic convulsion which only abated after his bowels were well opened by four drops croton oil. Had also a blister applied to head. Still lies quite comatose and left side of face and left arm are still affected. Muscles arms freely. Pulse 100 full

21 Still comatose and breathing very irregular more violent. A blister applied to nape. Bowels stool. Had at 6 o'clock iii. Pulse more rapid & not so full. Skin warm

22 Comatose and breathing but not so violently although at times there is a renewal of the more violent convulsions. Takes nothing. Bowels well opened. Passes urine freely

24 Still unable to swallow except with the greatest difficulty. Eyes especially left one injected. Tongue dry. Pulse weak and rapid. Bowels easy

26 Swallowing liquids such as toddy & beef tea much more freely. Occasionally exceedingly restless rolls out of bed and grasps at everything within his reach. Pulse still weak and rapid but improving. Bowels free. Much emaciated

28 Is today up and walking about the gallery very restless and occasionally tries to burst the doors to get out

Sept 1 Stupid and obstinate attempting to get out, he says to get to the Clyde to drown himself. An ulcer formed on left cornea and conjunctiva much congested. Bowels relaxed. Drop a solution of nitrate of silver in the eye. Chalk mixture. Catechu & opium for bowels

2 Eye worse and stools bloody likely from a congested state of the intestines. Getting very weak and emaciated. Cannot hold on long. Ulcerated & purulent stools

77 A. McNeil 8 June 1849

Sept 3 Very weak and emaciated Knees elbows &c getting discolored and threatening to slough Circulation very languid & feeble cannot live much longer Voddy & beef tea

4 This morning at 5 o'clock

Died

1849 Alex^r Cochran 33 from page

Sept 16 Still dirty and destructive cannot be got to keep clothes properly on him very unwilling getting up from recumbent position takes his food pretty well Gets Paddy & steak daily Flab all gone usually 3 lbs under st Sulph Quinia gr ii nocte omnesque

26 No improvement indeed is getting much thinner and weaker carbuncles are forming over body the largest is between the scapulae A strong glove has been tied on his hand to keep dressing applied to his finger wounds easy lost

28 Much worse this morning and quite unable to stand Breathing hurried Extremities cold Face flushed Pulse weak & rapid To have as much toddy as he can stand Low

29 Continued to sink and at 11 a m

Died

page 82 Admitted 25 June 1849

Dr J D Johnston 28 Lincoln
Cash Johnston Merch Moffat

Brought from Lemoxton Jan 4th 1848 was in the asylum for a few days with delirium tremens fell at this time two months Cause intemperance Disease increasing Haunted by visions often supposes himself at the point of electric terrific spurious when checked shakes & sweats furniture

Oct 12 Pale and attenuated Much annoyed by spectral illusions Tongue foul Bowels slow Muscular tremor Takes but little food Had today with Zii Sal Mur Morph last night but was very restless & did not sleep Also two purgative pills Sumat al Magnes Zi Ol Crotonis gtt i Hab Tinct Hyoscami Zii ter quotidie

13 Slept nearly twelve hours last night but still annoyed with spectres Appetite bad Bowels well opened Habat Sumat Hordei Zjss quotidie Cont alia

14 Did not sleep quite so well last night afraid that the devil is going to carry him off Takes his food rather better Bowels easy

17 Improving Still afraid Cont

19 Afraid he will not get better But on the whole is improving Takes his food well Bowels easy

25 Sleeps now quite quit of his delusions Takes his food well Bowels easy

Nov 17 Continues convalescent Cont Mother removed him today Discharged as

Cured

Admitted 11 O.A. 1849
Mrs. Gordon 24 Feb'y 1849 Thirty days by mail

Andrew Marshall 55 Jorne Ma

Brought from Glastonbury Prisoner says he has imagined people talked about him & wished to do him bodily harm Has heard their voices & even felt them touch him Says his head injured 20 years ago by falling into the hold of a ship Has latterly become melancholy and restless a wound in his throat a few days ago, through which part of the food he swallows escapes

Nov 20 Conducts himself very quietly answers questions deliberately says the reason of his cutting his throat was his being constantly annoyed by people Wound seems granulating kindly Dressed with adhesive plaster Has pl coloured complexion

21 Bowels still rather costive Takes his food answers questions readily Has leave to Exercise

23 Conducting himself quietly Wound healing Bowels act

25 Has well conducted. Says he hopes he will not be so foolish as injure himself again

Dec 3 Thinks that somebody blows some black and injurious substance upon him Wound of throat healing Has not left Has a boil on forearm Applies Emplasma galyda

17 Imagines people come about his bed at night to do him harm Hears them plotting against him Had a dose of castor oil Arm nearly well

cont

31 Conducting himself tolerably quietly but is much troubled by delusions

1850

Jan 19 Remains the same states and is under the impression that persons are plotting against him and hears their voices accusing him of actions he was never guilty of Very depressed. Cleanly in his appearance. Bowels regular. O.O.

Mr admitted Nov 19 1849

Feby 18	Remains very quiet and well. Cleanly in his habits. The same delusions exist in his mind. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open. C. O.
March 10	Remains very well. Looks depressed. Cleanly in his habits. Bodily health pretty good. C. Omnia.
April 10	Does not broach his delusions. Remains pretty well. Health moderately good. C. Omnia.
May 8	Quiet and peaceable. No change in his mental state. Not very strong but free from particular complaint. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.
" 31	Much the same. C. Omnia
June 18	Remains well. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Smart fall Cal. Co ij Statim.
July 18	Much the same. C. Omnia
Aug 28	Removed

Relieved

John Bowen 42 Md Tenn
Sept 21

Brought from No 93 Clerk
street Cordyals Was in this
asylum for a short time
in Dec last Discharged
well Ill on present occa-
sion eight days Drunks too
much Very violent Throws
his mugs & dishes out of
doors

Nov 20 Said last night that he
was Captain general of
the parkes Today he says
he is God Tongue white
Pulse & moderate strength
Ord Pil colocyn comp h

21 ℥ij Bowels still sluggish
Tongue white ft Whenasked
if he well physic says no
loud determined voice no
but generally takes what
is ordered him Ord Pulv
Jalapae comp ℥ij & Calom.

23 ℥iij Much the same says that
he is God that God is his
father & that the father of
God is the Devil &c

25 No change says he is God
that he is quite well &
very happy Had 15 grains of
Ipecacuan Yesterday which
induced Vomiting

27 Seems to have got out of his
delusions at least in a gen-
eral Bodily health good
Takes his food well Lounges
on sofa & quiet Tongue clean
℥ij Indies

Dec 1 Continued to conduct him-
self in all respects well
Bodily health good Dis-
missed as Cured

Cured

Admitted Nov 19 1849

Aged 22 Single Taylor
Old Mopstead John Walker Supt

Brought from Coat Hardly
First attack, but has been
gregarious approaching for
the last two years at which
time he came over the sea
of argent & spants to which
he had been much addict-
ed previously Three years
ago has several fits resembling
epilepsy closely succeeding
each other They recurred 3
months ago & also a few days
since Delusions more
especially manifested during
during the last 6 months &
increasing Believes that no
clock strikes twelve Complains
much of pain in forehead
Troubled with a month eruption
on hands Head has been re-
peatedly bruised by falls
when intoxicated Partakes
a positive fact not queer
to strike Head looked &
blistered

Nov 21 Very meditative & inattentive
Wanders to & fro in a musing
manner Very anxious that
the doctor should do some-
thing for him to relieve his
headache Takes his pills
pretty well Bowels sluggish
Ord Pil Calocynth Comp
Ung

23 Much the same Pills scarcely
acted on He had an enema of
castor oil which moved
them copiously Very stupid
yet answers tolerably re-
luctantly thrown & unwilling
station

25 Little or no change Very anxious
for medicine & to get a cord
on his neck Thinks he ought
to be cured at once Still
complains of pain in fore-
head

Dec 1 Little improvement mentally
Complains of an eruption on hands
in cold weather Ung Hydrarg
simplex p r n

11 Has had a very severe apoplectic
form seizure Was insensible
for two days was blistered
on the head & bowels opened
by injections More sensible
But restless & apt to get out of bed

Estab^d Admitted Nov^r 20 1846

Dec^r 13	Last night got up and wandered about the room in search of something Knocked his eyebrow against something Eye black-shot and brow swollen Takes his food well Bowels easy Searches amongst the bed clothes & elsewhere for imaginary things Apt to throw off his clothes
16	Eyebrow better again Keeps on his clothes Still complains of pain in forehead Back of neck to be rubbed with Croton oil liniment
27	Had injured [illegible] this finger a little ago by hitting it the joint of knuckle & dorsal phalanx became necrosed Removed by the Surgeon Applicatur cataplasma cerevisiae & furfuris Diaeta Mentally improvement
1850	
Janʸ 15	Suppuration and sloughing of the tendinous structures exposed in front of injured finger - the first phalanx of which had separated - and in lower part of palm of hand requiring free incisions. Slough has since all separated and wounds - dressed with plaster - are now healing kindly. Mind very weak. Takes a pint of porter daily Appetite good. Bowels regular. Feet much edematous but swelling has disappeared in last. C. Omnia.
" 19	Wounds doing very well and swelling diminishing. Mind very weak and childish. Takes his food well and relishes his porter. C. Omnia.
Feby 16	Hand almost healed. Occasionally somewhat incoherent. Mind always weak and confused. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.
March 16	Hand well. Mind weak and confused. Steady at night. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.
April 10	Loss very restless and raving requiring seclusion more often last report but is more settled. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.O.
" 30	Left ear much swollen. Appetite pretty good. C. Omnia

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Jo Sprr Gardner 46 Wid Wea
Port Glasgow

Brought from Port Glasgow
Patient since 7 Oct. Has since
been in Hellend asylum
usually quiet but has oc
casional fits of violent
passion. Much concerned
about the salvation of his
soul Not suicidal, but has
threatened to cut the throats
of others

Nov 21 Conducting himself quietly
moved in considerably de-
pressed says that serious
thoughts on religion deranged
his mind says he has a great
desire but little hope of
salvation Has Pill Hyos
& Ext ×L

23 Quiet rather depressed
answers tolerably rationally
but says but little moved
easy

25 Much the same Despairs
of salvation at least says
that was the cause of his
mind getting unhinged

Dec 1 Much the same Quiet and
somewhat depressed Bowels
easy Tongue whitish Repeat
Infus Hyos

" 13 Had a dose of castor oil which
acted copiously Put on chalk
mixture & catechu with milk
diet Bowels slow Omit
Mixture & resume ordinary
diet

" 30 Says he thinks he is dying
but gives no reason for why
he thinks so Takes his food
well Cont

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Jany 19 Very much depressed and
anxious about his soul Takes
no interest in anything. Hands
employed. Paralysis of his
appearance. Appetite pretty
good. Bowels torpid. Tongue
pale. Rhei 3ss et Calomel 3 ij
statim. et si opus sit post horas
iv Rhei Odonis gtts xij. C. O. A.

Feby 15 Much depressed. Hands still
Takes no interest in anything
Appetite pretty good. Bowels
require frequent doses of
medicine. C. O.

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Mr Allen admitted Nov 26 1849

March 10 Mind remains in nearly the same state. Much depressed, Cleanly in habits. Appetite pretty good. Bowels require strong doses of purgative medicine to keep them open. C. Ammonia.

April 10 Very desponding. Cannot usefully employed. Bowels require frequent doses to keep them soluble. Cleanly in his habits Health feeble. Very emaciated. C. Ammonia.

" 30 Much the same. C. Ammonia

May 31 Takes cold tincture daily. Often refuses his food Very depressed. Bowels open from medicine. C. Ammonia

June 15 Of late feet and legs have become edematous and also scrotum. very thin and weak. Has been taking nitrate of potass and spirit of nitre with compound jalap powder to open his bowels. Appetite not good. C. Ammonia.

July 15 Edema almost gone. will not take his food unless when fed a process he dislikes very much and prays and implores that it may be dispensed with Bowels regular. C. Ammonia.

Aug 15 Still has to be fed at meals there will be would take very little. Mind in the same desponding state. very spare and thin. Cleanly in habits Bowels regular. C. Ammonia.

Sept 15 Much the same. C. Ammonia.

Oct. 15 Very unwilling to take food. Mind in the same desponding state. Moans and wrings his hands says he will never get well. Bowels open. Sleeps at night. C. Am.

Nov 15 Same degree of force is still required to induce him take his food. Thin but somewhat improved in strength. Bowels regular. C. Ammonia.

Dec 15 Takes his food only when fed. Mind weak and desponding Bowels regular. Very thin C. Am.

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Jan 15 Much the same C. Ammonia

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Alex[r] Bennet 28 M[d] Farmer
Rutherglen [p.] Wm Hulas Gnes[s]
Brought from Rutherglen Feb[y] 185[3]
attack Ill four months about
12 months ago had an illness
lost the power of his right leg
Intemperate for the last three
years Has one child a year old
His mother was insane Cause
Intemperance & want of employ-
ment Malady sometimes he thinks
& sometimes whose Wishes to
wander through the country
Not suicidal not given to drink
No treatment
Nov[r] 22 Conducts himself tolerably
quietly converses in a random
manner Takes his food
well Keeps his bed clean
Tongue white Bowels
Regular
24 Much the same conducts him-
self tolerably quietly but is
evidently on the look out to
escape if he can
26 No obvious delusion appre-
hensive always asking to get
home Takes his food well
Bowels costive
30 Much the same In the
whole rather quieter Takes
his food well
Dec[r] 3 No apparent delusion but
there is a sort of unsettled-
ness about him
17 Much the same Has been
supplied with a pencil and
asked to employ himself a little
in drawing but declines
doing anything till he gets out
30 Has begun drawing Other
wise as reported above

185[4]
Jan[y] 19 Examined with and struck on
fellow patient lately Except this
has been quiet and well,
behaved since last report -
seems depressed and indolent
interested in nothing. Cause
of his appearances. Appetite
sleep and bowels natural.
C. O.

Feb[y] 18 Since last report has behaved
very quietly and well although
still indolent and inactive
Health good. C. As before.

28 Has gone on well since last report.
Discharged as

Cured.

Letter drawer outside

185[3] May

drawer letter

Admitted Nov 21 1849

Alexander Gunn
from page 157.

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May 2 This morning became convulsed and when visited was comatose and almost constantly convulsed. Pupils natural. Pulse feeble. Bowels open. Abradatur cuticulum. Applicetur Emp. Lyttæ Emp. C. Cuticulo C. Morphia

" 3 Continues ~~comatose~~ comatose and convulsed. Cannot swallow. Pulse very weak. Bowels open. Evidently ~~cannot~~ cannot live Emp. C. Morphia

" 4 Continued convulsed and quite insensible up till about 4 P.M. when he died

died.

John Crawford McGonie
74

sent the the Towns hospital Glasgow but having become [illegible] sent back the [illegible] engine Walks about & talks in an incoherent manner but is not violent to sleep in seclusion

Nov 22 Still [illegible] room & quiet same as he had last night Still incoherent & noisy Takes his food well Tongue white Hot heat Calomel [illegible] gr ij Pulv Jalapae Comp as 3ij

24 Quiet same considerably but still uses some strange gestures Takes his food well Bowels easy

26 Is now tolerably quiet and in his usual state between the paroxysms Bowels easy Cont

Dec 4 Continues quiet and peaceable Takes his food well Cont

12 Quiet same treat as before

31 As at last report

1850

Jan 10 A few days ago became restless noisy and incoherent and still remains in that state. Throws off his clothes and fingers wears a string &c. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Omnia

" 19 Excitement subsided three days since and he has since been at liberty. Mind weak and confused. Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia.

Feby 18 Since last report has been pretty well. Industrious & cheerful rational in conversation & strong & sound in health Bodily health good. C.O.

March 10 During the last week has been very much excited and in seclusion Varicose veins of legs seem so much distended whilst in bed that it was feared they might burst. He is today much quieter and asks to get out of his room. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.

April 10 Since last report has been uniformly quiet and rational works a little General health good C. Omnia.

Admitted Nov 21 1849

May 8	Continues quiet and well behaved slightly weak but employed. Bodily health good. C. Mania.
" 30	Much the same. C. Mania
June 15	Continues quiet well behaved and rational. Health good. C. Mania.
July 15	Has been restless and incoherent requiring seclusion since last report. Bodily health good C. Mania.
Aug 15	Has been quiet since last report and in good health C. Mania
Sept 15	Has visited and incoherent for some days but is again quiet. C. Mania
Oct. 15	Since last report has been quiet cleanly and industrious Bodily health good. C. Mania.
Nov 15	Since last report has been secluded for several days continuously on account of [redacted] excitement - Has been at liberty for some days but is hardly quite settled and is somewhat incoherent still. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Mania.
Dec 15	Has improved since last report Bodily health good. C. Mania
" 31	Has been secluded for some days being noisy & excited Appetite good. Bowels open C. Mania.
1851	
Jany 15	Son became again quiet and has remained so and at work. Bodily health good C. Mania.
Feb 15	Since last report has been quiet and industrious. Health good C. Mania.
Mar 15	Much the same. C. Mania.
April 15	No change since last report — C. Mania
May 15	Is just recovering from an attack of excitement which has lasted about a week. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Mania.
June 15	Has been confined to bed for about a week past from an erysipelatous affection of left leg. Fomentations and purgatives have been used and it is now well C.

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John Crawford McGowan
74

Sent to the Towns Hospital Glasgow but having become convalescent sent back the same day. Walks about & talks in an incoherent manner but is not violent to sleep in seclusion

Nov 22 Still in room & quiet but slept last night. Still incoherent & noisy. Takes his food well. Tongue white. Has had Calomel 5x-10 Pills Jalap 5ss Compos 3ij

24 Quiet & comfortable but still uses some strange gesture. Takes his food well. Bowels regular

26 Is now tolerably quiet and in his usual state between the paroxysms. Bowels regular Cont

Dec 4 Continues quiet and peaceable. Takes his food well Cont

12 Quiet unchanged. Treatment

31 As at last report

1850

Jan 10 A few days ago became restless & noisy and incoherent and still remains in that state. Throws off his clothes and hungers, wears a strong dress. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Cannis

" 19 Excitement subsided three days since and he has since been at liberty. Mind weak and confused. Bodily functions natural. C. Cannis.

Feby 18 Since last report has been pretty well. Industrious & cheerful & rational in conversation & may be trusted in public. Bodily health good. C.C.

