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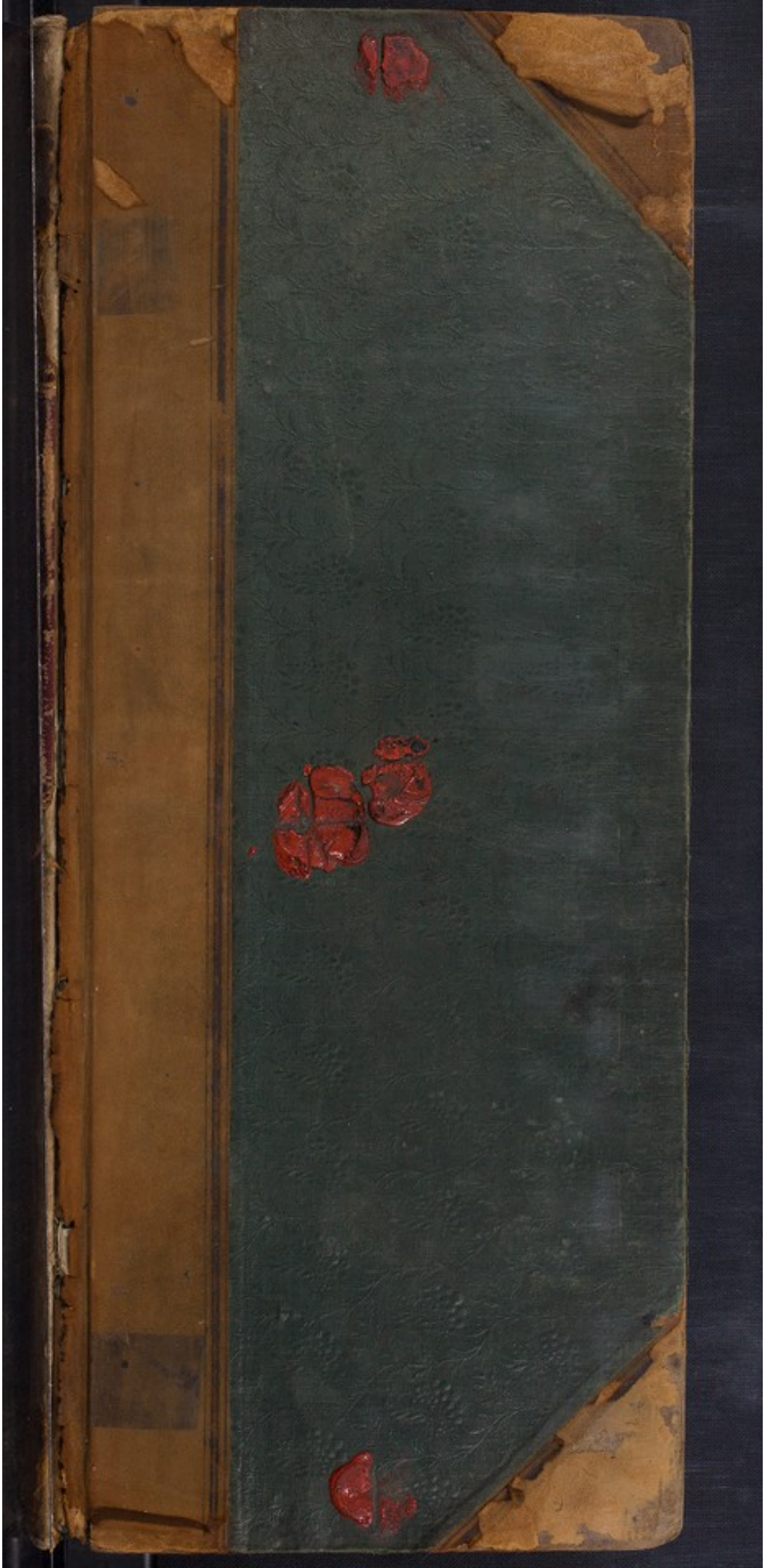

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Stevens Matthew Ad. 19. from Feb 1845 v. pp. 3.

March 16	pulse 62 small - pupils dilated - tongue pulty clean - eye heavy - countenance expressive of imbecility - surface of body of natural temperature General condition of body healthy - when spoken to utters a meaningless word or two in reply - habits very filthy - destructive to his clothes - health robust - appetite voracious - sleeps and bowels natural. No change in mental state Cont. omnia.
April 18	do all respects the same as when last reported - Cont. omnia
May 20	Bodily health good - Mind weak and fatuous Destructive to his Clothes and filthy in his habits - Never employs himself in any way Takes no interest in anything going on around him - Bowels regular. Cont. omnia
June 20	No change whatever in mental state - Bodily health good - occasionally employed in the grounds at least during the last three weeks. Bowels regular. Appetite good.
July 16	General health good - Bodily functions natural. Mind same as stationary. Omnia
Augt 18	Mind weak and fatuous - Bodily health good - Habits filthy - Appetite good - Bowels regular. Cont. omnia
Sept 20	Fatuous filthy. Destructive & dissociable characters & habits. Cats peas & forget well - Health good bodily condition Cont. omnia
Oct 24	Little change in the condition of this patient Occasionally employed in the grounds General health continues good Cont. omnia
Nov 23	Works in the grounds occasionally Appetite voracious Careless destructive to his clothes Unmanly in his personal appearance Enjoys good bodily health & is in good bodily condition Bowels state please Bowels natural & Cont. omnia
Dec 23	Little or no change in the state of this patient Mind very much cannot give a coherent answer Appetite voracious Careless filthy & destructive & is in good bodily condition but legs are generally large & much & congested & one of them is in consequences thereof at present ulcerated to a slight extent & he will require to be confined to bed a week or so to get it healed & Remains in good health Works a little at packing cocoa fibre Cont. omnia
1846 Jan 19	No mental change - Was kept in bed a fortnight in consequence of ulcerated legs & these are now well Health tolerably good & works this week Cont. omnia

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May 19 No material change Wound very weak Legs still swelled & ulcerated Works a little Bodily health tolerably good Filthy slovenly & careless Cont. Comm.

March 25 Wound continues in the same weak state Has not been employed of late Legs not quite so much swollen Bodily health pretty good but is filthy slovenly & careless Cont. Comm.

27 No improvement indeed that is an event not very likely ever to occur Has not been employed of late Feet & legs liable from swelling & consequent to get ulcerated Cont. at present they are nearly free from sores Continues as dirty in his habits as ever passing his stools & urine in bed Takes his food voraciously Rather tolerably good Bodily condition but is filthy & unwashed regular Tongue clean & moist Bodily health tolerably good Cont. Comm.

April 26 No appreciable change Works in the fields Legs seem less troubled with congestion than usual Mental Takes his food well Health good Still as dirty as ever Cont. Comm.

May 22 No appreciable change in any respect Works quietly & tolerably diligently in the grounds Seems very much always sorely the head at night Takes his food well Health pretty good Cont.

June 22 No mental change Legs & feet considerably swelled of late but is a trifle in tolerable health Not working in consequence of his swollen legs Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont. Comm.

July 21 No change in this mental state Feet continue to swell & fester & at present there is an ulcer about the size of half a crown on lower part of left leg He is confined to bed in consequence & it is in the process of healing Takes his food well & with the exception of the legs enjoys tolerably good health Bowels regular Very dirty in his habits very weak Cont. Comm.

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George Smith. Admn. 21. from bk. V. pp. 3.

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March 26	Mind as at last report - Bodily health good - attends school regularly - Habits filthy on the extreme - Does not employ himself in any way - Has been very quiet since last report - Seldom speaks except when spoken to - Countenance expressive of [illegible] - Conduct [illegible]
April 26	General health good - Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural. Conduct [illegible]
May 18	pulse 72 regular - pupils dilated - Tongue clean and moist - General condition of Body healthy and of natural temperature. - Answers questions in monosyllables - Works in the grounds occasionally - Cheerful and happy; quiet and well behaved - Appetite variable - Bowels regular. Conduct [illegible]
June 20	Is all respects the same as when last reported. Conduct [illegible]
July 16	No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Appetite sleep and Bowels natural. Conduct [illegible]
Augt 22	Bodily health good - Mind in all respects the same as at last report - Works in the grounds sometimes - Appetite good - Bowels regular. Conduct [illegible]
Sept 30	Mind continues as before in a state of shameless [illegible] Is pleased when spoken to answers questions sullenly - Annoyed with flies passes much of his [illegible] Filthy & [illegible] Black hair & beard [illegible] by another so long that drawing his hat back upon him Has now removed from it after this time being only a small [illegible] left on crest - Has an idiotic appearance, walks on not [illegible] creeps creepingly with the [illegible] of his [illegible] slightly forward & his body & [illegible] carried forward. Seldom employed C. O.
Oct 21	No change in the mental or bodily condition of this patient - Bowels arising from the [illegible] now quite well [illegible]
Nov 23	Continues in tolerably good bodily health & [illegible] appetite [illegible] Filthy & careless of his personal appearance Mind very weak - yet he is pretty observant of what goes on around him & in any [illegible] can generally tell who it was were the parties engaged &c. Bowels reported regular Tongue clean Conduct [illegible]
Dec 23	No change in mental or bodily state of this patient - Health is tolerably good although he is pale & rather thin - Appetite [illegible] Filthy & careless of his personal appearance & clothes Mind very weak but he observes pretty sharply & can detail more or less correctly what occurs - Likes & dislikes any thing that happens near him Talks [illegible] Conduct [illegible]

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Jan 7 19 No perceptible change in any respect Takes his food well but is thin & pale. Filthy & slovenly in his personal appearance Careless of his clothes Walks a little at pleasure Cons. former

Feby 19 No change Mind in the same imbecile condition Slovenly & dirty Takes his food greedily Still clears a little work Healthy health tolerable Cont. same

March 14 Mind very weak Has a very imbecile expression of countenance Dirty & slovenly Passes his stools & urine in bed Takes his food greedily Not employed at any thing useful Health tolerably good Cont. same

27 No change of any consequence Mind continuing in the same weak state Dirty in his habits passing his stools and urine in bed Appetite voracious Careless of his clothes Bowels regular In other respects enjoys tolerable health Cont. same

April 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Can scarcely be put to any useful purpose Is not mischievous but Dirty Takes his food well but keeps rather thin Bowels regular Health pretty good Cont. same

May 22 No change of any importance since last report Health tolerable good Takes his food voraciously Cont. same

June 22 Continues in nearly all respects the same as reported above Can be put to no useful purpose Nearly health tolerably good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont. same

July 22 Little or no change mental or bodily Has a very imbecile appearance & manner Not at all mischievous although sometimes inclined to be a little turbulent Lacks the power both mentally & physically to do much Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont. same

Aug 22 Not change in any respect Dirty & although sometimes inclined to be mischievous on the whole inoffensive Health tolerable Cont. as

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James Hart. Matron. Bb. from Vol: 1. p. p. 11
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March 18 No change in mental state - pulse 78 small pupils dilated - Tongue pretty clean - Bowels regular - Legs swell occasionally - Body of natural temperature - Had a large Carbuncle a few days ago about the upper third of his left thigh it was opened and a poultice applied and is now almost well. His general health has not been so good of late - looks thin. Cont. omnia.

" 24 Mind quite collected - pulse 84 weak - Tongue dry and covered with a thin white fur - Conjunctiva suffused - pupils natural - Bowels have been rather relaxed since last night - Has an anxious expression of countenance - looses flesh daily - Habits filthy - let him have a pint of porter daily. Ry Mistur: Cretæ Zviij: Cinnam: Aromat. ℥j: Pulv: Opii ℈ß. Misce fiant Cretæ: Capl. mag: ter in die. Cont. Alia.

" 26 Diarhœa continues - with great difficulty can he get to take food - Takes no interest in anything going on around him - Skin cold and clammy - Scalp of moderate temperature - pulse 88 small and feeble - Tongue white but moist. Ry Pulv: Opii ℈ß Sacchar: Avenæ ℥iß: Misce fiat Enema detur statim. —— Ry Pulv: Opii grana j Pilulæ Hydrarg: grana vj fiat pulvis. Statim sumend

" 27 Bowels still relaxed although the dejections are not so frequent as formerly - pulse small and thready - pupils contracted - very weak notwithstanding the nourishment he has been given - Repetatur Enema - let him have as much nourishment as possible.

" 28 He continued to grow weaker notwithstanding every remedy which could suggest to relieve him - His Bowels continued relaxed and the Enema of Pulv Opii was administered which checked it so far. He however gradually sunk and about ½ past 7 last Evening he died without a struggle.

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Admitted August 15 1840

1845

March 10 very filthy in his habits, and untidy in his personal appearance - Mind weak and fatuous - Stout and strong in body - devote the attendants occasionally to carry coals - Enjoys good health - Appetite, Sleep and Stools natural - Con: commn

April 20 General health good - Bodily functions natural - Conl: commn

May 20 No change in any respect since last report Constantly raving - Cannot operate a evacuated enclosure - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Con: commn

June 24 Pulse 72 moderate - Tongue clean and moist - Employed regularly in carrying coals to different parts of the Establishment - Filthy in his habits and destructive to his Cloaths - Appears very contented and happy - Mind as at last report - Bodily health good - Conl: commn

July 16 In all respects the same as when last reported - Con: commn

Augt 20 No change in mental state - General health good - Employed as before in carrying Coals - Con: commn

Sept 30 Is filthy & fatuous Strong & robust & an excellent Quarter Requesting Expressions Constantly muttering to himself or singing cursing dreadfully & using the most filthy & obscene language Does not what he is bidden by the Attendants but in a confused sort of way & converses into conversation If spoken to generally mutters some disgusting curse Enjoys excellent health Conl commn

Oct 24 No change in Patient Ever muttering to himself even in bed when not asleep Very fatuous & filthy Strong stout & healthy Conl commn

Nov 22 In all respects as at last report Strong, stout, healthy, industrious, filthy, fatuous constantly talking to himself Conl commn

Dec 23 No change Mental or bodily Strong robust & healthy Very filthy & extremely fatuous Evacuating the most disgusting morsels Constantly muttering the most disgusting language Associates with no one Never returns a coherent answer Works at carrying coals & such like Conl commn

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Jany 19 No change in habits & appearance Able & strong stout & healthy Constantly muttering to himself Dirty & slovenly but most directly destructive to his cloaths Takes his food well & is regular Conl commn

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Admitted November 24 1846

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Feby 14 In all respects as at last report Duty, Cleanly, Stout a strong Mutters continually to himself Takes his food well Health good Conduct Commn

March 15 No change of any importance Robust & strong Daily employed at carrying coals & other like duties Mutters continually Cursing & using the most disgusting language Takes his food well Cond Commn

27 No appreciable change Able as coarse untrustable as ever when irritated Cursing & swearing in a most disgusting manner yet works steadily & diligently at the kind of work & under the person he is accustomed with Stout & strong in Health & appearance excellent Health Constantly muttering to himself Not very tidy in consequence of his clothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Cond Commn

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April 26 Behaves in all respects as reported above Stout robust & healthy Works industriously at carrying coals &c Very untidy in his personal appearance but does not spoil his food Appetite sleep & bowels good Cond Commn

May 22 No appreciable change in any respect Health good & still employed as reported above Cond Commn

June 22 Continues in all respects as reported above Constantly muttering to himself cursing & swearing in using disgusting songs Strong & healthy Works industriously Cond Commn

July 21 No change appreciable in this case Still works steadily at carrying coals & other domestic work Stout & robust but not very alert Takes his food well & in good bodily condition Still as cleanly in personal appearance Cond Commn

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Aug 22 Continues in all respects as at last report Stout strong & in good condition Eats his food well Works industriously & cleanly in his personal appearance Cond Commn

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James McCrossan: Ab: from Ld: V. to p. 27

1845

March 14 Health robust - Works occasionally about the grounds. Appears cheerful and happy - Quiet and well behaved - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance. Mind the same as at last report - Bodily functions natural Cont: comm

April 18 No change in any respect since last reported. Cont: comm

May 24 Mind weak and confused - General health good - Has been daily employed in the grounds since last report - functions v. v. - Natural. Cont: comm

June 20 In all respects the same as when last reported. Comm

July 18 General health good - Habits and personal appearance cleanly - No change in mental state - Works at present in the grounds daily - Bodily functions natural. Comm

Aug 20 Mind in all respects the same - Bodily health good. Works in the grounds occasionally. Cont: comm

Sept 30 Is quiet industrious & well behaved. Works regularly in the ground. Healthy & ruddy. Cleanly in his habits & personal appearance. Seldom converses but answers question on every day subject pretty rationally. Eyes good. Bodily health. Bowels regular. Cont: comm

Oct 24 Same as at last report. Cleanly quiet industrious & well behaved. Works regularly in the quarry or grounds & seems contented & happy. Cont: comm

Nov 23 Generally employed with the nursery. No change in his mental state. Talks pretty rationally when in the humour but is occasionally a little pudlerr & talitierra. Has a somewhat unsteady gait. Is stout & ruddy in his excellent health. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. Appetite sleep & bowels natural. Cont: comm

24 Is very much attached to any Declares [illegible] in Rule Paper in the establishment are Riches & Pickpockets. Curses & swears a deal and says how long he is to be kept shut up in a Coffin. His excitement it seems was caused by a struggle between two other patients. Cont: comm

Dec 24 Has been free from excitement & in usual state since last report. Is stout & ruddy enjoys excellent health & is tolerably contented & cheerful. Answers ordinary questions tolerably rationally but mind is evidently weak & puerile. Works industriously sometimes in the quarry sometimes with the mason.

Admitted October 30: 1839

Cleanly in his personal appearance
Takes his food well Bowels regular
Court comm

1840
Jany 19 Little or no change mental or bodily Stout strong & ruddy
Works in the quarry or mill
or with the masons Is upon
the whole quiet & well behaved
but at times rather excitable
& sometimes provokes with little
or merely imaginary provocation
Health good Court comm

Feby 16 No change of any importance
Works as usual with the
masons Stout & ruddy Has
been free from any fit of ex-
citement since last report
Health good Court comm

March 15 Not much change - Works as
usual with the masons Is still
apt to provoke his fellow patients
from imaginary provocation
& last week got his eyes blackened
in consequence Health good
Cleanly & careful of his clothes
Mingles in the same manner & re-
gular in his habits Court comm

27 Still employed with the masons
works tolerably diligently
Cleanly & careful of his clothes
Takes his food well & enjoys
excellent health Still liable
to get provoked by
imaginary insults Bowels
regular Court comm

April 26 No change of any importance
Still employed with the mas-
ons Is in good health & tolerable
bodily condition Takes his food
well Tolerably cleanly Has
been rather less apt to provoke
of late perhaps in consequence
of getting beaten by one whom
he had provoked Court comm

May 22 No appreciable change since last report
Health good Takes his food well
Court

June 22 Last week unprovoked by the per-
son who had the charge of Irwin
escaped & walked home to Parkham
He came quietly back with two
of his relatives in the evening
Is at work as before with the
masons Health good Bowels
easy Court comm Is still
occasionally apt to imagine
himself insulted & strike his
fellow patients Court

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James Graham: State: from Vol: 5 p.p. 30.

1848

March 16 Mind weak and fatuous - Surface of body of natural temperature - Never enters into conversation with any one - very slovenly in her personal appearance - Sleeps well at night - Appetite good - Bowels reported to be regular. Cont. ommin

April 16 No change in mental state - Bodily health pretty good - Never enters into conversation with any one - Appetite good - Sleeps and Bowels natural. Cont. ommin

May 18 General condition of Body healthy - Never employs himself in any way - Takes no interest in anything whatever - Answers questions in monosyllables and apparently without knowing what he is saying. Bowels regular. Cont. ommin

June 20 No change in mental state - Bodily health good: Bowels regular. Cont. ommin

July 21 Bodily health pretty good - Appetite sleeps and Bowels natural. Cont ommin

Augt 21 No change in mental state. same last report. Cont. ommin

Sept 13 Augt 13 Continues in the same state of hopeless idiocy Takes little notice of any thing that is going on around. If questioned, mutters same thing quite unintelligible. Sluggish & listless to an extreme degree

Oct 22 Augt 22 Was confined to bed for nearly three weeks by an ulcer over left inner malleolus with considerable swelling of the joint. It now quite well & up again. No change in Mental condition. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Continues as before

Nov 23 Uncle has still a tendency to swell & generally requires a bandage - but is not at present ulcerated although rather congested. With regard to Mental condition continues as the same helpless & hopeless state. Cannot utter a connected sentence & when spoken to answers in a low unintelligible mumbling manner. Rose slightly affected with acne rosacea. Dressed this in bed & shaved - Takes of his clothes but not sufficiently construction. Appetite, sleeps & bowels natural. Cont ommin

Dec 23 Dressed Augt 23 Mind fatuous. Never speaks to any one or seems to take the smallest interest in anything passing around. Utters an unintelligible monosyllable in answer any question. Morning Takes his food well but is often a little time occasionally affected with acne rosacea. Uncle is still liable to ulcerate. Never works. Bowels regular. Cont ommin

Admitted July 1. 1895.

1846

Jan 7 17 No change Mind very feeble never speaks beyond a few monosyllabic answers to some personal question Is rather thin & changed his appetite is good Relishes anything going on around Constn as usual

Feb 14 Health at last report Deficient in flesh & strength Generally unchanged Constantly destructive Takes his food well but is thin Constn as usual

March 15 Mind very weak Never speaks spontaneously usually answers questions with a monosyllable Does not employ himself at anything & takes but little cognizance of anything going on around Health tolerably good Constn as usual

27 No change of any importance Mind very much the same Deficient Seldom answers a question & scarcely ever speaks spontaneously Not employed at anything useful & takes little cognizance of anything going on around him Takes his food well Bowels regular Is rather thin but health seems pretty good Constn as usual

April 24 No change of any importance Walks a little in the grounds occasionally Takes his food well but remains rather thin Bowels regular Health pretty good Constn as usual

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May 22 No change of any importance Takes his food well Health tolerably good Constn as usual

June 22 No appreciable change Mind still in the same weak state Has not been inclined to work much of late Takes his food well Bowels regular Rather untidy in his habits but not positively destructive Constn as usual

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Aug 23 Seldom employed at any thing useful Never speaks unless spoken to & then answers in a tone almost inaudible & seldom more than a monosyllable Takes his food well Bowels regular Is not destructive to his clothes Constn as usual

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Robert Stewart. Admitted from Vol. V. p. 89.

1845

March 20 Mind weak and fatuous – very incoherent in conversation – employs himself regularly in the grounds – Health robust – neat and well behaved – Bodily functions natural. No improvement has taken place in this case. Cont: omnia

April 20 General health good. Cont: omnia

May 18 Assists the Engineer in looking after the stores – Health good – No change in mental state – Bowels & Appetite natural. Countenance expressive of imbecility. Comma pulse 70 small and feeble – Tongue clean and moist – pupils dilated – Temperature of Body natural – General condition of Body healthy – Cleanly in his habits and careful of his Clothes – appetite good Bowels regular – Works regularly with the Engineer. Cont: omnia

June 28

July 31 No change in mental state since last report. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia

Aug. 31 Mind in the same weak and fatuous state. General health good. Works regularly with the Engineer as formerly. Bodily functions natural. Cont: omnia

Sept. 01 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia

Oct. 25 Regularly employed feeding the furnaces in the mett House – Countenance cheerful & melancholy – fond of being flattered – water-cafe proved Bodily health good – Takes his food well & cleanly in his personal appearance – Cont: omnia

Nov. 23 Regularly employed as mett House Stoker – Mind very weak & childish & contented – Countenance & gait Good – fond of being flattered – water-cafe proved Bodily health good – Takes his food well & cleanly in his personal appearance – Cont: omnia

Dec. 23 No change mental or bodily – Regularly employed in the mett House feeding the furnaces – very contented with his situation – Gait & countenance Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes – Enjoys good health – Takes his food well – Bodily functions natural – No change of any mental improvement – Cont: omnia

1846

Jan. 19 No appreciable change mentally or bodily – Enjoys good health – Employed in the mett House as formerly – Bowels regular – Cont: omnia

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Feby 19 Employed as formerly looking after the furnaces in the meat house seems merry contented & happy Cheery conducted a friend of hers taken notice of Health good Takes his food well Cont omma

March 15 Still employed in Meat house looking after the furnaces Contented & Cheery Friend of hers taken notice of & pleased Takes his food well & enjoys good Health Mind quiet & calm Cont omma

27 No change of any importance — Still employed in the meat house looking after the fires Conducts himself quietly & seems a weak minded kind of being taken notice of and flattered Health good Mind & regular Eats & sleeps well Cont omma

April 26 Still employed as formerly in the meat house No apparent change mental or bodily, seemingly contented & happy in his situation Appetite & sleep & bowels natural Cont omma

May 22 Continues in all respects as above reported Employed as formerly in the meat house Cheery contented & good natured Cont

June 22 No change of any importance Continues at his former employment Enjoys excellent Health & Cheerful & contented Cont omma

July 23 ~~Still employed looking after the fires in Meat House~~ No change of any importance Takes his food well Cont omma

Sept 23 No change of any importance observable Still employed in the meat house Mind very weak & very vain Fond of being taken notice of & pleased Conducts himself quietly & well & seems to have no inclination to leave the house Bodily health pretty good Cont omma

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James Broadfoot: Ætat 16 Admitted 1845 Feb 15 No 46.

March 20	very destructive to his Clothes, and filthy in his habits - Slovenly in his personal appearance - has a very sharp cunning expression of countenance - Annoys his fellow patients very much - Bodily health good - Bowels regular Cont. same
April 20	No change in any respect since last report. Cont. same
May 18	Bodily health good - Destructive to his Clothes and filthy in his habits - Continually annoying his fellow patients - Never employs himself at anything useful - Body of natural temperature - Appetite good - Bowels regular Cont. same
June 24	Health good - Bowels regular - Destructive and filthy as formerly - Constantly teazing his fellow patients. Sleeps well & eats appetite good Cont. same
July 21	General health good - Bodily functions natural - very troublesome indeed - No change in mental state Cont. same
Augt 21	Destructive and filthy as formerly - Bodily health good Cont. same
Sept 30	No change whatever in this patient Continues filthy destructive & mischievous as he is unable to employ his ears he makes use of his eyes & if not engaged in mischief his fellow patients is generally found peeping through some aperture or crevice watching what is going on on the further side Enjoys good health Cont. same
Oct 25	No Change in the state of this patient Continues as restless mischievous filthy & destructive as ever Cont. same
Nov 23	Has been employed in the grounds since last report & works pretty industriously but is at present confined to the House in consequence of having a sore foot caused by a thorn of glass or some such thing It is suppurating & he has foot ties constantly applied to it in all other respects as at last report Health good Bowels regular Cont. same
Dec 23	No mental improvement Employed at picking leaves &c but have to keep him from mischief & he is very tricky & mischievous & filthy & destructive to his clothes Foot is now quite well & bodily health tolerably good Has a sharp & somewhat dissipated look appetite excellent Bodily functions natural Cont. same
1846 Jany 19	No Change Has been confined to bed again with his foot which is now well Health good Cont. same

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Feb 7 19 No change of any consequence has not been employed of late in consequence of the enclosures of the meadows Takes his food well Coarsely & slowly Cont Comma

Mar 13 From his being dumb of course nothing in the shape of delusions can be extracted from him He usually seen creeping through any hole or into any corner he can observe any thing going on & is in general very destructive Takes his food well & enjoys tolerable health Cont Comma

27 No appreciable change Has not been employed at any thing useful for some months Madly fond of labor & would not be so rather than Takes his food well Bowels regular Very destructive to his clothes & any other thing he can reach but is quiet & out in any way Cont Comma

April 24 No change of any consequence Has not yet been sent out to do any thing since winter Is rather destructive in the house but much less so than he used to be Is rather than not healthy & good appetite sleeps sounds excellent Cont Comma

May 22 Continues in all respects as at last report seldom out in the fields as he is of little use Cont Comma

June 9 Has complete been affected for some time past with Chest asis & yesterday & today has had rather severe Pneumonic types Lower end of sternum projects greatly forward seeming from the pressure of the heart which is enlarged & its action tumultuous There are extensive mucous rhonchi in chest especially on left side There is a want of expansion about the upper parts of the chest The breathing must be very considerable difficulty & pain & skin The spine at the lower dorsal & upper lumbar region is very much so that there The spine forms a curve with the concavity forwards Re Cerebellum Sensorium &c Sensorium exaggerated &c

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John Davidson: Adm. 17 from Vol. X. p. p. 104

1846

March 12 Good humoured and cheerful - Has a stupid expression of countenance - lazy walk and stooping - Employs himself in the Gallery assisting the Attendant to whom he is of great service - Bodily health good. Functions natural. Cont: omnia

April 14 Mind much more alert since last report. Bodily health good - Converses rationally enough - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Makes himself very useful in the Galleries. Appetite sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia

May 16 Employs himself assisting the Attendants in the galleries - Has a childish manner laughs when spoken to - Answers questions irrelevantly - No change in mental state since last report. Bodily health good. Cont: omnia

June 20 His odour in stationary at present - Health good. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia

July 31 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnes.

Augt 31 Assists the attendants in the Galleries regularly - Bodily health good - Appetite sleep and Bowels natural - No change in mental state. Omnia

Sept 30 Is a harmless good natured good humoured cheerful inoffensive lad, who softens easily has no care. Laughs loudly & fully at the smallest remark, or even a look. Hurry in his actions & renders himself useful in the ward Answers ordinary questions relevantly always with a silly laugh. Bodily functions performed Cont: omnes

Oct 24 Continues in all respects the same as when last reported Bodily health & appetite Cont: omnes

Nov 23 Continues to employ himself industriously in the Galleries & sometimes in the grounds Cheerful harmless & good humoured. Laughs readily but answers ordinary questions pretty relevantly. Can be trusted to go with the Nurses to the Airing Courts to assist the Attendants alone to fetch parcels Enjoys excellent health & appetite sleeps well Bowels regular Tells regularly Cleanly in his person and habits Cont: omnia

Dec 23 Has been very insolent lazy and treasonous of late refusing to do any thing he is bid & is very apt to strike. Two weeks ago gave a quiet patient (Wm McDougal) a pair of blackened eyes & today blackened one of the eyes of (Thos Morrison) & broke a Trunk another.

Admitted September 7. 1846

Has been remanded to the refractory but seems to take it so lightly & he has so persuaded by that he will perhaps require a called bath. He is in excellent health & in good bodily condition Cont ommee

1846
Jan 7/19 We shant any further severe measures shall be necessary has he has not himself made sure last report Works industriously & daily Health good Takes his bath well Bowels regular Cleanly & careful of his clothes Cont ommee

Feby 19 Conducts himself peaceably & works industriously Mind weak Requires teaching yet seems to improve Bodily health good Cont ommee

March 14 No change of any importance Tolerably industrious but rather apt to generalize about trifles Mind weak & fanciful but has no delusions except that of thinking himself quite wise & capable of taking care of himself & affairs Eats heartily Sleeps well at night Bowels regular Cont ommee

April 26 Mind remains weak as before Is anxious to get home to earn money for himself Works in the grounds & shops rather inclined to be lazy Takes his bath speedily Health good Tolerably cleanly but rather slovenly Cont ommee

May 22 Continues in nearly the same state Works pretty well at times but at other times gets very lazy & obstreperous Health good Bowels regular Cont ommee

June 22 Has been working for some time in the quarry & doing tolerably well Goes out evening for the parcels as usual Bodily health good No mental improvement Appetite excellent Cont ommee

David Young. Ataxic. 1b. from Vol. 5. p. p. 105.

1844

Decem 31 Continues to behave orderly and quietly. Has had no return of fits. Habits continue destructive and filthy as formerly – Never occupied – and talks (when spoken to) in an incoherent manner. Takes his food readily. General health good. Bodily functions natural. Cont: omnia.

1845

Jan 31 Wanders about the Gallery all day long. Is very restless and mischievious. Since last report has been several times excited, when in this state he is very quarrelsome and noisy – Has had no Epileptic fits. Health stationary – Appetite, sleep and bowels natural Cont: omnia.

Febr 28 Had three Epileptic fits since last report, viz two on the 9th and one on the 10th. Health not quite so good – Habits as formerly. Bowels thoroughly open. Cont: omnia.

March 30 No change in mental state since last report very filthy in his habits and destructive to his clothes – occasionally very much excited, at other times quite quiet – seems determined to speak, sometimes he mumbles a word or two. General health good. functions natural. Cont omnia

April 30 Bodily health good – pupils dilated – tongue clean – Has had no Epileptic fits since last report – To day is very wilky and appears [illegible] to answer any questions – He has however been more cheerful than usual during the last month – Mind as at last report – Bowels regular. C omnia.

May 18 Mind weak confused and irritable – Has been five times excitement since last report – Countenance expressive of insanity – Eye dull and heavy – General condition of Body healthy – Never employs himself in any way – Habits filthy – Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural Cont: omnia.

" 21 Had an Epileptic fit last night but of a mild character – Bowels regular – Appetite good. No other change since last report Cont: omnia.

June 10 Epileptic fits have been more frequent during the last two or three days. Bowels kept regular by Medicine – No change in mental state. Cont: omnia.

July 18 General health pretty good – No change in mental state – Has not had fits since last report – Is however occasionally subject to paroxysms of excitement – Bowels pretty regular. C omnia

Augt 31 Epileptic fits have been less frequent during the last month. Bodily health good – appetite keen. Sleeps well at night – Bowels regular. Cont: omnia

Admitted November 10: 1846

Sept 30 Epileptic fits have been less frequent. Has been pretty free from excitement of late. Good humoured & cheerful. Laughs suddenly when spoken to. Very slow in his movements & very hesitating & slow in his answers when he can extend beyond the length of a monosyllable. Is in good condition just flabby. Tongue clean. Bowels regular. Cont. Omn.

Oct 24 Was very cross & excitable for some time past & when any thing roused his ill-humour was in the habit of smashing out any of the windows he could get at with his shoes. Was in consequence kept in seclusion for a week. Yesterday was somewhat more composed & in much better humour. Has had no epileptic fits of late. Bradley. Health good. Cont. Omn.

Nov 28 Epileptic fits continue rather less frequent. Just is often very excitable & cannot be trusted in the airing court for if any thing arouse him he is just as ill-humoured. He immediately takes off his shoes & smashes in the windows with them. In the yard he is kept without shoes & every thing removeable & excitable. Just now tongue rather white. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Well. Expression of countenance stupid. Pale & thin. Perspiration profuse. Cont. Omn.

Dec 28 Has been kept in the gallery since last report in consequence of the destruction of the windows & being kept without shoes has not been able to smash the windows as formerly. Is still liable to be excited by trifling causes. Epileptic fits have been less frequent of late but there is not the slightest mental improvement. Is filthy & destructive to his clothes. Appetite voracious. Irritable & ill-humoured. Dejected. Pale & lymphatic. Has a dull heavy look. Cannot utter a coherent sentence. Cont. Omn.

1847
Jan 19 Little change being in all respects as at last report. Pale & flabby & lymphatic. Cont. Omn.

Feb 27 Not much change. Fits have perhaps been less frequent of late. Still pale & flabby. Takes his food well. Cont. Omn.

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Robert Sneddon: Asylum: 28: from Ld: 5: p/p 107.
1848

Nov 28	Enjoys tolerable good health. Occasionally excited and quarrelsome, but is easily managed. Never employed in any way - filthy and destructive in his habits. No mental change. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Sleep natural.
Feb 19	Has been very excited to day - also quarrelsome symptoms of an approaching paroxysm. Habits as formerly. Appetite good. Bowels open. C.C.
" 25	Since last report has behaved himself more quietly - Had a slight epileptic fit to day. Dull and heavy expression of countenance. Bowels thoroughly open: Cont: omnia.
" 28	Had no return of the fits - Is now in his usual state. Bowels open. Appetite good. Cont: omnia.
March 19	Has had no Epileptic fits since last report. Quiet and well behaved. No change in mental state. Habits as formerly - General condition of body healthy. Sleeps well at night. Bowels regular. Cn. omnia.
April 19	Mind as at last report - Has had one Epileptic fit since last report - Health robust - Cannot be got to employ himself in any way - Pulse good - Pupils dilated. Tongue clean. Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia.
May 18	In all respects the same as when last reported. No return of fits - Con: omnia.
June 22	Bodily health good - No change in mental state - Has had two fits since last report, Mild in their character - He has been very quarrelsome during last month - Filthy and destructive - Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural.
July 18	Has not had any return of Epileptic fits since last report - Goat present free from treatment - Works in the grounds daily - Bowels pretty regular - Con: omnia.
Augt 22	Is at present rather excited - No return of Epileptic fits - Bowels slow - No change in mental state - Attentive to his clothes and filthy in his habits as formerly - Appetite and sleep natural. R. pil. Colocynth: Comp: ij. Horæ somni: Vomica 2. C.C. ales.
Septr 20	Has several epileptic fits since last report, but not so many as on the week before last, requiring to be kept in seclusion for a considerable time. Has been released for some days, but is still somewhat quarrelsome & had a fight with another Epileptic patient yesterday. Is not yet fit to be employed out of doors in a pleasant manner. Has been getting alterative pills. Cont: omnia.
Octr 18	Has been free from excitement & employed since two days after last report. Yesterday & today kept in the house on account of the bad weather. Shows also symptoms of returning excitement. Cont:

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ing to get home & asking Nurses pardon &c Tongue very white Has a staring expression of eyes R Rheal Tachiane Calo Croton ☉ XII Lumat alias Allatoin et quatidie

Oct 29 Has been in seclusion since last report except that he was turned out a few hours two days last after beginning his third bath that day was again remitted to seclusion Query Quiet when kept by himself but when in company with the patients is so excitable that he takes offence at the smallest trifle, Lakes his food well & sleeps well Bowels kept regular by means of Tartar & cast on all pills Calt ammia

Nov 23 Was for a week at Tuesday after last report stil excitable & remained secluded since then has been marching industriously in the grounds Eye has a natural stare Voice British Is somewhat flustered & hesitating in his answers Constantly requires (Nurse) to keep his bowels easy Is at present in good health Tongue white Lakes his food well sleeps pretty well Calt ammia

Dec 23 Spends fully half his time in seclusion in consequence of excitability induced by the epilepsy When not in seclusion marks in the grounds but the fits & succeeding excitable periods are gradually assuming oftener are more severe & more protracted while the periods of remission are gradually becoming curtailed Is thin & pale Has a nursing stare Hesitates considerable before he returns an answer as if he did not understand what was said to him Lakes his food well Pupils dilated Tongue white & moist Bowels cleanly when out of his paroxysms Requires medicine to keep them open Rx Pil Aloe Mercurial cum olio Croton ☉ XII pumat quas pro re nata

1849
Jany 19 Had a fit yesterday & is restless in seclusion Goes on in all respects as reported above Calt ammia

Feby 19 Has been out of seclusion for the last sixteen days Works a little Rather thin Lakes his food well Calt ammia

Charles Smith. Admis. 21. fem. Vol. v. fo p. 114.

1845

Jan 4 21	Continues to behave orderly and quiet - takes his food readily, and is in his usual state of health. Appetite good. Sleep and bowels natural. Cont. omnia.
Feby 28	Since last report has been very noisy and excited, so much so that it was deemed necessary to place him for a few days in the Refractory. He is now quiet and at work in the Weavers shop, where he works regularly. Has had no return of fits. Is at present good humoured and well behaved. General health tolerably good. Bowels thoroughly evacuated. Cont. omnia.
March 28	Has been for the last few days very much excited - is upon the whole rather quieter to day - Mind weak confused and evasive - General condition of body healthy - Appetite good - Bowels at present pretty regular - Cont: omnia
April 11	Is again quiet - cheerful and good natured. General health good. - functions natural. Cont: omnia
" 17	In all respects the same as at last report - He is now working in the Weavers shop, where he makes himself very useful. Cont: omnia.
May 18	No change in mental state since last reported - During the last month he has been several times very much excited. He is now however quiet, and at work again in the Weavers shop - When spoken to mutters a word or two in reply generally, and at other times he will not speak a word - Has a very cunning expression of countenance - Eye dull and heavy - Temperature of Body, Arms, hands and feet natural. General condition of Body healthy - Appetite good - Bowels regular. Omnia
" 24	Had several fits yesterday and is to day very much excited - Body in good condition - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Has been placed in seclusion -
June 21	Has been several times very much excited since last reported. He is now quiet and at work again in the Weavers shop - No change in mental state - Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia.
July 18	Bodily health good - Mind is all respects the same as at last report - Has not had any return of fits during the last month - Employed daily in the Weavers shop - Bowels kept regular only by medicine - Appetite good. Cont. omnia
" 20	This patient had two epileptic fits this morning - Bowels pretty regular - Appetite good. Cont. omnia

1845 Admitted May 13. 1845

Augt 8 Bowels regular - Has not had an Epileptic fit since last report - Is now in the Women's shop - Bodily health good - No change in mental state. Cont. ommia

" 31 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont. ommia

Sept 22 Has just left his seat in a very severe epileptic fit - after which continued for several days to exhibit restlessness & excitement - Has again become quiet & minding purns for the present sleeps in seclusion - Takes his food well - Tongue clean - Bowels regular.

Oct 13 Has had two fits of mild character last night & remitted to seclusion as a precautionary measure - Tongue rather foul - R Pill & Saline Draught & Ol Ricini to be taken

" 28 At present in seclusion in a very excited talkative thinking & shouting at the top of his voice - Is at present taking Tartrate & Cream of Tartar Pills by which his bowels are kept pretty regular - Tongue white - Cont. ommia

Nov 23 Three or four days after last report was at work for a day or two but had again to be remitted to seclusion in consequence of a repetition of excitement which has been in force during the last three days - Has been at work quietly for the last eight days - Has a white coloured parasol under his head - Looks rather pale - Takes his food well - Generally quiet & tractable even when at his work - Bowels required to be regulated by Medicine - Cont. ommia

Dec 23 Is seldom out of the refractory in consequence of epileptic fits & succeeding excitement - Is at present out of seclusion but likely and for a day or so - Is looking thin pale & haggard & has today been ordered Calliss with half a pound of bread - Is fond of knitting - Has destructive to his own or the bed clothes - Does a little work in the Nurses in his quiet moments - Takes his food well - often requires medicine to keep his bowels open - Tongue pale - R Pill Draught & Ol Cret & Ol Ricini when required - Pro re nata

1846 Jany 19 Had an epileptic fit two days ago - is now in seclusion - Goes on in all respects as reported above - Cont. ommia

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William McAllester: Æt: 20: from Vol. V. p. p. 115.

1845

April 21		Quiet and orderly in his conduct. Has had no return of fits since last report. Appetite keen. Bowels regular.
July 20		About two weeks ago became very excited and quarrelsome. Had his under lip laid open by another patient, because he interfered with him a few days ago; it was stitched immediately and is now quite healed. He is at present quiet and well behaved. General health good. Bodily functions natural. Cont: omnia.
March	20	No change in mental state - Has had two fits since last report - Health good - Is very quiet at present - Has a very cunning expression of countenance - Appetite sleep and bowels natural. Con: omnia
April	6	Is again very much excited - Epileptic fits have been more frequent during the last ~~month~~ few days - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia.
May	8	Bodily health pretty good - During the last month the fits have been of frequent occurrence - He has been free from excitement for the last three weeks - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural - Very incoherent in conversation - Mind, weak confused and excitable - Tongue clean and moist - Pupils natural - Cont: omnia
"	18	Has had several fits since last report, but of a milder character than usual - He is to-day quiet and in the Gallery - Does not employ himself in any way has an insensible look - Scalp of moderate temperature - Filthy in his habits - Bodily health good - Bowels at present regular - Cont: omnia.
June	24	Bodily health good - Has been very much excited at two different times since last report. Epileptic fits have not been quite so numerous. Is quiet to day and walking about the Gallery. Cont: omnia
July	18	No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Is very much excited to-day, and has been so several times during the last month - Epileptic fits frequent in their occurrence - Bowels kept open only by medicine - Appetite pretty good - Con: omnia
"	28	Is also quiet and in the Gallery again - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Mind in all respects the same as at last report Has not had any fits since the 20th - Filthy in his habits as formerly - Is to be closely watched - Con: omnia
Aug.	22	No change since last report. Con: omnia
"	31	Had a fit this forenoon of another severe character - Bodily health upon the whole pretty good. Continues free from excitement - Bowels kept open by medicine. Cont: omnia

Admitted February 28. 1842.

Sept 20 Epileptic fits have been rather frequent of late accompanied by excitement & delusion. Has a very dogged & sullen expression of countenance very slow & hesitating & confused in his answers sleeps pretty well appetite good is at present getting alterative pills

Oct 13 On the Sixth current his tongue was pale flabby & indented at its edges by his teeth & other atonic symptoms were apparent he was ordered the following R Sulphatis Magnesiae ℥ij Infusi Gentianae ℥xvi Acidi Sulphurici dilut ℥ij misce fiat haustus & Sumat unciam ter quotidie On the 11th Bowels being sluggish & symptoms of the return of epileptic fits being observed the following was ordered R Pil Hydrarg c Aloe Comp ana xii Sumat duas statim et repetatur pro re nata Sept mg[r] At least two fits a day is at present in seclusion

Nov 23 Was out of seclusion for a few days & has again become excited & has to be shut up He very anxious to get out to day but is quite too quarrelsome to be trusted Tongue less pale & flabby Bowels regular Takes his food well Cont ammc

Nov 23 Is seldom out of seclusion a week together at one time Fits become more frequent & severe & his excitement is sometimes dreadful He at present in seclusion but is quiet & will probably be let out to exercise Takes his food well except when hastily excited Bowels require medicine almost constantly to keep them regular He still taking his tonic mixture Countenance much darkened particularly the eyebrows & a blotch mounds Cont ammc

Dec 23 Very seldom out of seclusion a few only for two or three days at a time Fits very frequent & very severe after these he lies for the most part in a stupid & state irritable by some circumstance & then his excitement is dreadful but does not last long he sinking again into a dull comatose state He getting thin haggard & rather feeble Takes his food well when well dressed & the greater part of his excitement so stupified as to pass his stools & urine in bed Requires pressure to keep his bowels open Cont ammc

1843 Jany 19 Takes fits as frequently & as severe as noted above No material change

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Duncan Clark: Aetat: 24. from Vol: X: p.p. 135.
1845.

March 8 Health good - Bodily functions natural - employs himself in the Gallery, and makes himself useful to the Attendant - Converses quite rationally on every subject - is now, properly convalescent. Cont: omnia.

" 10 Continues to enjoy good health - Appetite keen - Bowels regular - Sleeps well at night Mind composed and rational - Cheerful and contented - May be dismissed when his friends come for him, which will be in a few days.

" 24 Being in good bodily health and free from all delusions he is this day, by order of the Physician dismissed.

Cured

Admitted April 8th. 1844

Robert Young: Ætatis: 35: from Vol: 5: p. p. 196.
1845

March 26 Mind weak, confused and wander- Constantly complaining of being annoyed by the Attendants and Patients- this however is not the case- Very destructive- Has an unsettled look- Says that the people here do not behave well keeping him shut up in a Gallery and beaten as many of them are his full cousins, it says very little for them to act so to a relative- Full of delusions- Pulse 76 regular- Pupils contracted- Tongue clean- Bowels regular- Cont: omnia

April 26 No change in any respect since last report Works with the Mason, but he is very lazy- Cont: omnia

May 10 General health good- Bodily functions natural- Says that there are three fellows constantly following him- that they hide themselves under the stairs when he passes to his Gallery at night, but he never gets into bed- that they come from their hiding places into the Gallery, when they remain until a fitting opportunity presents itself for battering him- that he believes this would have been accomplished long ago, had he not heard them speaking together a few nights ago about it, and has accordingly watched every night since to prevent an outrage- that he cannot stand it any longer, he is loosing flesh so rapidly- that he should like to see the Medical officers, that it is very unkind of them to keep him in a Gallery amongst paupers, more especially when they are all relations of his- that his throat were cut by three tailors yesterday fellows who are always following him, visited him months ago- thinks that Peter Roberts who worked with him in Glasgow bit it- Eye has a cunning expression- pupils very much contracted- Tongue clean and moist- No change in mental state &c. Cont: omnia

June 10 Bodily health good- Mind weak and confused- Employed with the Mason regularly- Delusions mentioned in former reports are remembered as ever- Bowels regular- Appetite good. Cont: omnia

July 20 Has a very miserable look- General health good- Mind the same as at last report- Says that the Medical officers are Cousins of his- Works regularly with the Mason. Cont: omnia

Augt 20 Bodily health good- No change in mental state- Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance- Has a cunning expression of countenance- Bowels regular- Appetite good. Works regularly with the Mason Cont: omnia

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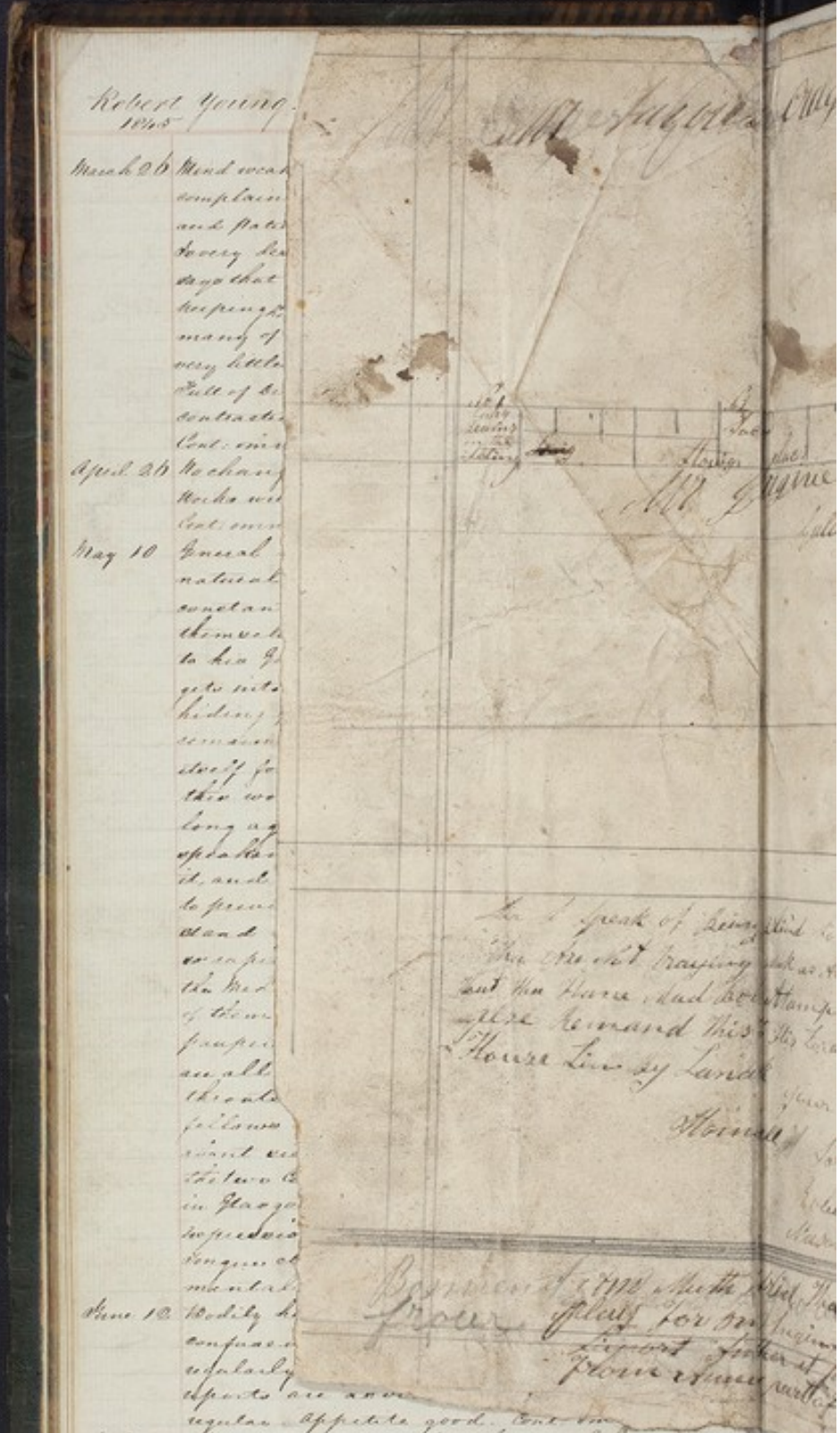

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Admitted September 26th 1860.

Sept 30 Works very regularly as a mason although very fond of going for "a smoke" Wears upon his head a circular shallow old iron vessel (twenty inches in diameter with a hole in the bottom) says it keeps his head cool & is good for preventing disease of the eyes. Will not part with it & on the Medical Attendant expressing a wish to possess it, recommended him to get a piece of steel (for instance a mason's chisel) & beat it under the pillow, as it had a most impressive effect in keeping off all harm. Keeps a quantity of gunpowder & puts it into the same in his porridge every morning, stirring them about till they are somewhat of a slate color & then sups them. Says the gunpowder is very wholesome & that he rubs a little of it on his head occasionally. Says he is anxious to get away & is constantly asking paper to write his letters are for the most so incoherent as to be quite unfit to be copied. Received from him yesterday the following one scarcely a word of it is correctly spelled

To Dr

Thomas Buchard

Sir I see the reason this assistants are trying to raise processes against me. Likewise putting you to a great deal of trouble with gun trying to turn my friends by my thoughts accusing me to the utmost of their power please speak to the Lord Justice Clerk Likewise my friend Lord Carmichael Carlin Bryanard as I mentioned in the letter that they got destroyed that my friend Dr Wm Mackenzie should have got on the 16th Sept Please be so good as write to these it will save further troubles as I am afraid they are trying to raise actions to get upon bad works done Likewise they are hinging in me day & night sale this is doing nothing putting time

Your most obedient servant and
Faithful friend
Andr

Oct 28 Mind as full of fancies as ever still sees the gunpowder as shown & states whenever he can get any thinks or prays to have the [illegible] portions of this powder & advised the medical attendant to do the same daily deeming it a matter of vital importance although he refuses to take what the especially pointed out Works constantly with the mason but is very anxious to be dismissed Health good C. O.

Nov 23 No change in the mental or bodily condition of this patient Every symptom as favourable as ever Pulse strong & robust Continues

Robert Young
Alexander Wilkie Aet 35 from [illegible], 2. p. 15
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Dec 24 Is constantly uttering imin
telligible letters to Dr Mackenzie
& Sheriff Allison &c his sheets
demanding a trial to prove his
innocence & the machinations
of certain parties against him
the establishment &c Has been
muttering a host learning of late
& yesterday morning got a pair of
new shoes attempted to walk
off & has in consequence been con
fined to the gallery & is attended
the attendant — Is a powerful
man with a large chest & very
large head Is in good bodily
condition Is full of all sorts
of fancies Hates his food well
sleeps well bowels regular
Cont omnia

1846 Jany 23 No change still writes largely
about people in the wall behind
the floor &c who are contriving
all sorts of plots to ruin him
the hands Dr Mackenzie & Sheriff
Allison muttering with the most abandoned fan
cies Has been let out to walk
again for the last four days
Health good Strong & robust
Takes his food well Cont
omnia

Feby 19 Is again out & at work along
with the masons No change
in his delusions Has a peculiar
cackle in each half of a sentence
turning repeating his whole speech
ing to a rather inaccessible
degree more frantic with the
needle & considerably reduced
Health good Takes his
food well Cont omnia

March 17 Much still teeming with delu
sions still imagines Dr Mackenzie
& his cousin still supposes
there are people lodged in the
walls for the purpose of murder
ing & others still uses gun powder
externally & internally (when he can
get it) to defend himself from
the evils that beset him Health
very good Works with
the masons Cont omnia

27 No appreciable change
still annoyed at night
by persons in the wall & in
the floor who attempt to
get at & murder him on every
possible occasion got holed of
a piece of iron with which he
purposes for a secret chisel

Admitted Sept 26th 1843.

his person not only for the purpose of defending himself from the attacks of mortal enemies but also murdering of supernatural ones He is strong & robust a good appetite sleeps & formerly was used to take exercise

April 26 Mind & Feelings with respect to persons being shut in the wall in the floor &c of the room & iron mark about the person to defend him of the excellent properties & virtues of gunpowder & lead both externally & internally & c Health good Rambles regularly & is much

May 25 No abatement of fancies & conversation to be annoyed by all sorts of persons at night fancies persons without room about this person & often the iron ground to a point No manner is one piece better from him than the manager by some means to secure another hit after taking of his clothes at mid day & shutting himself in a part of cell down in the yard called the green Health good Conduct Same

June 20 Has been getting considerably excited for the last few days fancying the most dreadful vengeance against the parties who secretly annoy him & even against those who keep him in the "Hell of a place" Has today an iron wire bound round just beneath the knee & one above each knee an iron chain round his neck one round his chest & one a little farther down All these he says have been put on by the persons from the machinations of his inveterate enemies for he has lost the power of some part of his back besides they are drawing away all the nourishment from his body letters such threats &c It will be prudent to confine him to his gallery for some days Health good Conduct

July 22 Considerably quieter & at work again but quite as full of delusions as ever Wears the chains to secure himself from the machinations of his enemies Is not quite so full in the body as formerly but still in tolerable condition Takes his food well Rambles easy having had an alternative pill every night for some days past

Daniel Tuddy. Æt. 30. from Vol. 3. p. p. 189.

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March 26 Mind weak and confused - Bodily health pretty good - but incoherent in conversation betrays into a long story about his family to the Medical officer today - It was so unconnected however that nothing could be made of it - said that last night he could not sleep because of some people upbraiding his relatives, cannot say how they know about his affairs, as the voices were strange to him - Epileptic fits have been more frequent during the last fortnight. Bowels regular at present - they are only kept open by Medicine - Appetite good

April 26 Has been very much excited since last report - No change in mental state - said today that he was going away home - that he thought he would be better there - that he considered it right to give us warning before he went as we had been so kind to him - when the Medical officer said it would be better for him to remain until he was quite well - He said he would wait for a day or two longer, but he had a great deal of business to do at home - very rambling in conversation - Health robust - Bodily functions natural. Cat: omnia.

May 20 Bodily health good. Mind weak confused and erratic - Scalp of moderate temperature has an anxious expression of countenance pulse 74 moderate - pupils natural - Tongue pretty clean and moist. Is at present rather depressed. Has had one Epileptic fit since last report. Bowels kept open only by Medicine - Appetite voracious. Cat: omnia.

June 14 Has not had any Epileptic fits since last report - Health good - is more cheerful to day - Is very confused in conversation - Habit cleanly - Bowels regular - Cat: omnia

July 16 Had one Epileptic fit about three weeks ago - Is sometimes very excited - Continues cheerful - Bowels kept open by medicine Appetite and sleep natural - Cat: omnia

Aug. 21 Has had three Epileptic fits since last report - Bodily health good No change in mental state -

Oct. 1st Epileptic fits have been rather frequent of late - Has been rather quarrelsome - has struck two or three times struck another epileptic Was accounted excited to be dismissed - Has again become good natured in the gardens occasionally - Is taken alternative pills - Slight threatening of general paralysis in right hand - Answers ordinary questions rationally - Bodily health tolerable - Has the expression of the epileptic - Tongue pale - Bowels sluggish - Is put on Tartrate of Antimony and Senega mixture Cat: omnia

1846 Jan 18

Jan 18

Feb 18

May 18

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Aug 28 Had two Epileptic fits seven days ago after which became so destructive that he was put in seclusion. Is again quiet & has got this clothes today. Has been troubled for some time back with a number of small sores on legs these however are now nearly all healed. Bowels require pills to keep them regular. When at his best demeanor has a dull & dejected expression of countenance. Cont Comm

Nov 18 Was only a few days out of seclusion when he had to be remanded again where he was kept fully a fortnight. Felt low in bodily health. Carbuncle & Furuncles & scales appearing on body & especially on lower limbs. For these got port & collapse semi-coma. Has rallied very considerably & is likewise much quieter & out of this room for the last few days but still sleeps secluded. Cont Comm

Dec 18 Has been on the whole very considerably better since last report both in bodily & mental things. Fits as before in regard to frequency & intensity. The last of these occurred five days ago. Is however employed pitching cocoa fibre. Is in rather better bodily condition than at last report. Carbuncles & furuncles have disappeared from body & limbs. Has a tonic mixture for a considerable time & requires pills for his bowels occasionally. Cont Comm

29 Has had one or more Epileptic fits almost daily for the last week & is in seclusion as he was unable to strike the patients little strength suddenly ceased. Cont Comm

Is getting Jacket & cotton vest pillows to keep his bowels free & they are always ready to move

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Jan 19 No Epileptic fits since last report. Works a little at picking cocoa fibre. Mind is very much enfeebled. Is getting collapse & bread extra as he is rather thin. Bowels generally require the use of medicine to keep them open. Cont Comm

Feb 19 Epileptic fits have again been somewhat frequent. Nutritious & Tonic mixture. Takes his food well. Cont Comm

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Ebenezer Strayan: Statis: 22: from Vol: 5: p p 197

1868.

March 26	No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Cannot be made to speak a word - Laughs in an imbecile manner when spoken to - Cannot do anything for himself - Always rolling on the floor - Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural. Con: omnia
April 26	Bodily health good - Not quite so filthy in his Habits & destructive to his Clothes as formerly - Rattles to himself all day long - Mind weak and fatuous - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Cont: omnia
May 30	In all respects the same as when last reported. - Con: omnia
June 19	General condition of Body healthy - perfectly imbecile - Mind almost gone - Mutters to himself all day long - Bowels regular - appetite good. Filthy in his habits and destructive to his clothes - Comnia
July 11	His patients brother being desirous of having him at home, he removed him to day's Mess being no improvement in his mental state he is consequently dismissed as

Relieved

Admitted December 19. 1844

James Wood. aetat: 16. pom tel: vf. p. p. 14.

1845

March 16 Pupils slightly dilated - Tongue pretty clean and moist - Very mischievious, and troublesome. Mind weak confused and erratic - has an idiotic expression of countenance & addicted to bad habits - Body in good condition, and of ordinary temperature - Answers questions in monosyllables and not always relevantly. Never employs himself in any way. Appetite keen. Bowels regular. Sleeps well at night - Con: omnia.

April 16 No change either mental or bodily has taken place since last report. Cont: omnia

May 15 Pulse 68 moderate - pupils dilated. - Tongue clean and moist - No change in mental state - Laughs in an imbecile manner - has been absenting the Attendants in the Gallery during the last month - Bodily health good. Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia

June 24 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Continually in mischief - Bowels regular - Occasionally assists the Attendants in the Galleries but he is not much to be depended upon. C. omnia

July 18 In all respects the same as when last reported. Con: omnia

Aug. 21 Bodily health good - No change in mental state. Cont: omnia

Oct 16 No change in the patient - Employed occasionally in the pattern room out of doors but is mischievous & not to be depended on answers questions reasonably but accompanies by a Kitten Bodily health tolerable Cont: om

Oct 25 Very dirty & slovenly in his personal appearance - Mind continues as weak as ever - Assists in the Galleries & in the grounds occasionally - Walks in a very clumsy dragging manner with his toes turned far out - Health continues good Cont omnia

Nov 28 No change since last report Cont inues to assist in the Galleries and occasionally in the grounds - Shows no disposition to get away - seems very contented with his situation - Enjoys good Bodily Health - Appetite voracious Cont omnia

Dec 25 Mind very weak. Dirty & slovenly. Assists in the Galleries & occasionally in the grounds but is very schlenk & rather tricky - Gestures constant & impertinent. Takes his food well & enjoys good health - Bowels Regular Cont omnia

1846
Jan 19 No change - Mind imbecile - Works a little in the gallery very slovenly - Appetite good - Health better Cont om

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Feby 19	Mind continues in the same unhealthy state Takes his food heartily Health pretty good Slovenly & slack Cont comm
March 16	No change in any respect Apathy & mental sluggish & slovenly Mind very weak Takes his food well & enjoys good health Cont comm
" 27	Remains in all respects as at last report Mind very much worse a little in the Gallery Apathy Health pretty good Bowels regular Tongue clean Appetite excellent Cont comm
April 24	Mind continues in the same weak state Assists about the gallery & occasionally about the grounds but is not of much use Has been rather apt of late to make unhealthy impertinent remarks Was threatened with punishment a few days ago & has been less unpleasant since Takes his food well Rather unsettled Cont comm
May 25	No change of any importance since last report Continues in all respects the same Health good Cont comm
June 25	Mind & habits no appreciable change Still employed in the gallery Apathy Health tolerably good Bowels regular on Tuesday last but not destructive Cont comm
July 24	No change of any importance Assists in the gallery & sometimes in the grounds Very slovenly Takes his food well Health pretty good Bowels regular Cont comm
Augt 24	No change of any importance Assists in the Galleries Health good Cont
Septr 24	No difference in any respect since last report Assists in the Gallery Health good Takes his food well Cont comm
Oct 24	Continues much in the same state Dirty & slovenly Assists a little in the Gallery Mind very much Takes his food well Cont comm
Nov 24	No improvement of any consequence Assists a little in the Gallery Very slovenly Health good Cont comm

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David Connel. Statis: 33. from Vol: 6. p. pr. 12.

1845

March 30 No change in mental state – Health not so good of late – Employ himself in the Weavers Shop – Bowels regular – Appetite good – Continues filthy in his habits – Let him have Colliops and Beef tea daily.

April 1 Pulse 80 small and feeble – pupils dilated Tongue white but moist – Is loosing flesh – Complains of weakness and debility – Habits filthy – Bowels pretty regular – Expectorates a quantity of muco-bloody looking matter. – ℞ Vini Opiaca. Mij – Infus: Quassiæ ℥xvj. Mucil: Acaciæ ℥ij Misce. Sumantur ℥ij ante manducationem. Ter. die.

" 10 Pulse 88 small. Tongue rather brown and dry – pupils dilated – Very restless and dissatisfied with every thing that is done for him – Much more rational since last report – Appetite indifferent – Skin covered with a cold perspiration – Has an attack of Diarrhœa at present – ℞ Pil: Hydrarg: Cum Opio gr. v. Statim sumend.

" 20 Pulse 94 small – pupils dilated – Tongue white but moist – Habits filthy in the extreme – Much more active of late – Complains of his mouth being sore these two days past – Bowels very much relaxed – Let him have jelly for his mouth – ℞ Hydrarg c Creta gr. viij Pulv: Opiaca. Comp: gr. v. Pulv: Rhei mat: gr. viij M ft Pulvis. Sumatur una ter quotidie. Cibis

April 30 Person washed daily – Answers rationally – Mouth relieved by the jelly – Expectoration and Cough continue – Still careless of his food – Skin covered with cold clammy perspiration – Pulse and Breathing feeble – Looks much thinner – Omitt. Mistura Infus: Quassiæ – ℞ Infusi Gentianæ Co ℥ij Vini Opii Camphorat ℥ij Vini Ipecacuanhæ ℥ij Aquæ fontanæ ℥ij ft Mistura. Sumat: Cochl: ij ampla ter quotidie inter cibos – To have the port of porter per diem.