March 10 During the last month has been very much excited and in seclusion. Varicose veins of legs were so much distended whilst in bed that it was feared they might burst. He is today much quieter and asks to get out of his room. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Cannis.

April 10 Since last report has been uniformly quiet and rational. Looks a little feeble & head gone. C. Cannis.

Admitted Nov 21 1849

	May 8	Continues quiet and well behaved slightly weak but employed. Bodily health good. C. Mania.
	" 30	Much the same. C. Mania
	June 15	Continues quiet well behaved and rational. Health good. C. Mania.
	July 15	Has been restless and incoherent requiring seclusion since last report. Bodily health good C. Mania.
	Aug 15	Has been quiet since last report and in good health C. Mania
	Sept 15	Been excited and incoherent for some days but is again quiet. C. Mania.
	Oct. 15	Since last report has been quiet cleanly and industrious Bodily health good. C. Mania.
	Nov 15	Since last report has been secluded for several days continuously on account of [redacted] excitement - Has been at liberty for some days but is hardly quite settled and is somewhat incoherent still. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Mania.
	Dec 15	Has improved since last report Bodily health good. C. Mania.
	" 31	Has been secluded for some days being unsettled & excited Appetite good. Bowels open C. Mania.
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	Jany 15	Soon became again quiet and has remained so and at work. Bodily health good C. Mania.
	Feb 15	Since last report has been quiet and industrious. Health good C. Mania.
	March 15	Much the same. C. Mania.
	April 15	No change since last report — C. Mania
	May 15	Is just recovering from an attack of excitement which has lasted about a week. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Mania.
	June 15	Has been confined to bed for about a week past from an erysipelatous affection of left leg. Fomentations and purgatives have been used and it is now well &c

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Nathaniel Cornstalk 50 Mo

Brought from the Town's Hospital Gaspour where he had been for a fortnight attempted to escape where detected got to publicly that they sent him here. Was on the asylum from June till Sept 1848 & subject to epileptic fits on seclusion

Nov 24 Kept quietly there. peaceable answers questions relevantly Takes his food Tongue white Patient of Runyi

25 Bowels moved by oil. Says his prayers very devoutly & composed

29 Conducts himself very quietly No fits observed since admission Bowels costy Takes his food well. Cont

Dec 3 Much the same: quiet and peaceable Had a drachm of Gregory's mixture Bowels easy

11 Looks hurt seems somewhat slow and sluggish Bowels costy Cont

17 Much the same as at last report

29 Has had several fits and at present has a wild somewhat stupid

1850

Jany 19 Appears his usual state soon after last report and has since not been observed to have any fits. Quiet and rational. Body health pretty good. C. Omnia.

Feby 18 Since last report has been free from any mental affection. Answers questions relevantly. Broaches no delusions. Cleanly in habits Bowels regular. C.O.

March 10 Behaves well. Answers questions relevantly. No delusions. Appetite good Bowels open from castor oil. C. Omnia.

April 10 Very peaceable and well behaved. Very decent and often found in the evening at prayers before going to bed. Answers questions relevantly No delusions Cleanly in his habits and appearance Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Omnia.

Armethall Nov 23 1864

May 8	No change since last report C. Murrin.
" 31	Much the same. C. Murrin
June 15	Behaves quietly. Seems to say his prayers morning and evening kneeling by the side of his bed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Murrin.
July 15	Much the same. C. Murrin.
Aug 15	No change. C. Murrin.
Sept 15	Complained of headache and was supplied with relief. Appetite good. C. Mu
Oct. 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Had some fits of late but without excitement. Continues to be very devotional C. Murrin.
Nov 15	Much the same. C. Murrin
Decemb 5	Having become settled and quiet which has been for some days in evidence He is now quiet. Has had one or two doses of calomel and compound jalap powder with the desired effect — Appetite good C. Murrin.
" 31	Quiet and rational at present. Bodily health good. C. Mu.
1861	
Jan 15	Behaves quietly. Answers questions rationally. Frequently found praying by his bedside. Bodily health good. C. Murrin
Feb 15	Much the same. C. Murrin.
Mar 15	No change. C. Murrin.
April 15	Always quiet and civil at the medical visit. Sometimes irritable at times. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Murrin
May 15	No change of consequence — C. Murrin.
June 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind unchanged. C. Murrin.
July 15	No change since last report C. Murrin.
Aug 15	No change C. Murrin.
Sept 15	Much the same. C. Mu.
Oct 15	No epileptic attacks have been observed since last report C. Mu
Nov 4	Since last visit has had six fits. This is but stupid this morning General health usually good C. Murrin

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John Reid, 40
Govan

Brought from Govan Parish
Nov 30 Very incoherent and excited
Dec 1 Very violent at times tumbles about his bed & soils his room very stupid and cannot do much as dress his own wants Bowels close Flask of Infusi Zj
3 Quieter but stupid & inclined to close eyes in bed Takes his food tolerably Bowels moved by the ord
11 Quiet and inoffensive Answers rationally says he has taken spirits for very many years and that now seldom a week passes that he does not have one or more None observed Feels general very back Bowels easy
16 Continues quiet and inoffensive Talks rationally Takes his food well Bowels easy
29 Had one or two fits but treatment has followed Bowels easy

1850
Jany 19 Has been for some excitement since last report. Answers questions rationally. Complained of rheumatic pains in arm and shoulder and had third Colchicum Pains now much better. Cleanly in habits Appetite good. Bowels require occasional purgatives C. Ouvrier.
Feby 18 Since last report has been very quiet although he has had fits. Answers questions correctly. No delusions Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ouvrier.
March 10 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Behaves quietly and answers rationally. C. Ouvrier.
" 18 Leaves this day discharged

Relieved

Admitted Nov 29 1849

George Fee 45 Jungle Lake Cath
Falkirk N.Y.

Brought to day from Falkirk under a warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the Jury to be epileptic. He himself says he has been subject to fits since he was thirteen years of age

Dec 11 Has been very quiet & well conducted since admission. No delusions observable. No fits observed. Had considerable hoarseness from a cold but it is disappearing. Has had castor oil to move his bowels

13 Had two epileptic fits yesterday one of which fell against a table & bloodied right eye Bowels costy Cont.

16 Excitement Takes his food well Cont.

21 Conducting himself quietly well at meals

31 Conducting himself quietly & well Cont.

1850

Jany 19 Has gone on well since last report. Says that he is as well as ever he was - that his illness arose entirely from intemperance. No fits observed since last report. Quiet and civil. Cleanly in appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.O.

Feby 7 Four days since had two or three fits and two days after becoming restless and talkative was placed in seclusion. Health otherwise good. C.O.

" 15 Has been out of seclusion for some days and behaves very well. Answers questions correctly. Tranquil and cheerful. Appetite good, Bowels open. C.O.

March 10 Was restless and in seclusion a few days since but is now quiet and civil. Cleanly in his habits Bowels open. C. Continue.

April 10 After his fits he often becomes restless excited and quarrelsome & fits out face very much blackened. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Continue.

" 30 Quiet since last report - Cleanly in his habits - Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Continue.

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Cath Committed Dec 3 1849

May 31 At present restless and quarrelsome. Bodily health good. Sensat[ion] [illegible] Stations. C.O.

June 15 Has quiet contented and civil. Clean[ly] in his habits Bodily health moderately good. C. Omnia.

July 15 No change since last report. C. Omnia.

Aug 15 No change. C. Omnia

Sept 15 Has much excited after last report but has been quiet for several days. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

Oct. 15 On the third instant had a shivering fit and then pain of left side preventing cough and full inspiration pulse 120 full - skin hot and constipation. was bled to recipient syncope - a blister was applied - a smart purgative administered and calomel with antimony given. last day he was free from pain and in every other respect felt better. He has continued since to improve under the use of antimony and is now comparatively well. Appetite good - tongue clean bowels open. C. Omnia.

Nov 15 Since last report has continued to improve in health. Appetite good. C. Omnia.

" 30 Became quiet some days since and had to be secluded. He is now quiet but tractable and resigned in confinement. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Omnia.

Dec 31 Since last report has been at liberty and tolerably quiet Bodily health good. C. Om.

1851

Jan 15 Irish tempered and quarrelsome. Has not required seclusion since last report. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

Feby 15 Quiet and well behaved since last report. Not usefully employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Om.

Mar 15 No change. C. Omnia.

April 15 Much the same. C. Om.

May 15 No change. C. Omnia.

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Jas Welsh 26 Mch Weaver Mech
Barony P.

Broneght from 24 Oswald St. Schedule states that he had slight symptoms of insanity about a year ago. Has never been active since he had fever five years ago which is stated to be the cause of his malady Increasing. Has a violent prejudice against his wife, suppose that she operates against his life by private signs Will not work until he have all her secrets Has threatened to cut his own throat & took a knife to cut his wifes Never mean any personal treatment

Dec 12 Is miserably thin & starved like Talks rather silly & is anxious to get home to support his family Takes his food well Bowels regular Ordinary diet

14 Work mended and rather depressed However was yesterday employed with some other patients & trying who could leap furthest Takes his food well

16 Conducting himself quietly and respectably Seems improving although still somewhat silly Takes his food well Bowels regular

21 Much the same as last rep. except that he appears improving in bodily condition

31 Seems improved but mind seems to have taken urgently somewhat weak

1850
Jany 19 Answers questions relevantly mind seems weak and a little depressed. Behaves well and is entitled. Cleanly in appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.O.

Feby 18 Behaves fairly well. Still seems a little depressed. Mind somewhat weak. Bodily functions natural C. Omnia.

March 10 Behaves well and answers relevantly. Broaches no delusions mind weakly. Bodily functions normal. C. Omnia.

April 10 No change of any consequence Cont. Omnia.

" 30 Much the same. Mind slightly confused weak weak. C. Omnia.

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Admitted 11th Dec 1849

May 8 Became much confused this morning and talked incoherently. Towards the afternoon became violent and unruly and was sent to seclusion. Appetite good. C. Ouvrier.

" 31 Became quiet after a days seclusion. Complains of uneasiness with constipation of bowels. Mind weak and confused. Ol. Ricini 3j statim.

June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weakish. Cleanly in habits. Quiet in behaviour. C. Ouvrier.

July 15 No material change. C. Ouvrier.

Aug 15 Of late has been noisy especially at night roaming about and talking — Sleeps in seclusion. Has had draughts at various times purgative medicine and his head has been blistered without good effect. C. Ou.

Septr 15 Continues confused and at times very noisy and so unruly as to require constant seclusion. Appetite good. C. Ouvrier.

Oct. 15 Continues confused talkative and at times noisy. Appetite good, Bowels open. Head has been twice blistered since last report. C. Ou.

Nov 15 Talkative and noisy. Mind weak and very confused — Cleanly in habits. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Ouvrier.

Dec 15 Sleeps always in seclusion from his restlessness and talkativeness. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ou.

1851

Jan 15 Mind confused. Talks much in the most childish strain. Cleanly in habits. Bodily functions natural. C. Ouvrier.

Feb 15 Quieter of late. Health good C. Ouvrier.

Mar 15 Has an eruption on head for which was Sulphur Ointment. No other change. C. Ouvrier.

April 15 No change. C.O. May 15. As before C. Ou.

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Daniel McKitrick 46 Mid Farm
Falkirk

Brought from Falkirk under a warrant granted at the instance of the fiscal May in the ordinary from March to June of this year he was 38 Has never been properly well but of late has got much worse Tried to cut his throat to hang himself and to poison himself with Acetate of Lead Last week got out bargous & severely injured his son & also bruised at his wife On admission quiet & says there is nothing wrong with his mind

19 Conducting himself tolerably quietly Answers freely and tolerably correctly Bowels slow Has had Rhei 3ii

21 Continues to conduct himself well in all respects Bowels well opened by the castor oil Cont

22 Conducting himself quietly complains that he does not sleep well Has Rhei Gtt xx

29 Had 3i colocynth pills yesterday but they failed to move his bowels Has Hamel. Mag 3ii et repetatur si opus sit

1850

Jany 19 Complains of great depression and lowness of spirits Thinks his bowels are all wrong and that he will never recover - Bowels very torpid. At present takes castor oil pills daily with but slight effect. Appetite good. Amuses himself with cards and drawing &c. C. Ainslie

Feby 18 Three days ago became much depressed and cried like a child and could not be comforted. Declared that he was all wrong - his health hopeless by unusual and did not admit of any doubt After some conversation became more composed and was prevailed upon to take some medicine. He has never resumed his usual state. Takes daily exercise in the open air. C.O.

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Admitted Dec 17th 1849

March 10 Continues depressed and anxious about his health. Behaves well Amuses himself with cards and in reading. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open without medicine. C. Cinnia.

April 10 Some of the last report complained of headache and was cupped twice at the nape of the neck. with but slight relief. Complains very distressing depression of spirits. Says he will never get better - that he is almost tired of living. Appetite good. Bowels open. Cont. Cinnia.

May 10 Much the same. Sometimes laughs tolerably cheerfully yet usually he is depressed concerning his bodily health and says he is useless. and therefore could easily be dispensed with. Behaves in all respects well. Converses on most subjects rationally but very apt to revert to and dwell upon his bodily health. Bowels torpid requiring now and then a strong dose of purgative medicine to maintain them soluble. Appetite pretty good. C. C.

" 31 Much the same. C. Cinnia

June 15 Bowels were costive but refused medicine declaring that medicine had been given him expressly but had done him no good. Appetite bad. Bowels regular. C. Cinnia.

July 15 Slight tubicle swelled and effusion of water has taken place above it. To wear a suspensory bandage and to apply camphorated mercurial ointment. Appetite good. Bowels open from occasional purgatives C. Cinnia.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Cinnia

Sept 15 Requires frequent and strong doses of purgative medicine. C. Cinnia.

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Cinnia.

" 31 Effusion into tunica vaginalis has much increased. No delusion nor depression. Health good. C. Cin.

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Allen Campbell 51

Brought from the Police Office to which he had been sent in consequence of Statements something about the Broomielaw Mother history deemed unintelligible bodily health Ordinary Diet

19 Talks a good deal in a rambling boastful style Tells the Duke or Lords he is related to &c Takes his food well Has had Bowels 3/4

21 Talks in a boastful style of his high relations and great chemical & medical skill Takes his food well Bowels easy

24 Much the same in all respects

29 Still full of his great abilities & high relations Takes his food well Bowels regular

1850

Jany 10 Believes quietly and is very good humoured and contented says that he has made great discoveries - by which he can make railway engines go without fire - and by which he will realize much money. Seems to object any suggestion as to his birth and property. Has some bodily complaint. C. Cameron.

" 19 Filled with the same notions of his great abilities & the immense wealth. Behaves well. Cleanly and good humoured. Not employed. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cameron.

Feby 18 writes letters continually some to one and some to another. Inquires to get away yet good. humoured and cheerful. Works occasionally Bodily health good. C.C.

March 10 Mental state. Entertains many delusions about his discoveries property descent &c Behaves pretty well. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cameron.

April 10 Considers himself the descendant of the Breadalbane family and heir to the estates. Writes many almost unintelligible letters Health good. C. Cameron.

Admitted Dec 19th 1849

May 10 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No evident mental change. C. Ommia.
" 31 Much the same. C. Ommia
June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Inquiries to home. C. Ommia
July 15 Much the same. C. Ommia
Aug 15 No change. C. Ommia
Sept 15 Wishes to get out that he may execute his discoveries in science. Good humoured and cheerful Health good. C.O.
Oct. 10 Wrote a letter lately to his "Cousin Lady Emma Campbell" at the Castle Rosemath accuses his wife of adultery &c. was this day discharged

Relieved

1851
Nov 13 Was this day readmitted on a new warrant. No history was received of his state during the interval.
One admission was much depressed and thinner than when discharged. Complained of weakness. Tongue clean Bowels costive Ohi Ricini unciam. C.O.
" 18 Much depressed since admission and mostly in bed. Appetite not good Bowels confined Calomel grij Pulv. Ipecac Jss.
" 30 Complained of pain in head head and had a Blister and ale and beef tea daily Eats little Complains of much weakness. C. Ommia.
Dec 31 Somewhat stronger and better in mind. Occasionally smiles Bowels open from medicine Much in bed. C. Ommia

1857
Jan 31 Slowly improves but still very dull. Much in bed Eats better. C. Om.
Feb 15 Much improved. Answers relevant. Appetite moderate C. Ommia.
Mar 15 Works in the grounds. Tolerably cheerful. Health good. C. Ommia.
April 15 Answers relevant. Health good. C. Om.
May 15 Works daily. Health pretty good C. Om

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Wm Henderson 29 Surgl

Brought from Penny Lowhead Mental insane before Glt
a week Depressed on spirits
of a devotional tendency
Says to have an enlargement
of heart No relative present
Cause unknown Increasing
Imagines people are striving
against him Not suicidal
Struck at those who attempted
to bind him

20 Cut up about 4 A M and made
6 Panes of Glass Has cut his
hands & left knee Dressed with
plaster Says that it was God
stone that forced him to break
the glass Hab Pulv Jalapae
Comp ℥ij Pil Calomel ℞ iij

21 Some of the dressing made has
been put in a stout jacket
Bowels well opened by the
medicine Takes his food
well

29 Right arm which was more
at considerable swollen
and pumpie Some emollient
in a poultice Bowels
open 3 Quarters today and
the jacket taken off

27 Hand & forearm washed &
quantity of pus let out
Quieter but still apt to
remove the dressing
Talks much about being
influenced by load stone
&c

30 Hand and & arm improving Mind still full of
delusions

1850

January 10 Suppuration commenced in back of
hand and in forearm and
arm discharged by incisions.
Some swelling of back of hands
but wounds are healing. Since
last report has been quiet.
Mind very much Conversation
extremely childish Careless of
his appearance Cleanly at night
Appetite sleep and bowels natural
C. Ammonia

" 19 Hand and arm nearly well
Mind very weak and imagines
them enfeebled but he has been
quiet. Extremely childish in conversation
and irritable. Appetite
good. Bowels open. C. O.

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Committed Dec 19 1849

Jan 14	Has been somewhat unsettled and restless of late especially at night. A few nights since tore his flannel and tied a strip of it firmly around his arm above the elbow. Which noticed forearm was very much swollen and inflamed at its upper part. Suppuration being evident and incision was to night made and a large quantity of matter evacuated. Mind confused and weak. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Oxmia.
" 27	Inflammation and swelling nearly gone. Washes over his clothes and writes upon the walls. Obstinate and self willed sometimes. Appetite large. Bowels open. C Oxmia.
Feb 15	Hand and arm now quite well. Mind worse. Of late has been very unsteady in his habits. Cuts and soils his bed spits upon the floor &c and nothing seems to have any influence in checking these. Collects his saliva until his cheeks are distended, throws with and then it runs over upon his clothes. Can hardly be got to answer any question. Indolent in his habits. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.
March 10	Much better since last report. Inasmuch as he is cleanly and quiet. Mind weak. Health pretty good. C. O.
April 10	No change of any importance, since last report. C. Oxmia.
May 10	Lately began to work his saliva about his mouth and to distend his cheeks therewith but seems better after a dose of purgative medicine. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Oxmia.
" 31	Much the same. C. Oxmia
June 15	Mind weak. Obstinate and careless of report. Health good C. Oxmia.
July 15	Much the same. C. Oxmia.
Aug 15	Much the same. C. Oxmia
Sept 15	No change. C. Oxmia.
Oct 15	Mind weak and inactive never usefully employed. Bodily health good C. Oxmia.

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Malcom McLean 33
Gallanoch F.

Brought from near Lochgilphead
Never ordained before Ill 9 Months
Subject to Palpitation of heart
Is depressed on Spiritual religious
No. Relatives none Seventeen
years ago received an injury
on head Malady increasing
Has threatened Suicide his
throat + has been kept
neck Head bled Leech or
Seton in neck Never in
an Asylum

20 Got a Parliament & Q. Rx work
somewhat out Of Temper &
Back Has cut his hands been
left Uncare Cannot sweep back
stone that forced him to dash
Wounds dressed with Plaster
Has been somewhat restless
running about the ward and
annoying the other patients
by meddling with everything
Takes his food well Ordered
Rhubarb Pill Ol Ricini 3j

22 Has been so annoying
that for the last three nights
he has had to sleep in a Cell
Is seems rather quieter
today Hab Pulv Jalapae 3j

24 Rather quieter Repeat
Pulv Jalapae

27 Considerably quieter & now
sleeps in the Gallery Mows
well Cont

30 Conducting himself much
better & Answers tolerably
relevantly Quiet & cleanly
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1850
January 19. Since last report has gone on
very well. Returns with perfect
Answers rationally Cleanly in
habits. Conscious of his previous
state. Bodily functions natural
Resigned and willing to remain
in the asylum until his
dismissal shall be deemed
advisable by the medical officer
C. Murrin.

Feby 7 Has continued to convalesce
since last report and was
today discharged

Cured

Admitted Dec 15 1849

Wm Duncan

Brought today my blankets and rush mats ropes fishing gear no particulars When unbound found he could not muster a hook to his cast reel into the stand

Dec 22 Lay yesterday in a drowsy and taciturn state. Had a dose of castor oil which operated well Answers more readily today Takes his food with relish of moderate frequency

24 Conducting himself very quietly Answers tolerably readily & relevantly Reads his bible a good deal Bowels costive

27 Seems rather improving Answers more readily and more sensibly

30 Seems much better today his head was much confused yesterday Much study Takes his food well

1850

Jany 2 Behaves in every respect well Seems sometimes a little depressed Says that he had applied too closely to religious matters and the study of the Scriptures and thus unsettled his mind Answers questions readily and without betraying any delusion Has been troubled complaint Desires to get home to his business and to avoid as much as possible the stigma of having been insane. C. Cresson

" 8 Answers questions relevantly No delusions. His wife being anxious to remove him obtained the physician's consent thereto and he was this day discharged

Cured

Admitted Dec 20th 1849

John Auld by Wiener

Took ill about 2 years ago
+ has gradually become more
more & more ill since the 14
current when he was frightened
by drunk people breaking the
windows at night. Now declared
insane. Malady increasing
Cause said to be unknown
Friends people know him and
his present state. Has an im-
pulse injure those around
him for which he cannot
account. Not destructive
22 Head flustered at first
then quiet and peaceable
Rather depressed and taciturn
Takes his food well except
that he does not like and
does not take coffee. Bowels
easy. Rather pale but seems
in tolerable health
24 Much the same as at last
report
27 Rather more cheerful
conducts himself very
quietly seems rather tired
Takes his food well
Bowels easy
30 Much the same as at
last report

1880
Jany 19 Mind depressed and inactive
seldom seen to move about.
Holds his head usually depressed
seeming to notice or be interested
in nothing. Answers questions
slowly but correctly. Says that
can enjoy nothing that for
some time back he has been
unable to associate with any
one as was formerly his habit
cannot now enjoy company or
conversation. Cleanly in his
habits. Appetite good. Rather
sunken as to his appearance.
Had a dose of castor oil four days
since which operated. R. O.
Feby 18 Great dullness and mental
inactivity. Seems to take not
a little that passes and
constantly stands or sits with
his head much depressed
Answers questions slowly
and in a low tone. Health
pretty good. Bowels open.
C. Ormerod.

Admitted Dec 21 1846

March 9 No change was this day removed by his friends and dismissed

Relieved

John Adams 20
Lunacy

Brought from Dudley Asylum
Sedgley Gives no particulars

22 Conducts himself quietly answers questions tolerably correctly takes his food well Bowels regularly Has a pale lymphatic appearance

24 Rather stupid in demeanour but on the whole answers tolerably rationally Cleanly Takes his food well Habits Quiet

27 Continues to conduct himself quietly & well Shows insight into his address but no permanent delusion observed yet

30 Very anxious to get home to his employment & cannot imagine why he was sent here

1850
Jany 4 His housekeeper and young son called to day and state that he had been liable to occasional epileptic seizures during the last few months - was troubled with flatulence and swelling of legs on account of which he consulted a medical man who prescribed medicine which made him see objects and caused noises in his head - but he followed his employment until these works before his admission since when he began to say that his wife (who is dead) people and sometimes the devil were in the house - and during last his children were cooked and tried and wanted to eat out the coals by which they were burned - talked nonsense - was sleepless during the night - broke a door in his house - took his children into an inner room in order to see their mother whom he said was there - put out his housekeeper and was going to throw himself from the window. When questioned admits most of above facts - and accounts for them by admitting that he was confused in mind and fancied his children to be confined with cords which he always wanted to cut - fancied that the cords of the window were in some

Admitted Dec 21st 1869

Jan 5 way connected with the bridling of his children and wished to cut them that they might be free. Disclaims having entertained any intention of injuring either himself or them. Behaves very well. Attentive to his appearance. Seems tolerably cheerful. Appetite Sleep and bowels natural. C. Cumenia.

" 19 Conducts himself with propriety. Answers rationally. Broaches no delusions. Attentive to his appearance. Bodily health pretty good. Bowels rather torpid. Requiring occasional doses of purgative medicine. C. Cumenia.

" 23 Had a severe convulsive attack attack during last night. Not seen by the attendant but reported by his fellow patients and his pillow was stained with saliva. Is not aware this morning of anything unusual having occurred. Bowels open. C.O.

" 25 Had other two severe epileptic attacks during yesterday and the previous day and this morning became so excited and restless that he had to be placed in seclusion. Will not remain in bed. Watches about naked. When his door is opened seems unable to speak. and utters incoherent exclamations. Takes no food. No stool. C.O.

" 27 Continues in the same state will not keep in bed. Stupid and incoherent. No appetite Bowels costive. Sumat Olei Ricini statim. C.O.

" 31 Quieter and now lies in bed, but very stupid. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Sumat Olei Ricini statim. C.O.

Feby 15 Quiet since last report and is now so well that he is out of seclusion. Answers questions rationally. Behaves well. Functions tolerably natural. C.O.

March 10 Has been quiet since last report. Health good. C. Cumenia.

" 18 Leave this day discharged

Relieved

John Inglis 47 M

Brought from Glasgow
with his hands tied to-
gether. No history given
26 Has been somewhat unruly
but is quieter today and
more sensible. Says he is
subject to fallen sick
ness. Bowels well ope-
ned by castor oil
28 Conducting himself very quiet
Talks sensibly. Takes his food
well. Bowels easy. Tongue
30 continues to conduct him-
self well in all respects.
Bowels easy

1850
May 2 Since last report has been very
quiet and rational in
conversation. Broaches no
delusion. A relative called
to day and stated that he
had been liable to epilepsy
for some years - that when he
took whiskey the fits did not
trouble him - that of late he
had been rather given to
intemperance and that this
was the sole cause of any
symptoms of insanity which
he had exhibited. Bodily
health good. Anxious to get
home to his business. Bowels
8 As at last report. Quiet orderly and
rational. Was seen this day removed
as

Cured?

Admitted Dec 24 1849

George Lawrence
Hotte Douglas 15/

A case of delerium Tremens should be sent to Portsmouth
28 Much affected with muscular tremor & was very restless during the night tossing about the bedclothes &c sees rats &c & catches at imaginary objects & persons getting Carb Ammon & Opium also Turkey cont
29 Slept some last night & pulse is better today cont am
30 Sumat spt Cloroph comp dua
30 Considerably more sensible today Rochelle salts & Spirits Aether Sweet strongly flavoured with Cayenne Effer cont alia
" 31 Not so well today. Shivers & vomits & cries his clothes will not remain in bed. Grasps about the floor and feels about the walls for imaginary objects. When spoken to desists from his occupation - gives a slight laugh and says he is much better - is in fact quite well but at all visits takes food and medicine readily and also has his whiskey of which he has eight ounces daily - R. Gum. Camphorae 3ij Potassii Opii gr xviii. Spiritus Vini g.s ad fiat julepi unciae duodecim dividendae in haustus xij. aequales. Sumat unum quoque sexta hora. Cetera ut antea Spiritus Hordei ad uncias octo

1860
Jany 1 Sleep restless and lies in bed dozing a little occasionally Considerable muscular tremor continues. Mind very confused Appetite tolerable good. Bowels open Sumat Opii gr iss. Camphorae gr x quaque tertia hora C.O. Alia.
" 2 Slept some last night and is much better today although hands are still very tremulous and look confused. Answers answerably. Returns quickly. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Sumat Spt. aeth. comp ℥ duplum. C. Omnia
" 4 Continues to improve although he looks is very confused and hands unsteady Bowels regular C. Omnia.

Admitted Dec 27 1849

January 10	Very much better. Answers questions correctly. No delusions. Quiet and orderly. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Omitted. Gt. Hordei et pulvis.
" 11	Mind calm and rational, muscles steady. Behaves well. Desires to get home and seems little interested by anything going on here. Slight ulceration of lip which is regularly touched with sulphate cupri and is healing. Sleeps and eats well. Bowels costive. Ismuth pil. Col. Co & Hyoscia
" 18	Pill operated well and has since been quiet orderly mode, rational. Bodily health now good. C. Omnia.
" 27	No delusions. Rational in behaviour and conversation. Attention to his appearance. Desires to get to his business declares that he has resolved never again to exceed the bounds of intemperance. Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia.
Feby 4	Has continued to convalesce. He was this day removed

Cured

Chas Jas Roberts
Queenstown

Brought from Irvine Schedule Lunes No particulars

29 Send to the Master of a coal vessel trading between Irvine & Dublin Quiet & rather depressed There is some discussion of a suicidal tendency Feeds his food Bowels act

30 Depressed and seems afraid of some impending calamity Last night was afraid to put off his clothes & required considerable persuasion

1860

Jany 6 Little inclined for conversation and seems very unsociable, evidently depressed. Often mutters and talking to himself. When with his vessel of late had always felt "quiet" indeed this had been the case ever since since he had engaged his present mate - heard voices of people speaking to him upon at night proceeding from all parts sometimes from above from below or from the sides of the vessel - could not understand, this unless as he suspected it proceeded from witchcraft employed by the mate - still hears these voices in the wind sometimes from the air sometimes from the walls &c - cannot tell what is said Behaves quietly. Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Otherwise.

" 10 Seems considerably depressed. Associates little with any one, and is interested in nothing but in which abstraction is absorbed in his own reflections. Behaves well and is quite inoffensive. Bodily health good. C.O.

" 18 Was this day removed by the desire of friends

Relieved

Admitted Dec 28 1849

Lanarkshire

Committed to this asylum on the warrant of the Sheriff granted at the instance of the procurator fiscal of the upper ward of Lanarkshire. On admission was quiet. Said that he was not insane but had been drinking - swallowed some brandy and laudanum and under its influence left his lodging and recollects something of ringing a bell and saying that he had been invited thither to dine - and of being taken by the police and confined in their office. Understands where he has since been - had been on a spree and was discharged on account of a fault. Seems in pretty good bodily health. No unusual tremor. Bowels regular - Ordinary diet and regimen.

" 3 Was quiet and slept well last night. Complains this morning of diarrhoea. Inunct pulv ipecacuanhae compositum. Sinetur lactis. Utatur linteis cutaneis.

" 4 Still complains of diarrhoea but less than yesterday. Ipecacuanha did not vomit. Obstipus has much diet. Answers questions rationally and correctly. Behaves well. Evacuations allowed and sanctioned. Is only sorry that the stigma of lunacy may attach to him from his present confinement and hopes it will be a warning to him not again to exceed the bounds of temperance. Appetite good. Sleeps well. C. O.

" 7 This was the day fixed for his examination by the Sheriff but the procurator fiscal having been informed of the nature of the case it will not take place. Behaves well and answers rationally. Allowed and sanctioned. Answers things of little moment. Was better but diarrhoea has slightly returned. Appetite good. C. O.

" 10 Has been complaining. Cheerful and rational. Attentive to his personal appearance. Very devoted. C. Omnia.

Admitted 2nd January 1850

Jan[y] 19	Behaves very well. Cheerful and social. Employs himself in reading and playing at draughts or whist with his fellow patients seems contented and not anxious to leave. Complains occasionally of pain bodily complaint C. O.
" 27	Continues rational in conversation and behaviour. Attentive to his appearance. Cheerful and contented. Bodily health good. C. Continue.
" 31	Mental health very good exhibits no symptoms of insanity. C. O.
Feb[y] 18	Continues to exhibit no symptoms of insanity. Bodily functions natural. C. O.
" 21	with consent of the Procurator Fiscal he was this day discharged.

Cured.

John Gore 61

January 8 was found harbouring in an outhouse in the parish of Kirkpatrick and the inspector sent him to the asylum. On admission was quiet. Stares vacantly around him. When questioned usually stares and makes no answer or utters a few irrelevant words. Seems in good bodily health. Ordinary diet and regimen.

" 11 Since admission quiet. Mind seems very weak. Answers few questions and only repulsively. Not employed. Eats his food at night. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Morrison

" 13 Has been recognized as having been in this asylum some years since. Continues to eat his food in spite of every attention. Pupils examination seems suspicious. Mind very feeble. Knows about none. Health good. C. Morrison

" 14 Continues quiet. Cleanly during last two nights. Can tell almost nothing about himself unless to confirm what is said to him. When asked who his father is cannot tell but if asked whether his father be a minister says yes. Seems inoffensive and quiet. Functions natural. C. Morrison.

" 19 Eats his food regularly. No change in behaviour or in mental state. Not employed. Said to be addicted to masturbation but this has not been observed here. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.

" 21 On the 22 had an epileptic fit and on subsequent days three two. They were rather severe. No mental change observed except that he was in the intervals more unwell. To-day heard there is rapid success since and being stupid was sent to bed. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. O.

Feby 15 Seems since admission to have exhibited no mental affection beyond a slight degree of restlessness and a permanent and great weakness and inactivity of mind. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.

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Admitted 9th Jan.y 1850

March 10	A case of dementia with epilepsy very quiet and manageable. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Cont. Omnia.
April 10	No change of importance since last report. C. Omnia.
May 10	No change. C. Omnia
" 31	Mind very weak. Talks frequent. Quiet and inoffensive. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia
June 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. A case of epileptic dementia. Mind very feeble. C. Omnia.
July 15	Much the same, C. Omnia.
Aug 15	No change. C. Omnia
Sept 15	No change. Cont. Omnia.
Oct. 15	Mind so very weak that he can answer no question relevantly. Appetite good Bowels regular. C. Omnia
" 25	Discharged

Relieved

Archibald Reid Ct 36
Prin. Ph. Glasg.

Was born several times in this asylum before – at present has been ill about three weeks – is of intemperate habits – was depressed before actual attack has no bodily disease – his mother was insane – no cause known has been violent and destructive struck his wife and family and attempted to injure himself by knocking his head against the wall. was brought round with handcuffs. When they were removed behaved quietly. Answered some questions relevantly and calmly although his mind is confused and speech hesitating. Head has been shaved. Pale but seems in moderate health. Seclusion Ordinary diet. P. — Feby
" 11 Continues quiet and lies in bed. Confused and hesitating in speech. but answers pretty relevantly. Broaches no delusion. Appetite pretty good No stool. Sumat purg. purg statim. C. O. — June
" 18 Continues quiet and now answers promptly and correctly Bowels being before in the asylum. Appetite good. Medicine acted freely. C. O. — July Aug Sept Oct.
" 17 Has been out of seclusion during the last two days and behaves well. Seems dull and depressed Associates little with his fellow patients. Seems little desirous of being communicative. Cleanly in appearance. Bowels costive Sumat statim pil Col. Co ℔ij. C. O. — Nov Dec
" 19 very quiet and peaceable. Perhaps the appearance of reserve and depression may be natural to him. Attentive to his appearance. Answers relevantly. Appetite slp and bowels natural. C. Omnia — 1851 Jan
" 27 mind confused and weak but this may be in part natural. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Behaves well. Bodily functions natural C. Omnia
Feby 7 Continues to improve. Behaves very well. Answers questions relevantly betraying slight weakness but broaching no delusions C.

Admitted 10th Jany 1850

Feby 15	very well behaved. Cheerful and seeming by contented mind seems a little confused and weak which may in some measure be habitual. Bodily health good. C. Ormerod.
March 10	Behaving well being quiet and cheerful. Bodily functions natural. C. Ormerod.
April 10	In all respects as before. Childish in conversation Bodily functions natural. Cert. Ormerod.
May 10	Mind weak and confused. seldom usefully employed. sometimes forward and rude Careless of his appearance seems cheerful and content. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod.
" 30	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weakish. Behaves pretty well. C.O.
June 15	Requires an occasional dose of salts. Broaches no delusions Bodily health good C. Ormerod.
July 15	Much the same. C. Ormerod.
Aug 15	No change. C. Ormerod.
Septr 15	As before. C. Ormerod.
Oct. 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Assists in N. 1 gallery and behaves pretty well. C. Ormerod.
Nov 15	Bodily health excellent - mind continues weak and confused. Assists in the gallery. Seems quite contented. C. Ormerod -
Dec 15	Much the same. C. Ormerod.
" 31	Has improved since last report Answers questions rationally - No delusions Industrious and well behaved. General health good. C. Ormerod
1851	
Jan 6	His wife and friends contrary to advice this day prematurely removed him

Cured.