May 1 Pulse small hot and very much swollen – Slough forming over palate – Appears to take his porter, beef tea and Colliops with some relish – Legs to be bandaged with flannel rollers – Apply Cotton wool over palate.

" 2 Bowels rather relaxed – No other change since last report except that he is loosing flesh day by day.

" 3 Expectoration and cough continue – Bowels very loose – Sinking rapidly – Rejects food Is rational enough to commendation – passes his urine and fæces involuntarily.

" 4 His patient became worse this day had did not state, and at ½ past 2. A. M. he without a struggle

Died

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Edward Burns: Statistics from Vol: B: p. p. 11

1845

March 28 Mind weak confused and restless - very unconnected in conversation - destructive to his clothes and filthy in his habits - Is occasionally employed in the grounds - Has been free from excitement since last report - General health good - Bodily functions natural - Cont: comma

April 26 No change either in mind or body since last report - Con: comma

May 14 Health good - Temperature of Body natural Scalp of moderate temperature - Countenance expressive of unhealthy - No improvement in this patients habits - Bowels regular Appetite good - No change whatever in mental state - C. comma

June 10 General health good - Bodily functions natural - Works occasionally in the grounds - Mind the same as at last report - Con: comma

July 10 Health appears the same as when last reported - C. comma

Aug 20 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural - Works in the grounds daily - Cont: comma

Oct 12 Little or no change in the state of this patient - Careless & filthy in his habits - Has a fall & slightly fractured his knee three weeks ago & has not the use of it well - Has considerable delusion & incoherency in conversation - Bowels pretty regular - takes his food well - Cont comma

Nov 16 Assists at carrying coals & feeding the furnaces & useful like employment about the establishment - In general mental state & demeanour - Mind is very weak & irrelevant often walks in a slow measured manner & suddenly starts off in another direction - Answers very imperfectly & reluctantly - Has an unhealthy sore on ankle - 2 weeks ago when confined him to bed for few days - Is present in good health - Appetite - Eats & sleeps well - Bowels reported regular - Cont comma

Dec 16 No change in mental state - Mind weak & irritable - Works occasionally but is very much treated - may yet be a useful patient - Bodily health - Complains of pain in his head - Eats his food well - Bowels regular - Cont comma

29 Mind continues in the same weak & powerful state - Works at carrying coals &c - Mind erratic - Shy & suspicious - Has still considerable delusion - Little change since last report - Cont comma

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Feb 7/14

March 7

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April 16

May 25

June 25

July 22

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1846
Aug 19 Mind weak fanciful & irrate often stand with his face directed to the wall or into a corner Shuns communication with Attendants Taking at present alterative pills to keep his bowels regular Has a pacillating unsteady look takes his food well Rather feminine in his personal appearance Cont same

Sept 19 Had rather lost flesh lately & has been getting collapse & head extra Recovering some what No change in mental condition Walks but little Cont same

Oct 17 Has somewhat recovered flesh but is still rather pale & thin Has a timid peasant imbecile look Mind very weak & irrate Often stands in a corner & makes sudden movements as if impelled by some involuntary impulse Is taciturn answers a question but moves away when spoken to Bowels regular Getting extra diet Cont same

27 Not much change since last report Has still the same timid peasant imbecile expression of countenance Cannot utter a connected sentence Indeed is in all respect as at last report Cont same

Nov 26 Little change to state Shy & diffident Mind very weak Can scarcely be got to any useful purpose But is inoffensive Takes his food well & is improving in bodily condition Cont same

Dec 23 Mind continues in the same weak & patronic state Walks a little occasionally Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont same

Jan 25 Has been for the last fortnight employed in the grounds & working tolerably industriously Mind continues in the same weak condition but he has intervals in which he is not quite so stupified as at other times Takes his walk pretty well & looks good Cont

Feb 22 Much in the same state as at last report Bodily health tolerably good Cont same

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Robert Hamilton: Æt. 45 from Vol: B. p. 91. P.
1846

Jan 7 20 No change in mental state since last report. Epileptic fits less frequent than formerly. Cannot be employed. Has an imbecile expression of countenance. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite good. Sleep and Bowels natural. Con: omnia

Feby 20 Tongue clean. Bowels regular. Mind weak and fatuous. Never employs himself. Seems diminished to speak. Health good. Con: omnia

March 11 Symptoms of an approaching fit - Bowels pretty regular - Mind weak confused and erratic - Cannot be employed in any way - Never enters into conversation with any one - Appetite pretty good. Imp: lyttæ. mucha applicanti. C. Alia

" 20 No White to the nape of the neck has had the effect of warding off the fit. General health pretty good - Bodily functions natural. Con: omnia

April 20 General health good - Bodily functions natural. Mind weak confused and erratic - Has had no Epileptic fits since last report. Con: omnia

May 18 Mind weak and fatuous - Has had several fits since last reported - Answers questions in monosyllables and not always relevantly - Cleanly in his Habits and personal appearance - General condition of Body healthy Never employs himself at anything useful or harmless - Sleeps well at night - Appetite good. Bowels regular

June 24 Bodily health good - Has had four Epileptic fits since last report - No change in mental state - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Con: omnia

July 21 Epileptic fits continue - Bodily health good - Bowels regular - No change in mental state Con: omnia

Augt 21 Mind in the same weak and fatuous state - Bowels regular - Never employs himself in any way - Epileptic fits have been rather fewer

Sept: 21 Has had five Epileptic fits since last they were however upon the whole more mild in their character than usual. Bowels kept regular by occasional doses of aperient medicine. No change whatever in the mental state of this patient. Con: omnia

Oct 28 Has been free from fits since last report visited today when he took one immediately after dinner present typing on bed in a half stupid state - Mind at the best is very weak He is never employed never enters into conversation

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Spontaneously & when questioned is pleasant answers at all times with a monosyllable & not always relevantly

Nov 27 Had two or three fits during the week following last report both of a rather mild character Has had none since Is very quiet & effident & retired Takes almost no interest in what is going on around Occasionally gets a fine alterative pills to keep his bowels easy Is rather pale & thin Has a melancholy & rather unhealthy cast of countenance Takes his food tolerably well Coat common

Dec 25 Epileptic fits have been rather less frequent since last report Quiet melancholy & effident Has a melancholy expression of countenance Is very pale & rather thin Answers briefly & in a low tone Occasionally does a little mark by picking Cocoa fibre Takes his food well Bowels regular Coat common

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Jany 19 Little or no change Is a weak old man quiet melancholy & reserved Fits rec'd as formerly Seldom roams any symptom of excitement Takes his food well Bowels regular Tolerably cleanly Coat common

Feby 19 No change of any importance Has a fit occasionally but seldom betrays any excitement Is effident & melancholy Rather pale & thin Bowels rec'd regular Takes his food well Coat common

March 17 Little if any change Is pale thin & weak Is effident retired & melancholy Speaks little & only in a low tone when questioned Epileptic fits continue as before Takes his food well Is getting extra diet Coat common

27 Had an epileptic fit yesterday in falling received a severe shock to his right temple from which he has not entirely recovered Is quiet timid & melancholy Thin & pale Takes his food well Bowels regular Coat common

April 26 Little change Is getting very frail Fits continue Dull & stupid quiet & inoffensive Coat common

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William Wallace: Co: 30. from Vol: 17: p. p. 17.
1845

Jan 1 30	Health good. Manners and habits as formerly. Appears very depressed and listless. Does a little work occasionally. No change in mental state. Bowels pretty regular. Commun.
Feb 1 28	No change since last report in the state of either body or mind. Cont. omnia
March 4	His patient succeeded in eluding the vigilance of the attendants and today made his escape from the Institution. His friends who had been sometime anxious to have him at home, having expressed a desire that he should remain with them, he is dismissed

Relieved.

Admitted August 1st. 1848

William Gunn. Admitted 30 from Vol. 6. p. p. 12.
1845

Feby 10 Pulse 76 good. - Pupils natural - Tongue clean-
ised and well behaved. - Has a very cunning
expression of countenance - No change in mental
state since last report - When asked questions
answers in a confused manner, and appears
to want words to express himself - Appetite very
good - Sleeps well at night - Bowels pretty
regular. Cont: omnia.

March 12 Has been employed regularly of late in the Weavers
shop, where he makes himself very useful -
Cleanly in his person and habits - Good
natured and cheerful - Tongue clean and moist.
Pupils slightly dilated - Conjunctiva rather muddy
General health good - functions natural. Cont omnia

April 10 Pulse 72 regular - Pupils natural - Tongue
pretty clean and moist - General condition
of body healthy - Mind much confused and
wants - Cannot utter a connected sentence -
Health good - Bodily functions natural.
Cont. Omnia

May 24 No change in mental state - Bodily health
good - Employs himself regularly in the
Weavers shop - Confused in conversation
sleeps well at night - Bowels regular -
Appetite good. Cont omnia.

June 28 General health good - Bodily functions
natural. Cont omnia

July 30 Bodily health good - Mind weak con-
fused and erratic - Works steadily in
the Weavers shop. Habits cleanly - Bowels
regular. Cont. omnia

Augt 31 No change in mental state. Bodily
health good. Works steadily in the
Weavers Shop. Bowels regular. Appetite
good. Cont. omnia

Sept 2 Works constantly & diligently in the weavers
shop. Will behaved quiet & retired. Enters into
conversation with no one & scarcely answers a
question. Two days ago requested that his
tea might be discontinued as it burned
his inside. Is full of fancies but these
are known mostly from his acts as he
very seldom speak. Bodily health pretty
good. Bowels ~~regular~~ Cont omnia
Mother plow Tongue white No Pul alterations
Remark if any omnia

Sept 30 Still works constantly & diligently in
the weavers shop. Will behaved & attentive
diligent & retired is more cheerful &
communicative than formerly but only to the
extent of any short answers to questions
about his meals the weather &c. Still suf-
fers the tea might be injurious to him
Bowels regular. Tongue white Pulse moist
Takes his food well Cont omnia

Nov 30 Works industriously in the
weavers Shop. Quiet & well
behaved. Cont favourable Bodily
health tolerable Cont omnia

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Dec 25 Works steadily in the manners shop seldom speaks or attends to any thing but his work Quiet diffident & retired Mind weak & full of fancies Takes his food well but is rather pale Tolerably careful of his clothes & personal appearance Bowels regular Tongue pulse & Count ommn

1841 June 19 No appreciable change Works industriously in the manners shop Mind very weak & fanciful seems contented & happy but speaks little Takes his food well but is pale from confinement perhaps as from the season of the year he is seldom in the open air Tolerably cleanly Count ommn

July 17 No change Still works industriously in the manners shop Mind weak & fanciful but he seems cheerful & contented with his lot Somewhat slovenly in appearance Bowels reported regular Count ommn

Sept 16 Employed as formerly in the manners shop where he works constantly neither murmuring for nor asking any recreation Mind weak & erratic but seems contented & happy Takes his food tolerably well Bowels regular Heart & cleanly Count ommn

27 No mental improvement Mind being still as weak & fanciful as before Works diligently in the manners shop Takes his food tolerably well but sometimes refrains from some portions from some fancied dread of their being unwholesome Bowels regular Cleanly & careful of his clothes Count ommn

Oct 26 No change of any importance Continues to work diligently in the manners shop Mind weak & fanciful Pale from confinement but has no work to get out Takes his food Health tolerable Count ommn

Nov 26 Still at work in the manners shop Mind weak & fanciful Talks but little very quiet & inoffensive Takes his food pretty well but is rather thin Count

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Robert Hamilton. Admn. 1 C from Ld. L. P. p. 22.

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April 20 Continues to employ himself regularly in the Tailors Shop. Mind weak & confused - Cleanly in his person and habits - Laughs in an imbecile manner - Answers yes or no as the case may be to any question put to him - Seldom or never speaks to any one unless spoken to. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia.

May 20 Is all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia.

June 14 Pulse 64 moderate - Tongue clean and moist - pupils dilated - Mind weak confused and erratic - Cleanly in his habits - Temperature of Body natural - General condition of Body healthy. Employs himself regularly in the Tailors Shop - Betrays no particular delusions - is confused and hesitating in conversation. Cont: omnia

July 18 Bodily health good. Works steadily in the Tailors shop. Bowels regular - No change in mental state. Cont: omnia

Augt. 31 Mind weak confused and erratic. General health good. Works steadily in the Tailors Shop. Habits cleanly. Cont: omnia

Sept 1 Works daily in the Tailors Shop Dresses & shaves himself cleanly & good natured. Betrays no delusions but mind is weak & imbecile. When spoken to answers with a silly laugh. Is in good bodily health. Takes his food well. Tongue clean. Bowels regular

31 Mind continues in the same weak imbecile state. Works constantly in the Tailor's Shop. Bodily functions natural. Takes his food well & is regular. Cont: omnia

Nov 29 Little or no change. Works steadily in the Tailor's Shop. Enjoys excellent bodily health. Mind weak as formerly. Cleanly & tolerably careful of his clothes. Sleeps well. Cont: omnia

Dec 25 No mental change. Mind continues weak but he betrays no delusions. Works steadily in Tailor's shop. Laughs foolishly when spoken to. Is cleanly & tolerably careful of his clothes. Takes his food well & is in tolerable bodily condition. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia

1846

Jany 19 Works as formerly in the Tailors shop. Mind weak but without any prominent delusion. Health good. Takes his food well. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. C. O.

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Feby 19 Not much change Mind some what imbecile & will probably always remain so but betrays no delusion Somewhat hasty & mischievous but on the whole marks very industrious in the manner Tailor's Shop Cont. comm.

March 17 No change of any importance Works industriously in the Tailors Shop & behaves himself tolerably well considering his age Being a little hasty & mischievous Mind continuing somewhat imbecile Health good Cont. comm.

27 Works industriously in the Tailor's Shop & Hasty & mischievous Mind some what more cheerful Conducts himself tolerably well Takes his food well Bowels regular Cleanly of his clothes not destructive Cont. comm.

April 24 Employed as formerly in the Tailor's Shop Mind continues sleepily imbecile & on the whole considering his age tolerably well behaved Takes his food well Health good Cont. comm.

May 25 Still employed in the manner's Shop Mind in the same somewhat imbecile state Conducts himself tolerably well Cont. comm.

June 24 Mind little somewhat more cheerful Conducts himself very well Works tolerably diligently Takes his food well & enjoys good health Cont. comm.

July 22 Still employed in the Tailor's Shop Mind weak but conducts himself tolerably well Bodily health good & tolerably cleanly & not destructive Cont. comm.

Aug. 24 No change of any importance Still employed in the Tailor's Shop & conducts himself very well Cont. comm.

Sept. 24 Still employed in the Tailor's Shop Mind some what more but probably as strong as ever it is likely to be Bodily health good Cleanly & careful of his clothes in a high degree Cont. comm.

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James Kirkland: admitted from Md. 6. A. M. 81.

1845

April 26 No change in mental state - General health good. Cont: comma

May 24 Much as at last report - Bodily health good - Countenance expressive of futility - pupils dilated - tongue clean and moist - Never employs himself in any way - Destructive of his clothes - laughs idiotically - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: comma

June 18 Health good - Bodily functions natural habits cleanly - begs tobacco occasionally but of late he has been very obliging. Never employs himself. Cont: comma

July 30 General health good functions natural Mind in all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: comma

Augt 31 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: comma

Sept 2 No mental change whatever. Slobbers considerable filthy in the extreme. Legs are liable to swell. Was seized a few days ago received a kick on the right one which brought on an attack of cellular inflamation which confined him to his bed for a week but now bathes & sits again. Appetite sleep & bowels natural

31 No improvement whatever in mental state. Filthy & destructive. Laughs loudly in a very idiotic manner at small cause. Legs continue largely swollen & congested at present. They are free from sores. Bowels regular. Appetite excellent. Sleeps well. Cont: comma

Nov 29 No change in any respect. Slobbers & filthy. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Legs swollen as usual but free from sores. Bowels regular. Sleeps well. Cont: comma

Dec 25 No mental change. Slobbers very much. Filthy in his person & careless of his clothes. Legs are almost always swollen & congested & liable to inflame on the slightest exposure. At present they are quite free. Laughs idiotically at the slightest trifle & countenance is expressive of imbecility. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont: comma

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Jany 19 Continues in the same imbecile state. No improvement whatever. Slobbers & laughs idiotically. Dirty & slovenly. Takes his food well. Legs are generally largely swollen & liable to ulcerate. Bowels regular. Cont: comma

Admitted August 18. 1846

1846

Feb 19 No change of any importance
Left most of the day in the
farm in the messroom Laughs
in an idiotic manner Takes
his food well Legs same
state The same tendency
to swell continues

Mar 17 As at last report Imbecile
dirty & sluggish Generally
left all day on a form in the
messroom Laughs idiotically
at the smallest trifles Takes
his food well Legs & feet
somewhat smaller Bowels
reported regular Cont omn

27 Mind continues in the
same imbecile or rather
fatuous state Seldom
stirs from the seat in which
he usually occupies in the
mess room Laughs in a loud
& silly manner at the small
est trifles Takes his food
well Bowels regular
Cont omn

April 24 No improvement in either
mental or bodily condition
Appears to grow more
feeble & emaciated Takes
his food well Bowels regular
Cont omn

May 25 Continues in all respects as at
last report Mind very weak
Very dirty Cont omn

June 20 Has within this few days
become so weak that he cannot
stand on his legs which have
become dropsical being very
largely swollen nearly up to
the groins & very stupid & can
scarcely speak Tongue is coated
Bowels confined Takes his food pretty
well Bowels act tolerably
regularly Tongue is moist
& not very foul To have Spts
Æther Co ℥ss ex Infusion
Gentian Co ℥ss & Tinct
Cardamom Co ℥ij Mist Camph
Comp ℥vj ter die

24 Very little improvement
Is dull & stupid in head but
able to take his food well
Pupils natural No paralytic
paralysis No alteration in
progress Bowels tolerably
freely Cont omn

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Robert Coventry. Admitted 41 from Hd. 6: p. p. 55.
1840

April 20 Mind weak confused and wavering - Raves in an incoherent manner - Has been quite much excited during last month - Change in his Habits and personal appearance - Bodily health good - functions natural

May 18 pulse 72 moderate - pupils dilated Tongue clean and moist - Heat of skin moderate temperature - Countenance expressive of timbecility - Eye wears a dull expression - General condition of Body healthy - Has been much quieter than usual during the last month Fears of his great connections as usual - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Conversation

June 16 Do all respects the same as when last reported. Commences

July 10 Bodily health good - functions natural Has been assisting the attendants of late. He is however very lazy Commences

Aug. 21 No change in mental state. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Conversation

Sept 22 No change whatever in mental condition Assists the attendant in the gallery Never see the Medical officer but states that his Majesty of his abilities as a statesman entreats to get discussed Stammers a good deal in his speech Tongue clean Bowels regular Bodily health good Conversation

31 Is pleasant in his applications to be hearing his abilities as a statesman His Relations his personal appearance as a reason for he will go down on his knees & beg he never did to mortal man & beg for liberty Sometimes lays himself down on the ground & tears like a child bewailing his fate A few days ago asked the Medical attendant to shut his eyes & put him out of existence Here was no hope of him getting out of here Stammers considerably in his speech Tongue clean Bowels regular Takes his food well Conversation

Nov 28 He is if possible still more unfortunate to be dismissed as to be allowed to put himself out of existence Has some times to be secluded He gets so unfortunate clinging to the attendants & imploring to be released Is not quite so full in reading Takes his food well Head shaved Shirt & Vest Has produced little or no change Gets two pints & a ration ale Pills every second night 1 o.

Admitted March 5: 1842.

Dec 25 So excessively unfortunate to be dismissed imploring often with tears for goodsake to be set at liberty if that cannot be granted to put him out of existance Sometimes so excessively annoying as to require to be secluded for a day or two Left knee of late has become affected with deep seated diffuse inflamation of an unhealthy character It was punctured & has become more circumscribed shows a tendency to point & will probably be incised to day Bodily fulness has been falling off for sometime Is getting cadaverous Breakfast Refuses to work Bowels pretty regular Getting a tonic mixture & alterative pills Cont omma

1846
Dec 26 No change in the mental condition of the patient Still unfortunate to get home imploring in the most affecting manner often with tears to be set at liberty Bodily health has improved considerably but is still somewhat thin Cont omma

" 27 Sometimes gets very excited curses & vociferates loudly demanding to be set at liberty & sometimes goes the length of striking those around him but on the whole makes tolerably strong & with reluctance takes his food well Bodily condition improving Cont omma

" 28 Still as anxious as ever to get out Cries laments & entreats Remonstrates & marches tolerably industriously in the gallery Hands are kept to get swollen & puffy Is improving slowly in bodily condition Takes his food well Is tolerably cleanly Cont omma

" 29 No appreciable change except perhaps rather less loud in his lamentations & complaints But is still as anxious as ever to get away Resents in the gallery but cannot be trusted out as he would undoubtedly attempt to run off Bodily health tolerably good Cont omma

" 30 Continues in all respects as at last report Resents in the gallery but still employs much loud lamentations & entreaties to be released Cont omma

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David Niven. aetat. 46: from Lat: 6: p. p. 51.
1845

March 14	Tongue clean and moist - Appetite natural. Has been quiet and well behaved since last report - very cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - knits and mends clothes regularly, and is cheerful and happy - Appetite good. Bowels regular. Converses rationally enough. Mind weak Cont: omnia
April 16	No change in any respect since last report
May 14	Genl: health good - Retains no delusions - Constantly employed either assisting the Attendants or knitting - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia
June 10	Bodily health good - Regularly employed at something or other. Is very cheerful. Bodily functions natural. Cont: omnia
July 20	In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia
Augt 31	Mind in the same state as at last report. Bodily health good. Employs himself daily. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia
Oct 18	Mind continues very much but retains no delusions Does not wish to leave the asylum - declares if his friends do force him away, he will soon make himself mad enough to cause his being sent back To very much ashamed good humoured & very industrious Has been employed during the last month painting the rooms in the upper story galleries & the staircases of the institution Enjoys general health Cont: omnia
Nov 18	Continues his employment painting the doors &c of the galleries No mental change since last report Enjoys good health Eats & sleeps well Cont: omnia
Dec 18	As at last report Still employed at painting as also in the galleries Enjoys excellent health & is very contented with his present trade, functions natural Cont: omnia
29	Still employed at painting In all respects as at last report Cont: omnia
1846 Jany 20	No change mental or bodily in the state of this patient Works industriously Takes his food well Health good Cleanly & careful of his clothes Contented with his situation Cont: omnia
Feby 20	No change of any importance Takes his food well Health good Cont: omnia

1846 Admitted July 19: 1843

March 17 Little change in any respect Enjoys good bodily health Works industriously Retains good conduct Commn

27 Still employed at painting the road mostly of the wards Conducts himself in all respects well Returns no delinquencies Steady Health good Cont Commn

April 26 Bodily Health continues good Works industriously Takes his food well Health good Bowels regular Steady & tidy in his personal appearance Cont Commn

May 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Steady Health good Cont Commn

June 24 Still employed painting the road mostly & Repairing Conducts himself in all respects well Health good Bowels regular Cont Commn

July 22 Continues nearly in the same state Two days ago wished to get leave to go to Glasgow to see the fair but not obtaining it walked off without it & returned in the evening for this he was sent to seclusion for ten hours & forbid to leave the grounds without leave Health good Cont Commn

August 24 Conducting himself nearly well Some last report Working industriously Health good Cont Commn

September 24 No change of any importance since last report Still employed painting Health good Cont Commn

October 24 Still employed painting the doors windows &c Conducts himself well & quietly Cont Commn

November 24 No change Appreciable Conducts himself in all respects quietly & works industriously Steadily Health good Cont Commn

December 24 Continues much the same as reported above Conducts himself in all respects well Steadily employed painting Health good Cont Commn

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January 24 Must the same Conducts himself well in all respects Health good Cont

February 24 Continues in all respects as at Cont report Health good Cont Commn

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1875

April 20 Has had several Epileptic fits since last report - When speaking to answer questions in monosyllables - Destructive to his Clothes and filthy in his habits as formerly - Mind, weak and fatuous, as mentioned in previous reports - Cannot be employed in any way - Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: common.

May 24 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: common.

June 20 Epileptic fits very frequent and more severe in their character. No change in any other respect since last report. Is loosing flesh - Appetite good - Bowels regular - Cont: common.

" 30 No change in mental state since last report - Has had only two fits since last report - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Looks upon the whole rather better today. He has at present 1 pint of porter per diem. Cont: common.

July 22 Had one Epileptic fit on the 20th of a very mild character - Destructive and filthy as formerly - Health rather better. Bowels, Appetite and Sleep natural. Cont: common.

Augt 31 Health has been very indifferent of late. No change in mental state. Bowels regular. Epileptic fits continue very frequent in their occurrence. Appetite poor. Let him have nourishing diet. Cont: in

Sept 2 Epileptic fits have been very frequent & severe of late. Is very much reduced & can walk with difficulty, at present is confined to bed. Has a most unhealthy expression of countenance. Has been ordered Marsala Wine in addition to his diet. Bowels pretty regular. Refuses Gentian & Ammonia

14 Has been constantly in bed since last report. Epileptic fits have sometimes amounted to the number of five in a day. Has had none yesterday & today. Has a slight bronchitic affection. Cont: common

22 Bowels have been very lax for the last few days. Has had no fits of late. Tongue is white in the middle. R Pil Aperient formati — Cinnam: Gramm: Camphor: & Tinct: Opii gtt xl

24 Lax pale countenance & pulse are very frequent & severe — & he is so unwell that it is probable that he will soon die during one of the paroxysms. R Pulv: Opii gr: ss Ammon: Carb: gr: v Pulv: Rhei et Zingib: in pulvis Aromaticus dimidiat: ut cum Jusculo Anserino sedem leguendum. Arrow root milk bread & porter

Admitted October 28. 1848

Oct 28 Lax very much better last night & feels so severe to day that at one time he seemed dead dying. Has however recovered from it & is in his usual state but very weak. Yield a glass of white wine into toddy & a teaspoonful to the nose of his pipe

29 Seems considerably better altho' so weak Lax gone takes his food very well & has the extras mentioned above Can't answer

30 Take a very severe spell after last to day & expired at half past one

Dead

John Campbell. Aetat. [illegible] Admr. Vol. B. P. P. P.

1845

Jan 2 12 No change in mental state since last report – Appetite good – Sleep and Bowels natural. Omnia
21 very filthy and destructive. Bowels regular. Sleeps well. Appetite good. No change in mental state.
Feb 9 " dirty and destructive – Has a very imbecile expression of countenance – General health good. Bodily function natural. Cons: omnia
20 No improvement has taken place since last report – very much inclined to lift his hands, and strike his fellow patients. Filthy as before. Health pretty good. Cons: omnia
March 7 Pulse 68 slow and feeble. Pupils dilated. Tongue somewhat foul. Bowels regular but slightly constipated. Sleeps well. Appetite good, and eats when food is placed before him. Very stupid. will not or cannot answer questions. Filthy in his habits and destructive to his clothes – Stands in one position with his head bent on his chest. Abradatur capillitium appenatur recreatorium capite tecto abeant – tumat quaque noctu hora somni pilulas solidi et chloroformi ij ad eundem vicem. Cont. ubi
April 8 Has been much more alert during the last month – sleeps almost all day long – Health robust – Restlessness and filthy as formerly – No change whatever in mental state. Cont: omnia
May 8 Pulse 68 small – Pupils dilated – Tongue clean and moist – Has been rather more cheerful since last report – No change in mental state – Sleep of moderate duration. General condition of Body healthy – Sleeps well at night – Appetite good – Bowels regular. Cont: omnia
June 12 No change either mentally or bodily has taken place since last report.
July 4 Bodily health good – Mind weak, confused and sensitive – Never speaks to any of his fellow patients – Cannot be made to employ himself at any thing useful or harmless – Takes no notice of anything going on around him. Bowels regular. C. omnia
Augt 21 No change since last report either in the mental or bodily state of this patient. Cons: omnia
Oct 1 Hands leaning against the wall frowning moaning sighing and rubbing his hands – Has a restless appearance – Sleeps in a low mumbling tone – Takes no notice of anyone – Answering questions – Takes his food when placed before him – seems utterly careless of anything – Filthy to the last degree – Sleep of a moderate duration – In good bodily condition – Legs generally extremely swollen – Liable to ulcerate from the constant but slight pressure to which they are exposed from his passing his stools & urine in bed – Arcus senilis – Cont: omnia

Admitted December 18. 1848.

Nov 1 No change in the mental state of this patient. Talkative to an extreme degree. State continues to mutter in a murmuring manner continuously. Tears his dejections in his clothes & in bed. Legs & feet continue swollen & congested. Takes his food well & good healthy condition continuation omnia

Nov 28 No change in the mental condition of this patient. Sits all day long in the messroom humming continuously. Takes no notice of anything going on around. Legs continue in the same swollen & congested state. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

Dec 25 No mental change. Sits in one position all day humming continuously to himself. Passes his stools & urine in his clothes as in bed. Legs always large & swollen & often excoriated from the filthy condition in which he keeps himself. Takes his food voraciously. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

1849 Jan 20 No change in symptoms of any sort. Patient is ever likely to recover mind nearly extinct. Seems to himself continuous almost all day long. Takes his food greedily. Legs as usual large & swollen. Cont omnia

Jan 20 No change has or likely ever can take place for the better in the condition of this patient. Mind almost gone. Never utters an intelligible word. Seems to himself all day long. Legs much swollen. Takes his food well. Cont omnia

Jan 27 No improvement. Bodily & mental. Stands or sits in one position all day humming to himself. Never speaks. Legs still swollen & red. Takes his food well. Very dirty. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

28 No mental improvement. Seems constantly in a low monotonous manner all day long. Seems failing in bodily health. Cheeks getting much paler & thinner. Appetite as voracious as before. Bowels regular. Ft. extract. Cont omnia

Feb 2 No improvement. Continues still as ever. Sits & sleeps. Takes his food greedily. Cont omnia

David McGashan: æt 1879 from vol. 6. H.R. 106

April 10 Mind weak and confused - delusions mentioned in former Reports, as to his being persecuted, his body being pierced by ~~disease~~ animals - and people constantly following him remain unchanged - Bodily health at present pretty good - Bowels regular Conversation

May 12 Delusions as to his being persecuted &c remain unchanged. No change in mental state - Employs himself regularly in the grounds - Bowels regular. Appetite good Continually enquiring when he will get home. Says he is quite well very confused in conversation.

June 18 No change since last reported. Conversation

July 10 Told the Medical assistant a long story to day about his having been annoyed by "Plaguers" the night before - that they fumigated him - that it has been going on for some considerable time - that he gets weaker and weaker daily - that the fumigation is going into his lungs - that he cannot be tortured any longer by the plaguers - that unless he is dismissed soon he will die - that he could not get to sleep the previous night - thinks that the patients are employed to watch his movements and that the attendants assist in fumigating him - he told the Medical officer that at another time he should enter more fully into particulars - that he had a great deal yet to tell him, but he was so weak that he could not enter into particulars - Confused and hesitating in conversation. General health good - pulse 74 small Tongue rather white but moist - pupils dilated slightly - Works in the grounds daily. Conversation

Augt 31 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Works in the grounds occasionally. Is at present good humoured and cheerful. Delusions mentioned in previous reports remain unchanged. Conversation

Sept 1st Bodily health good. Is very industrious & works daily in the grounds. Is anxious to get home. Is talkative full of fancies regarding people annoying him at night - & other matters noted above. Bowels are inclined to be costive - Appetite good. Is taking alterative pills

13 Has a boil on right side of neck which is rather troublesome otherwise in good health - Mind as at last report - Repeats the fables of apples & tea pleasure

Admitted November 25: 1848.

Nov 1 Says on neck more quite healed. Works regularly & industriously in the grounds. Quite as full of fancies as ever but is respectful in his complaints & modest in his wishes. Returned very hoarse to have skin shed changed from one sleeping room to another in consequence of some fancied annoyance. He was subjected to after considerable prevarication this was at last accorded to & when there seemed to be an unremunerated feeling continues pronounced to be annoyed by people at night yet he imagines himself more comfortable

Nov 28 Little change in any respect in the condition of this patient. Works very industriously in the grounds when the state of the weather permits. Is quite as full of fancies as before. Still occasionally annoys him at night. Says he is troubled by bad health & flatulency. Appetite good was clothing pulls tightly as his bowels incline to be costive. Cont ommn

Dec 25 No mental change. Always complaining of anomalous pain in various parts of body & of people annoying him at night. Works pretty constantly in the ground. Is in tolerable bodily health & bodily constitution is passable. Careful of his clothes & cleanly in his person. Takes his food well. Bowels are kept pulled inclined to be costive. Gets an alterative pill every night. Cont ommn

24 G
Jan 20 Head as regards delusions & affections for the last month has been treated by Calomel & Cadamum Acetate of lead & opium pill & an opiate to the abdomen until this date & it has not all but disappeared. No change in mental state since last report. Cont ommn

Feb 14 Has had a short attack of rheumatic fever. Works largely & walks & talks very powerful pulse 104 full & forcible rather accelerated. R Pulv Cal Sesq 3ij Cal Mur Morph 3ij M ft pulvis & ft xxx for 6 powders. R Pulv Rhei Comp 3ij Potassæ 3ij Carb Sodæ 3ij Calomel grs vj M ft pulvis & ft xii pulvis 1 statim

17 Little change pursues less unaccountable & more listless & taciturn

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Peter McAllister æt. from Vol. 4. p. 4. 107
1845

March 14	Has been quiet and well behaved during the last month – Cleanly in his habits and person – During the last few days has been engaged in the Weavers shop, where he employs himself diligently – Is rational enough in conversation; he is sometimes very sulky however. Has an impudent look. Health good. Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia.
April 16	Occasionally employed in the Weaver shop, but he is so mischievous that he requires to be constantly watched – Betrays no delusions – Bodily health good functions natural. Cont: omnia.
May 14	Mind weak – very restless – Annoys his fellow patients in every way he can think of – Has been working about the airing grounds, and in the Galleries for the last three weeks – Habits cleanly Sleeps well at night – Bowels regular Appetite good. Cont: omnia.
June 18	Works regularly. Health good. Bowels regular. Has been pretty quiet for sometime back
July 14	Continues quiet and well behaved Employs himself in the kitchen daily Answers questions rationally – Bodily health good – Appetite sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia.
" 19	Was patient at the request of his father and without undergoing the usual probation is to day discharged.

Cured

Admitted June 10: 1844.

1845

July 12	pulse 60 regular - pupils natural - Tongue clean and moist - Appetite good - Has a very cunning expression of countenance
March 16	Mind weak and confused - Has a very miserable look - He has not been very much excited during the last month, although he has had several paroxysms very confused in conversation - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance. Is employed daily in the grounds - Health robust - Bowels natural Cat: omnia
April 16	General health good - No improvement in mental state - Has been very quiet during last month - Works regularly functions natural. Cat: omnia
May 14	Has been free from excitement for sometime past. Works regularly in the grounds. Occasionally rather sulky - Bowels regular - Appetite good No change in mental state. Cat: omnia
June 20	Mind deranged and irritable - Has been free from excitement since last report - Employs himself regularly in the grounds - Betrays no particular delusions - General Health good - Bodily functions natural Cat: omnia
July 30	Works daily in the grounds - Bodily health good - Mind in the same state Continues free from excitement - Gen: Health, Habits and state of mind as at last report Cat: omnia
Augt 21	
Sept 2	Works regularly & diligently in the quarry Cleanly in his habits & personal appearance Answers questions relevantly & sometimes rather sulky but with this exception has shown no signs of excitement of late Takes his food well Tongue clean & bowels regular Cat: omnia
Nov 1	Still continues to work in the quarry & is very industrious & sometimes a little sulky although the general expression of his countenance is mild & placid & so is the tone of speech He is well behaved & tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Answers ordinary questions relevantly & betrays no particular delusion Health & bodily functions natural
Nov 28	Still bears no change since last report further improvement in mental & bodily condition Works in the quarry when the state of the weather permits Enjoys tolerably good bodily health Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cat: omnia
Dec 25	Works diligently in the quarry Converses rationally Plays at fives & is much esteemed by his companions Temper lately to be discussed Enjoys good

Admitted September 12: 1846

Moderate Health Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly careful of his clothes Bowels regular Cont Imp

1846
August 20 Works in the quarry Conducts himself quietly & orderly but is very anxious to get discharged Health in pretty good Takes his food well Tolerably careful of his clothes & personal appearance Does in general the tasks & speaks of a quiet inoffensive character Cont Imp

" 20 No change in any respect of any importance Works in the quarry Takes his food well Health tolerable Cont Imp

" 17 Works quietly & orderly in the quarry of late has been making enquiries whether he is to get discharged Is in general quiet & well behaved Tolerably cleanly careful of his clothes Bowels regular Takes his food well Health good Cont Imp

" 28 No appreciable change Continued as before in the quarry Conducts himself quietly & orderly Not dirty nor destructive Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont Imp

Sept 28 Works steadily in the quarry Talks quietly & tolerably rationally on ordinary subjects Does not broach any delusions Sometimes enquires if he is not likely soon to get discharged Takes his food well Cleanly not destructive Cont Imp

" 26 Still at work in the quarry says he has nine children in Arran & a considerable estate there Works very diligently Health good Cont Imp

" 26 Conducts himself quietly & well Works diligently in the quarry Bowels Numerous in the evening meals & tea Health & food tolerable good Cont

" 22 Works very quietly & constantly in the quarry Talks rationally enough on ordinary subjects but retains his delusions with regard to Arran Health good Cont Imp

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William Snell. Male. Born Feb: 14: A.D. 1862.
1876

March 20	Pulse 72 small and weak. Pupils slightly dilated – Tongue clean and moist – Eye has a lustrous appearance – Has a dazed expression of countenance, and is very often sulky and obstinate – Says he is still troubled occasionally with visions. Bowels reported to be regular they are only kept open by medicine however Epileptic fits still continue. Appetite good. Sleeps well at night. Cont. omnia
April 20	Has been several times very much worried during last month – No change or alteration in mental state – Epileptic fits are not so frequent – General health good – Bowels regular. Cont. omnia
May 10	Pulse 72 regular – pupils dilated – Tongue clean and moist – Has had several fits during last month – Confused and hesitating in conversation – Inattentive to his Clothes and untidy in his personal appearance – Bowels regular – Appetite good – Cont. omnia
June 18	Has had two Epileptic fits since last report. Is very quarrelsome, and frequently strikes the other patients. Was rather worried about ten days ago. Inattentive to his Clothes. Appetite good. Bowels regular. Very confused and hesitating in conversation. Bowels kept regular by medicine. Con. omnia
July 20	Health good – Bowels kept open by medicine – Reads his Bible regularly every day – Never employs himself out of doors. Has been quiet since last report. Has had three fits – No improvement in mental state – Con. omnia
Augt 21	Epileptic fits continue. Bowels pretty regular. Mind the same as at last report. Has been pretty free from excitement since last report. C. omnia
Octr 2	Epileptic fits have been less frequent since last report – Reads his Bible constantly & will willingly read it to the patients if they will hearken. Mind still confused & irrate. Last week asked a sheet of paper to write a letter but getting it so soon as he pushed pat very excited on receiving it wrote a letter full of strange gestures & actions pretty rather but by tacked together (never marks Tasks his food well & enjoys good bodily health with the exception of the Epileptic fits.
29	No Epileptic fits since last report but sometimes gets rather troublesome to his fellow patients although he is in general quiet & retired & almost constantly engaged reading his Bible & meek & so quiet but cruelty patient struck him a blow on the cheek which bled profusely although the wound

Admitted September 20. 1844.

was small. The following is an extract from a letter written by him addressed to Mr George Buchanan Kilsyth — "I would desire to learn if Robert White or I could get indulged with my punishment & will consent to let me sheep in green pastures & the clear springs of the hills again as there is the 5 quarter of my confinement I wish you to be anxious in writing me concerning the reason of my imprisonment & pleading my case in the Court at Stirling I will not say how I am in health but I will say the sadness of my countenance has made my heart better that my conversation will testify that I have been with Jesus in Bo will & spread his Covering wings around take all my wandering steps & at my fathers loved abode my soul arrive in peace and as you are an Elder in the Church may I have your prayers at a throne of Grace that in earth perfecting path of life God would my wandering footsteps guide for Bible is neither Bible reading Bible conversation nor Bible practice here but a fiery trial of my faith & patience in Christ is that inheritance which is incorruptable undefiled & fadeth not away reserved in Heaven for me" All who are found guilty of Christ for at liberty in Perth are at freedom Luke 16. 19"

Nov 22 Got sullky & ill natured & quarrelsome & had to be confined to his room for a day & then refused to clean his cell for a week for the first day & half refused his meat & for the most of the time refused to speak but constantly read his Bible sometimes after the medical attendant had visited him & he had refused to answer when the former went out he (Gunn) vented a volley of cursing & swearing at him He now eats & sees from statement Appetite good & taking alteratives pills sleeps pretty well Coat comfortable

1845 Has been much less ill natured since last report Employs himself chiefly reading the Bible Mind weak & vacillating Has had no epileptic fits at least during the day since last report Occasionally marks a little at picking cocoa fibre Takes his food well Is rather pale & sympathetic Has a dogged expression of countenance Requires still occasionally to keep the bowels open Coat comfortable

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Henry Raecock. Æt: from Vol: 6: p. p. 191.

April 26	Epileptic fits have been more frequent during the last three weeks - Bodily health much the same as at last report very filthy in his Habits - No change in mental state - Bowels regular Comma
May 2	Bodily health good - Mind as at last report Epileptic fits less frequent occurrence - Body, arms and hands of natural temperature cannot utter a connected sentence - Habits filthy in the extreme - Appetite voracious - Bowels regular. Cont: comma
June 1	Epileptic fits for the last fortnight have been as frequent as eight and ten every day. Bodily health good. Appetite deep and Bowels natural. Pow: comma.
" 28	Bodily health continues good - Epileptic fits continue frequent - No change in mental state - Habits filthy in the extreme - Appetite voracious. Bowels regular. C. omnia.
July 4	Has had for the last fortnight only four fits during the day - No change in mental state - frequently confused in conversation - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Con: omnia.
" 20	Epileptic fits continue very frequent - Bodily health good. Bowels regular Appetite very keen - Con omnia.
Augt 1	He has had a considerable number of Epileptic fits since last report. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Lies in bed in a very confused state. No change in mental state. Cont: omnia.
" 11	The patient continued much in his usual state until to day about ten o'clock. The fits have been as frequent and all along as severe as formerly. His Bowels often regular. His Appetite keen. He however gradually sank and about five o'clock this afternoon he

Died

Admitted November 29. 1846

1846 Nov 26 John W. Dean from page 39
Decidedly becoming worse very stupid & prostrate almost insensible without object or appetite passing Urine & feces involuntarily & in bed Has to have a sponge & water constantly applied to prevent excoriation

27 Urine removed with very much pain Takes his food & drink with difficulty Cont. as before

28 Became much worse during the night & when seen in the morning was quite cold & almost insensible although he could partially swallow & retain what was administered Pupils widely dilated Continued to sink & at 4 P.M. died

Thomas Waddel: æt: 24: from Vol: 6: p. 210

1846

April 20	General health good - Mind the same as at last report - still thinks his soul is lost Confused and hesitating in conversation - Appearance[illegible] as at last report - Works regularly in the grounds - Bodily functions natural. Cont: omnia
May 18	Is employed regularly in the grounds every day - Do not so confused as formerly in conversation - Health good. Bowels regular.
June 20	No change in mental state - Confused and hesitating in conversation - Answers questions however sometimes relevantly enough - Cleanly in his Habits and personal appearance - Employed in the grounds daily - General health good. Cont: omnia.
July 21	Taciturn and morose. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Mind in the same weak state. Works daily in the grounds. Cont: omnia
Augt 21	Is if anything better humoured than at last report. Bodily health good. Requires to answer any questions put to him by the Medical officer. Mind weak confused and erratic. Cont: omnia
Sept 2	Mary Sulky taciturn morose dull Rumours Mrs. asked the other day by the Medical officer who sent him to the Asylum replied with great hesitancy & after long & - & pounded & - Generally answers questions answers in the same style as not at all Enjoys good bodily health Cont: omnia
Nov 2	Continues quite as sulky & cross and never gives a civil answer. Walks steadily & industriously in the grounds Bodily health good Eats & sleeps well Bowels reported regular Continues the Cornea
Nov 28	No mental change - Continues as sulky taciturn and morose as ever Little marked kindly in the grounds Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance Enjoys excellent bodily health Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont: omnia
Dec 24	No apparent mental change Sulky & taciturn morose & abstinate - Is cleanly in his personal appearance - careful of his clothes Works very industriously but never gives a civil answer & seldom any at all Takes his food well Enjoys good health Bowels regular Cont: omnia

1846 Admitted December 25: 1846.

Jan 20 No change perceptible in the mental condition of this patient. Works industriously as formerly & as formerly repells public advances & attempts at conversation. Takes his food well & health seems excellent. Careful of his clothes & personal appearance. Cont. omnia.

Feb 20 Little if any change. Surly & taciturn. Works very industriously in the grounds. Takes his food well & enjoys good health. Cont. omnia.

March 17 Well as surly taciturn & morose as ever. When spoken to answers courteously & then pursues an obstinate silence or else replies in the most surly manner possible. Works well & quietly. Cleanly & neat. Health good. Cont. omnia.

28 No appreciable change. Taciturn & morose. Works diligently in the grounds. Takes his food well and seems in good health. Bowels regular. Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance. Cont. omnia.

April 24 Still continues sulky & taciturn but works very industriously. Cleanly neat & well behaved but refuses to all advances towards a cordial conversation. Takes his food well. Health good. Cont. omnia.

May 25 No change. Sulky & taciturn as before. Works still very diligently but speaks not. Health good. Takes his food well. Cont. omnia.

June 22 Not much change. Works quietly & diligently in the grounds but is still as taciturn as before. Talks freely to his mother & wishes her to take him home. Bodily health good. Cleanly & decent. Cont. omnia.

July 20 No appreciable change. Still works very industriously but scarcely ever speaks even when spoken to. Takes his food well & is cleanly & tolerably tidy in his personal appearance. Bodily health good but is perhaps rather thinner than of late. Cont. omnia.

Aug 24 Not much change. Is perhaps not quite so taciturn & still works very industriously. Takes his food well. Cont. omn.

John McCall Sterling Pt. from Vol II p 147

1845

April 16 Mind as at last report weak, confused and erratic - Bodily health good - Has several small ulcers on his face - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia

May 24 Bodily health good - No change in mental state - His toes are now almost well - Body of natural temperature - Pulse 74 moderate - Tongue clean and moist - Pupils natural - Appetite good - Bowels regular - Cont: omnia

June 18 His toes have been quite healed up for sometime - Bodily health good Bowels regular. No change in mental state. Cont: omnia

July 10 Bodily health good - No change in mental state - Reads the Newspapers occasionally, or rather looks at them - Of late much more cleanly in his habits, and careful of his clothes - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia

" 22 No change in mental state. Bodily health good. Appetite good. Bowels regular. Takes no interest in anything going on around him. Neglects in his habits and destructive to his clothes. Cont: omnia

Aug. 10 Never employs himself in any way. Answers questions in monosyllables and not always relevantly. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia

" 22 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia

Sept 10 No change either mentally or bodily has taken place in this case since last report. Cont: omnia

Oct: 01 Health good. Tolerably careful of his clothes. Cleanly in his personal appearance. Mind in the same weak state. Seldom speaks unless when spoken to, and then only in monosyllables. Bowels regular. Appetite keen. Cont: omnia

Nov.r 20 Bodily functions natural. Mind unchanged. General condition of body healthy. Does not take the smallest interest in anything. Careful of his clothes. More cleanly in his habits. Cont:

Dec.r 01 When spoken to mutters in a low tone and quite unintelligible. Walks about during the day without taking the slightest of any one; - and at times he sits down with his head resting on his hands in which position he will remain for hours. No marked conditions of the surface of body. Health good. Appetite and Bowels regular. Habits cleanly. Cont.

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Aug 30 Mind unchanged. Bodily health good. Appetite, sleep and Bowels regular. Free from excitement. Never employs himself in any way. Cont:

Sep 26 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia.

Oct 30 Pulse 74 moderate. Tongue a little white. pupils slightly contracted. Health pretty good. Bowels reported to be regular. Sits generally in one position during the greater part of the day. Never speaks unless spoken to, and then it is only mutteringly audibly clearly in his personal appearance. Cont: General condition of body healthy. Walks pretty much. Does not interest himself in anything going on around him. Mind unchanged. Cont:

Nov 30 No change either mentally or bodily since last report. Cont: omnia

Dec 30 General health good. Bodily functions natural. Mind weak, confused, and erratic as formerly. Tolerably correct in his habits. Never employs himself in any way. Is occasionally out of doors when the weather is fine. Cont:

1847 Jan 19 Pretty much the same as when last reported. Bowels and appetite natural. Cont:

Feb 22 Pulse 88 regular. Pupils dilated. Tongue coated with a whitish fur. Eye wears a very melancholy expression. General condition of Body healthy. Walks out in the grounds when the weather permits. Never speaks to or takes the slightest notice of anyone. Countenance expressive of patiency. Cleanly in his habits. Appetite excellent. Bowels regular. Urine plenty. Sleep natural. Cont:

Mar 10 Mind perfectly tattooed. Very indolent. Can scarcely be persuaded to take exercise, in the open air; throws himself down on the ground whenever he can do so unperceived and remains so until roused by some one. Was lately visited by his Aunt who appeared much pleased with his general appearance. Looks if anything sleeker, Bowels bound, appetite good. Cumat, hora somni. Vid. Rhei comp. ij. Cont: Alia.

30 Careless of everything going on around him. Had a slight bout given him a few days ago, but this of course, called forth no marks of ~~[illegible]~~ from him. When in dorsy sits moping in a corner of the room, without moving for hours together. Habits correct. Bowels, appetite, and sleep natural. No morbid conditions of the surface of body. Health robust. Cont:

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James Fisher State: from Feb 11th to 1840

April 16 General health good - Bodily functions natural. No change in mental state since last report. Cont: omnia

May 24 Shall report the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia.

June 12 No change in mental state - Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Con: omnia

July 8 Mind weak and childish - Destructive and filthy experimentz - Cannot be made to employ himself - General condition of body healthy - Bowels regular - Appetite voracious - Quiet and harmless. Comm

Augt 01 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Bowels regular Never employs himself in any way. Cont: Commia.

Augt 2 Continues in the same filthy & fatuous state Rather restless & destructive. Constantly mutters incoherently to himself When he moves it is generally in a hurried manner as if on pressing business Occasionally walks up to you hastily - gives utterance to some incoherent expression & then walks away Plays his pranks constantly in the pockets of his fellow boarders Bodily health good Cont omnia

Nov 2 No change in the mental or bodily state of this patient Never converses with any one although sometimes speaks a short sentence or two & addresses it to some one he never waits for or pays any attention to an answer The other night at the evening meal started out of bed came running over to the medical officer asked for food got no supper & ran back to his bed & a morning or two after complained in the same abrupt manner of the loss of his tea Bodily health good Takes his food well Cont omnia

Nov 28 More talkative of late but quite incoherent never returns a relevant answer to any question Talks much to himself Careless of his clothes & personal appearance Bodily health tol Healthy good appetite rather voracious Bowels regular Cont omnia

Dec 24 Mind continues in the same weak state Rambles on incoherently But nothing can be gathered from what he says Never marks Wanders about talking unconnectedly to himself & to imaginary persons Takes his food well Bowels & skin natural in healthy state Cont as

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June 20 No change in mental condition talks quite incoherently so that no fixed conclusion can be derived upon from his ravings takes his food steadily & pale & rather thin but health seems tolerably good continue present treatment Comm

July 20 No change of any importance Wanders about the airing court as usual ravings quite incoherently pale & thin but bottle of food well Cont comm

Aug 17 No appreciable change in mental condition still wanders about muttering in the same silly manner In consequence of this boys getting ran confined to bed a few days but is now up & in his ordinary health takes his food well Continue

28 No change of any importance Never very sensible very restless wandering constantly about the airing court either muttering to himself or talking loudly Destructive to his clothes & not very cleanly Health tolerable Cont comm

Sept 20 Obstinate unless when spoken to, and then in a very unintelligible manner. Mind almost gone. Does employ himself in any way. Runs in the airing ground walks up and down rapidly but without taking notice of anything going on around him. Complains sometimes of his not having tea supposes himself to meet with better things always hitherto proved unfounded. General health good. Bodily functions naturally Cont.

Oct 20 Health good. Bodily functions natural. No change in mental state, Walks out in the open air the greater part of the day. Comm.

Nov 18 No change in mental state. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Takes no interest in anything going on around him. More careful of his clothes than he was. Mutters to himself in the same manner as formerly. Cont.

Dec 20 Mind as formerly. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. No other change. Cont.

1847 Jan 24 Mind ~~weak and~~ infirm. Bodily health good. Does employ himself in any way. Mutters as formerly. Takes exercise in the open air daily. Habits tolerably correct. Cont.

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James McDowall Admitted from Lobby 6 A.M. 7.

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April 12 Bodily health good - No change in mental state - Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural Never employs himself in any way - very filthy and destructive as formerly. Cont. comm

May 24 Pulse 76 small - Pupils natural - Tongue clean and moist - Mind weak and fatuous - Bowels regular - Appetite good General condition of Body healthy - Habits filthy - destructive to his Clothes - Cannot be made to employ himself in any way - Cont. comm

June 18 No change has taken place since last report Cont. comm

July 28 Health good - No change in mental state Bowels regular Cont comm

Aug 31 Health, Habits and state of mind the same as at last report Cont comm

Sept 2 Continues in all respects Remains as at last report Careless & filthy stands & walks all day leaning against the wall Head very large Countenance has a very unintellectual expression Bodily Health good No good bodily condition Cont comm

Nov 2 No change Innoffensive filthy & fatuous Two months ago another patient (Royle) without any provocation struck him a severe blow & knocked him down Never speaks to or interests himself with any one or any thing going on around him Bodily health good Cont comm

28 No change Continues in the same fatuous state Quiet & innoffensive careless & filthy In good bodily health In good bodily condition Cont comm

Dec 24 No mental change Continues in the same fatuous & state Quiet & innoffensive - filthy & careless of his clothes passes his stools & urine in bed Has a large carbuncle on back of neck & getting collapse & Breast & Hands (mixture & alteration pills Cont om

1846

Jan 20 No change Continues in the same state of hopeless dementia Quiet & innoffensive filthy & careless of himself & of every thing around him Carbuncles is doing well & general health better Cont comm

Feby 23 Mind remains in the same hopeless imbecile state as before & careless Health much better Cont comm

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Mar 17 Continues in the same unfavorable condition Mind very much Quiet & inoffensive Never speaks unless spoken to & then only answers with a monosyllable as to Habits, his food well but is ill same what pale & thin although Perseveres in removing filth & Attends Quiet & Regular very dirty & slovenly Continues

28 No change of any importance mind continuing in the same fatuous state very dirty passing his stools & urine in bed Is not clean & untidy in appearance Bodily health tolerable Bowels regular Takes his food well

April 24 No change of any consequence Mind of course is not likely to improve Bodily health continues tolerably good Bowels regular Quiet inoffensive not destructive but very dirty

May 24 No improvement in any way Never utters a coherent sentence Takes his food well very dirty

June 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Bodily health tolerably good Bowels regular

July 26 No appreciable change Mind continues in the same imbecile state Has not been employed of late Takes his food well & is in tolerably good bodily condition

Aug 26 No change of any importance Bodily health tolerable

Sept 26 No improvement in any way Could be induced at night to be quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well

Oct 26 Mind continues in the same fatuous condition very inoffensive but slovenly dirty Bodily health tolerably good

Nov 25 No improvement Has of late occasionally been given to tear his clothes but is not attentive to cleanliness Takes his food well

Dec 25 No improvement Quiet & inoffensive in all respects except that he tears his clothes Health declining Has some cough

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Robert Walker Admitted 1st Feb 1842

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April 10 Shall report the same as when last reported - Continues

May 24 Bodily health good - has been free from excitement since last report - Destructive to his clothes - takes no interest in anything going on around him - Countenance expressive of imbecility - Appetite good sleeps and bowels natural - Continues

June 28 Health good - Bowels regular - No change in mental state - Continues

July 20 Mind weak and fatuous - Never speaks to any one - very careless of his personal appearance - Never employs himself in any way - General health good - Is quiet and well behaved - Continues

Augt 31 No change in any respect since last report - Continues

Sept 22 Has been employed a little of late but is very useless Mind extremely weak Careless of himself as any thing around him Is sheen peaceable & well behaved - State Bodily health tolerably good Continues

Nov 17 Little change in mental condition of the Patient Seldom employed at anything useful Mind very imbecile Takes no notice of anything going on around him Bodily health excellent Eats greedily sleeps well Continues

Dec 17 As at last report Not employed Walks about Absent Taking little or no cognisance of anything going on around him Takes his food well Enjoys good bodily health Continues

" 29 Has been losing a little flesh in the ground since last report Mind in the same weak imbecile state No other change Continues

1846

Jan 20 Little or no change Does a little work occasionally Mind very weak & state - ably clean & careful of his clothes Walks Eats his food well Health pretty good Continues

Feb 20 Works occasionally a little Mind remains in the same imbecile state Quiet & inoffensive Tolerably clean - ly Takes his food well Continues

March 17 Little or no change of any importance Works tolerably industrious in the ground Mind very weak Health good Continues

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1846

Jan 28 Mind continues in the same weak & state Works slowly in the grounds mentions permitting, seldom speaks even in answer to a question Dress & inoffensive Cleanly & careful of his clothes Takes his food well Sleeps regular Cont comm

April 26 No appreciable change Works quietly & diligently in the grounds Dress & inoffensive Cleanly & tolerable tidy Takes his food well Sleeps regular Health good Speaks very little Mind very weak Cont comm

May 25 No change of any importance Has not chosen to employ himself of late Takes his food well Sometimes shouts some what loudly in the airing court Health good Cont comm

June 26 Is in nearly all respects the same as at last report Not yet working Health tolerably good Cont comm

July 26 No change of any importance either bodily or mental Cannot be induced to employ himself at any thing useful Takes his food well & is in good health Regular Cont comm

Aug 26 Working in the grounds tolerably industriously In other respects as at last report Cont comm

Sept 26 Continues to be employed in the grounds Bodily health good Mental change Cont comm

Oct 26 Little change of any consequence Works a little occasionally but is very largely influenced Careless of every thing except his food Cont comm

Nov 25 No improvement Mental as badly sometimes does a little work but is very largely influenced Takes his food well Keeps himself tolerably cleanly Health good Cont comm

Dec 24 No change of any importance apprehended Mind weak Health good Cont comm

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Jan 1 Mind weak Works a little in the grounds Seldom speaks Tolerably Cont & cleanly Cont

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John Gallocher Aetat

This patient was brought this afternoon from the Police office under a warrant of the Procurator Fiscal of Lanarkshire. – On admission had a very wild look – stared round the room, and appeared to be looking if there was any one present that he knew. Said he was "Lord John Gallocher" – that he wished to see the Duke of Roxburgh – that he also had business with his Land Stewart but that was of less consequence – asked the Medical Assistant if he was not "Tommy Wallace" – that he had surely seen him before – he then said he was "Sir John Gallocher" – that the Duke of Roxburgh knighted him one day, when he was breaking stones on a Turnpike Road near Stirling – that it was a great honour to be knighted – does not know the name of this place but believes it is a Castle – that it was "a man out of a Madhouse" who brought him here – (meaning very likely the Sheriff Officer) – that he tied him with ropes, bit him and kicked him – said he had a Brother who carried on business as a Tailor in Glasgow – that he had behaved very ill to him – very confused and hesitating manner – Now a sulky and dogged expression of countenance – Scalp rather hot – Surface of body of natural temperature – General condition of body healthy – Pulse & Breathe feeble Tongue dry and white – Pupils dilated R. Bladder distended – 9 stated. Ordinary diet and regimen. To be closely watched.

March 14 Immediately after the Medical Officer left – this patient began to strike and spit on the faces of the other patients – and became so much excited that it was found necessary to place him in seclusion – This forenoon he is much quieter, and has been permitted to go into the Gallery again – says he is sure he was sent here because he was too wise for the people out of doors – That large doses of laudanum were given him by some people in Glasgow when he was in a house in High Street – thinks that his Mother (of whom mention was made in last report) was there – that the laudanum made him blaspheme at first – but he became perfectly stupid at last – he says there was no whiskey in it – that he can take six glasses of whiskey at one time without being the worse of it – that they also gave him Laudanum in the Police office – that there was poison

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March (cont'd) in the bread which they gave him - that they tormented him much in Stirling, that he was forced to come to Glasgow - that they were always talking of him, and wherever he went they followed - that a sound somewhat resembling hissing proceeded from their mouths - when he got to Glasgow they were at his heels almost - that a woman called to see him at the police office, who he has no doubt was one of the gang - but they would not let her in - that the people with whom he lodged in Stirling gave him Laudenum, but it was much weaker than that which he got in Glasgow - that he was born in Ireland - that his father is alive - that he has two sisters married, and two unmarried - that he has not seen them since the New Year - Tongue white particularly towards the centre - Pupils slightly dilated - Pulse 70 small - Bowels open - Health robust - Appetite good. Omnia

16 No change either mentally or bodily since last report. Omnia

18 The Sheriff of Lanarkshire to-day granted a warrant for this patients removal to Stirling, in which place it is understood he has acquired a legal residence. He was accordingly by order of the physician dismissed

Relieved

Robert Bridges' state: from Vol: IV p. 105

1845

April 16 Mind weak, depressed and melancholy - takes no notice of any one - Bodily health good - Cleanly in his personal appearance & attention to his clothes as formerly - Filthy in his habits - Bowels regular - appetite good. Cont: comm'd

May 24 No change in any respect since last report Cont comm'd.

June 14 Bodily health good - No change in mental state - Cont: comm'd

July 20 Health good - Mind in all respects the same as at last report - Destructive and filthy as formerly - Will not or cannot speak to any one - Is at present dull and depressed - Bodily functions natural. Comm'd.

Aug. 31 In all respects the same as when last reported Comm'd.

Oct 2 Little if any change in any respect. Many often seen walking with a quick short step up & down the airing court in one path for hours together. Speaks to no one & seems to take no interest in anything. Seems very depressed & melancholy. Takes his food pretty well but is rather thin in his bodily condition. Bowels reported regular

Nov 2 No change (Mental or bodily) since last report. In general quiet & inoffensive but lately had a battle with another patient (Walker) but in his provocation he received is not known. When observed they were each others arms & kicking at each others legs. Takes his food well. Always keeps his head bent on his breast. Cont' d

Nov 28 No change in the condition of this patient. Never speaks or returns any answer. Takes little or no interest in anything. Going on around. Bodily health good. Takes his food well. Sleeps well. Bowels regular. Cont' d

Dec 24 No mental change. Mind almost gone. Never speaks. Takes no interest in anything. Pursuing around. Careless of his clothes but not destructive. Takes his food well. Health pretty good. Cont' d

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Jan 720 No change. A case of hopeless dementia. Never utters a single syllable. Often sits with his coat off & his hands formerly pressed against his eyes. Eats & sleeps at night. Health tolerable. Cont' d

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Aug 20 No change after getting into his court sent off at the back of his hands pressed against his eyes turning himself restlessly from side to side Generally quiet at night Takes his food & enjoys tolerable health Continues

Sept 17 No improvement Never speaks after getting into his court sent off pulling his hands as described above Put to the bed at night Takes his food well Bowels regular Continues

28 No appreciable change Never speaks even in answer to a question Taken in Receiving Court either crouches in a corner as more quiet & start & stops for a short time together Eats at the bed at night Takes his food tolerably well Continues

Oct 8 In all respects the same as when last reported Cont.

Nov 20 Health good No change in mental state. Habits somewhat filthy. Manner and conduct as formerly. Careless of his clothes. Never speaks to or takes the slightest notice of any one. Appetite, sleep and bowels natural. Cont.

Dec 10 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont.

1841 July 24 Mind unchanged. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. No change in manner & conduct. Cont.

Sept 26 Mind & habits as formerly. Takes no notice of any one. Habits filthy. Health good. Careless of his clothes. Appetite sleep and Bowels natural. Cont.

Oct 10 Talks to himself. Pupils contracted. Filthy as formerly. Walks out in the open air daily when the weather is fine, and in the same manner as mentioned in previous reports. Countenance of the same yellow hue as formerly, which contrasts strangely with his jet black hair. Careless of everything going on around him. Health good. Bowels Appetite and sleep natural. Cont.

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John Gallocher Aetatis

1866

This patient was brought back to the Asylum today under a warrant of the procurators fiscal of Stirling - On admission Scalp hot - Tongue white and furred - pupils dilated - Body of natural temperature - General condition of Body healthy - pulse 78 and full - Mind excited and wild - Told the Medical officer that he had been travelling about the Country in a Carriage since he saw him - that he had been in Stirling investigating into the poison which had been administered to him - that had he staid a day longer he should have found out some of the gang of tormentors - but he was pretty successful as it was for he got a clue to them if he had only more time to carry out his investigations - Requested to be allowed to go into Town to see if he could fall in with any of them - Said that he would return punctually to the time allowed him - Very cautious in answering questions - Bowels costive Pain to be rubbed above - Ordinary diet - Ry Solutionis Sulphatis Magnesiæ Zij Infusi Sennæ Compositi Zij M fiat Haust: Statim sumend. May 10

March 26 pulse 78 full - pupils dilated - Tongue cleaner - Head cooler - Has a wild look still - More cautious in answering questions today - Says that there is nothing wrong with him - that there never was - Bowels have been moved - Appetite indifferent - Was restless during the night - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Health robust. Con: omnia

" 28 pulse 82 moderate - pupils dilated slightly - Tongue covered with a thin grey fur - Scalp pretty cool - Bowels closed - Appetite good - Will not speak to the Medical officer today - Temperature of Body natural - Ry Infusi Sennæ Comp: Zij Sulph: Magnes: Zij: M fiat Haust: Statim sumend. Con: alia. June 7

April 2 pulse 76 full - pupils natural - Tongue pretty clean - Scalp of moderate temperature - Says that he feels a great deal better - that there must have been something wrong with him - Anxious to know when he will get away - Bowels were fully opened by the Medicine last prescribed - Appetite good - Sleeps well at night - Ry Pil: Aloes Barbadensis Zij Sumantur duæ hora somni et repetatur pro re nata. Let him be employed in the grounds daily Cont: Alia.

Admitted 28th March 1845

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April 28 Bodily health good - Had long interview with the Medical officer today when he stated that it was all nonsense about his having got Landenum; that he had been drinking whiskey sometimes previous to his coming here to such an extent that he did not know what he was doing or saying - Hoped that the Medical officer would forgive him for what he had said to him for he knows he had been very rude to him, and said that he was very much obliged for the attention which had been paid him - said that he should never forget it - seems to recollect everything that he has said or done since he came into the Establishment Temperature of body natural - pulse 66 moderate - Tongue clean - pupils natural Appetite good - Bowels regular - Has been employed regularly in the grounds since last report. Con: omnia

May 10 Employs himself in the grounds daily - Cheerful and well behaved - Expresses himself very well satisfied with his position - Utters no delusions - Answers questions rationally - Health good - Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural. This patient may now be looked upon as Convalescent.

" 30 In all respects the same as when last reported.

June 7 Being in good bodily health and free from all delusions he is to day discharged

Cured

William Whyte Male

The Patient has been worse in the Asylum
He was admitted on the 29th of October 1839
and discharged Cured on the 23d December
of the same year, and again on the 10th
of June 1841 and discharged on the 21st
of August.
He was brought to the Asylum to day
with his hands and legs bound with
straps, by three Police officers - Immediately
on these being removed, which was done
at the door - He said he would do any
thing we wished him - and walked
to the Gallery without making any
resistance - Raved in an incoherent
manner of Mr Boyd the Clergyman of
the Free Church - Pulse 84 quick and
fluttering - Pupils contracted - Tongue
very white with red papillæ - Breath
fetid - Countenance anxious and
careworn - Eye heavy - Body in a
healthy condition - Scalp rather hot
Mist. omni nocte hora somni pilulæ
fetid & R. Catapl. ij ad vesicam vicem.
To have ordinary diet.

March 28 Much quieter to day - Tongue white -
Pupils still contracted - Countenance
haggard - says that there is something
burning in his Chest - and a sensation
as if something were walking upand &
his inside - very desirous to know
when he will get away - Bowels upon
to be open - Appetite good - Sleeps well
Cont: omnia.

April 1 Appears rather more collected to day - He is
however very sulky - still thinks that there
is some Animal in his inside - Cleanly
in his Habits - Pulse 80 full - Tongue
rather white - Bowels kept regular by the
Medicine - Appetite good - Cont: omnia

" 8 Pulse 72 full - Pupils contracted - Tongue
pretty clean - Delusion as to an
Animal walking up and down
his Body still remains - Confused
and hesitating in conversation -
General condition of Body healthy -
Appetite good - Sleeps and Bowels
natural. Cont: omnia

" 16 Bodily health good - Cleanly in his
habits and personal appearance - Answers
questions rationally enough, although
he still says that there is an Animals
rumbling in his inside - Appetite good
Sleeps and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia

" 27 Betrays no delusions. General condition
of Body healthy - Has been employed
for the last week with the Shoemaker
to whom he makes himself very
useful - Complains of a severe cough -
Bowels reported to be rather constipated

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	Mch.	Appetite indifferent. - R. Vini Opii ℥ss ℞ Mist.
	ntd.)	Opii. Aether: Nitros: ℥ii. Tinct: Scillæ ℥j. Tinctur.
		Opii. Camphorat: ℥ii. Aquæ Cinnam: ad ℥iij. ℞
		Sumt: Cochl: ℥j amplas ter quaterve die vel.
		urgentibus tussi. - Sumat secunda quaque
		horâ somni pil: Aloes & ammoniac
		viscum. Cont: Alia.
	May 24	Retains no delusions - Bodily health good.
		Bowels regular. Works diligently in the
		shoemakers shop. Habits cleanly. Quiet
		and well behaved. Cont: omnia.
	June 28	Health good - Bowels regular - Works regularly
		in the shoemakers shop - Retains
		no delusions. May be discharged as soon
		as the necessary arrangements are made
		with his friends.
	July 26	Being in good health and free from all
		delusions he is discharged today

Cured

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On admission was very much depressed - asked why he was sent here - said that he never was better in his life - that there must be some mistake - that no man in his senses would think of sending him here - that he never injured any one - asked the Medical Assistant to send to Belfast for his own "Votes" - then he said to Dublin - that he could give every information as he attended his family for a number of years - said that he formerly kept a Whiskey shop in the neighbourhood of Garryduff - that he was married and had a family - that he was born in Scotland, and had resided many years in Glasgow - Mind weak confused and inactive - very unconnected in conversation - Pulse 90 small and feeble - Tongue dry and white - Pupils very much contracted - Eye appears dull and heavy - General condition of body healthy - Skin of natural temperature - R Rhei Ziss Effervescin iij statim sumendas. Abstinacy diet and

April 2 Pulse 88 small - Tongue white - Pupils contracted - says that there are some people constantly abusing him during the night - that they move backwards and forwards in front of his bed and prevent him from sleeping - that there are cursed cats and dogs which pass him occasionally - thinks it is because he has not behaved well enough to his wife - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont. mist

" 3 Pulse 84 regular - Tongue brown in the centre, and white towards the edges - said that some one had whispered into his ear that he was to be killed - that he had been thinking so for sometime - when told that this was not the case he said he was glad to hear it, as it had been worrying him all night - Appetite good - Sumat Pil. Hydrarg: ij horâ somni et cras mane Magnesiæ Sulphatis et Tartratis Potassæ ana Ziss in Aquæ Zij. C. Ricini

" 5 Health good - Bodily functions natural says the feels much relieved - delusions mentioned in former reports remain unchanged - Appetite good - Common

" 8 Mind weak confused and inactive - Pulse 70 moderate - Tongue white but moist - Pupils contracted - imagines that some men are constantly upbraiding him - and he says he does not know for what reason - Health robust - Appetite good - Bowels regular - cannot be got to employ himself - says he would like to know when he is to get away - Con: omnia

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April 19 No change in mental state since last report - Fancies mentioned in previous reports are revived as ever - Employed in communication - Never employs himself in any way - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Appetite pretty good - Says he does not sleep well, because of the serpents, who are crawling about during the night - Bowels at present regular. Comma

" 20 General condition of Body healthy - Mind as at last report, weak, confused and vacant - Countenance pale and dejected - Pulse 72 small and feeble - pupils dilated - Tongue rather white - Body of natural temperature - Sumat comm nocte hora somni pil: Rhei Comp: duas ad cras am: cras am: Cont: Alia

" 21 Pulse 72 regular - pupils dilated - Tongue brown - Scalp of medium temperature - Body in good condition - No change in mental state - Came up to the Medical Assistant to day and he recorded him to get the Stomach pump immediately, as he said a man had just made him swallow a large quantity of Arsenic, that he drew opinion before he had made him swallow it - Thinks he saw one in him before - When assured that he could not possibly have swallowed Arsenic - he said very well - that he was sure we should find him dead before night, and this he maintained notwithstanding everything that could be said to the contrary - Appetite good - Bowels rather constipated. Sumat hora somni pil: Colocynth: & Calomel ij. Cont: Alia

" 22 Pulse 70 moderate - pupils slightly dilated. Tongue white and dry - Scalp hot - Bodily health good - Complains of acidity - Bowels rather constipated. No change in mental state Delusions formerly noted remain unchanged. Sumat o. n. h. s. pil: alterativ ij ad cras am: cras Infus: Gentian: Comp: Drx. Bicarb: sodæ 3ij. Mist: camphor: 3ij. hac quotidie.

" 23 General health good - No improvement in mental state - Says that he has indistinctness of vision, singing in the ears - giddiness of the head, accompanied by a dull heavy pain - His face is flushed very much - pupils dilated pulse 74 small and feeble - Tongue white but moist - Complains of failure of memory - Conjunctivæ injected - Scalp hot - Body of natural temperature - His Bowels are apt to become constipated - Shaved the Capillitium. Applic: vesicatorium Capiti tota abrasa - ℞ Pilulas Colocynth: et Hyoscyami ij. h. s. commend: Cont: Alia

" 24 Says that he feels much better to day - No change in mental state. Sumat o. n. h. s. pil alterativ ij

" 25 Bodily health good - Delusions formerly noted remain unchanged - Mind continues in the same state as at last report. Bowels kept open only by medicine. Comma to page 100

William McCready admitted from Memphis

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April 8 Bodily health good - Mind weak, confused and irritable - Constantly muttering to himself - Especially incoherent in conversation - Has been in a melancholy state since last report - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural - Cont. omnia

March 8 No change in any respect since last report Cont. omnia

April 12 Does employs himself in any way - No improvement in mental state - Bodily health good - Has an imbecile expression of countenance - Quiet and inoffensive at present - Habits cleanly - Bowels regular Appetite good. Cont. omnia

May 10 Pulse regular - Pupils dilated - Tongue clean and moist - General condition of Body healthy - Eye dull and heavy - Walks about all day long muttering to himself - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural. Omnia

June 14 Has been working in the grounds for some days. No change either in his mental or Bodily state since last report.

July 20 General health good - Employs himself in the grounds daily - Mind the same in all respects as at last report - Habits cleanly - Cont. omnia

Aug. 01 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont. omnia

Sept. 2 Is very industrious working daily in the grounds Is quiet & well behaved Never enters into conversation of his own accord but answers respectfully Speaks in a confused & hesitating manner Is rather cleanly in his habits Memory, health tolerable. O.

Nov. 4 Little change in the condition of the patient Is industrious quiet & well behaved Answers questions as in last report Last week wrote a long quiet unintelligible letter of which nothing could be understood Bodily health pretty good Takes his food well & sleeps well

27 Was two days in bed complaining of headache & sickness Was seen a dozen of attendants pulse full & regular Appetite & sleep well again Is quiet & industrious working daily in the grounds Talks from 50 to 60 times of night Respirant & Pulse continues in the same weak state Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont. omnia

Dec. 25 No mental change Quiet & inoffensive Mind weak & confused Never enters into conversation with anyone Works industriously in the grounds Takes his food well Habits cleanly & tolerable Cont. omnia

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July 20 Works industriously in the grounds Mind very weak Never speaks unless spoken to Answers with considerable hesitation Walks lamely from some affection of the hip Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes Takes his food well Health Bath, good Conformis

" 20 No change of any importance Works tolerably industriously in the grounds Mind very weak & erratic Takes his food well Bowels regular Conformis

" 27 Looks some better but is not to work for several days but has again resumed employment in the grounds Mind very much weak Takes his food well Bathed Health good Conformis

28 Mind continues in the same weak & erratic condition Hesitation considerably before he answers a question Works tolerably diligently in the grounds Cleanly & careful of his clothes Bowels regular Appetite good Conformis

" 25 Works quietly & steadily & industriously in the grounds except occasionally for a day he refuses to go out without assigning any reason Quiet & inoffensive Does not speak, much & answers with hesitation Takes his food well Health good Bowels regular Conformis

" 25 No change of any consequence since last Report Working steadily Takes his food well Conformis

" 28 Complained to Med. Att. of inflammatory affection of right testicle which is much enlarged & tender Treatment Room to be kept at 60 Ordered Appl. Cataplasma Calcis Continued

" 26 Today an incision was made & a large quantity of purulent matter mixed with blood evacuated from the inflamed parts Redness extends to a very considerable distance around Takes his food well Bowels regular from the use of an aperient pill every night

Neil McKinnis Admitted

was brought to the Asylum this evening
on a very excited state, from the Royal
Infirmary, where he had been under
treatment for Hydrocele. It appears that
he had been very violent on the night
of the 4th. so much so that they were
obliged to have 3 policemen with him -
He has led rather an irregular life for
many years - He belongs to the Island
of Islay, where he has resided con-
stantly; He can speak but little English
so that it is difficult to understand him
When he came to Glasgow, which —
is about a week ago - He was labouring
under the delusion that some one
intended to kill him. Scalp hot -
Expression of countenance childish -
Body of natural temperature - Pupils
dilated - Tongue white - Pulse 88 full.
To have ordinary diet and regimen -

April 6 Pulse 86 full - Tongue pretty clean - Pupils
dilated - Bowels have not been moved
since his admission - Appetite good -
To-day pretty quiet - Looks pale and thin -
Remarked the Medical officer not to kill him
that he would not kill any one himself
that his Mother from the Highlands would
pay all that had been spent upon him"
Cleanly in his Habits - To have his hair
cut close.

April 7 Tongue white - Pulse 86 good - Pupils
dilated - Appetite good - Bowels con-
stipated - He does not appear to
understand the English language
When spoken to he mutters something
about "no kill — me" this is all
that can be understood - Continuetur
Galic - Sumat hora somni Pil. Saled
& Ol. Ricin. ij. Ant. Alia.

" 8 His medicine has only acted once
Has been very noisy during the night
Tongue white - pupils dilated - R
Solutionis sulphatis Magnesiæ ℥iij
Tinct. Senna ℥ß. Tinct. Valeriana ℥j M ft
Haust: Statim sumendus.

" 12 Bodily health pretty good - Mind weak -
Remark quieter to-day - Delusion as to
his being killed is unchanged - Appetite
good - Bowels kept open only by medicine
Cont. omnia.

" 16 Pulse 78 Regular. pupils dilated - Tongue
white but moist. Temperature of body
natural - No change in mental state
Bodily health good. R Pil: Alterativ
xij: Sumat ij omni nocte hora somni

" 20 Has been working in the grounds for
the last two days - Told the Medical
Assistant today, after it had
been explained to him through one of

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April (Cont.d) the Attendants who understands Gaelic that we did not mean to do him any harm - that we had been too kind - that he deserved such treatment as he had received from us - that now he did not think we meant to kill him - Tongue pretty clean - Bowels regular. Habits cheerful Sleeps well at night. Cont: omnia.

May 1 Told the Attendant to day, that another patient a Highlander had given him to understand that he was to be stabbed first and then burned - Pulse 78 regular - Tongue clean - pupils dilated Genl. Condition of Body healthy. Appetite good - Bowels pretty regular. Cont: omnia.

" 20 Happens that this patient understands English tolerably well, but pretends to speak Gaelic - This morning he conversed pretty freely with the Medical Officer - told him that he did not think we were going to burn him, and said that his Brethren would give us Five hundred pounds if we would let him go home - This patient has several times attempted to make his escape - Confused in conversation - Bodily health good - Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia.

" 23 To day this patient managed to elude the vigilance of the Attendants and made his escape. His friends being anxious to retain him at home he is dismissed

Relieved

This patient was brought to the Asylum this afternoon from Perth Jail, where he had been confined. He had shewn symptoms of insanity it appears from the Incidence for some time, and had latterly become so outrageous, that they were obliged to confine him.
On admission was perfectly quiet - Said he was a Cooper in Perth, and had the largest business of the kind in Perth - That he had a considerable some of money in his House in Perth, and that he was anxious to get home to look after it that he had a four wheeled Carriage and a Gig - that he very seldom used the Carriage himself, but his wife did - that he had a great many Horses and several ponies which he kept for his children - that he got a large sum of money with his wife, upwards of £1000 and a Garden worth about £200 - that he had spent a great deal of money foolishly in his day, but he was very careful now - that he had been in Perth Jail - that he was put there because he was a little "Brainiack" - that the Sheriff and a Doctor took such an interest in him that they sent him here - that he is now quite well and able to superintend his business - that he has nine Journeymen under him - that his Brother is taking charge of the business until his return but he is not as well up to the business as he himself is - that his Wife has been the cause of all this - that she almost drove him distracted to see her so fond of whiskey - that he does not take any himself - he prefers port ~~wine~~ a Sherry diluted with water and besides they have a more agreeable taste than whiskey - Pulse 80 regular - Tongue white - Pupils dilated - Countenance pale and haggard - Health of moderate temperature - Very composed in conversation - General condition of body healthy Ordinary diet.

April 10. Pulse 80 small and feeble - Features sharp - Pupils dilated - Tongue white Became so much excited this afternoon, that he was obliged to be placed in the Refractory - Bowels said to be constipated - Urinal station Pelulae fetid: ℈ OL: Rolonis ij^s. Cont: Ahs

" 12 Has been rather quieter since last report very destructive to his Clothes, destroying everything he can lay hold of - Mind weak - Very composed in conversation Cleanly in his Habits - General condition of Body healthy - Has a very running

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April (Contd) expression of countenance - Body of natural temperature - Has an insatiable look at present - Delusions mentioned in previous reports remain unchanged - Appetite, Sleep and Bowels regular - Cont: omnia

" 26 Delusions are as vivid as ever - Has been very much excited during the last three days - Constantly annoying his fellow patients and destroying anything he can lay his hands on - No change whatever in mental state - Bodily health pretty good - Con: omnia

" 30 Continues tractable, although not very much excited - Says he will give the Doctors hue & cry when he gets out - Has once or twice attempted to strike the Attendants - very confused in conversation - Bodily health good - Cont: omnia

May 20 Bodily health good - Mind weak and confused - Talks in an incoherent manner of his Carriages - his wife who he says is the prettiest woman in perth - and his Brother who cheated him out of £2000 - So much quieter during the last few days especially - Cleanly in his Habits and personal appearance - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural - Cont: omnia

June 10 Destructive to his Clothes and filthy in his habits - Has continued free from excitement since last report - Cannot be employed at anything useful - Annoys his fellow patients in every way he can think of - picking out the weakest of them from whom he purloins everything that is portable and runs off with the spoil - No change in mental state - Bodily Health not so good - Delusions mentioned in former reports remain unchanged - Bowels regular - Appetite voracious - Cont: omnia

" 26 Mind weak and confused - Bodily health is unimpaired - Destructive to his clothes but not so filthy in his habits as at last report - Confused in conversation - Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural - let him have one pint of porter per diem -

July 20 No change in mental state - Bodily health better - purloins everything he can lay hold of from his fellow patients - Is very cleanly in his habits - Appetite keen - Bowels regular - Con: omnia

Aug. 14 Bodily health pretty good - Mind in the same weak state - Delusions continue as vivid as ever - Very destructive to his Clothes and careless of his personal appearance - Constantly annoying his fellow patients - Has been upon the whole pretty quiet since last report - Cannot be persuaded to employ himself at anything useful - Appetite very keen - Bowels kept regular by occasional doses of medicine - Con: omnia

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was brought to the Asylum to day from Falkirk
On admission he was quite quiet - would not
answer one question put to him by the
Medical officer - laughed in an imbecile
manner - Pulse 68 regular - Tongue white
but moist - Pupils dilated - Scalp of
natural temperature - General condition
of body healthy. R. Rl. Alterantia xij. Cum
dua omni vesp. hora somni. Ordinary
diet and regimen. This is a case of Somatica
Insanity.

April 10 pulse 68 full. Tongue pretty clean - Pupils
dilated. - Cannot or will not answer any
questions - passes his depositions on his
Clothes and bed - Expression of eye dull
and heavy - Countenance expressive of
imbecility - Health good - Appetite, Sleep
and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia.

" 22 Bodily health good - Never speaks a word
to any one - Will employ himself in
any way - Habits filthy - Bowels regular
Appetite good. Cont omnia

" 30 General health good - Bodily functions
natural - Cont: omnia

May 24 In all respects the same as when last
reported. Cont: omnia.

June 20 Bodily health good - Bowels regular
Destructive to his Clothes and filthy
in his Habits - Does not speak - Cannot be
got to Employ himself at anything
Stands and laughs sometimes for
ten minutes, and then runs round
the airing ground. No change in mental state

July 16 No change in any respect since last
report. Cont: omnia

Augt 31 Mind weak, and delusive. Bodily
health good. Cont: omnia

Sept 18 Patient is good for no useful purpose
stands still for a long time at once or
runs about just about any seeming object
Filthy as formerly Destructive & dirty
Bodily health tolerable. C O

Nov 3 No change in any respect in the con-
duct of this patient Bodily health
good Cont omnia

" 28 No mental or bodily change
Filthy & destructive to his clothes as any thing he can
get his hands on sometimes
Strikes those who are unable
to defend themselves Bodily
health good Cont omnia

Dec 27 Continues in all respects
in the same state Filthy
& destructive Appetite keen
eats very Miscellaneous
when not superintended &
quite incorrigible Health
tolerably good Cont omn

1845 Admitted 15th April 1845

Apl 20 A hopeless case of dementia or likely ament[ia] No change of course for the better is to be expected Continues in all respects as at last Report Health good Cont Comm

May 20 No change except that he seemed to getting very thin & weak Tube small & roll Has been put on Calleps Bread & Ms recruiting Cont Comm

June 17 Still on extra diet & although little somewhat thinner has improved much No other appreciable change Cont Comm

28 Bodily condition continues to improve & he is still very thin Mind of course remains in the same [illegible] state Very dirty passing his stools & urine in bed Habits very destructive Bowels regular Cont Comm

July 26 No mental change perceptible Is rommer in rather better bodily condition Takes his food speedily is very dirty & destructive Can be put to no useful employment Bowels regular Cont Comm

Aug 25 Continues in all respects as at last report No improvement Cont Comm

Sept 26 Continues in all respects as reported Can be put to no useful purpose Takes his food speedily Bowels regular Dirty & destructive Cont Comm

Oct 20 No mental change Continues the same filthy unless occasionally patient as formerly Cont Comm

Nov 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Takes his food & pretty Bowels regular Cont Comm

Dec 26 No improvement in any respect Dirty & destructive Bodily health tolerably good Cont Comm

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Feb 25 No change of any importance appreciable Takes his food pretty well but is never very fat Health tolerable Cont Comm

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Alexander Watson Ætat: 18:

This patient was brought to the Asylum this afternoon by his father. He was previously in the Asylum from 17th January 1844 to the 29th June of the same year when day he was discharged Cured.

On admission he appeared cautious and reserved - Requested to be allowed to go to bed as he said he was very fatigued, and his left foot was rather sore - Upon examination there was extensive sloughing from the Metatarsal as far as the first phalanx of the great toe - Countenance expressive of imbecility - Eye dull and heavy - pupils dilated - Tongue white but moist - pulse 78 small and feeble - Belly rather above ordinary temperature - Temperature of Body Natural - Ry pil Alterativ iiij Horâ somni sumend.

April 17 pulse 80 moderate - pupils dilated Tongue rather clean - Mind much confused and wanders - Answers questions in monosyllables and not always correctly - Filthy in his habits - Bowels have been moved by the Medicines - Let his hair be cut close - Cont: omnia

" 20 pulse 76 small - pupils dilated - Tongue white - No change in mental state - Bowels clean - Appetite voracious - Sleeps well at night - Foot has been dressed with a weak solution of sulphate of zinc but has not improved in appearance - Cont: ha: pil: Alterativ: et ad vesperam. Cont: Habr: Foot to be dressed with the following lotion Ry Aquæ Calcis sulphatis Ʒij Potassæ sulphuretis Ʒij Aquæ Ʒxvj M ft. lotio.

" 22 pulse 74 regular - pupils very much dilated - Tongue pretty clean - Bowels pretty regular - Appetite keen - Habits filthy in the extreme - Careless of his personal appearance. Foot looks rather better to day - Cont: omnia.

" 27 looks rather thin - No change in mental state - very lazy - Cannot be made do not anything for himself - passes his ejections in bed - Bowels kept regular by medicine - No improvement in the appearance of the foot since last report Ry Infus: Gent: Comp: Aquæ pont: Ʒss Tinct: Rhei Ʒvss ter die Ry M. dein: omnibus horis omni mane

" 30 Looks thin - No improvement in the appearance of foot - Appetite voracious - Tongue white - Has a stool once every day Order to be sponged and bandaged - Ry Infus: Cinchon: frigid: Ʒxvj Tinct: Rhei Ʒij Tinct: Cardamom: Comp: Ʒij fiat Mistura Ʒss ter die sumenda Omitt: Tinct: sulphat: Aquæ -

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[illegible] By Sulph. Zinci Bj Aqua font. Zxij M post lotio pedi
[illegible] Appetite improved. Conr. omnia
May 9 Bowels rather slow - Appetite very good - Filthy in his habits as formerly - Does not appear to take the slightest interest in anything going on around him - Never speaks unless he is spoken to, and then only in monosyllables - Body of natural temperature - Foot if anything improved with lotion of Zinc - R Pil. Alterantis xij: Sumr. ij accumbendo quoque nocte hora somni.

" 14 No change in the appearance of foot since last report - When it is dressed a considerable quantity of blood oozes from it - Bowels kept open only by medicine - Appetite very good - No change in mental state. Conr. omnia.

" 18 Foot had not improved since last report - There is a considerable quantity of pus collected round it - Appetite good - Bowels regular - Mind in all respects the same as when last reported - Let a poultice be applied to the foot immediately. Calcia

" 21 No improvement in mental state - Bowels reported to be regular - Appetite good - Foot very much improved by poultice - Let it be dressed with the following lotion R Sulphatis Zinci Zi Aquæ fontanæ Zxij - M ft lotio. To have a pint of porter daily - Misce Collapa and Mustea - To be got up out of bed and taken into the open air. Calcia

" 23 Bowels constipated - Appetite good - Has been more cleanly in his habits during the last few days - To day when the foot was dressed a considerable quantity of blood oozed from it - It looks if anything better - R Sulph. Magnes. Zij Infusi Rosæ & Cinp. Zij ft Haust Statim sumend.

" 30 Healthy granulations begin to form round the wound - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Still filthy in his habits although not so bad as formerly - Has been more talkative since last report - Tongue clean - pupils dilated - Foot to be dressed in future with the following lotion R Sulph. Zinci Zij Aquæ font Zxij - M ft lotio.

June 7 Foot looks considerably better - Wound heals up kindly - Mind seems more alert - Bodily health good - Pulse 66 regular - Bowels regular - Appetite keen - Conr. omnia.

" 20 Pulse 68 moderate - pupils dilated - Tongue clean - is in his habits and personal appearance tolerably clean - Conversation rational - Health robust - Body of natural temperature - Foot goes on well - Bowels regular - appetite good - To be out in the open air daily. Conr. omnia.

" 27 Bodily health pretty good - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Foot improves daily - Henry Summers to be sent over to the Tailors shop to work - Expresses himself very grateful for the attention which has been paid to him while he was here - Habits cleanly - Sleeps well at night. Conr. omnia

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May 31 Body of natural temperature - employs himself regularly in the Weaving Shop - No change in mental state - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia

June 30 Has been working regularly in the Weaving Shop under last report - Bodily health good - Never speaks unless when spoken to, and even then he is very composed - Habits cleanly - Appetite good Bowels regular. Cont: omnia

July 30 No change has taken place during the last month. Continue

Augt 31 Mind in the same state as when last reported. Cannot speak in connected sentences. Bodily health good. Works in the Weavers Shop Habits Cont: omnia

Sept 2 Works constantly & diligently in the weavers Shop - but is extremely slow & indeed he is in all his movements - Never speaks to any one & seldom answers when spoken to - Habits cleanly & orderly - Health pretty good for his age which must be between 60 & 70 - Takes his food tolerably well. Cont omnia

Nov 2 No change in the mental or physical condition of this patient - Works constantly in the weaver's Shop - Is steady & cleanly & pursues Health tolerable Cont omnia

28 Continues to work constantly in the weaver's Shop - Exceedingly slow in all his movements but constant as a clock - Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance - Seldom returns an answer to any observation but smiles as if pleased at being spoken to - Appetite & sleep & bowels reported natural Cont omnia

Dec 25 No material change - Works constantly in the weaver's Shop - Excessively slow in his movements but persevering constant at his employment - A very old man but enjoys tolerable health - Takes his food well - Cleanly in his person & careful of his clothes - Seldom returns any answer except a smile when spoken to Cont omnia

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Jany 20 No change - A helpless case of dementia - Works constantly in the weaver's Shop - Health tolerable considering his age - Cleanly Cont omnia

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July 20 Still marks slowly but constantly in the weaver's shop Mind far gone but grows very contented with his lot Takes his food well Health tolerable considering his age which cannot be far from 70 Cont omna

" 27 No change Mind very much the same Works in the weaver's shop slowly & steadily Pale & rather thin Cleanly & neat Health tolerable considering his age Cont omna

" 28 No observable change Slow, methodical as an old soldier Cleanly & neat Scarcely ever speaks even in reply to a question Pale perhaps from confinement as he is very unwilling to go to the airing court Bounds regular Cont omna

Aug 2 Continues to work in the weaver's shop Slow & steady Seems to take no note of anything but the work he is at Takes his food tolerably well Health tolerable Good for his years The constant confinement to be subject himself to as he can scarcely be induced to go out but as soon as his meal is over repairs to his loom Cont omna

" 25 No change of any importance since last report Bounds regular Cont omna

June 2 Still quietly at work in the weaver's shop very slow & very constant seldom utters a word Pale from confinement Takes his food tolerably well Cont omna

" 26 No change of any consequence Still employed in the weaver's shop seldom opens his lips to speak but usually smiles in reply to any thing said to him Takes his food tolerably well Cont omna

July 2 The looms being taken down upstairs is now at work in the ground Quiet & slow Takes his food tolerably well Cont omna

" 26 Continues to work in the grounds seldom speaks Takes his food pretty well Cont

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May 10 No change in any respect since last report. Cont. omnia

June 30 Has been free from excitement since last report - Complains frequently of the Blood being sucked out of him by one of his fellow patients and when asked to point him out he says he is not there - Supposes that the patients are conspiring against him, and that they purpose to kill him - Bodily health good - Bowels regular - Cont omnia

July 28 General health good - Bodily function natural - Cont omnia

Augt 31 No change in mental state since last report Bodily health good. Eat at present quiet and sivil. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

Octr 3 Continues in nearly the same state as at last report There [illegible] got a pretty severe scalp wound from a patient striking him over the head with a crutch Wound is now however completely healed Pursues merry Melodies constantly by running about the gallery by the aid of his two short crutches Enjoys good bodily health Cont omnia

Novr 3 Little change of any sense last report Constantly moaning up & down the Gallery by the aid of his little crutches Every time the Medical officer passes asks him what o'clock it is Full of fancies Peeps beneath the beds fancying he sees imaginary objects there Bodily health tolerable Eats & sleeps well Mutters greatly to himself Cont omnia

" 28 No change Always moaning about the yard on his little crutches & constantly asks the Medical attendant what o'clock it is Tolerably neat & clean in his personal appearance Takes his food well Bowels regular Bodily health tolerable Cont omnia

Decr 24 No mental or bodily change Sometimes walks a little & speaking coherent but is almost constantly trotting about the yard on his little crutches Moans very much & mutters much to himself & imagines he sees objects beneath the beds Is tolerably clean & careful of his clothes Takes his food well Health tolerable Cont omnia

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Janr 20 A hopeless case of dementia

Admitted 16 August 1848

Matters must to Remain [illegible] Mind
very weak & very Suspicious &
Delusions but his Health is tolerable
considering his age & close confine-
ment Cleanly & careful of his
clothes Cont Remain

24 July 20 No Change in any respect
since last report They seldom
goes out of the Gallery Takes
his food well but to Matters
quite Alters quietly Cont
Remain

Aug 17 Mind as weak & as full of
fancies as ever Delusions Re-
main Walks to & fro in the
gallery on his little errands
as formerly Always enquires
whether dinner may be
Takes his food well Bowels
regular Health tolerable
Cont Remain

28 No appreciable Change
Mind weak & fanciful
Imagines often that there
are People beneath the Ma-
hogany & wanting to Watch
him or Kill him Takes
his food well Not destructive
nor Tolerably clean by
Cont Remain

Sept 26 Much in the same state as at last
report Mind continuing in the
same weak & fanciful condi-
tion Takes his food well &
enjoys tolerable Health Bowels
regular Neither dirty nor
destructive Cont Remain

Nov 25 Continues in all respects as at
last report Cont Remain

Dec 26 Still retains the notion that
People annoy him by getting be-
neath his bed into the walls &c
Takes his food tolerably well
Not dirty or destructive Cont
Remain

1849 July 26 No appreciable Change Delusions con-
tinue the same as formerly Is often
complaining of People attempting
to Strike him Bodily Health
not very strong Bowels reg-
ular Cont Remain

Aug 26 No Change Change of any im-
portance since last Report
Cont Remain

Sept 26 Delusions as to People burning
his Mogul lying below Watch
ed Drinking him &c Cont
continues as before Bodily
Health tolerable Cont

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May 28 Health good - Mind weak and fatuous - Bowels regular. Appetite good - Has been working in the grounds actively since Last Report. Cont. comm.

June 30 Bodily health good - Con: comm.

July 28 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - walks in the grounds steadily - seldom or never speaks unless when spoken to - Appetite good. Cont comm.

Augt 31 General health good Con: comm.

Octr 3 Quiet & well behaved. Works regularly & industriously. Never enters into conversation with anyone & answers questions slowly & reluctantly. Has a heavy look. Takes his food well. Bodily health good. Cont com

Novr 3 Little change since last report except that he does not work much of late days. He is weak & not able to work. Quiet & inoffensive. Seldom speaks to anyone. Cleanly in his personal appearance. Takes his food well & enjoys good health. Cont comm

28 No change. Steadily as mentioned in the execution of this report. Does not work much of late. Quiet & inoffensive. Takes his food well. Is rather cleanly in his personal appearance. Does not desire much in the appetite & sleep good. Cont comm

Decr 25 No perceptible change. Quiet & inoffensive. Works a little sometimes in the grounds. sometimes at picking cotton &c. Is tolerably full bodied. Head not hard & flabby. Cleanly in his personal appearance. Mind weak & full of notions about his health being bad. Takes his food well & enjoys tolerable health. Cont com

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Janr 20 No change. Mind weak & some what hypochondriacal. Appears healthy & healthy old man. Pale & bodily health apparently not very robust. Takes his food tolerably well. Works little. Clean, precise, cleanly & careful of his clothes. Cont com well

Feb 20 Continues the same quiet and inoffensive old man. Under treatment for a trifling change. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont com

March 17 Mind continues in the same weak state. No change. Cont com

Admitted 10th August 1843

Mond 28 Mind continues in the same weak unsettled state slow & sluggish in all his motions even in talking Cleanly & tolerably careful of his clothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Health tolerably good Cont comm

Wed 26 Quiet inoffensive old man Walks a little in the ground Takes his food tolerable well seems contented with his lot & unused to give offence to no one apparently Cont comm

Thur 27 No appreciable change in any respect since last report Cont comm

Tues 26 No appreciable change in this case indeed none of a favourable character can be anticipated very quiet & harmless seldom speaks Tolerably cleanly Cont comm

Wed 26 Continues in most respects as reported above Slow & sluggish sits or lies lounging about with no inclination & scarcely any power to work at any thing useful Bowels regular Health tolerably good for his age Cont comm

Thurs 26 No change of any importance in any respect since last report Cont comm

Wed 26 Quiet & inoffensive Speaks but little Takes his food pretty well Bowels regular Cont comm

Sat 26 No appreciable change Quiet & inoffensive seldom speaks old & frail Very slow in his movements Takes his food pretty well Cont comm

Wed 24 Slow & quiet in all his actions Cleanly & inoffensive Takes his food well & keeps himself tolerably cleanly Cont comm

Tues 24 Much the same reported above Quiet inoffensive & imbecile Takes his food tolerably well Cont comm

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Thur 25 Much the same & quiet frail imbecile old man Health tolerable Bowels regular Cont comm

Fri 26 Much the same as at last report Old quiet & frail Cont

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William Allan Æt. from Vol. V. p. 42.
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April 30 No improvement in mental state - delusions mentioned in previous reports are as vivid as ever - thinks that the Attendants have not paid him sufficient respect for the last two days especially - He expects he says to bring them into proper working order shortly - General health good - Works in the grounds daily. Cont: ommia

May 31 Bodily health good - Walks round the grounds at least once every day to see that every thing is going on to his satisfaction - says that the Directors are now due him £20,000 in hard cash - that he means to speak to them immediately about it - that when they have been out at any time they purposely avoid him - Employs himself in the Garden daily and calls at the Refreshment room in the morning before he begins to work, to inquire if they require vegetables - No change in mental state - Wounds to regular - Appetite good - Cont: ommia

June 30 Health requires the same as when last reported. C. ommia

July 26 General health good - Works as usual in the Garden - delusions mentioned in previous reports remain undamaged - Quiet and well behaved - Cont: ommia

Augt 31 No change has taken place since last report Cont: ommia

Sept 3 No change in mental condition Walks round the grounds at least once daily to see that all things are correctly managed & regularly sees all the patients in his gallery nightly & daily before he retires to rest. He generally speaks to by the medical attendant as having the chief control & replies in the same strain Plants all the cabbages & is generally employed in the garden where if you pass him a remark he civilly finishes your help yourself to some peas a carrot or a turnip if you thank him after you have partaken he generally replies that you are welcome to help yourself at any time Does not remember conversing with the rest of the patients Wears his hat much set on the one side of his head. General health good Cont ommia

Nov 3 No change whatever since last report Cont ommia

28 Continues to perambulate the grounds every morning to see that all is right is always the last to go to bed Takes the head of the table & does honours the food Daily employed in the Garden Continues to enjoy tolerably good bodily health appetite keep & bowels natural Cont ommia

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Admitted 27th November 1882

Dec 25 No mental or bodily change Retains all his notions as to his being superintendent of the establishment Perambulates the grounds daily to see that every thing is done properly Walks chiefly in the garden Health good Conduct common

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Aug 21 No change Walks daily as formerly round the grounds to see that all is properly done Never goes to bed until after all the other patients are in bed Works in the garden Health good Takes his food well Conduct common

Feb 21 Continues in all respects as at last report General health good Conduct common

Jan 1848 Still imagines that he has the chief superintendance of the whole establishment Perambulates the grounds daily to see that all things are right Never goes to his bed until all the other patients have gone Works tolerably diligently in the garden Takes his food well Health good Conduct common

28 No change in his delusions Still imagining that he has the superintendance of the whole institution Takes his food well Bodily health good Conduct common

Jan 26 Still supposes himself chief superintendent of the institution Regularly perambulates the grounds to see that every thing is properly Takes his food well Works industriously in the garden Conduct common

May 11 No change in any respect since last report General health continues good Conduct common

Jan 17 Continues his perambulations round the grounds his delusions continuing the same as formerly Works in the garden Health good Remains every [illegible]

May 20 Continues to work tolerably industriously in the grounds Plants all the cabbages &c Walks regularly round the grounds as formerly to see that every thing is done properly Takes his food well Health good Conduct [illegible]

Daniel Harvey &c. from Vol. V. p. 1110

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May 24 No change in any respect since last report. Cont. omnia

June 20 General health good - has been quiet and well behaved since last report - Works regularly at the furnaces - Mind weak and fanciful - Answers questions rationally enough sometimes - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont. omnia

July 30 Health good - employs himself as usual at the furnaces - Bowels regular appetite good. No change in mental state. Omnia

Augt 31 No change has taken place either in the Mental or bodily state of this patient since last report. Omnia

Sept 16 Daily mark to my Bowels constipated Tongue foul complains much of pain & fulness in his bowels says his never well when his bowels ✓ bound R Pil alterativ ℞ii Sumat iij omni nocte

17 Bowels have not been moved R also Rem. Sal Decoct. arenos ℥ij Mucil. Tragacanth ℥ss omnia 2ª

18 Bowels have not been moved except by the injection R Pil Pacificae Crotonis ℞ii Sumat iij omni nocte

Octr 3 Since this Bowels have become regular mark regularly at this old employment Answers questions relevantly Tolerably well like the look Tongue clean Later this forenoon Cont. omnia

4 Has been quiet well behaved & free from excitement marking industriously since last report Sometimes however he is very anxious to get home Complains that his bowels are again somewhat costive Tongue white Cont. R Pil Pacificae Crotonis ℞ii Sumat alias omni nocte

23 Still very anxious to get home Bowels still costive R Pil Pacificae Crotonis ℞ii Sumat duas secundo vel tertio quoque nocte Cera omnia

Novr 7 Has been taking alterative pills lately but they ceased to affect his bowels a few days ago became sick with a sense of fulness & pain about the abdomen Was ordered as follows R Olei Ricini ℥ij Olei Terebinthinae ℥ss Decoct. arenos ℥ij Misce fiat enema quam primum injicien R Pil Pacificae Crotonis ℞ii Sumat duas statim et repetantur quotidie Bowels more copiously relieved & Re-mark again Always ailing to get away but upon the whole mark pretty diligently as supposed to humour with food. Mind weak Takes his food well Cont. omnia

28 Bowels have again become constipated Refuses to mark & wishes to go home Complains of the conduct of the keeper in ordering & threatening him & of the usual to the evening

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court & threatening to kick him
R Sulphatis Magnesiæ ʒvj ad ʒij
Infusi Lemnæ Aquæ fontanæ ℥ iv ℥ij
Misce Solvatur Sumat Mane
R Pilulæ rhei Pilulæ Cathartica
Cratonis ℞ ii Limat duas horis somni
et repetantur omni nocte

May 24 For a fortnight after last report still continued dull stupid anxious to get away required a turpentine injection a considerable number of pills ere his bowels were brought into proper order For the last ten or twelve days has been quiet not so anxious to get away & work at his usual employment supplies the furnaces with fuel Takes his food well except that he almost constantly requires medicine for his bowels is in good health Cont Omn

May 21 He is a tolerably quiet state just now working quietly & not very unfavourable to be discharged Bowels require to be well looked after & without medicine they are sure to become constipated At present gets three fæcal evacuations daily every second or third day Cont Omn

May 21 He still occasionally breaks out into mischief Bowels & bowels have the same tendency to get constipated so that he very often requires medicine Health & behaviour tolerably good as much as before Cont Omn

June 18 Not much change Often very anxious to get discharged and especially when his bowels get constipated Gets very obstinate & desperate Requires generally an enema as well as purgatives by the mouth to evacuate his bowels at times Health & behaviour tolerably good Cont Omn

28 No change of any importance Still requires rather large doses of medicine to keep his bowels free anxious to get discharged more especially when his bowels are costive Cont Omn

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May 24 No change in any respect since last recorded. Cont: omnia.

June 28 Works regularly in the grounds at least during the last two months. Mind rather confused and wandering. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Comma Health, habits and state of mind the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia

July 01

Augt 01 Bodily health good. Mind in the same weak and confused state. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Works regularly in the grounds Cont: omnia

Augt 13 Continues much behaved. Works regularly in the quarry when the weather permits. Answers questions rationally, but mind is little weak. Does not betray any delusion of late but appears cautious & brief in his replies. Takes his food well & enjoys good health & spirits.

Nov 3 Continues to work very industriously in the quarry. Quarter little to be in general quiet & well behaved but last week was very anxious to fight anyone of his size. To Roger ever again quiet & at work. Bodily health good. Functions natural. Cont omnia

18 Has continued more or less excitable per since last report. On one occasion sought to settle another patient who however was much too strong for him. At present refuses to work in the quarry. Takes his meals in the smallest trifles. Is in good bodily health. Eats & sleeps well. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

Dec 18 Has become much quieter & less excitable since last report. Now works industriously in the quarry. Mind & manner & erratic as before. Bodily health good. Takes his food well & naturally cleanly & careful of his clothes. Cont omnia

29 Has again become excitable & forceful. Refuses to work in the quarry & would fight anything. Talks quite confusedly. Tells asserts he is the Angel Gabriel & would cause to appear. Then moves with his drawers dragging down & full of all sorts of stones & struck two of his fellow patients yesterday. Lips rather distorted. Tongue clean. Sensibility & tactile & calorific &c

Admitted March 3d 1842

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Feb 21 Is again at work in the quarry. He supposes himself the Angel Gabriel. Talks much in a rather incoherent manner. Is rather more careful of his personal appearance. Heard last report was not many days unreasonable. Takes his food well. Health pretty good. Conduct as usual

March 21 When at work in the quarry, to an opportunity to make his escape. But was brought back the next day. No change in his delusions. Has at present a fistula on heel from having the stone rubbed off and which he walks around

Attends to good health. Conduct as usual

28 Works delegently in the yard. Talks very incoherently and still asserts that he is the Angel Gabriel but seldom talks of it as formerly. Restrains himself so as to take his food well. Enjoys good health. Is tolerably cleanly. Sore on heel quite well. Conduct as usual

April 28 No material improvement. Retains his delusions as vividly as ever. Works in the grounds at present. Sleeps well. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Tolerably cleanly. Conduct as usual

May 26 No improvement. Works in the quarry. Must do as much as formerly. Works tolerably industriously. Takes his food well. Health good. Conduct as usual

June 2 The parish authorities who paid for his maintainence, Roxbury, prefer to remove him today. He is therefore discharged

Returned

Robert Brown Male. Admitted 4th Feb 1845

May 10	Genral health good - Bodily functions natural. Mind in all respects the same as when last reported - Employed in the grounds where he works steadily Bowels regular - appetite good. Conduct unchanged in mental state - Employs himself in the grounds regularly - Bodily health good - Bowels regular. Conduct
June 10	unchanged the grounds daily - Does as reported the same as when last reported. Conduct
July 24	Bodily health good. No change in
Augt 21	mental state. Has been progressive improvement since last report. Bowels regular. Conduct unchanged
Octr 2	Works daily in the kitchen sometimes becomes got rather excited one day threatened to strike the cook an ugly one it was found he had been abusing him with his tongue rather unusually he easily managed with gentle treatment Takes his food well enjoys good bodily health Conduct
Novr 3	unchanged Works at work in the kitchen at times is occasionally he falls out with the cook & threatens her - is kept from the kitchen for a day or two but is a good worker is easily managed by fair words Has rather a dull look & cleanly in his habits & personal appearance Conduct unchanged
" 28	Is employed at work in the kitchen Does occasionally get a little excited but is easily managed with fair words Is in good bodily health takes his food well cleanly in his personal appearance Bowels regular Sleeps well Conduct unchanged
Decr 24	No material change bodily or mental Continues to work in the Kitchen & although occasionally excitable easily managed with kindness & smooth words Bodily health & personal appearance tolerable Conduct unchanged
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Jan 21	No change in any respect Works in the kitchen Mind unsettled & sorrowful Does not talk much Takes his food well Bowels regular Tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Does not exercise Conduct unchanged
Feby 21	No change mentally or bodily Works in the Kitchen as usual Bodily health pretty sound Conduct unchanged

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Dec 18 Still employed in the Kitchen as before — Has been free from excitement since last report Mind quiet & composed Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont Comm

28 No mental improvement Employed in the Kitchen Quiet & tractable but easily managed by firm mild & gentle treatment Mind very much as before Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont Comm

Jan 26 Mind continues in the same weak condition Works steadily in the Kitchen & has been free from excitement for some months past & is considered in consequence of the judicious treatment by the present Kitchen maid Health good Cont Comm

Feb 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Still at work in the Kitchen Health good Cont Comm

March 26 Conducting himself very quietly in the situation he holds in the Kitchen Speaks but little seldom Speaks Health good Cont Comm

April 26 No appreciable change Still employed in the Kitchen conducts himself very quietly & works in very industriously & orderly Health tolerable good Cont Comm

May 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Cont Comm

June 26 Still at work in the Kitchen conducting himself pretty well Orderly Health pretty good Cont

July 26 No appreciable change in any respect Conducts himself quietly & well Employed still in the Kitchen Cont Comm

Aug 25 Still employed in the Kitchen Works industriously & quietly Orderly Health good Cont Comm

Sept 29 Still employed in the Kitchen Mind very much Works very industriously & rather cleverly in his Personal appearance & Conjugal Habits orderly Health & bowels regular Cont

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On admission appeared very much depressed
asked where Mr John McEachnie, Mr Todd
and Mr Cochrane were (the three individuals
who brought him to the Asylum) - said
that Mr Todd who is clerk to a Dundee Merchant
in Paisley came to him that morning
and said that he was going to take a
drive into the country and would be glad
if he was not otherwise engaged that
he should accompany him to which
proposal he at once agreed - that they
came here with him and that he has
not seen them since - that he has
known Mr Todd for many years - that
he first became acquainted with him
in Dunbar - He also said that he formerly
kept a grocery shop in Paisley - that he
lived with his Mother - that he was a
Pasman at one time - His farm was
called Newpath - that it was situated
about 2 Miles from Greenlaw the County
town of Haddington - that he took
possession in Whitsunday 1842 - that
as all farmers have the crop for one
year after the Term expires - he went
to Dunbar to look about him, and
see if he could make arrangements
for the disposal of it - that he remained
there till Whitsunday 1843, when he
got his whole crop sold off - He then
went to Dalkeith in Midlothian and
domiciled for a short time with a
friend of his who is a farmer there -
that he left that and went to Port
Glasgow to look after a situation which
had been advertised, but he did not
succeed in obtaining it - does not
recollect exactly what sort of a
situation it was - that he then
took a Shop in Paisley and that
he has been there ever since - cannot
say why he chose Paisley in preference
to any other - health rather bad -
Countenance anxious - Eye wears a
dull heavy expression - Speech
Rational - Tongue white - pulse 80 flattering
Body of natural temperature - General
condition healthy - Bowels kept
comfortable. Ordinary
diet and regimen.

April 21 Mind weak and confused - Has a childish
expression of countenance - Cleanly in
his habits and personal appearance -
Asked the Medical Officer to say by what
authority he was detained here - said
he wished to see Dr McEachnie and asked
what part of the building he lived in -
When told that there was no such person
here - He asked where he was and what

Admitted 20th April 1845

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April (cont.) was the matter with him - said that Dr Mackenzie was his Medical Attendant in Paisley - that he attended him when he was "ill of a brain fever" that he was confined to bed for a week - that it was caused by "vexation of spirit" - that he had met with a great many crosses and disappointments in his business - very confused and hesitating in conversation - Pulse 78 small and feeble - Pupils dilated - Tongue brown - Bowels reported to be slow - Appetite indifferent Sumat bis nocte hora somni pil. Colocynth. Comp. & Hyoscyam ij. Cont: Alia

" 23 Pulse 76 small - Pupils dilated - Tongue rather white but moist - Expression of countenance anxious and haggard - Mind weak - Habits cleanly - Bowels rather slow - Ry Pil. Alterativ xij. Sumat ij omni nocte hora somni - R Infus: Cinchon: ferrat 3xv. Tinct: Cardamom: Comp. 3ij. Acidi Muriatici dilut 3ij M. Sumantur omnes duas horas die quotidie. Cont: Alia

" 30 Pulse 74 regular - Pupils dilated slightly - Tongue clean and moist - No change in mental state - Has a childish expression of countenance - says he is a great deal stronger - that he wishes to go home on Saturday, as his business cannot go on without him - that his Mother is an old woman, and there is no one but herself to take charge of the shop - that he cannot see the use of being kept here - Still confused in conversation - Bodily health much better - Bowels pretty regular. Appetite good - Cont: omnia

May 8 Had an interview with the physician to day at which he explained to him the cause of his illness which occurred during and afterwards in a clear and rational manner - thanked him for the kindness he had received while in the Institution - and stated that from the business which he had been engaged being too laborious for his health who was the only person at home, he should like as soon as the physician considered it advisable to get back to his business - Bodily health good - May be dismissed so soon as arrangements can be made with his friends who will be written to soon.

" 12 His patient has continued in every respect well since last report - No friends have written to the physician and may be expected in a few days.

" 15 Being in good Bodily health and free from all delusions he is to day dismissed

Cured

James McLelland Aetatis 24:

The patient was brought from the Towns Hospital this afternoon - he had been very much excited for two days and today he became so unmanageable, that they were forced to bring him to the Asylum - On admission was perfectly quiet - walked into the Gallery and sat down without saying a word - Appeared to be quite careless of everything going on around him - said that he could speak Galloway - that his father brought him here, and put him into the "Old House" (meaning the Towns Hospital) because he was not "very right in the mind" - that he had been there for 8 or 9 years - that he never employed himself in any way - that his father is a lawyer in Glasgow - Very uncommunicative in conversation - Countenance has an imbecile manner - General condition of body healthy Countenance expressive of imbecility - pulse & Regular - pupils dilated - Tongue clean - bowels healthy - to have ordinary diet.

April 23 pulse 84 regular - pupils dilated - Tongue clean - bowels very much relaxed - Appetite good - Sleep well at night - Habits cleanly - Kind weak and childish - Annual Statum Rl. Rydrarg. c Opio ij. Con. Alvi

" 27 pulse 70 full - pupils dilated - Tongue pretty clean - Answers questions in a hesitating manner - No change in mental state - Appetite, Sleep and Bowels regular - Cont. omnia

May 20 No change in any respect since last report. Cont: omnia

June 20 General health good - Employs himself in the Galleries associating the Attendants very composed and heartily in conversation - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Health & natural temperature - pulse 70 moderate Tongue clean and moist - pupils dilated Bowels regular - Cont: omnia.

July 21 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia

Augt 21 General health good. Bodily functions natural. Cont: omnia

Octr 3 Reports adequately in the Galleries Constantly employed, in a very quiet & inoffensive manner Countenance presents an imbecile look never enters into conversation Answers questions in hesitating & confused manner Bodily health good Bowels regular Has for the last few days had considerable inflammation of left eye R Aquae Ppi ounj Camph Aquae ℥vss Opii Aquae ℥viii misce pone Lavetur oculus omni hora Infunde R. Sodae Arsenitis gr ss Aquae pur ℥ss - post totis Potibus quotidie sumatur cochlear magnum Eye is now all but well. No change in any other respect healthy as to bodily Cont omnia

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Nov 3 Last week eye again became inflamed
Re same medicine were again pre-
scribed & it is now nearly well
again No change in his mental
condition Quiet retired & inoff
pensive Mind very weak Bodily
health on the whole tolerable
Cleanly & tolerably neat in his
personal appearance Takes his
food well Conduct common

Dec 1 Eye still occasionally troublesome
Dec 4 Remains at present all but well
No change in mental state Quiet
retired inoffensive cleanly industri-
ous & in tolerably good bodily
health Conduct common

Dec 26 No particular change Quiet
retired & obedient Requests in
Re galleries & also at present
Eye continues
to be occasionally troublesome
Is a Remiss in tolerable
health although pale & rather
flabby Takes his food well
Conduct common

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Jan 21 No change Mind continues
in the same weak state
Is quiet disobedient & peace-
able Works industriously
in Re gallery Never speaks
unless when spoken to Then
answers very briefly Takes his
food well but is pale & flabby
Cleanly & careful of his clothes
Conduct common

Feb 21 Mind continues in the same
imbecile State Works assidu-
ously General health Appe-
tite good but within the last
two days eyes became again inflam-
ed & Cornea clouded Ordered Spi
Mindereri Ammonia Epsom & Rhu
barb Mixture & Epsom Salts
Zij per Catharsim statim

Mar 18 No change in mental state
Mind continues imbecile State Works quietly
& industriously in the Gallery
Eyes occasionally troublesome
Is a Remiss in tolerable health
although skin has a pale sickly
hue Conduct common

28 Re on Monies of the Towns
Hospital Managers accompanied
Re necessary Powers to remove
him to their own Asylum
Re is this day discharged

Released

to admission made in an incoherent manner - said that the Papists were not standing on a right foundation - that they did not love God - that he saw them standing round him dressed in black - said that he hoped the Medical Assistance was not a Papist - when told that he was not - took hold of him by the hand, and said that he loved him - that he came from Irvine - that he had an Uncle to meet him at Irvine called "Canning Castanea" - that he got some Cash, drink from some Papists in Stirling - that the Papists have followed him wherever he went since - When asked what was the use of the Pheasants feathers which he wore in his Cap, and the Caps he had at each side of his head; - said it was for the purpose of keeping the Papists away from him - Countenance haggard - Scalp rather hot - Pulse 96 pupils dilated - Tongue white [illegible] General condition of body healthy - Ry Pil. Alterativ iij - Potion Nimendus

April 23 Having about the Papists - says that he will not part with the Cape and feather - they know that he is a Christian - that God will soon make him better - Pulse 96 quickened - Tongue as usual with a grey fur - pupils dilated - Has been very much excited during the night Appetite pretty good - Bowels have been moved - Ry Camphora - Magnesia Carbonatis ää 3j: Mist. Ferri: Acidi: Gtt. Aqua Menthæ Pip: 3vj: M. Sumat in Haust. vj. Simul warm 4ta qq. hora. Brat: Alvo.

" 24 Stomach gibbetter to day, although he still raves about the Papists - says that he was destined by God to be a ruler over the people - that he is the true proprietor of "Canning Castanea" - that the person who at present enjoys it have no right whatever to it - that he saw the Papists moving about yesterday in white robes - thinks they are Clergymen - No change in mental state - General condition of Body healthy - Bad to clean - Appetite good - Sleeps well at night Bowels to repulan. Continue.

May 10 Bodily health good - Mind weak confused and inactive - Raves about the Papists - Works about the grounds - Ry mackerel in commutation - Tongue white - Bowels pretty regular. Ry Infus: Gentian: Comp: 3xij Bicarb: Soda 3ij: Ol: Ricini: Sumatur 3ij mane mane. Cont: Alvo.

" 24 No change in mental state - Health robust - Still imagines that the Papists hover about him - General

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May (Contd.) condition of Body healthy - Habits cleanly - Pulse 82 moderate - pupils dilated slightly - tongue foul - Bowels reported to be constipated - Ry Pil: Alterativ xij: Mistura ferri c. ac. h.s. deinde alteris diebus.

June 9 No change in mental state - Raves of the paupers all day long - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Works in the grounds daily - Appetite good - Bowels below - Body of natural temperature - Health pretty good - Ry Abrastatis Capillitium. Detur secunda quaque nocte h.s. pil: patid: cy Ol: Ricini: y ad diuretic tritium. Intermit: pil: ante prandium: C. Alex.

July 18 Has been improving daily since the 20th of last month - Answers questions rationally at present - Works regularly in the grounds - Bowels pretty regular - Appetite good - Cont. Immitis

Aug. 21 Has been entirely free from excitement during the last month - Says himself that he is very much better - Talks rationally enough - Bodily health good - Employed regularly in the grounds - Cont. immitis

Sept 23 Works regularly & industriously in the grounds - Talks rationally & betrays no delusions - Bodily health good - Cont. immitis

Oct 14 Being this day in good bodily health & free from all delusions he was discharged as

Cured

Thomas Duncan &c. from Vol. V. p. 12

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April 30 Genral health good. No improvement in mental state. Habits continue more cleanly. Cont: omnia

May 26 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Continues ——— cheerful - Says he would like very much to go to his Cousins - that he would soon get better - that he will never burn any more houses (this is in allusion to his having set fire to his mothers house) - that it was his left hand that prompted him to do it - He strikes his left hand with his right and says it is a bad hand, and puts his hand on his heart saying that the good parts reside there, and hopes we are satisfied that he has a good heart and that he will not harm any one - to express his regret that he behaved ill to his mother, and attributes it all to his left hand - Thinks himself very clever - Cannot be made to employ himself at anything - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cn: omnia

June 28 On all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia

July 31 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Cannot be persuaded to employ himself at anything. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Omnia

August 31 Mind in the same weak and confused state. Never employs himself in any way. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cn: omnia

Octob 3 Has been confined to bed with ulcers on legs for the last ten days. They are now nearly well. Is blind completely as regards sight with the left eye, can barely distinguish light from dark. Constantly expresses an anxious wish to be sent home in a childish manner declares he will never strike his mother again. Walks feebly from weakness. Takes his food well

13 Is now up again in the ward as his legs are quite well. Has his hair shaved. Cont: omnia

Nov 6 Raves in the same childish manner as formerly, shouts about striking his mother, shewing the hand that did it, begs he may be allowed to get to see his Cousins & the "Contra Termagies" again. Quiets immediately on being put into the mess room all day. Leg continues ulcerated, but much smaller & completely healthy. Eats & sleeps well. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia

Dec 31 Leg again ulcerated. He is again in bed for the cure. Is as Turnure as at last report & takes his food well. Bodily health good. Cont: omnia

Admitted October 19th 1842

Oct 26 Leg again well & of course he has again been let out of bed No change in mental condition Still raves against the Board that struck his mother & promises he will never do so again Takes his food greedily Is quite blind Bowels regular Cont Comm

1846
July 21 No Mental change Mind continues in the same weak state Is very fond of lying in his bed & it is only by threatening to give him no breakfast that he can be induced to rise & walk a little Takes his food greedily Cont Comm

July 28 No change of any importance mental or bodily Takes his food well but is shaved from confinement Cont Comm

Nov 28 Little change sometimes gets very much excited but being kind has to resort at all in words Mind continues in the same imbecile state Able to eat with appetite pleasure Bowels natural Cont Comm

28 No improvement on the contrary has become so dirty that he had been sent to No 3 gallery very anxious to get discharged Takes his food well Bowels rather costive R Pil aloes & tinct ℥ II Ammon ij secunda quaque nocte

Jan 26 No Mental improvement Complains to day of a pain in his Right foot not a hysterical one is also conscious to his food well Health tolerably but is somewhat thin Cont Comm

May 24 No change in any respect Same last report Health tolerable Cont Comm

June 26 No improvement in any respect still meets the bed at night Strikes & scolds at the Board but struck his mother recently Health tolerable Cont Comm

July 26 Continues mentally the same as reported above Legs which are always swollen have again become enlarged & Abscesses in tolerable health Cont Comm

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Samuel Ricketts Admitted from Wdr pt 10

1845

April 30 No change in mental state - Employed daily at domestic work. Confined in consecration - Destructive to his Clothes - Bodily health good. Cont: comma

May 14 Mind weak tempers[illegible] and irritable - employs himself daily in the grounds - Habits cleanly - Destructive to his clothes - General condition of Body healthy - Bowels regular - Has been free from excitement since last report - Very careless of his personal appearance. Con: comma

June 10 General health good - functions natural - is very lazy - Engaged in the grounds daily. Con: comma

July 31 Mind in the same state. Assists the Gardener daily to whom he makes himself very useful. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: comma

Augt 31 General condition of Body healthy. Bowels regular. Appetite good. No change in mental state. Talks in a incoherent manner. Comma

Sept 30 Works pretty industriously under the guidance of the gardener being employed in carrying from the garden the Kitchen vegetables Destructive to his clothes Filthy & naked as to a very great degree Enjoys good bodily health Continues as comma

Nov 30 Continues to work with the Gardener - or No change in mental state Filthy habits & destructive - Takes his food voraciously shall among the most filthy & dirty Bodily health good Cont com

Dec 31 No change in any respect in the condition of this patient Still continues to be employed by the gardener Filthy habits & voracious Enjoys excellent bodily health Cont comma

Dec 26 No perceptible change mental or bodily Filthy & voracious to a very great degree Careless of his clothes & personal appearance Cannot utter a coherent sentence Assists the gardener at feeding the pigs &c Bodily health & comfortable Cont com

1846

Jan 31 No change Continues in the same state of Reckless demeanor Excessively dirty & careless of his clothes Appetite voracious & makes ruminate Health excellent Cont comma

Admitted March 4th 1840

1846
Feb 22 Mind very weak & very confused Dirty destructive & voracious Badly Health good Works as usual at carrying vegetables from the Garden & feeding the pigs Continues

Mar 28 No change of any importance in the state of this patient Strong & hungry dirty & voracious Continues

28 Still employed with the under gardener feeding the pigs & carrying vegetables Mind very weak Dirty & destructive Does nearly wholly consumed time shifting by tearing them up to expose his person Badly Health Good Continues

April 25 No improvement in any respect Still as dirty & destructive as ever Still employed with the under gardener feeding the pigs &c Very dirty Takes his food well Health excellent Continues

May 25 Continues in all respects as at last report Still employed carrying vegetables &c Continues

June 26 Department ago [illegible] in consequence that his allowance of tobacco stopped Held out for a week & is now at work again as usual No material change Continues

July 26 Continues to work industriously assisting the under gardener in feeding the pigs &c Strong and robust Very filthy & destructive to his clothes Health good Continues

Aug 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Continues

Sept 26 Little change of any importance Very dirty & destructive to his clothes Badly Health excellent Continues

Oct 26 No observable change Dirty & destructive & filthy in habits voracious & filthy appetite tears his shirt for the purpose of exposing his person Health good Continues

Nov 25 Still very dirty & destructive to his clothes especially tearing his shirts Health good Continues

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Joseph Argile Atala: from Vol. p. 11

1848

April 30 No inflammation of the eyelids has nearly subsided - No change in mental state - Take to filthy as formerly, passing his dejections wherever he is. Bodily health good. Cont: comm'd

May 30 Do all respects the same as when last reported, with the exception of the eyelids which are now quite well. Cont: comm'd

June 20 Do much more cleanly in his personal appearance and habits this last month - Cheerful and good humoured at present - Takes no interest in anything going on around him - Never speaks to any of his fellow patients - General health good - Bodily functions natural. Cont: comm'd

July 21 General health good. Bodily functions natural. Mind in the same weak state. Never employs himself in any way. Cont: comm'd

Augt 21 No change in mental state since last report. Has been very restless and obstinate of late. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Appetite keen. Cont: comm'd

Oct 3 Sits all day long in one particular spot in one particular form in the mess room with his hands muscle of his trowsers & his head bent down sometimes muttering inaudibly to himself but pays no attention whatever when any person addresses him. Takes his food well & occasionally attempts to steal some from his fellow patients. Filthy & careless of his personal appearance. Bowels regular. Cont: as.

Nov 4 Continued to behave himself in all respects as last reported until - Some days ago since when has taken a fancy to go to bed every day after breakfast & remains there the remainder of the day except when taking dinner & supper wraps himself closely up in the blankets & refuses to see any one & obstinately holding the blankets over his head if any one attempts to engage her health &c. Filthy in patients takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont: as.

" 27 No change in mental or bodily condition of this patient except that he again resumed his particular seat in the mess room where he sits all day long. Generally silent sometimes muttering to himself. Takes his food well. Very filthy in his habits. Cont: as.

Dec 26 No change. Still almost gone sits all day in one spot never speaks to anyone as ans

Admitted 2d September 1837

pers a question or seems to take any interest in anything passing around. Takes his food greedily. Tidy in his habits & careful of his clothes. Healthy health tolerable. Court ommd.

1846
July 21 No change. A shapeless case of demention. Sit all day in one particular spot. Never speaks & seems to be little conscious of any thing passing around. Passes his stools & urine in bed & his clothes. Appetite voracious. Is rather thin & pale. Court ommd.

July 21 No change. Mental & bodily & every essential respect as at last report. Court ommd.

Aug 18 Sits constantly in one spot. Never speaks or shows any sign of hearing anything said to him except when much annoyed. Uses a gesture of impatience. Takes his food voraciously & very dirty. Is pale & rather thin. Court ommd.

28 No improvement. Continues in all respects as at last report except as he appears falling off in flesh he has been put on extra diet. Court ommd.

Aug 26 Sleeps dirty. Passes his stools & urine in his clothes as in bed as the case may be. Sits nearly all day in one particular spot never speaks. Takes his food voraciously. Is thin & rather pale. Gets extra diet. Court ommd.

Sept 25 No improvement. Continues as at last report. Court ommd.

Oct 26 Is perhaps a little less given to soil his bed at night. But there is no other symptom of any improvement. Never speaks. Sits constantly in one spot looking to the ground. Is very thin & pale. Getting extra diet. Court ommd.