James Robertson Æt 66
P.B. 18 Glasgow

Has been partially insane on one or two previous occasions. Present attack began six weeks since he is liable to one overflow of blood to the head - his brother and a nephew were ins. and - has been mischievous and destructive, having broken some glass and windows that he has made discoveries by which he is able to raise immense weights - sent before in any asylum was very restless impatient talkative and rambling when admitted but not violent - said that he had made great discoveries which would enable him to acquire immense sums of money and that he could realize the idea of Archimedes and raise the globe from its position. - very talkative and restless. Still bedrid and stout. Seems free from disease. Number of offspring having been performed on each. Pulse 96 pretty firm - tongue pulp. prog. status. Seclusion.

" 18 Continues noisy restless & talkative Quite abusive and hostile in the disorganization of his mental powers and habits. Tears his clothes. Sometimes struggles with the attendants to get out of his room. Medicines acted well. Almost no appetite - C. Ozonic

" 18 Continues restless talkative and destructive to his clothing. Had a bad restless night almost no appetite for food Sometimes quiet and can answer a question sensibly but always very rambling. Tongue Heart. Auscultation. Urine Ozonic. C.

" 17 He improvement wears a strong excited dress. Takes almost no food. When the attendant approaches him seems afraid and shouts "are you going to kill me" Bowels costive and had a dose of Castor oil this morning from which he has had one stool. C. O.

" 19 Quieter but still talkative and rambling. Takes little food. Bowels open. C. Ozonic

" 20 Much better. Quiet and steady Answers questions relevantly Appetite good. C. Ozonic

Admitted 11th January 1850

Jan'y	18	Answers questions rationally has delusions. Out of seclusion and behaves very well. Cheerful and contented. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.O.
"	27	Behaves in all respects well. Attentive to his appearance. Cheerful and rational. Hardly sensible his mind natural. C.O.
Feby	18	Behaves in every respect with propriety. Rational in conversation. Has delusions. Amuses himself with reading walking and corridor. Desires to get home. C.O.
"	23	Having continued to convalesce. His relatives determined this day to remove him.

Cured

James Gilbert Ct 30. Labourer.
28 p.l. Devon Tillerwood.

January Became insane three years ago and was confined in this asylum twelve months. At present he has been insane about a year - would be intemperate if he had means a grandfather once a brother was insane - not intemperate of late - no cause known - has threatened to drown himself has been occasionally violent and imagines that people throw charms upon him. On admission was quiet sleepless and answered fully correctly. Appears to be in good bodily health. Ordinary diet.

" 16 was quiet and slept well this night last night. Seems today contented and cheerful. Answers questions rationally. Breaches no delusions. Cleanly in appearance. Appetite good.

" 17 Said to have had bowels last night and this morning Quiet and cheerful. Appetite good. C. Oxenia.

" 18 No bowel complaint. Is not sure that it was not through witchcraft that he became ill at first. Mind weak. Bodily health good. C. Oxenia.

" 21 Complained of colic and toothache and had castor oil with tinct of rhubarb with ruby. Mind seems weak. Answers rationally Contented and good demeanour. Appetite good. C.O.

" 24 Appetite very good. Complains of nothing. Tongue foul Bowels open. Delusions gently Lunacy Rules. Special yr XV statim C.O.

" 27 Employed assisting in the work House. Quiet and cheerful Mind weak. Bowels regular C. Oxenia.

Feb 4 18 Breaches no delusions unless it be one that he believes witchcraft had something to do with his first attack. Industrious and cleanly Bodily health good C. Oxenia.

March 10 Somewhat unruly of late. Steals the food belonging to other patients Health good. C. Oxenia.

April 10 Delusions somewhat better. Mind feeble C. Oxenia.

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Admitted 15th Jany 1850

May 10 Bodily health good. At present quiet. Mind weak. C. Omnia.
" 31 Much the same. C. Omnia
June 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak. Behaves quietly. Broods no delusions. Cleanly in his habits. C. Omnia.
July 15 Much the same. C. Omnia.
Aug 15 No change. C. Omnia
Sept 15 No change. Cont. Omnia.
Oct. 15 Has been very quiet of late and is occasionally employed. Bodily health good. C. Omnia.
Nov 15 Has been over assorting in the Court House occasionally. Mind remains in the same weak state. Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia.
Dec 15 Has been visited and in seclusion since last report. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Omnia.
1851
Jan 15 Mind weak and memory defective. Behaves well at present. Cleanly in habits. Not usefully employed. Health good. C. Omnia.
Feb 15 Quiet and working a little since last report. Health good. C. Omnia.
Mar 15 Quarrelled and fought with a fellow patient receiving and bestowing several blows. Complains of pain in side but there is no fracture or ecchymosis. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Olei Ricini ad ℥j: Seclusio. C. Omn.
April 15 No change of importance since last report. C. Omnia
May 15 Much the same. C. Omnia.
June 15 Having been unruly and quarrelsome he has been in seclusion for about a week past. Being quiet he is to-day at liberty. Health good. C. Omn.
July 15 Tolerably quiet since last report C. Omnia.
Aug 15 Having become unruly is at present in confinement. Appetite good. Bowels confined. Sumat pulv purg stat. C. Omnia
Sept 15 At liberty. No other change. C. Omn.
Oct 14 Transferred to Ireland by the parochial authorities

Relieved

John Stewart Ct 46
P. of Campbellton

Janry	No previous history but that he had been formerly in this asylum and discharged cured was received on admission was restless noisy talkative and incoherent but in good health and sufficiently clothes and body very dirty & extremely deaf so that he can be made to understand chiefly by signs. Tongue furred white moist Pulse 84 full soft and regular. Sent at 8 to Infirmary pursuant on Schedule ordinary diet.	Feby
" 16	Noisy talkative and incoherent when asked by signs shows his tongue very restless and movable. Seems to hear almost none. Appetite small. C. O.	"
" 17	Continues noisy restless talkative and incoherent Hot Distraction Powder having had no effect had an ounce of Castor oil this morning which has operated freely was his chamber pot. Appetite better to day. C. O.	Apl May
" 18	No change. Lies in bed but talks almost constantly and when his door is opened becomes restless. Appetite better. Bowels open. Same medicine. C. Mixture.	"
" 19	Talkative and incoherent but lies in bed and sleeps at times takes very little food. Bowels open. Habeat sub eadi bacini & indies limat bini Pilul mecias duas gutta C. O. A.	Same
" 22	Talkative incoherent and noisy very feeble. Pulse weak. Appetite variable but usually takes his meals. Bowels confined. Injection statim Enema domestic. Limat semi unciam Decocti Ol: Semin: Lini bis die C. O. A.	July Aug
" 24	Little change. Restless incoherent talkative and destructive Bowels costive. Limat statim Ol: Ricini unciam. C. O.	
" 27	Talkative incoherent and destructive. Usually found lying on the floor or at work among the straw. Appetite pretty good. Drinks till & water. Bowels open C. Continue	

Admitted 15th Jany 1850

Feby 1	Pretty quiet since last report but more from bodily weakness than any mental improvement. Mind quite incoherent & inclined apt to become violent. Pulse feeble. Bowels costive. Inunct Olei Ricini 3ij Haustus C.O.C.
" 18	Continues talkative incoherent and destructive. Filthy in his habits. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open from frequent enemata. C. Ammonia.
March 10	Has so far improved since last report that he is now cleanly less noisy and takes care of his clothes. At liberty and sleeps among st the other patients. Still retains talkative and incoherent. Thin and weak. Takes his food well. Bowels kept open by enemata. C. Ammonia.
April 10	Cleanly and takes care of his clothes. Less settled and incoherent. Appetite good. Much improved in strength. Bowels open. Takes Cuf tea daily C. Ammonia.
May 10	Cleanly and quiet though still incoherent. Less talkative. On the whole slowly improving in mind. Bodily health much better C. Ammonia.
" 31	Much the same. C.O.
June 15	Much improved in every respect. Quiet and not talkative. Takes care of his clothes. So deaf that no conversation can be had with him. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ammonia.
July 15	Continues to improve. Behaves well. Answers relevant and correct. Bodily functions natural. C.O.
Aug 6	Answers relevant. Quiet and industrious. Much improved in bodily health. Goes this day discharged

Cured.

Alexander Orr Æt 26 Pleur Pn. Ch.
A. P. P.

Sept. 5 — Has been insane during six weeks two and a half years since but kept at home — at present has been ill since the 11th instant — labours under no bodily disease — has no relatives insane — the only known cause was a quarrel with his master — has broken some furniture but suicidal. On admission was confined by cuffs and belts which were removed. Very restless talkative and incoherent. Can answer few questions. Pulse and very thin. Pulse 84 feeble. Tongue furred white moist — deglutition. Sumat Olei Ricini ℥ss statim.

" 18 Noisy restless and incoherent will not lie in bed. Has taken almost no food to-day. Incoherent at first. Evidently very weak. Sumat Haust Ammon Sesquicarb. c. Ol. Ricini. P. O.

" 19 Continues restless noisy and incoherent. Skeletal in gait. Bowels were loose yesterday and continue so to-day. Evidently much sleep daily. R. Tinctura Opii ℥ij Tinctura Catechu ℥ij Haust Cretæ ℥ij Sumat scabbare mane nunc et quotidie. P. Omnia.

" 22 Continues noisy and incoherent but not so restless as before. Tears his dress. Sometimes answers any question sensibly. Appetite rather variable but on the whole pretty good. Bowels costive. Sumat Olei Ricini unciam statim P.O.

" 27 Still noisy and incoherent but less so than before. Destructive to his bedding and clothes — Appetite good. Bowels open. P.O.

Feby 7 Remarks quieter since last report so that he is nearly out of seclusion. Mind still incoherent. Appetite good. Bowels open P.O.

" 18 Having become again noisy and restless has been confined for the last three or four days very incoherent and not talkative. Tears his bedclothing about his person. Appetite pretty good. Pulse feeble. Sumat Olei Ricini ℥iv quotidie. P. O.

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March 10	Noisy destructive and incoherent. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Omnia.
April 10	Continues restless destructive noisy and incoherent. Sleeps in seclusion. Takes beef tea and sleep daily. Urine has been omitted for some time. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.
May 10	Still restless and talkative but not noisy nor destructive. Answers some questions correctly. On the whole considerably improved. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.
" 31	Much better. He is now quiet. Answers correctly. Takes care of his clothes. Health good. C. Omnia.
June 15	During the last four days has complained of diarrhoea and had rhubarb with milk diet. Now it seems gone. Behaves quietly. Answers relevant. Appetite moderate. C. Omnia.
July 15	Behaves well. Answers relevant. Cleanly and industrious. Bodily health good. Convalescent. C. O.
Augt 1	Was this day removed by the inspector of Houston Lunatic to which he had been transferred.

Cured.

Archibald Isley to Ct 26. Shoemaker S.
Rothsay P.

Nov 7 This is a first attack which came on about five weeks since - It was preceded by occasional mental depressions - Of regular habits - addicted to no vice - No relations insane some unknown - sometimes visit expressly towards his relations - Fancied that he was alluded to from the pulpit and spoken of in the newspapers has threatened suicide - Rushed at and threatened his relations Has had leeches to head - which were Mar
also shaved and blistered - and had tartar emetic and other purgatives without permanent Opn
benefit. On admission was quiet answered questions 4
rationally - broached no delusion admits that he was wrong but is now quite well - denies that he ever entertained a serious intent of injuring himself - admits that in a hasty moment he did threaten to kill himself. Hopes that he has not become a prisoner for life. Has some bodily complaint. Tongue clean and moist. Bowels open Ordinary diet.

" 16 Was quiet and slept during the night Ct. Looks dull and depressed. Answers rational. No delusions Attention to his appearance. Appetite moderate Bowels rather costive. Sumat Ohi Rosini 3j statim. C.O. Mar

" 17 Behaves well. Complains of nothing but seems considerably depressed. Cleanly in habits and appearance. Medicine operated. C. O.

Nov 18 Behaves well. Answers rationally. Seems pretty contented Broad shoulders no delusions Cleanly in appearance Bodily health good. C.O.

" 18 Says that he thought and still thinks that he and his family were alluded to in the London Journals and that remarks from the pulpit were addressed to him. Before leaving him was weak in every way as if they wished to make him nervous. Says that one Sunday was the only person going to chur

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at the ringing of the bells—a thing he never before knew—and on going into the church found only some half dozen assembled whom he supposed to look and laugh at him. Does not seem jealous that he sees references in the papers to himself or remarks applied to him in the sermons of our chaplains whom he regularly attends. Bodily health good. C. O.

March 10 Behaves in all respects well. Bodily functions natural. Court Omnia.

April 10 No change of any consequence since last report. C. Omnia

" 30 Much improved. Behaves in every respect well. Believes that he was incorrect in supposing that people looked and laughed at him that he was referred to in the newspapers and that he was alluded to from the pulpit. Anxious to get out and thinks he will now be able to conduct himself properly Health very good. C. O.

May 2 Was this day removed by his brother and discharged

Cured

John Morrison Æt 35. Boy Maker
D.N.

Brought from Glasgow. Was discharged from this asylum much better on 22nd October last year — No history of his progress when not received. On admission very dull and depressed. Answered questions in a low tone of voice but relevantly. Said that his chief complaint was a looseness of spirits and depression which had led him to cut his throat — had wounded and laid open his windpipe. cannot tell when. On opening into larynx with incision immediately above superior edge of thyroid cartilage in the thyrohyoid space of about ¼ inch diameter. The edges of which are raw and granulating although edge pale dense and hard — so much so that a fistulous opening will remain. Appetite good. Bowels open — Ordinary diet. Watch carefully.

" 25 Was quiet and slept some last night. Much depressed speaking in a very low tone of voice — Answers questions relevantly Bowels costive. Wound of throat dressed with adhesive plaster; Sumat Ol: Ricini mxxxvi. C.O.

" 26 Rather restless last night — dull and depressed. Appetite moderately good. Medicine acted Habeat Solutionis Acetatis Ammoniæ guttas viginti quinque. omni tertia hora donec. C.O.

" 27 Continues very low spirited but seems more active and moves about more. Answers questions relevantly. Appetite pretty good. Bowels confined. Sumat Massa Pilulæ Colocynthidis Compositæ grana decem statim. C.O.

Feby 15 Since last report has improved a little occasionally exercises fistulous opening in larynx continues and gives the ordinary state of the integument complete closure by granulation will not take place. It is however touched daily with nitrate of argent. Employed daily more or less. Answers relevantly Appetite pretty good. Attention to his personal appearance. C. Ordinia.

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March 10	Caustic having failed to effect closure of the tracheal fistula a flap of skin was raised from neck below opening turned up over it and secured by stitches some sloughing of edges of flap occurred and opening is again left patent. Much depressed in mind. Is afraid that he is bringing trouble upon the other patients' fears that his neck will never get well. Appetite pretty good Bowels regular. C. Ormerod.
April 10	In all respects as formerly. C. Ormerod.
May 10	Opening has been several times touched with a heated wire and has in consequence now contracted to a mere point. Mind still desponding Answers most questions relevantly. Bowels require an occasional purgative Appetite good. C. Ormerod.
" 31	Aperture seems now quite closed. Seems to have also improved a little in mind being less depressed. Health moderately good. C. Ormerod
June 15	Answers questions relevantly. Broaches no delusions Cleanly in habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod.
July 15	Much the same. C.O.
Aug 15	No change. C. Ormerod
Septr 15	As before. C. Ormerod.
Oct. 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Seems dull and inactive. C. Ormerod.
Nov 15	Says that he sometimes feels pretty cheerful and contented at other times depressed and unhappy. At times still much depressed Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Broaches no delusions in conversation. C. Ormerod.
Dec 15 1851	Much the same. C. Ormerod.
Jan 15	No change. C. Ormerod.
Feb 15	Much the same as formerly C. Ormerod.
March 15	Much the same. C. Ormerod.
April 15	No change. C. Orm. May 15 No change C.O

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William M^c Ivor Ct 26
Gov. Ac. B

Jany 1 Brought from the parish workhouse this evening. Has been there for some months. No history of his illness was received except that he was occasionally violent. On admission was quiet. Answered questions relevantly and correctly. Said that his chief ailment lay in his head. Pupils dilated. No particular bodily complaint at present. Tongue pretty clean and moist. Bowels regular. Retaining diet.

" 13 Since admission has been quiet & ambulatory. Slow in speech, hesitating in all his motions. Answers slowly but relevantly. Cleanly at night. Broaches no delusions. Says that he has had weak and failing eyesight for some time. Appetite pretty good. Bowels costive. Sumat Sulph Zi Chi Compound. deathmanum. P. O.

" 15 Slow and deliberate in speech and all his motions. Answers relevant. No delusions. Behaves quietly. Appetite moderately good. Bowels confined. Capiat pulv Jalapae Comp. Zi statim.

" 27 Confined to bed yesterday from headach and had his neck rubbed with Castor oil liniment To day pain of head almost gone. Bowels confined. R Calom Pulv. Jalapa Comp Zi. Sumat statim

Feby 1 Behaves quietly and is cleanly in his habits Answers questions relevantly. Broaches no delusions Eyesight almost gone. Blindness was preceded by headache and came on gradually until now it is nearly complete. Can distinguish little more than light and shade. Pupils widely dilated even when exposed to a strong light — Bowels torpid. Appetite good C. Ol. Ricini.

" 18 Speaks in a slow somewhat drawling tone. Slow and deliberate in all his motions Behaves well. No delusions Appetite good Bowels open Cont. Ol. Ricini.

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March 10 It appears that a nurse of the present house is pregnant by patient Behaves well. No delusions Bodily health pretty good, except amaurosis. R. Amenia.

" 15 Leave This day discharged

Cured

Maurice Sissenheim 6/214
Private R. Glasgow. Hawker 107

Jan 7 was brought by his friends from Glasgow. Has for some time been liable to epileptic fits. On admission was restless and soon became excited as to require seclusion. He was born in Scotland but is a descendant from Polish Jews. Seems in moderate health. Ordinary diet.

" 26 In seclusion. Not noisy. When his door is opened makes efforts to get out declaring that there is no necessity for shutting him up. Appetite pretty good. Bowels confined. Sumat pulvereum purgantem statim. Cont Seclusio.

" 28 Lies quietly in bed. Answers questions pretty correctly. Mind seems rather weak. Medicine acted. Takes his food well. C. Omnia

" 31 Not observed to have had any fit since admission. Out of seclusion to day and behaves quietly. Mind weakish. Answers relevant. Appetite and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

Feby 3 Had two fits to day but not accompanied by excitement. Pupils dilate well. Natural. C. O.

" 15 Continues very quiet and well behaved. Answers quite pretty correctly. Mind weak. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.

March 10 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Since last report has been very quiet. Behaves well. Mind somewhat feeble. C. Omnia.

April 10 In every respect as before. Epileptic fits not very frequent. Mind weak. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

May 10 Mind feeble. Behaves pretty well. Fits occur occasionally often during the night but are unattended by excitement. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Omnia.

" 15 was found dead this morning on the floor. He was lying at the side of his bed his face in a small pool of blood.

Died.

Committed 15th June 1850

Dugald Mc Coll Ætat 36
B.P. Calico Printer Glasgow

July 1 Said to have been insane for about six weeks. States that his fellow workmen are combined against him. On admission was perfectly quiet. Stated that for some time past his fellow workmen had been jealous of his favour with their master and of his superior skill - which led them to spoil his work and in various ways used to drug his whiskey so that it made him quite mad, on other subjects seemed rational enough. Bodily health good. Bowels regular
" 30 Complains of having slept little last night. Balances well, Appetite good. Bowels open. Spiritus Hordei ℥ij. Tinctura Opii gtts xxx bora somni.
C. Ouvrier

July 7 Going on very well. Cheerful quiet and rational in conversation. Says that he had been drinking rather hard previous to admission Health good. C. O.
" 15 Very anxious to get home. Balances well. Still says that he was ill used by his fellow workmen who tried to injure him. Cleanly in his habits Bodily health good. Willing to employ himself. C. O.

March 10 Balances well being cleanly civil and industrious. Still believes that his fellow workmen tried to injure him in character employed daily at present in the wash House. Bodily functions natural. C. Ouvrier.

April 10 In all respects as before. C. Ouvrier.
" 15 Entertains the same belief that his fellow workmen tried to injure him. His friend being under the impression that he is well applied to the inspector who having given his sanction on condition that he would be taken to the country he was discharged prematurely as

Cured?

Admitted 29th January 1850

William Blair Ct 25
Sarg't R. Weaver

Jan 8 The cause of this mans insanity is said to have been a disappointment in love. He has attempted suicide. His address was quiet little disposed for much conversation - smiled occasionally with a look of depression and heartlessness. Seems in good bodily health. Tongue clean. " 31 was quiet during the night. Depressed and taciturn. Appetite not great. Bowels easy. Inunct Spec. cum axung. 3i Hora somni Sol. Acet. Morphiæ gtts xxx Ordinary diet and regimen.

Feby 7 Has been very well behaved since last report. In the schedule of admission it is stated that this a first attack commenced ten days since - was depressed before his father and a maternal uncle were insane - he sang danced and whistled - cut his throat with a knife - and he broke some panes of glass - mark of a superficial incision on neck. Appetite good. Looks in good health. Bowels free. C. O.

" 15 Continues much depressed sits or stands with his eyes fixed on the ground appears not observing any thing going on. When questioned as to the cause of this dullness gives no answer or only an evasive one. Broaches no delusions. Cleanly in habits. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open. C. O.

" 20 much improved though still dull and despondent. Converses occasionally smiles Health good. C. O.

" 28 still improves. Is more cheerful and active. Says he feels much better. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia.

March 10 Still a lingering melancholy about him. Answers rationally Health good. C. Omnia.

April 10 Employed occasionally in the grounds. Dull & listless at times but much more cheerful. Answers correct. Health good C. O.

Admitted 30th January 1850

April 18 Bodily health good. He is now tolerably cheerful and Breaches no delusions in conversation. Inquires to get to his work. Bowels open. C. Curria

" 30 Continues rational in conduct and conversation and moderately cheerful. Was this day discharged

Cured.

James Baird Ct 48
B. C. Block Cutter.

Brought from the Barony workhouse. Said to have had 3 paralytic "shocks" one three years ago and a third within the last six weeks. Is reported to have been occasionally violent. On admission was a little restless and talkative. Boasted of his ability and dexterity in his trade declaring that he had often made as much as £10 per month. and said that he was as fit to do so as ever - hitherto awkward and unsteady from paralytic weakness of left extremities. Seems otherwise in moderately good health. - Tongue white moist. Bowels costive. Sumat Pulv. Purg. Statim. Ordinary diet and regimen.

Feby 1 was quiet and slept last night talks in the same style of his cleverness as a cutter. Appetite moderately good. Cleanly in his habits. Medicine did not act. Sumat Haust Mig. Statim. C. O.

" 15 Occasionally talkative and unsettled but for the most part behaves quietly. He seems quite inoffensive. Mind very weak. Believes himself clever at his trade and in good health. Speech somewhat affected being thick and somewhat indistinct. Gait unsteady. Appetite good. C. O.

" 28 Of late has been much more restless so much so that he runs and then requires a days seclusion. Considers himself as strong and fit for work his countenance expressing great imbecility and his extremely unsteady gait belying his assertions. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.

March 10 Occasionally so restless as to require seclusion. Mind very feeble. Appetite good. C. Omnia

April 10 very imbecile in body and mind but happily he is unconscious of either weakness talks in a silly manner. C.

Admitted 31st Jany 1850

May 10 About a fortnight ago fell down in a state of coma without convulsion. A blister was applied to the head and his bowels opened by injection. He gradually regained consciousness and in a few days could speak and shew his tongue. Since this attack his bowels have been wet at night. Small bed sores have appeared on back and at present are not advancing. Always in bed. Mind very weak. Takes his food. C. Mercurius.

" 12 Much weaker to day. Pulse very feeble. Extremities cold. Spasmodic rigidity of muscles of arms. Swallows readily. Bowels open pure aluma. Vini Rubri Zjss ter indies Cort. Cinnia.

" 14 Became rapidly weaker from last report until this day gradually sank and d

Died

Alexander Angus Ad 31. wt 4
Private. 107.

Feby 5 Admitted from Glasgow this day. Has been often before. His case here often is not known ill at present a "considerable" time - fond of tobacco and spirits - restless - afraid of being injured - at times mischievous or destructive (which?) was in the military hospital. On admission was pretty quiet but a little sullen and abrupt in his answers. Seems in good health. Ordinary diet and regimen. C.

" 8 Quiet since admission answers questions correctly and behaves pretty well. Asks for tobacco. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. O.

" 7 Continues tolerably well behaved. Answers seem correct enough. Bodily health good. C. Omnia.

" 15 Since last report has been quiet and orderly. Answers questions correctly. Broaches no delusions. Bodily functions natural. C. O.

" 28 Continues quiet and orderly answers correct and relevant. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Employs himself chiefly in walking and reading. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Omnia.

March 10 Bodily functions naturals tolerably rational in conversation. Behaves well. C. Omnia.

April 10 General health good. Behaves well. Answers correctly. Attentive to his personal appearance. Anxious to leave. C. Omnia.

May 9 Very well behaved and quite rational in conversation. Anxious to leave the asylum. Bodily health good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.

" 11 As at last report was this day discharged.

Cured

Examined 4th Feby 1850

John Fletcher Oct 1/40
Greenock. P.

Feby 9 Was brought from Greenock Gaol
Little information respecting
him was obtained. On
admission was confined
with handcuffs which was
immediately removed and he
remained quiet and tractable.
Answered questions abruptly
and was reserved in his
communications. Seems in good
health. Ordinary diet.
" 7 Continues reserved and abrupt
in manner. To-day refused to
take the medicine ordered from
the attendant said he would
take it himself but on getting
the cup dashed it to the ground
afterwards he struck the attendant
on the face. Appetite good
Bowels still costive. C. Ordered
" 11 Bowels well opened and
has since been quiet. Answers
pretty correctly. Takes his food
well. C. O
" 14 Out of seclusion since last
report. Behaves well. Cheerful
and contented. Answers
relevant. Bodily functions
natural. C. Ordered.
" 17 Behaves very quietly. Answers
questions relevantly. No
delusions. Cleanly in his
habits. Quite aware of his
situation. Bodily health
moderately good. C. Ordered.
" 28 Continues to convalesce. Answers
correctly. Cleanly cheerful
and attentive to his appearance
Bodily functions natural. C.O.
March 10 Mind calm and rational
Cheerful and contented. Health
good. C. Ordered.
April 10 Continues quiet and well
-behaved. Answers relevantly
Attentive to his appearance
Health good. C. Ordered.
May 10 Since last report has been
quiet well behaved and
rational. Cleanly and
attentive to his appearance
Bodily health good C. Ordered.
" 31 Struck the same. C.O
June 15 Behaves quietly. Answers
relevant and correct.
Cleanly in his habits
Appetite sleep and
bowels natural. C. Ordered

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Admitted 6th July 1850

July 15 Almost no change since last report. C. Ormerod.

Aug 15 No change. C. Ormerod

Sept 15 Has been much excited of late requiring seclusion Self willed and insolent. Bodily health good. C. Orm.

Oct. 15 Much quieter since last report. Answers relevantly. Behaves moderately well. Bodily health good. C. Ormerod.

Nov 14 Has been in seclusion for several days on account of violence and his noisy conduct. Mind confused. Somewhat talkative. Appetite good. Bowels regular — C. Ormerod.

Dec 15 Bodily health good. Answers relevant. Behaves in the whole well. C. Ormerod.

" 31 Since last report has been quiet and well behaved. Good humoured and orderly. Answers relevantly. No delusions in conversation. General health good. C. Ormerod

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Jan 3 Was this day by order of the Inspector of prem prematurely discharged

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Henry Cuthbert Scotland Ct 40
J.N Clerk.

Brought this day from Glasgow under the impression that he was to see the Sheriff. On admission was ordered to sit down at table and ordered the attendant to bring him articles of diet and drink as if in a hotel. Talked with great volubility and in a very rambling manner. Said that he had been living freely until within a few days and that he was to be married in a few days to a cousin of his own. After dinner he got hold of a bible and with a group of patients around him began to sing. Invited on getting out declaring that he came to see the Sheriff and no one had any authority for keeping him — It appears that he was several months in the West House last year having been discharged in August last and that he was first visited and then depressed — Slight muscular tremor. Bowels open from pills taken this morning. Seclusion ordinary diet.

" 8 Bustling and restless. Maintains that no one has a right to detain him and endeavours to get out when any door is open — Tremor not so evident — Bowels costive Appetite good. Sumat Alb Reini statim Haust. Anod. hora somni Spiritus Nervosi Fort guttis die

" 10 Appeals to the medical officer against the injustice of his confinement endeavours to get out of his room and demands his clothes. Speaks in a bold authoritative tone to the attendants and requires some firmness and a show of severity to keep him in order. Appetite good. Bowels open C.O

" 17 Bold and imperious in manner and language. Occasionally very loud and noisy. Seems to have a propensity to exaggeration

Admitted 7th July 1880.

This evening said that he had been writing many letters - that several vessels had arrived laden with iron grain &c his property and that his agents had realized many thousands pounds thereby - That he was a descendant of the Royal family of Bruce - That he was King of Scotland Duke of Richmond - Emperor of Russia &c. Appetite pretty good. Bowels regular. Circulation seems sometimes sluggishly impeded. C. O.

" 28 Continues noisy and irascible maintains that he is quite well and demands his clothes. Same tendency to exaggeration of every thing connected with himself says he is going to be examined immediately. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. O.

March 10 Full of delusions. declares that he is going to get the physicians banished for five years and fined £1500 for keeping him here. will create the medical officer a duke and bestow an adequate pension upon him. Noisy and irascible, Appetite good. Constantly asking for medicine. Bowels open from medicine. C. Mecrin.

April 10 Appetite good. Bowels open. Noisy and imperious at times at other times quiet and civil Full of elevated delusions C. Mecrin.

May 10 says he is the emperor of the world. declares he will pay of any attendant who may happen to offend him. Cleanly in his habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Somewhat imperious but on the whole very quiet Bowels open C. Mecrin

" 31 Much the same. C. Mecrin

June 15 During the last few days has had diarrhoea and has been taking chalk mixture and occasional dose of rhubarb with milk diet. No change in mind. C. Mecrin

July 15 Health now good. C. Mecrin.

William Say Cer 36 Farm Servant
Private 107 Surg C

Feby — Is said to have been before of his insane at present has been ill for some months - is naturally quiet and inoffensive - no children - has 3 relations insane and 8 intemperate - disease hereditary - he is getting more than remissions - no delusions but incoherent - threatened to strike - and was before in this Asylum was discharged cured and remained well for some years. when brought was under restraint. was restless not violent - good natured and talked in a low voice incoherent and laughed. seems in good health. Have robust and well proportioned. Sensat. Status pulveream pregnant. Seclusion. Ordinary diet.

" 11 Continues in seclusion throws off and tears his dress. Restless - laughs and talks in a quiet voice incoherently. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open. C.O

" 14 Continues much as before throws off his clothes and would go about quite naked. Good humoured and not at all violent. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Sensat Obt. Nothing status. C.O.

" 18 Smiths and his mare in bed. Now and then answers a question correctly but usually he is incoherent. Quite good natured and laughs. C.O.

" 20 much better. Answers relevant. Behaves quietly. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.O.

" 28 Continues to convalesce - Cheerful cleanly quiet and free from delusions. General health good. Bowels regular C.O.

March 4 Yesterday became restless suspicious and assumed theatrical attitudes incoherent in his answers. Sees his bedding about. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Sensat pulv. pregn. status. C.O.

Admitted 9th Feb 1850

March 10	Continues incoherent restless and noisy. Appetite good Bowels open from medicine C. Amentia.
April 10	Since last report has been almost uniformly noisy incoherent restless and in seclusion. Appetite slight and bowels natural. C. Amentia
May 10	Incoherent talkative and destructive to his dress but good humoured and not violent - Of late has vomited occasionally after meales and he is weaker than he was. Appetite pretty good. Bowels regular. C. Amentia.
" 31	with brief intervals of quietness has been noisy talkative and incoherent since last report. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Amentia
June 15	Continues incoherent noisy and in seclusion. Bowels require an occasional dose of Castor Oil to keep them soluble. Appetite good C. Amentia.
July 15	Some days that patient is quiet and rational but has always soon becomes again incoherent noisy talkative - Bodily functions natural. C. Amentia.
Aug 15	No change of consequence. C. Amentia
Sept. 15	Much excited and very restless of late. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Amentia.
Oct. 15	This patient is very variable. One day he is quiet and coherent and the next very restless and incoherent. At present passes most of his time in seclusion. Appetite good C. Amentia.
Nov 15	Much the same. Usually in seclusion - some days he is quiet and at liberty. Appetite good. Requires an occasional purgative. C. Amentia.
Dec 15	Continues in seclusion Restless and incoherent - Bowels require medicine often Appetite good C. Dec.
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Jan 15	No improvement C. Amentia Vide vol 18 page 142

Feby Brought from Glasgow by his brother. Has been several times before in this asylum. On admission was unsettled a little but behaves pretty well and answered questions correctly enough. Seems in good bodily health. Bowels open. C. O.

" 14 Has behaved very quietly and well since admission. Mind seems somewhat unsettled and confused. Appetite good. Sleeps well. Bowels somewhat costive. Sumat Pil Col. Co iij statim. C. O.

" 18 Has conducted himself well since last report. Amuses himself in playing at cards with his fellow patients. — Attentive to his appearance. Bodily functions natural. C. Omnia.

" 28 Conducts himself well. Attentive to his personal appearance. Answers relevant and correct. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. O.

March 10 Behaves well and exhibits little appearance of insanity. Bodily health excellent. C. Omnia.

April 10 Broke a pane of glass the other day unintentionally and said it was to encourage trade but afterwards said he was sorry for it. Behaves on the whole well. Answers most quietly & correctly. Bodily health good. C. O.

" 31 Since last report has conducted himself very well and been quite rational. Rarely speaks attention to his appearance. Seeming a little desirous to get home. Health quite good. C. Omnia.

May 8 Was this night removed by his brother and discharged.

Cured

38 Spirit drinker Admitted 19th Feby 1850

James Gemmell Ct 4.5 Ca
B. R.

Feby Brought from Glasgow. No history was received beyond that he was never before in any asylum and that he has been ill for the last six months. When visited was quiet - answered rationally said that he has been unable to work for a considerable time past in consequence of an injury to back received in carrying a great weight and that back was still weak. Seems in tolerable health. Bowels open. C.O.

" 13 Behaves quietly. Answers slowly and with hesitation but correctly. Ulceration of right heel and left great toe from travelling with tight shoes in cold weather. Cleanly in habits. Bowels open. C.O

" 16 Answers slowly and with hesitation. Conducts himself quietly. Ulcerations dressed with lint and poultices. Clean in habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C.O.

" 23 Somewhat restless especially at night when he gets up and tumbles and tosses every thing about the room. Mind very confused. Speech slow somewhat hesitating. Unsteady in his motions. Answers few questions correctly. Seems himself quite well. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C.O.

" 28 Is restless and mischievous as to require constant seclusion. Mind very confused. Laughs and says he is quite well. Tosses his clothes and bedding about and sits upon the floor. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C.O.

March 4 Quieter today but still restless and mischievous. Rambling in his language. Circulation slow and irregular. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.O.

" 10 Mischievous medium and destructive. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.

April 10 Almost constantly in seclusion since last report being restless and destructive. Appetite good.

Stokes Admitted 14 Feby 1850

May 10 Certificate the last three weeks has been much quieter and has not required seclusion. Mind weak. Speech lingering. Appetite good. Gait unsteady Bowels regular. C. Mania

" 31 Has continued quiet since last report. Speech lingering. Says he is very wealthy, very quiet. Cleanly at night. Gait somewhat unsteady. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Mania.

June 15 No material change since last report. C. Mania.

July 15 Much the same. C. Mania.

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

John Sclanders Ætat 60
weaver. R.C.

No information respecting this patient was received except that he had been intemperate until a month ago. On admission was very quiet. Answered questions very slowly but on the whole correctly. Watched no delusion. Pulse full and soft. Bowels confined. Sumat Olei Ricini ℥ij Statim. Habeat gutt: bis sunt Santonini. ℥ij. Ordinary diet. C.O.