July 26 No improvement. Continues to sit constantly in one spot from morning till night. Never speaks. Appetite voracious. Not very. Thin. Bowels regular. Court.

Aug 26 No change of any importance. Takes his food well. Untidy & dirty. Court.

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George Sneddon &c. from Vol. I. p. 15

1845

April 30 No change in any respect since last reported. Cont. convalescent

May 10 Mind weak and fatuous - General health good - Works regularly with the furnaceman, requiring him to carry coals for the furnace &c - Has an imbecile expression of countenance - Cheerful and happy Quiet and will be harmless - Appetite voracious - Bowels regular. Cont. convalescent

June 10 General health good - functions natural Mind as at last report weak and fatuous - Convalescent

July 01 Health good. Walks in the grounds occasionally. Bowels regular. Appetite good. No change in mental state

August 01 Bowels regular. Appetite good. No change in mental state. Cheerful and good humoured. Works pretty regularly at the furnaces. Cont. convalescent

Sept 4 Work daily & industriously in carrying coals & other like domestic employments To good humoured & does as he is desired Excessively deaf Appetite voracious & not very tidy in his personal appearance but more cleanly than formerly ~~& strong~~ & in good bodily health Cont. as

Nov 4 No change since last report Employed as in the same manner & strong & healthy Very deaf & often restless functions natural Cont. as

Dec 1 Still employed carrying coals & at work like employment So deaf that he cannot hear any thing said to him & when addicted to an attempt at conversation moves his lips as if he spoke but produces no audible sound Robust strong & well & healthy Not very cleanly Appetite greedy & not very delicate Robust & enjoys good bodily health Cont. as

Dec 26 No change ~~Still~~ strong & healthy so deaf & not to be able to hear a word & when addressed moves his lips as if he spoke but the sounds are inaudible Works steadily carrying coals &c &c in general quiet but last week struck one of the patients & blackened his eye What induced him to do so is not known Appetite voracious Health excellent Cont. as

1846

Jan 21 No change Is well & has just reported Health good Cont. as

1846 Admitted June 7th 1842

May 21 Strong & healthy so deaf as to be unable to hear any thing said to him. Works industriously & very cleanly but not at all times this time — Appetite voracious Conduct common

" 28 No change of any importance being in all respects as reported above Conduct common

June 28 Dismissed Strong & healthy Mute so deaf that he cannot hear when he himself speaks he merely moves his lips in the act & producing any articulate sound. Works as carrying coals &c Conduct common

" 27 No change of any consequence since last report Dismissed strong & in excellent health as before conduct common

May 25 Still works steadily carrying coals &c Mind continues in the same weak state & steadily retains the same excellent health Conduct common

June 26 Still in all respects continues as reported above Is so deaf as to hear any thing said to him but still Dismissed strong & industrious Conduct as

July 26 Still employed at carrying coals feeding the pigs & such like Works well & steadily Steadily healthy excellent Likes his food well Bowels regular Conduct as

" 26 No change of any importance since last report Steadily good Conduct as

Aug 26 Put to be very refractory & to keep out most desperately Kicking & hitting for which was sent to seclusion for two days & has been more peaceable since Steadily excellent Conduct

Sept 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Being still occasionally quarrelsome to pupil desperately when annoyed Steadily excellent Conduct common

Oct 25 Not quite so apt to strike of late at least has not struck any body since last report Steadily healthy good Likes his food well Conduct as

Nov 26 Working well industriously & conducting himself tolerably quietly Steadily healthy excellent Conduct as

1845

April 20 Mind & weak confused & deranged - talkes
& raves & will not answer questions -
employs himself on the grounds regularly
General health good. Sp. motions natural
Cont. comm.

May 10 Bodily health good - No change in mental
state - takes no interest in anything going
on around him - Body & natural temperature
appetite, sleep & bowels natural -
There is no likelihood of there ever being
any improvement in this case. Comm.

June 24 employs himself general in the grounds
Health good - No change in any respect
since last report. Cont. comm.

July 21 In all respects the same as when
last reported. Bowels regular. Comm.

Augt 21 No change in mental state. Bodily
health good. Appetite, sleep & and
bowels natural. Cont. comm.

6 Sept 6th Continues to be employed in the grounds
when the state of the weather permits
sometimes lies down on the ground generally
on his back covering his eyes with his hands
in this position he will sometimes lie for
an hours at a time. Never enters into con-
versation & answers question for the most
part only with monosyllables. Bodily
health upon the whole is tolerably
good. Continues as comm.

Nov 5 - No change since last report in mor-
tal or bodily state. Chiefly employed
with the gardener in carrying veg
etables from the garden to the kitchen
Sim general quiet & well behaved
but occasionally when annoyed by
some trifle his face assumes an
expression of intense hatred almost
fiendish. Very often when not employ
ed walks with his arms folded
across his breast & his chin resting on
his breast & mutttering to himself
as he walks slowly to & fro. Eats
& sleeps well. Bowels regular
Cont. comm.

Dec 1 No change since last report
Walks with the gardener when
at leisure walks with his arms
folded across his breast &
muttering to himself & is tolerably
cleanly in personal appearance
Bodily health good. Countenance
still liable to assume a very
malevolent expression while
he seems at the same time to
mutter inaudible threats to
Cont. comm.

29 Face flushed. Cheerful & unsociable
sometimes refuses attendance
to a call & mutters & execrates

Admitted August 16th 1845

At any rate or all times that Mr. Shed and attendant may choose to put on as if he chooses to put his foot on the seat, as if he Mr. Shed only put himself wrongfully kept from all the good things of this world to which he has not to have an equal or superior right but on these occasions his face assumes a very malignant expression & he turns away as he speaks Walks with the gardener Talks rather thin but pretty healthy Coat common

1846
Jan 21 A hopeless case of demented no change in any respect since last report Takes his food well Health tolerably good Coat common

Feb 21 No change Walks as formerly assisting the gardener to carry pot vegetables & food the dogs Mutters much to himself & face often assumes a very malignant expression Health tolerable Coat common

Mar 18 Still employed with the gardener carrying vegetables to the house & meat to the dogs No change in mental state Appetite sleep & bowels natural Coat common

28 No mental improvement Mutters much to himself especially when he sees any body & by his look his observations seem to concern them Appetite sleep & bowels regular Coat common

Apr 26 No change of any consequence since last report Still employed with the under gardener feeding the dogs carrying pot vegetables & Takes his food well Bowels regular, Mind very much scarcely speaks any but Mutters much to himself Coat common

May 25 No improvement & no change of any importance since last report Coat common

June 26 Still employed assisting the under gardener Mutters much in an under tone & often points in a very malignant expression of countenance Health good Tolerably cleanly Continues in all other respects as reported above Coat common

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William Stark &c. from Vol: 8 p. 18

1845

April 20 Mind weak, confused and uncertain very incoherent in conversation - Seat present good humoured and cheerful. Countenance expressive of imbecility - Bodily health good. Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: remains

May 10 employed occasionally in the grounds but he is very lazy - Head present filthy and ill humoured - No change in mental state - Bodily functions natural. Continues.

June 26 General health good - Bodily function natural. Continues

July 31 No change in mental state. Bodily health good. Works in the grounds occasionally. Appetite good. Bowels regular. Continues.

Augt 31 Bodily health good. Mind in the same weak state. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: continue

Octr 6 Works generally in the grounds or outside the house when the state of the weather permits Never enters into conversation with any person subject to fits of abstraction Mind very confused wants Bodily Health Pretty good Cont.

Novr 4 Little change since last report Mind wants confused Works constantly with the person seldom answers a question subject to fits of abstraction Heard his Name most drawn close upon his eyes Enjoys tolerably good Health Bowels reported regular Has a dull unintellectual expression of countenance Cont continue

Decr 1 Little or no change since last report Works with the Gardener often gets a little Practical Never enters into conversation Has of late been rather apt to strike his fellow patients Usually has his Head much cleaned forward Bodily Health Pretty good Bowels regular Personal appearance rather slovenly Cont continue

29 No perceptible change seldom speaks a question answers a question or two with a monosyllable Abstracted & unsociable Lies on the ground often when in the Gallery Careless of his clothes & personal appearance Health Bodily Health tolerable Cont continue

1846

Janry 21 No change since last report Health good Cont continue

Admitted August 16th 1843

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Aug 21 Complained a little a fortnight ago for a day or so refused his food but soon returned to his usual health & employs as formerly with the masons on in the garden Health tolerable Continue

" 18 Has of late been given to shake his fellow patients accasionally seldom speaks Walks with his bonnet drawn down almost over his eyes Employed during with the masons appetite pleasant bowels natural Continue

" 28 Still rather apt to shake his fellow patients very unsocial with drawing himself from all companions Walks in the grounds Takes his food well Health good Continue

Sept 2 No change of any consequence Employed with the masons & speaks little Men not employed often sits moping in a corner Has not struck any of his fellow patients of late Health tolerably good Bowels regular Continue

" 25 Still employed with the masons Health good Shall respect as at last report Continue

Oct 24 No improvement Still at work with the mason & on the whole tolerably quiet if let alone but very apt to strike if he conceives himself ill used in any way Bodily health tolerable good Rather slovenly in his personal appearance Continue

July 26 Two days ago inflicted several severe wounds in the scalp of an old man for the reason he was subjected to a little ridicule which it is to be hoped will deter him from striking so readily Appearance as at last report Continue

Nov 26 Works quietly & industriously Takes his food well Health good Continue

Dec 26 Conducting himself sane Shaved & called at work assisting the masons Takes his food well Bowels regular Tolerably cleanly Continue

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Malcolm McDonald's statis from Vol. 8 p. 22
1908

April 20 No improvement in mental state - destructive to his clothes - employed daily but he is inclined to be idle - do amiable although he has not been very much associated for some time - careless of his personal appearance - general health good. Bodily functions natural Cont: omnia

May 20 Bodily health good - filthy in his habits and destructive to his clothes Works in the grounds daily - sulky and obstinate sometimes - Mind weak and fatuous - Bowels regular

June 20 Small respects the same as when last reported. Omnia

July 21 Mind weak and confused. Works in the grounds daily. Is pretty cheerful to day. Bowels regular Appetite good Cont: omnia

Augt 21 Bowels regular Employs himself daily in the grounds. No change in mental state Appetite good. Cont: omnia.

Sept 6 Works daily at removing stones on the ... in the quarry but is lazy if not looked after Answers questions with evident reluctance & briefly but on the whole rather reasonably. In good bodily condition and seems neither filthy nor destructive to his clothes at least no more than the generality of labourers are. Continues

18 Yesterday sat for nearly an hour in the turning ground rapidly turning his head from side to side at the same time shaking his garment in his hand as to keep time No change since last report Cont omnia

Nov 17 Still continues to work steadily in the quarry Mind vacant & erratic Answers questions in a brief confused & hesitating manner Enjoys excellent bodily health Eats & sleeps well Has his cell clean & plugged in his absence Cont omnia

Dec 18 Little or no change since last report Works steadily in the quarry After much persuasion goes to turning Sits head from side to side at the same time shaking his garment held in both hands In good bodily condition Takes his food well Bowels regular Tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Cont omnia

29 Works in the quarry as in the ground After much persuasion goes to turning Sits head as noted above Mind very vacant Little change since last report Cont omnia

1846 Admitted August 5th 1842

Aug 21 No change Works in the quarry as formerly When not at work often rubs wagging his head for a long time continuing To be in good bodily condition Health good Tolerably cleanly Continues

Aug 21 Has still the same custom of wagging his head when not otherwise employed Works very industriously seems to enjoy excellent health & is in good bodily condition Continues

" 21 Mind continues in the same unsettled state Still given to wagging his head in a rotating manner Is industrious & peaceable Works in the gallery & in the grounds by turns Appetite pleasure bowels natural Cleanly & in good bodily condition Continues

" 28 No change of any importance Takes his food well & is in excellent health & bodily condition Works in the quarry Delusions the same Continues

Sept 26 Still employed in the quarry still apt to wriggle his head from side to side To be in good bodily condition but grumbles very much To threats no desire to get away Continues

Sept 25 No change of any importance not quite so liable to wag his head as formerly Still works steadily in the quarry Continues

June 26 Last week without any known cause of provocation struck an old man a pasture the assailant When questioned by another as to it replied carelessly that he was troubling him Continues to work diligently in the quarry Bodily health good Bowels regular Continues

July 26 Continues to work industriously in the quarry Still struggles his head as formerly When not employed has been conducting himself quietly since last report Does not speak much but answers yes or no to question put to him Bowels vary from otherwise Appetite Continues

" 26 No change of any importance Bodily health good Bowels regular Continues

John Shaw's Case from Vol. V. p. 87.

1845

April 20 General health good - Mind weak and confused Matters to himself in an incoherent manner. Attentive to his clothes and tidy in his habits - has been employed occasionally since last report at domestic work, but he endeavours to do as little as possible - Bowels regular. Cont: omnia

May 11 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Employed daily in the grounds - disquiet and will be allowed at present - There is no likelihood of any improvement in this case - Bowels regular - Con: omnia

June 12 In all respects the same as when last reported. Con omnia

July 21 Bodily health good. Works in the grounds daily. Bowels regular. No change in mental state. He is very irritable in temper. Cont: omnia

Augt 21 Works regularly in the grounds. He has been upon the whole pretty quiet. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Con: omnia

Oct 7 Dull & spiritless takes little cognisance of any thing going on around, never enters spontaneously into conversation with any one. When spoken to occasionally answers with a monosyllable. Is generally at work in the grounds although he does not do a great deal. Is apt to stand abstracted seeming to forget every thing about him. Mind very weak. Is careless of his clothes & personal appearance. Enjoys pretty good bodily health. Appetite excellent. Bowels regular. Con omnia

Nov 4 No change in whatever since last report. Works regularly in the grounds but is dull spiritless & inactive. Speaks none & takes little cognisance of any thing. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

Dec 1 As at last report. Works pretty constantly in the ground but when in the house usually lies on the floor taking little cognisance of any thing. Lately struck one of the patients with a stool but cut his cheek somewhat. It was very probable that that patient had been annoying him. Bodily health tolerable good. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont omnia

29 Letter of any change. Works pretty industriously in the grounds seldom speaks & always avoids conversation. When in the house generally lies on the floor careless of his clothes & appearance. Health

Admitted August 16th 1848

Pretty good appetite, sleeps
& bowels natural Cont same

1848
Aug 21 A hopeless case of dementia
Walks in the grounds Mixes
in the house generally, lies
on the floor awards all
conversation & takes his
food well Cont same

" 22 No change of any importance
either mental or bodily
Lies much on the floor
Health tolerable Cont same

" 23 Lies much on the ground talks
much in a muttering way to
himself Mind very much
deluded speaks to anyone or
returns an answer when spoken
to Health tolerably good
Cont same

" 28 Getting somewhat more
excited Wanders up & down
the ward talking a very
incoherent manner swearing
at times Does not mark
any Health tolerably good
Cont same

" 22C Has not been much inclined to
walk of late often lies on
the floor or walks up & down
the gallery talking to some
imaginary person Occasionally
can be got to do a little work
Bowels reported regular
Cont same

Aug 24 Talks much & loudly to him-
self or imaginary persons Sits
Works occasionally Takes
his food well Bowels regular
Cont same

" 25 No change continues to talk gaily
to himself Works occasionally
& takes but often refuses to do
anything Bodily health tolerably
good Cont as

" 26 Talks much to himself & often
loudly Works occasionally in
the grounds Bodily health
tolerable Takes his food well
Bowels regular Tongue clean
Not possibly destructive but
very careless Cont as

" 26 Talks very much to himself
Works very industriously
for the most part at Rough
sometimes he gets a little
refractory Takes his food
well often lies on the
ground Cont as

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Report &c. from Vol. V. p. 88.

1848

April 30 Mind the same as at last report, weak and imbecile - cannot utter a connected sentence has been quiet and well behaved since last report - Attentive to his clothes - General condition of body healthy - Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural - Cat: omnia

May 31 In all respects the same as when last reported - Cat: omnia

June 30 Works regularly in the grounds, but he is inclined to be idle - Bodily health good - Mutters to himself occasionally but it is quite unintelligible - No change in mental state - Appetite good - Bowels regular - Comma

July 31 Health, habits and state of mind as at last report - Cat: omnia

Augt 31 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural - Works steadily in the grounds - Cat: omnia

October 7 Works regularly in the grounds & generally quiet & pretty well behaved - Talks to no one - When spoken to seems sullen & surly in his manner but occasionally there is much more of the fiendish than of illnature in this - Upon the whole talents in his personal appearance - Bodily health good - Takes his food well - Bowels reported regular

Nov 6 No change in mental or bodily condition of this patient - Works steadily in the grounds - Never enters into conversation with any one - Mutters to himself occasionally - Enjoys good bodily health - Has a rather sullen expression of countenance - Eats & sleeps well - Cat omnia

Dec 7 No change since last report - Manner & demeanour unchanged - Works pretty diligently in the grounds - Enjoys good bodily health - Appetite sleep & bowels natural - Cat omnia

27 Likely to turn & manage - Has been chiefly employed of late sawing on the names on the patients clothes &c - Some of the patients complain of his getting out of bed altering the pegs & striking them in - Never returns an answer when spoken to - Expression of countenance surly & unnatured - Takes his food well - Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes - General health pretty good - Cat omnia

Admitted August 16th 1849

1849 Aug 21 No change Morose & sullen a countenance wears the same expression Works pretty industrious but requires to be very gently dealt with as he is liable to get out of humour for little cause seldom speaks Takes his food well Health good Conduct common

" 22 Little change sometimes keeps himself naked & lies so on the floor on his beds sometimes before getting up head & face of the same sullen & unsociable disposition Health pretty good Conduct common

" 24 No improvement Has of late been rather apt to strike his fellow patients suddenly & without provocation When spoken to says he cannot help it that he is not aware in what he is doing Chiefly employed at sewing in the gallery Health pretty good Very taciturn Conduct common

" 28 No much change since last report except has not struck any body since Chiefly employed sewing in the gallery Takes his food well Health good Conduct common

Sept 26 Little change Works tolerably industriously either sewing in the gallery or marking at a pale mark in the grounds Is tolerably quiet & scarcely ever speaks a word Takes his food well Bowels regular Health tolerable Conduct common

" 26 Not much change since last report Chiefly employed at making & mending clothes in the gallery Conduct common

" 26 Still does not talk much but marks quietly at whatever he is set to Chiefly employed sewing in the gallery Bowels Health pretty good Conduct common

" 26 Works tolerably industriously but is taciturn & abstracted & usually will not do any thing except at the mark of his attendant Health good Conduct common

Joshua Cherry Ataxic from Vol. V. P. 40

1846

April 20 No change in any respect since last report Cont: omnia

May 18 Mind the same as at last report - Bodily health good - Employs himself daily in the Weavers shop - Appetite good - Bowels regular - Cont: omnia

June 14 Works regularly in the weavers shop - Health good - No change in mental state Cont: omnia

July 01 Mind weak as before - Bodily health pretty good - Works steadily Cont: omnia

Augt 01 Employed regularly in the Weavers shop Bodily health good No change in mental state Cont: omnia

Octo 27 Continues to work regularly in the weavers shop & is upon the whole tolerably industrious Mind is very weak Never enters into conversation with anyone & when spoken to even a monosyllable can with difficulty be extracted from him Is quiet & well behaved Takes his food well enjoys good health Bowels regular Cont omnia

" 14 Was absent three days off work last week with a boil on his foot which caused very considerable pain & inconvenience & was obliged to remain at home to place him on his foot now nearly well & at work again No mental change Cont omnia

Nov 8 Works regularly & industriously in the weavers shop Quiet & reserved Never enters into conversation & cannot be got to answer questions Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly Bowels regular Cont omnia

Decr 7 No change mental or bodily Still employed in the weaver's shop Never speaks nor answers a question Bodily health seems tolerably good Bowels reported regular Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly in his person & appearance & not destructive to his clothes Cont omnia

" 21 No change as before Case Never speaks nor answers a question Works in the weaver's shop In all respects as at last report Cont omnia

1847

Jan 1st 26 No change Never speaks Works constantly in the weaver's shop Takes his food well Health & bodily tolerably good Cont omnia

Admitted August 16th 1848

Aug 22 Continues in all respects mental & bodily as at last report Works as usual in the manure shop Never speaks Takes his food well Bowels Cont comm

Sept 19 No appreciable change Never speaks but does quietly what he is desired Works constantly in the manure shop Health tolerably good Eats well Cont comm

28 No improvement Never speaks even puts an opinion to Works in the manure shop as formerly Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly not destructive Cont comm

Oct 26 Works in the manure shop when not engaging commonly lies on the floor Never speaks but answers in monosyllables Bowels regular Takes his food well Health good Cont comm

Nov 26 No change over any improvement in any respect since last report Cont comm

Dec 26 Still works quietly in the manure shop Never utters a word Does what he is desired to the best of his very limited abilities Takes his food tolerably well Bowels regular Cont comm

Jany 26 No change observable in any respect Never speaks Works quietly & steadily & very plainly Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly Not destructive Cont comm

Feb 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Cont comm

March 26 Works occasionally Never speaks Bodily health tolerably good Bowels easy Cont

April 26 No mental change Never speaks Works a little occasionally Very quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont comm

May 26 Never speaks Does quietly what he is bidden as far as he can Takes his food well Bodily health tolerably good Cont

June 26 Continues in all respects as reported above Quiet & inoffensive Health tolerably good Cont comm

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James Duncan &c. from Vol V. p. 42

1845

April 30 General health good - Bodily functions natural - Mind weak, confused and erratic - Cleanly in his personal appearance - Employs himself regularly in the grounds - Quiet and well behaved cannot offer a connected sentence - Cont. amen

May 10 Health good. No change in mental state. Works daily in the grounds - Bowels regular Cont: enhanced

June 24 No change in any respect since last reported. Continues

July 31 Mental state remains improved - bodily health good. Employs himself daily in the grounds. Cont: continues

Augt 01 In all respects the same as when last reported Cont: continues

October 7 Works very regularly & industriously in the grounds Mind inclined to a vengeful degree Never makes any attempt at conversation with his fellow-patients & seems displeased at being asked questions often not answering at all or in a gruff manner Tidy clean in his personal appearance has the look of a frail old man Health good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont. amen.

Nov 6 No change since last report Continues to work regularly in the grounds Is cleanly neat & well behaved but never enters into conversation with any one Takes his food well & looks well Bowels reported regular Cont amen

Dec 7 As at last report Cleanly & neat in his habits in the grounds Perhaps a little more cheerful & communicative than formerly in consequence of getting better diet & with the moderate attendance Mind weak as before Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont amen

29 Was seen in his usual condition for two or three days following his food & returning his bread untouched - Was today ordered to be [illegible] There is considerable dullness in right lower thoracic region some crepitus & fluctuation pervading with a slight tumefaction of parietes Rod pustules [illegible] dark & dirty Bowels regular R [illegible] Cont as before Pulse 72 Crepitus [illegible]

Admitted August 16th 1845

Rheumatic pains in arms & legs
Appetite tolerable Abdomen
contracted & painful Pain in
left groin & testicle Appetite
& digestion natural Urine
scanty Bowels costive

31 Continues the same a little food
Pulse 100 weak Tongue white
& creasy Dullness & tenderness over
chest right side of chest more
emphysematous Dullness of the lower
& posterior portion & the lower
posterior region of same side
Percussion resonant in exceedingly
distinct Respiration has not altered
much Urine appears to be drawn
off from the bladder seemingly by
Respiration Repeated blistering & antimonial
Counter irritation Pulse gradually
becoming weaker Lasts nearly 24
hours

1846
Jan 2 Dullness crepitation & bronchophony
seems slowly extending Pulse
is almost too rapid to count Abdomen
tender Percussion dull Patient
seems to sink much Takes his food
tolerably well Has a slight bed
sore Continues

4 Was last night attacked with very
severe purging of a liquid dark-brown
melaenic character Continues
subject to very severe little tenderness
of abdomen Stools coal as after calomel
Pulse 100 weak but regular
Wrapped the trunk in flannel Urine
milky for dinner Drinks milk at pleasure
Respiration & breathing Rhonchus
Takes Mist ol ii Pulv
opii gr x ii Mist Cretae ii Pulv
opii gr x ii Mist Cretae ii Pulv
opii gr x ii Mist Cretae ii Pulv
gr xxx vi Ol Ricini ℥ ii Tinct opii
gtt xxx vi Ol Ricini ℥ ii Tinct opii
gtt xxx vi Ol Ricini ℥ ii Tinct opii
gtt

George Allen &c. from Vol. X. p. 40

1845

April 30 No change in mental state - Countenance expressive of imbecility - Employs himself regularly in the grounds - Bodily health good - Men in the habit of any improvement in this case - Cont. omnia

May 28 Mind much as before - Answers questions in a connected manner - Dress at present good humoured and cheerful - Bodily health good - Works in the grounds regularly - Appetite good and Bowels natural - Cont. omnia

June 30 General health good - Cleanly in his personal appearance and habits Bowels regular - Cont. omnia

July 31 Small subjects the same - Cont. omnia

Aug. 31 No improvement in mental state - Bodily health good - Works in the grounds daily - Cleanly in his habits and neat appearance - Cont. omnia

Sept 7 Works regularly & industriously in the grounds Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance Good humoured & cheerful Answers questions as necessary subjects good humouredly & relevantly Seems contented with his situation General health good Cont. omn

Nov 6 No material change in mental or bodily condition of this patient Continues to work industriously in the grounds Neat & well behaved Attentive to orders Generally cheerful Occasionally sullen & silent when addressed Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont. omnia

Dec 7 Continues to work constantly in the grounds, the state of the weather permitting Cheerful contented & good humoured Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance Has the look of an old man Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont. omnia

29 Little or no change in this case for many months back Never quarrels but no prominent delusion observable Is cheerful industrious & well behaved Works cheerfully in the grounds Is a quiet old man Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont. omnia

1846

Jan 22 No change Good humoured cheerful & industrious Never quarrels but exhibits no prominent delusion Takes his food well Health good for this years Cont. Omnia

Admitted August 16th 1845

1846
July 22 Works diligently in the grounds Cheerful & good humoured Bodily Health seems tolerably good Mind continues in the same weak state Cont Comm

Nov 19 No appreciable change Works diligently in the grounds Cheerful & good natured Mind weak & fanciful Enjoys good Health Cleanly & neat Cont Comm

28 In all respects as at last report Cleanly neat & Cheerful Works in the grounds Health good Cont Comm

Jan 26 Continues to enjoy good Health to works well & cheerly to enjoy good health & Pertains to be as above reported Cont Comm

Feby 26 No change of any importance Mind weak & Irritable Cleanly & industrious Works steadily in the grounds Health good Cont Comm

June 26 No appreciable change in mind or body since last report Cont

July 26 Works very constantly in the grounds Cleanly & neat in her personal appearance Talks cheerly Mind very weak Bodily health tolerably good Bowels regular Cont Comm

Aug 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Bodily health good Cont Comm

Sept 26 Working in the garden quietly & constantly Cleanly & neat in her person Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Oct 26 No mental change Quiet Cheerful & industrious Works constantly in the garden Bodily health tolerably good Cont Comm

Nov 25 Continues Cheerful & contented Takes his food well Health good Cont Comm

Dec 25 Works quietly industriously & cheerfully in the grounds daily Mental weak Cleanly & neat Enjoys tolerably good health Cont Comm

1847
Jan 26 Continues in good Health & Spirits Bodily health good Mind very weak Bowels carry Cont

Feby 26 Little change of any importance Bodily health good Cont

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William Brown &c. from Vol. V p. 56

1843

April 30 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont. same

May 12 General health good - Assists the attendants in the galleries, and makes himself generally useful - Industrious and cheerful at present - to pass from excitement at present - Mind weak and fatuous - Bowels regular. C.O.

June 30 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Appetite, sleep and Bowels regular. C. same

July 31 Health good - No change in mental state - Assists the Attendants - Is quiet and cheerful. Cont. same

Aug. 31 Health, habits and state of mind as at last report. Cont. same

Sept. 7 Continues to assist in the galleries and occasionally in the grounds. Is in general good humour though sometimes not over civil in his replies. A few days ago while employed in the grounds (near a very excitable patient who was reasoning most furiously in consequence of the approach of a stranger) the medical attendant made some casual remark to him which it seemed he misunderstood for he got into a most violent rage put his face quite into the air put the veins of his forehead and neck in the most violent gestures. However he seemed to have forgotten all next time he met the medical attendant & is in general orderly & well behaved. Neat & clean in his personal appearance. Bodily health good. Appetite excellent. Bowels reported regular. C. O.

Nov. 6 No change. Works in the grounds and galleries by turns. Occasionally answers in a rather insolent manner but has had no outbreak since last report. Appetite, sleep & bowels natural. Cont. same.

Dec. 7 Works chiefly in the galleries & in general well behaved although occasionally insolent. Has an enormous propensity which he generally keeps concealed during the day in his mouth. Rather fleshy in his personal appearance. Appetite, sleep & bowels natural. Cont. same.

29 No change. Behaved very well & conducted himself decently in his personal appearance & neatness of his clothes. Is self-sufficient & occasionally troublesome but easily managed by firm words. Health tolerable. C. O.

Admitted October 11th 1859

1864
Oct 22 No appreciable change
Works industriously Hand very
weak Is very excitable but
does well with the usual treat-
ment Talks very incoherently
often insolently Puts on the
inhale conducts himself well
Health tolerably good Cont
as usual

Nov 22 No change of any importance
mental as readily seen the
continuing tolerably good
Conforms

Dec 19 Mental continues in the same unsat-
isfactory state Is very excitable
when working will not be in-
terfered with in any way
When excited curses taken Lets
threatens at a furious rate
Takes his food well Bowels
reported regular Not very
tidy in his personal appearance
Conforms

28 Mental as unsatisfactory manner
Counts in Ward Is
very excitable storms
& swears at a dreadful rate
of crossed Health good
Cont as usual

1865 Jan 26 No change of any importance
Assists in cleaning Ward Very
excitable but easily managed
by soothing words Takes
his food well Health good
Conforms

Feby 26 Continues to be employed about
the Gallery Wears a
long chain of buttons about
the neck amounting to several
yards Mental state excitable
Takes his food well Cont
as usual

March 26 No mental improvement
Health & habits remain very much
the same as he came to take a urine
which will not belong to him
Takes his food well Health
pretty good Cont

April 26 No change of any importance
Liable to get excited for a very trifling
cause & storms at the slightest pitch
of his voice Very particular in his
personal appearance Must not
get dirty Takes his food well
Cont as

May 26 Little change since last re-
port Still apt to get ex-
cited Takes his food
well Cont as

22 C

John Johnstone at. from Vol. V. p. 75

1845

April 30 General health good. Bodily functions natural. Cont. omnia

May 28 Employs himself regularly on the grounds. Answers questions rationally enough. Mind weak. Bodily health good. Always cheerful and good humoured. Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural

June 30 No change in mental state. General health good. Works in the grounds daily. Cap. omnia

July 31 Bodily health good. Mind weak and confused. Cont. omnia

Augt 31 Mind weak. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Works regularly in the grounds. Ut omnia.

Octr 7 Works sometimes in the galleries sometimes in the grounds but inclined to be lazy. Is fond of playing at Pitch & toss in the airing court. Almost constantly muttering to himself. Good natured & tidy in his personal appearance well behaved. Enjoys good health. Bowels regular. Cont. omnia.

Novr 6 Ds at last report sometimes does a little work but seldom & but small in quantity. Almost constantly muttering to himself. Very cleanly in his personal appearance. Eats sleeps & feeds well. Bowels regular. Cont. omnia.

Decr 7 Mutters much to himself & mind very weak. Quiet but excitable. Easily managed by kind treatment. Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance. Evidently failing. Bodily health & nervous system tolerably good. Cont. omnia.

29 Talks rather incoherently. Mutters much to himself. Works a little at picking coal. Cleanly & tolerably careful of his clothes. Health bodily good considering his age. Takes his food well. Cont. omnia.

1846

Jan 22 Mutters always talking to himself on imaginary understandings at these times when spoken to stops suddenly as if ashamed. Bodily health tolerable considering his years. Takes his food well. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. Ut omnia.

Feby 12 In all respects as at last report. Health continues tolerably good. Cont. omnia.

Admitted December 7th 1842

4 G

Mind continues in the same unsettled confused condition Talks much & very incoherently to himself Cleanly careful of his clothes Appetite sleeps & bowels natural Health tolerable for his age Continues

28 No appreciable change Talks much to himself in a very incoherent manner Cleanly & neat careful of his clothes Bowels regular Appetite good Continues

29 G No change Mutters much to himself Lay much walked off unperceived by any one to Glasgow & was brought back the same day Health tolerable Continues

30 G Continues much in the same state Mind very much Talks much to himself on imaginary persons Bodily health tolerable Continues

31 G Mind remains in the same unsettled state Amuses himself by playing at draughts Appetite & bowels good Likes his food well Is pretty tidy & cleanly Continues

Jan 1 G Still talks much to himself & imaginary persons Cleanly & tidy in habits Fond of playing at draughts Appetite & stools good Takes his food pretty well Bowels regular Continues

2 G No change of any importance since last report Likes his food well Continues

3 G Wanders about the ward talking to himself Very fond of playing at any game such as draughts Appetite & stools good Takes considerable exercise when walking Likes his food well Continues

4 G No improvement Constantly talking to himself about Queen & Robbers Likes his food

5 G Much the same as reported above Continues cleanly & tidy in habits Talks much to himself Wanders about & sits in the gallery Likes his food well & enjoys tolerable health Continues

6 G Continues much the same as reported above Talks much to himself & generally about Queen & robbers If spoken to about it laughs & says it is all nonsense Mind very much unsettled Health tolerable for his age Continues

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Samuel Cameron et. Jam. Vol. V. p. 76
1845

April 20 Mind continues unimproved - Bodily health pretty good - employed in the Shoemakers shop daily - Glands in neck improved - Appetite sleep and Bowels natural. Cat. omnia

May 01 No change in mental state - Works in the Shoemakers Shop daily - Never speaks to or takes notice of any one - Glandular swellings do not look so well - Bowels reported to be regular - Appetite good. R Potassii Iodid. ℈j Aquæ. Gentian. Comp: ℥vj ft. Mistura. Sumantur ℥ij bis quotidie R pil: Alterativ iij Sumat dieus omni nocte dolore abiter ordinet.

June 20 Mind in all respects the same - Bowels kept regular by the Medicine - Works regularly - little or no change in appearance of swellings - Appetite sleep and Bowels regular. Omnia

July 20 Bodily and Mental Estate as at last report. Bowels regular - to employed regularly - No improvement in appearance of Glandular swellings Omitt: Mistura: - R Hydriod: potassii ℈ss adip: præparat: ℈ij. Ft. unguent: pallid: aquatis nocte et mane applicand: - Repet: Alterat: Cat. Alvus

" 01 Glandular swellings are rather improved Bodily health good. Mind in the same weak and fatuous state. Works occasionally in the Shoemakers Shop Bowels regular. Appetite good. Omnia

Aug. 01 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Works in the Shoemakers shop as formerly. Does not take the slightest interest in anything going on around him. Is quiet and inoffensive. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Omnia

Sept. 20 In all respects the same as when last reported. Omnia

Oct. 8 Has not been very willing to work of late. Fond of lying all his length on the ground in the airing court or gallery. Glandular swellings of neck have mostly suppurated & left a large number of ugly cicatrices with a few still unhealed to a little extent on the larger ones. Bodily health seems tolerable. Takes his food well. Bowels reported regular. Tongue clean. Cat. omnia

Nov. 4 Works occasionally & occasionally takes lazy fits. Glandular swellings about neck becoming very hard & firmer. Health seems very good. R 2d Decoctum Sarsaparillæ ℥ij Aquæ fontanæ ℔ij Misce bene Sumat ℥ij ter in die

Admitted January 30th 1845

Jan 17 Lares about nests & Bowels some improving Takes the Dy Bradiate of Potash as prescribed last report with occasionally an intermission of a few days Takes his food well Works in the Shoemakers Shop Coat on

29 Pining thumb of course Bowels no delusions Works occasionally in the weaver's Shoemaker's Shop Has behaved himself quite quietly for some months Back Lares around nests & Bowels not passing out so much matter of late Still taking the Bi Bradiate of Potash Coat on

1846

Jan 22 No appreciable change mentally or bodily since last report Coat on Shoemakers Shop

Feb 22 Works in the Kitchen as formerly In general quiet & well Behaved Lares about nests less costive Bowels formerly some of them being called Obstinate Takes his food well Coat on

Mar 19 Little if any appreciable change Has not been working much of late Lares about nests improving Conducts himself quietly Has much on the ground when not employed General Health tolerably good Coat on

28 No change of any importance perceptible Lares about nests stationary Bodily Health seems tolerably good Bowels regular Tongue clean Appetite good Coat on

April 26 Little change appreciable Works occasionally in the weaver's Shop Takes his food well Bowels regular Health tolerable save the running about neck Coat on

May 24 At work pretty steadily of late in the Shoemaker's Shop Quiet & peaceable Lares about neck more quiescent Takes his food well Tongue tolerably clean Bowels Regular Coat on

June 26 No change of any appreciable importance in this case Conducts himself very quietly Takes his food well Bowels regular Coat on

Thomas Barry Ct: from Vol: V p. 77

1846

April 30 Bodily health good - has been employed regularly since last report - No improvement in habits - Mind weak, confused and erratic - functions natural - No improvement is likely to take place in the state of this patient. Cont: comm

May 31 No change in mental state - Works in the grounds regularly - Inattentive to his clothes and filthy in his habits - Cannot speak in connected sentences - General health good - Bowels regular. Comm

June 30 Health good - Mind weak confused and erratic - Is quiet and well behaved - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Walks in the grounds daily. Cont comm as

July 18 Mind the same as at last report - filthy in his habits and destructive to his Clothes - General health good - Bowels regular. Comm as

Augt 31 General health good. Bodily functions natural. Mind in the same weak and confused state. Destructive to his clothes and filthy in his habits Cont comm as

Sept 8 No change whatever in mental state. Mind very weak. Does what he is observed to do like a machine - Then stops standing - still - generally in some corner or leaning against some support - unable again observed to do so particular sense of employment towards which he makes a start - a turn with his body held forward - giving him the appearance of having been pushed from behind - compelled forward the object - Appetite most voracious Eats the most filthy food of any he may find on the road - like a dog - Enjoys good health Quiet & well behaved but filthy in his habits & destructive to his clothes Cont Comm as

Nov 6 No change in any way - Destructive to his clothes - Voracious & filthy in his appetite - Does what he is told - Moves about like a soulless machine - Stands in a corner until he is moved to & then moves a turn to the desired object - Sleeps well - Bowels regular Cont as

Dec 7 No change mental or bodily - Works in the grounds when the state of the weather permits - Voracious filthy & destructive - Digs - Health good Cont comm as

29 No exception - No change - Dirty & destructive to a very great degree - Appetite voracious - eating any & every thing - Works in the grounds when the state of the weather permits - Health good Cont comm as

Admitted December 22nd 1910

8 46

Jan 14 Has become most troublesome & outrageous in his conduct of late. Broke out two panes of glass & struck several of the patients without any provocation. Uses most abusive filthy language & has rather quieted down the last two days. Is at work again. Is destructive to articles & noisy as ever. Bright & excellent health

" 22 Again became so insolent & abusive to persons; among other things throwing stone at the keeper. Struck & cuffed both administered & has been quiet & submissive since. Health good. Eat voraciously. Dirty & destructive of bedding &c. Same. Cont. Improved

Feb 22 Has continues to work quietly & industriously. Same last report. Mind continues in the same weak apparently hopeless state. Takes his food voraciously. Destructive & dirty. Health excellent. Cont. Improved

" 19 Continues to conduct himself quietly. Works cheerfully. Still destructive to his clothing. Voracious & filthy in his habits as ever. Health good. Cont. Improved

" 28 No change. Works in the grounds. Neat, very much confused. Dirty & very destructive requiring canvas dress as he tears others. Health good. Cont. Improved

Mch 20 Continues to work quietly & orderly. Same destructive habits. Health & condition excellent. Cont. Improved

" 26 No change of any importance. Works tolerably diligently in the grounds. Upon which at work tosses a kettle & very severely upon his shoulders & carries him through the airing court. Health good. Cont. Improved

Apr 20 No material change since last report. Very destructive to his clothes. Appetite voracious. Swallows any filth in the shape of food that he finds about the place. Health good. Cont. Improved

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Robert King Aetat 27: from Vol. I. p. 93

1845

April 30 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia

May 10 Pulse 72 small - Tongue clean and moist - Pupils natural - Mind weak Answers questions relevantly enough - Bodily health good - Is cheerful and goes hammocks - Employed in the grounds daily - Bowels regular - Appetite good. C: omnia

" 28 General health good - Bodily functions natural. No change in mental state Works in the grounds regularly. C: omnia

June 12 Answers questions relevantly, but is disinclined to speak much - General health good - During the last month he has been if anything more cheerful - Bowels regular - Employs himself daily in the grounds. Con: omnia

July 21 Is in all respects the same as when last reported. Con: omnia

Augt 01 Health, habits and state of mind as at last report. Cont: omnia

Oct 8 Works pretty regularly in the grounds Is seemingly inclined to be lazy but the desire he has for a sufficiency of food to satisfy his craving appetite induces him to work that he may get it Mind weak Answers questions in the whole pertinently but in a silly manner Is in general cheerful, yet sometimes grumbles & discontented Habits tolerably clean Enjoys good health Cont: omnia

Nov 6 No material change to mind weak & feeble Works regularly in the grounds In general cheerful though occasionally sulky In good health & good condition Takes his food greedily Bowels regular Cont: omnia

Dec 7 Mind weak & powerful but betrays no marked delusions Works in the grounds In good bodily condition & good bodily health Takes his food well Bowels reported regular Cont: omnia

29 Mind very weak & powerful Works tolerably industrious &c Left a quiet Would not work unless he get his food but can labour & appetite greedy Is in tolerable health & bodily condition Cleanly but not clean in habits Cont: omnia

1846

Jan 22 Mind very weak but gives utterance to no very marked delusions Takes his food well Health good Tolerably cleanly Cont: omnia

1846 Admitted December 4th 1845

May 22 Mind continues in the same weak state Behaves himself tolerably well & works pretty industriously In good condition & seems to enjoy good health Cont Order

June 19 No appreciable change Employed in carting stones & rubbish from one part of the grounds to another Mind very weak Appetite tolerable Bowels natural Health good In good tolerably condition Cont ommn

28 No much change Employed occasionally mending a horse cart Mind very weak Tolerably Health good Bowels regular Tongue clean Cont ommn

July 26 Continues to work about the farm Mind continues still in the same weak condition Enjoys good Health Eats his food well Bowels respected regular Cont ommn

Aug 25 Not much change in any respect since last report Still works pretty steadily Eats his food well Cont ommn

Sept 26 Still employed about the grounds Works tolerably diligently & conducts himself quietly Eats his food well Health good but no appreciable mental change Cont ommn

Oct 26 No mental improvement Works very industriously in the grounds & seems to have no desire to go away Eats his food well & Health tolerably good Bowels regular Cont ommn

Nov 26 Continues in all respects as last report Health good Cont ommn

Dec 26 Has been rather lazy inclined of late however still out at work in the grounds Eats his food well Cleanly but not very tidy Cont

1847 Jan 26 Not much change as any consequence Still employed about the garden very clean & tidy inclined but what he does he does neatly Cont ommn

Feb 26 No change of any importance Works about the gardens & grounds Eats his food well Health good Cont ommn

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John McGahen Ac: 20 from Vol X. p. 105
1845

April 30 No change in mental state - Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Cont: comm
May 18 pulse 60 unsteady - pupils dilated - tongue clean and moist - Mind weak confused and vacant - Countenance expressive of imbecility - Eye dull and heavy - Careless of everything - Answers questions incoherently talks incessantly - Cannot be made to work - Never employed at anything either useful or harmless - habits filthy - passing his dejections wherever he may be at the time. - Appetite sleep and Bowels natural Cont: comm
June 30 Bodily health good - Mind weak confused and Erratic - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Destructive to his Clothes and filthy in his habits - Cont: comm
July 31 General health good. Cont: comm in destructive and filthy as formerly
Aug 30 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: comm.
Oct 8 Mind continues in the same weak & vacant state. Passes time for the most part sitting or lying on the ground or on the sill of one of the doors surrounding the airing court Never employed at anything useful Feeds & evacuates in the extreme - dull & sluggish in his appearance & movements Bodily health tolerable - Speaks little & scarcely replies to reiterated questions
Nov 8 Has been doing a little out door work of late such as gathering potatoes in the field - Mind however continues very weak cannot utter a sentence coherently Filthy evacuations & must be kept clean His whole appearance indicative of patuity Cont: comm
Dec 7 No change for the better has occurred since last report - Takes exercise in the airing court - sits all day in the same room in one particular spot - Takes no heed of any thing going on around Countenance indicative of patuity Appetite voracious Bowels & person well regulated Cont: comm
29 No change in this hopeless case - is in all respects as at last report Cont: comm
1846
Jan 29 A hopeless case of dementia Never speaks except Occasionally gives a monosyllabic answer Is pale & thin Eats Rest together with most of the day if allowed Very dirty Cont: comm

Admitted November 27th 1848

1849
Feby 22 No change in this case of apparently hopeless dementia Seldom speaks Unless when spoken to Answers questions correctly Takes his food & drink Walks about the ward & yard Appetite good Bowels regular Cont
March 19 No improvement Takes spells of an epileptic nature Mind very far gone Quiet & harmless Very dirty & disinclined to move Has not improved in bodily condition Must Cont
" 27 No improvement Very dirty Lies constantly in a corner if allowed Taking not cognizance of any thing around him Bodily health not very strong Eats & drinks as well as usual Cont
April 26 No change for the better Sits moping in a corner all day Never speaks & takes little cognizance of anything going on around Is rather thin & pale Cont
May 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Thin & pale Fits are seldom observed Takes his food well Bowels tolerably regular Tongue moist Cont
June 26 No change since last report Still thin & pale Bowels reported regular Cont
July 26 Sits almost constantly in one spot if allowed Never, almost, speaks Takes his food well but is pale & thin Bowels reported regular Cont
Aug. 26 No change of any importance since last report Cont
Sept 26 No improvement Sits huddled together all day Never speaks unless spoken to & only answers with a monosyllable Bowels regular Cont
Oct 26 No improvement Scarcely ever utters a word & seldom moves Very stupid dirty & careless Takes his food well but is thin Cont
Nov 26 No change of any importance Never speaks seldom moves Must Takes his food well Cont
Dec 26 Continues much in the same condition except of late not so feeble to look his best Cont

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John Blue Statis. 82 from Vol. V. p. 198

1846

April 20 very wilthy to day - Refuses to shew his tongue - Bowels regular - General condition of Body healthy - Incoherent in conversation Appetite and sleep natural Cont: omnia

May 18 during the last month the patient has been very excitable although not violent - He is now however quiet again, and at work in the weaving shop where he employs himself diligently - Utters into long incoherent stories about weaving &c - General condition of Body healthy - Mainly in his habits and personal appearance - Has not had any fits since last report - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Sleeps well at night - Cont: omnia

June 26 Has had two fits since last report of a mild character - and has been very much excited - He is at present pretty quiet, although he has an excitable look - Bodily health good - Bowels regular Cont: omnia

July 30 Continued to work steadily in the weaving shop from last report until the 22d of this month when he again became excited, abusing and striking his fellow patients. He was placed in his own room, where he has been ever since so much quieter today - Has not had fits since last report. Bowels regular No change in mental state - Appetite good. Cont: omnia

Aug 28 Has been on the whole pretty quiet since last report. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. No change in mental state. Has worked pretty steadily since last report in the Weavers' Shop. Cont: omnia

Oct 8 Continues to present the same alternating conditions of quietude & excitement In the quiet intervals marks steadily & understands in the manner's shop About two weeks ago had two or three fits & was for several days very excitable fought with another epileptic & required repression Heard of his having the confessor of Chinese & was very abusive in his language to the others patients During the last week has been quiet & at work again in the manner's shop Bodily health tolerable since the epilepsy Takes his usual meals Cont: omnia

Nov 7 Has been once or twice slightly excited since last report but not to such as to require restraint Although he has off work occasionally & one time in consequence of a sore toe Fits have been neither frequent nor severe Meals & manner tolerable Takes daily exercise

Admitted December 2d 1846

Dec 27 Works in the manners & Roads Is occasionally a day of mark when he is excited or has had spasmodic fits when he yet occasionally rather loud & inclined to be violent Has not however required to be secluded since last report Health tolerable upon the exception of the epileptic Bowels require medicine occasionally Cont omn

29 No epileptic fit since last report Just sometimes very excitable & two weeks ago cut the head of another patient with the handle of a knife nearly his eye getting a blackened eye in return Works later & dirty otherwise in the manners & Roads Takes his food well & is in tolerable bodily condition Cont omn

1846
Jan 25 No material change Has had no epileptic fit of late & just little excitement at least for the last fortnight Works as usual when questions the manners & Roads Takes his food well Requires medicine occasionally for his bowels Is tolerably cleanly Cont omn

Feb 25 Two nights ago had a fit & lacerated his tongue severely Just continues at work & is tolerably quiet & all other respects as at last report Cont omn

March 29 Continued tolerably quiet & at work until two days ago when after two or three epileptic fits became so sulky & excitable as to require to be secluded Today he is better but still rather touchy & is tolerably good result Otherwise as in the intervals marks in the manners & Roads Cont omn

April 26 Had two or three fits a fortnight ago & got so excitable as to required to be secluded for some days but is again quiet & at work but has still much notions of his own importance Takes his food Bowels kept regular by medicine Cont omn

May 26 Very excitable of late & quarrelsome two or three fits with his fellow patients Now at work but still irritable Bowels regular Progress whilst Cont

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April 30 Bodily health good - employs himself daily in the grounds - no change in mental state - Bowels regular - appetite good. R.O.

May 12 Employs himself daily in the Weavers shop when he works steadily - Quiet and well behaved - habits continue to improve - Cleanly in his personal appearance - Answers questions rationally Mind is more alert - Upon the whole the patient is very much improved of late - Bowels regular. Cont. comm.

June 28 to all respects the same. C. comm.

July 31 Bodily health good - Works in the grounds steadily - Appetite good - No change in mental state since last report.

Augt 31 Works daily - bodily and mental state as at last report. Cont. comm.

Sept 9 Works steadily in the weavers shop Quiet & well Rehaved - Answers questions pleasantly when asked questions Takes his food well Bowels regular Tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Cont. comm.

Nov 7 Continues to work steadily in the weavers shop Manner & behaviour quiet & orderly at times attempts a sudden blow at his fellow patients almost without provocation Tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Has an occasional expression of countenance Takes his food generally Enjoys good health Bowels reported regular Cont. comm.

Dec 7 No change Continues to work in the weaver's shop still apt to strike his fellow patients When marked for it he shuts one eye lays the medical attendant's fist his thumb to his nose & spreads out his fingers Answers answers any question put to him Takes his food well Bodily health good Cont. comm.

" 23 No change Works in the weaver's shop Resent unsocial & apt to strike his fellow patients Dress neat & tidy to his clothes & habits in his habits & demeanour in his appetite Bodily health pretty good Cont. comm.

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Jany 24 little change Works well in the weaver's shop is sullen & apt to strike any one who speaks to him or among his fellows & resents anything to his clothes Takes his food well Health good Cont. comm.

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Apl 25 Works in the weaver's shop but of late has become rather lazy & insolent & is much given to strike his fellow patients, he is in excellent health stout & robust Takes his food well Continued

Apl 29 Got so insolent & overbearing & fractious to work & striking the patients & threatening the attendants that he had to be put upon Cell to a cold bath since then he has been much quieter & more industrious Is stout & strong destructive to his clothes & voracious in his appetite Cont to mend

May 2 Works tolerably steadily in the weaver's shop but somewhat inclined to be lazy & again getting rather apt to strike Takes his food well Health good Wounds regular Destructive to his clothes Cont to mend

" 9 Much the same as at last report Takes his food well & is in excellent bodily condition Sulky obstinate & impudent Cont to do

" 16 still sulky lazy & impudent Generally does only what he likes in the meaning shop Takes his food greedily Health good Cont to mend

" 23 No improvement or change Works in the weavers shop but is very lazy & stands for hours looking through the window Takes his food well Wounds regular Health good Cont to mend

" 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Cont to mend

June 6 Has been rather mild & better persons of late Has been upon three days in seclusion but is much the same as before In good bodily health Cont

" 13 Is better & quieter but not much less destructive & very insolent very often sweeps his bed or rather the floor of the bedroom Wounds in healthy bodily health good Cont to mend

" 20 Required another cold bath for Arthur patient but he is very little better for it Cont

" 27 Much the same Has had his head Women & Tartar emetic ointment rubbed on the occiput & has not improved much

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Alexander Millar Aetat 27:

on admission was very depressed and melancholy - could not be prevailed to speak to any one and refused food - His Mother informed the Medical officer that he had not tasted food for two days Skin of moderate temperature - Countenance pale and haggard - Eye dull and heavy - Pulse 80 small - Tongue dry and white - Pupils dilated - Ry Pil. foetid ℥ss Ol. Ricini ℥j statim. sumend.

Meridie. The pills have not produced the slightest effect on his Bowels. General condition of Body healthy - Skin rather above natural temperature - Pulse 90 small and thickly, pupils very much dilated. Ry Ol. Ricini gutt. decem: Alb. ℥j. Ag. Cinnamom ℥j. M. sumat statim.

Vespere. No Bowels have not been moved to day. Skin hot and clammy - Countenance wears an anxious expression - Conjunctivae injected. Injectio statim. enema turbentinatum. Cont. Alia

April 26 Pulse 80 small and feeble - pupils dilated. Tongue dry and white - Eye heavy - Skin of moderate temperature - Has taken food to day - Will not answer any questions put to him by the Medical officer - Slept little last night - Bowels slightly evacuated - Ry Pil. Colocynth gutt ij Aq. Anethi Alb. ℥ss Tinct. Cardamomi Comp. ℥j M. sumat statim.

" 28 Pulse 80 regular. Tongue white - pupils slightly dilated - Evacuations about the Bed very to day with a white sheet thrown over his shoulder - says that he will not part with it, that he could not live without it - Mind weak and childish - confused in conversation - General condition of Body healthy - Appetite pretty good - Heart in its healthy and personal appearance Sumat pil. Alterativ ij omni nocte hora somni ad. emetam vicem. Ry Tartratis potassae et Sodae ℥ij. Bicarb. Sodae ℈ij Aquae fontanae ℥xij. M. sumat. Cyathum bonum omni mane. Cont. Alia.

May 8 Pulse 64 moderate - pupils natural - Tongue clean and moist - Health robust - Mind weak - Answers questions unhesitatingly - Is quiet and cheerful - Appetite good - Bowels regular. Cont. omnia.

" 22 Is very quiet to day - During the last night days he has been very impudent to the female patients and the Attendants requested the Medical officers to day at the visit to take out his right eye, because he said it had offended him, and he quoted the following passage from St Matthew Chap. V. v. 29. (to which he said that it was right) "If thy right eye offend thee pluck it out and cast it from thee:

Admitted 28th April 1848

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May (cont.d) for it is preferable for that that one of thy members should perish and not that thy whole body should be cast into Hell – Bodily health good – Mind weak and confused – Cannot be made to employ himself – Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural. Handed the Medical Officer the letter of which the following is a Copy

"Gateacre May 21st 1848

To Wm Anderson, Miner Carron shore.

I write a few lines to you to let you know, that I heard you are now going to service if it be to the Country or town if you will mind this and look well to it O be sure and not neglect it young as he is I do not know of Servants the elder than him when I went to service to the Country here and there I got first settled in Will.m Braid's along with the servants having Mrs in our Mind which has been the chief occasion of me being here think to yourself a youngster of about 18 years of age laying in down in Bed with men how much older than myself cannot really say but the one carrying on playing with one another's pricks which I am unwilling with mine and harassed on even since till within a short time of me arriving at Inverness last voyage if you please this may be put up in the Public Works that all men may see. I am, Gentlemen

Your well wisher

"Hew Millar"

June 10 No change in mental state – Bodily health good – Refuses to speak to the Medical Officer today – Walks about the Gallery during the greater part of the day. Never employs himself in any way. Bowels regular. Appetite good.

July 18 Bodily health good – Was much more agreeable to the Medical Officer to day at the visit than he has been for sometime – asked him to allow him to go home – said that he was quite well that there was anything wrong with him – that he spoke rationally enough – that he considered himself quite as competent to command a ship as ever he was – that it was not medicine which could produce an effect upon him that it was God and God alone – that his friends had no right to send him here – Refuses to go out to the grounds to work. Thinks that he is constantly watched by spies – Bowels at present regular – Appetite voracious – Conversation

Aug. 12 Mind seems more alert of late – Answers questions rationally – Is to day in a very talky mood – Never employs himself in any way – Walks about the Gallery all day long – Bodily health good – Neatly in his habits and personal appearance – Bowels regular – Cont.d on

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April 30 Works regularly in the grounds- No change in mind & state- Bodily health good- Appetite & Bowels natural. Cat: omnia

May 26 Bodily health good- Has been employed regularly in the grounds ever last report. Never speaks unless when spoken to Mind weak and confused- Continues cheerful and good humoured- Bowels regular- Appetite good C omnia

June 1 Mind more clear- Answers questions relevantly enough- Bodily health good. Works in the grounds daily- Appetite good. C omnia.

" 24 Continues cheerful and good humoured Answers questions correctly- Betrays no delusions- General Health good Works in the grounds daily- Bowels regular. C omnia

July 18 General health good- functions natural. Cat: omnia

" 21 His patient being in good bodily health and free from delusions he was this day removed by the Treasurer of the parish of Old Monkland and is accordingly discharged as

Cured

Admitted 25th December 1814

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April 30 Employs himself regularly in the grounds Bodily health pretty good - Mind weak and confused Conversees relevantly enough however at times. Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: comm

May 30 Mind in rather more alert - Bodily health good - Says that he will never take any more whiskey - that it was the cause of his being here - that he feels more comfortable of late than he has done for years - that he has no wish to leave the Institution till he is quite well So very industrious - Appetite good Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: comm

June 30 Bodily health good - Says that he never felt so well in his life as he does now - "that it is just as if a great load had been lifted off him" - that it was the whiskey which caused the depression of spirits - that he was at one time in a good way but he got into low society and by that means contracted bad habits - that when he leaves the Institution he means to lead a different life - Answers questions relevantly - Very industrious and anxious to please every one - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: comm

July 30 Continues to improve although slowly - Seems to be rather more cheerful of late - Works very steadily in the grounds indeed he is one of the best workmen we have in the Institution. Bodily health good. Cont: comm

Aug. 31 No change since last report either in the Mental or Bodily state of this patient. Cont: comm

Sept 01 Answers questions relevantly. Betrays no delusions. Works diligently in the grounds. Bodily health good. Told the Medical officer that he had no wish to leave the Institution, - that he had no reason to complain of the treatment he had received as every one endeavoured to be more kind than another to him Cont: comm

Oct 9 Mind appears completely to have recovered - from former insanity of spirits He clearly understands & will be discharged Converses quite relevantly Desires to get home as in excellent bodily health Cont comm

Oct 22 Being in good bodily health & apparently free from mental delusion Discharged

Cured

Admitted 6th January 1846

James Wood admitted 40. from Vol. 1. p. 209
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April 8 Bodily health pretty good - Taciturn and depressed - Confused and breathless - Seldom speaks unless when spoken to - Tumour is much the same size as at last report - Complexion however has resumed its natural colour - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Con: omnia.

May 19 This patient seems much more cheerful during the last month - He has been employed in the grounds for the last few days - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Is more inclined to enter into conversation now than formerly, and he is more collected - Bowels require opening medicines. ℞ Pil: Aloetic xij. Sumat ter. in. h.s. Con: Alia.

June 14 Continues Cheerful and happy - Answers questions relevantly - Employs himself in the grounds daily - Does not complain of any uneasiness from Tumour - He is not painful upon pressure, and is of anything rather reduced in size - Bodily health good - Bowels regular - Appetite and sleep natural. Con: omnia

July 8 Being in good bodily health and free from all delusions he is discharged today under his usual care as

Cured

Admitted 15th. February 1845

James Cameron Aetatis 24

The patient was brought to the Asylum today by his Brother, and the Revd Mr Buchanan Clergyman of the Parish of Kilmarnock in Ayrshire, to which place this Patient belongs - Has just come under treatment on admission, but it appears that he has been very excited for sometime - Said that he was a Weaver, but that he had been out of work for three months - That this had preyed upon his mind and made him ill - that he was confined to bed for a short time cannot say the exact length of time - that his Brother and the Minister brought him here - They did not tell him where they were taking him, or he would not have budged one inch - that they first took him to Kilmarnock, where they got the Railway Train which brought him here - that he does not like the look of this place - although it appears comfortable enough - Build of medium temperature - Looks pale and dejected at present - Eye dull and heavy - Pupils slightly dilated Tongue white but moist - Pulse 76 full - Temperature of Body natural - General condition healthy - Diurnal hora omnibus Alteratives ij Ordinary diet

April 30 Pulse 76 regular - pupils dilated - Tongue clean - Mind weak and confused - states that he does not care if he will stay any longer here - laughs in an idiotic manner occasionally - Confused in conversation - Appetite good - Sleep and Bowels natural Cont: omnes

May 2 Pulse 66 small - pupils dilated - Tongue white and dry - Mind weak, confused and inane - Has an imbecile expression of countenance - Cannot speak a connected sentence - Bodily health good - Habits cleanly - Bowels slow - Appetite and Sleep natural - Diurnal hora omnibus Alteratives ij ad vj tam mane quam nocte Ry Infusi Gentian: Comp: 3xvj Bicarb: Sodae 3ij M dimidium Ry Ipecacuanhae C. alio

" 6 Do all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia.

" 14 Has been working in the Weavers Shop for the last few days - No change in mental state - says that he would like much to get home - laughs in an idiotic manner when spoken to - Bodily health good. Bowels and appetite natural. Cont: omnia

" 28 Continues quiet and well behaved Works regularly in the Weavers shop Requested himself as being much pleased with the treatment he has received here - He cannot speak

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Aug to 31st Oct. to all respects the same as when last reported. Conduct correct.

Nov. 1 Has for the last few days been much troubled with vomiting immediately after his meals - Takes no notice of any one - employs himself as before in the Weavers shop - Health good - Bowels regular - R Bismuth. Quinæ Sj. pulv. Rhei. Sij. Magnes. Sij. Mist. bicarb. in pulv. xxx. Sumat j ter quotidie.

" 16 Vomiting has entirely ceased and in consequence the powders prescribed at last report have been discontinued - laughs in an idiotic manner frequently - Works regularly in the Weavers shop never speaks unless when spoken to - Appears quite absent sometimes - Bowels regular - Appetite voracious - He is addicted to Masturbation and requires to be closely watched - Conducts himself in a becoming manner - Conversation

" 30 In all respects the same as when last reported. Conversation.

July 24 Bodily health good - Has of late been more obstinate - Has not been inclined to work this month so regularly as he has been in the habit of doing - Mind weak confused and unstable - Bowels regular - Appetite voracious - Sleeps well at night. Conversation

Aug. 31 Mind in all respects the same as when last reported - Bodily health good - ~~Appetite~~, Sleep and Bowels natural - Works in the Weavers shop daily - He has had two slight paroxysms of excitement since last report - Appetite voracious - Conversation

Sept 30 Works regularly & industriously in the Weavers Shop Is quiet & well behaved Has had no paroxysm of excitement of late Is cleanly in his personal appearance Takes his food very well Is in tolerable health Conversation

Oct 31 No change in any respect in the conduct of this patient Quiet & well behaved Works pretty regularly in the Weavers Shop Mind confused Speaks little Rather pale Takes his food well Cleanly in his personal appearance Conversation

Nov 29 Continues to work in the Weavers Shop Quiet & industrious seldom speaks Mind continues very weak Rather thin & pale but otherwise tolerably good Bodily health Conversation

Dec 29 Mind continues in the same weak hopeless state Seldom speaks Works pretty steadily in the Weavers Shop Pale but tolerably healthy Conversation

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William Law Oates:

This Patient was brought from Paisley Jail where he had been confined by order of the Procurator fiscal - said that he was taken up by the Procurator fiscal of Paisley (Mr Rodger) for striking a man - that the dispute with this man was about a dyke which bounded a portion of his Father's farm and which was pulled down by him - that this man's wife he had seen repeatedly laying down stones on his field to lay without asking leave of his Father - that one day when he was at home he observed her come in and set to work, he therupon went down and gave her a good round of swearing, her husband came to her assistance, and threatened to strike him - that, what was worth taking was surely worth asking - that she had no right to trespass on his father's ground - upon this the man became excessively impudent, which made him so furious that he struck him, and ordered him off the ground, and this was all that passed at that time - that next day he was taken by two Sheriff officers to Paisley to be examined by the Procurator fiscal - says that he is very glad to come back to the Asylum - frequently mentions his having been in the Asylum about three years ago - says he never met with such kindness anywhere - that Mr Ritchieson could not have been more kind to him if he had been a brother - but it was not one or two, each one tried to outvy the other in kindness to him - says that Mind produces constipation - he has been accustomed to have porridge at home and they are always considered to have a laxative effect - Skin of moderate temperature - Countenance pale and haggard - the upper lip quivers slightly - Eye dull and heavy pupils dilated slightly - Tongue white - Pulse 82 small but feeble - General Condition of Body healthy - Temperature natural - Confused and hesitating in conversation - Has a cunning expression of countenance - He has ordinary diet.

April 30 Pulse 82 small and feeble - Pupils dilated Tongue brownish - Mind weak and confused - Says that his Mother was about to be married to a Tailor in Glasgow named Mason - that he disapproved because he knew the Tailor did not bear a very good character and that ever since the People of the Village have been annoying him, and using every means in their power to undermine him in the eyes of others - that he himself

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April (cold) intended to get married eighteen months ago to a young Girl the daughter of a wealthy farmer close to his father's farm - but he could not get a farm to his mind - His mother and others told him to get married, and he would get the farm afterwards - this he would not agree to although his mother offered to keep her until he did get a farm - says that he was to tell her, when she was ready to hire that he could get one of his cousins and a farm with her - and that this soon brought to his senses - Appetite good - Bowels slightly constipated - Sunset has a common Maniac - patient &c. to Colonies 4th. Cont. Abia

May 1 Pulse 72 Regular - Tongue white - pupils natural says that he feels greatly better to day - entered into a long story about his relations said that Mr Tilmouth of Hazeldean is an uncle of his - that he commenced business with little more than £80, as a Weight - that he got on from less to more, until he had accumulated a large sum of money; that he entered into partnership with Pollock and they became large Shipping Agents and amassed an enormous sum - that he believes they were the wealthiest men in Glasgow, at one time - that his uncle retired from the firm about three or four years ago and he has bought several large Estates - Invited the Medical officer to see his Cousins - says they are very pretty and that they sing well - thinks he never was more comfortable in his life and has no wish to leave - Confused and hesitating in conversation - Cheerful and good humoured - Health robust - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Bowels have been moved twice - Appetite good - Ol. Ricini Alterative Mixt has twice been Commenced

" 3 No change in mental state - Confused and hesitating in conversation - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Complains of his left foot being swollen very much on the posterior aspect. Let it be dressed with the following Lotion. Rx Acet. plumbi. ℥ss. Acid. Acet. Comm. ℥ij Aquæ ℥xvi. M ft lotio. pars affect: aponend: Cont. Abia.