" 21 Since admission has been quiet minded confused and dull. Answers always very slowly and often not at all. Considerable muscular debility. Refuses his food. Pulse weak. Bowels open. Habeat. Vini Rubri unciam quartam quotidie. C.O.

" 23 Mind dull confused and weak. Almost constantly has a bewildered expression of countenance. Is tardy and slow in muscular movements. Clearly at night Careless of his appearance. Still refuses his food. Bowels open. Sumat pulveris ipecacuanhæ ℈j Statim. Habeat Succi Bovini ℥j quotidie. Capiat Sulphatis Quiniæ grammum bis die. C.O.

" 28 Still does not take his food spontaneously but when it is put into his mouth he swallows it. Slow and tottering in his movements. Bowels regular. C.O.

March 4 Mind weak and confused. Slow in comprehending and in answering questions. Has to be looked to else he would not take his food. Went into the water closet to-day and stripped himself naked. Bowels open. C.O.

" 10 Still requires to be fed. Mind confused. Has a very bewildered look. Inert and inoffensive. Bowels open. C. Ouncia.

April 10 Mind feeble and confused. Talks in a very bewildered incoherent manner. Seems under some terror. Requires to be fed. Very emaciated. Bowels open. C. Ouncia

Committed 18th July 1850

May 10 Takes his first meals
Letter. Still very Thin. Mind
confused and weak.
With difficulty can collect
his thoughts to answer a
question correctly. Closely
at night. Careless of his
appearance. Not destructive
C. Certificate.

31 Much as at last report C.O.

June 15 Feet swell occasionally and
subside after rest in bed and
Compound Jalap or the use
of a diuretic. Mind weak.
Behaves quietly. Takes his
food freely. Bowels at
present open. C. Certificate.

July 18 Often expresses that all is
going wrong that all the
house will soon be in
flames &c. C. Certificate.

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved.

Archibald Campbell Ad 33
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Feby 15 Since last report has improved considerably though still thin and weak. Appetite good. Says that porridge and broth form his and he is allowed two pounds of bread daily which he has no difficulty in consuming. Answers questions rationally. Very quiet and steady. Bowels regular. C.O.

March 10 Continues to improve in flesh and strength. Answers most questions rationally broaching no delusions. Associates little with his fellow patients. Not at present employed. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. and T. Ameda.

April 8 Continues to improve. To day whilst employed in the ground contrived to escape.

This patient has been met with in Glasgow apparently quite well and earning a decent livelihood. He is therefore discharged from the books.

Cured

Admitted 19 October 1849

William Sterling 6121
of Craigie Carpenter

Brought from Craigie. Was in this asylum from an attack of intoxication from which he recovered and became ill some days since again. Said to be fond (With page 41) of making bargains. Behaved quietly and answered relevantly when admitted and worked for circumstances of his former confinement. Said that there was no need of sending him back to the asylum - that he was quite well. Seems in good health. Bowels regular. Ordinary diet.

" 16 Keeps in seclusion. C.O

" 23 Behaves well. Answers relevantly. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite good. C. O.

" 25 Conducting himself well. Answers questions sensibly, cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Appetite keep and bowels natural. C.O

" 27 Continues to behave well. Says that he was a little high-minded before admission and had been buying more wood than was necessary and that his friends interfered and sent him further. Bodily functions natural. C.O

March 4 Behaves well and strongly enquires to get home pretty contented. Answers questions relevantly. Broaches no delusions. Attentive to his personal appearance. Bodily health good. C. O.

" 10 Continues to behave very well. Attentive to his appearance. Bodily health good. C. Arnold.

" 11 As at last report. Continued to occupy himself in the garden to-day

Relieved

Committed 22 Feby 1850

William Ritchie Ætat 46 Single
9/4. Paisley. Farm Servant

Brought this day from Paisley
this is a third attack - was twice
before in this asylum - has been
at this time two weeks insane
no relations insane - no cause
known - getting worse not suicidal
nor vicious but destructive. On
admission was restless and
excited - mind confused - spoke
little and that incoherently. Seems
in good health. Ordinary diet
seclusion. Sumat. pulv. purg.
statim.

" 16 Medicine acted. Sits in bed
answers incoherently, but very
noisy. Appetite good. Bowels
regular. C.O

" 27 Still restless and incoherent
Careless in habits, not violent
or noisy. Will not keep on his
clothes. Sometimes seems
natural. C.O.

March 4 Better and less incoherent
mind slow and confused.
Pretty quiet. Appetite good.
Bowels regular. C.O.

" 10 Continues constantly in seclusion
Answers sometimes rationally
enough although mind is
still confused. Some smelling
and hallucinations of hearing
which is paralysed. Appetite
good. Bowels open from
medicine Cont. Exercise.

April 10 Since last report has been
in seclusion with the exception
of a few days at once, when he
was quiet though still incoherent
at present confused + restless
talkative and incoherent
songs and is greatly
humoured. Appetite good
Bowels confined. Sumat
Calomel Gambo gr v. Pulveris
Jalapae Comp. 3iss statim. C.O.

May 10 Occasionally so noisy and
unruly as to require seclusion
but on the whole is improved.
Mind very confused. Cheerful
and free from any unpleasant
Bodily functions natural
C. Omnia.

" 31 Still occasionally requires
seclusion. Bodily health good
C. Omnia

June 15 Quiet and orderly since
last report. C. Omnia.

Admitted 25 July 1850

July 15 Has improved very much during the last month in his habits. Behaves in all respects well. Cleanly and civil. Evinces no delusions in conversation. He is becoming anxious to get out of the asylum. Enjoys excellent general health. R. Ormrod

" 25 Was this day removed by his father.

Correct

John Bell Ct 49 Manitou
Gov. Au. P Farmer

No history was received except that he had been unfortunate in business and this had affected his mind. On admission behaved pretty quietly - said that he had had some "nervous" attacks but was quite sane. Seems in moderate bodily health. Bowels open. Voluntary dist. C.O.

" 27 Maintains that he came to the asylum day before yesterday. Anxious to get out - says he had a "nervous" attack before leaving home but that he is now quite well. Somewhat unsteady in his movements. Appetite good. Bowels free. C.O.

" 28 Unsteady on his legs. Very anxious to impress the medical officer that he is quite well. Says that the whole matter lay in a difference between him and the foreman of the work who was jealous of patient. Anxious to get home and do something to support his family a duty of which he is quite capable. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C.O.

March 4 Behaves very well. Civil and pretty rational. Answers questions correctly. Cleanly. Hung by somewhat untidy in his dress. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.O.

" 10 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Reveals no delusions. It seems that he had attempted to strangle himself before admission. Health good. Conduct unexceptionable.

" 20 Being free from delusion of a marked nature - cheerful and in good health he was this day discharged as

Cured.

Admitted 26 Feby 1850

Robert Paterson Ct 22

Town Proper.

This is a first attack - came on two months since - from anxiety amusement on want of work. no relatives insane - disease increasing - he is worse at night. many times than are sensible ideas against him - attempted to kill himself by cutting his throat with a razor. On admission was much depressed - and said that he was low spirited from want of work. Wound of throat dressed yesterday stitches not removed

" 25 says bowels are open. Breath foetid. Ordinary diet.

" 27 Wound examined to day. It is about 2 inches in length and situated above hyoid bone. Says he feels better to day. Difficulty in breathing from pain of throat. Breath foetid. Bowels unmoved. Sumat Alvi Purgi C.O.

" 28 Looks more alert and lively to day. Though much depressed Alvi operated freely. Appetite pretty good. Slept last night. C.O.

March 4 Quiet and depressed but rather more active. Wound dressed to day. It is deep and filled with coagula on right side. Lips much apart. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open. Wound brought as close as possible with plaster and bandage. but motions of neck tend to keep wound open. C.O.

" 10 Passed his neck would not heal and asked from the attendant the means to make away with himself. Very depressed. Wound dressed daily - is filling up and closing kindly. Appetite pretty good. Bowels natural. C. Cassia.

April 10 Appetite good. Neck now well. Less depression. Answers getting relevantly. Broaches no delusions. Bowels acting. Sumat Alvi Purgi mediam unam statim. C. Cassia.

May 10 Continues to improve. Bodily health good. C. Cassia

" 31 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Answers relevantly and behaves well. Steady and attentive to his personal appearance. Anxious to get home. C. Cassia.

Admitted 16 July 1850

	June 18	Answers correctly and behaves moderately well. Mind seems to be originally weak. Health good. C. Cumbria.
	July 15	Continues to improve Behaves well must, converses tolerably rationally Cleanly in habits must attention to his appearance Bodily health good. C.O.
	" 29	Was this day removed by the Assist Inspector for Lunn's Hospital to which parish he had been transferred.

Cured

3

George Ramsay no 6145. Farmer
Private 18/-

Being hit from behind. This is a first attack and came on a few days since - received a fall on forehead three weeks ago since which he has not been altogether well. occasionally dyspeptic - his father was insane for some time before his death - has a brother who is eccentric and by profession. On admission was found with cards. Behaved quietly. Spoke slowly and with hesitation. Seemed considerably & knocked about depressed. Bowels costive - Sumat. Ol. Ricini 3j Statim. Medicine

" 28 Quiet to day. Depressed. Answers slowly and reluctantly. Says he will not get well. Medicine operated seven times after being taken. Not much appetite. C.O.

March 3 Confined to bed. Complains of confusion of mind. Fears that he may injure others and that others may injure him. Complains of pain in bowels and on pressure of tenderness in the hypogastric region. Urine high coloured and deposits a white sediment. Bowels open. Stools almost natural in appearance. Skin hot and perspiring. Cheeks flushed. Pulse 96 full and soft. Heart. diaph. sabile.

" 6 Continued much as at last report until to day. Much better though weak and much depressed. Walked out to last Parade to which in consequence of his beard being shaved he was transferred.

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Admitted 27 Feb 1850

William Sidall Ct 37 30

J. N.

March — No history received. On admission was restless and incoherent. not violent talked volubly without any coherence. was placed in seclusion. Ordinary diet.

" 2 much quieter to day. Lies in bed. Coherent in his language. Answers some questions correctly Appetite bad. Skin and pale Bowels costive. Sumat. pilula colocynth chloridis comp ante j. statim. C. O.

" 3 Remains quiet in bed Answers many questions correctly. Says that some time ago he fancied that he had contracted the "back disorder" and that his wife and daughter gave him secretly bad medicine to the great injury of his health. would not take food for some time before leaving him because he suspected it to contain this medicine or rather poison. very pale and skin cool so weak that he became white and faintish whenhe attempted to rise and put on his clothes. Has no reason to suppose that he has got any poison in his food since he came hither. Appetite small Pills have not operated and bowels are still costive Sumat Hoc mat. Infusum statim C. O. C.

" 10 Still confined to bed. Complaining of weakness and faintness when he attempts to rise. despondency and fears he will not get better Says that he was very poor and could not get sufficient food before coming hither. Answers most questions rationally. Appetite pretty good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.

April 10 A few days since was detected making an attempt to strangle himself and has since been very restless and despondeing. Unwilling to take food. but does so when force is employed. Bowels open

Admitted 1st March 1850

April 31 Since last report has been very restless and despairing Constantly moaning very unwilling to take food does take very little by force and is consequently very much emaciated. Bowels open from enema. ~~Takes~~ Has whis key and beef Tea. P.O.

May 28 Since last report this man has been very noisy at night and restless. Eats very little. Getting excessively emaciated and feet and legs are edematous. Always moaning. Voice very weak. Cannot live very long. P. Omit.

" 29 Can with difficulty be got to swallow a morsel. Although he tosses from great weakness cannot be prevailed on to keep his bed. Emaciated to an extreme degree. Bowels kept open by injection. P. Omit

" 30 Continued much as before restless and refusing all nourishment until at an early hour this morning he

Died

Robert Smith Ad 57

18/

Brought from Glasgow this evening. Became insane about two years ago and although he has since been twice pretty well for some time yet he has not been altogether sane since. He was treated in this asylum also in a private asylum. At first he was depressed and now he is elevated - at first also he imagined himself in the greatest poverty and now that he is extremely wealthy - unusual in his conversation - bodily health good. No insane relations two brothers are intemperate. patient sober. The cause was considered to be some losses he sustained in his business disease increasing - fancies that he is doing a great business in every department of commerce tables of the millions of money he possesses - attacked and severely injured a gentleman and the Asst. four months ago he has been very destructive. On admission was restless and hurrying - abrupt in his answers and rambling. was placed in seclusion. Ordinary diet.

" 2 tolerably quiet and lies in bed. Abrupt and impatient in his manner of answering. Says that he is quite well. Appetite not very good. Bowels open. C.O

" 3 Has his blankets to shred last night. Quiet to-day. Appetite not great. Bowels open. C.O.

" 10 Since last report has torn every article of clothing with which he has been entrusted even a strong canvas dress Answers most questions correctly. Persists in saying that he destroys nothing Appetite good. Bowels open Cont. Seclusion.

April 10 Remains in seclusion. Tears his clothes. Says he is very wealthy. Searches the newspapers for sales and writes to purchase estates. Has published his claim and life till the article is abraided. Answers most questions rationally. Has an excuse for every fault. Bowels costive Ordered Pil. Col. Co 4th stroke Cl

Admitted 1st March 1830

April 81 Bodily health improved. Mind much as before. Not to be discontinue C. Quinia

May 81 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind occupied with notions of grandeur - says he visited and dined with the Queen when in London. C. Quinia

June 15 Considerably improved. He is somewhat unsteady in his gait but capable of great activity occasionally. Fond of playing draughts and whist. Boastful and self conceited. Health good. C. Quinia.

July 15 Conducting himself pretty well. Constantly on the alert for advertisements of horses & and property in the Times and other newspapers and writes notes addressed to the proprietors &c requesting that they may be examined for him and that he will insert the money. Says he has chemical works and merchandize with thousands of pounds. Very fond of draughts and cards and is not unwilling to take a secret advantage if he can. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Q.

July 24 Was this day transferred to the west House -

Vide Book Page.

John Hill Ct 40
S. N.

March Admitted from Glasgow this is a third attack during two former was confined in the Lenzie hospital - has been ill about six weeks - bodily health good - a maternal uncle was insane - took arsenic once - lately attempted to hang himself not violent nor destructive - On admission was confused in conversation but behaved quietly. Seems in good health. Bowels costive Sumat pulveram purgantem stat. Ordinary diet. C. O.

" 6 Since admission has behaved quietly and well answers questions rationally. Admits that he is intemperate and explains it by saying that he was often dull on account of family troubles and sometimes took a glass to raise his spirits. Cleanly in his habits Appetite good. Bowels open from medicine. C. Mixtura

" 8 Bodily functions natural. Mind seems a little weak but he converses rationally has no delusions says he is going to marry as soon as possible after he leaves this and would have been married before this time had he not been put into confinement. C. O

" 10 Anxious to know when he will be discharged. Continues quiet and well behaved He says his attempts at suicide were consequences of family disturbances Cheerful and genial Appetite Sleep and bowels natural. Cont. Mixtura.

April 10 Anxious to leave. Behaves well. No delusions or statement of depression. Health good C. Mixtura.

May 1 Was this day free from symptoms of insanity and in good health discharged

Cured

Admitted: 4th March 1850

Alexander Cumming Ct 28
Renfrew. P. W's.

March Brought from Renfrew this afternoon. This is a first attack came on about two years since, preceded by no bodily disease has been always depressed in spirits - no children - no relations known to have been insane disappointment in love is the only known cause - disease incurable. Rational on certain subjects imagines that he is oppressed by some vapour or fire damps - opens his clothes and takes off his shoes to let it fly from his skin this is the only reason he gives for not working - no suicidal threatens others - has burned some of his best clothes - refuses medicine On admission was quiet and reserved. Answered some questions correctly. Bowels costive. Seemed fair colour with complexion stature.

" 6 Behaves quietly. Somewhat reserved and does not converse but with restraint says he was annoyed with gases before admission. Seems in moderate health. Bowels open. C. Cumming

" 10 Conducts himself well cleanly in his habits and appearance. Answers some questions relevantly. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Cumming

April 10 Refuses to converse on the subject of his delusions or denies them. Speaks little Associates with no one. Not employed. Health seems good C. Cumming

" 31 Much the same. C. Cumming

June 15 Dull inactive and indifferent about every thing. Answers a few questions relevantly Seems quiet and inoffensive Cleanly in his habits — Health good. C. Cumming

July 15 No change. C. Cumming

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Cumming

Septr 15 No change. C. Cumming

Octr 15 Works daily and is very quiet. Answers questions on the whole relevantly. Broods no delusions. Cleanly in his habits. Employed daily. Bodily health good C. Cumming

28 Collier Admitted 4 March 1850

Nov 15 Bodily health good. Mental
unsoundness stationary. Remarks
no delusion. Cleanly in habits
works in the grounds. C. Mc.
Dec 15 Much the same. C. Cameron.
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Jan 15 Answers questions rationally
mind seems weakish - Seldom
speaks much. Repudiates the
delusion he entertained
works industriously in the
grounds. General health
good. C. Cameron -
" 28 Entertains great misconceptions
and civil. Was this day
removed by the Inspector

Cured

Dugald Mc Osborne Oct 20
Gov. Asy. P.

Brought from Glasgow this day. No history was received except that he was quiet and inoffensive and that his friends were afraid some harm might happen to him. His admission was very quiet. Head seems feeble — not very robust in conformation and he is thin and pale ordinary diet.

" 7 Has had one or two epileptic fits. Soiled his bed the first night but not last night. Appetite good. Bowels open C. Omnia.

" 10 Continues quiet. Cheerful at night. Fits seem to occur principally during the night. Mind dull and weak. Takes his food. Bowels open. C. Omnia.

April 10 Mind very feeble. Speaks little. Knows about almost none. Passes his urine in his bed and in his breeches — Eats well. Bowels open. C.O.

" 31 Much the same. C. Omnia

June 15 Mind very weak and fits frequent. Wets his bed and trousers. Can answer a few questions relevantly very inactive. Appetite good Bowels natural. C. Omnia.

July 15 Keeps himself dry at present during the day. Sometimes wets himself occasionally, and is cleanest but is now well. Appetite good Bowels open. C. Omnia

Aug 15 No change. C. Omnia

Sept 15 Became very stupid and torpid some days since. Had purgative — medicine and a blister to the nape of the neck — He is now well. C. Omnia

Oct. 15 Mind very dull and weak. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Omnia.

Nov 5 Discharged

Returned

Admitted 5th March 1830

William Stewart Ct 35
18/-

Brought from the Police Office Glasgow where he had been sent by his friends. About 10 months ago became silent and remained so for 2 months - at present he has been 14 days ill. Attack was preceded by dysentery of a weeks duration - at present has no bodily disease - The cause is intemperance - was formerly burned about the head two years ago - disease increasing very restless unsettled - inclined to wander about - is violent mischievous - steals - and has threatened to kill himself. His conduct has been reckless and absurd. has a brother who was intemperate but now sober. When visited was restless abrupt in manner and began protesting that he was not insane. Admitted he had been drinking. Some, muscular tremor. Mind confused. To keep in seclusion. Bowels open from medicine (calomel) administered previous to admission

" 8 Slept ill. Manner somewhat abrupt and restless. Unsettled. Answers pretty accurately. Some muscular tremor still. To have a pint of ale daily. Sumat Sinapisms epii gtts xxx to epistidin. C. Alexia

" 11 Slept better has tremor and restlessness. Answers relevant. Behaves pretty well. Appetite good. Bowels open. Omit spirits - C. Alexia. Alba.

" 16 Answers relevant and correct. Behaves well. Very anxious to get out of the asylum. Health on the whole good. Bowels costive. Sumat pil col comp 3ss statim. C. Alexia

" 25 Seems this day discharged as

Cured.

Admitted 7 March 1850

George Watson Ct 52
Boatman. Ber. Ou. P.

March 7 This day admitted from Glasgow accompanied by a son who gave the following information. This is a first attack - came on about eight days since - preceded by loss of memory and confusion of mind - steady sober and industrious has 2 children aged respectively 23 and 16 years - no relations insane, brother intemperate - losses in business were the cause - chief symptoms have been depression - suicidal tendency and delusion - latter and worst fancies the world is approaching its end - tried to swallow stones, corks and to drown himself in Clyde - was taken out of the water - On admission was very much depressed and so absorbed with his own feelings that he could answer almost no questions - Inspected and bewailed his unhappy state. Very emaciated and weak.

" 9 Very depressed. Extremely thin and weak. Bowels costive. Habeat Succi Bovini Oj et bini Pilul Zjss quotidie sumat Bss. Solutionis acetatis amphice omni mane hora sumend. Injiciatur Statim enema domesticum. C.O.

" 15 Refuses his food. Extremely weak. Confined to bed. Will scarcely speak. Has an enema occasionally. Bowels at present open. C. Olei ricini.

" 18 Much the same. Sometimes takes sometimes refuses his food. Moans almost unceasingly - Bowels costive. Sumat Olei Ricini ℥ss ℥j statim -

" 25 Since last report has taken food occasionally but little at a time. Bowels open - To day has vomited at every thing swallowed. Immediately very thin and weak. Evidently cannot live long. Applicetur Emplast Sinap. epigastrio Sumat Hydrarg gr i c Creta gr iij statim. C. Olei ricini

" 28 Emits almost any thing and apparently nearly the whole of it. Very emaciated and weak. Can speak only in a whisper. Bowels open. Pulse evanescent. Needs a blister to epigastrium. C. Olei

Admitted 8th March 1850

March 31 Continues to vomit every thing as soon as swallowed. Extremely weak. Bowels open. Feces aruma. Extremeties cold. Surfaces livid and blotched. C. O.

April 1 Continued from last report to death which this story be.

Died

Hugh W. Leod Ct. 19 Clerk
B. C.

This is a first attack and commenced 18 months since. At first he roared from work became restless and talked at night - then he became almost silent and spoke little for six months and in January last he became quite silent and has not been heard to speak since. A grand aunt by his fathers side was insane and a son of hers - he has not been violent - destructive nor shown any tendency to suicide. He admission understood what was said to him as he did as directed but could not be got to utter a word nor vary the expression of his countenance. Gazes somewhat vacantly on the face of any one speaking to him. His face is pale but he is free from any prominent bodily complaint. Ordinary diet

" 13 Spoke once - probably taken by surprise since admission. Walks about the airing ground and even takes the arm of one of the other patients but speaks none. Cleanly at wig Ct. Appetite good. Never smiles. Bowels open Cont. Anemia.

" 31 Smiles when spoken to but remains quite silent. Reads a good deal. Cleanly in habits. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Anemia.

April 30 Continues almost to return. Looks intelligent and he is moderately active. walking vacantly about when out of doors Bodily functions seem natural. C. Anemia.

May 31 Has sometimes but rarely spoken. Attentive to his appearance. walks about bareheaded and seems fond of standing bolt upright when he reads and often at the visit whilst every other is seated. Bodily health good C. Anemia

June 18 As taciturn as ever. Quiet and inoffensive in his conduct. Cleanly in habits Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Anemia.

Admitted 11 March 1850

July 18 Maintains the same obstinate silence. Behaves quietly - cleanly in habits. Health good. C. America

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved

John Walker Ol 23

B. O

March — This patient was insane and an inmate of this asylum in 1848-9- he has not been quite sane since- he is furious at his friends and those who sent him to the asylum before- no bodily disease no relations insane – cause said to be religious melancholy- disease increasing - he is inclined to be much in bed at times he starts in furious passion at his mother and sister supposing them to be conspiring against him- threatens often to strike them and occasionally does so. On admission was quiet and answered a few questions with seeming consciousness but was cautious and reserved. Seems in pretty good health. Robinson dist.

" 31 Has behaved very well since admission being quiet and orderly. Speaks little. Health good. C. Amenia.

April 30 Complains of explosions in his interior and thinks them induced by certain people whom however he cannot name nor can he explain by what means they effect them. Behaves well. Orderly at night. Health moderately good C. Amenia.

May 31 No change since last report. C. Amenia

June 15 Mind seems weakened perhaps permanently. Answers some few questions relevantly. Still persisted not with what he calls explosions in his insides. Behaves quietly Health moderately good C. Amenia.

July 15 Same notion of explosions taking place in his bowels Health good. C. Amenia.

Aug 28 Removed

Relieved.

Admitted 15th March 1850

Robert Reside 6/46
Dunlop. P. Sawyer

March Brought from Dunlop this morning. He was insane in the months of February and March last year - ill at present eight days. Depressed for 8 weeks previously - very religiously disposed when well - no bodily disease - has had eight children five of whom are alive eldest being 18 and youngest 5 years old - no relatives insane - religion is the sole cause - excitement and delusions - conversations says he has had a communication from a superior power to destroy himself family and friends - threatened to destroy himself and tried to strangle his keeper - would submit to no treatment - during his first attachment treated in this asylum On admission much depressed seems in tolerable bodily health. Sumat pulveres purgantes statim. C

" 21 Medicine not asked. Depressed and dull. Says he heard a voice from heaven telling him to destroy his family and others. Fears that his soul is lost. Sumat olei Ricini unciam statim C.O.

" 31 Somewhat less depressed, very well behaved. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.O.

April 18 Much improved. Answers questions rationally. Admits he was insane. and repudiates his former delusions. Says he is now quite thankful & Health good. C. Omnia.

" 30 Behaves very well. Answers rational to delusions Cheerful in habits. Attention to dress. Anxious to leave. Health good. C. Omnia

May 4 Leave this day discharged

Recd

Admitted 20 March

William Cosgrove 0125
J. H.

March Brought this day from Glasgow. Has been before in the asylum and discharged relieved. No history received. Was quiet on admission. Mind seems slow and weak. Laughed and could give no distinct account of himself since his dismissal. Appears to be in good bodily health. C.

" 21 Behaves quietly. Smiles weakly when spoken to and answers fully correctly. Mind seems weak. Appetite good. Bowels no delusions. Bowels costive ℞ Ol. Ricini ℥j Ol. Crotonis Deg. iii gtt. v. Aquæ Menthæ Pipentæ ℥ij Fiat Haustus statim sumendus C. O. A.

" 24 Has continued to behave quietly and well. Mind weak slow and inactive. Appetite good. Last draught operated well but bowels are again costive. Sumat Ol. Ricini ℥j statim. C. O. A.

" 28 As before in mind and conduct. Oil did not purge. Sumat Statim Haust Mig. ℥iv. C. O.

" 31 Mind weak. Quiet and good humoured. Inactive. Health good. Bowels well opened by draught. C. O.

April 31 Bowels torpid requiring medicine frequently - Quiet and well behaved, mind slow and weak. Orderly in his habits Health good. C. Oxonia.

May 31 Bowels acting more naturally. No change in mind. C. Oxonia

June 14 Mind very weak. Behaves quietly. Orderly in his habits. Appetite slept and bowels natural C. Oxonia.

July 15 Much the same. C. Oxonia

Aug 15 No change. C. Oxon.

Septr 15 As before. C. Oxon

" 18 Discharged.

Relieved.

Admitted 20 March 1850

James Powell Ætat 50

March Brought from Glasgow no history received. On admission restless noisy and incoherent. Tongue white Pulse 84 full and soft. Skin natural. State of bowels unknown. Ordinary diet seclusion.
℞ Pulveris Jalapæ Comp 3ii.
Calomelanos gr v
Pulveris Aromatici gr v
Fiat Pulvis statim sumendus.
C. O.

" 28 Has been in seclusion since admission. Sometimes quiet and answers sometimes restless and incoherent and again he will be quiet and taciturn. Indisposed noted. Appetite not great. Bowels again costive. Sumat Pulveris Jalapæ Comp 3ii.
C. O. A.

" 31 Quiet in bed and almost taciturn. Eats little food. Bowels costive. Sumat Pulveris Purgantis 3iss. statim.
C. Omnia

April 1 Takes almost nothing - Quiet and taciturn. Evidently very feeble. Habeat Sus bov oj et Vini Rubri 3ir quotidie
C. O. A.

" 8 Much better. Answers pretty sensibly though mind is still confused and is so quiet that he can be out of seclusion. Appetite now good. Bowels regular.
Omittatur Vin et Sus. C.O.A.

" 10 Answers now relevant no delusions. Will behaved, attentive to his personal appearance. Bodily health good. C. Omnia

" 30 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No excitement depression nor delusion. Anxious to leave. Behaves well. C. Omnia

May 1 Leave to day discharged

Cured

Admitted 22 March 1860

Robert McNaughton 6158
Rothsay Dr Lang 6

March Brought this forenoon from Rothsay. In the schedule are contained the following facts: has been insane from his infancy is vicious when irritated – he is an habitual swearer – labours under no bodily disease – a sister was insane – he is getting worse – violent when irritated – not mischievous nor destructive – never before in any asylum. On admission was talkative but quiet. Confused in conversation. Answers and smiles in a silly manner. Mind seems weak. Bodily health good. Ordinary diet and Regimen.

" 31 Laughs imbecilely when spoken to but answers most questions correctly. Boards no delusions Behaves very quietly. Bodily health good. C. Ommnia.

April 15 Conducts himself quietly and seems uniformly good natured. Cleanly in habits though untidy in his personal appearance. A case of congenital imbecility. Health very good. C. Omnia.

May 10 A case of dementia probably congenital Mind very weak. Cleanly in his habits. Bodily health good. C. Omnia

" 31 Much the same. C. Omnia

June 14 Very quiet and good humoured. Bodily health good. C. Omnia.

July 15 No change since admission Health good. C. Omnia.

Aug 15 Much as before. C. Omnia

Septr 15 Much the same. C. Omnia

Oct 15 Bodily health good. Mind weak. Answers most questions relevantly – Boards no delusions Employed at present in the grounds. C. Omnia.

Nov 15 Mind weak. Answers most questions relevantly. Cleanly in his habits. Works a little occasionally. Requires to get home. Bodily health good C. Omnia.

Dec 15 Continues pretty much as reported above. Appetite chief and bowels natural. C. Omn.

Admitted 26th March 1850

Dec 30	Must remains in the Lunatic Asylum weak state. Leave this day at the request of the Inspector of poor discharged

Relieved

Michael W Guinness Ward 18
B. P.

March	Arrived from Glasgow this day. No history was received. On admission was quiet and quite taciturn. Pale and feeble. Pulse 96 weak. Tongue foul. Bowels costive. Sumat Olei Ricini unciam statim.
" 27	Was quiet and slept last night. Not his bed. Neither smiles nor speaks when spoken to. Shows his tongue. Medicine acted freely. Takes his food. Sumat Olei Ricini oj quotidie. C. Ammonia.
" 28	Quite taciturn. Wet at night. Pale and weak. Pulse 96 and weak. Bowels open. Cont Sus. Habeat Olei Ricini oj quotidie. C. O. A.
" 29	Still wet at night. Never speaks. Eats fairly well. Bowels costive. Sumat Ol Ricini unciam unam statim. Tinctura nucis vom. Olei Cretonis hodie. C.O.
April 10	Better in so far that he does not wet his bed and speaks a little. Very inactive still. Pale and feeble. Bowels open. C. Ammonia
May 10	Much better. Answers fairly tidily. Mind more active. Very at night. Remarks no delusions. Complains of weakness. C. Ammonia.
" 31	Became rather duller more inactive and wet at night after last report and although again somewhat better his mind is still very weak and inactive. Had a blister to the nape of his neck. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Ammonia
June 14	Has continued to improve since last report. Clearly in his habits. Answers some questions relevantly. Very quiet and obedient. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Ammonia.
July 18	Not usefully employed but answers relevant and correct. Clearly in his habits. No delusions. Health good. C. Ammonia.

Admitted 26 March 1850

Aug 28 Removed.

Cured.

Daniel McArthur Æt 40

March Brought from Port Glasgow this afternoon. No history was obtained beyond that he had been ill before "monomania" and in Killearn Asylum. and that he had been threatening his family. On admission was quiet and answered relevantly. seemed depressed apparently in moderately good health. Bowels costive. R. Pulv. Jalapae Comp 3ii Calomel 3ss Pulveris Aromat 3ss M. et Pulv. Statim. Ter. quotidie C. Omnia

" 29 Quiet and well behaved. Answers relevant and correct. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance. Bodily functions natural. Asks for tobacco to the use of which he has been accustomed. C. Omnia.

" 31 Behaves well. Seems depressed Appetite & sleep good bowels natural. C. Omnia.

April 18 Broaches no delusions Denies having threatened any one - that he was going on well at home and knows of nothing likely to appear in answer in his conduct or language. Health good C. Omnia.

" 30 Broaches no delusions Behaves in every respect well. Health good C. O.

May 31 Having gone on well since last visit and exhibiting no remarkable symptoms of insanity he was in good health this day discharged

Cured

Admitted 27th March 1850

Andrew Miller Ad 55
B. C.

March Brought from Glasgow was insane - has been so since 6th November last it was preceded by paralysis and [illegible] of spirits - he has been a sober man - he is very irritable - no notation insane - bodily weakness paralysis is said very likely to be considered to have been the causes - cannot sleep - very restless generally - disease increasing - says he feels an impulse to lay violent hands on those around him especially his children - swears before us any day here. Be admissions very quiet. very feeble especially on right side of body. Mind seems weak. Tongue foul Bowels costive. Sumat Ol Ricini mistum statim

" 31 but occasionally at night Speech. slow and indistinct Careless of his appearance Appetite moderate. Medicine operated. Ordinary diet. C.

April 30 very restless Cant feeble and tottering. wets almost every night. Mind very feeble and slow. Appetite moderate Bowels open. C Omnia.

May 18 A few days since became comatose and remains so. Is quite insensible. Respiration laborious and the respiration puffed through the lips Swallows with difficulty Bowels open from injection Had a blister to head Sumat Bovini oj quotidie

" 20 Has consciousness but is utterly helpless and weak. Respiration of the same character Swallows with difficulty - Cannot speak distinctly - Pulse very weak. Extremities cold. Cannot live long. Sumat Ricini 3iv quotidie. C.O.C.

" 28 Evidently sinking. Extremities cold. Quite unconscious Respiration laborious. Swallows with difficulty. C. C.

" 29 This day he

Died.

Admitted 29 March 1850

William Jeffray Oct 87
Cumrock R

April Brought this day from Cumrock. It is said that this is a second attack - but the time and nature of the first attack is unknown - has been five weeks insane, - has two children aged about 6 and 4 years respectively. no relations insane and the permanent symptom has been depression. On admission was much depressed and could hardly be got to speak. very pale and thin. tongue furred moist state of bowels unknown.

" 6 Quiet during the day - Great depressed. Indifferent about his food. Sumat Statim Pu Specacuanha gr xxv. C. Opii

" 8 Bowels open Refuses his food. very thin and weak. Speaks little. Sumat statim Specacuan 3ss. C.O.

" 10 Takes very little food and only when a degree of force is employed. very weak. will not speak. Bowels open. C. Opii

" 11 No improvement. Vacatur capiat et applicetur Emplast Lyttæ Ampl. C. O. Olin

" 13 Obstinately refuses ailment and four ounces of wine ordered for him. Blister now Bowels costive. Applicetur Emp Lyttæ Epigastrio C.O

" 20 Has been in bed since last report. A few days since began to take his food and now eats very well. Speaks only in a whisper. Bowels open. C.O.

" 30 Has been eating well since last report. Seldom speaks. Cares little about his personal appearance. Cleanly at night Bowels regular. C. Opii.

May 31 Much improved in bodily condition Eats well. Answers briefly but on the whole correctly. Wounds from the gunrods lately. Bowels regular. C. Opii ter in

June 18 His wife being very anxious to remove him and the Inspector taking all responsibility upon himself. the patient was discharged

Relieved.

Admitted 5th April 1850

Robert Clark Ct 21

April — Brought from Glasgow Was been twice on this day before and in both cases was removed by his relatives from the West House. Some days since he admission was handcuffed. Spoke little and was obstinate and restless. Seems in tolerably good bodily health. Bowels costive. Sumat. pulv. purg: Statim

" 7 Restless and obstinate — Speaks little. Shuns his food absent his room. Appetite good. Medicine acted. R.O.

" 10 Much the same. Restless and obstinate. Mind weak and confused. Somewhat mischievous. Health fairly good. C. Cinnia

" 17 Appetite good. Bowels costive Mind confused and weak Somewhat restless and mischievous. Demands to get out of this house. Was been out of seclusion during the day for two days past. C. Cinnia.

" 27 Mind weak and confused Restless and unsettled Somewhat mischievous — Careless of his appearance. Health good. Bowels open C. Cinnia.

May 10 Mind confused and weak Speaks in an unclear tone Attempts frequently to kick any one who comes in his way behind. Not otherwise violent Appetite good Bowels regular C. Cinnia.