" 8 No improvement in mental state since last report. foot improved the inflammation is subsiding. Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont omnia

" 12 Foot is now quite well. Works in the grounds daily - Bodily health good. No change in mental state - Confused and hesitating in conversation although he answers questions relevantly enough. Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont omnia

June 20 No change in any respect since last report. Cont omnia

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James Laing Watts:

When admitted to day was quiet. It appears however that he had been very much excited at Falkirk, from which place he was brought - Said that it was his Brother in law who brought him here - That he never did anything to cause him to be placed here - That he is married - That he has two children alive, and one dead - that he is a very sober living man dealer of moderate temperature - Has an countable look - Countenance expressive of imbecility - Is very deaf indeed. He cannot hear one word you say unless you bawl into his ear - Mind weak, confused and inaccurate - General condition of Body healthy - pulse 84 regular - Tongue covered with a grey fur - pupils dilated - Ry Pil: Cloxynth: c Calomel ij: Hora somni sumend. To have ordinary diet and regimen.

April 30 Is very restless to day - Never speaks unless when spoken to - Answers questions relevantly enough - Habits cleanly - Body of natural temperature pulse 82 moderate - pupils dilated Tongue pretty clean - Appetite good Bowels opened. Cont: omnia

May 1st Dull and depressed. Answers questions relevantly enough. Never mixes with any ——— of the other patients. Works diligently in the Tailors shop, where he was sent a few days ago. General condition of Body healthy. Continue

" 17 No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Employs himself in the Tailors Shop - Answers questions in a connected manner - Bowels close Ry Pil: Hydrarg: ij: Scammon: Gumm: Cathart: Continue

" 20 pulse 78 small - pupils slightly dilated Tongue rather foul - General condition of Body healthy - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Is restless and depressed - Works daily in the Tailors shop - Has shown no symptoms of excitement since his admission - Appetite good - sleeps well at night - Bowels kept to become constipated - Rx Pil: Hydrarg: ij: Ext: Hyoscyam: gr: ij: Ft: pil: vj: Alterative ij: ad ij tam mane. Ry Tinct: Cinchon: ℥ss Ext: Gentian ℥ij Aq: font: ℥vij: ft: Mist: Gumm: ℥ij omni mane.

June 2 Seems more cheerful these few days past Never speaks to or mixes with any of the other patients - Continues quiet and well behaved - Works steadily in the Tailors shop - Mind weak and confused - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia

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June 18 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont. omnia.

" 20 Imagines when he observes two persons speaking together, that he is the subject of their conversation – that he is followed by spies wherever he goes – and that whatever he may say is communicated again to others – Has been for the last two days taciturn and morose – Bowels inclined to be torpid – Tongue coated with a grey fur – Cleanly in his habits – Works daily with the Tailors to whom he makes himself generally useful – ℞ Pulv: Rhei gr. x. Magnesia ℈j Infusi Valer: ℥ij. Aq. Menth: pip. ℥j. fiat Haust: Nocte omni sumend.

" 23 Bodily health good – No change in mental state – He has been working steadily till today when he complains of being sick, and shortly afterwards he had an attack of vomiting – Slept indifferently last night – Bowels ordered to be regulated. ℞ Vini Ab: Sodæ ℈j in Infus: Cardamom: ℥j. fiat Haust: quam primum sumend. Cont. alia.

" 24 Is considerably better today – Slept pretty well last night – Dull and depressed – ℞ Sulphatis Magnesiæ – Tartratis potassæ et sodæ ana ℥ß. Aquæ fontanæ ℥ij M fiat Haust: Nocte omni sumend.

Oct 6 Works pretty regularly & industriously in the Tailor's Shop – Talks to no one in consequence of his extreme deafness – Testimony as to Harry Potter – Bodily health & habits satisfactory – Continuation of omnia

" 30 Still works regularly & industriously in the Tailor's Shop – Saw his wife last week who informed the Medical attendant that her husband wished to destroy himself previously to his being sent to the Asylum and at the same time told her that it was a pity she had sent him here to prevent him from doing so, & that he would be far better out of the world – Was much affected when tears poured down on the day he saw his wife – Has a melancholy & pallid look – Takes his food well – Bowels regular – Bodily health not unsatisfactory – Cont. omnia

Nov 7 No change apparent in the state of this patient – He is so extremely deaf that no conversation can be held with him – Reads in return when read to but never speaks – Still in the Tailors Shop – Health as before – Cont.

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May 2 Bodily health good - Bowels regulate open - Mind vacant and paterbus - Never employs himself in any way - Con: same

June 4 No change in mental state - Cannot attend to connected sentences - General health good - Bodily functions natural Con: same

July 8 General health good - Mind in the same state as when last reported - Particulars to his Bodily habits - Takes no interest in anything going on around him. Con: d.

Aug. 28 Do all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: same

Oct 9 No improvement in any respect in the condition of this patient. Wears a large shawl drawn down on his ears & the upper half of his face. Holds no communication with any of his fellow patients & continually sprawling marks of Greek letters or Cyphers upon the walls. Bodily health tolerable Cont same

Nov. 10 Has got into the habit of late of walking about the airing ground declaiming incoherently at the top of his voice & all manner in all respects as at last report. Is often a pale & takes his food well sleeps well Cont same

Dec. 9 No improvement since last report declaims occasionally loudly and incoherently always asking for tobacco when he sees the medical attendant or a stranger. Is a pale but enjoys tolerable bodily health. Never employs himself at anything useful Cont same

29 No change since last report in any respect except that he has been endorsed to do a little work at picking coir fibre Cont same

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Jan 7 No appreciable change in any respect since last report. Does a little work occasionally talks much to himself - often declaims aloud. Is pale. Thin. Takes his food well. Bowels regular Cont same

Feb. 6 No material change. Thin & pale but not in absolute ill health. Delusions much in the old style. Takes his food well. Bowels reported regularly not frequently. Neat & particular in his personal appearance Cont same

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Mary 24 No appreciable change Convulsions
immediately in all respects as reported
above Thin & pale but takes
his food well & enjoys tolerable
health Cont omne

" 222 Has a weakly thin & pale appearance
Chiefly employs himself at present by
muttering sentences on the walls &
declaiming aloud Mind very much
Takes his food well, asks much
for snuff Bowels regular Cont
omne

" 226 No appreciable change since
last report Still talks much aloud
& writes on the walls Thin & pale
Yet takes his food well Bowels
regular Never employed at
any thing useful Cont omn

May 26 No change of any importance
Still thin & pale Quiet mostly to
crowding on the walls Takes
his food well Cont omne

June 26 No change in mental condition
Has very sick & refused his food
for three days last week When quest-
ioned regarding the cause said
he had swallowed a piece of ad-
hesive plaster Is now in his
ordinary health. Still continues
very thin & pale Cont omn

July 26 Complains of a feeling of giddiness &
of partially vomits his food especially
his breakfast No mental change
℞ Pulv Rhei Comp ℈ss Carbonat
Sodae ℈i Liq Potass Bismuthi
& pp ♏xx Mucil Binder & Chart
Quadecim singul semam for Epsom

Aug 26 Still in somewhat delicate
health Often refuses his food
℞ Infusi Cinchon ℥xiv
Tinct Cardam Comp ℥ij ℈i
Fiat Mist omne

Sept 26 Not much change Still occas-
ionally vomits his food Thin
& pale Bowels regular Cont
omn

Oct 26 Mind continues in the same
unsatisfactory condition Still much en-
gaged in scribbling on the walls
Thin & pale Often refuses his
food Bowels regular Tongue
white & flabby Cont unatum
Tongue

Nov 10 Very pale & thin & queer to vomit
his food Has boil on left leg
Tinct Con ordered to be applied to boil
27 Leg much better Is still very pale
& thin Apt to vomit his food
Bowels very Cont omn

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John Matthew Curtis from Vol V. p. 52.

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June 8 General health good - Bodily functions natural - Works in the grounds daily - Attentive to his clothes and tidy in his habits - No change in mental state. Con: omnia

July 4 No change since last report either in his mental or bodily state - Works in the grounds daily & Con omnia

Aug 08 Mental state unimproved - Bodily health good - Works in the grounds steadily. Cont: omnia

Sept. 01 Bodily health good. No change whatever in mental state. Employs himself steadily in the grounds. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Con: omnia.

Oct 24 Filthy & fractious in a very great degree never empty's himself in any place his bonnet constantly drawn down over his face - He dribbles on the whole morning takes his food voraciously swallowing every thing however disgusting. Bodily health good Cont omnia

Nov 19 As at last report in all respects bodily & mental General & good Cont omnia

Dec 9 No change for the better perhaps even with little loss in the mental condition of this patient Filthy fractious & useless habits to a disgusting degree Personal bodily condition neat & cleanly Cont omnia

29 No perceptible change in mental condition Mind very much like Dog always hunting & scratching Cont at present in bed in consequence of an ulcer on one of them Filthy careless of every thing Appetite voracious Health tolerable Cont omnia

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Jan 2 No change Works a little in the fields. Mind very far gone Is by naturally good bodily condition - enjoys good health No alteration to be mentioned but careless & filthy Cont omnia

Feb 24 No change in any respect except that he looks more than formerly careless of his personal appearance Appetite voracious Feeds up any thing or vegetable he may see on the road & always appears to indulge at to gratify his appetite Health good Cont omnia

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Apl 29 No change mental or bodily Works tolerably industriously in the grounds Mind quite as much as ever At dinner put granules the thin part of the batter & then crams pellets of the thick part into his mouth at each mouthful pushing up his bonnet which hangs down over his eyes In good condition Cont Comme

" 27 No change of any importance Continues to work quietly & industriously in the grounds Still as dirty and slovenly as ever Takes his food in the same voracious & slovenly manner Bowels regular Health good Cont Comme

" 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Bodily health good Cont Comme

" 26 Continues to work very industriously in the grounds but no appreciable mental improvement observable Feeds in the manner narrated above Health good Cont Comme

" 26 He continues to work tolerably steadily in the grounds Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Comme

" 24 No change since last report Bowels regular Health good Cont Comme

" 20 Continued in the same state until last night it was observed he did not take all his supper but as he had been eating turnips this did not attract notice Had purged a little during the night & when roused in the morning was moaning & stupid & was allowed to lie down again Shortly afterwards died & a quantity of blood issued from his mouth & nostrils

Dead

No inspection permitted

No

Angus Mackenzie Ætat 30 S. Labourer

On admission [illegible] Stornoway he appeared depressed. He was accompanied by an officer of Court & a relative. The latter states that he had been ill about five years — that he never complained previously — that the first thing which led him to suppose there was something wrong was his all at once refusing to do any work — and stating that his soul was lost — that nothing would convince him to the contrary — that although he has done a little work occasionally since he became ill, it was his own wish to do so — that if he was asked to work he pointedly refused — this was contrary to his former conduct — that he continued dull and depressed until the month of April last when he became very excitable — that on the 14th of April he went to a neighbour (all the Cottars in Stornoway have a Shieling) and demanded his land which of course was refused — that after a long dispute between the parties, he became exceedingly enraged and said that unless he got him the property he would have cause to repent it — that the neighbour complained to the Procurator fiscal who came out and had him conveyed to Stornoway Jail where he has been confined ever since — that he never attempted self violence to the best of deponents knowledge and belief — that he never attempted to injure others that none of his relatives have been insane — that the patient told him to day that now he was sure to go to Beauly.

The patient himself stated to one of the attendants in Jail — that he had a cottage and a small plot of ground — that he was warned away from it but for what reason he could not say — that he refused to leave, and they threatened to put him out by force — that he had some words with the person who was sent to inform him of the intention — that he heard nothing more of it until the Procurator fiscal called him up — that his Mother lived with him and that it was for her sake he declined to leave his farm — When asked if he knew where he was said that he was home — Mind weak confused and inactive — Scalp of natural temperature — General condition of Body healthy — Cleanly in his personal appearance — Takes no interest in

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May (cont.) anything going on around him - Countenance pale and anxious expression - pulse 74 small - Tongue white and dry - pupils slightly contracted - Ry pil: alterantes ℥j: Hora somni sumend: - To have ordinary diet.

" 22 Bodily health good - No change in mental state - laughed in an imbecile manner when spoken to - Continues depressed - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Bowels have been opened by the medicine - Appetite good - Sleeps well at night. This patient does not appear to understand one word of English - To be employed in the grounds. Communia.

" 26 pulse 76 small - pupils contracted - Tongue clean - No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Has been working in the grounds daily since last report - Bowels regular - Appetite good. Communia.

June 1 General health good - Bodily functions natural - No change in mental state - Employs himself in the grounds daily. Communia.

" 22 Bodily health good - Mind weak confused and erratic - Never speaks or takes notice of any one - Bowels slow - Habits cleanly - Taciturn and depressed - Works in the grounds daily - Ry Pil: Alterantes ℥j. Sumr: ℈ s. n. h. s. Cont: alia.

" 29 pulse 70 regular - pupils dilated - Tongue covered with a thin brown fur - Employs himself diligently in the grounds - So much more cheerful to day - Body of natural temperature - Bowels torpid - Appetite indifferent - Ry pil: Ry Hyosc: gutt. lxx: Hora somni sumend. Ry Decoct: Hordei ℥ij: Infus: Sennæ Co ℥ss: ℥ij Sal Nitri ℈ss: Hora undecima sumend.

July 20 No change in mental state - Bodily health pretty good - Does not evince the smallest degree of interest in anything going on around him - Works regularly in the grounds - Cleanly in his personal appearance - tongue in an imbecile manner when spoken to by any one, but cannot or will not speak in answer - Body of moderate temperature - Countenance expression of imbecility - Continues cheerful Bowels regular - Appetite good. Communia.

Augt 14 pulse 60 small - Tongue clean and moist pupils dilated - Eye dull and heavy - General condition of Body healthy - Habits cleanly - Employs himself daily with in addition to the attendants in the Infirmary in the grounds - Mind weak confused and erratic - Bowels continue regular without the aid of medicine - Sleeps well at night - Appetite pretty good. Cont: omnia.

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William McDonnell Aetat 30

This patient was brought to the Asylum this afternoon from Fort William. It appears that he is the son of a retired Army Captain - that he has been always weak minded and that he is subject to fits of excitement. He has never been employed in any way.
On admission he was perfectly quiet - said that he had been brought here by a Mr McMcKay a Sheriffs officer to serve a purpose - that he would remain until Mr McKay came for him which he expected would be in the morning - that his father was aware for sometime of his intention to come here - that he does not know where he is, but supposes he is in the Country - that his father is a Captain in the Army and has a small property in Fort William where he resides at present - that his mother is alive - that there are one brother and two sisters at home - that his father has £900,000 per month - that he expects himself to be a rich man some of these days. Has an anxious expression of countenance pupils natural - Tongue white but moist pulse 78 full - General condition of Body Healthy - Bowels have commi[ssion]. Alteratives.

May 24th When visited to day refused to speak to the Medical officer when asked to do so by the attendant. Takes no notice of any one - Cleanly in his person and habits - Appetite good. Cont: omnia
" 26 laughs in an imbecile manner when spoken to - very confused in conversation when asked to say if he would like to go out with the Attendant to the grounds he said no that he never was accustomed to works, and that he had no wish to begin here - that he had plenty of money to keep him respectable without working. very haughty in his demeanour to the patients particularly - Walks about the Gallery all day long - Appetite good Sleeps well at night - No symptoms of excitement have developed themselves since admission - General health good - Bodily functions natural. Con: omnia
June 2 Complains of debility - Bodily health good - Refuses to employ himself - Curses and swears in a frightful manner - very confused in conversations No change in mental state since last report - Tongue white - Bowels pretty regular - R Infusi Gentian: Comp: Chloric: dodecahy: Misce. Sumantur omnia die noctu manenque. A Olis

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June 24 No change in mental state - What would times attempted to make her recapitulate since last report - Bodily health good. Cleanly in her habits and personal appearance - cannot be persuaded to employ herself in any way - Bowels regular - Appetite good - She has been twice bled cupped since last report - Cont: commn

July 10 Health respects the same as when last reported Commn.

Aug. 7 08 Mind weak and imbecile as formerly - Bodily health pretty good - Appetite / sleep and Bowels natural Cont: commn

Sept 01 General health good Bodily functions natural Continue

Oct 24 No apparent change in mental condition of this patient Quiet taciturn & retired Answers ordinary questions relevantly but reluctantly never enters in to conversation spontaneously Cannot be made to employ himself at any work although he sometimes promises to do so Walks about occasionally Bodily Health tolerable Cont: commn

Nov 18 No change in the patient in mental condition of this patient Deportment retired & taciturn Never employs himself in any way Spends 8 or 9 hours with his hands in his pockets looking out at the grounds Bodily Health tolerable Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont: commn

28 Called the medical attendant - that there had been two desperate riots at Hartwellham in which the Sheriff the medical attendant & part of the keepers were engaged that he (Mr Samuell) had been an eye witness to the engagements that a number of the constables were unessing When asked when all this took place said in May when asked if that was a month ago replied not quite a month & was exceedingly confused in his narrative Deportment as at last report Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont: commn

Dec 3 Health general report Cont: Pulse 104 Pronounced Kunck Mental General Headache but complains of no other pains Tongue foul Bowels costive - R Pulv: Rhei Resinae Guaiaci Potassae et Sulphatis ää 3ij Infusi Lavandulae et Cupri ad 3iij Mane sumat Stat Bowels not opened Tongue clean Pulse low feeble No local pain but complains of Headache Repeat Mixture Infusion

John White Aetat

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May 20 My patient was brought to the Asylum this afternoon, with his Arms and Legs bound with rope, which were of course removed previous to his being taken into the Gallery - His Brother who accompanied him hither made the following statement to the Medical officer that he had been complaining for some months, but could not say what it was he complained of - that it appeared trifling first, and they thought nothing of it, until about a month ago when he became very dull and depressed - that afterwards he became so much excited that they were obliged to bind him with rope - that he continued to get more and more excited daily and they were advised to send him to this Institution - that he succeeded his father who is a fisherman in Kilspindie.
On admission he was raving in an incoherent manner - Pulse 80 - Body of natural temperature - Arms and Legs indented in several places with the marks of the rope - Pulse 86 small - Tongue dry and white - Pupils dilated - Eye dull and heavy - Ly Abradatus Capillitium - To be placed in seclusion.

" 22 Pulse 90 labouring - Pupils dilated Tongue dry and white - Refuses food of every kind - Spits in the face of every one who goes near him - Raves incoherently - Wears an insane expression of countenance - Skin of extremities cold - Has ms. fæcal stool of a dark colour - Ly Bl: Cretom: gutt ij ℥ Et ætius tumend.

" 23 Pulse quick and small occasionally intermitting - Tongue furred with much thirst - Take heavy Eye with dark countenance - Restless and sleepless night, throwing over the body - Constantly muttering to himself - Let him have ℥j of Whisky to be given in doses of ℥j every hour, and 2 pints of Mutton Ly Bl: Mydiary ij Nota comnic et Cere mane Mutt: cognent: Pat: postea: et to do ℥ß Aquæ ℥ij Commist.

" 24 Pulse quick small feeble and irregular Tongue covered with a thin whitish pale dry in the middle and is tremulous when protruded - Is incoherent in speech and appears wandering in thought, but when spoken to answers questions relevantly - Skin has a hard dry feeling - Bowels have been but freely moved - Ly ammon: 3 ss Aq: 3 viij

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May 20 Pulse small and intermittent – Right pupil dilated – Left contracted – Conjunctiva of right eye inflamed – Petechial spots have appeared over the Breast, Carpules and upper parts of the arms – Sometimes he starts up but soon relapses into his usual state again – Swallows anything in a liquid state with avidity – Bowels have not been moved since the 20th – Injection Station Enemata Eruption have a resemblance to the typhoid form –

" 20 Bowels were moved gently by the Enemata – Eyes have a glazed appearance – Face flushed – Was more restless during last night – Skin more warm over extremities Tongue still furred – Takes his Whiskey gruelly – R Rhadalum Capillitium Approbatio carbidorum Capite lato abraso. Ant. Abia.

" 23 Pulse abating in frequency – Skin softer and more perspirable – Pupils natural Countenance more clear – Eruption disappearing – Appears more rational – looks much better to day upon the whole – Ant: omitta

" 29 Bowels constipated – In other respects pretty much the same as at last report. R Vin Rhen Zjss Station omitta

" 30 Bowels were freely moved – Rather excited muttering incoherently – pupils natural – face not so much flushed – Eyes have a glazed appearance – R Tinct Lyttæ misce Applicand

" 31 Tongue pretty clean and moist – pupils natural Perspiration hurried – pulse quick small and irregular – More restless picking the Bedclothes

June 2 pulse tense and throbbing – Bowels torpid – petechial spots as stationed As even especially over temples and chest – R Vin Rhenani Stat sumend

" 5 Leg swelled and heavy – Extremities cold – pulse low, – Has an attack of diarrhea – Skin generally cold and dry – Takes little or no food – R Sinapis Cataplasma Applicand Capiti et Abdomini – R Pil Hydrarg. gr. Opii gr ss sumend. Nocte sumend. Yesterday two pints of porter to be taken daily Let a Rocking frame be applied to feet.

" 7 Tongue covered with a dry brown fur – Some difficulty in swallowing – Expectoration mucous – inflaming last night and today – Respiration hurried – Pulse low – Smell porter – Let him have Zss of Whiskey in table wine Toddy instead – To have Mixt: Effervescens and Beef tea

" 8 Continued to sink rapidly from last report notwithstanding every thing that could be done and without a struggle

Died

No inspection permitted

Malcolm McCallum Aetatis

	Was patient was admitted this afternoon Was perfectly quiet. Answered questions in monosyllables and in a very confused manner - Scalp of moderate temperature and moveable. Countenance expressive of imbecility - Tongue clean and moist - pupils contracted - pulse 90 moderate - General condition of Body healthy - To have ordinary diet.
June 1	General health good - Cannot utter a connected sentence - Facitum and depressed - Mind weak confused and inactive - Habits cleanly - Temperature of Body natural - Bowels slow - appetite good. Summ. how committed. Uncertainty Mrs is a case of Dementia.
" 11	Shall respects the same as when last reported. Con: omnia.
" 20	Pulse 78 regular - pupils contracted. Tongue pretty clean and moist - No improvement in mental state - Bodily health good - Never employs himself in any way - Takes no interest in anything going on around him - Bowels regular. C.O.
July 18	No change in mental state - Bodily health good - Cannot speak a connected sentence - Stands for hours in one position humming a tune - Never employs himself in any way - Bowels at present regular. Con: omnia
August 20	General health good. No change in mental state - Cont: omnia
Octr 9	Will at times stand for hours whistling His hands are in his pockets & his right foot put forward on to the centre tile. Leans forward & precedes keeping time to the tune he whistles. Speaks to no one takes his food well & enjoys good bodily health Cont Con
Novr 9	Slight improvement in the mental condition of this patient Does not whistle on Sundays Whistles any time he removes when asked to do so. Answers quite a monosyllable when spoken to Tell Remember often seen employed as noted. Shave Careless of his personal appearance Bodily health good Takes his food well Cont
Decr 9	Continues as at last report no R perhaps very slight improvement Occasionally does a very little mark at keeping Cocoa fibre Will speak to whistling & keeping time from one foot to another Health good Cont omnia

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May 29 No much improvement but employs himself rather more than formerly but is often found over found wherting in the manner mentioned above is perhaps not altogether so plenty in his personal appearance as formerly seldom speaks answers with a monosyllable takes his food well health tolerable quod con[tinuatur]

June 26 very little if any change since last report Whittles rather less than formerly Works a little occasionally takes his food well bodily health tolerable good very plenty in his personal appearance con[tinuatur]

July 25 No change of any importance Whittles less than formerly but does not seem to take any more interest in anything going on around him takes his food well health good very plenty in his personal appearance con[tinuatur]

Aug 26 Has got rather restless & obstreperous of late Drinks immoderately attempts to get through the windows at night sometimes attempts to get on the top of other patients in bed Is sometimes violent given to striking when prevented doing what he wishes Has a rather excited expression of countenance bodily health tolerable good con[tinuatur]

Sept 26 Somewhat quieter & better than at last report but must continue quite as weak Whittles for hours together cannot be got to employ himself at any thing useful Health tolerable although he is rather thin Bowels regular con[tinuatur]

Oct 26 Little change of any importance since last report Two days ago chanced to get down the exit stairs case took off a board from the sill of the lowest window & also the side rod from the window left the corner cast & crept out then making off when observed & brought back No mental improvement con[tinuatur]

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This patient was brought to the Asylum this afternoon from Largs. He has been several times confined in Kilsyth Asylum near Greenock.
On admission he was rather excited. Talks incessantly and in an incoherent manner. Told the Medical officer that his Brother and he came together to see Mr Lack a Servant here - that he was shewn into a Room by his Brother and desired to wait until he would come back as he had a little business to do. that he must be off from this to night as he has important business at Rutherglen fair - General health good Countenance wears an anxious expression - pupils dilated - pulse 80 moderate - Tongue clean but dry - Temperature of Body natural - Cleanly in his personal appearance - To have ordinary diet.

June 7 This morning is rather quieter, and talks more coherently upon the whole - Handed the Medical officer a piece of paper which he said was the Certificate of Marriage between him and a Girl in Largs - that he would have been married in less than ten minutes if his Brother had staid out of the way - that he had been proclaimed twice - Requested to be permitted to go home and get married - Said that he would take his Wife with him, and keep her here - that it was very unfair of his Brother to take advantage of him when he knew so well the important business he had to do - that he would never forgive him as long as he lived. Continually asking for Tobacco and paper - The latter was given him in order as he said that he might write home for some articles of clothing which he said he required - Health good Tongue pretty clean - pulse 78 moderate pupils dilated. Bowels reported to be regular. Appetite good. Con: omni-

" 8 Bodily health good - Shewed the Medical officer two letters one addressed to Miss Brisbane of Brisbane the other to his father - It was impossible to read them however - He said that he had given up all idea of marrying the Girl in Largs and that in consequence he had written to Miss Brisbane to see if she would become his wife - that he expected she would come through immediately on receipt of it - that he knew well his father would never object - that

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June (until) that he was a Servant of Sir Thomas Busbar and knew him well - that after he got married he should give up his farm and retire from public life - be more excitable to day - quarrelling with his fellow patients and perpetrating all sorts of mischief - Tongue white and dry - pupils dilated - pulse 80 full - Appetite good - Bowels rather obstinate Ry Pil: Alterative Ry. Sumat ℥ ss mane; ℥ j nocte hora somni. Con: omnia.

16 Has been rather more excited the last two days - Talks incessantly and in a confused manner - Bowels pretty regular - Ry aperients to get out to walk in the grounds and under a promise that he will behave himself he is to be allowed to go out tomorrow - Con: omnia

20 No change in any respect since last report He was allowed in the grounds for two days but he could not be prevented from annoying the other patients who were engaged with him, and in consequence he has not been allowed to go out since to work - Bodily health good - Keeps out of mischief and continually quarrelling with and striking the other patients - Very incoherent in conversation - Bowels kept regular by medicine - Con: omnia

July 16 Bodily health good - During the last few, he has been engaging several of his fellow patients as servants so that they may be ready to go along with him when he is discharged - Talks incessantly and in an incoherent manner - So if anything better behaved since last report Has several times however torn his bedclothes into strips - Cannot be persuaded to employ himself in any way which may be of use - Bowels regular Con: omnia

22 Very much worse - Answers more rationally but he is still very much confused - Says he is very anxious to get married and wishes to know if it is allowed in the Institution Bodily health good - Bowels slow - Ry Pil: Alterative ℥ij. Sumat ℥ s. n. h. s. - Ry Infusi Gentianæ Comp: ℥viij: Misce: detur ℥ij pro Mistura Sumatur ℥ij bis quotidie ℈ Alias

Aug 2 General health good - Orderly in his habits and personal appearance - Has been again working in the grounds and upon the whole is less excitable - Abuses his friends for keeping him in the Asylum - Says that there never was anything the matter with him - that they are (illegible) fools for this point ℞ Appetite pretty good When in the grounds stays his potatoes full of bones or any other articles which he can collect. Con: omnia

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My patient was brought to the Asylum the morning from Orkland. On admission appeared very much depressed - asked the Medical officer to let him go home - said that he did not know, when he was, - that he could not imagine why he was sent here - that he never did any one harm - Requested to see his son "Joseph Barclay" who he said was in the Institution, when informed that he was not. He said that he accompanied him here and that he understood he resided here - Answers questions in a confused and heartaking manner - Has an imbecile expressive cast of countenance - Eye dull and heavy - pupils natural Tongue pretty clean and moist - pulse 70 Small - General condition of Body healthy - This patient is very deaf. To have ordinary diet.

June 14 Mind weak confused and vacant - Bodily health good - Dull and depressed Confused and disorientating in surroundings Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Appetite good - Bowels constipated - Tongue white - pupils dilated - pulse 70 small - Ty Hil: Attends ij Sumat ij o.n. h.s

" 18 General health good - No change in mental state - Cleanly in his habits - Appetite Sleep and Bowels natural Con: omnia.

" 24 No change in any respect since last reported. Con: omnia

July 7 Mind in the same state as when last reported - Bowels require to be kept open by medicine - very importunate for his dismissal - Continues dull and depressed - Cannot be persuaded to employ himself in any way. Con: omnia

" 31 Do. do. reports the same as when last reported. Con: omnia

Augt 31 No change in mental state - Bodily health pretty good. Never employs himself at anything either useful or harmless. Con: omnia

Sept: 31 Continues in all respects the same as when last reported. Con: omnia.

Oct 24 Never sees the Medical attendant but when he respectfully salutes him shakes hands enquires kindly for his health, then whether any of his own friends have been calling for him & if he will get away to day, always saying "you doctor you will do what you can to get me away" & on being answered in the affirmative is profuse in his thanks

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18 Not the slightest change in the mental condition of this patient except that occasionally he complains much of hearing loud noises during the night & there are heard by no other person in the gallery. Still clear & the medical attendant every time he sees him in the way mentioned above. Takes his food well but is rather tardy in his movements & very deaf. Cleanly in his personal appearance seldom employs himself complained a week ago of severe pain in his shoulder for which had a sinapism & stimulating liniment & it is now quite well. Bowels regular. Cont. omnia

24 Ordered today that makes little complaint except slight headache. Tongue white & slightly furred. Pulse 104 & weak. Habent alvi pressum [illegible] statum

Day Has a slight cough but no expectoration. Dullness on percussion in infra-axillar & lower dorsal regions of right side of thorax with mucous crepitus & ægophony near the margin of the dullness. No pain in chest. No increased quickness of breathing. Pulse rather weaker. Tongue furred. Habet mane Applicetur vesicatorium parte affecta R Infusi rutæ Autumnalis salutationes tribus horis ad [illegible] Mistura camphoræ cum liquore ammoniæ [illegible] quarter hourly. Habet Tinctur. Digitalis gtt x ter quotidie

6 Bowels moved but not very copiously. Pulse very small & rapid & rather frequent. Cont. Infusion Rutæ. Beef tea & milk daily

8 Dullness increasing. Pulse 120 rather weak. Slight purple spot on left cheek. Slight cough & little expectoration & that mucous partly mucous & watery. Blisters appear. Cetera desunt

Parasces R Lad. Inf. Rutæ Cathartic Mist. Rutæ Potas. Acet. Potas ℥ij Mist. Camphoræ Cum Opio ℥vi Ammoniæ ℥ij ℥ij 2da quaque hora

9 Died [illegible] last but nevertheless sank rapidly & at midday

Died

Joseph McQueen Admitted

No patient who has been insane for upwards of two years was brought from Irvine to the Asylum this afternoon. - On admission he was dull and depressed - said that he came from Irvine - that he resided with his Mother there - that he was a Weaver but had been out of employment for sometime - that his Mother and his wife need him very ill - that he had enough to do to keep his hands from striking them in return - that he is ill both in body and mind - that he was sent here by the Magistrates of Irvine to see if the Doctors could cure him - that he was a Member of the Irvine Band - General condition of Body healthy - Temp of natural temperature very unlucky in his general appearance Mind weak confused and wanders - hypochondriacal in conversation - has an intensely depressed expression of countenance - pulse 66 small - pupils dilated - Tongue furred - let him be employed in the Weavers Shop - Ordinary diet - ℞ Pil. Alterative ℥ss ℞ Infusi Gentianæ Lard. omni.

June 26 No change in any respect since his admission - Confused and hesitating in conversation - Cont: omnia

July 5 looks thin - Bowels kept regular by medicine - Appetite indifferent - Never employs himself in any way ℞ Infusi Cinchonæ frigide ℥viii Acid Muriat: dilut ℥j Sirupi Cardamomi Comp: ℥j. fiat Mist: Sumat ℥ij bis quotidie. Cont: alia.

" 20 No change in mental state since last reported - Bowels regular - Confused in conversation - Amuses himself by playing the flute occasionally. Cont: omnia

August 18 Bodily health pretty good - Mind in all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: omnia.

Sept: 01 No change since last report either in the bodily or mental state of this patient. Cont: omnia.

" 20 Works daily in the weaver's Shop but does very little being excessively slow & not very persevering. Answers questions in a slow hesitating & confused manner says his friends are the cause of his present condition very filthy often passing his dejections in bed & in his clothes. Takes his food well Bowels regular Health good Cont: omnia

Nov 22 Sleeps well improved in personal cleanliness since last report Works daily in the weaver's Shop but often found standing

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in a dreamy state & when spoken to looks up like a person just awaking appetite sleep & bowels quat unal Cont omnia

Sept 23 Has got so dirty & careless that he has been dismissed from the weaver's shop often passes his dejections in his trousers is exceedingly slow in his movements & appears like a person half asleep Is not positively destructive but essentially careless Works a very little at present Eats Takes his food well Dr Flabby & Lymphatic Bowels reported regular Cont omnia

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Oct 7/25 No change since last report Passes his urine & dejections in his clothes & in bed Very slow & hesitating in all his movements Is very anxious to get again to the weaver's shop often for that purpose promises to keep himself clean but lacks perseverance Takes his food well Cont omnia

Nov 7/25 Eats as ravenously & dirty in his habits as ever Passes his stools & urine in his clothes as in bed Answers with slowness & hesitation Takes his food well but is pale & lymphatic Cont omnia

Mar 2/26 Continues in the same dirty & degraded state Takes not the slightest care to keep himself clean Very slow in all his motions Has a stupid vacant look Takes his food well Bowels regular Pale & lymphatic Cont omnia

Apl 2/26 Eats as slow & dirty as ever soiling his trousers & bed Slow & inactive devoid of all energy Takes his food well & is in tolerable condition but rather lymphatic Cont omnia

May 2/26 Continues in the same dull half stupid state Listless & inactive seldom moves & never with any energy Takes his food well Health passable Bowels regular Cont omnia

June 2/26 No change of any importance Eats dirty & inactive Looks half stupid seldom speaks except in answer to a question Takes his food well Cont omnia

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May 17 Still complains of the pain - says that it is so painful that he cannot walk - abdomen is slightly distended - Bowels said to be regular - pulse 76 small and feeble - pupils contracted - tongue white - no change in mental state - Composed and hesitating in conversation - Never employs himself in any way - Appetite good - Ry Calomel: Conium: Bj Extract Aconit Bj. Zingiber: Contus: Bj Spiritus Vini dilut: Bij. Digere per horas IV dein adde Aquæ font: Bxij. Digere per horas XXIV Cola. Sumant Bij ter quotidie.

" 24 The pain he says is much better since he got the Mixture - Still complains of a little however - Mind much composed and collected - Bowels pretty regular - Cleanly in his habits - Refused to go out of doors because he thinks it cold - Appetite and Sleep natural. Communis

June 8 Has been complaining for the last two days of the pain being more severe - that it is more in his "belly than his back" - Bowels slow - Appetite indifferent Mind in the same state as at last report - Ry Calomel: gr. iv. Ol: Ricini Bj Aquæ Cinnam: Bj. M. Fiat Haustus Sextam quemque mendus. Con: Alia.

" 16 pain is completely gone - Bowels regular - Appetite good. No change in mental state - Habits cleanly - Cannot be persuaded to take exercise - Body of natural temperature - Communis

July 20 Dr Lee inspects the same as when last reported. Con: communis

August 8 No change in mental state - Bodily health at present pretty good - Good humoured and cheerful - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Composed in conversation. Con: communis

" 21 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Never employs himself in any way. Bowels regular Appetite good. Con: communis

Sept. 18 He is good humoured and cheerful. Without delusions. Bodily health very good. Appetite, sleep and Bowels natural Con: communis

" 21 Seen all inspects well. Answers questions rationally and coherently. Is cheerful and reconciled with his situation. General health good. Bodily functions natural. As the patient may be much improved by residence at the sea coast, the parish authorities who have been in communication with the physicians on the subject, have arranged to remove him on an early day to Rothesay his former

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Nov 28th Places of residence.

Dec 8 The parish authorities of Rothbury having sent for this patient, and he being free from all symptoms of insanity he is today discharged.

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July 14 Mind much the same as at last report - General health good - Bodily functions natural - Works steadily in the Weavers shop. Cont. comm.

August 8 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cont. comm.

" 31 Health, habits and state of mind the same as at last report. Cont. comm.

Sept 9 Continues to work very regularly and industriously in the pleaners shop - In general quiet & well behaved but liable to be excited by the most trifling occurrences Shows about this being in Spain & of the murders of men he killed - Is tolerably clean in his personal appearance - Eyes very excitable - Health Cont. as

Nov 18 Subject to the same delusions as noted above - Quiet & well behaved - Works industriously in the pleaners shop - Tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance - Appetite & sleep & bowels natural Cont. as

Dec 18 No change since last report - Works industriously in the pleaners shop - Tolerably well behaved - Health tolerable but is flabby & lymphatic - Takes his food well - Bowels regular Cont. as

" 29 Delusions as to his killing a number of men in Spain Cont. as - Works in the pleaners shop - Mind very quiet & peaceable - Appetite greedy - Flabby & lymphatic - Not very tidy in his habits as personal appearance but not forgetful - Restless - Health tolerable Cont. as

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Jan 27 " No change - Works constantly in the pleaners shop - Health tolerable - Food digesting Pale & lymphatic & flabby - Takes his food well Cont. as

Feb 24 Works industriously in the pleaners shop - Is very slow & clumsy in his motions & very slow of speech but answers readily & pertinently - Is clean & neat - Says many men he killed in Spain & Takes his food well - Pale & flabby & puffy Cont. as

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Mch 22 Mind weak & powerful very slow in his speech & motions Hands very Works in the weavers shop pretty diligently Takes considerable pains in feeding another patient in the ward who cannot feed himself Takes his own food well Bowels regular Dirty & slovenly but not sportively destructive Cont Comm

" 26 Mind continues in the same weak & state Works diligently in the weavers shop Takes his food well Bowels regular Dirty but not sportively destructive Cont Comm

Apr 2 6 Still employed in the weavers shop Mind very weak & speaks slowly & with considerable hesitation Takes his food well Cont Comm

" 26 No improvement continues to weave steadily Talks very slowly as if he had some paralytic affection of the muscles of articulation & is indeed very slow in all his movements & even thought Mind very weak Takes his food Bowels well Bowels regular Cont Comm

May 2 6 No change of any importance since last report Takes his food well Bodily health pretty good Cont Comm

" 26 No change of any importance since last report Bowels regular Health good Cont Comm

June 9 This patient agreeing to take charge of him the inspector of the poor of Govan came to remove him Discharged

Relieved

Hugh Buchanan Admitted from page 4

1848

June 16 No change in mental state. - Thinks that he is haunted by witches - Complains of failure of memory, and shrinking of the face - Cleanly in his habits and persons appearance - Has been working in the grounds daily since last report - Says that all rounds - pupils dilated - Tongue covered with a thin grey fur - pulse 76 small and feeble - Body of natural temperature - Extremities pretty cool - Bowels slow - Appetite good - Sleeps indifferently - Ry Pil. Alterativ. Xij. Sumat 3ij o. n. h. s. - Ry Tartratis sodæ potassagni 3ij Misch. Sodæ 3ij. Aquæ puræ 3iv. M. Sum. 3ij omni mane. - Effundatur aqua frigida capiti tis quotidie. C. Alis

" 24 pulse 76 small - pupils dilated - Tongue clearer - Scalp much cooler - Says his head is much easier - Very much confused in conversation. - Still Cautious and depressed - Bowels open regularly once a day - Appetite good. Continue

July 10 Mind much confused and irrational - Says that he recollect circumstances better than he did - that there is less uneasiness about his head - and that he sleeps better at night - Bowels pretty regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia.

" 20 General health good - Mind seems much more alert - Bowels are kept regular by medicine - Appetite pretty good. - Appears rather more cheerful since last report. Cont: omnia

August 8 Improves daily both as regards his mental and bodily state - Bowels are at present regular without the aid of medicine - Appetite pretty good - Sleeps no delusions - Answers questions rationally - Works in the grounds daily - Is cheerful and conversible with his attendants. May now be looked upon as Convalescent

" 18 Has gone on well since last report - Is free from all delusions - Bodily health continues good.

" 27 His friends having made arrangements for his removal to the Country, and he being in good health and free from all delusions is to day discharged.

Cured

admitted 1st April 1845.

John Stewart from page 89

Jn 1 Health & strength feeling very much Takes very little food & apt to vomit the little he takes Gets beef tea collops & porter

M. Spirits Hordei ℥ VI mihi

2 Warm to a shadow pulse very feeble Takes nothing but toddy Bowels rather loose

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4 Getting gradually weaker Takes nothing but whisky Bowels not so loose

6 Warm to a shadow Imperceptibly cannot live long Cont. Spiritus Hordei

8 Today at 9 a m

Dead

Inspection

Dec 11

Brain & membranes looked pretty healthy Perhaps the former might look a little former than natural & there was a small former black looking about the size of a small pea midway between the top of the right hemisphere & right Thalamus apparently the remains of what had been long ago a similar tragic effusion

Chest Lungs & heart tolerably healthy Like in former instance two or three rounded hard well defined masses size of small pea

Abdomen Along the lesser curve of the stomach were irregularly shaped patches of red seeming from chronic inflammation & an ulcer midway between the cardiac orifice the pylorus with irregular edges about a third of an inch in diameter Left kidney was about ½ natural size Anterior surface of upper end of right was dark & purple seemingly from old inflammation & there was the same puckering on the spleen which was large but seemed otherwise healthy Liver healthy Ileum & colon considerably congested

William Law Ae. from page 87

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July 1 Mind weak and confused - Bodily health good - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - employs himself in the grounds daily - Told the Medical officer today that he considered himself very ill used - that when he left the Asylum last he felt perfectly ashamed when he met any of his friends - that he had no right to be sent here at first that there is nothing now wrong with his mind - that he might at a time have annoyed himself like any other young man - that his father he had no doubt was insane - that he has heard it said that it occasionally ran in the blood - that his relations have behaved very ill to him from first to last - said that he has known his father without any cause throw him on the floor trample on and thus him severely - that when he was last at home they used frequently to taunt him with having been here, and that it was with great difficulty he prevented himself from attacking them - Bowels pretty regular - Appetite good Con: comm:

" 20 Bodily health good - employs himself regularly at one time in the grounds at another in the Galleries - Says that he is quite content to stay here as long as the Medical gentlemen may think it necessary - Has been more cheerful during the last few days - Bowels regular - Appetite good Cont: comm:

Augt 21 Is cheerful and good humoured - Betrays no delusions - Answers questions rationally - Works in the Galleries assisting the Attendants - General health good Cont: comm:

Sept 17 Being in good health & free from all delusion he was at the request of his friends who have obtained the necessary sanction this day discharged

Cured

Admitted 29th April 1845

James Smith Alias

This patient was brought from Stirling Jail under a warrant of the procurator fiscal. On admission stated to the medical officer that he had just come from Stirling Jail where he had been confined for breaking windows - that he was sent here along with a young man of the name of David Borland that he was requested to stay here and take care of "David" because he knew his way as well - that they were confined together in Jail - that David was quite "daft", but there was nothing wrong with himself - that he had a good head - that the God above him intended to make him a gentleman - that he knew it - that God is to give him a gift of three estates that he went down to them all one day - that the name of Lord Abercrombys estate is Airthrey Castle - Mr Ramsays Dundee - and Mr Mc Adams Bandry Castle - that he met Mr Ramsay one day and informed him of the gift which he was to receive from God - that Mr Ramsay did not disapprove. He then warned to David Borland and said that "David was very daft" and in proof of it said that David when they were about to leave Stirling asked him to get up on the Carriage first and he would follow - that he did so to humour him - that David one day asked him to break a window, and that he would do it next. He then said "oh" David is right in the head" - but that he should not be too severe because he was once a little queer himself when he was in love - that it was only temporary - that "he went wrong about a woman of the name of Jessie Millar" - that he never went further than putting his hands round her neck - that he never called upon her but he used to write "little Daisy" love letters on receipts of paper to her - that his mother used to say to him that he was a fool to write her what she was about him - that he frequently told her if a lady did not marry him when he asked her he would shoot her through the heart that was to say that he was qualified for a lady - that it was quite a natural thing to be in a love - Scalp of natural temperature - Eye wears a very cunning expression - pupils contracted - tongue white but moist - pulse 74 regular -

Admitted 11th July 1845

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July (cont.) Temperature of Body natural – General condition of Body healthy – is remarkably dirty – Talks incessantly and conversation very confused – by Rl. Alleration of Mind, commit adviced. Ordinary diet and regimen.

14 pulse 70 full – pupils contracted Tongue covered with a thin grey fur – keeps the left eye half closed when he is addressed by one which gives him altogether a peculiar look – Labours assiduously to convince the Medical officer that he is quite sane – says that he has no doubt the Medical officer will soon see he is "quite sound in his senses" – that in the morning he saw several of the patients getting pills and he began to think to himself that the Medical officer was quite right when he said that he required some medicine – thinks that the proprietors of the Estates to which has obtained a right have sent him here to keep him out of the way as they suppose he intends to take them by force – that he was anxious to make the Medical officer aware of all that happened and began by saying he was promised a coach which the proprietors had arranged should run between Stirling and Callender – that they afterwards gave it to another man of the name of James Scott – that although it was enough to exasperate any man he did not say anymore, but merely asked him to give him to drive to Callender as he had not been there for along time and wished to see the country – that he gave the Coachman James Scott a new whip which he had got as a present only a few days before – that when he came back from Callender he went down to Stirling Quay when the Boat from Edinburgh arrives – that he met some friends and they had some whiskey together – that he left them and when Thinks passing the house of Dr Jamieson a Surgeon who has retired from the Army he broke some of the windows – that he walked on for some considerable distance before any one came up to him – that he went into "Barbers Shop" and that a police officer came and took him away – that he had a pair of "Sheep Shears" in his hand but that he did not strike him – in fact he never intended any harm – that it was the effects of the Whiskey altogether that he was taken to the procurator fiscal Mr Dawson – that after that he was handcuffed and removed to the Guardhouse – that he was brought up for examination, and that

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David Borland Aetat 5

This patient was admitted this morning from Stirling under a warrant of the Procurator Fiscal of that place - he states to the Medical officer that he was Colonel Borland - that he was in an infantry regiment but had returned on half pay - asked him if he knew a person of the name James Smith - said that he had been in the same regiment with him and held the rank of lieutenant - that he himself was very wealthy - that he has a nice house the neighbourhood of Stirling but that it was out of repair at present - further said that Smith was a Cavalry officer and that he had been in many active engagements with him - that they were very great friends - that Smith had great expectations - that he was a real gentleman - said that he himself did not require to work any. Temperature of Body natural Countenance means a cunning expression General condition of Body healthy - does not sleep well with some slight hesitation - pulse 68 moderate - Tongue rather white pupils slightly dilated - ℞ Pil. Aloes et Myrrh. omni nocte sumend. Ordinary diet.

July 19 Talks in a conceited manner of his wealth, superior rank &c - Shuts about the Galleries all day long - Refuses to employ himself - Bowels slow - Appetite good - Sleeps well at night - ℞ pil. Colocynth. Comp. ℈ss omni nocte sumend. Cont. alia

" 20 No change in mental state - Cannot be persuaded to employ himself in any way - Is very cranky - Bowels constipated - Tongue foul - Breath fetid - Sleeps pretty well at night - ℞ Calomel. gr v. Pulv. Jalap. gr xx. fiat pulv. Nocte sumend. - ℞ Infus. Sennæ comp. ℥ij. Sulph. Magnes. ℥ij. Tinct. Jalapæ ℥ß. fiat Haust. Mane sumend.

" 21 Bowels have been well moved today — says he feels much better - Otherwise no change in previous report remain unchanged — He walks about the airing ground the greater part of the day - Never takes the smallest notice of any of his fellow patients. Appetite and sleep natural. Cont. omnia

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July 12 Continued pretty quiet and well behaved from the date of last report till to day when he became very much excited (because he was requested to go over the shemakers shop which made it is understood he had been employed at previous to his being brought to the Asylum) tore his clothes to pieces and abused the attendants – Delusions continue unchanged – Bodily health good – Appetite, sleep and bowels natural. To be placed in seclusion Cont: ablu.

" 22 Was confined in seclusion for two days – since that time he has been quiet – To day requested to be allowed to work – said he was sorry for what he had done and hoped that the Medical Gentlemen would forgive him – To be confined in conversation – Delusions – Bowels regular – Appetite good. let him be employed.

Aug 8 Has upon the whole employed himself diligently in the grounds. Bodily health good. Answers questions rationally, and the delusions mentioned in previous reports become more faint. His conduct is however rather odd. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia

" 20 Continues to work industriously & to reckon himself quietly & well. If he retains any of his former delusions he is, at least, capable of concealing them. Talks rationally but generally complains of headache. Tongue loaded & bowels slow R Sulphatis Magnesiae ℥ss Potassae et Sodae ā ā ℥ij Infusi Sennae ℥ij Aquae purae ℥iij Misce de Mergat summo statim

Sept 18 Has retrograded since last report – Full of all sorts of fancies about his clothes &c &c throws them too little &c throws them away the wall spins them away beats them against the stones &c Cannot be made to employ himself at any thing useful Takes his food well sleeps well bodily health tolerably good Has a rather sullen expression of countenance Bowels regular Cont: omnia

Oct 16 Restless & discontented Wishes to get home is just makes for every thing which cannot be granted Head shaved & skin cleaned is slightly more quiet Picking cotton Takes his food well Cont: omnia

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This patient was brought to the Asylum this afternoon from Mrs. Galloway's. Scalp of moderate temperature - Countenance expressive of imbecility - Eye dull and heavy - Temperature of Body natural - General condition of Body healthy - Cannot speak a connected sentence - pupils natural - Tongue pretty clean - pulse 72 small. Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance. This is a case of Dementia. Ordinary diet.

July 12 pulse 74 regular - Tongue pretty clean - pupils dilated - Had one Epileptic fit last night but of a mild character - Body rather hot - tongued and hesitating in manner - Bowels reported to be clear - Appetite keen - Slept well last night - let his hair be cut close. ℞ Pil. Rhei Co. Comp. of Aloe ana gr. x. Mr patient has been subject to Epileptic fits for two years. HAK.

" 14 Had one Epileptic fit yesterday and two to day - Bowels have been moved but quiet by the Medicine prescribed - Appetite good. Mind weak confused and inactive - Walks about the Airing ground all day long - ℞ Pil. Colocynth. Comp. xij. Dimidiæ diæ manana ♀ noctu. Cera omnia.

" 26 Bowels kept regular only by medicine - Tongue clean and moist - pupils dilated. Had one Epileptic fit this morning - Scalp of natural temperature - Is shaky in mental state - loves employ himself at anything whether useful or harmless - Appetite keen. Cera omnia.

Augt 01 Has had several Epileptic fits since last report. Bowels pretty regular by the aid of Medicine. Appetite good. No change in mental state. Never employs himself in any way. Cont: omnia.

Sept 01 No change has taken place in the mental state of this patient since last report. Epileptic fits are pretty frequent. Bodily health tolerably good. Appetite, Sleep and Bowels natural. Cont: omnia.

Oct 24 Epileptic fits continue frequent & sometimes severe. Is able to walk about two doors from these Rooms & has occasionally to be kept in seclusion for a day or two. Requires to be getting medicine constantly to keep his bowels regular. Cont: omn.

Nov 18 Epileptic fits continue frequent as before & Rx often very severe & lasting rather insensibly after. Is threatened with Pulmonic Disease. Takes his

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Jan 18 Good meal Is at present taking Calcaryth pills two every second night as his bowels are somewhat torpid Has a stupified dazzled unintelligent countenance Cont ommn

Continues to have epileptic fits very frequently & to get worse rapidly excited occasionally By excitement often occurs before the accession of a series of fits Requires almost constantly to be taking medicine to keep his bowels regular Takes his food pretty well Cont ommn

29 Epileptic fits continue as frequently & severe as ever Had one this morning after breakfast Is now in bed but will be likely have more today Is getting Comp Calcaryth pills two every night Cont ommn

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Jan 26 No change Takes fits very frequently & is liable to sudden paroxysms of excitement & attack persons & property around him Cont ommn

Feb 25 Takes the epileptic fits as usual sometimes 2 & is very excited but these paroxysmal periods are of short duration though often very violent while they last & sometimes during them he tears his clothes to pieces Takes his food well & rather fleshy Cont ommn

Mar 26 Epileptic fits continue very frequent seldom a week passes without two or three of more Bodily health is otherwise tolerably good Not destructive to his clothes except sometimes at periods of excitement Cont ommn

Apl 26 Epileptic fits continue very frequent & severe At times has paroxysms of the most violent fury tearing & tearing his clothes for a few minutes during which he strikes at every thing near him Bowels require to be kept open by means of medicine Takes his food well Cont ommn

May 26 Little change of any consequence since last report Very excitable occasionally Has a blackened appearance from picking flesh in the neighbourhood of the fits tolerable Cont

June 26 Little change of any kind since last report Cont ommn

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July (cont.) the police officer stated (when asked if he had any conversation with him) that he had mentioned to him that he had obtained a gift from God of three estates called Rutherglen Castle - Dunchie and Lindsay Castle - Appealed to the Medical officer if there was anything wrong in that - said that there was no doubt of it, and that they had sent him here to be out of the way - that he would leave his case entirely in the hands of the Medical gentlemen who he had no doubt would soon see that he was "clear headed" and he hoped would deal justly with him - General condition of body healthy - Appetite good - Bowels inclined to be constipated - Sleeps well at night - Cannot exercise any undue mental or bodily exertion - Has been committed to Lunatic Asylum by order of Sheriff. Cont: Ales.

" 24 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Delusions mentioned in previous report remain unchanged. Every morning is to be permitted to leave ward. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia

" 31 Composed in demeanour. Has a very roguish look. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Mental in the same weak state. Cont: omnia

Augt 14 No change in mental state. Bodily health good. Walks in the grounds steadily. Cleanly in his habits. Composed in conversation. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia

" 21 No rather improved since last report. Answers questions upon the whole rationally. Delusions become fainter. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Walks in the grounds daily. Cont: omnia

Oct. 2 Walks occasionally in the grounds but is liable to take sulky & lazy fits. Last night some small boils & chaps left arm which he fancied considerable time made an excuse why he could not work. Is very shy & abstracted. Takes his food well. Bodily health pretty good. Cont

Nov. 7 Continues occasionally somewhat excited as of late. Delusion mentioned in the commencement of the case have become prominent. Says that he got a gift of the estate of "Lanchie" from God almighty. Says he has plenty of witnesses that he really got the gift - moreover must marry some body before why not

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again Would Rowan be content for a time to be Mr Ramsay's coachman or would even he content to stay here should Dr Hutchison take him as a groom or coachman If not he must have his liberty He was a little aloof with & sulk when he broke the windows but there is nothing wrong with him now He shows a great deal the same effect as his constant Rowe Works pretty well but grumbles much at his not getting his liberty Healthy & good Has a countenance somewhat more atone of evil passions Bowels regular Takes his food well Cont amma

Apr 14 Glad Rowan pattern erected since last report & affirmed that he got a grant of his estate from God Continued however to make pretty allegory in the grounds into & today when he managed to make his escape

20 Brought back today says he was anxious to see his friends

21 28 Continued very troublesome & shifty for a week or ten days after his return in consequence of which had a strait jacket to the arrangement & was well guarded & has been much more quiet & peaceable since Works pretty industriously at present as he cannot well be trusted in the grounds Healthy & good Takes his food well Cont amma

29 Has a gown become in tatters & says will not work but reading often aloud says he would like to get working in the grounds but this is evidently with the intention of escaping by the shrubbery that retains the delusion of long hair & tells them & getting to him by good & is miserable Healthy & bowels regulated Cont amma

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2 Obstinately refuses to work lets the greater part of the day pass reading aloud from the Bible or some religious book Wishes to know if he is to be detained here much longer as there is nothing the matter with him Encourage his delusions Health very good Takes his food well Cont amma

On admission he was free from excitement — Scalp of moderate temperature — Eye dull and heavy pupils dilated — Tongue white but moist — pulse 76 moderate strength — Cannot speak a connected sentence — On examination and foot were found to be very much swollen, and sloughing extending from the Metatarsal bones to the middle third of the leg — To be dressed with the following lotion Ry Sulphat: Zinci gr xxx Aqua fontan 3viij. Ft. lotio frequently utend. Ordinary diet and beguinin. To be placed in bed.

July 17 No change in mental state — Bodily health pretty good — Filthy in his habits — appetite voracious — Bowels inclined to be torpid — leg and foot improve — Ry pil: colocynth. Comp: ij. statim if none comm: omni nocte.

" 20 Bowels require aperient Medicine occasionally. No change in mental state, leg and foot look rather better. Filthy in his habits and careless of his personal appearance. Cannot speak a connected sentence. Con: comm:

" 31 No change since last report. Bodily health pretty good. Comm:

Aug. 12 Mind weak confused and erratic Bowels kept regular by aperient Medicine. Leg and foot go on well. Takes no interest in anything going on around him. Comm:

" 31 On all respects the same as when last reported. Con: comm:

Sept 9 Filthy to a most extreme degree — Face has a coarse appearance in Pitcelottes or in fact so that it is next to impossible to keep him clean. Almost unreasonably answers to any questions. "Name William Pinkerton Age 28 am Wm Pinkerton I live a purse I pass means at Barkhead age 28" Legs ulcerated from his dirty habits. Extreme shyness in getting him attempting to wash. Cont: am

Nov 7 Legs progress well. Slight improvement in his habits being rather less filthy but requires to be carefully watched. Mind very weak. Tongue very foul & flabby & large. Bowels regulated. Takes his food well. R Tinct Ferri mur: Tr. Infusum gentianæ Compositum Tr. quassiæ ana ℥ss Liquor Potassæ ℥xxxss Cond: alb:

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July 18 No change bodily or mental since last report Retains the mes room all day Taking no notice of any one except when spoken to & then says Wm Wm Frankerton yes Wm Wm Frankerton &c Passes his urine & faeces in his trousers as in bed Watches his pock marked Legs swollen & irritable by the pott with which they are almost constantly tormented notwithstanding all care & attention

21 This afternoon about four o'clock an hour after dinning was observed by the attendant falling off his seat & caught hold of it & on the floor on the arrival of the medical officer patient was found lying on his back as he had been placed quite insensible breathing stertorous Eyelids shut pupils of natural size & just immoveable Limbs quite flexible Face pale Pulse not perceptible Temperature moderate His head was immediately shaven & mustard & blood subsequently & afterwards a blister to the back a purgative enema with castor oil & laudanum was administered He continued in the same state till 5 o'clock p.m. when he had a severe convulsion fit after which there was a gradual sinking & insensible

21 At one a.m. he had a similar convulsive fit & continued sinking & at 4½ a.m.

Died

Autopsy

Aug 24 Head Cranium thickened & much gorged with blood & serum On cutting into the brain the vessels appeared unusually large & gorged with blood Brain & all parts but no sanguineal effusion Fluid in the ventricles & those of brain & in spinal canal Anterior part of the Larynx very firm Accumulus in the Pituitary Commissure mollis firm Thorax Lungs emphysematous anteriorly gorged with dark fluid blood elsewhere Heart large flaccid Fatty degeneration of both ventricles Abdomen Liver pale much dark from engorgement Spleen & tube healthy Kidneys dark signs of old inflammation & purple Stomach healthy Intestines ditto

James Ritchie Adm. 22. from Vol. V. p. 170

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July 26 do new quiet and in the evening given to-
day is mental state - Bowels regular
appetite good - Con: continues
August 29 Continued well up to this evening when
he had a severe Epileptic fit - Bowels
reported to be regular - Scalp rather
hot - Intermittent of natural temperature
appetite good.

Sept 9 For the last month has not had any
fit that has otherwise Worked steadily
& industriously at the
mending of the vessels &c Takes his
food well Bowels regular

Oct 20 Continues to work industriously & quietly
at making & mending the vessels Has
had no fits since last report - Pulse too
alternate every second night for some
time a farthing right hair. Complains
of Heartburn & pyrosis after Dinner
Rx Pres. nitrate Bismuthi 3ss Pulveris
rhei Compositi Carbonatis sodae
ā ā 3ss Misce bene in chartulas xii
Limat. utendum post prandium quotidie

Nov 10 The only indication of his having a fit
was that one morning about a fortnight
he found that during the night he
had lacerated his tongue. For this
had an alum gargle. Pulse now quite
well Has been upwards of
two months free from excitement work-
ing pretty industriously at times work
& tongue sometimes he gets a little ob-
contented & wishes home. Has a
dull heavy expression of countenance.
Takes alterative pills occasionally. Do
not so much troubled with gastralgia
& pyrosis Takes his food well
Sleeps well Bowels regular Tongue
generally larger & rather white
Cleanly in his personal appearance &
careful of his clothes Cont. ammon

18 Two days after last report had a
succession of epileptic fits
which were of course followed
by much excitement Has been
kept in seclusion since But is
getting quiet again & will prob-
ably be up today Readily has the
alterative pretty good Takes
his food well Cont ammon

Dec 18 Has been at work since last
report quietly & industriously
Yesterday complained of his
head & his bowels being out
of order Pulse was ordered
to have two grs. hydr. & cro
ton oil pills every second day
Feel better today his bowels
being opened Cont ammon

Admitted 28th January 1844

Jan 29 Has had no epileptic fit since last report. Was a little strange last week but has disappeared and has formed a general improvement. Takes alterative pills. Works quietly & industriously in the smith's shop. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont. ommr.

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Feb 2 726 Had an epileptic fit two days ago & is at present in seclusion. Otherwise as reported above. Is at present getting farther & croton oil pills. Cont. ommr.

Feb 25 Continues only a few days in seclusion after since given up his usual quiet state between the paroxysms. Works quietly & industriously in the smith's shop. General health tolerably good. Medicine. Cont. ommr.

March 26 Has been quite free from excitement & fits since last report. Working industriously at the smith's. Disposition seems a little cross for the last day or two perhaps preceding a paroxysm. Seems as common as at last report. R. Rx. alterative x 11 gum at alternate mane nocte.

April 26 Had a paroxysm two days after last report but require seclusion only for two or three days. Is again at work quietly & steadily. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont. ommr.

May 26 Has continued free from fits since last report. Working quietly and steadily in the smith's shop. Appetite, sleep & bowels pretty well. Cont. ommr.

June 18 Had one or more epileptic fits last night. Tongue rather severely lacerated. Fits in the usual uttering shrill prolonged sounds. To be kept in seclusion. Habeat Rx. Tartrat. C. al. Cont. quas ommi nocte ad quartam parem.

26 Is now quiet & out of seclusion but is still a little stupid & not quite fit for work but probably will resume his employment in a few days. Takes his food well. Tongue nearly healed. Bowels regular. Countenance has a dull stupid expression. Cont. ommr.

David Anderson Aetat

This patient who is a Window Cleaner has been drinking very hard for sometime previous to his admission this morning his clothes and Body were completely covered with mud. Has a slight tremulous agitation of both hands - Tongue coated with fur expectoration - Conjunctiva of Rt eye injured - Scalp rather above ordinary temperature - General condition of Body healthy - Tongue slightly brown pupils dilated - pulse 88 small but regular - Refuses to answer any questions put to him by the Medical Officer - Ol. Capillitium - Ry Potas Chlorat 3ij. Aq ad 3vi Ry Tinct Cinchonae Comp 3ij Acid Muriat dilut 3ij Tinct Cardamomi Comp 3ij ft Mistura 3ij ter quotidie - let him have 1 pt of porter
July 24 pulse 88 moderate - pupils contracted rather - Tongue cleaner - Filthy in his habits - passes his ablutions in bed - Appears very much confused - Does not speak to any one - Scalp and Body of natural temperature - Tremor of hands continues - Bowels have been moved by the medicine - Appetite good - Cont: omnia
" 25 pulse 84 moderate - pupils dilated - Tongue coated with - thin grey fur - Facies and manner - Mind evidently weak - Today ordered food - to very drowsy - Ry Sulphat: Magnes: 3iij Tinct Sennae Comp 3ij ft Haust statim sumend. C. Alb.
" 27 pulse 78 small - pupils very much dilated - Tongue white - Cannot be got to employ himself - His appetite is indifferent - Rarely speaks to any one - Appears no interest in anything going on around him - Bowels regular - Very dull and depressed - Ry Potas Chlorat 3ij Tinct Cinchonae Comp 3ij Acid Muriat dilut 3ij Tinct Cardamomi Comp 3ij ft Mistura 3ij ter die sumenda
Augt 31 Widely health better. Filthy in his habits. Requires close attention. Never will with great difficulty be persuaded to take food. Never speaks or takes notice of any one. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia.
Sept 9 Very great improvement has taken place in the condition of this patient. Now works regularly & here industriously at cleaning windows Answers questions in an ordinary rational manner but mind is still weak Appetite most voracious Bodily health much improved
Nov 9 Continues nearly in the same state as at last report Works industriously in the grounds at cleaning windows When not at work is sometimes seen walking with large

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Andrew Henry Read for a long time continuously raised the pitch in Measuring & framed answers ordinary questions relevantly & he says not marked delusion but mind is weak & put the many questions & he is continually begging for tobacco & change he gets in small amounts. Is rather unsteady in bodily condition & large bowels & pallor. Can Countenance although improved still wears a rather stupid expression. Bodily health pretty good. Sleeps & bowels natural

Jan 18 Last week got into a pocket of turning round on his heel & standing with his head downwards & his feet turned up against the wall. Pupils were unduly dilated & dilated & a clergyman & packet & cravat all pulled. Two days after & unaltered the practice pupils still dilated & sluggish by dilated. Marks now pretty regularly in the grounds. Eats & sleeps well. Bodily health good. Cont amend

Feb 18 Rather less boisterous in his antics but still [illegible] may to sudden impulses jerking or moving his head suddenly & suddenly marking a few paces to a certain spot & then returning. Cont marking in the fields for the last few days. Pupils still somewhat dilated. Bodily health excellent. Bowels kept easy by medicine. Takes his food well. Cont amend

29 Little change since last report liable to sudden boisterous gestures & gesticulations as noted above but is civil enough & nothing to mark. Takes his food well. Health & food. Cont amend

Mch 4 C
to 12 C No change. Enjoyed himself well at the annual entertainment sang several songs in a master[illegible] manner having a very powerful voice. Given to sudden emotional starting & gesture. Is in excellent bodily health. Takes his food well. Cont amend

Jne 23 Sometimes marches pretty steadily at others gets quite excited jumping roaring & using all sorts of strange gestures. Bodily health excellent. Habits strong. Cont amend

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On admission said that he had gone out with a few friends to have some Whiskey - Tried all the doors in the Gallery to endeavour to get out - Said that he was very thirsty and requested earnestly to have something to drink - that he would give ten pounds for a glass of Whiskey - Very restless and confused Scalp hot - Eye remarkably vivid and intelligent - Conjunctivae of right eye congested - Skin all over upper part of body arms and hands damp and sweaty - Hands and Arms tremulous General condition of Body healthy - pulse 94 small and compressible - pupils dilated - Tongue covered with a thin grey fur - Ry Chlorodyne Mxl iij Mist Camph Comm ad 3iij Was ordered 3iij of Whiskey by the Physicians - Ry to be given every four hours.

July 28 pulse 96 small - pupils dilated - Tongue brown - Body of natural temperature - Hands and Arms continue tremulous - Bowels have been but gently moved - Manner hurried - Sanity more cool - Answers questions with considerable hesitation and in a confused manner Stated to the Medical Resident that it was in consequence of his Wife running away with a showman that he took to drinking Whiskey - that she is also too fond of Spirits - that he was very steady until she left him - that he would never drink again - let him a pint of porter at bedtime - Ry Chl. Hydr gr. Xxx Mist Camph Comm. Co. Alex.

" 29th pulse 84 regular - pupils dilated - Tongue clean - Has much more collected this morning - Says that he is very grateful for the attention which has been paid to him - that he did not know what he was doing when he came in - Delusions as to his Wife is as vivid as ever - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Memory has entirely subsided - Ry Tinct Cinchonae Co 3ss Aq Menth pip 3iij Syrup Simplex 3ij Tinct Calumbae 3ij Mist Camph ad 3iij Mist Camph Comm ad 3iij Tinct Calumbae 3ij Mist Camphorae ad 3iij Mist Camphorae ad 3iij Mist Camphorae ad 3i

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Aug. (cont.) His Wife has been desired to come out and see him on an early day which it is hoped will have the effect of convincing him that his delusion regarding her is decidedly wrong - Sleeps well at night - Requests Clean Shirt Commences

20 Was seen by his Wife a few days ago when he abused her for being unfaithful to him, - asked her how several of his friends were, and indeed conversed rationally on every subject except that regarding his Wife. - Bowels regular - Appetite good - Has been employed in the Grounds for the last eight days. Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance. Commences

26 Bodily health good. Improves daily in his mental state. Answers questions rationally. Says that he does not see it was all fancy about his Wife - that she was always very kind to him - that she worked very hard to support him when he was unable to do so himself. Works regularly in the grounds. Cheerful and good humoured. Appetite good; Bowels regular.

Sept 1 Bodily health excellent. Answers questions rationally. Betrays no delusions. Works diligently in the grounds. Appetite good. Bowels regular. May now be looked upon as Convalescent.

10 Being in good bodily health and free from all delusions she is today discharged

Cured

Alexander Watson Station 18. from p.

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July 20 Foot has completely healed up. Bodily health good. At present quiet and well behaved. Delusions & answers questions relevantly and coherently. Has been employed daily in the Tailors Shop for the last week. Bowels regular. Cont: omnia.

" 31 As all Reports the same as when last reported. C omnia

Augt 15 Bodily health good. No change has taken place since last report. Bowels regular. Con: omnia

" 31 Has been very restless for the last ten days. Talks in a very confused manner. Abuses the Attendants when they speak to him. Is careless of everything. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. C omnia

Sept 10 Walks pretty regularly in the Tailors Shop but is restless quarrelsome tricky cunning & mischievous Tells lies with the most amazing effrontery to one Hundred & fifteen of which has been promised him by another Query & discontented, on the whole a most troublesome patient Foot sometimes quite well & bodily health is very good Cont omnia

16th Two days ago his crutch slipping he hurt the heel of his same foot Was unable to leave his bed yesterday & had a pulse of 84 regular pulse is increased to a 100 by severe rigor in the evening Today is hot feverish & thirsty Tongue dry Pulse 108 quick Foot is somewhat swollen & is red & very painful An erythematous blush as far up as middle of leg There are also two or three isolated spots to considerably further up Ordered to continue Potash & Sulphates Magnesiae 3ij Solutionis Sesquichloride Antimonii 3ij Aquae Acetatis Ammoniae Aquae Purae aa 3vi Mucilaginis Amylum 3ij & Vinegar to the Parts

21 Erythema spread as far to reach a few as the knee but is now almost entirely gone Foot is still somewhat tender but he is able to leave his bed today

30 A large quantity of the contents of a pneumatic from the foot which is now quite well & he has been at work in the Tailors Shop for the last nine days Tongue tricky mischievous & quarrelsome Believes all they say to him but keeps till when & why they promise him For a long time endured earnestly after & strong to work the Bed Mean promised & which he undoubtedly would make him walk quite well

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Nov 9 Is constantly falling out with his shopmates & was for the last week discharged the Shop. Is a most troublesome patient - full of all sorts of pranks & amusement in the an old "Times" newspaper of a boy wanted to a tailor's shop in London to which a premium was required & was for some time very anxious to get the situation. His shopmates make him believe all sorts of nonsense. Foot continues well. Is at present in the tailors Shop. Usually health tolerable. Pupils somewhat dilated eye unsteady. Bowels regular. Rather dreamy in his manner & appearance but for some time past Cont amend

Dec 7 No change since last report. Troublesome & quarrelsome. Believes all nonsense that may be told him. Usual health tolerable. Pupils dilated. R Infusi lanum alterantium ℥ii semel omni secundo sequque nocte. Cont ales

29 No change in any respect. Disputes us troublesome as ever. Mental mark & forceful. Believes all the nonsense that is told him. Usually health tolerably good although he is pale & his face is often troublesome being liable to be irritated by small causes. Bowels regular. Cont ommn

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22 There seems some improvement in mental capacity & behaviour of this patient. Works pretty constantly in the tailors shop. Foot is troublesome occasionally & gets ulcerated. Takes his food well. Health good. Cont ommn

Feb 25 Continues to work in the tailors shop. Is very ill pleased because he is not allowed to have a pet turkey. Very credulous. Takes his food well. General health good. Foot occasionally troublesome. Cont ommn

Mar 26 Mental mark improved. Conceits himself much better though still somewhat mischievous. Health good. Cont ommn

Apr 26 Mental state mark. Just continues to conduct himself very well. Working diligently in the tailors shop. Slight swelling of ankle & foot

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John Wilkinson Attacks

The patient was brought to the asylum this afternoon from Gladgow - Spoke with very great rapidity and perfectly incoherently - Imagines he sees all sorts of objects - as Witches - Monkeys and hares &c - Has a paralytic affection of right leg - A cold clammy perspiration about over the upper part of body - Extremities of ordinary temperature - Considerable tremor of body and arms - Wrenches & the Medical Officer to give him some Brandy and said he would pay him for it - Head very hot - Eye has bright an quick, active expression - Pupils natural - Conjunctiva blanched - Pulse 92 small and soft - Tongue white and furred - Countenance pale - General condition of Body healthy This is a case of Delirium Tremens in the first stage - Ry Aberdeen Capillitium Ry Pil. Aperitiv ij. Nox comm: cumend: Let him have a pint of porter

July 26 Pulse 94 small and feeble - Pupils contracted - Tongue dry and white - Tremor continues - Very incoherent in conversation Spent a restless night - Refuses to take food - Body covered with perspiration Bowels have not yet been moved - Ry Pulph: Magnes: Bij Tinct: Senna Comp Ry Pil: Aloes gr: iij Nocte cum Phimum cumend: To have half a pint of porter to night and another tomorrow morning. Com: Alo:

" 27 Bowels have been moved by the medicine Appetite better today - Raves incoherently of Witches Monkeys &c - Tremor still continues Scalp of moderate temperature - Eye dull and heavy - Slept indifferently last night - Tongue clean - Clean in his habits - Body of natural temperature - Cet: omnia

" 28 Somewhat more rational to day - Says he could not sleep - that he was riding in a Carriage and gone and dancing alternately all night - Bowels said to be slow - Appetite much better - Tremor has almost gone - Tongue white - pupils contracted - Pulse 94 Regular - Ry Pulv: Jal Comp: Bij Statim sumend: Ry Tinct: Cinchon: Jvij: Acid: Muriatic: dilut: Ziiss: Calcis mixtur: Bonge: Bij 4ta Mistura Sumantur Bij bis quotidie - Half a pint of porter to be given him at bedtime -

" 30 Tremor entirely gone - Bowels were fully moved - Appetite improves - Confused in conversation - Told the Medical Officer that he had been very much troubled with Rheumatism - that he had an attack of hemiplegia in London when he was staying there about three years ago and that he had the first doctor in the

Admitted 25th July 1845

July (28) King down attending him - Complains very much of his right thigh and leg which he thinks he fell upon a few days ago - Ry Olei Rubinth: Bip. aqua. ammoniæ Ry pediluvium Aug. 2 Knows up and in the Ward - his leg and thigh are much relieved - Bowels inclined to be slow - Appetite pretty good - Answers questions relevantly - Body of natural temperature - Sleeps indifferently Ry Pil Alterativa Ry Sumat ij omni nocte horas somni. Cont: Abia.

12 Bodily health good — Walks in a rational manner — Says he is thankful he was sent to the Asylums - Bowels regular - Appetite good & Cont: omnia.

24 So now, in all respects well - Walks in the grounds daily and seems to enjoy remarkably good spirits - Assists the attendants and indeed makes himself generally useful. May now be considered Convalescent

Sept: 01 Bodily health good. So cheerful and contented. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cont: omnia

Oct 7 Continues quite convalescent & assists the keepers in looking after the other patients. Walks with a stoop in consequence of the lameness left by the former fever & otherwise in good health. Cont: omnia

11 Being in good bodily health & free from all delusion he is to day discharged

Cured

David Hepburn States

The patient when brought to the Asylum this afternoon was free from excitement but had been very maniacal for two days previous to Admission - He states that he had an "attack of the nerves" - that a circumstance happened one night lately when he was walking out in the neighbourhood of Strathbungo which made him very nervous - He had been in the habit of walking out in the afternoons when there was work to do in the printing office - A few nights ago he was walking slowly out in the direction of Strathbungo when he came to the Cross road which is rather a dull place and few houses near it he saw two men who looked rather suspicious but he walked on without taking any notice of them He had not gone far forward before a woman came up to him with two children a boy and a girl and asked him where he was going so late at night. He said what was his business and walked on. She followed him however and asked him to wait: At first then he saw three men a short distance off. He became very nervous because he thought they intended to do him injury - He pulled out a pair of Pliers to go from his pocket which the woman asked him for: that she then looked in the direction of the four men as if to beckon them to come up. He pulled his penknife out of his pocket and said if she came near him he would stick it through her. That he then left her and walked back in the direction of the town. He saw a small bit of paper lying on the road evidently for him on which was written "What are you doing here". He knew the signature but could not tell whose it was. At that time he saw the Police coming up towards him, and he heard the report of a pistol which he had no doubt was intended for him He ran for some considerable distance and got into a Cottage to see if he could get a drink but it was refused him - He went into the New barracks and reported to the Sergeant major what he had seen, and that he suspected they were the parties concerned in a murder which had been committed in Glasgow a day or two ago - he does not know the particulars further than that a man was thrown over a window and killed - he was conveyed from the

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Remarks to the police office where he has been until now - He says he was very ill used in the police office by "the devils" and showed the Medical officer several marks on his arms which he said were done in the police office - They promised to let him go home but this is the home they have sent him to - He said that he had been in the old Asylum under Dr Balmanno, and that he was at one time in the Aberdeen Asylum under Dr Paterson and Dr Macrobert. He was at the time in the employment of Mr Chalmers one of the Bailies and printer of the Aberdeen Advertiser. His wife was in ill health also and in consequence he left Aberdeen and came back to Glasgow, where he has resided ever since. While he was telling the story to the Medical officer he appeared very much frightened, looking round the room every now and then to see if there was any one listening, and whispering into his ear - General condition of Body healthy Answers questions with considerable hesitation - Has a peculiar curl of the upper lip denoting excitability - Countenance expressive of anxiety - Scalp of moderate temperature pupils contracted - Tongue white - pulse 92 intermittent - Body of a natural temperature By Dr Colquhoun Comp[y] Have communicated Ordinary Diet. Has is a case of recurrent Mania.

30 pulse 96 small - pupils contracted - Tongue cleaner - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - Says he did not sleep well last night although better than he had done for many nights previous - that he has not had passage in his bowels for three days - that he has taken so much medicine he knows the different effects produced by each - in fact that he is half a Doctor - that he cannot do without snuff and requested to have some which was agreed to - Appetite indifferent - Bowels have not yet been moved - By Dr Jackson Comp: Dr Cook Dr da Silva Jr Med. Assm Surg: Com: Asia.

31 pulse 94 regular - pupils contracted - Tongue brown - Appetite pretty good - He has not passed such a good night for sometime - His Bowels were moved yesterday. More composed today upon the whole - Scalp and Body of natural temperature - Countenance less anxious. By Dr Aberyth of Colonsay - Ro commended.

1st Aug. No change in mental state - Delusions mentioned in previous reports remain undamped looks excitable - Conducts himself unobtrusively interfering with the other patients - Appetite good.

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August (Contd) Bowels torpid. - Sleeps well at night - ℞ pil: alterativ xij diurnal dose commenced. h.s. done duties ordinary. Con: omnia.

" 18 Has been very restless during the last few days - No change in mental state - Cannot be made to employ himself in any way - Annoys his fellow patients by every means in his power - Still imagines that follow him wherever he goes for the purpose of annoying him - pulse 78 embolic - prepuce dilatable - Tongue pretty clean - Bowels kept open regularly by medicine ℞ Camphor: - Magnes: Carb: ā 3ss ℞ Spirit: Vini Rectif: ℥ij Aq: Menth: pip: ℥vij. ft. haust. Sudorates was quite unaware how. Mitte ℞.

" 20 Is considerably better since last report - No change in mental state - Delusions mentioned in previous reports remain unchanged - Bowels at present regular - Appetite good. Cont: omnia.

" 21 General condition of Body healthy - Has been very unsettled the last few days - Bowels constipated - Mind in all respects the same - ℞ Ol: Ricini: gutt: j: Sacchar: alb: ℈ ß. Omni mane in Comp: ℞ ft. haust. Dietim renovand.

Sept: 8 No change in mental state. Sedulous his clothes and he is filthy in his habits Bowels pretty regular. Quarrels with his fellow patients, and sometimes strikes them. Cat: omnia.

" 20 Continues very unsettled. Cannot be left alone for five minutes without perpetrating some species of mischief Answers questions in a very confused manner. Bowels kept regular by occasional doses of Medicine. Appetite voracious.

Octr 10 Has been almost constantly in the refractory for the last seven weeks constantly throwing the stream he lies upon even when saturated with urine & faeces Had two large carbuncles any fractures affected to the were immediately emollients Has been getting Collapsed for the last months & sent out with a keeper occasionally on good days to bring up her general health which has has improved of late The first months of his confinement lost three or four stones weight Carbuncles are now all but well Is occasionally tried in the airing court but is so meddlesome

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a destructive that he has always to be remitted to seclusion unless when a keeper can be spared to attend him. Bowels regular. Tongue clean. Has been taking the following for the last four weeks R Infusi cinchonae Jxiij Tinturae Cardamomi Comp. aa Zij Acidi Muriatici dilut. Zij Mucil. Gummi Arab. Jxij ter die. Continuentur omnia

Nov 24 No change in the mental condition of this patient. He restless destructive & meddlesome as ever. Chews his straw as usual. Tears to rags every blanket he can get a hold of & has destroyed two when not superintended by a keeper. Pencil & scraps any thing. The right Carbuncles are now quite well. Bodily health tolerable but he is thin compared with what he was formerly. Cont. omnia

Dec 1 Still restless destructive & meddlesome. Gathers all sorts of trash he can get hold of. Chews his straw & part of the stem of the bowl of a tobacco pipe. Is much reduced in flesh. Pales. skinny. Pupils much contracted. Appetite voracious. Has been in the airing ground for the last few days. Tongue pink tipped. R Pil. ol. tiglii gtt. ij Ammoniuret. Potassae gr. x Infusi gentianae Zj. ter die. Tinct. Cardam. Comp. Zij Carbonatis Calcis Zij Mucil. Gummi Zij ter indies

Dec 10 Is rather more rational & less destructive & meddlesome. Appetite still voracious & he is thin & haggard although he gets full diet & collapses extra. Yesterday was ordered to have an addition daily of half a pound of bread extra. Has been tried with blankets for five nights & has not torn them although he pulls the straw out of the seam. Still gathers all sorts of old rags & trash he can find. Slight improvement in the state of the pupils yet they are still much contracted. Sometimes to pick a bone is occasionally tried out at work in the fields. Complains of being struck by the keepers but says he has no fault at the time. Tongue pink tipped. There is a slight puse direction in one of the eyes & he has a peculiarly sleepy unsettled expression about them. Sleeps better at night. Cont. omnia

Dec 24 No punish. or change in any way. Gets no better or worse. Gets fresh air & exercise with collapse & bread addition & troubled with Carbuncles. Feet oedematous. Pupils less contracted. Destructive & destructive

Had some more bread at 3 p.m.

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Augt 31 Bodily health very good. Mind in the same weak imbecile state. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Answers questions put to him occasionally. Takes little or no interest in anything going on around him. Employ if possible.

Sept 30 Mind in the same weak & imbecile state. Walks occasionally in the ground but is of very little use being sluggish & prone to stand still unless walked to every minute. Dirt carelessness & filthy. Takes little notice of anything around him. Bodily health tolerable. Cont amma

Nov 30 Not much change in the mental condition of this but the little that is is to the credit of improvement. Walks pretty constantly in the grounds & although not very useful yet there seems some pleasure improvement. Filthy & slovenly & slow & of sitting or lying on the ground scarcely answers when spoken to & pays little or no attention to what is going on around. Bodily health tolerable. Appetite greedy & filthy. Sleeps & bowels natural. Gloss a stupid look. Cont amma

Dec 29 Little if any change since last report. Walks occasionally in the grounds when the state of the weather permits & in all respects as at last report. Cont amma

29 No change. Mind & employment unchanged. Employs & speaks a good deal but does very little. Never speaks & can scarcely return a coherent answer to the simplest question. Careless of his clothes & personal appearance. Takes his food & bodily exercise & bowels regular. Cont amma

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Jan 26 No appreciable change in any respect since last report. Skin & pulse natural. Walks a little. Takes his food well & filthy & careless of his clothes. Has an imbecile expression of countenance. Cont amma

Feb 25 Slovenly, lazy & taciturn. Seldom speaks. Fond of lying in a corner with his knees pushed into the top of his trousers for warmth. Takes his food well. Not to be thus. Cont amma

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Dec 26 No mental improvement - Yallowed would lie all day in bed or sit constantly half rolled up together on the floor Scarcely speaks Quiet & peaceable Takes his food well Cleanly & tidy Cont omm

" 26 No change except that he has of late been employed in the grounds & works tolerably well when overlooked & remembers very lazy Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont omm

" 26 Little change in any respect since last report Takes his food well but is flimish Cont omm

" 26 Works occasionally in the grounds but would if allowed & encouraged by such his hands in his pockets seldom speaks & when only answers in monosyllables Health tolerably good Idle & dirty in his habits Cont omm

Jany 27 No change of any importance Works in the grounds occasionally Seldom speaks Takes his food well Bowels reported regular Cont

" 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Seldom works very Cont omm

" 27 Little if any change in any respect Grows gloomy & dull a little work but ought to be constantly superintended Takes his food pretty well Cont

" 26 Continues much in the same state as at last report Bowels & health tolerably good Cont omm

Feb 24 No improvement Takes his food but seems to care little about any thing else Seldom moves from any impulse of his own Bowels easy Cont omm

Dec 31 Permanent room in the Asylum ordered to be removed Deo musted at

Returned

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Augt 31	High tch, habits and state of mind the same as when last reported &c.
Sept 10	Mind continues in the same weak state Delusions as to his loss of property & the roguery of his associates in business continue as usual as before—says he has been here seven years that he is now purely capable of looking after his own affairs & is therefore very anxious to be discharged Walks occasionally & occasionally takes his fits. It is one of the latter just now Cleans & neat in his personal appearance Bodily health good Cont &mmo
Nov 10	No change in the state of his present Delusions continue still very anxious to get away & would escape if he had an opportunity Amuses in the galleries & quiet & well behaved Answers ordinary question on the whole pretty well but rather hesitatingly Has a slight imbecile look Cleans tidy & orderly functions natural & health good Cont &mmo
Dec 26	Managed to make his escape yesterday but was brought back during the night No change in mental & bodily state Cont &mmo
1846 Jany 26	Very anxious to get home Would escape again if he could by any possible means Employed & exerting in the gallery Mind weak Delusions settled & none continued Takes his food well Health & good Cont &mmo
Feby 24	No change Amuses in the gallery but very hurried & any where else does he would make his escape if he found an opportunity Takes his food well Cleanly & careful of his personal appearance Cont &mmo
March 26	No appreciable change Still as anxious as ever to get away Says he is an old west man that there is nothing wrong with his mind & he ought not to be kept here Amuses in the gallery Conducts himself quietly Enjoys tolerable health Is cleanly Cont &mmo
April 26	No change of any consequence Still as anxious as ever to get discharged Amuses in the gallery & conducts himself quietly Health good Cont &mmo

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May 26 Continues in all respects the same as above reported very anxious to get away & think himself very ill used that he is not set at liberty Takes his food well Works in Regallery Cont omn

" 26 No change still as anxious as ever to get home assevarating that he is quite well in his mind & has always been so Assists in the Gallery Enjoys ordinary health Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont Omn

" 27 Continues as anxious as ever to get away & often enquires when the Barony Blankets are coming Takes his food well Bowels regular Cleanly & quiet Cont omn

June 27 No change of any importance since last report Takes his food well Cont as

" 27 For several days his legs have been covered by red blotches size from a shilling to a crown piece The skin in these spots (which are nearly circular) is not raised or so little as scarcely to be felt The color is rather dark but not equal the blotches which chiefly affect left limb near as far as middle of thigh Tube is somewhat enfeebled pulse not appreciable of the affected limbs which are pampered slight thirst Bowels rather slow Tongue white Rx Ol Ricini ℥ss Liquor Ammoniæ ℥ss Liquor Potassæ Nitratis ℥ss Infusi Gentianæ ad ℥viij

" 30 Limbs pampered especially left which is much swollen & has a general reddish blush besides the blotches Continues

July 2 Rather improving left leg being much less tired & right one about well Takes his food well but has lost flesh & is weak Pulse 80 soft Blisters Cerevisiæ Londonensis ℥j mane ℥j hora decima Cont

" 4 Blotches gone but there is still a slight flabbyness & tendency to oedema in left leg from weakness Cont

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Augt 01 do rather improved as regards his Mental state since last report. Bodily health excellent. Takes much exercise upon the whole. Works in the grounds daily. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Con: omitted.

Sept 10 Much improved. Works pretty constantly in the grounds but is an incessant talker. Fond of talking of love affairs singing love songs & writing love letters. Thinks he is now going to be married & must be discharged. Should like it if it were not for his incessant prattle which often leads him into disputes. Talks & acts & walks & talks pretty cleanly. Quiet on

18 another patient who had some delusions as to his fellow patients annoying him at night disappeared. Spoke to Crawford & struck him rather severely & especially over night before. He cannot be persuaded that one or more of them do not do so. No change in mental state since last report. Is not really of a quarrelsome disposition although talkative & plausible & more cunning than violent. Keeps his letters. Wrote last week wrote a letter to his brother. The following is an extract. "I will be much obliged to you if you know any respectable spouse to get him from me that must have his or her own young Lady for to make a universal row. Tell him that I have rather regretted that I have said to her that I have pledged my word she has got the first offer of me has not changed his mind since I seed his last. I was to write him before I marry Anny & tell him from me that I can get fine Wife one Week. Do I have fallen in with another young Lady of Both Money & Property. It is a likely person but I could get Money yet."

admitted June 6th 1845

Nov 17 Health good. Somewhat deaf. Confesses that he was very ill & mad when he came here — that his notion of marrying always comes on him when he is not right — that he had behaved ridiculously in church & promised to remain at home with his father & brother & keep that after his last outbreak he is ashamed to meet people & must avoid them — In these circumstances, considering that he is now in his usual state of mind, which has never been strong — that he has no delusions & is conscious of his having been ill — & after expressing on his friends & himself that any mismanagement on their part or irregularity on his will produce a fresh attack he is this day discharged

Cured

Lachlan Macintosh alias Wallace &c

The patient was brought from the police office, Glasgow this afternoon. On admission made the following statement to the Medical officer - That he had been in the police office for days - that he was taken there at the instance of a man of the name of Fleming who keeps the Albert Tavern at the foot of Saltmarket Street - that Fleming promised to give him anything he might want such as Ale or Tobacco, and that he might be paid for at his leisure - that on Friday last he went in and called for a pint of Ale and some cut Tobacco which was given him. He had no sooner finished it however when Fleming came and demanded payment - that he told Fleming that he had not a farthing, and reminded him of his promise - that Fleming would listen to nothing but behaved very rudely to him and said he would send for the police which he did. That he had interviews with several of his friends in the police office who all said that it was shameful to treat a gentleman in the way he had been treated and that they would have his license taken from him - that Mr McLaren of Hutcheson Street and his brother Mr McDonald Mr Mack, Miller and Mr Burt who keeps an Oyster shop in Candleriggs Street who are all particular friends of his visited him - that his wife told him he should be taken to the Lunatic Asylum, but he told her he had no fear as he would soon convince the Medical gentlemen that there was nothing wrong with him - that he was desirous to be at Home at one time and if he could but see him he would very soon arrange the matter - that his sister Mrs Shillito who is a Widow but makes her residence in Glasgow was in the Lunatic Asylum some time under Dr Cleay - that she is now in Dublin - that a Medical gentleman there has promised to cure her in three months - that he himself would strongly recommend her to accept of her business for that time and remain under his care - that he was in London when his brain went wrong in the mind - that it was Mr Mack who first informed him of it. He met him on the street and said "Lord God Wallace your head wrong in the mind and confined in the Lunatic Asylum" - that if he had been at home she would never have gone there - that it was a fellow of the name of Templeton a Carpenter in Stirling Street who caused him to be put there - that he is a Brother in law of his own - that he himself was a Magistrate - that he had been much Mr Alexander of the Theatre Royal Glasgow about two or three years ago - that

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performed in the London, Manchester and Birmingham Theatres at one time - said that his wife is a most beatiful singer - that she sung at one time in the London Theatres with some of the best singers - that he will write for her to come and sing here - that he is worth Millions of Money - that he means to take the City Hall in Glasgow, which will cost him one hundred pounds a night - that it will be splendidly fitted up with transparencies - that he will get four hundred Choristers expressly for the occasion in fact it will be the most splendid opera ever seen in this Country - that Madame Catalani and Madame Vestris who are engaged by Mr Anderson of the Queen at £100 a night he must have also, although he should have to pay £1000 a night, but it is for convenience as money is no object to him - that he has a Brother who is Dentist to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland - He had three other Brothers one who was a Colonel in the Army and was killed at the Battle of Jargon, another who was a Jeweller and died in New York and, a third who died in Falmouth - that his own name is Macintosh, but his theatrical name is Wallace - Refused to go to bed as he said he understood his Wife was very ill and that he was wanted at home - Said that he would like to have a pint of Ale and some cut Tobacco after supper - Scalp of moderate temperature - Eye wears a very peculiar expression - pupils dilated - Body of natural temperature but in a very dirty state - Face covered with perspiration - pulse 78 regular - Confused in conversation and talks with great rapidity - To have a Bath immediately

Ty pt. Colocynth. Comp.ty. Mora commencd. This is a case of incipient General paralysis.

6 pulse 80 full - pupils dilated - Tongue foul Bowels have not yet been moved - Told the Medical Officer that he felt very comfortable this morning - that he had slept pretty well - that to shew the clearness that his intellect was not impaired he would recite the whole of the play of Richard the Third without making one mistake - that in addition to the Choristers I've mentioned in last report he means to have from London King Lear, the Fool in his Robes and Macbeth Thousands Were Waiting for which he would charge Five Guineas a night - Recited a portion of Othello to the Medical Assistant - Very pretty cheerful - Appetite good - filthy in his habits - passing his defecations in bed. Continues

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August 7 pulse 84 moderate - Tongue cleaner and more moist - pupils dilated - Bowels have been moved - Requested to know the state of papers in order that he might appoint the Medical officer & Directors of the Bank of Ireland - said that he was the proprietor of the Bank - that hereafter there should be but three Directors and that each of them should have One thousand pounds a year - that he himself was worth £2,000,000, - Appetite good - Sleep all day long - Ignited of urine darkish - Ry Sulph: Magnes Ziij. Infus: Gent: Comp: Zij. Mist: Acacia: quam primum sumend:

9 No change in mental state - Filthy in his habits and destructive to his clothes - Was to the Physician & Superintendent gone over again and again, the details of the previous reports and now claims his capital to be £70,000,000 - Appetite good - Bowels slow - Ry Infus: Cinchon: ziij. Acid: Muriatic: dilut: Ziij Tinct: Cardamom: Comp: Zij Mist: Camph: Zvss

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Robert Campbell Aetat 28.

His patient has been insane for about eight months according to his Wifes statement. He is a Member of the denomination called "Old Baptists". His entrance in the habit of having prayer meetings frequently during the week, at which he was always present. At one of these meetings he imagined that the Minister paid greater attention to one of the Members of Congregation than he did to him, and that this person had matters against him. He complained to the Clergyman who took no notice of it. And from that time his Wife states his conduct became every day more and more strange. At one time he was dull and listless and perhaps would remain so for a whole day, at another remarkably cheerful so much so as to be noticed by every one who saw him - On admission he refused to answer any questions put to him - said that he could do him no good - that he had "Christ expiring on his back which no man could remove" - that he knew what "faith" was, that no one else knew but himself; that his Hat was "true faith" - that he gained the information by attending Prayer Meetings regularly - that he worked on a Machine belonging to Mr Cunn of Monkbarns - that he had not been working regularly of late because he did not think it would advance his spiritual interests - Scalp in the above ordinary temperature - Eye with a quick expression - Countenance expression of anxiety - Body of natural temperature - pulse 102 regular - Tongue foul - pupils dilated - Corpse in conversation - Gesture and manner - Bowels said to be constipated - R Pil. Colocynth. Comp. ij Station omnend. let his hands be closed.

August 8 pulse 98 moderate - pupils dilated - Tongue cleaner - Bowels have been freely moved by the Medicine given last night - General health good - Says that the Spirit of the Holy Ghost is diffused through his body and that in consequence he knows every man's heart thoroughly - Appetite pretty good - Slept indifferently last night - Habits cleanly - Cont. omnia

" 11 No change in mental state - Bodily health pretty good - Tongue white but moist - pupils dilated - pulse 76 Bowels not to-day very sullky and refuses to answer any questions - Complains of acidity - Bowels ordered to be slowly R Infus. Gentian: Comp. ℥xvj Bicarb. Sodæ ℈ij ft Mistura. Omni 8ª hora sumenda R Pil. Alœtic ℈ij Semel die sumendas

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Aug 1st has commenced Cont. Abs.

" 31 Bodily health good — Mind in much the same state as when last reported — Has commenced working with his relations — Bowels regular — Appetite good. Cont. comm.

Sept 10 Mind continues in the same unsatisfactory and miserable state. One day he is cheerful & good humoured. The next gloomy & sullen — says he can see into people's hearts — Although confined here can see what is going on at Farnhebank Has never been spirited for the "Covenanted Church" for the last two years. His case is not one that doctors can cure. Is exceedingly miserable however from day to day. Bodily health good — Bowels regular Cont. comm.

" 24 Has been upon the whole tolerably free from delusions since last report — except a few days after seeing his wife when he got very depressed & wondered why she had sent him here Has regained his spirits pretty well again & when talked to about his delusions replied I see yous a sneering laugh & say she has got over them "nonsense" alone Resents in the galleries & occasionally in the field Enjoys good bodily health Bowels regular sleeps well Cont. comm.

Oct 10 Continues to sleep pretty well although occasionally a little dull Works very industriously in the galleries & grounds Is very anxious to get some situation about the establishment that he may receive wages Says he has laid up "nineteen pounds in heaven" Eats & sleeps well Bowels regular Tongue white Countenance at all times wears a rather melancholy expression Cont. comm.

" 27 Has been very considerably better since last report & quiet industrious & well behaved Betrays no delusions & making himself generally useful Plays at cards occasionally Bodily health good Appetite & sleep good Bowels natural Cont. comm.

Dec 4 Has continued to conduct himself very well Quiet & industrious Being in good bodily health & free from delusions Recommended this day Discharged

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Cured

John Thomson Coates from page 49

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Augt 01 Health, habits and state of mind the same as when last reported. Continue

Oct 10 His habit of pilfering is if possible worse than it was. There is nothing he can get at unheed he will not purloin either by force or fraud. Lately broke a blacksmiths eye & last week blackened the eye of another patient. These happened in consequence of his being perpetually irritated in consequence of his habit of pilfering. Very often means his pocket upside down & occasionally an attempt to work but is quite useless for any good purpose. Had an attack of diarrhoea the day before yesterday for which had castor oil & laudanum & soon up & well. Cont. same

Nov 10 No change in mental condition of this patient always pilfering & seldom without blacksmiths eyes. One very bad one he had last week he struck had him grasp him by the throat (Scuffle) this occurred could not be clearly proved. In all respects as at last report. Health good. Cont. same

Dec 9 Steals every thing he possibly can & abuses those who are near him & often in the agreeables sets & treats himself & appetite voracious. Health good. Bowels regular. Cont. as now

29 Perhaps rather less mischievous since last report. Assists the attendants in cleaning the wards. No perceptible change otherwise. Takes his food voraciously. Has considerable difficulty in articulating. Health tolerable. Cont. as now

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Jany 27 His great improvement is the habit of pilfering. Not so much given to thieving & quarrels more industrious. Still mind is very much confused. Some difficulty in articulation. Takes his food greedily. Health pretty good. Cont. as now

Feby 27 Behaves himself much better. Not thieving so much & formerly & working very diligently. Would do much & he says he is a rich man & has many thousands in the bank. Has some difficulty in articulating. Takes his food well. Cont. as now

March 24 Habits of pilfering have left him to a great extent. Delusions mentioned in last report continue. Also difficulty of articulation. Health & appetite good. Cont. as now

Admitted 9th April 1845

April 25 Not much change since last report
Insists very industriously in Re-
gaining Voluntary Motion, have
not appeared to a great extent but
imagines he is possessed of a con-
siderable sum of money Health
pretty good Not destructive
to any remarkable degree Cont
omnia

May 2 Continues nearly in all respects
as at last report Usually Health
tolerably good Bowels regular
Cont omnia

" 20 Has within the last few days be-
come very stupid Cannot
to stand on his feet Passes his
Stools & urine in bed Is unable to
give an articulate answer & seems
does not comprehend what is said
to him Tongue tastes his food
pretty well To have cathartic &
Porter

" 26 No change Lies in bed where he
passes his Stools and urine Appears
to be almost unconscious & is incapable
of Tastes his food well Has had
a fine all over tremulous motion
Stools nature Cont omn

June 1 Lies in bed stupid after rises half
up Left arm in almost constant
motion Continues to swallow tolera-
bly well Breathing somewhat
nasal & difficult Pupils natural
in size Not sluggish Bowels regular
Applicetur Resicatorium occipiti

" 2 Considerably less comatosed than
Yesterday & not quite so stupid
Mutters now & then Tastes his
food well & Eats what requires to
be fed Bowels regular Cont

" 12 Some days more comatosed & others
less so No positive improvement
Very stupid Sometimes puts out his
tongue when asked Tastes his
food well Cont omn

" 16 Much improved Is able to stand
& to feed himself & answers Yes &
No Bowels regular Tongue
clean & moist Cont

" 20 Is now up & walking about but
is still very feeble Tastes his food
well Bowels regular Tongue fine
clean Cont

" 26 Yesterday again became comatose
Lies in bed unconscious & Breathes
snuffing from one half of his mouth
Left arm appears paralytic & there
is a constant convulsive motion
upon it Applicet Resicat occipiti
Cont omnia Expired as stated by Mr

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Sept 30 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Cannot be persuaded to employ himself in any way. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Cond. omnia

Oct 31 No change in the mental state of this patient. Some days taciturn & morose & others more cheerful & communicative. Occasionally employs himself reading or sitting for hours together taking no notice of anyone. Pace often walks for hours up & down the gallery sometimes whistling sometimes singing or repeating hymns or parts of hymns at the top of his voice. Occasionally assists in the gallery. Bodily health good. Bowels regular. Eats & sleeps well

30 Has been considerably more cheerful of late talks cheerfully & on most occasions tolerably rationally. Assists occasionally in the gallery. Clean & orderly in his personal appearance. Wishes to know if he will soon get home. Says he should like well to get to sea again. Bodily health excellent. Bowels regular. Eats his food well. Cont. omnia

Nov 9 Continues to be cheerful & quiet. Remains pretty rational in fact in all respects as last reported up till today. This afternoon he is moody & refuses to speak or give any notice of recognition. Bodily health good. Cont. omn.

Dec 7 Made an attempt to escape by turning his back on and against the window & had prepared a quantity of card dust. The keeper (Mr. Casey) seems to have deterred him. This is reckoned to be the 8th attempt that has been now & then made & each time refusing to wash himself & put off his clothes at the usual time. Has been transferred to No 9 gallery & although subdued is rather more excitement

Dec 9 Has again got pretty cheerful & employs himself in cleaning the floor & furniture of his room & endeavours to get home & thinks he is quite capable of going to sea again. Bodily health pretty good. Takes his food well. Cont. omnia

29 Has continues pretty cheerful since last report & employs himself usually at cleaning his own & the adjoining wards. Is very desirous to get discharged. Mind still unbroken & powerful. Health tolerable. Cont. omnia

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July 27 Considerable improvement in mental condition of this patient Conducts himself very well & is very industrious & cheerful But is exceedingly anxious to get discharged Health pretty good Takes his food well Continues

July 28 Continued to conduct himself well in all respects working very industriously but continued very anxious to go Home Dismissed as Cured

[illegible] Has no complaint yet turns out early He has no [illegible] any person [illegible] his case & shakes [illegible] Writes music has formerly been employed Takes his food well Health good Continues

Aug 26 Continues in all respects as above reported Health good Cleanly & careful of his clothes Continues

Aug 26 Mind continues in the same weak state still wanders about the grounds as formerly Ready at all times to tell the cause & [illegible] of his grievance Still writes the same endless papers Health pretty good Continues

Aug 26 No change in any respect from what has been reported above Appetite [illegible] bowels natural Continues

Aug 27 Continues to wander about the grounds always willing to tell the tale of his grievance Respectfully complains of Dr Bruce "blundering" when with the "cast iron" Continues to write as before Ready Health pretty good Bowels regular Continues

Aug 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Continues

Aug 27 Wanders about the grounds telling his tale to anyone who will listen to Writes as formerly Writes his food well Health pretty good Continues

Aug 28 No change of any importance apparent Ready Health pretty good Continues

Aug 28 Continues in all respects as reported above Mind as much a ground as ever Takes his food well Ready Health tolerable

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Augt 31 In all respects the same as when last reported. Communicative

Sept 30 Mind apparently little changed but not so can well be got from him from his inability to speak English. Works regularly in the quarry & is very industrious quiet & well. Behaved Bodily Health good Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Cont as

Nov 30 Continues quiet industrious & well behaved Cleanly eats well sleeps well — in excellent bodily health — A Lunatic who understands Gaelic says there is no change in the state of his mind that he talks quite incoherently & that nothing can be made out of him Bodily functions natural Cont as

Dec 29 Continues to work industriously in the quarry & there seems no apparent change mind & has report Cont as

29 No change — Works in the grounds & in the quarry Cannot speak English & thus no understand what he says Says that he can scarcely utter a coherent sentence Quiet & peaceable Takes his food well Tolerably careful of his clothes Health Pretty good Cont as

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Jany 27 No change in any respect in mental condition of this patient since last report Bodily health good Cont as

Febry 27 Works quietly & diligently in the quarry as formerly Conducts himself well Mind is reported quite weak & powerful General health good Cont as

March 27 No change of any unfavourable nature Works in the quarry as formerly Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont as

April 26 No change observable Conducts himself in all respects very quietly Works industriously in the quarry Takes his food well Appetite good Bowels regular Cont as

May 26 Health unaltered at the quarry Industrious & quiet sometimes talks to himself Has no English Health good Bowels regular Cont as

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June 26 Continues to work industriously in the Quarry & seems very contented with his lot. Cannot speak English. Takes his food well. Bowels very Cont Com

July 27 No change of any importance observable. Still works industriously in the Quarry. Health pretty good. Bowels regular. Cont Com

Aug 27 No change perceptible. Health good. Cont Com

Sept 27 Works in the Quarry as formerly & is quiet industrious & well behaved. Bodily health good. No mental improvement. Takes his food well & is tolerably clean. Cont Com

Oct 27 Continues much the same as reported above. Quiet peaceable & industrious. Works as formerly in the Quarry. Cont Com

Nov 27 Continues to work industriously in the Quarry. Mind remains in the same weak condition. Bodily health tolerably good. Cont Com

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Jan 27 Apparently an incurable case of dementia. Very quiet. Works very industriously in the Quarry. Bodily health pretty good. Cont

Feb 27 Not much change appreciable. Works very industriously in the Quarry. Mind very much enfeebled. Health good. Cont

March 27 No change of any importance since last report. Works steadily & quietly in the Quarry. Health good. Cont Com

April 27 No change of any consequence. General health good. Cont

May 27 Continues in all respects as above reported. Still employed in the Quarry. Bowels going. Today the sentence of Court for him to be confined as a Convict was Released

John McQueen dcsd: from Vol. V p. 109

1845

Augt 31 Ulcers are almost healed up. Bodily health tolerably good. Mind in the same weak imbecile state. He is quiet and inoffensive. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Common

Sept 1st Mental state continues nearly unchanged. Bodily health good. Alimentation keep all first week on by two or three dry scabs remaining. His friends come to stay to remove him in consequence of which he is discharged as

Relieved

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Augt 31 No change in mental state. Bodily health good. Works in the grounds daily. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Con: omnia

Octr 10 Works regularly in the grounds is quiet industrious & well behaved Seldom ever gives more than a monosyllable in answer to a question & often not a word When spoken to looks at you confused as such a silly simper as if he did not quite comprehend what is meant Enjoys good health Bowels regular Cont omnia

Novr 10 Behaviour continues in the same unsettled & confused condition Answers questions briefly confusedly & hesitatingly Quiet industrious & well behaved Has been working regularly in the grounds since the two days ago he was taken over to assist at the printing that being his trade Enjoys good bodily health Takes his food well countenance expressive of quietness & slightly of insensibility Cont omnia

Decr 9 Quiet industrious & well behaved Mind continues in the same unsettled & confused state Since the last month been very anxious to get to see the Revd clergymen of his parish Has not been at the printing in consequence of the printing press being removed from same caused Enjoys good bodily health appetite sleeps sound Bowels natural Cont omnia

27 No perceptible change since last report Continues very anxious day after day to entreat for liberty to go to see Mr Murray formerly minister of Muiredpary present Walks in the gallery speaking to no one & counting the attendants Cleans & careful of his clothes Takes his food well Health pretty good Cont omnia

1846

Jany 27 Little or no change in the mental condition of this patient Nurse very weak At present at work in the printing office Takes his food well Bodily health good Cont omnia

Febry 27 Little or no change Working at present in the printing office very anxious to get to see a Revd Mr Murray Takes his food well Health tolerable Cont omnia

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Nov	24	No change Still anxiously solicits permission to go to see Mrs Blake Murray Quiet & peaceably disposed Works generally in the Printing office Appetite Diet & Bowels natural Cleanly & careful of her clothes Continues
Nov	26	No change of any importance Works diligently in the garden Still anxious to get to see Mrs Murray Bodily health pretty good Bowels regular Cleanly & not destructive Continues
Nov	26	No change Mind continues in the same weak state Likes his food well Works diligently Anxious to get to see Mrs Murray Cleanly & careful of his clothes Continues
Nov	26	Mind remains in the same unimproved condition often bursts out into a laugh without any apparent cause & when questioned concerning none Bodily health good Continues
Nov	27	No improvement Mind continues in the same weak state Employed in the Surgery Quiet & peaceable in demeanour often laughs without any apparent cause Bodily health pretty good Cleanly Continues
Nov	27	No change of any importance still employed about the Surgery Continues
Nov	27	Mind continues in the same weak & confused state Anxious to get to see the Revd Mr Murray still employed in the Surgery Health good Continues
Dec	27	No material improvement still employed about the Surgery Bodily health tolerably good Quiet & inoffensive often laughs without any apparent cause Continues
1841 Jan	27	No change of any importance same Quiet Report Continued

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Augt 31 Bodily health good. Works in the Weavers Shop daily. Takes no interest in anything except what he is most immediately engaged in at the time. Mind in the same state as at last report. Bowels regular. Cont: ommn

Sept 10 Continues to work daily in the weavers Shop where he seems very contented & happy. Laughs fellily when spoken to seems pleased that he is taken notice of. Enjoys good bodily health & of course there is no change in his mental state

Mon 15 Fully good natured contented & happy continues to work in the weavers Shop No change in Patients mental state or bodily health. Bowels natural Cont ommn

Tues 9 Continues to work in the weavers Shop From general very good natured but lately struck a Shuttle on another patient, was locked up for a few hours after in which he fell on his knees kissed his hands begged pardon & voluntarily promised never to strike any one again & has been working quietly & steadily since. Cleanly Healthy & takes his food well Cont ommn

" 29 No change observable since last report. Works in the weavers Shop Health good Cont ommn

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Jany 27 No change observable case of dementia. Is in general cheerful contented & happy but sometimes as when he is to get home. Works in the weavers Shop Takes his food well Health good Cont ommn

Febry 27 No appreciable change. Works constantly in the weavers Shop Cheerful & good natured. Was getting rather thin & was allowed extra bread & an occasional flesh. Cleanly & extremely careful of his clothes Cont ommn

March 26 No change in mental state observable. Works in the weavers Shop. Mind very much as usual quiet happy & cheerful. Is rather pioneering flesh but is still thin. Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont ommn

April 26 No change of any consequence. Fully meaning Health remains improved Cont ommn

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26 Mind very weak & ill[egible] when he is to see the children of Israel Long[egible] manner Bodily health's condition better cont[inue]

26 Still at work in the mechanic's shop. No mental change. Is in rather better bodily condition Cont[inue]

27 Continues to work in the mechanic's shop as formerly. Mind very weak. Is going [illegible] when he is not to see the Children of Israel. Takes his food well. Bowels regular cont[inue]

27 Now employed in the grounds. Works industriously cont[inue]

27 Delusion as to soon seeing the children of Israel still remains as before. Mind in the same weak condition. Bodily health good cont[inue]

27 No change of any consequence since last report. Bodily health pretty good. cont[inue]

29 Mind continues in the same weak & confused state. Works a little occasionally tolerably cleanly & not destructive. Health pretty good cont[inue]

27 Continues Mind & the same as reported above. Employed in the grounds. Bodily health tolerably good but Mind very weak cont[inue]

27 An incurable & apparently confirmed case of dementia. Works in the grounds. Mind very weak. Always talks & chants saying the Children of Israel. Bodily health pretty good cont[inue]

27 Not much change. Cleans in the gallery & works in the grounds. Mind very weak. Bodily health pretty good. Not destructive. cont[inue]

27 Little change of any importance. Works in the grounds tolerably steadily. Health good. cont[inue]

27 In all respects as at last report. Health good cont[inue]

27 Continues to work quietly & industriously in the grounds. Mind weak. Bowels regular cont[inue]

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Thomas Wallis aetat 35

This patient it appears from the statement of the person who came along with him has been insane for nearly twelve months. He began at first by depression, and afterwards he became very violent. He continues to have attacks of depression and excitement alternately until the middle of July last, when he became very violent & raved so that it was deemed advisable to place him in a Strait waistcoat — He has had several doses of Tartar Emetic given him during the last four days — He is a Blacksmith is Married and has a family. On admission he was very much depressed. Countenance of Body. He is very much emaciated. He could not be persuaded to put out his tongue. He either cannot or will not answer questions. Surface rather hot. Extremities cold. Body of natural temperature. pulse 116 small and feeble. pupils dilated. Aborad: Capillitium. Let him be placed in bed and a warming pan applied to his feet. To have a pint of porter at bedtime.

Augt 16 pulse 90 small. pupils dilated. Extremities more warmer. Has not taken any food. Has not spoken one word since his admission. Lies in one position until moved. Let him have a pint of porter morning and evening, and a pint of Beef Tea in the middle of the day.
Vespere. pulse 76 more full. pupils natural. Tongue whitish and dry. Body upon the whole much warmer Bowels have not been moved since his admission. R. Ol: Ricini ℥ij. Haa omni sumend.

" 17 Has taken his Beef Tea and porter He is still however very weak. Answers questions in a very confused manner but betrays no particular delusion Bowels have not been moved. R. Sulph: Magnesiæ ℥j Aq: fontanæ ℥viij Tinct: Senna Comp: ℥viij. M. Sumantur ℥ij donec alv: respond. Cont: Porter and Beef Tea.

" 18 Bowels have been moved gently. Appetite improves. Says that he is a ruined man, that he will never be able to raise his head in Stirling, and when spoken to in a consoling manner shakes his head. Countenance wears an anxious

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	expressions. Sleeps pretty well during
18	the night. Cont: omnia.
19	Tongue foul. Appetite pretty good. Bowels
	slow. Told the Medical officer today
	that he had been unsuccessful in
	business, which made him have
	recourse to spirituous liquors, and
	that he gradually became worse, and
	paid no attention to any business
	does not know how he got here, has
	no recollection of being ill. Ry Rh. Ext:
	gent: j. Mora omnia adhibenda. C. Alia
26	has gone on pretty well since last report
	Bowels upon the whole tolerably regular
	Appetite capable of improvement. Is in
	better spirits these few days past parti-
	cularly. Answers questions relevantly
	and coherently. He has had the Alterative
	and Quinine powders for some days, under
	which he seems to have benefitted.
	Cont: omnia.
81	Health has very much improved. Employs
	himself at present in the grounds.
	Appetite improves daily. Bowels
	regular. Writing no delusions and
	answers rationally on all subjects.
Sept: 8	General health excellent. Works daily in
	the grounds. Is cheerful and contented
	with his situation. Bodily functions
	natural.
27	His wife who visited him today having
	expressed her desire to remove him,
	and he being in good Bodily health
	and free from all symptoms of insanity
	is by order of the Physician discharged.

Cured

Charles McAllister Keatin

	This patient was brought from Dumbarton Jail this afternoon, under a Warrant of the Procurator Fiscal. On admission he was in an incoherent manner. He was not disposed to be violent - General condition of Body healthy - Scalp pretty well - Impress of Body natural - Eye dull - pupils dilated Tongue white and dry - has an imbecile expression of countenance - pulse 68 moderate - Ordinary diet and regimen
August 19	Wants to clean - Appetite good - Cannot be made to employ himself at anything rather inquiet & harmless - No change in mental state - Cannot speak a connected sentence. Communicates by
" 21	has been very unsettled during yesterday and this forenoon - Bowels pretty regular - Appetite indifferent - pulse 88 small - pupils dilated - Tongue covered with a greyish fur - Ordered Camphor. - pulse Aromatic Ca. 3ss first pulse Cancellum unus quartus quaque hora. Miss. H
" 31	Bodily health good - No change in mental state - Has been alone composed since last report - Does employ himself in any way - Stands moderate temperature. Communicates
Sept 10	No change has taken place either in the mental or bodily state of this patient since last report. Communicates
Oct 10	No improvement whatever in the mental state of the patient - Furious filthy & destructive - Never sees the medical attendant but he shuffles slowly backwards to utter two yards of Rhymes or verses over again in a plaintive tone "Nobody young to meddle wi' me the day" & can be heard muttering frequently & seemingly that nobody will touch him Slightly bowed neck - unhealthy looks & appearance & in good health. Continues
Nov 10	No improvement whatever since last report - Still afraid of some over-whelming catastrophy being about to overtake him Constantly exclaiming "Oh! oh! what'll became o' me what'll became of me" & every moment in bed & screaming - visits requires to be "cautioned" against all dangers for the night - Face thin & haggard Eye dull - Takes his food as he does everything else with fear & trembling - Never utters a coherent sentence except in presence of fear - Destructive & at least must carefully watched - Filthy & untidy - Works occasionally a little in the grounds - Mrs. Co reported regular Cont. ommun

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Sept 29 No material change in almost any respect since last report He is perhaps a little better in health condition Works at draining when the weather permits Cont amma

29 No Mental change Constantly from morn till night from meek to meek in terror of some bad coming to punish him as take him away to punish him is always exclaiming "Oh! oh! what'll be done" & glancing fearfully around him as if in momentary dread of some calamity This he does even when making up the amount of numbers & nothing can assure him that there is no danger Takes his food well Health middling as he is liable to carbuncles Was taking a tonic mixture lately Cont amma

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Jan 28 Little or no change in any respect in the state of this patient Still as fearful of imagined danger as ever Never allows the medical attendant to pass by at the evening visit without asking his assurance of safety for the night Works in the ground Takes his food tolerably well Conforms to cleanly habits Health pretty good Cont amma

Feb 28 No change in any respect mental or bodily Health tolerably good Cont amma

March 25 Constantly mutters to himself, even while eating, repeating the words oh! oh! what will be done to him afraid of every body & everything Constantly at the night visits the medical officer to "confess" him for the night Takes his food well Works a little cleanly & conforms to the rules of the establishment Cont amma

April 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Still rises up every night in his bed at the evening visit & asks to be confined for the night Works diligently in the grounds Health tolerable Cont amma

May 26 No change in any respect since last report Still as fearful as ever Health good Cont amma

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Donald Martin ætat 88 from Vol. 4 p. 17.

1846

Augt 31 Health, habits and state of mind the same as when last reported. Commd

Sept 10 Works diligently in the grounds daily when the state of the weather permits. Is quiet & orderly cleanly & well behaved. Answers ordinary questions rationally. Enjoys good health. Cont commd

13 Health good. Still entertains an opinion of his own superiority & dislike to Mr Knox as formerly. Although since his admission he has improved considerably he is a dangerous Lunatic. Well employed & carefully watched, as he is likely to make his escape. ~~Is unsteady~~ He may in time get recovered, though this is doubtful. In the meanwhile employment, regular diet & due exercise are the only means which can be employed with advantage Cont. commd

Novr 10 Continues in all respects as at last report. Cleanly industrious & well behaved. Must when not spoken to regarding his delusions but becomes unprepossessing owing to smearing when Mr Knox is mentioned. Appetite, sleep & bowels natural. Works regularly in the grounds. Cont commd

Decr 9 Little change, bodily or mental since last report. Delusions continue the same. Bodily health good. Works in the grounds & takes his food well. Tolerably cleanly. Sleep & bowels natural. Cont commd

29 No perceptible change. Delusions continue as before. Will talks tolerably rationally when Mr Knox is not alluded to. Works industriously in the grounds when the state of the weather permits. Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes. Takes his food well. Health good. Cont commd

1847

Jany 28 No change. Delusions as to Mr Knox having injured him & persecuting him continue. Converses tolerably rationally on ordinary subjects. Refuses to eat animal food at least when he is in the ward & then sometimes takes his food pretty well. Ablutions & walks the usual. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. Cont commd

1846 Admitted 17th April 1844

Apl 28 No appreciable change. Works as formerly in the grounds. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. Health good. Conduct common.

" 25 Still retains all his delusion in full force but does not annoy them prominently. Persuaded unless led to them. Will not eat the boiled beef in the soup. Works tolerably industriously. Has on the sun a slowly suppurating cutaneous affection resembling hydrosis R Pil. colocynth. c. hydrarg. ℈ss ol. caryophyll. gtt. ij. ft. pil. ij. omni nocte. Ung. aquae calcis ℥iss ad olei lenguentis ℥iij misce fiat unguentum. Utatur superficie.

" 26 Little change of any consequence has lost report. Works quietly & diligently in the garden but there is no change in his delusions. Cutaneous affection of skin still troublesome. R Confectionis rosae ℥ij. Aquae destillatae ℥j ℥xvi misce. Sumat ℥ij bis die.

May 27 No change of any importance. Takes his food well. Health good. Works diligently. Conduct common.

" 27 Works industriously in the grounds. Talks tolerably pleasantly on ordinary subjects but gets furious against Mr Knott when ever his name is mentioned. Still troubled with hypochondriacal complaints. Bowels costive. Conduct common.

" 27 No change of any importance observable. Works very industriously. Bowels regular. Conduct common.

" 27 Works very industriously in the grounds. Delusion still continues. No change of health. Good. Conduct common.

" 27 Eruption on the face still troubled with a cough. Bowels rather sluggish. R Pil. aloes et myrrh. ℈ij. Decoct. cinchonae ℥iss. Infusi gentianae comp. ℥iss. Tinct. cardamom. comp. ℥ss. ter in die sumend. Takes his food well. No change in his delusions. Works diligently. Conduct common.

" 27 Continues much the same as at last report. Health good. Conduct common.

" 27 Delusions unchanged. Never talks any where but in the grounds. Does as agreed upon. Conduct common.

Adam Dalgliesh Æt: 60 from Vol: V p. 2[illegible]

1848

Augt 30 It was discovered at the visit this morning that the first phalanx of the index finger of the left hand, was sloughing, and having all the appearance of having been bruised. A free incision was immediately made, anteriorly and posteriorly right down the finger, and warm fomentations were have been ordered to be kept constantly applied. Tongue foul. pulse pretty regular. Bowels slow ℞ sulphat: Magnesiæ ℥j spirit: æther: nitros ℥ss tinct: senna Comp: aqua fontan: ad ℥viij. Mist: communis ℥ij e q.q. hora somni also repeat.

Sept: 1 Bowels were moved but gently. Tongue clean. Finger looks if anything better. Appetite indifferent. Appears to be very confused, wandering from one subject to another. ℞ Ol: Ricini: gutt: j saccharo: albo gr: 6 Cinnamomi: ℥j M ft. haust: quam primum sumend.

" 2 The first joint of finger came away on the evening of the first instt. Bowels were pretty moved by the Medicine last prescribed. Does not seem clearly to comprehend what is said to him. Finger improves. Ant: foment:

" 3 Mind wanders on all subjects. Bowels torpid. Finger looks better. Abdomen slightly distended. ℞ Injiciat enema Æthereum statim.

" 4 Has today considerable difficulty of breathing. Makes water in small quantity. Abdomen tympanitic. Appears to suffer from want of power over the Sphincters. Urine ℥vj to ℥viij of Water has been drawn off by Catheter (which we were under the necessity of resorting to, at different times). Hardy quantity of feculent matter was brought away yesterday by Enema. ℞ Spirit: Æther: Nitros: ℥ij Aq: fontan: ℥xvj. ft. Mistura. Sum: ℥ij 4ta q.q. hora.

" 10 Symptoms unaltered. Finger is healing up although slowly. Bowels have continued pretty regular since the Enema was administered. Abdomen distended considerably. No Spirit of Nitros Æther seems to have produced little or no effect. Pulse quick and small. Tongue covered with a greyish fur. Let him have ℥ij of Epsom Salts in warm water occasionally. Pulv: Jalapæ Comp: ℈ij Rhei ℈ss pro nocte ℥ss Bol: tinct: de pulvis æquales xxxvi. Sumat unam ter in die. Mitte Spirit: Juniperi ℥viij. Cras: alvus

" 11 No change in mental state. Bowels are open regularly once a day. Effusion of Respiration continues. Powders last prescribed seem to have no effect.

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Sept (Cal.) Water has still to be drawn off by catheter. Finger continues to improve. Ord. Spt. Dubojec: Ry Mist: potass: Bp. pulv. Gillae pxiij Ritral potass: Bij. pulv: Digitalis gvj Misce et Divide in Chart. xxiv. Dumat unam ter indies.

19 Continued to sink gradually from last report. His Water had to be regularly drawn off. And he had latterly great difficulty in swallowing anything even in a liquid state. About five o'clock this afternoon he calmly

Died

No inspection permitted.

John Jamieson Aet. 10

His patient was brought from Fort Charlotte in Shetland under a Warrant of one of the Lords Commissioners of Justiciary. It is said that he has been entirely neglected by his parents and allowed to run wild. Other Boys were in the habit of teasing him and he has several times thrown them as much his superior in point of strength, beaten them and pushed them some distance from him - that in consequence of this and a few other complaints of a similar nature he was charged with the prosecutor paid by whom he was apprehended for the purpose of being tried by the Sheriff of Orkney & Shetland. He was however found to be insane and a warrant was granted for his being sent here. General constitution of body healthy - Scalp of natural appearance - Countenance rather intelligent - Eyes & Eyebrows Abnormal - pupils dilated - tongue clean - pulse 78 full & natural - speaks, although he might be much improved in speech. Otherwise Diet - Aug. 22 Bodily health good. Bowels reported to be regular. Sleeps well, and like most boys of his years continually perpetrating some species of mischief. His head is well formed. The organs of destructiveness are very large. With some little perseverance he has been made to repeat the alphabet, which he has evidently been taught recently. When asked a question he always speaks but it is impossible to know what he says. It is possible that with some little trouble he may be taught to read, if all wants it will be tried soon. " 25 Appetite keen. He is a general favourite with his fellow patients, and one of the convalescents has promised soon to do what he can to teach him to read. Bowels regular. No change since last report. Cont: omnia. " 31 No change has taken place either in his bodily and mental state since last report. Cont: omnia. Sept. 10 No change whatever in the mental state of the patient. Restless & destructive & mischievous as it is possible for a boy of his age to be. Seems to understand every word that is said to him although he cannot pronounce one word correctly. Enjoys excellent health. Is fond of reading

Nov. 10 Is troublesome restless annoying as ever & in all parts of the house

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understands almost every word that is said to him but makes little progress in articulation as no one teaches him. There seems no physical cause the late confinement may be a short muddy health they make seems capable of improvement

Dec 9 No material change since last report as restless & fidgety as ever into all sorts of mischief Short & muddy Health excellent Cont omnia

29 Very little if any change Is taken to Hy marking all parts of misch he can continue tearing clothes pushing them into the water closet & overturning any vessel with liquid he finds &c Can speak a word or two of English pretty distinctly Destructive to his clothes Takes his food well Health excellent Cont omnia

Jan 26 28 No change Quiet as misch as ever Health good Takes his food well very destructive to his clothes Not port dirty Can enumerate one or two English words Cont omnia

Feb 28 No improvement Behaves in all respects as reported above Health continues good Cont omnia

Mar 25 Little appreciable improvement As destructive & mischievous as ever Comments all sorts of articles he possibly can Enjoys excellent health Takes his food well Cont omnia

April 26 No change of any consequence since last report Tidy as ever Cheerful as ever Health good Cont omnia

May 27 Tidy as mischievous as ever Fits of violence & fondness pica very almost every where about the establishment Health good Cont omnia

June 27 No change of any importance Is into all sorts of mischief No improvement in his speech but seems to understand every word that is said to him Takes his food well & is ready for Health Is very destructive to his clothes as he is to every thing he can destroy Cont Cotton

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Augt 31 No change in any respect since last reported. Cont comma

Sept 10 In general works industriously but at times takes sulky fits & pulls off all sorts of fancies People annoy him at night & throw blood on him & strike him & sally out with many goads & tortures his head until Bandages are rather inclined to the costive & at present taking alterative pill & Cam

Oct 9 Still full of the fancies noted above & thinks some of the patients throw blood upon him & not very exalted about it yesterday struck one of his fellow patients whom he thought was the person who did it. Was unconscious of violence placed in seclusion & his hands were rather constipated he had the following R Pil Fetidul Ol Castorini Ammoniat ij ammi pastæ ij q.m.t.o. to alvum & at night Cont comma

Nov 3 After being a day in seclusion got more quiet & has been at work steadily & on the whole industriously since. Countenance is as full of fancies as ever & is much annoyed by people at night who throw blood on him & strike him & sharp instruments & prong him & sally out with many goads & tortures his head until Bandages regular Cont comma

Dec 7 Delusions concerning people annoying him in bed at night continue as much as ever. Works in the gallery pushing cocoa & sweeping the yard. Very anxious to get home. Considers himself quite well & able for any duty outside. Is rather thin but says he is pretty good. Cont comma

29 Mind teeming with fancies of people stealing blood on him pronging him with instruments & prong him & make him ill. Always suspecting some new person of being the offender & threatens vengeance sometimes forces an entrance as the person & strikes him the first opportunity can seldom be trusted out on account of changeableness of his notions. Assists in the gallery at present. Eats his food well. Health tolerable. Gets fuller & occasionally & sometimes suppose they free the course of some of his functions Cont comma

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Aug 24 — Little change in the state of the patient — Mind seeming quite the same, noted a home Annts in the Gallery. Takes his food well. Rather thin but healthy. Gets pills as usual to keep his bowels regular. Cont. comm.

Aug 25 — Mind still full of fancies & fears like a raging lion. Writing verses & scripture texts &c. Works part of the day diligently chiefly mending in the Gallery. Eats well & good. Cont. comm.