" 31 Much the same. An ulcer the result of an injury and his constant interference has appeared in front of right leg. Appetite good. C. Cinnia

June 14 Ulcer extended and became much inflamed and leg so very swollen that he had to be locked up as he would not remain recumbent in an ordinary bed. Ulcer dressed with plaster and bandage but he often undoes it and puts it up again himself in his solitude. Health good C.

Admitted 5th April 1850

July 15 Mind weak and very confused. Very restless and continually putting himself into extrordinary attitudes and making extrordinary signs with his hands. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Ormerod.

Sept 15 When out walking escaped. went home and was returned the same evening. This occurred a few days since. No mental improvement. Health good. C. Ormerod.

Oct 15 A few days since when out walking lifted a stone and struck the attendant with it on the occiput knocking him down and then made off over the wall at the Dye. He was pursued and brought back after having got as far as Partick. Walks his foot well but usually vomits a mouthful or two after each meal. Bowels open from Colomel and Salop yesterday. C. Orm.

Nov 15 Since last report nothing of any consequence has occurred in this patients state of mind or body. C. Ormerod.

Dec 15 Mind weak and confused. Appears to know. Holds his hand much to his face. Assumes often the attitude of prayer & kneeling to his cot. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ormerod.

1851

Jan 15 Since last report has been very quiet. General health good. C. Ormerod.

Feb 15 Of late got up a chair and threatened to strike a quiet inoffensive patient. Since he has been quiet. General health good. C. Ormerod.

Mar 3 Much the same. was transferred to Lunt House this evening

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James Smith Oct 25 Brisk
Old Commonwealth P.

April Brought from Old Commonwealth by the Inspector. This is a first attack only a few days ill Cause unknown - Calls himself the saviour of the world - talks of a gold coach and threatens violence. On admission walked quietly into the house. Seems in good bodily health. Bowels costive. Sensorium perfect. Speech slow. Refuses. C. Olanzapine.

" 7 Lies in bed. Medicine refused. Appetite good. Answers pretty correctly. C. Olanzapine

" 9 This morning attacked the attendant without provocation and abused him severely throwing him to the ground and blacking one of his eyes. In the struggle got his own face much disfigured with swelling and ecchymosis of both eyes. Lies in bed and sings. Appetite good. Bowels costive. Sensorium perfect. Speech slow. Refuses. C. Olanzapine.

" 15 Quiet since last report. Lies in bed. Occasionally singing. Answers most questions correctly but seems reserved and cunning. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Olanzapine.

" 27 Appetite good. Occasionally found singing but otherwise has been quiet since last report. Bowels open. C. Olanzapine.

May 10 Sometimes quiet and civil at others violent and obliged to be restrained. Appetite good. C. Olanzapine.

" 31 Constantly in seclusion since last report except one day when he quarrelled and was so unruly that he had to be again shut up in his room. Occasionally very abusive. Sometimes natural. C. Olanzapine.

June 14 Much the same. Bodily health good. At present quiet and civil. C. Olanzapine.

July 15 Has occasionally attacked the attendant with his fists. Once declared he was worth some millions of money. C. Olanzapine.

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Aug 15	Much the same. C. Mania
Septr 15	Mind full of delusions says he is Cool and awaked all things. Has been so quiet of late as to be out of seclusion Cleanly in habits. Appetite good C. Mania.
Octr 15	Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Same delusions Fond of shaking hands with every one. C. Mania.
Nov 15	Much the same. C. Mania.
Dec 15	Mind weak and confused Speaches many obvious delusions not fancies to have. Converses very little information respecting himself and is often irrelevant in his answers says he is the Saviour - King &c. Behaves pretty well. Health good. C. Mania.
1851	
Jan 15	Much the same. C. Mania.
Feb 15	Behaves pretty well. General health very good. C. Mania.
Mar 15	Behaves well. Mind confused seldom usefully employed Attentive to his appearance - seems indifferent about his confinement - Bodily health good. C. Mania.
April 15	Much the same. C. Mania
May 15	Somewhat irritable and obscene at times. Seldom usefully employed. General health good. C. Mania.
June 15	Not usefully employed. Fond of shaking hands with those passing him. Behaves quietly. Health moderately good. C. Mania.
July 15	Much the same. C. Mania.
Aug 15	At present he is more excited and obscene than he has been for a considerable time past - Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Mania.
Sept 15	Continues more excited and noisy though not to such an extent as to require seclusion. Health good. C. Mania.
Oct 15	A slight paralytic affection of right side has been observed of late in this patient and he has become wet at night. He has frequently been bled and purged C. Mania

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Cochran Mayor Ct 48 Geo cus
9/6 Fire Chinch

April Brought from Lochwinnoch
This is a first attack and
came on three months since
The cause was considered to
be embarrassed circumstances
depression - attempted to poison
himself by swallowing two
ounces of laudanum which he
vomitted - leaped over bowed
when in a steamer at Greenock.
On admission was very depressed
as he said on account of his
business. Looks thin and weak.
Ordinary diet.

" 7 Continues much depressed
seems being anxious about his
soul - says his depression arose
from the hopeless state of his
affairs. Cleanly in his habits
Speaks very little. Bowels costive
Sumat Ubi Ricini unciam
statim. Habeat Sodii Citratis
mixturae ℥ss xxx omni nocte.
C. Cinchonia

" 10 Very dull inactive and
depressed. Takes little interest
in any thing. Appetite pretty good
Bowels open. C. Cinchonia

" 16 Little if any improvement
Fears he will never get well.
Not employed usefully. Appetite
pretty good. Bowels open
C. Cinchonia.

" 27 Continues much depressed
Speaks little and does not
move about much. Appetite
somewhat variable. Bowels
open from medicine. C. Cinchonia.

May 10 Very dull and desponding
seems quite spiritless and
careless about every thing
Very inactive. Careless of
his appearance. Appetite
moderate. Bowels open
from medicine C. Cinchonia

" 31 Appetite moderate Bowels
costive. Dull inactive and
desponding. Cleanly in habits
Careless of his appearance.
Ol. Ricini ℥ss statim —

June 14 Continues dull and
inactive. Careless of his
appearance. Appetite moderate
Bowels open. C. Cinchonia.

July 15 Dull desponding and inactive
hours usefully employed. Cleanly
in his habits. Health moderate

Admitted 6 April 1850

Aug 15 Says he feels a little better
P. Mannice

Septr 15 Seems somewhat improved being less despondency but usefully employed. Appetite good. Bowels open from medicine P. Mannice.

Octr 15 Seems slowly to improve — Speaks however very little Attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. P. Mannice.

" 28 Has improved considerably since last report and his friends were of opinion that he was now quite well and determined to remove him. He was therefore today discharged prematurely —

Cured

William Barclay Ct 60
Bonhill R.

April Brought this day from Perth where he had been staying for some time past with a relative. Has been before in this asylum. On admission was quiet. On entering the house told all present to witness that he was about to be unlawfully imprisoned and detained. Behaved quietly when in the ward. Seems in excellent bodily health. Bowels open.

" 10 Quiet and good humoured. Says he is the real Earl of Elgone. Cleanly in his habits and appearance. Appetite good. Bowels regular. C. Ozanam

" 16 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. States himself the real Earl of Elgone. That his ancestors were contemporaries of Sir William Wallace. C. Ozanam.

" 27 Behaves well. Very good natured. Bodily functions natural. C. Ozanam.

May 27 Much the same. C. O

June 14 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Very quiet and good natured. Cleanly in habits. Seems quite content. C. Ozanam.

July 18 Much the same. Seldom broaches his delusions. Seems satisfied with his condition. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Ozanam.

Aug 18 No change. C. Ozanam

Septr 18 Much the same. C. Ozanam

Octr 18 Behaves in all respects well. Cleanly in habits and appearance. He is very peaceable. Seldom employed. C. Ozanam.

Nov 18 Behaves well. Does not seem inclined to work at all. Mind remains unchanged. Speaks little spontaneously but humoured and appears pretty contented with his present circumstances. Cleanly in habits. Bodily health good. C. Ozanam.

Dec 18 Much the same. Bodily functions natural. C. Ozanam

Admitted 8th April 1850

1851

Jan 15 General health good mind remains unchanged. There seems little likelihood of cure in this case. Behaves quietly and well and is very civil and good humoured. C. Mac.

Feb 15 Much the same. C. Mac.

Mar 15 Continues to fancy himself the "real Earl of Elgon" - Conducts himself well. Cleanly in habits. General health good. C. Mac.

April 15 Much the same. C. Mac

May 15 No change since last report - C. Mac.

June 15 Much the same. C. Mac.

July 15 In all respects as formerly C. Mac.

Aug 15 Considers and calls himself the real Earl of Elgon - Conducts himself very well always quiet and civil. Seldom seems to desire to get away - Mind usefully employed General health good C. Mac.

Sept 15 Much the same. C. Mac.

Oct 15 Very quiet. Seldom speaks but when questioned. Entertains the same delusion that he is the "real Earl of Elgon". Cleanly in habits. Never employed Mind very inactive and weak. General health good. C. Mac.

Nov 15 General bodily health good Mind remains in the same weak state - Never usefully employed. C. Mac.

Dec 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. No improvement in mental state. Cleanly and quiet C. Mac.

1852

Jan 15 No change of any kind in this patients state since last report. C. Mac.

Feb 15 This patient conducts himself very quietly. seldom speaking to any one. and seemingly contented with his present circumstances. Answers cheerfully enough however when spoken to. He enjoys good general health C. Mac

Mar 15 No change of consequence C.

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James Johnston Ct 23
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1860

March 31 Smiles in a silly manner and frequently without exciting cause. Cleanly and dry at night. Walks in both in the garden now and then. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Ormerod.

April 30 Much the same. C.O

May 31 As before. C. Ormerod

June 14 Mind slow and weak. Observes little. Smiles when spoken to seldom speaks. No bodily complaint Bowels regular. C. Ormerod.

July 15 Usually found sitting with his hands in his pockets and head much bent in a state as if half asleep when roused smiles but seldom speaks. Not usefully employed at present — Cleanly in his habits and careful of his clothes C.O.

Aug 15 No change. C. Ormerod

Sept 15 Much the same C. Orm.

Oct 15 No change since last report. C. Ormerod

" 25 No change of consequence discharged

Relieved

Admitted 14th Feby 1849

John Cairns Ct 43.
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1850
March 31 Mind very weak. Behaves pretty well. No delusions. Assists in charity. Slow in motion. Appetite & Sup and bowels natural. C. Ormerod

April 30 Bodily health good. Looks well. Mind weakish. C. Ormerod

May 31 No change. C. Ormerod

June 14 Quiet and inoffensive. Cheerful and confident. Health good. C. Ormerod.

July 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Behaves well. Slow and deliberate in his motions. Speech also slow. Answers relevant. No delusions. Cleanly in habits. Careful of his clothes. C. Ormerod.

Aug 15 Much the same. C. Ormerod

Sept 16 As before. C. Ormerod

Oct. 15 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Mind weak. Answers relevantly — C. Ormerod.

Nov 15 No change C. Ormerod.

Dec 15 Since last report has become much worse in mind. Very stupid and confused. Picks the skin of his face and scalp and requires constant watching lest he should

1851

Jan 15 Very weak and infirm. Says he is quite well. Some swelling of side of face in front of ear but no fluctuation perceptible — Mind very weak. Bowels open C. Ormerod

" 19 Swelling having become softer suppuration was suspected and an incision was made giving out a large quantity of matter which seemed to come from some deep situation — A poultice to be applied. C. Ormerod

" 25 Very feeble. Breathing accelerated and somewhat laborious. Appetite not bad. Pulse 110 — Speech slow and lingering. Bowels easy. Sweat Pulse [illegible] Tongue [illegible] C. Orm

Admitted 15th July 1849

" 26 Lies in bed Breathing laboriously and oppressed. Complains that he is quite well. Appetite good. Skin warm Pulse 120 — Inspiration frequent and Expiration prolonged. Applies Emplast Lyttæ posteriorly. C. Mc.

" 29 Somewhat better but still very weak. Breathing easy. Pulse natural in frequency. Appetite moderate. Bowels open. C. Mc.

Feb 15 Since last report has improved very much. He is now daily out of bed and though pale and feeble he eats well. Bowels regular C. Ammonia.

March 15 Remains the same. Dull and stupid. Appetite good. Bowels natural. C. Ammonia.

April 15 Mind extremely weak. Passes most of his time seated and paying little attention to what may be going on. Appetite good. Bowels regular C. Ammonia

May 15 A few days an opening was made in an abscess which had formed considerably beneath the nipple of right breast giving exit to a large quantity of obviously healthy pus. Some discharge took place from the opening for a few days but it is now healed up. Mind and habits remain unchanged. Appetite good. Bowels regular C. Ammonia.

June 15 Since last report has been improving. Mind as before. C. Ammonia.

July 15 Mind very weak. Very feeble also bodily. Appetite good. Still there is a slight discharge from the abscess of right side. Bowels regular. C. Ammonia.

Aug 15 No marked change in this patients state since last report C. Ammonia.

Sept 15 Much the same. Mind weak. Cleanly in habits. Not usefully employed. Appetite good. Bowels open. C. Ammonia.

Oct 15 Has gained flesh considerably of late. Assists the attendant. He is very languid and unsteady in his movements. Broaches no delusions. Cleanly in habits C. Am

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Williams Laura Ct 26
Wells Mrs R.

April Brought from Bankhead this day. was before in the asylum. Is liable to epilepsy. On admission was quite and answered rationally. No delusions. Seems in good health. C. Cameron

" 15 No epileptic fits since admission. Behaves well amuses himself with drawing. Cheerful and seems contented. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cameron.

" 27 Much the same as at last report. Behaves well. No excitement nor delusion. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cameron.

May 27 Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Answers questions rationally although his mind is rather weak. No excitement. Cleanly in habits. C. Cameron

June 14 Continues free from complaint. Behaves in all respects well. Willing to employ himself. Attentive to his personal appearance. Bowels require an occasional dose of purgative medicine C. Cameron.

July 15 Behaves well. Answers rational and correct. Broadens no delusions hallucinations and civil. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. C. Cameron.

Aug 15 No change. C. Cameron

Sept 15 As before. C. Cameron

Oct 15 Much the same. C. Cameron

Nov 15 Resides in the west House. Broadens no delusions in conversation. Attentive to his appearance. Appetite sleep and bowels natural at present. C. Cameron.

Dec 15 Very industrious being daily employed assisting in the west House. No delusions active and alert. Appetite sleep and bowels natural C. Cameron.

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Jan 15 Much much the same hallucinations and cleanly Health good C. Cameron.

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Feb 15 Same. Employed daily in Work House. C. Anemia.

March 15 Same. Same. C. Anemia.

April 15 No change. C. One.

May 15 General health moderately good. Takes a few colocynth pills occasionally when his bowels are costive. Employed daily in the Work House. Rational in his conversation. C. Anemia.

June 15 Employed daily in the Work House. Appetite good and bowels natural. C. Anemia.

July 19 Was this day removed

Relieved

William Smith Ct 19

April — Brought from Dunsoon this evening. This is a first attack which commenced about two years since - liable to weakness of stomach - at first was depressed - Cause was supposed to be his spirits being crushed in an architects office where he was a pupil and reading novels was deprived of for two years & is now high - talks about the office and the persons in it. On admission was quiet - seemed careless about every thing. would not speak. Appears to be in moderate health - Ordinary diet and regimen

" 11 Quiet and dull. Takes interest in nothing. will not speak nor look up. Walks about with his eyes fixed on the ground Appetite good. Bowels costive

" 14 Appetite pretty good. Looks weak. Dull and very depressed. will not speak. Cleanly in his habits. Sometimes obstinate. Bowels costive. Sumat Ol. Ricini 3ss ad 3ij statim.

" 17 Takes his food well. Does not speak. Medicine acted freely. walks about pretty actively. Bowels open. Continue mistura Sin. Ol. Ricini. C. O. A.

" 27 Seldom speaks. Shaves quietly. Cleanly in his habits. Moves about pretty actively. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. R. Decoct.

May 2 A little unruly and restless at times. Speaks very little Has castor oil occasionally to keep his bowels open Appetite good. R. Decoct.

June 10 Much the same. Speaks almost none. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite sleep and bowels natural. R.O.

July 15 Has been much worse of late being restless noisy incoherent and throws off his dress. Appetite good. Bowels open Regimen constant seclusion. Cont. Omnia

" 25 Takes his food well. Continues restless and noisy. wears a strong dress. Shaves and speaks

Admitted 10th April 1880

July 25 when alone. Not violent towards others. Bowels open. Catonia

Aug 28 Removed.

Relieved

Robert Riddell Æt 84

April Brought to from Parkhead. Has been occasionally insane for the last three ~~three~~ two years - at present has been ill about 6 or 7 months great excitement regarding religious - has a notion of preaching - no relations insane his head was hurt with a kick ten years since - cause religious disease increasing - tried to injure his minister who refused him the usual communion token. On admission was pretty quiet and said he was not insane. Tongue foul. Bowels costive Sumat pulv. purg statim. Ordinary diet and regimen.

" 11 Quiet to day. Answers most questions sensibly. Medicine operated slightly but tongue still foul. Sumat Calomel gr v Pulv. Rhei 3ss.s. statim.

" 13 Behaves quietly. Maintains that he is quite sound in mind. Cleanly in habits and appearance. Appetite good. Tongue still foul. Sumat. pulv. purg statim. C.O.

" 15 As before. Bowels costive Sumat pulv. purg statim C. Omnia.

" 17 Bodily health moderately good. Very anxious to leave the asylum. Cleanly and attentive to his appearance Tongue white. Sumat pulv purg. statim. C. Omnia

" 23 Behaves quietly. Stated that he imagined himself pretty well versed in religious matters - that he applied to the minister to have the use of a schoolroom in which to have prayer meeting every Sunday night - intended to sing them a psalm and afterwards to read a portion of scripture and expound it - or to choose a text on which to frame a discourse or sermon - was told at a meeting of session he could not have it - when he called the minister whole lipped. Very anxious to get away. Health good C. Omnia.

May 2 Says he would have nothing to do with preaching but would attend to his business. C.O.

Admitted 10 April 1850

June 14 Behaves in all respects well
Breaches no debus viæ. Answers
relevant. Cheerful and industrious
Anxious to learn. Admits he was
wrong in proposing to preach.
Appetite sleep and bowels
natural. R. Nesmith.

July 12 Discharged at last report. Leave this
day dismissed

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