Aug 26 — Mind as powerful as ever. Is very troublesome from imagining that people annoy him & wishing to be revenged on them. Very anxious to get home. Thinks his hands bound. Seems therefore affected in some supernatural manner. Takes his food well. Bowels free from a few days at one pill he got but to-day. Cont. comm.

Aug 26 — No material change. Mind as full of fancies as ever & of the same character as those noted above. Works in the grounds. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont. comm.

Aug 27 — Mind as full of fancies as ever. After takes five medicine & when he gets it imagines it does him no good but that he is merely a mischief to cure other people. People are always annoying him secretly in some shape or other. Takes his food well. Cont. comm.

Aug 27 — No change of any importance. Often threatens to strike desperate vengeance on the parties who annoy him. Works a little occasionally & at other times refuses. Cont. comm.

Aug 27 — Full of all sorts of notions about people sucking the strength out of him & taking away all the good of the meat &c &c. Threatens to be revenged on those who do it. Makes use of these as the cap his bowels are costive. Ordered draught mixture.

Aug 27 — As powerful as ever. Delusions mentioned above still continuing. Has been working tolerably industriously. Takes his food well. Cont. as

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James Gilchrist or Rennie Al.

His patient was admitted under a Warrant of the preceeding [illegible] at [illegible] the afternoon. On admission he appeared to be very [illegible] and morose — Scalp of moderate temperature — An anxious expression of countenance — Eye dull and heavy — Body, limbs hands, legs and feet of natural temperature — General condition of body healthy — Is apparently cleanly in his personal appearance — pulse 78 small — pupils dilated — Tongue white but moist. Ordinary diet.

August 30 pulse 76 regular — pupils dilated slightly — Tongue observed with a thin fur of a yellowish colour — Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance — Temperature of body natural — Confused and hesitating manner of speaking — Told the Medical officer today that he was a Gentleman pensioner — that he served in the XV Regiment of Foot for many years — that he had been with them in the West Indies and Bermuda — that he was Corporal before he retired — that he had robbed many a man while he said this he laughed in an idiotic manner — that he had a Gun with which he used to practice shooting — that he was the best shot in the Regiment and had shot many thousands of the Blacks — He seemed to be very much pleased with the medical officer for listening so attentively and in the course of his conversation he frequently patted him on the shoulder — Has a childish expression of countenance — Appetite pretty good — Bowels said to be slow — Gilmour's mixture [illegible] comp. pil. Alterative [illegible] ad 4th [illegible]

31 very confused in conversation — Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Bowels regular — [illegible] continues.

Sept 10 Full of the fancies notified above Imagines the gilt buttons on his coat are gold & will let no one touch them & cannot be persuaded to barter one of [illegible] for any Money. Requires [illegible] Is very cleanly in his personal appearance & enjoys good health &c.

Nov 10 Continues full of all sorts of fancies always says that he is going home next day or so Will on no account part with one of the buttons no matter how much may be offered in exchange

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a great rather excited person when
first proposed the medical attendant
should shave his chin with which
he cleanly neat & precise always
salutes the Medical attendant as any Gentleman
in military style often saying at
the same time I salute you sir Every
attitude and although often made game
of by the other patients seldom goes
out Associates in the gallery & likes
people & shows a natural cast and
No Change Delusions continue as
before will not part with a single
button for any price Is very anxious
to get home a constant
talks the medical attendant that
he is going away next day shakes
hands with him for the last time
Bodily health good Appetite
sleeps & shows a natural Assent
in the Galleries Dresses cleanly
again all soldier Cast come
No Mental or Bodily Change
Mind quick & forcible often
tells the medical attendant "good
bye" as he is he says just going home
Imagines his pockets filled will
not part with them at any price
Associates in the gallery Likes his
food well Health good Neat
& cleanly careful of his clothes
Cast common

No change in the Mental condition of this patient & all
her delusions natural as ever
as much as ever Assent
in the gallery Is cleanly & careful
of his personal appearance Bodily health pretty
good Cast common

Delusions the same as usual
as ever Always when the medical
attendant shakes hands with him
fondling him fervently Takes his
food well Health good Cast
common

Is very much annoyed because
some of the patients have cut
off two of the buttons (which he
imagines gold) from the tails
of his coat Still takes leave to
examine Neat & cleanly &
anxious to go home Cast common

Mind continues in the same
unsettled state Still very careful
about the buttons upon the
Imagines gold Health
good Cast common

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James MacIntyre Aetat

He was called by the Father of this patient who came along with him to the Institution this afternoon, that in consequence of a quarrel between the patient and his Wife who it is understood is in the habit of drinking spirits occasionally he had become very restless and depressed. He paid little or no attention to business which is that of a Flour Merchant, and spent the greater part of the day in drinking whiskey - He attempted to commit suicide by throwing himself into the Clyde - On admission he appeared to be taciturn and morose. Scalp of moderate temperature - Eye lethargy - Has an anxious expression of countenance - General condition of Body healthy - pupils dilated. Tongue heather brown in the centre - pulse 78 moderate - Ry pil. Aloetic et Rosa Omni nocte. Ordinary diet and regimen. To be closely watched.

August 26 Bodily health pretty good - Spoken with a confused manner to the Medical Officer at the visit today - said that he had been drinking - that he had left his shop one afternoon for the purpose of transacting some little business - that he met with some people from Liverpool who asked him to go with them to have refreshment - that he took a considerable quantity of whiskey - that he felt miserable ~~[illegible]~~ in consequence - as he had incurred his fathers displeasure on a previous occasion and that home he got home he does not recollect - Bowels inclined to be slow - Appetite pretty good - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance. Ry pil. Aloes et Myrrh. Rumat Aqua omni nocte hora somni.

" 28 Answers questions rationally. Told the Medical Officer in answer to questions that for several days previous to his admission he had been very stupid in consequence of the Whiskey he had taken. Not he was so very bad he did not know what he was saying or doing. Stated that he was willing to remain until he was considered well. Bowels pretty regular. Appetite good. Has been out in the grounds for the last two days where he makes himself very useful. Cont: omnia

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Sept 8 His father who came out to see him today being desirous of giving him a trial at home he is discharged although prematurely

Cured

His patient was brought to the Asylum this evening by his Wife. It appears that he has been in the habit of drinking Whiskey in large quantities for many years. On admission his body legs and feet were covered with dirt, and his cheeks almost in tatters. There were several bruises on his legs and arms. Scalp rather hot – Countenance anxious – Body of natural temperature Extremities Ck – Considerable tremor of hands and arms – pulse 90 Watch in motion pupils slightly dilated – Tongue white and dry – Would very confused and bewildering in manner – To be put to bed & Ice & warming pan applied to his feet – ℞ pil. Alcoholis ℈ss Hora somni sumend. Ordinary diet.

Augt 13th Pulse 82 regular – pupils dilated – Tongue clean – Scalp of moderate temperature – Bowels in his habits apparently – Bowels have been freely opened by the Medicine given last night – Tremor of hands and Arms continues – Confused in conversation told the Medical officer that he was a Spy – that a few days before he came here he found out a new process for taking possession thereof that he had been in communication with Mr Monteith & Castaris about it – that he must get home immediately as he has been sent for to London in order that he may claim the patent – that he will make at least one hundred pounds in London alone by it, and he spell three times as much in other places – that he will lose a large sum of money if he is kept here longer than three days, as his business is very extensive – Appetite indifferent Bowels pretty well but not yet. Let him have a pint of porter. Cont Acis

" 01 Mostly Health improves daily. Mind in the same weak state. Bowels constipated Tongue white in a coated manner Many delusions to be removed from himself. Tremor still slight tremor. Let him have Mistura Calliopsidis daily. ℞ Calomelanos gr v pulv Jalapæ gr xx. fiat Pulvis statim sumend.

℞ Pulv Senna Pulv Jalapæ aa 3ss ℞ Pulph Magnesiæ 3ij fiat Haust. Repet sumend ℥ vel pro re

Augt 15 Mostly Health good Betrays no delusions Is Remarkably anxious to get Home & Threatens to institute Law proceedings against the Authorities

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Nov 10 who detains him here now that he is well
employs himself reading &
very anxious to get Home Tells
quite rationally & writes tolerably
correct Letters Just after Dr Watt
son had gone through the gallery
expressed to the Keeper his exceed-
ing regret that he was not aware
of his coming so that he might have
had on his "Black clothes" Badly
Health good Amuses himself by
reading & writing Can't account
17 Being in good Bodily Health & free from
all delusion he is this day discharged

Cured

James Smith aetatis

On admission he appeared to take no interest in anything going on around him - answers questions in a confused manner - skin of no unusual heat - body of natural temperature - eye dull - pupils contracted - temperature of extremities natural. Tongue white but moist - pulse 96 regular. Set him home ordinary diet and regimen - This is a case of pure idiocy

August 30 pulse 82 moderate strength - pupils contracted - Tongue clean and moist - Appetite good - perfectly composed - Cleanly in his habits and personal appearance - never employs himself in any way - General condition of Body healthy - Bowels reported to be regular. Cont. ommit.

Sept 1 Ability health good - No change in mental state - Tidy in his habits - Appetite keen - Bowels reported to be regular - walks about the airing grounds during the day. Con. ommit

Oct 10 Little if any change Works pretty constantly in the grounds when allowed and directed Is tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Good muscle & well developed Healthy health good Cont ommit

Nov 10 Works regularly in the grounds Is quiet industrious & well behaved Is no way destructive but constantly acts the fool during the night & consequently sleeps on a low mattress Mind very weak Can answer a few ordinary questions relevant & accompanied with a nasal echo Has rather an imbecile expression of countenance Appetite & sleep & bowels natural Cont ommit

Dec 19 No change in any respect - Works quietly & industriously but at his meals walked away with as much as 3 ordinary men Although Mr Ker brought back word he wanted to go to see his mother child must be kept at night but is otherwise pretty tolerably healthy good Cont ommit

29 No improvement in any respect Mind very much the same Is orderly & industrious tolerably cleanly & is not destructive Quiet & inoffensive Does what he is directed as far as his ability extends Health pretty good Cont ommit

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Aug 46

Aug 28 No appreciable change — An incurable case of dementia if not congenital Always puts the head at night & otherwise tolerably cleanly & neat Works at present carries fair Health pretty good Conduct same

Aug 28 No change — Mind weak & good — not vicious & harmless Works the yard as formerly Works tolerably diligently & takes his food well Bowels regular Conduct same

Aug 25 Mind continues in the same weak state Fell with the head at night but is otherwise tolerably cleanly Works occasionally & quiets on premises Takes his food well Bowels reported regular Conduct same

Aug 26 Mind as weak as ever Works in the ground tolerably cleanly during the day but lets the head at night Badly health good Takes his food well Bowels regular Conduct same

Sep 27 No change in any respect Works tolerably well in the ground Puts the head at night but is otherwise tolerably cleanly & not destructive Conduct same

Sep 27 Continues in nearly the same state as at last report Mind as weak Works tolerably industriously & takes his food well Bowels easy Conduct same

Oct 27 No improvement in any respect Works tolerably industriously Takes his food well Bowels regular Lies quiets the bed Conduct same

Oct 27 No change of any importance Appreciable Works industriously Health good Conduct same

Nov 27 Lies quiets his bed at night but is tolerably cleanly during the day Works occasionally Health good Conduct same

Nov 27 No change of any importance since last report Badly Quiets good Conduct same

Nov 27 Continues much the same Mind very weak Assists at carrying coals & doing other domestic work Badly Health good Conduct same

Dec 27 No change of any importance Mind being very weak Works industriously & tolerably quietly Badly Health pretty good Conduct same

Charles McAulay Watts.

This patient was sent to the Asylum today by the procurator fiscal of Lanarkshire - Talked in a very confused and hesitating manner on admission - Scalp of natural temperature - Eye dull and heavy - pupils contracted. - Countenance wears an anxious expression - Body of natural temperature - to apparently very weak in body - Tongue pretty clean and moist - pulse 68 small and feeble - Body covered with sores. To have full diet. let his clothes be removed and place him in bed. Mitte Unguent. Hydrarg: portion: Oij

This is a case of acute imbecility following fever, and depending upon his weak state of health

August 30 pulse 68 small - pupils contracted. — Tongue pretty clean - Habits cleanly Bowels pretty regular - Appetite tolerably good — some slight confusion of ideas - The patient is very much emaciated. let him have a pint of porter daily until otherwise ordered. - Slept pretty well last night. L Olea.

" 31 Converses rationally on all subjects. Health much the same as before. Appetite tolerable. He is now quite free from sores. Walks about in the open air the greater part of the day. Ascends to upstairs room, but thinks it best to have dinner at Midday

Sept: 2 Health improves. Betrays no delusions. There is no peculiarity either in manner or conduct. Bodily functions natural. May be looked upon as convalescent. To be examined before the Sheriff.

" - was this forenoon examined in presence of the Sheriff, and having been found sane, was discharged, and his clothes by order of the Sheriff dismissed as

Cured

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Archibald Adam &c. from Vol. 7 p. 225

1845

Sept. 20 No change has taken place either in the mental or bodily state of this patient since last report. Commn

Oct. 10 Little change bodily or mentally in the state of this patient is cheerful & good humoured & assembles daily in the galleries When spoken to answers with a silly smile & perhaps appeared as to recollect health good Cont. comm

Nov. 10 No improvement in the mental condition of this patient Staggers fat & clumsily his clothes general loose & dragging shuffles off his Cheerful & good humoured Assembles in the gallery contents & happy Always accompanies his short answers with a silly smile When not employed lounges about with his hands in his breeches pockets or inside of his trowsers Mind very much confused Bodily health excellent Cont. comm

Dec. 9 No material change observable or bodily since last report although in general cheerful & good humoured & harmless struck one of the patients not over severely last week Blushes his eyes frequents in the gallery Mind sluggish Countenance & expression of imbecility Cont. comm

29 Little or no change observed in the state of this patient Slovenly in habits & dress His trowsers are always unbuttoned & dragging Shuffling clumsy Assembles in the gallery is cheerful content & generally good humoured Countenance & expression of imbecility & has always a childish smile on his face Long & silly often when spoken to often when no one is near him Takes his food well Health good Cont. comm

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Jany 28 No appreciable change in the state of this patient very slovenly in his personal appearance often smiles at some imaginary emotion or idea Works in the grounds Mind very much Bodily health feet good Cont. comm

Feby 28 Has been destroying his clothes more of late sometimes appears at them into corner where they

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	cannot be found. When spoken to on the subject Lang has fully Takes his food well & enjoys good health Cont omm
25	Rather less obstinate than at last report but appeared to the Physician Threatened 4th day before than any longer Mind very weak & sensitive Often long Ks must undertake any suitable course very slovenly in his personal appearance Good bodily health Appetite sleep & bowels Natural Cont omm
26	Very careless & destructive to his clothes Works a little in the gallery & in the grounds B very slovenly in his personnel appearance Health good Cont omm
27	No change careless & slovenly B/A to strike Works but little Mind very weak & erratic Destructive to his clothes Bodily health seems excellent Cont omm
27	Has been working rather more industriously since last report No mental Improvement Behaves equably As slovenly and careless as ever Often long Ks voluntarily Takes his food well Cont Works occasionally in the grounds but is very lazily inclined Very slovenly in his personal appearance Takes his food well & is in good bodily condition Long Ks often in an irritable manner without any evident cause Cont omm
27	No improvement Works occasionally but is very lazy & unruly At times Had a cold Bath to-day which seems to have produced very little effect Cont
27	Continues in all respects as at last report Very slovenly & destructive to his clothes Bodily health good Cont
27	No material change in any respect Slovenly & careless sometimes apt to strike his fellow patients Very lazily inclined but works a little occasionally Cont
28	No change of any consequence Health good Cont omm
28	Continues as before Bodily health good Cont as

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Hugh Love Notes from Vol: V p. 26

1846

Sept: 20 Bodily health good. Mind in the same weak and fallows state. Bowels regular. Appetite good. Comma

Oct 20 No change whatever in the state of this patient McCleary's Attty in his personal appearance Has not been much employed of late being very disinclined to work Relieves that a number of persons are combined to injure him Bodily health good Cont comma

Nov 18 No change in the mental state of the patient Works industriously in the grounds Is cleanly & neat in his personal appearance Cheerful good humoured & well behaved Engaged the medical attendant was a free mason & was very anxious to get McCoun to open from him Bodily health good Eats & sleeps well Bowels regular Cont comma

Dec 18 Works industriously in the grounds Mind weak & erratic Cleanly & neat in his personal appearance careful of his clothes Bodily health good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont comma

29 Mind weak & fanciful Works at present chiefly at picking coal from the McCleary's yard is careful of his clothes Health pretty good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont comma

1847 Jan 29 No change Cheerful contented & happy Employed at domestic work in the ward house Neat & cleanly Mind weak and fanciful Takes his food well Health pretty good Cont comma

Feby 28 No appreciable change Neat & cleanly Works as master in the ward house Mind still in the same weak condition Bodily health pretty good Cont comma

March 29 Mind continues in the same weak state Still employed in the ward house Cleanly & neat Cheerful & contented Enjoys good health Appetite good Bowels respond to regular sleep quietly Cont comma

Admitted 21st October 1843

Dec 26 Continues to be employed in the wet house assisting the attendants Cleanly & neat but rude weak & powerful Health good Cont omn

Jan 27 Took some sort of notion & refused for some time to go to the wet house preferring to waste in the grounds but has again returned to his former employment Takes his food well Cleanly & tidy Cont omn

Feb 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Bodily health good Cont omn

Mch 27 No change of any importance observable Works steadily & industriously in the grounds Talks cheerly & often sensibly Cleanly & regular Bowels regular Cont omn

Apl 27 No change of any importance since last report Works tolerably industriously Health good Cont omn

May 27 Was ever in the wet house assisting but now refuses to go Otherwise as at last report Cont

June 27 Getting very obstinate & sullen often refuses to take his food & lounges about in corners & however getting rather less sulky within these last few days Health tolerable Cont

July 27 Rather less obstinate than at last report but still refuses to work Takes his food now without compulsion Bowels easy Cont omn

Aug 27 Still very large & inclined but sometimes assists at cleaning the Gallery Mind very weak very obstinate Cleanly & neat Cont omn

Sept 27 An incurable case of dementia Has again begun working and assists very industriously in the Gallery Mind very weak Apt to talk in an incoherent manner Cont

Oct 27 Assists in the Gallery tolerably diligently Takes his food well Bowels very much confined Cont

Nov 27 Has been sulky & obstinate refusing to work or assist in the Gallery for some time past Health good Cont

1846

Sept: 20 In all respects the same as when last reported. Cap: omnia

Oct. 20 Works diligently in the quarry: Answers readily when called "Mr Scott" Is in general quiet & well behaved but two days ago being indoors in consequence of wet weather he got somewhat excited & threw two or three of his fellow patients Has however been quiet since & is at work again Ready Health good Cont omnia

Nov. 18 Continues to work diligently in the quarry still full of spunk & will not answer a question but must have a clap on the coat seldom converses with the patients & often sits apart from the rest Answers ordinary questions relevantly Is in good bodily health Appetite sleep & bowels Natural Cont omnia

Dec. 18 No change since last report Works industriously in the quarry Has not betrayed any symptoms of excitement of late but still sits apart from the other patients Bodily health good Takes his food well Cont omnia

29 Works in the quarry when the state of the weather permits Is industrious & well behaved Quiet & has had no excitement since last report Generally sits apart & has no correspondence with the rest of the patients Rather careless of his clothes & personal appearance although he will not wear a moleskin coat Eats his food well Health pretty good Cont omnia

1847

Jan. 29 No change in any respect Works industriously in the quarry Conducts himself very quietly & seldom converses with any of the rest of the patients Takes his food & enjoys tolerably good health Cont omnia

Feb. 28 Still works in the quarry Industrious & well behaved Mood meek & peaceful Does not talk much but answers readily enough Takes his food well sleeps quietly Cont omnia

March 25 No remarkable change in any respect Health good Cont omnia

Admitted 16th August 1845

	26	Continues to work steadily in the quarry Mind weak & powerful Will not wear Male Skin clothes Takes his food well & immoderately fond of muff Health good Cont Imm
Thursday	27	Thursday very powerful & weak mode after fond of muff Work very well quietly in the Quarry Health pretty good Cont Imm
	27	No mental improvement two days ago A being met & he with cheerfulness in Mr House he pursued Yearly Marshalls the forenoon Works as formerly in the quarry Health good Cont Imm
	27	Continues to work industriously in quarry Still retains the delusion concerning his being invested with the clerical character Bowels reported regular Takes his food well Cont Imm
	27	Continues in all respects a satisfactory report Works in the quarry Health good Cont Imm
	27	Still employed about the quarry Tolerably industrious quiet but occasionally given to speak in a incoherent manner but seldom makes much noise Health good Rather slovenly Cont Imm
	27	Little change of any consequence Works moderately Takes his food well cleanly in his personal appearance Cont Imm
	27	No change of importance Still employed about the Quarry No mental change Health pretty good Cont Imm
	27	No improvement Talks very incoherently occasionally preaches Still works in the quarry Takes his food well & enjoys good health Cont Imm
847	27	An incurable case of dementia Still works in the quarry Imagines himself a Major Talks very incoherently Health good Cont Imm
	27	Still at work in the quarry very incoherent Health tolerable Cont Imm

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William Ross &c: from Vol: 4 p. 208

1846

Sept: 18 Bodily health good. No change in mental state. Has had no return of Epileptic fits since last report. Bowels require Aperient Medicine occasionally. Assists the Attendants in the Galleries Convalescent

Octr 18 Still no return of Epileptic fits. Is not a Talk quarrelsome Man, but occasionally sings & pulls hair interferes with no one if let alone some days answers ordinary questions cheerfully & resolutely on others does resist talking or attention. Takes alterative pills constantly. Appears his bowels become constipated Tab. his face pale, pulse Tongue natural or white Continues Convalescent

Nov 18 Has had one or two slight fits since last report but has not been more disturbed than ordinary. Has slight lameness of one leg & considerable heat & tension in & circulating vessels of the abdomen in the ward Complained some time ago of pains & Transplant badly for there was around the prescription below Pains are now gone. Takes his food well sleeps well Generally requires medicine for his bowels R Rumex Colchici ʒss Tinct Aqui ʒij Mucil Gumat ℥ss ℥xxiv ter indies

Dec 18 No change in mental state. Pains & lameness now quite disappeared but there seems a weakness of right side especially of right flexor limb which has been increasing gradually for some time Requires to have his bowels kept free Assist at domestic employments Cont omnia

29 Little or no change since last report Works about in the Kitchen No epileptic fits since last report In other respects as stated above Cont omnia

1847

Jan 7th 29 Continues in all respects as at last report. Employed at domestic work in the Kitchen Has had no epileptic fits since last report Bowels Tolerably good R Tinct Rhei Tinct Hyd Cretonis ℥ii Gumat Amm omni nocte Cont omnia

Admitted 16th August 1849

Aug
Sept 28 Works about the kitchen & employed at domestic work generally, Still requires occasional doses of medicine to keep his bowels easy. Epileptic fits have been less frequent of late & takes his food well Cont

Oct 25 Fits have been rather more frequent of late but have not prevented him from following his usual occupation. Appetite is rather capricious & had a shuttle mutton another day or two ago & remains in ordinary health Takes his food well Requires occasional medicine

Nov 26 No fits of any severity since last report Small alteration as above reported Cont

Dec 27 One or two fits since last report Has been a little irritable but Still at work Always requires medicine to keep his bowels regular Cont

Jan 27 Has not had any observed fits since last report although he has been sometimes somewhat irritable Bowels rather slow R Pil Foetid Cal Cont x11 Sumat ij secunda

Feb 27 Still employed at domestic work Requires about same doses to regulate medicine as his fits become frequent & more severe if his bowels become costive Takes his food well Have Cont

Mar 27 No change of any consequence Health tolerable with the exception of the fits Cont

April 27 Fits rather frequent of late & occasionally after sleep are subject the next day. Irritable Continues however to assist about the yard Kitchen Cont

May 27 Still employed about the kitchen Fits more as before Bowels kept regular by medicine Cont

June 27 No change of any consequence Takes his food well Fits Continued as before Bowels require purgative occasionally Cont

July 27 Much the same as before Had a slight cold for which had a cough mixture with chlorodyne Cont

Alexander Monson &c. from Vol: 1/p 2

1845

Sept: 18 No change in any respect since last reported. Con: omits

Oct 20 Works regularly & very industriously. Has been more contented & cheerful of late. Conversing cheerfully though silently with the medical attendant. Is rather fat & thin but in tolerable health. Takes his food well. Cont: omits

Nov 18 Continues to work diligently in the manner's shop seems contented cheerful & well behaved. When the overseer steps continues cheerful & works a while. Is cleanly in his & careful of his clothes. Takes his food well & enjoys tolerable health. Cont: omits

Dec 18 As at last report. Works diligently in the manner's shop but not talkative cheerful & well behaved answers ordinary questions pleasantly but never is seen to smile or converse. Is rather pale but bodily health seems pretty good. Takes his food well. Cont: omits

29 Never was seen to smile only exclaims occasionally "it is a good day" &c but does not talk much. Is cheerful & contented keeps to himself. When not working usually stands leaning against the wall but speaks very seldom to anyone. Takes his food well but is pale. Health seems tolerably good. Cont: omits. Cleanly & neat in his dress.

1846

Jany 29 Continues in all respects as at last report. Works diligently in the manner's shop. Never seen to smile cheerful & well behaved. Takes his food well but is rather thin & pale. Cont: omits

Feby 28 Works diligently & peaceably in the shop among the weavers as formerly. No material change in any respect. Keeps tolerable. Cont: omits

March 25 Still employed as formerly in the manner's shop. Quiet & well behaved seems cheerful & good natured never makes any complaint or expresses any wish to learn the cause of his confinement. Talks readily except on the most ordinary subjects. Cont: omits

Admitted August 16th 1843

Aug 26 Works quietly & diligently in the weaver's Shop. Mind weak & forceful. No material change in any respect since last report Cont to remain

" 27 Works talentedly & industriously in the weaver's shop. Mind very weak & erratic. Yesterday refused to work for a day, or two at the end of which time he promises to resume work. Skin & pale. Bowels regular. Appetite tolerable. Cont as

" 27 Still at work in the weaver's shop. Works diligently. Takes his food well. Sleeps & quiet. Bowels regular. No mental improvement. Cont as

" 27 No change of any importance. Works quietly & industriously in the weavers' shop. Takes his food well. Sleeps well but still continues somewhat pale & thin. Bowels regular. Cont as

Sept 26 Rather complaining. Is pale & thin. Coughs somewhat but does not complain of any pain. Gets tea & steak. Cont as

" 26 Losing flesh & strength. Lies much in bed. Cough & expectoration during the night. Pain in left side of chest. Very deaf on percussion & small crepitus under left scapula. Appetite fair. Cont as

Oct 17 Still getting worse. Crepitus becoming more extensive & extensive. Appetite very capricious. Sees much of his time in bed. Cont

" 27 Still declining in strength & constitution. Cough becoming very troublesome. Crepitus extensive. Appetite fastidious. Pain in R. pectoral region. Ordered Liq Ferri Iodidi ℥ij Aquæ Menthæ ℥ij et Liquoris Auranti ℥ij Mistura. Pro Expectorans ℥iij Omni hora sumenda ℥ij tertia quaque hora. Cont as

" 28 Getting very low. Difficulty of breathing increasing much. Extremities getting cold. R. Spt Hordei ℥vi Continued to decline rapidly & this morning at 3 a.m.

Died

Thomas Muir Asst: from Vol. V p. 22.

1845

Sept. 10 Health, habits and state of mind &c. same as when last reported. Commu

Oct 20 No change in patient. Remains quiet & harmless. Sleeps to fit for hours in one situation. When spoken to answers with a silly but cheerful smile. Bodily health good. Cont. comm.

Nov 18 Continues in all respects as at last report. Does not employ himself at anything. Takes little cognisance of anything going on around. Cheerful & good humoured. Cleanly in his habits & personal appearance. Appetite, sleep & bowels natural. Cont. comm.

Dec 18 Little change since last report. Works occasionally at picking cocoa fibre. Mind wanders before. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. Bodily health good. Takes his food well. Cont. comm.

29 Mind continues much the same. Works a little at picking cocoa fibre. Tolerably cleanly, cheerful & good humoured. Is not sentructive. Takes his food well & enjoys good health. Cont. comm.

1846

Jan 29 No change. Mind very much cheerful & contented. Bodily occasionally does a little work. Takes his food well & enjoys pretty good health. Cleanly & careful of his clothes. Cont. comm.

Feb 28 Assists in cleaning the gallery. No mental improvement. Dresses well & behaved. Never speaks unless spoken to & then answers very sensibly. Bodily health tolerably good. Cont. comm.

March 25 Continues in the same state of mental imbecility. Never speaks unless addressed but answers correctly. Assists sedately. Works a little in the gallery & sometimes in the grounds. Bodily health & constitution tolerably good. Tolerably cleanly & not destructive. Cont. comm.

April 30 Continues in all respects as at last report. Bodily health tolerable. Cont. comm.

Admitted 16th August 1848

May 26 Not much if any change Works sometimes in the grounds & sometimes in the Gallery Mind continues in the same unsettled Bodily Health tolerably good Cont as now

June 25 No mental improvement Thrusts one of his fellow patients for some unfounded injury but is usually very quiet When tolerably well Bodily Health tolerably good Cont as now

July 26 Has become rather excited today Says that some of his fellow patients armour him one of whom he struck Has been removed to another gallery & seems pleased with the change & he thinks he will escape the armour now he brought himself subjected to as he has been so treated on account of his sons The heat must affect him

Aug 26 Still liable to get excited if sent to his former ward Would be in bed if allowed Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont as now

Sept 26 Considerably quieter since last Report but still makes sudden & strange gestures as if actuated by some sudden interval impulse Mutters inaudibly to himself Health passable Cont

Oct 26 Inhabit quiet room with two quiet others on Gallery Is attentive to work the same as at last report Appl extremities edematous

Nov 26 Ulcers on leg healed Mind very weak & powerless Bodily health pretty good Cont as now

Dec 26 Leg continues well but mind is still very weak & powerless not quite so excitable & apt to strike as he was formerly Bodily health tolerable keeps himself tolerably cleanly Cont as now

1847

Jan 26 Continues tolerably quiet Never speaks unless spoken to Mind very weak & powerless Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont as now

Feb 26 Asserts in the Gallery Mind very weak Bodily Health tolerable Cont as now

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Francis Young &c. from Vol. V. p. 20

1845

Sept. 10 In all respects the same as when last reported. Con: omnia

Oct 20 Filthy & fatuous to a very great degree. Sordid. Lying on the ground careless of anything going on around. A spittle mortifications & filthy habits constantly engross him. How long it may be till next meal but seldom say anything else. Bowels regular. Tongue natural. Cont omnia

Nov 18 No change since last report. Sits all day in one spot never speaks except to enquire when room will get the next meal. Filthy & destructive to his clothes. Bodily health tolerable. Takes his food voraciously. Cont omnia

Dec 18 No change in mental condition since last report but bodily health seems failing. Pulse thready & feeble. Urine & faeces appear unconsciously. Both legs have become oedematous. Was prescribed a tonic mixture a few days ago. Get collapse. R Spts Tur Ath Nitros ℥ij. Potassae Acetatis ℥ij. Mistura Camphorae ℥iss. Ter quotidie

29 Wanders very far & long. Sits in the mess room all day & never speaks except to ask when the next meal will be ever thankful when they have got the last half an hour before passes his urine & faeces in his clothes & bed. Feet somewhat less swollen. Has constant desire to void urine. Gets collapse & breaks & tries to escape. Cont omnia

1846

Jany 11 Early this morning suddenly became insensible. Breathing became difficult & stertorous. Pupils dilated. Extremities cold & livid. Pulse weak. All these symptoms continues to get more & more aggravated & at 2 p.m. he

Died

Admitted 23d October 1844

Patrick McGarry &c: from Vol. V/p

1845

Sept. 20 Bodily health good. Mind in the same weak state. Retains no delusions. Answers questions in a confused and hesitating manner however. Works in the Galleries and makes himself generally useful. Con: omitted

Oct 23 Renders himself very useful in the Galleries. Is quiet industrious cheerful & well behaved. Answers ordinary questions rationally & thinks he might now be discharged as he is quite capable of conducting his own affairs. Bodily health excellent. Cont &c.

Nov 24 No change mental as regards his conduction of his patticular duties but reports they use him in assisting in the wards. Obeys instructions & well behaved. Answers ordinary questions rationally but mind is evidently weak & the medical attendant saw him examining his hand & thinking over a story to ask him what was the matter he said he felt something to move in his head in three different places & he was curious to find out what it was. Is in good bodily condition & health. Appetite sleep & bowels natural. Behaved clearly in his personal appearance. Cont omitted

Dec 24 No observable change in any respect. Quiet industrious cheerful & well behaved. Chiefly passes his time in keeping the Galleries clean & tries much to assist from the other patients. Mind weak & forgetful. Questions must be before he answers them. He is content to dwell here as long as we think. Takes his food well & is in good bodily condition. Tolerable cleanly in his personal appearance. Cont omitted

1846

Jany 26 No change. Mind weak & forgetful. Works diligently in the Galleries. Keeping all things clean & neat. Takes his food well & is in good condition. Cont omitted

Feby 27 Mind very weak & forgetful. Works very industriously in the Galleries. Keeps himself well & clean & never refuses unless desired to. Cheerful contented & good natured. In pretty good condition. Cont omitted

admitted 12th April 1844

Apl 25 Mind very weak & full of fancies Has considerable difficulty occasionally in articulating & sometimes when spoken to stands staring at you twisting his mouth as if he was attempting to speak but could not Takes his food well & is in good bodily condition Prowls regular Assists in the gallery Cont omnia

" 26 No change of any consequence since last report Takes his food well Health good Cont omnia

May 25 Idle confined to the gallery where he renders himself very useful by keeping it very clean Takes his food well Mind very weak Prowls as usual Cont omnia

" 26 No mental change of any appreciable extent Idle employed in keeping the gallery clean Takes his food well Prowls regular Cont omnia

" 27 No change of any importance observable Assists in the gallery as formerly Takes his food well & is in good bodily condition Cont omnia

June 26 Since last week smashed five panes of glass without any evident cause except that he says he wishes some Meat sweet Health good Cont omnia

" 27 No change of any importance since last report Working quietly & industriously Takes his food well Cont

July 27 Working quietly in the gallery sometimes fancies there is some thing wrong about his stomach mind very weak Bodily health good Cont omnia

Aug 27 No improvement observable Takes his food well enjoys good health Assists in the gallery Cont omnia

Sept 27 Mind still as weak as ever sometimes takes fits of dancing & shouting Bodily health tolerably good Assists in the Gallery Cont omnia

1847
Jan 25 A hopeless case of dementia Assists in the gallery Prowls very much Bodily health only good Cont omnia

Matthew Bryden &c: from Vol. V p. 20

1845

Sept: 18 No change has taken place either in the Bodily or Mental state of this Patient. Con: omnia

Oct 23 Walks well and steadily in the grounds or assisting the masons Never enters into conversation with any one Answers questions briefly & often rather sullenly Cleanly in his personal appearance Enjoys good bodily health Takes his food well Cont omnia

Nov 24 Continues to walk in the grounds & along with the masons If general questions well he answers at times rather pithy answers an ordinary question tolerably relevantly sometimes but mind is very weak & confused & full of fancies When asked [illegible] why it was that sentence here respecting the women who conducted against him but spoken further questioned wandered from the previous idea & said it was hard, hard that did not punish the sentence when urged as to what hard said he supposed the sceptre of power Enjoys good bodily health & appetite sleeps & bowels natural Cont omnia

Dec 25 Mind very weak & confused & full of fancies can scarcely utter a coherent sentence except perhaps a short answer to some ordinary question Walks generally with the masons & gardeners & industrious Takes his food well Health good Bodily functions reported regular Cont omnia

1846

Jany 26 No appreciable change Mentally or bodily Walks diligently in the grounds Mind very weak Quite incoherent in conversation Bodily health & strength good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont omnia

Feby 27 Mind very weak & fanciful Does not often talk much but when he speaks generally utters most incoherent nonsense Works diligently in the grounds Takes his food well & enjoys good health Cont omnia

March 25 Mind very weak Ideas very incoherent & industrious cleanly & not destructive Enjoys excellent health Bowels regular Cont omnia

Admitted 1st March 1844

	A26	No material change since last report Health good Works in the grounds Bowels regular Cont Omnia
	May 24	Mind continues weak & incoherent Takes the most incoherent nonsense Works very diligently in the grounds Takes his food well Health good Cont Cont Omnia
	June 24	No mental or bodily change of any appreciable importance since last report Cont Omnia
	July 26	Continues to work with the masons Does not talk much but what he does is very incoherent Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Omnia
	A26	No change appreciable of any consequence Bodily health & good Cont Omnia
	Aug 27	Mind continues in the same weak & incoherent condition Works industriously Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes Health good Cont
	27	Still employed in the grounds as formerly Mind very weak Bodily health good Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes Cont Omnia
	Sept 27	Mind as weak & powerful as ever Works industriously Bodily health good Bowels regular Cont Omnia
	Oct 27	Bowels were rather lax & he had the following Rx Olei Ricini ℥ij Tinct Assii gtt xxv Aquae Cinnamomi ℥ij M Sumat pro re Rx Pil Plumbi & opiatae xii Sumat unam ter quotidie Bowels are much better Mind remains in the same hopeless condition Cont Omnia
	Nov 27	A hopeless case of dementia No mental change of any consequence Bowels complaint more gone & bodily health pretty good Cont Omnia Medicine omitted
	Dec 27	Employed of late feeding the pigs in the laundry court No mental change Bodily & health pretty good Cont
	Jan 28	Mind very much confused Can scarcely give a relevant answer to very simple questions Takes charge of the pigs as before Health good Cont

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Henry Montgomerie &c: from Vol. 1 p. 2

1845

Sept: 22 do all respects the same as when last reported. Cont: ommin

Oct 23 Mind very weak & unstable Works regularly in the ground Generally employed in the garden Bodily Health good Cont ommin

Nov 24 No change mental or bodily since last report mind continuing in the same weak state Continues to be employed in the grounds Answers questions only in monosyllables Not destructive Daily in his personal appearance Bodily health tolerable Cont as

Dec 24 No observable change Mind continues in the same unstable state Quiet retiring disposition Seldom speaks or answers a question Works constantly in the grounds the state of the weather permitting Cleanly in his personal appearance a tolerable careful of his clothes Takes his food Enjoys pretty good health although rather thin is bodily Bowels reported as regular Cont ommin

1846

Jany 26 No change mental or bodily Mind very weak Quiet & inoffensive Works occasionally in the garden Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont ommin

Febry 27 Works very constantly & able & quietly in the garden Very retired disposition & quiet Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes Takes his food well Health tolerably good Cont ommin

March 25 Mind remains in the same weak state Quiet peaceable & retiring Works diligently in the gardens Seldom speaks unless addressed & then answers with a monosyllable Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont ommin

April 26 No observable change Works constantly in the grounds Very quiet & inoffensive Seldom ever speaks Takes his food well Cont ommin

May 25 Still works diligently & quietly in the garden Rarely ever speaks Very peaceable Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont ommin

admitted 16th August 1849

Sept 26 Still employed in the garden where he works very diligently No improvement in his mental state Takes his food tolerable well but is rather thin Bowels reported regular Cont omn

Oct 26 No change of any importance observable Still works very constantly in the garden Quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well but is rather thin Bowels reported regular Cont omn

Nov 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Cont omn

Dec 26 Still employed in the garden Works quietly & diligently Seems not to have any inclination to leave the establishment Takes his food well Tolerably cleanly Cont

Jan 26 No change of any importance since last report Still employed in the garden Work quietly & peaceably & well Cont omn

Feb 26 No appreciable change Quiet peaceable & industrious Takes his food Keeps himself clean & enjoys good health Cont

Mar 26 No change of any consequence Quiet peaceable & industrious Still busily employed in the garden Health tolerably good Cont omn

Apr 26 Mind remains in the same unsatisfactory state Seldom speaks or only answers with a monosyllable Tolerably cleanly & no destructive Cont

May 26 Still employed with the Gardener No mental change Quiet & peaceable Seldom speaks Cont

June 27 Quiet & peaceable Always employed in the garden works very constantly Mind very much Health tolerable Keeps himself tolerably cleanly Cont omn

July 27 Still employed in the garden Quiet & peaceable Takes his food well Cont

Aug 27 Continues to work quietly & industriously in the garden Badly Health tolerably good Cont omn

Sept 27 No change of any consequence Still employed in the garden Cont

Oct 27 Much the same in all respects Badly Health good Cont

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Donald Carmichael act 45 from Sept 11
1845

Oct 19 Is quiet industrious & mild Behaved
Works regularly in the grounds Answers
questions rationally & betrays no delusion
Enjoys good bodily health Takes his
food well Tongue clean Bowels
regular continues in same

Nov 18 Continues to work industriously
in the grounds Quiet & well behaved
answers ordinary questions rationally but little returns his
delusions concerning Malignant
Spirits sleeps well Bowels notified
Is good bodily health Cleanly
in his personal appearance
Cont same

Dec 18 Works as usual industrious
& quietly in the grounds Is very
peaceable & well Behaved Thinks
the man Campbell who had the
farm is now likely dead & that
he (Carmichael) may perhaps
get it quietly Does not insist
to take any thing unless pulled
or by force Takes his food
well & rather than last
bodily health is tolerable Cont
same

29 No material change since
last report Works in the
grounds The state of the
weather permitting Delusions as above noted Health
tolerable Cont same

1846
Jan 26 No change in any respect
since last report except
perhaps his health is not
quite so good No change in
his delusions Works occasionally in the grounds Takes
his food pretty well Bowels
rather sluggish R Pd a Draught
X II Same i. o. n.

30 Has been in rather declining state
of health for some time Does not
take his food so well sits in a
corner by himself but makes
no complaint says he has no
pain no cough no ailment
Pulse 100 Tongue white but
moist Eyes dull Has pale
Dry hard crepitus in superior
anterior region of chest
Bronchial respiratory sound
in right superior anterior
region Dull at crepitus
Thorax but lower part of
right side of Thorax
Appears resonator to tone

Acton Mill January 28th 1844

dext Ape Narcis R Spirits
Aeth Nitrosi Zij Acetatis
Potassæ Nitratis Potassæ Zij
Aquæ Destat Ammonia Mist
æruæ Camphoræ aa Zviij Tinct
Opii Camph Mxxx M ft Summ
Bib ter quotidie

Jan 1 It seems that for several days
back he has had a dysenteric
affection which yesterday & today
have become very much aggravated
The matter he passes is thin bloody
dark & is intermixed with yellow
matters, of a most offensive smell
& passed from him suddenly &
with violence to considerable pain
Attended to day Pulse weak & fluttering
Tongue furred Pain & tenderness
of lower half of right lung & still
more distinct & extensive chest as
above reported Blister which
was ordered to right side of
chest shifted to side to blister
upper part of abdomen
Omit Mistura et sumat pulvis
R Pulv Ipecacuanhæ Columbæ
Cretæ aa Zij Pulv Opii gr x ii
Conserv Rosarum q s ft
Pilulæ xii in Pil x x iv Summat
unam 3 q horâ Pone R
Potassæ Carbonatis Zvi Tinct
Cardamomi Zij Aquæ Zvi ter quotidie
Pro Haust Effervescente Columbæ
Omit Pulv Opii Pilulæ Pone
Blister Right Side

2 Getting much worse Diarrhœa
uncontrollable even by the use of
opiates Pulse strong & frequent
Tongue becoming more & more covered
Breathing rapid & laborious
Pulse rapid & weak Lies prostrate
& muttering Gradually sinking
& Symptoms aggravated & none relieved
more & more aggravated until he
sunk exhausted

Died

No inspection permitted

John Stewart aet 40 from pol

"family Thomas heard nothing of them since
"Frame here They must be in a very distressed State I am now thank God, quite
"well and has been for some time By
"complying with my request you will
"oblige

"Yours Truly
"John Stewart

"Oct 2d
"1845

Mr on leg now quite healed Is quiet industrious & well behaved Speaks rationally on common subjects but from his extreme deafness cannot well be questioned however the following extracts from a letter without date or subscription addressed Archd Stewart Lanesborough show he entertains the delusion that his wife attempted to poison him
"It is a wonder to all here that I am so well
"after the usage I got at home There is no
"doubt but I got something (that made my self sick) Mr Hunter
"says I gave me it & intended to poison
"me I will say no more about it at present
"..... It is a pity but you took me home
"I have got some very bad usage it is a true
"place I am not safe of my life with the
"people here in their mind they use them
"the night & strikes one another at an
"[illegible] rate I say nothing to my wife
"of what my suspicions are" ... I am
"much troubled in my mind by alarming
"dreams"

Nov 18 Quiet & well conducted Is anxious to get home but still
entertains the delusion that his
wife attempted to poison
him Is extremely deaf Is
good bodily health Can't
dress

Dec 18 Little change since last report
except perhaps the delusions in
regard to his wife are becoming
fainter Is getting fat Bodily
health good Walks industriously
& conducts himself quietly
Can't dress

29 Conducts himself quietly Works
industriously Speaks little in
consequence of his extreme
deafness Talks rationally on
all subjects except that his
wife's conduct was suspicious
& anxious to get home to
look after his family Is
cleanly & careful of his cloth
Takes his food well
Health good Bowels reg
ular Can't dress

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Admitted January 23d 1845

1845 Jan 29 Seems to have got rid of all his delusions talks & ratiocinates rationally & conducts himself in all respects well Leg has again become troublesome & he is at present in bed for the cure Continue

1845 Jan 28 Conducts himself in all respects well Retracts the delusions Is very anxious to get home to look after his garden &c Has been the season for digging & planting Is in good bodily health & consolidation Continue

1845 Jan 24 Retracts the delusions Conducts himself quietly & rationally Anxious to get home Was sick yesterday & the day before but is up to-day Is otherwise in tolerable bodily health Works in the garden & in the gallery Continue

1845 Jan 17 Being in good bodily health & free from all delusion discharged

Cured

James Brown Oct 24 from p.

Oct 23 Raves about the morning court all day at the top of his voice Destructive to his clothes Has no care for his personal appearance Sometimes marches about in the ground but from his noisy & disorderly conduct greatly annoys the more peaceably inclined patients Bodily health good Cont amma

Nov 24 No change in the mental condition of this patient He is noisy & destructive as at last report Sometimes strikes his fellow patients & is upon the whole a most troublesome & untractable patient Never gives a coherent answer to any question Has not been employed since last report Very cleanly in habits Bodily health good Eats his food well Bowels regular Cont amma

Dec 22 Still continues a most troublesome patient Noisy lazy negligent disobedient filthy destructive & quarrelsome Purposely & wilfully dilutes & throws his victuals on the floor & will do nothing that he is required Dirty & does not attend to his clothes Eats his food well Health good Cont amma

1846
Jany 29 Still no change Insolent & troublesome often strikes his fellow patients Raves incoherently & lies much on the ground Very destructive to his clothes & slovenly Eats his food well Health good Cont amma

Feby 28 Continues to be lazy negligent & obstreperous & striking the patients & even the keepers He must times requested to do so Still lies much Raves to himself Mumbles his words Working tolerably industriously & conducting himself quietly General health good Cont amma

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July 24 Has continued to work since last report although of late getting lazy & obstreperous talks loudly & defiantly Bowels regular Health good Appetite good Sleeps Bowels regular Cont omne

25 Continues to work very diligently in the grounds & is much better behaved than formerly but mind still as far astray Takes his food well Health good Cont omne

26 Still a very good worker although continues very incoherent Continually talking the most incoherent & nonsense cannot utter a coherent sentence Bowels regular Health good Cont omne

27 No mental improvement Always talking the most utter incoherences at the same time works & labours industriously Takes his food well Bowels regular Health good Tolerably cleanly but not proper Generally Cont omne

28 No change of any consequence observable Works & eats well but Constantly talks most incoherently Takes his food well Bowels rather slow in Consequence of which takes an aloetic pill occasionally Cont

29 Little change of any importance Talks almost constantly & most incoherently Cont omne

30 Still as noisy & incoherent almost constantly talking in a very incoherent manner Bowels regular Health good Cont omne

31 Continues to rave almost constantly in the most incoherent manner so that little meaning can be extracted from what he says He is dead & that his name is not Jas Brown often prattles on the ground & walls Cont

Aug 1 No change of any importance since last report Bowels regular Health excellent Cont omne

2 No change of any consequence Last week for two days refused to work but has again resumed working Health good Cont

1844
Aug 3 No change observable except perhaps a little more noisy Cont

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William Nelson aet 18 from...

Oct 24 Has been working for some weeks past in the weaver's shop & Mind of strength very much improved considerable better the being much quieter & more orderly industrious & [illegible] rather than takes his food well - Cont Amm

Nov 24 Continues to work industrious in the weaver's shop & Mind of reading the Bible & Religious books talks very incoherently Has an inoffensive & self taught Epithet rather than in the habit but takes his food well & enjoys tolerable good health Sleeps well Cont amm

Dec 25 Little or no change since last report Works pretty constant in the weavers shop Delusions as to this and being lost still continues Reads the Bible & religious books when he can finds opportunity Mind perhaps Sheldrick Is Spade & Thin but takes his food well & appears in tolerable health & health Rather cooler of his clothes Bowels regular Cont amm

1846
Jan 24 No change mental or bodily since last report Works very diligently in the weavers shop Amongst repeating passages of scripture Hymns &c to himself Is Spade & Thin but takes his food well Bowels regular Cont amm

Feby 27 Works as formerly in the weavers shop Quiet inoffensive & industrious Mind very much filled repeating passages of scripture &c Takes his food well but is Thin & pale Cont amm

March 26 No improvement in the state of mind of this patient Constantly humming Hymns or passages of scripture Works in the weavers shop Rather eloquently & coherently Takes his food tolerably well but is rather thin Bowels reported regular Cont amm

April 26 No change of any consequence since last report the most marked in the weaver's shop Health good Cont amm

May 25 Still employed in the weaver's shop Mind in the same unsatisfactory state Bowels tolerable Cont amm

Admitted June 12th 1844

June 26 No appreciable improvement Harmless & incoherent mutterings almost constantly gives sentences repeating the same sentence sometimes for hours Takes his food tolerably well & seems to care a little about it But he requires to be fed to take it Is rather thin Bowels regular

July 26 No change of any importance Works as usual in the weavers' shop Talks constantly to himself Bodily health passable Continues

Aug 26 The weaving being stopped he refuses to go to any other work & mutters much to himself Continues

Sept 26 Still refuses to employ himself at anything useful Lies about in corners on the floor Mind very weak Takes his food but requires to be brought to his meals unless the most of the patients Continues

Oct 14 His father thinking he was able to take care of him at home Having got the sanction of the parish authorities &c came for him today He is therefore discharged Relieved

Relieved
June 14

James McDonald Act 19 for

1845

Oct 24 Was confined to bed several days with pain in his ear Dr Goodwin applied which relieved the pain & now there is a slight purulent discharge from right meatus auditorius he is otherwise in good health & employed as a Cook Was removed a number of times from Lunatic wards after Oct 24th Conduct

Nov 24 continues quiet industrious & well behaved & civil in his demeanour but is so very deaf that he can scarcely hear a word said to him There is still a slight discharge from ear He continues in good bodily health & appetite sleeps & bowels natural Has a quiet & rather sullen look Continues

Dec 25 No apparent change in mental as bodily Marks in the kitchen is in good bodily condition Is so excessively deaf that he can only with the greatest difficulty hear what is said to him Is rather fastidious as to his clothes & not very careful of his personal appearance seems very comfortable & contented with his situation & marks industriously & quietly Health good Continues

1846

Jany 26 From his deafness some misunderstanding took place between him & the kitchenmaid he became very abusive & was ordered to be removed from the kitchen Wanted some cleaned & he could & was compelled several days To mend quietly at work again but as he has not been allowed to go back to the kitchen he will out of revenge probably run away the first opportunity Health good bowels regular Continues

Feby 27 Managed to make his escape but was apprehended by the nurse & brought back to the house Has been strictly confined to the gallery as during court as there is no doubt he will run off as soon as the funds of the institution Marks tolerably well but is full of complaints General health good Continues

Oct 10 1 [illegible] p 210 Admitted January 4th 1844

[illegible] 826 Very troublesome & mischievous annoys the others patients must be watched them to mischief very destructive to his clothes Grumbles & complains much of his treatment he receives Wishes to be sent out to work for the purpose of making his escape Badly clothed & fed Cont same

Feb 826 Still as troublesome as ever but has been tried out at work again Takes his food well Health good Cont same

May 25 No improvement a most troublesome patient always annoying the neighbouring patients & doing all sorts of mischief very destructive to his clothes & very anxious to get away Will probably attempt to escape the first opportunity Cont same

June 25 Not much change except perhaps rather less annoying to his fellow patients from having narrowly escaped getting a cell both for some of his delinquencies Demeanour & disposition as mischievous as before Takes his food well Health good Cont

July 26 Not much change Works tolerable industriously put to when not employed ready for all kinds of mischief Takes his food well Bowels costive Cont same

Aug 826 No change of any consequence since last report Badly Cont

Sept 826 Still works very quietly & industriously when looked after but cunning & ready for mischief whenever he has an opportunity Health good Cont same

Oct 826 Much the same as at last report Badly Health tolerably good Cont same

Nov 26 Still as cunning & apt to work mischief when not watched Demonstrations when suspected Takes his food well Bowels costive to his clothes Cont

Dec 826 Works industriously Still very like he is the grandson of Lord McDonald Badly Health good Cont same

1847

Jan 727 No change of any importance sent to assist in the yard House

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James Mc Lachlan admt from Jy

1845

Nov 17 Daily employed assisting the plasterers Quiet & taciturn but industrious & well behaved Is liable to become excitable at times but can generally be managed by persons who know him Generally answers questions rationally carries but seldom speaks unless addressed at times is rather sulky Appetite tolerable Health Habits & personal neatness reported regular (not particularly tidy) but not destructive to his clothes Conduct common

Dec 17 No material change since last report as usual employed assisting the plasterers Mental & moral state & erratic Bodily health good Takes his food well Conduct common

29 Works with the plasterers Quiet & well behaved Daily managed by those who know him but easily excitable by any rough treatment Seldom speaks any Takes his food well Health good Tolerably cleanly Conduct common

1846
Jan 29 No change since last report Mind very much so as well behaved Works constantly & diligently with the plasterers Health good Conduct common

Feb 28 Quiet & industrious always employed along with the plasterers Seldom speaks answers very correctly to any question addressed to him Obeys tolerably good Habits Conduct common

March 26 Still employed along with the plasterers No change in mental state Speaks very little Generally conducts himself in a quiet manner Watches but little to his clothes Tolerably cleanly Health good Conduct common

April 26 No material change in any respect since last report Still at work with the plasterers Seldom speaks Health pretty good Conduct common

May 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Conduct

Admitted Feby 14th 1844

Mar 24 Still at work with the plasterer Conducts himself very quietly but mind continues in the same weak condition Health of body tolerably good Takes his food well Bowels regular cont on

July 26 No change of any importance observable Still works as formerly with the plasterers mind seeming if not irritated Badly Health passable Cont Comm

Sep 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Badly Health good Cont ob

Oct 26 Mind remains in the same weak condition Scarcely ever speaks unless spoken to & replies very briefly Works tolerably Constantly with the plasterer Health good Cont on

Nov 26 No change of any importance Still employed with the plasterer Badly Health pretty good Cont on

Dec 26 No appreciable Change Tolerably quiet peaceable industrious Badly Health good Cont on

1845

Jan 26 Still employed with the plasterer No mental change Enjoys good bodily Health Tolerably cleanly & neat Constitution Cont

Feb 26 No change of any importance observable Mind very weak Can scarcely give a relevant answer to the simplest question Health good Cont on

March 27 Mind very weak Quiet & peaceable in general but sometimes gets a little excited talking to himself or imaginary persons Works the plasterer as formerly Badly Health pretty fair Cont

April 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Cont

May 27 No change of any importance Still employed with the plasterer Cont

June 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Health good Cont

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David Stephenson

1845

Dec 4 Abdomen of Dr Tuna Calls Rest three times a day Lax is now much better Pulse when one he small low all sorts of food such as turnips Carrots &c quite of course aggravates the disease Ordered to take the following medicine R Quin Sulph Acid Nitros ℥ij/ Acid Sulph Dil ℥ij/ Tinct Nucis Vomicae ℥iij/ Tinct Camphorae ℥iij/ Tinct Hyoscyami ℥ij/ Aquae ℥ij/ divide pro mixtura ter quotidie

18 Feet & legs becoming more oedematous with a tendency to erysipelas Will let no bitters stay applied to them Left gone Taking the above Mixture & a gill full diet Calleps & bread extra Gets boat Thin & haggard Cont omnia

29 Feet & legs nearly free from oedema Still troubled with the carbuncles Very thin & haggard Strength gets Calleps & pound of bread & pint of porter daily besides full diet — Bowels & skin sluggish as ever & has still excuse or reason to allege for his conduct Where in nature we will not destroy if he has the power or appointment Bowels free Stool regular Taking the following R Liquor Guttaperchae ℥x Ol Limet Cardam Comp ℥ij misce fiat ℥ij bis in die

1846

Jany 29 No mental change — Hunt bodily health has improved somewhat — No carbuncles at present Nor oedema Hunt is still thin & haggard with a rather sunken look Has been hunting in a canvas dress & sent out with the warders to keep him from mischief Cont omnia

Feby 28 Perhaps some slight improvement Was struck with a fit of mania for several nights Hunt in consequence of fasting at the back to be taken from him again Declares he is much happier with a string & straw In still very thin Hunt bodily health seems improved Cont omnia

Transferred to Admitted 29th July 1845

Not much improvement Has got a canvas suit as as common Moleskin clothes are soon torn to rags Limits a little in the gaddery but cannot be trusted to himself at any thing from his most nervous & excitable state Has still a most insatiable appetite - is grateful & standing the large extra amount of food he get he still remains thin although in this respect has slightly improved

Continued

Although admonished as to his dress his wife neglects on his removal to the asylum accordingly

Released

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Wm McDonnell cont

Dec 6 Still thirsty. Tongue dry rather brown. Complains of aching pain in right side of chest. Dulness on percussion in lower dorsal region mott. rubbing sounds more antemort. Sounds of heart seem rather rough. Still a little constant but there is no abnormal dulness in cardiac region. R Applicetur pessi et omnia pateri electro thoracis R Solut Tartratis antimonii Zij Potassae tartratis Potassae Zij Aquae destillatae Ammoniae aquae fort a a Zij Mist. Sumat Zss quarta quaque hora Rb

7 Breathing accelerated & slight nasal & slight rhonchi pleuritic on the backs. Dulness in chest increasing especially behind. Complains slightly on pressure over abdomen as liver. Still thirsty. Tongue foul but moister. V 108. mentat. Applicetur pessi et omnia pateri inferiori latere dextro thoracis cont ammi

9 Pulse has fallen in rapidity & is now reduced in volume & softness. Breathing calmer & less frequent & not nasal. The pleuritic friction has disappeared. Is sleeping pretty well & tongue has become moister. Thirst gone. Cont omnia

18 Has been up out of bed & walking about the gallery for several days. Pulse natural. Tongue clean. Appetite excellent but there is still considerable dulness posteriorly in right side of chest. Still a collapse of portion Applicetur pessi et omnia pateri posteriori lateris dextri thoracis

29 Still considerable dulness in posterior part of right side of chest but less than formerly. Still very thin but improving in flesh. Gets up & dresses herself extra. No any pericardial mentation. Change. Mind weak & confused. Rather retarded & dull. Cont

Take the following Applicetur Acet Morphiae Zss Acetatis Potassae Nitratis Potassae aa Zij Aquam aestatis ammoniae ad Mist Camphorae ad Zviij Misce Sumat Zss ter in die Cont omnia

1946
Jany 29 No change in mental condition. Bad & health pretty good. Takes his food well. Cont omnia

Admitted 22nd May 1848

May 28 No improvement in mental condition Always takes the medical attendant to be a Mr Crichton often asks him concerning his relations very retired & unsocial seldom speaks to any of his fellow patients Walks for hours looking out at the window Health pretty good Cont comm

June 26 No Mental improvement Delusions continue The same Still supposes the medical attendant to be a Mr Crichton a relation of his own Bodily health seems more fully restored Never employs himself at any work seldom reads Chiefly engaged looking out through the windows Appetite sleep & bowels natural Cont comm

July 27 No change of any consequence since last report Generally passes the most of his time standing with his hands in his pockets looking out through the window Takes his food well Health good Cont comm

Aug 25 No important change since last report Never employs himself at any work Reads occasionally but usually passes his time looking out at a window Mind much as before Health good Cont comm

Aug 25 Continues in all respects as at last report No improvement can not be got to employ himself at any thing useful Health good Cont

Sept 27 No appreciable change Seldom speaks unless spoken to Still calls the medical attendant Mr Crichton Takes his food well Bowels reported regular Cont comm

Oct 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Seldom speaks Takes his food well Cont

Nov 27 Passes the most of his time when awake looking out through the windows Seldom speaks or takes notice of what may be passing in the gallery Health tolerable Cont

Dec 27 Continues in all respects nearly the same as at last report Generally Health pretty good Cont comm

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1845 James Cumming Pauper Lunatic 2d

Dec 8 Continues as before, with little if any change. Carries a pebble constantly in his bosom often reads it. Curses, swears at the top of his voice, interlarding these with the groans of genuine Worth occasionally in the ground but cannot be trusted when he can see strangers as the cry of these always excites him. Enjoys good health. Appetite sleep & bowels natural. Good Conduct

29 No material change since last report. Raves in the same incoherent manner as formerly. Is very anxious to get away. Muttering the invocation of dreadful curses on all who have a hand in detaining him. Health & bowels natural. Good Conduct

1846
Jany 29 Very considerably quieter since last report. Seems full of plans but has given over the shouting cursing & gnashing of genuine Worth. Very industrious & very anxious to get home. Health good. Conduct

Feby 28 Mind seems improving. Is much quieter & more rational. Works industriously but says he is very anxious to get home, for that reason he fancies it is much better to keep quiet but expects if he be kept here long he will be paid something for his work. Health good. Conduct

March 26 Continues to improve every week. Has completely given over his loud ravings, conducts himself quietly & industriously & on the whole tolerably rationally. Is not destructive. Healthy. Good Conduct

April 27 Conducts himself with great propriety. Works industriously in the grounds & about the walls. Is anxious to get discharged. Still wears a pebble in his bosom occasionally. Conduct

May 25 Continues in all respects as last report. Conducting himself well but mind still somewhat unsettled

From Nov 1st 1845 Admitted Feby 29 1846

June 25 Considers himself very well & is trusted out of the grounds at various pieces of employment Mind is stable & settled & thinks that this probably as well as he ever was or ever will be. Takes his food well Health excellent Cont[inue]s

" 27 Continues convalescent Can be trusted with the care of other patients at all kinds of farm work Health good Cont[inue]s

July 7 Being in good bodily health & free from all delusions discharged

Cured

Jas Mc Grant act 26 from Rad 2

1844

Dec 28 Has continued to improve in health & health & condition since last report although closely confined & melancholy found of sitting & seems weak in the limbs Has been employed last week picking cocoa shire Hands in very weak Has general times taken his shirt to threads & the complained to the Medical attendant of being obliged to wear a dirty one Takes his food well sleeps well Bowels regular

28 Little change since last report Mind weak & suspicious & wary more of late than he used formerly Makes lawful complaints to visitors of his clothes requiring washing when really there was no ground for such a complaint Likes this & his head shaved & between his shoulders Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont on

1845

Jany 28 Little or no change since last report Still refuses to work on the ground Takes his food well Bowels regular Works occasionally in the grounds R Infirmae Cont Tinct Cardam Comp ℥iij Acid Sulph dilut ℥ij Mist camph ℥iij Ter die

Febry 28 No change since last report Still sits much on the ground & when asked why he does not work says he is not able Health seems pretty good Cont comm

March 26 No mental improvement Seldom stands & very generally sits or lies on the ground Cannot be persuaded to employ himself at any useful Takes his food well but still is rather Expression of countenance vacant & given to fear his clothes occasionally & complains of the want of sufficient clothing Cont as before

April 27 Has been working very diligently in the grounds for some time past Mind still as weak as ever Health tolerable Takes his food well Cont as before

page 154 Admitted Dec. 15th 1844

May 25 No mental improvement observed continues very weak Works tolerably diligently but reluctant to be kept Takes his food well Bowels regular Conduct as

June 24 Still at work in the grounds Speaks very little but answers correctly many questions tolerably correctly Diet is Rumford very weak Takes his food well but is still somewhat thin Conduct as

May 27 Works industriously Answers questions tolerably relevantly but there is a dullness about him Would not on the ground as a regular old day if allowed Health improved Conduct as

May 27 Works very industriously but emaciated very much although Takes his food well Conduct as

June 27 Continues to work very industriously & getting into better bodily condition but still stoops & round shouldered Takes his food well Bowels regular Conduct

July 27 Little change of any importance since last report still employed in the grounds although somewhat unwillingly Takes his food well Conduct as

Nov 27 No change of any importance Health & bodily Conduct as

Dec 6 Today while employed by the attendant at bringing home coals effected his escape by leaping over the paling at west side of the grounds

18 Found today in Glasgow out returning to his mother's house & brought back by two attendants

28 Hand was somewhat swollen from a bruise it was poulticed & is now getting pretty well No mental improvement Conduct as

1847
Jan 29 Can apparently be left without care Works in the grounds seldom speaks When not working sits listlessly looking about & notices if anything passing around Takes his food well but is thin Conduct as

July 29 Much the same as at last report Takes his food well Bowels regular Conduct as

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George Brown

Dec 29 Continues in the same Insane state Appetite voracious & filthy Destructive to his clothes & to every thing he is able to destroy Cannot utter a coherent sentence Is able but unfit in tolerably good health Cont same

1849
Jany 28 An incurable case of dementia No change Destructive to a very great degree voracious & filthy In all respects as at last report Cont same

Feby 28 No change Dirty destructive voracious & useless Does not unhealthy as respects but seems tolerably good Cont same

March 26 Remains in the same Irritable disgusting state Destructive to every thing he can destroy often found crouching below the tables forms a bed & sleeps in seclusion every night Appetite voracious Eats all sorts of filth Cannot utter a coherent sentence or be employed at any thing useful Face of an unhealthy appearance but health seems tolerably good Cont same

April 27 No improvement or any change of any consequence since last report except that can be got to do a little work in the ground Cont same

May 25 Continues unchanged Dirty destructive & filthy habits but can do a little work occasionally if well looked after Cont same

June 25 Has not been employed of late No change in his habits being quite as dirty as destructive as ever Badly shaved pretty good bowels regular Cont

July 27 No improvement Continues in all respects as reported above Cont same

Augt 27 Sometimes does a little work but is on the whole useless & very dirty & destructive Cont

Sept 27 No improvement Destructive to his clothes dirty & next to useless Badly shaved good bowels & all things is ill Cont

Sept 27 Admitted Nov 21 1844

Sept 27 No improvement Dirty
nasty & destructive
Takes his food greedily
seldom lies in his proper
bed but takes out the bedding
places it on the floor & sleeps
there Cont

Nov 27 Continues in all respects
as at last report Cont

Dec 27 No change of any consequence
in any respect still as greedy
filthy & brutish as ever Cont
Cont

Jan 27 A hopeless case of domestic filthy
& brutish Destructive to his
clothes & the walls tears his
bed Takes his food well
Cont Cont

Feb 27 No improvement Dirty & des-
tructive Badly Health tolerable
Food Cont

March 27 No improvement except in
so far as that he can now be
permitted to sleep in the open
Galleries among the rest of the
filthy patients instead of
regularly to be locked up at
night as formerly Cont
Cont

April 27 No change of any consequence
since last report Health tolera-
ble Cont

May 27 Continues as dirty filthy and
destructive as reported & hence
Takes his food well Bowels
costive Cont

June 27 No change of any importance
Badly Health tolerable Food
Cont

July 27 No change in any respect still
Dirty destructive & careless of
everything Badly Health Contin-
ues tolerable Cont

Aug 24 No change of any consequence
still as careless filthy & des-
tructive as ever Appetite keen
Eats anything almost however
nasty & smells of food Health
tolerable Cont

Sept 26 No change of any consequence of
remarkable Dirty careless & des-
tructive Health good
Cont

Oct 24 Must the same in all respects
Dirty slovenly filthy & des-
tructive Takes his food
well Cont

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Adam Masterton ast from

Dec 27 No perceptible change in
Body or mind Works at the
Smith Shop Smith Mineral
very weak & confused Refuses
to answer questions & turns
abruptly away when spoken
to Dirty & Careless Habits
his food well & is in good
Health Cont comm

1846
Jany 28 No change in any respect
since last report Works
with the smith Speaks rea-
dily & mark mind pre-
sent Takes his food
well Health good
Cont comm

Feby 28 Mind weak & powerful Has
every night to be sent to wash
his face & hands will never
learn to do it of his own accord
Works pretty industriously
in the smithy Health
good Appetite excellent Cont
comm

Mar 28 No perceptible improvement
Still employed with the
smith Feels quite annoyed
when any questions are
asked of him Laughs silly
Works industriously Stoops
slightly & rather dirty Appetite
keep & bowels natural
Cont comm

April 27 Continues in all respects as
at last report Healthy Health
good Mind as weak
& erratic as ever Cont comm

May 24 No improvement Mind weak
& childish Dirty & untidy
Healthy Health excellent Cont
comm

June 24 Still employed in the smithy
Mind as weak as ever Works
steadily & Health good
Cont comm

July 24 No mental improvement Still
engaged assisting the smith Has
to be sent to wash his face every
night Does as he is told but is a
child & requires to be told every
thing Health good Cont comm

Aug 27 Still employed with the
smith Rep No change in
any respect Cont

Aug 26 No change of any importance to note Appetite
good Health good
Cont comm

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Mch 27 No mental improvement talks very childishly when he can be get to speak of which he does not seem very fond usually turning away after a sentence or two Health good Cont

" 27 No change of any importance still employed in the Smiths Shop requires to be forced to work his face almost every night Health good Cont Con

Nov 27 No change of any importance Health good Cont Con

Dec 27 No improvement or change appreciable in this case still employed in the Smiths Shop Steadily Health very slowly & rather careless of his clothes Cont Con

1843
Jan 27 No change Dirty & slovenly in his personal appearance but does not seem inclined Works with Smith as formerly Steadily Health good but mind very weak Cont Con

Feb 27 Still employed in the Smiths shop very slowly in his personal appearance his face seems always very dirty Steadily Health good Cont Con

Mch 27 No change of any importance slovenly & dirty in personal appearance talks incoherent & incoherent style Steadily Health good Cont Con

June 27 No mental change continues to work in the smithy requires always to be sent like a child to wash himself Steadily Health good Cont

July 27 No change of any importance appreciable still works with the Smith Cont

Aug 27 No change in any way still employed in the Smiths shop Steadily Health good Cont

Sep 27 Much the same in all respects No mental improvement Takes his food well Health good Cont

Oct 24 No mental change talks little but often long & without evident cause Health good Cont

Nov 26 No mental improvement still employed with the Smith Health good Cont

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John Brown Act 64 Term

1844

Dec 24 Yesterday his friends came for the purpose of removing him but when on the way home not far from the institution patient pursued from the carriage which they were conveying him ran into the field crying with terror at the top of his voice and could with great difficulty be secured & brought back to the institution this morning & quite resumed his place & dull & melancholy as usual employed at picking cotton seed When spoken to answers with reluctance & in so low a tone as scarcely to be audible Is in tolerable health considering his age Takes his food pretty well seems not to have got quite over the delusion as to his head being cut off Cleanly & careful of his clothes in an ordinary degree Conduct &c

1846

Jany 23 Little change continues in the same dull melancholy state Still thinks his head cut off Works quietly & indifferently Is fond of speaking being troubled with questions Takes his food pretty well Getting attenuated Pulse 80 to keep his bowels regular Conduct common

Feby 16 Continues quiet dull & low spirited When not employed stands mopping in a corner with his eyes fixed on the ground Takes his food pretty well Cleanly & not obstreperous Conduct common

March 1 No appreciable change Dull & low spirited stands mopping in a corner Does not listen to the troubled with questions & when he answers it is in a very low tone Bodily health tolerably good tongue rather furred Pulse 68 Conduct common Habits clean

" 27 Still dull & melancholy usually sits mopping in a corner & can scarcely be got to return an answer Takes his food tolerably well Bowels regular Conduct common

April

Admitted Dext 7th 1825

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April 22 His friends came to day for
for the purpose of retrieving
him he was therefore dismissed

Released

James Logan admt. from prison
1846 Barony
June 28 Mind very weak & full of fancies Discourses to herself, to & fro abruptly incoherently but never answers a question correctly Takes his food well Health seems pretty good Glad to have a fire at present Cont comm
July 28 Mind very weak & fanciful cannot give a coherent answer always asking for snuff Care his transfer to Infirmary last week was put to the Infirmary until another was made Rather quieter but not more coherent since Takes his food well Cont comm
March 26 Seems getting more stupified & obstinate Does not talk a great deal but what he does is very incoherent Mends & gets the greater part of the day without speaking Takes his food tolerably well but does rather complain Getting aperients pills occasionally Cont comm
April 27 Has improved very much indeed since last report Nourishes very sensibly & does any work he is set to very correctly Takes his food well Bodily health good A small hard tumour left eye Cont comm
May 24 Continues in the same improved state Works diligently & is perfectly useful assisting in the wards Bodily health pretty good Cont comm
June 24 Mind continues composed & very well conducted in all respect alone he clings on the upper fronts Talks quite rationally Health good Cont comm
July 24 Continues tranquil & very useful assisting in the Infirmary Bodily health good Cont comm
Aug 26 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well Cont comm
Sept 26 Mind getting a little vacant again Talking of religion more than desirable but marks well Cont comm

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Nov 30 Conduct, himself very well takes charge of the cleaning of the upper front & Block the floors very well There is still some small corners & crannies of mud remaining Cont on

Dec 26 No change of any consequence since last report Health as above mentioned Mind weak & painful Cont

Jan 26 Again talking very loud & incoherently but otherwise continues to look after cleaning the upper front Health pretty good Pulse altered & full Cannot urinate

1845 Jany 26 Still rambling & incoherent Not taken to look after the cleaning of the upper regularly now & well does very little Bodily health tolerably good Grounds early Cont on

Feb 26 Much the same as at last report Talks very incoherently & is inclined to pulper Takes his food pretty well Cannot be induced to employ himself usefully Cont same

March 26 Mind very confused Talks very incoherently Works in the grounds Inclined to pulper Takes his food well Cont on

April 26 Continues very confused & incoherent Works tolerably well Takes his food well Cont

May 26 Much the same as at last report Works tolerably well in the grounds Bodily health good Cont

June 26 Works in the grounds still very confused & incoherent Takes his food pretty well Cont

July 26 Much the same Mind very erratic & confused Works tolerably well in the grounds Takes his food well somewhat slovenly & very imprudent Cont

Aug 24 Mind still confused Talks in a very abrupt & incoherent manner Works in the grounds occasionally Bodily health pretty good Bowels regular Keeps his bed clean but is rather untidy in personal appearance Cont

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects Talks abruptly & in a very incoherent & desultory manner Health good Cont

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La Mrs Rayne aet 36 from
1849
Jan 28 Works pretty constantly
in the weavers shop
Behaves himself tolerably well
Laughs & jokes as usual
Cleanly & neat in his person
& appearance Mind full of
his former fancies Health
pretty good Conduct comm
Feby 28 Works tolerably industrious
in the weavers shop but
when alone is incessantly talking
loudly & rapidly & when interrupted
in the midst of full flow of talk
denies with
loud laugh that he has been
saying any thing Takes his
food pretty well Health
tolerably good Conduct comm
March 26 Still works in the weavers shop
is very often declaiming at
very loudly or Ranting songs
is again getting rather abusive
persons & when threatened with
afterwards Has not before
last reported with the greatest
confidence to take him Recommitted
on this being first taken
before the Sheriff Takes his
food well Cleanly & neat
Still altercate with Inmates
in secunda quaque mensis
Conduct idem
April 27 Little change since last report
except that he is less insolent
& abusive to his neighbours
but declaims as loudly as
ever Health good Conduct
comm
May 24 Continues in all respects as at
last report Working tolerably
diligently in the weavers shop
Asked the Sheriff if he was not
likely to get away soon as all the
guilt he committed was hearing
a Mass at his mothers Health
good Conduct comm
June 24 Still employed in the weavers
shop Works tolerably diligently
but still noisy & uncommonly
at most get a little quarrelsome
threatening to strike his fellow
when being annoyed with his noise
cannot get singing must sing to
be quiet Remanet a little
wrong from Mare in authority
keeps him quiet for a time
Habits Regular Health tolerably
good Takes his
food well Conduct comm

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Sept 25 Marks delegently in the pleasures of prop constructing himself to be extremely sensible but reserved & believes himself Prince Albert & talks much particularly on the subject Tolerable Cont on

Oct 25 Not much change occasionally gets a fellow quarrelsome & neglects labour, confinement however usually has the effect of quieting him Bodily Health pretty good Cont on

Nov 25 Continues tolerably quiet but no other mental improvement perceptible Bodily Health good Cont

Dec 25 Continues to conduct himself tolerably peaceably When alone usually keeps at pole length on a farm & sings as tall as to himself Bodily Health good Cont on

Jan 26 Much the same as at last report No enlargement of late Bodily Health good Takes his food well Cleanly & tidy Cont on

Feb 26 No change of any consequence Spends much of his time lying on a farm with his eyes shut singing & merry & sometimes somewhat obscene songs Bodily Health good Cont on

1847
Jan 27 Apparently a shuffling case cannot be got to employ himself attending for hours on a farm with his eyes shut singing merry & obscene songs Tolerably peaceable & cleanly Takes his food well Cont on

Feb 27 Much the same as at last report very largely inclined Passes the most of his time singing Takes his food well Cont on

March 27 Mind continues in the same debased state Works in the ground Cleanly careful of his personal appearance Takes his food well Health good Cont on

April 27 Cheerful & happy although somewhat anxious to get home No mental improvement Cont

May 27 No change of any importance Works in the grounds Mind debased as ever Cont

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William Robertson act 38 for

1845

Dec 27 Mind weak & unbecile Never speaks if addressed sometimes bursts out into a long Str Works at picking cast pitch Is soft flabby & sympathetic Feet very bad to ulcerate Careless of every thing Get tolerably cleanly in his personal appearance Takes his food well Bowels tolerable Cont to remain

1846

Jan 29 No appreciable change Works tolerably industriously Takes his food well Mind very much the same Has not developed any excitement for last few months past Tolerably cleanly Cont to remain

Feb 28 No change of much importance Works in the garden Mind remains in the same unbecile state Health pretty good Cont to remain

March 26 Mind remains in the same unbecile state Works pretty diligently in the grounds Rarely speaks to any one of his own accord & when spoken to generally replies only with an affirmative laugh Takes his food well Bowels regular Not destructive Cont to remain

April 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Works in the grounds Health good Cont to remain

May 25 Getting much more dirty in his habits often wets the bed at night Mind very far gone Knew his brother who came to call on him last week but cannot utter a connected sentence Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont to remain

June 24 Not much change since last report still works in the grounds very industrious Eats well & fills the bed still Takes his food well Cont to remain

July 24 Works very diligently in the grounds Seldom speaks when spoken to often after for some time Not appearance to take heed but rouses out into a loud laugh Health good Cont to remain

Aug 24 No change Works in the garden Health good Cont to remain

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Oct 25 Mind very weak scarcely ever speaks & cannot return a coherent answer to the simplest question Health tolerable Cont

Nov 25 No change — Employed in the garden Never almost speaks Eyes dull Health tolerably good Cont on

Nov 26 Still employed in the garden Mind continues in the same apathetic pitiable condition Cont on

Dec 26 No improvement but rather the reverse Generally soils his bed every night seldom speaks Wastes in the grounds Takes his food well Health passable Cont on

Jan 26 Much the same as reported above Works industriously & quietly in the grounds Still frequently soils his bed Cont on

Feb 26 No change of any importance observable Works industriously in the grounds Does not soil his bed quite so often as formerly General Health tolerable Cont on

March 27 Mind very weak Never speaks beyond a monosyllable Laughs in a childish manner Employed in the grounds Takes his food well Cont on

April 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Works quietly & usefully Health good Cont

May 27 Works very quietly & industriously in the garden & grounds But mind is very weak sometimes he wets the bed but rarely of late Health good Cont

June 27 Much the same as at last report often wets the bed Cont

July 27 Continues much the same in all respects Wets the bed always at night Works about the garden Cont

Aug 24 Much the same in all respects Never gives a relevant answer Laughs much to himself in an imbecile manner Works in the ground tolerably industrious Wets his bed every night Cont

Sept 26 No Mental improvement Badly Health good Wets the bed Cont

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Daniel Barkhurst [illegible]

1846

Jan 31 No mental change — Excessively unsettled, discontented & constantly grumbling Always asking to be employed at something out of doors evidently for the purpose of effecting his escape Mildred very confused Will not work in the shops Takes his food well but restless Tongue white

Feb 4 No change Discontented with everything, constantly asks to get home Works none yet says he wants to work Has an anxious unsettled look Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont same

Feb 28 Continues in nearly the same condition as last report Wanders about discontented restless ever asking to be allowed to do as he pleases which may not be permitted Has an anxious look Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont same

March 26 No appreciable change still wanders about in an unsettled discontented manner often attempts to push out at the door when it is opened Careless & destructive to his clothes Has an anxious expression of countenance Takes his food pretty well but is thin Bowels regular Cont as before

April 27 No improvement in any way Restless unsettled & discontented as at last report Cont as before

May 25 No change Must be very watchful as he takes every opportunity to push out at any door he sees open Cannot be kept at any useful employment Takes his food well but is thin & wretched Cont as before

June 24 Managed to get out one day last week & attempted to run away but was so stupid he did not know which to run & of course was soon brought back No appreciable change Cont as before

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July 24 No improvement Still as unfortunate as ever to get away often attempts to push his way out when no one is the door opened takes his food well mind very confused Continues

" 26 No improvement cannot be got to employ himself at any thing useful Bowels regular Takes his food well Continues

" 25 No change of any consequence Mind very weak left to work electrically at the capstan pump in the court yard but marked most unwillingly Continues

" 25 No change of any importance since last report Cannot be got to employ himself at any thing useful Dirty & destructive to his clothes Continues

Aug 1 By some means or other manages to make his escape at night

" 3 Was taken back from Stirling by the Chief Attendant

" 27 Must the same very anxious to get home tries every one to get out No improvement in any way Continues

Oct 27 For sometime past has been kept constantly in an airing gallery in consequence of his incessant attempts at escape No mental improvement Continues

Nov 27 To all appearance an incurable case of dementia Still employs entreaties and any other means he can think of to get away Very destructive Does not soil his bed but is untidy destructive to his clothes Takes his food well Cannot be made to work Dont

" 27 Must the same as reported above Mind very weak careless of his clothes Health tolerably good Continues

Dec 27 Continues in all respects as reported above Takes his food well Mind very weak Continues

" 27 Little or no improvement Talks of walking but of getting home Health good Continues

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Wm Tyrrell

1846

June 29 Has had no epileptic fits lately & has consequently behaved well but is again of late getting very cross & vicious so that perhaps he may have a paroxysm shortly. Has a sullen expression of countenance with a leaden hue. Takes his food well R Pd Fæces Cal Cratæ ℥ij Lumat ij. Seemed quite pro

July 24 No fits but has been very ill tempered & late Dogged & obstinate & does as he pleases frantically alone. Thinks that it is plainly evident he has done. Takes his food well except sometimes that he refuses it through obstinacy R Pd Fæces Cal Cratæ ℥ij Lumat ij pro re nata

Aug 26 Is exceedingly troublesome & Medicines must with the utmost patients & constantly denies it. Refuses his food often complains that it has been kept from him very anxious to get discharged. Partakes the medical attendant about it every day. Takes his food tolerably well R Pd Fæces Cal Cratæ ℥ij Lumat ij Secundo die pro re nata

Sept 27 Rather less obstinate sullky & annoying as at last report. Obedience continues must be same as reported above continue

May 25 Again obstinate & sullky & refuses even to strike some of the inmate patients has been in seclusion for two days past will probably be freed again today or tomorrow. No other change of any importance

June 26 Has been rather quieter for the last four weeks but when in his best moods is obstinate & ill-natured. Takes his food well when not sullky. Bowels costive

July 26 Was somewhat obstinate & much given to quarrel & had therefore to be locked up for several days past of late quieter & again at liberty. Eats his food well. Bowels often require purgatives

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Sept 26 Mild unnatured & insentable but not to be had us to require seclusion Reads his Bible pumps Bowels require medicine occasionally Cont

Oct 25 Rather less insentable or ill-natured Re attends respects as at last report Cont

Nov 25 Again very morose & ill natured complains & finding fault with everything Wishes to be discharged Has his Case loaded into & Pill Powder Gall Croat XII Repeat Enema Omni Mane

Dec 26 Little change of any consequence Never acted Insane Keeps to his fellow patients & Room to complain of their illusions Skin Health Good Cont

Jan 26 Has at present one of his eyes severely blackened & got by fighting with another of the patients Very abstinent & orderly Requires medicine occasionally to keep his bowels regular Cont

Feb 47

Mar 24 Continues the same ill tempered quarrelsome individual at the same time talks very piously & lays all the blame on his neighbours represents himself as a very forbearing illused Christian & says that God will surely chastise his oppressors Health good Bowels as usual Cont

April 24 Little change of any importance Very quarrelsome often engaged in squabbles & fights with his fellow patients Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

May 27 Rather less quarrelsome for the last two weeks but still rather apt to get into disputes & threatens violence Health tolerably good Has often his eyes blackened from the effects of his quarrels Cont

June 27 Still very much given to quarrelling & has required removing to another gallery from the tumours engendered by religious disputes Health good Cont

July 27 No change of any importance Requires to get a new Bible Bowels as usual Cont

Aug 27 Still as quarrelsome & dangerous as ever always reading the Bible Takes his food well Cont

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James Duncan from

1846

Jan 22 Little change Pain in the dysentery continues stools frequent & slimy No pain on pressure over abdomen Pulse 100 rather feeble Tongue moist white Perspiration A few carbuncles about the extremities Takes his food well stools not emaciated Mist Camphor Zvi Tinct Camphor Zij Tinct Zij Ft Mix Gtts x ℥ pro re nata Diet eggs bread & milk rice milk &c Cont ommd

29 Considerably improved in health last week Pulse natural Tongue moist Takes his food well Tongue natural Stools 4 Pill ℞ very weak Cont ommd

Feby 28 Has continued to improve slowly since last report There is still occasionally a few stools of the last nature Pill ℞ has to be watched on account of debility Diet as before Pulse natural Tongue pretty fair Appetite good Cont ommd

March 26 Health seems now completely restored Pulse natural There is no mental impression Takes his food well Bowels regular Tongue clean Cleanly & careful of his clothes Cont ommd

April 27 At work daily in the grounds Pulse natural Mind very weak Does not know his nurse Bodily health tolerably good for his age Cont ommd

May 25 Ten days ago had a slight attack of diarrhoea for which had a dose of castor oil & laudanum was well in a day or two Not working in the ground occasionally but is not very strong Cont ommd

June 24 Continues in good health Works in the grounds Bowels in the same state Mind weak Cont ommd

July 17 Has been for some days afflicted with severe diarrhoea which is at present somewhat common ℞ Pil Rhei Zij Tinct Opii ℥ss ℥ss Tinct Cardamom Comp Zij Aquae Cinnamomi Zss ft mist

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26 Not much improvement as yet the legs better & is again worse R Mist Aurant Cretae ℥ij Tinct Opii Camph ℥ij Spt Ammon Aromat ℥ij Tinct Cardam Comp ℥ij Tinct Aurantii ℥iij M Limmat ℥ss ter quotidie Pulv & milk diet

Aug 24 Bowels are dirty one better & the next week in to the old state but his health does not seem to be much affected R Infusi Calumbæ ℥viij Potassæ Carb ℥ss Spt Ammon Aromat ℥ij Tinct Opii ℥ij Tinct Cardam Comp ℥ij Tinct Aurantii ℥ij M Sumat ℥ss ter quotidie

25 Still occasionally subject to laxity of bowels still kept on milk diet Cont

25 Still the looseness of bowels prevails about him although he seems in ordinary health takes his food & walks about Cont

26 Not much change in the looseness of bowels continues much the same Tongue does not seem to suffer very much from it Getting on tonics & the infusion of catechu three times a day Rice & milk diet & calomel

Sept 26 Looseness continues unabated or perhaps rather increased Getting weaker & thinner but pulse although quick is not much accelerated & almost constantly consumed to bed Cont Cont

Aug 4 Looseness continues unabated & he is slowly getting weaker Mind as before Cont Mist Cretae Aromat Tinct Opii Camph Tinct Cardam Comp Tinct Aurantii

11 Seems failing pulse quickening looseness getting more severe pickle flannel Spiritus Mindereri ℥vi Cont Alia

20 Getting still more low Falling off in flesh very feeble have almost gone Appetite uncontrollable Looseness no better Cont

22 Still getting worse evidently cannot live much longer Pulse rapid & feeble

24 Continued to sink and died 7 a m

Dead

James Rodgers Act 50 from last Report

Feb 28 No important change in any respect Has not had any epileptic fits since last report Gait continues as usual during the intervals slow shuffling dull & stupid seldom stirs much or talks any & replies with a monosyllable with the greatest reluctance Has a stupid inert expression of countenance Healthy & lymphatic Cont omm

March 26 Epileptic fits continue are rather increased & stupidity seems also increasing Will take food every night but is tolerably cleanly during the day Mind seems wandering & shadowy Health does not seem very robust Cont omm

April 27 No material change in the state of this patient Is very stupid & getting fond in bed Takes his food well Wets the bed at night Cont omm

May 24 No change of any great importance except perhaps he seems more stupid & more fond of bed Wets his bed at night Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont omm

June 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Stupid & obstinate Self milked some time ago & refused to go to bed & on the attendant endeavouring to force it got excited & struck a fowl at which & broke with it a panel of one of the doors Is however in very good health & condition Takes his food very well Getting extra allowance Cont omm

July 25 Little change of observable Stupid & obstinate Wets bed & prefers & rather improved in health Health Cont omm

Aug 25 Much the same as at last report not quite so well Cont

Sept 26 Has not been excited of late Stupid quiet & dull Rolls & eats Takes his food well Bowels reg Cont omm

Oct 26 Very stupid indeed scarcely understands what is said to him but stares stupidly at the speaker Is to continue to receive

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Nov 26 Henry Stupid is obstinate and occasionally gets somewhat excited - Throwing at those who cross him the first object that comes to hand Takes his food well Gets a few fits occasionally to keep his bowels regular Cont

Dec 26 No change of any consequence in regard to his mind - Was provoked with Prisoners and got being probably forced out by an altering his fits although several times returned into the pecuniary as often provoked again until after the use of the following mixture ℞ Aquæ pont ℥x ℥ss Sulphate aluminis ℥j M Dalma Sanitur ante & post prandium

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Jan 24 Gut has not come down since last report but he has had no fits in the interim Henry Stupid occasionally roughly excitable Takes his food well but is only middlingly strong Bowels very Cont as

Feb 24 Henry Stupid seldom moves from the seat on which he sits Takes his food tolerably well Usually wets the bed at night Bowels easy No appearance of the paroxysms Cont

March 24 Continues in the same Stupid state Requires to have his clothes put on & seldom moves from his seat Takes his food tolerably well Cont

April 24 Henry Stupid indeed seldom moves from the spot where he is placed Eats his food & after his clothes &c are taken off Gets quiet Cont

May 24 Henry Frank's Stupid often rises to be for days in bed from weakness & pallidity of face Cannot be exercised to walk out very long Cont To have porter & beef tea

June 24 Not much change Frank Stupid occasionally very excitable Takes his food tolerably well Cont

July 24 No improvement in any way Dull & stupid Takes his food tolerably well Cont

Aug 21 Much the same in all respects Takes his food pretty well Cont

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Mrs Moffat Act pauper

1846

Feb 28 No mental improvement
Still believes in the delusions
of his friends having robbed
him of all his property & prin-
ciples there is allowed to be very
excited Works very industri-
ously His good health & con-
dition & excellent Health Clean
& careful of his clothes Continues

March 26 No change of any importance
observable Eyes exceedingly
bad Works tolerably industriously
but very apt to get excited
Keeps scales at a furious rate to
threatens to strike Takes
his food well Bowels
regular Cont same

April 27 No change of any importance
Delusions the same Health
excellent Works well Cont
same

May 25 Delusion in all respects as above
reported Occasionally retrospective
Went a fortnight ago & broke a
window Anxious at times to get
home but soon seems to forget again
Takes his food well Health good
Cont same

June 24 Continues in mind & habits
in all respects as reported
above Cont same

July 24 Still retains the delusion that
his friends have embezzled his
property & consume him here
often asks when he is to get
home Health good Cont as

Aug 25 No change in his delu-
sions Health good Works
well Cont same

Sept 26 Has working among lime & his
left eye got inflamed in con-
sequence of some getting into it
It is now pretty well again
General health good Cont

Oct 24 Delusions remain unchanged
as to his being cheated out of
his property Takes his food
well & enjoys good health
Works tolerably industriously
Cont same

Nov 26 No change of any impor
tance Works industriously
& quietly of the subject
of his delusions he now
recalled to his remem-
brance Cont Health
excellent Appetite
& bowels natural &

Admitted Sept 20th 1840

Dec 26		No change of any consequence Still employed usually with the mason Easily managed with fair words but excitable when annoyed Bodily health very good Cont on
1847		
Jany 24		Delusion as to his being robbed of his property continues Gets very excited when he is led to talk of it Bodily health very good Bowels regular Cleanly & careful of his clothes Cont on
Feby 24		Much the same mentally as at last report but for the last two or three days has been afflicted by a boil in front of right knee under which however has opened well soon he will Health otherwise good Cont
March 24		No change of any importance Still employed with the mason as about the grounds Mind very weak & for the most part tranquil quiet although occasionally he gets a little excited Cont
April 24		Bodily health good Works industriously No mental change Cont
May 24		No change of any importance Works at present under the under gardener Bodily health good Bowels regular Cont
June 24		Delusion as to his being cheated out of his property & consequent there from interested manner continues Health good Cont
July 24		No change of any importance apprehensible Employed as mentioned above Health good Cont
Augst 21		Rather more excitable of late inclining to become when he will get upon a subject which has become of his property & if the subject be continued to get very excited Bodily health good Cont
Sept 24		Has been confined to the house for some time in consequence of want of exercise No mental change except he is excited as at last report Bodily health good Cont
Oct 24		Much the same in all respects Bodily health good but mind weak still retains his delusion about his property & expects to be remunerated at some day

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Patrick Reed admitted
1846

Feby 28 No improvement observed very weak symptoms of General paralysis a hurdle sound evident Much prostration in articulating a muttering insane & stupid It rather more than a fair Takes his food unconsciously Cont comm

March 26 Getting daily worse Death in reality is mind & is not likely he will hold out many more symptoms of General paralysis increase & he is getting very stupid Takes his food unconsciously & gets extra diet collapses & porter Cont comm

April 27 Continues very frail & stupid Dorthy pearsall to take care of himself Gets porter & extra diet & his wounds require to be attended to Cont comm

May 25 Continues in a very frail state symptoms of General paralysis slowly increasing very stupid & very dirty Takes very much in his gruel Gets porter & extra diet Cont comm

June 24 No improvement noticed seems slowly but daily getting more & more stupid & frail Takes his meals well Removed Getting Mc following with collapse & porter R Pil aloes & myrrh ij comm mixt R Rhei Cinchona pulv ℥ j ℔ Tinct Cardam Comp ℥ ij Acidi sulphuric ℥ ij Mucilag gumm ℥ ij bis quotidie Cont

July 25 Continues in nearly the same state stupid & frail Takes his food well Cont

Aug 25 Still very frail but takes his food well Cleanliness must the same as at last report Cont

Sept 25 Is in a very frail state but is still able to totter about Remained confined to his bed & quite helpless Cont

Oct 24 Seems getting more frail can scarcely walk without the support of a wall or table & speaks very inarticulately Takes his food well Bowels very confined likely to end much sooner than expected as he appears is about to set in Gets porter &

Page 182 Admitted Sept 2d 1844

6126 This morning at break of day a man [illegible] to steal another patients (H. Currie's) foal into it is said struck him & he fell & either from the blow or fall was rendered insensible was carried to bed & in less than five minutes expired No skull wound but a depression about the size of half a crown exists under about the centre of right parietal bone

Dead

No inspection permitted

James Jackson at present
1846

Feby 28 No mental improvement — Do all appearance a case of incurable dementia Never employs himself at any thing useful Speaks in the most childish manner Always asking for tobacco Careless of his clothes personal appearance Takes his food well Continues

March 26 Mind continues in the same wretched condition Never employed at any thing useful Countenance expressive of imbecility Cannot utter a coherent sentence Takes his food voraciously Very dirty and destructive Bladder & bowels tolerably regular & good Appetite

April 27 No improvement in any way Dirty destructive & useless Takes his food well Bowels regular Continues

May 25 No improvement in any respect more listless seem to occasion Cannot be got to do useful employment Mind very weak & very dirty Continues

June 26 No appreciable change in mind or body Same report Continues

July 24 Always asking for tobacco Runs about the yard in a childish & very flowerly manner Cannot be got to do any thing useful Takes his food greedily Continues

Augt 25 No change of any importance since last report Health good Continues

Sept 26 No mental change Has been set to assist at thrashing the corn but is only occasionally Bodily health tolerably good Continues

Oct 26 No improvement in any respect Bodily dirty & destructive Very flowerly Usually going about with his clothes hanging half off Bodily health pretty good Continues

Nov 26 No improvement in any way Health good Bowels regular Appetite Ordinations Continues

Dec 26 No mental improvement Cannot be got to employ himself at any thing useful Bodily health tolerable Continues

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1847

July 26 Continues in the same imbecile state Childish in his actions & address is very slovenly Always asking for tobacco Takes his food well Cont on

July 26 Little change of any importance Appreciable Very slovenly in his personal appearance Destructive to his clothes Takes his food well Cont Cont on

Aug 26 No improvement in any respect Cannot be got to make himself useful in any way Dirty slovenly & destructive Cont Cont on

Sept 26 No improvement Dirty slovenly incoherent lazy & mischievous Health good Cont

Oct 26 Much very weak & confused Dirty slovenly & destructive Cont on

Nov 26 No change of any consequence Appreciable Healthy Health tolerably good Cont

Dec 26 Continues in all respects as reported Cannot be got to employ himself at anything useful Dirty destructive & careless Cont

Jan 1847 26 No change of any importance Never gives a pertinent answer Dirty & destructive to his clothes which are generally hanging about him in a very slovenly manner Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

Feb 26 No change of any consequence Appreciable Healthy Health good Cont on

March 24 Much the same in all respects Dirty & destructive to his clothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont on

April 24 No change of any importance Appreciable Healthy Health tolerable Appetite keen Bowels easy Cont

May 25 No change of any importance Appreciable Healthy Health good Cannot be got to employ himself at any thing useful Cont

July 3 Much the same in all respects Healthy Health good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Aug 24 Much the same in all respects Healthy Health good

Aug 13 Discharged

Wm Kennedy out pauper roll

1846

Feby 28 Mind weak & sensual Corp. Regiment nurses in the mind one from the effects of drinking & that the Removed from the true path but thinks himself a sure & better man now Employed about the surgery Cleanly & careful of his clothes Health good Cont on

March 26 Mind remains in the same weak & sensual state Employed about the surgery going messages & running but does & seems pleased with his situation Health pretty good Cleanly Cont on

April 27 Discharged the surgery for drunkenness but still employed at the store Mind continues in the same weak state Health good Cont on

May 25 Not much change Mind weak erratic still employed about the store Health good Cleanly & no destructive Cont on

June 25 Still employed about the store cleaning & going messages conducts himself very well but mind remains as weak as before Health good Cont on

July 25 No appreciable change in any respect Mind very weak & confused Still employed about the store Takes his food well & Health good Cont on

Aug 25 Still employed about the store Mind continues in the same weak condition Cont on

Sept 25 Mind continues in the same weak state Anxious to know when he is to be discharged but never attempts to go away although he has every opportunity Cont

Oct 27 Discharged himself from gaol well but to be discharged Still employed about the store Dilatory & weakness of mind as before Cont on

Nov 26 Not much change very anxious to get away tells every person that he is now well & about to be discharged Health good Cont on

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Aug 26 Very anxious to get as mason supposing himself none quite well. Little employed about the store. Really health good but mind continues somewhat weak Cont on

Sept 7 Little change of any consequence mind state much the same Remarks no delusions or conclusions himself very well Employed about the store & in going messages Really health good Cont on

Sept 9 The Barony authorities having resolved to give him a discharge from the asylum & he being in good bodily health & free from delusions except as to his own ability & power of obtaining employment was discharged as

Cured

James Cameron admd 24 Jan
1846

Jany 25 No appreciable change
Works strangely in the manner
his Body Mind very much
so upon the whole well behaved
& inoffensive Is very pale
& rather thin Takes his food
well & bodily health is tolera-
Cleanly in his personal appear-
ance & careful of his Clothes
Cont ormd

Febry 26 Still employed in Tailors
shop No mental or bodily
change since last report
cont ormd

March 26 Mind still remains in the
same unsettled state talks
in a very silly & unconnected
manner Works tolerably
diligently in the manner
shop Takes his food well
well Health tolerable
Good Cont ormd

April 27 Still employed in the tailors
shop No improvement in mental
state Mind continues very
weak Takes his food well
Bowels regular Health good
Cont ormd

May 25 No appreciable change in any respect
Mind very weak Quiet & tolerably
industrious Takes his food well
but is very pale & rather thin Bowels
regular Cont ormd

June 26 A week or so ago got rather lazy
& obstreperous & struck one or two
of the patients & also the at-
tendant once Has however
become quiet & again resumed
work Mind still remains in
the same weak condition
Takes his food well but is
pale & somewhat thin Bowels
regular Cont ormd

July 26 Has been getting rather more
stupid & objurgate & accusing
all & given to strike Coats &c
&c of persons put to in pulling
his limbs tremble & much altered
in appearance seems as at last report
Cont ormd

August 26 No change of any importance
since last report Will not
work very fastidious Bowels
regular Cont

Sept 26 Still a stupid & obstinate &
unmanageable subject to strike
his fellow patients Dirty in
habits yet takes his food
well Cont ormd

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April 26 Getting very stupid obstinate & self willed & also very dirty feeds his head every day & his solitary habits continue or rather increase Takes his food well but is thin & pale Cont on

June 26 Getting still more stupid & dirty in consequence of which has been removed to Ward 3 More stupid but less obstinate perhaps from want of regular both mental & personal to appropriate anything he is made to do Takes his food well but is thin & pale Bowels easy Cont on

Oct 26 No improvement in any way stupid & filthy seldom speaks Takes his food well but is very pale & has some cough for some time Cont on

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Jan 24 Sinking into the lowest depths of imbecility solitary habits continue very dirty & careless of his clothes & personal appearance Takes his food well but is thin & pale Cont on

Feby 24 Much the same as at last report Good for no useful purpose Takes his food well Calls his bed a cage & only Cont on

March 26 No improvement in any way solitary habits continue Bowels very weak Getting very stupid Takes his food well Cont on

April 26 Very stupid & filthy feeds his bed & clothes No improvement in any shape Cont

May 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Dirty alone stupid & slovenly Cont

June 26 No improvement mental or bodily Dirty careless slow and stupid Takes his food pretty well Cont

July 26 No change at least for the better Stupid filthy and careless Cont

Aug 24 Much the same in all respects stupid & careless Calls her bed seldom moves about much or seems to take interest in what is passing around Appetite tolerable Cont

Sept 26 Very little change in any respect since last report Bowels very much deranged Health good Cont

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James Laing admitted from
1846

June 6 Complaining of acute pain in
pains & hot & stomach & left
side of chest; usually worse
in the afternoon — Takes his
food tolerably well but is
thin & pale — Has occasional
slight headache & vomits his
food — Rhubarb Comp 3ij
Lac Assafoetida Bismuth āā 3j
Carbonate Soda 3ij Tinct
aromatic 3ij Decoction pro
opiate XXIII Gumat unam
bis in dies

29 No change in mental state
still despondent & apt to
shed tears — From his inability
to hear always thinks people
talk about him — Has got
rid of the pains about the
stomach & chest but is still rather
pale & thin — Takes his food
pretty well — Is industrious
at work — Cont omnia

July 29 No material change in any
respect — Works as usual quietly
& diligently in the weaver's
shop — Bowels rather costive
Cont omnia

Aug 26 No observable improvement
in the mental state of
the patient — Still seems
dull & melancholy & after
shedding tears — Being unable
to hear what people say
imagines they are talking
of him — Takes his food
tolerably well — Health
appears Cont omnia

April 27 Still looks dejected & melancholy
Works diligently in the tailors
ward's shop — Takes his
food pretty well but is rather
pale & thin Cont omnia

May 22 No change of any importance
observable — Continues to work
quietly & diligently in the tailors
shop — Looks dejected
melancholy — Thinks that when
he sees others talking (he cannot hear)
are speaking of him — Health
tolerable Cont omnia

June 23 No change of any importance
observable in his
case — Cont as
Cont omnia

July 23 Still employed in the tailors
shop — Works quietly and
industriously — Takes his food
well Cont omnia

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Apl 24 Still employed in the tailor's shop No appreciable change in any respect time last report Readily takes the tale Cont on

May 24 No change of any importance appreciable Quiet & melancholy Still imagines that people he sees talking make him the subject of conversation Still very pale Takes his food pretty well Cont on

June 25 No appreciable change Still employed in the main tailors' shop Quiet & melancholy Takes his food well Cont on

July 24 Still employed in the tailor's shop Quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well but looks thin & melancholy Reads regular Cont on

Aug 24 Still employed in the tailor's shop Works industriously & conducts himself quietly From his deafness seldom speaks Readily takes the tale Cont on

347 Sept 24 No appreciable difference in this case of melancholia with suicidal tendency Still imagine people are talking ill of him being too deaf to hear anything they say Works quietly & industriously & conducts himself in a most peaceable manner Cont on

Oct 24 Much the same as at last report Still employed in the tailor's shop Readily takes the tale Cont on

Nov 25 Was told last week of his wife's death was considerably excited for a day or two after pacing up & down the gallery talking rather loudly to himself but is getting quiet & is again peaceably at work Cont

Dec 24 Continues quiet & at work Talks to himself occasionally Takes Takes his food pretty well Cont

Jan 25 No change of any importance Takes his food well Cont on

Feb 25 Still employed in the tailors shop where does not seem to be any mental improvement Takes his food well Cont

Mar 25 Little or no change appreciable Takes his food well cont

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James Smith aet 3 years

1846

Feby 29 Works melancholy & confines himself well Chiefly employ carrying coals &c Reads in the Bible a religious books a good deal Still retains the delusion of God Chaining & rotating him the estate mentioned above Enjoys excellent health Haunts & strong appetite Sits fond well Conduct common

March 26 Made an attempt to escape lately & has been confined to the gallery since Still retains the delusions that God & Jesus Christ the estate of Langshire &c Reads the Bible almost constantly Health in good Nobility considered Appetite Sleep & bowels natural Conduct common

April 25 Delusions as to God Chaining & rotating the estate of Langshire continues as before Is very angry at being confined here so long for merely breaking a few windows when under the influence of whisky Has been kept within the walls since he made last attempt to escape Reads his Bible much Conduct common

May 22 No change of any importance since last report Health good Still confined to the gallery assisting Conduct Conduct common

June 23 No change in his delusions but has been of late employed assisting the attendants in the work house Conducts himself tolerably well Bodily health good Appetite good Conduct Conduct common

July 23 Still claims the estates of James Brampton which he has given were granted to him by God Still in the work House Health good Conduct common

Augt 28 Continues to assist in the work house Retains as firmly as ever the notion that the estates of Langshire Brampton were given to him by God Health good Conduct common

Sept 24 Delusions continues as strong as before Still assisting in the work house Bodily Health good Conduct

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July 24 Has been assisting in the work house for some time past but last a few days ago a patient was admitted who is constantly playing on the violin to her very Sunday smith would not allow that she should play & no persuasion would induce him to permit it so that he had to be sent home to his own gallery & attendance as at last report Cont

Aug 25 Went back to his employment in the work house a week after last report & is conducting himself tolerably quietly & Health good Cont

Sept 25 Yesterday again refused to work but having been sent to solitary confinement for some hours was sent to the work house as formerly No abatement of his delusions Health good Cont

Oct 24 Working industriously in the work house Delusion as to his having received from God a gift of the estate of Longshire & Barnton continues Health good but himself being rather cautious at his own request had a dose of black draft Cont

Nov 24 Has for the last few weeks refused to go to the work house & is at present employed assisting in his own gallery Delusion remains unchanged Health good Cont

Dec 25 Has for the last two weeks been assisting in No 1 gallery Last night working very diligently Generally Health excellent but himself still astray Cont

Jan 25 Has today got a chair from one of the patients & struck the attendant was therefore discharged from No 1 Usually Health good Re delusions & deportment as

Feb 25 Soon became tractable again & is at present employed in the work house Health good Cont

March 25 Still at work in the work house Delusions as before Health good Cont

April 25 No change of any importance apprehended Cont

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Charles Smith act 21 pons
1846

Feby 24 Is seldom above a week at ten days out of seclusion at one time. Was very thin & pale last May & good flesh has again recruited & continued at present employed in the manner as before. Takes his food well. Cont. comma

March 27 Seldom out of seclusion 24 & 25 indeed at present & has been so for the last fortnight last visit will probably be out in two or three days. Takes his food tolerably well. Cont. comma

April 22 The present internal seizure the paroxysms is rather long than usual & he is employed in the manner as before. Thin & pale. To have collapse & ad additional cont. comma

May 22 Has been in seclusion for the last ten days very thirsty & rather low in the hands getting spasms & cramps &c. Is concerning strength flesh & alacrity to a certain extent. Will probably be at liberty a week in a day or two. Cont. comma

June 23 Has improved in health considerably since last report but is still very thin. Periods of remission are usually very short. Very anxious to have tobacco & last week persuaded was denied him destroyed a quantity of yarn in a week in the manner as before. Bowels kept regular by occasional doses of purgative medicine. Cont. comma

July 23 Continues to attempts as above reported. At present a week. Cont. comma

Aug 24 At present not in seclusion but rather thin. Takes his food well & has collapse extra. Bowels kept right by occasional use of purgative medicine. Cont.

Sept 24 Was out for nearly 3 weeks but is again in seclusion. Lies in a fairly stupid torpid state. Takes his food. Bowels require purgatives. Cont.

Oct 24 Has been tolerably well & out of seclusion for three last 10 days. Bowels easy. Cont.

Admitted May 13th 1842.

Jan 24 Was in seclusion last week but is up to day seldom yet for any mark now during the intervals of quietude Bowels regular Cont

Feb 24 Got a little excited last week & broke a pane of glass Was in seclusion for two days only & is at present very quiet Bowels regular Cont

Mar 24 Again requires to be sent to seclusion by very slight & trifling Bowels rather costive R Pil Taetill Cad Cont XII Lumbricus secunda quaque nocte

April 24 Has been tolerably quiet for the last 3 week until 2 days ago when after some severe fits had again to be sent to seclusion Taking a few pills to regulate his Bowels Cont

May 24 Has been quiet & out of seclusion for some time past Mends much Really health tolerably good Cont

June 24 Continues tolerably free from excitement Very stupid Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

July 24 Had to be confined for a few days but is at present quiet Bowels require medicine occasionally Cont

Aug 24 Has been comparatively free from fits & excitement for the last few weeks Bowels very costive

Sept 24 Has had his left leg considerably swollen & inflamed in consequence of a slight abscess It has pointed & is getting much better Rather excited Cont

Oct 24 Leg was a long while but is again rather worse Has not required seclusion of late Takes his food well Bowels kept open by an occasional pill Appears to enjoy tolerable health Cont also

Nov 26 Has been in seclusion for a few days since last report but is again quiet No change worthy of notice Bowels costive

Dec 24 Has been tolerably free from excitement since last report Health tolerable Cont

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1846

Feby 17 seldom out of seclusion three days consecutively epileptic fits becoming more & more frequent & severe Has last week consulted Getting collapse breaks & parties & true Requires medicine almost constantly to keep his bowels open Cont same

March 17 Is out of seclusion today but the time at which he can be trusted out are getting shorter & more distant Is rather recovering flesh Had a severe fight with another patient the other day & bit his finger severely Takes his food well Cont same

April 22 Is rather improved of late in so far as the fits are slightly less frequent & severe & the intervals rather longer Otherwise as at last report Cont same

May 22 Has three days continuous quiet as described in last report Takes his food well Bowels kept easy by occasional doses of Cathartic medicine Cont

June 23 Fits although perhaps as frequent seem not quite so severe at least his excitement is much less & the paroxysms of excitement shorter Takes his food very well Bowels kept regular by occasional doses of medicine Cont

July 23 Continues to alternate as above reported Not present out of seclusion Health tolerably Cont same

Aug 22 At present not in seclusion Bodily Health tolerably Cont same

Sept 23 Had three severe epileptic fits yesterday & is therefore in seclusion to day R Pl Facial C al Cont x 11 Sensation dull Secunda quaque notate Cont same

Oct 23 At present is as quiet as to be out of seclusion Bodily condition tolerable Cont same

Nov 23 Was in seclusion last week but is out yesterday & today Is looking rather thin & pale Otherwise as before Cont

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Feb 23 At present in seclusion from a more than ordinary confirmed fit of excitement Rather thin Bowels say from mellons & Beef steaks & porter Cont

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July 24 Still continues in seclusion fits recurring frequently & more stupid than excited Looks the bed getting very thin Bowels very sluggish R Pil Taethell c Calomel & Tr Jalap Decoct Lignor Quassiæ Oxyte Cont Abed

Feby 24 Remains constantly in bed seems too weak to get out of it Fits frequent & severe Looks thin food well Bowels costy Cont Opn

March 24 Never out of bed Fits frequent & severe Looks indifferent Bowels well but continues very thin Gets steaks & porter Cont

April 24 Still bedfast but looks perhaps rather more lively than at last report Cont

May 24 Still bedfast Fits continue frequent & severe Looks thin food well, Bowels require to be looked after Cont

June 24 Was for a few days out of bed but has again fallen a severe series of fits & is very feeble & stupid Gets calomel & porter Cont

July 24 Is rather stronger so as to be able to come out of his bed when excited & therefore requires to be secluded Looks thin food well Cont

Aug 21 Was up for a day or two but fits have been so frequent & severe of late that he is again bedfast Requires a full allowance of food to keep his bowels regular Cont

Sept 26 Seldom out of bed scarcely passes a day without one or more fits Looks thin food tolerably well Bowels kept by an occasional pill Cont

Oct 24 Much the same almost constantly in bed A day seldom passes without a fit Looks thin food well Cont

Nov 24 Got a little more exercise than usual last week & required seclusion for some days Cont

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Daniel McGlashan at Jon

1846

April 21 Improved considerably in respect to rheumatism Limb & muscles smaller & painful Takes his food pretty well & tongue clean some pulse & pulse 100 Cont omnia

May 1 Continues to improve but muscles are small & stiff & sore Takes his food well & is gaining flesh again R Respirat Quamm Ry Decoct Cinchonæ ℥ij Tinct Cardam Comp ℥j Myrrhæ Gummat ℥ij bis quotidie

28 Is now all but well Where being still a little pain of the muscles Has a little mark in the groin No change in mental state Still as much annoyed as ever at night by people coming through the wall &c in & the punishments &c Takes his food well Bowels rather costive R Pil Aloes tert ℥ij Gummi Assæ fœtidæ quantum sufficit Cont alia

April 23 No mental change Still annoyed by imaginary persons during the night Walks a little in the ground Takes his food well Bowels rather loose R Pil Aloes tert ℥ij Gummi quantum omnia nocte

May 6 Complains a little of cough & dull pain or rather sense of constriction in chest Pulse 80 respirations 20 Tongue clean Bowels regular Appetite good Resumat Infus Sennæ Comp ℥ij Sulphat Magnesiæ ℥ij mane

8 Will not keep in bed but wanders about the gallery Today his breathing has become more hurried & the respirations with some deep sighs much more distressed in Pulse 120 Skin hot Thirsty Clothes taken from him & orders to confine him to his bed Bowels open Urine scanty in respect to breathing Pulse 100 & softer

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21 Admitted Nov. 24th 1843

Left side of chest very dull & respiration powerless distant & rude in supra mammary region where it sounds tra[illegible] as Chester to left side yesterday. Dulness of cardiac region seems extended. Slight appearance of ascites & general anasarca

11 Leucorrhœa & ascites increasing face much smaller bowels rather slow R Diuretus acetat Potassæ Tinct Scillæ Potassæ nitratis Potassæ ää ʒij Tinct Cardamomi ʒiv Aquæ ad totum Communis Mist Purus Camphoræ ää ʒiij Missce Sumat ʒij quarta quaque hora R.P.C Calculenti Comm. ℞ ii Limet ij omni nocte Cont

14 Dropsy seems increasing Cont. rather better Breathing more easily Cont

17 Much better Dulness in chest decreasing but still considerable crepitus Dropsy decreasing Legs pure pale urine is becoming more abundant Cont Com

20 Dropsy much less Walking about Ward for Relief three days Cough very much better Tongue pale Bowels complains of being rather freely purged Omit Pil Cont alia

22 Foot & legs little much swollen generally at night also considerable Crepitus Takes his food well & walking about Cont

26 Continues gradually to improve Dropsy becoming less Takes his food well Bowels regular Pale coloring Mist diuretic mixture Cont Com

30 Has become greatly better Dropsy nearly gone together with Breathlessness in chest is now almost although still somewhat weakness Bowels easy Takes his food well Cont Com

Dec 29 Mary quite well in healthy health better indeed than she has been these years before Working industriously in the grounds Does not table so much at present among Bowels costiveness Stiffness has completely left joints & the dropsy is quite gone No cough or breathing Pain about chest remaining Cont Com

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David Young admitted from
1846

March 5 Is rather thin & pale & therefore been put on extra diet & is perhaps less apparent but he is at times to get excited as ever Mind very much deranged & slovenly Bowels reported regular Cont as ordered

April 23 No change of any importance perceptible Is pale & lymphatic Takes his food well & very desirous passing his ablutions in bed Can be put to no useful purpose Mind still much excitable Cont as ordered

May 24 Has had rather severe paroxysm last week following two or three days fits Tore his clothes to shreds Is sulky sullen & obstinate Pale & leuco phlegmatic very stupid Takes his food well Bowels reported regular Cont

June 24 Does seem pretty quiet since last report & all other respects continues the same as reported above Cont

July 24 Had a fit two days ago is sulky excitable & obstinate R Rl & Scruton & Kinnear Cont as ordered

August 24 No change of any great importance & rather less excitable than at last report Takes his food well but is very pale & leuco phlegmatic Cont as ordered

Sept 24 Little change of any importance Takes his food well but continues very pale Bowels occasionally require aperient medicine Cont

Oct 24 Yesterday in passing from the airing court to the gallery ran off but being unable to run fast was soon overtaken & brought back No mental change Cont as ordered

Nov 24 No change of any consequence appreciable like just so in the phlegmatic Takes his food well Cont as ordered

Dec 24 Little change of any consequence appreciable Still apt to get very excited & violent occasionally Pale & leuco phlegmatic Never gives a coherent answer Bowels costy Cont as ordered

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Nov 24 No improvement in this epileptic case. At present tolerably quiet but is always more or less excitable very pale. Dirty & careless. Mind very imbecile & language extremely limited. Bowels regular. Cont

Feb 24 Very stupid. Fits frequent & severe. Very emaciated. Fits frequent & severe. Very obstinate & quarrelsome. Seldom speaks & can express only a few childish sentences. Takes his food well. Cont

May 24 Continues in all respects as at last report. Dull & stupid & very unwilling to take exercise. Cont

Aug 24 No change of any consequence. Dull & listless & obstinate & very excitable & obstinate. Cont

Nov 24 Much the same as reported above. Stupid & dull & sullen & obstinate & self willed. Apt to strike if annoyed in company. Takes his food pretty well. Cont

Feb 24 No improvement in any respect since last report. Indeed there is seldom much change. Takes his food well. Cont

May 20 Much the same in all respects. Epileptic fits recur frequently & he is at all times liable to be excited by very slight causes. Takes his food well. Bowels kept open by an occasional pill. Cont

Sept 26 Not much change mentally. Had a collection of pus formed under the skin over right inframammary region or some what more posteriorly. Incised & several ounces of pus evacuated

Dec 24 There is still a slight discharge from the scrofulous sore alluded to above but it is very trifling. Gets rolls & dirty habits. Takes his food well. Cont

Mar 24 Much the same in all respects. Still some discharge. Cont

May 24 Very fond. Eats much & sleeps soundly. Does not surmise. Cont

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Robert Breddon act 28 from
1846

Mar 25 No epileptic fit since last report but from his physiognomy staring appearance etc is very probable a paroxysm will supervene shortly Bowels require to be kept regular by means of medicine Has a rather severe fit last week a smaller epileptic last week & had one of his fingers bitten Takes his food well Cont amma

April 23 No fits since last report a few days after last report the paroxysm was but short & he has been at work since but still retains a very nervous strange wild stare Takes his food well Bowels require medicine to keep them regular Cont amma

May 25 No fits observed since last report has been confined to bed for a few days by several unhealthy sores about lower extremities One of them rather large situated close below the right knee The others were incised & healed completely but is only partially emaciated from same yet engaging the knee joint over the tibia as just at present situated Walking tender up he is again up & about the wards & will probably soon be at work again Cont amma

June 24 Sore below knee has not yet healed Ulcerous sores on the inner side of the knee & about the head of the tibia No discharge is however not quite so copious but still retains its unhealthy character Bowels kept regular by pills & Red Setting Porter & extra diet Cont

July 24 Sore extend from the middle of leg to above the middle of the calf but still has only one opening at knee treated with baked eggs & good diet Cont

Aug 24 Discharge from sore very profuse & unhealthy Lesions sinking Leg rednematous Has not been observed to have had any fit or excitement since the sore was first opened Gets whisky Porter & calls for pills

Sept 24 Has improved considerably but leg is still very extensively ulcerated Has had no epileptic fits but not excitement Cont

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	24	Still lies in bed. The discharge from leg is thin & sickerous but not quite so abundant as formerly. Reasonably states pets again & is usually very stupid so as scarcely ever to be in a state to scare his bed. Gets Steeles & porter. Requires that this wounds be kept carg. cont. on
Nov	24	No change since last report. Takes his food well but has constantly a red pale skin & stupid manners carg. Cont on
D.	24	Still bedridden & likely to remain so. Quite stupid & the sinuses in leg & thigh to still discharge. Howsoever takes his food well & sound & [illegible] pets again recovers as before but have not caused any excitement. Cont
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7	24	Much the same as at last report. Lies constantly in bed & smelling sadly the eye of a pet has appeared in right shoulder region in which fluctuation can be plainly detected. Sinuses in limb still discharge. Takes his food well & sound & regular. Cont
Jan	24	Lies constantly in bed seems too weak to get up. Smelling on side is less pronounced but more extended. Is pale & unhealthy looking. Feet & legs & thighs dressed with the white of lead ointment. Cont. Steels & Porter.
	24	Continued much in the same weak dozing state. This morning when the attendant were in the act of getting him cleaned he suddenly ex

Died

Daniel Tadely act 50 from

1846

March 27 Pulse 96 full continues as formerly & occasionally regular very stupid sometimes excitable Bell continues thin & pale Some scrofulous swellings formed below right side of lower jaw opened but refused not allow any dressing to remain at Rest Ordered extra diet & Sulphuric Acid Sulphate Magnesia ℥ij Acid Sulph Dilute ℥ss Mixture ℥ij thrice die

April 23 Had some rather severe epileptic fits last week & lay in a stupid state Had an injection of some paregoric croton oil pills &c is again up though still subject to stupid & drowsy Continue abovenamed as he usually is between the paroxysms

Continue

27 Continued very thin in body & very stupid & drowsy Was walking in the sitting court this afternoon when suddenly he sunk down & expired almost immediately

Dead

Inspection

30 Scalp full of blood Frontal sinuses very large & contained a quantity of serum Glandular structure not unusually numerous & the pia mater but slightly thickened Brain looked tolerably healthy except that in the optic thalami the parts looked largely dilated & of a darker colour than usual presenting more in an upward & backward direction fully a quarter of an inch The choroid plexus was considerably charged with blood

Lungs did not collapse any & consequently were very voluminous They chiefly arose from emphysema of the lungs & congestion from adhesions In the centre of left lung were several small masses of half calcareous half cretaceous substance with considerable puckering around each The pericardium & heart were large Chiefly from dilatation & thickening of left ventricle Left auricle

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Non Arnulus a Jenning allowed the admission of two fingers & the radius was somewhat thickened. Mouth of the aorta natural, but large as the aorta was somewhat dilated. Liver & Kidneys were dark from congestion but otherwise seemed tolerable. Mucous Spleen small Bile. Stomach Urinary bladder slightly thickened.

John McKinven ant from
1844

April 23 Stupid still seeming sullen & sulky especially in regard to his feet wasting away & sometimes will not go out to work in consequence of supposing they are quite sore & also unwell Bowels regular Cont as

May 24 Not much change in any respect since last report Sometimes seems inclined to work & at others refuses from the imagined condition of his feet Health good Cont as

June 24 At present working very industriously in the Ground No other change of any consequence Cont

July 24 Continues to work very industriously although he retains the notion about his feet which however he does not so seem to have just now Health pretty good Bowels regular Cont as

Aug 24 Last week notions about his feet wasting away were rather more marked so that he was unable to work He now however at work again Health good Cont as

Sept 24 Working very industriously Bodily health good Cont as

Oct 24 Mind still haunted with the notion that occasionally his feet waste away At present however does not suppose them so bad as to prevent his working Bowels regular Cont

Nov 24 Little change of any importance Appetite good sleep & health in every good Cont as Discharged remains unaltered Cont as

Dec 31 In consequence of want of room in the asylum the parish authorities were unable to receive him Application for his admission was also refused

Released

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John McDougald Admd 26 yrs

1846

April 23 Mend continues weak & confined to quiet & inoffensive Works about the Institution seems contented with his situation & has apparently no desire to leave the Institution Takes his food well Bowels easy Health tolerable Conduct Same

May 24 Little change of any consequence Quiet peaceably disposed & industrious Takes his food well Health pretty good Conduct Same

June 24 No change of any consequence Works very orderly in the grounds Conducts himself very quietly Cleanly Bowels easy Conduct Same

July 24 Robert is inoffensive Works very moderately in the grounds Takes his food well Cleanly & not disturbing Mind very weak Conduct Same

Augt 24 Works very industriously Mind weak & very inoffensive Health good Bowels regular Conduct Same

Sept 24 Continues much in the same state as at last report

Oct 28 Complaining of cough & pains in his bones Tongue coated Pulse 84 weak R Pil Cathart X11 Sumat unem omni nocte R Same Continue as this Morning Evening as yesterday Same 26 Much the same but there is still a little cough Appetite good Bowels regular Tongue clean Conduct Same

Nov 24 Health restored to its usual condition Assisting as formerly about the boundary wall Bowels free Conduct Same

Dec 24 Mind still weak but still officiates as Porter to the Gate of the Asylum & looks after the Grounds Readily Health good Conduct Same

Being in good health & capable of working for a livelihood Discharged

Cured

Sep 189 Admitted June 13th 1844

Lachlan McLean at [illegible]

1846

March 22 Still as full of hypochondriacal complaints as ever. Is never without pains somewhere. Works occasionally in the garden but will scarcely go on with it. Takes his food well & enjoys tolerable health. Tolerable cleanly quiet & not obstreperous. Cont. tonica

April 23 No mental improvement. Still retains all his former notions as to his bodily health. Said he thought he must be the victim of being tied, roasted & got a tumbled into a cold bath. Is chiefly employed sewing canvas bed & Takes his food well. Cont. tonic

May 24 Not much change being still hypochondriacal although perhaps less so & works rather more voluntarily than formerly. Takes his food well. Taking alterative pills one every night. Cont. tonic

June 24 Mind seems pretty well with the exception of some slight hypochondriacal notions which probably may have some slight foundation in some physical ailment. Works now very industriously in the ground. Takes his food well. Still taking alterative pills. Cont.

July 24 Continues much the same as at last report. Works very industriously in the grounds & conducts himself well. Cont. tonic

Aug 24 Works very industriously with the exception of the slight hypochondriacal feeling may be considered convalescent. Cont. tonic

Sept 19 Continuing to conduct himself in all respects quietly & industriously he is discharged as

Cured

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Thomas Low Act 28 Judge 16 Par

1846

April 23 Mind very weak indeed & dissipated never speaks Works quietly in the grounds to the best of his abilities Takes his food pretty well but is rather thin & tolerably cleanly & not destructive Bowels regular sleeps well cont same

May 24 Little change of any consequence Works in the grounds & is very willing as far as his weak abilities allow Takes his food tolerable well but is thin & pale Bowels cont same regular cont same

June 24 No change of any importance since last report Continues to work in the grounds & cont same

July 24 Very quiet & inoffensive Walks very unsteadily in the ground & occasionally falls & is glad to partake his meals when others permit very thin Bowels tolerable Cont same

Augt 24 No change Works industriously Takes his food tolerably well Never speaks Bowels regular cont same

Sept 24 Continues in all respects as reported above Takes his food well Works industriously cont

Oct 24 No change Mind very weak & confused very inoffensive Takes his food well cont same

Nov 24 Very quiet & inoffensive does whatever he is desired as far as his weak faculties will allow Really health tolerable cont

Dec 24 No appreciable difference in any respect Very quiet & inoffensive Works daily & really health tolerable cont same

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Jany 24 No change of any importance in this case of dementia Never utters an intelligible word Quiet & inoffensive Works in the grounds Health tolerable cont same

Feby 24 No change of any quiet consequence Employed in the grounds Takes his food pretty well Bowels regular cont same

Admitted August 11th 1843

March 24 No change in mental state has not been quite so well in bodily health of late although epileptic fits have been detected He is more dull more inclined to sit or lie & dislikes his food less than formerly Bowels costive Cont

April 24 Health better but mind as weak as ever Walking in the grounds Takes his food well but is rather pale Cont

May 24 Very quiet & peaceable Very strong Walks a little occasionally in the grounds Cont

June 24 No change of any consequence Mind very far gone Takes his food pretty well walks in the grounds Cont

July 24 No mental change Bodily health indifferent Employed at late closet at the Laundry Cont

Sept 20 Much the same in all respects Mind very weak & bodily strength but indifferent Still employed in the Laundry turning the mangle Takes his food well Bowels regular Keeps his bed clean & is not destructive

Oct 26 Not much change in any respect Bodily health rather improved Mind as much gone Takes his food well Keeps his bed clean Cont

Nov 24 Little change to perceive Scarcely ever speaks a word Perfectly unobservable Employed turning the mangle Takes his food Bowels costive Cont

Dec 24 No change of any importance Bodily health but very indifferent Works usually at the mangle Takes his food tolerably well in general but at times but indifferently Cont

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Jany 4 No change of any importance Bodily health but indifferent Takes his food pretty well Bowels Cont

May 3 Much the same in all respects Quiet & timid Takes his food well Never speaks General health not very strong Cont

March 4 Timid very weak & bodily health not very strong Walks in the grounds when the weather permits Cont

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David Anderson Act [illegible]

1846

March 22 Mind much as fanciful Will must to be engaged as [illegible] to the matron & medical attendant Sometimes get very obstreperous in the wards & struggles the patients for which [illegible] placed in seclusion lately last week has been rather quieter since Diet & strong exercise his food well Works occasionally Conformes

April 23 No improvement Mind full of fancies often sings aloud & uses strange gestures Laughs loud & suddenly without evident cause & makes strange contortions of face Health good Takes his food well Sometimes employed in the grounds but that as every thing else he will do only by persuasion at other times Conformes

May 24 Continues in all respects much the same as at last report Health good Bowels regular Conformes

June 23 Works occasionally at all times refused to attend to this his fellow patient Still given to make strange gestures & sing aloud Bodily Health good Conformes

July 24 No improvement last week was awakened the night for the dinner of [illegible] person in the matron's room he was cleaning the wards & when [illegible] his own dinner was ready the wards for it Health good Conforms

Aug 24 No change since last report Works tolerably industrious Bodily Health good Bowels regular Conforms

Sept 24 No mental improvement Makes strange gestures & sings loudly &c Bodily health excellent Conforms

Oct 24 Continues much in the same state of mind as reported above Will do any thing for a piece of bread Still makes strange gestures & faces runs & tumbles over his bedding Health good Conforms

Nov 24 No change of any importance Takes his food pretty well Works tolerably industriously Health good Conforms

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Mar 24 Is rather more restless & full of strange gesticulations full blown startings & contortions of his features but is on the whole managable with ordinary treatment Health good Cont

Apl 24 Little change of any importance Full of strange gesticulations & rather restless but very readily kept but easily managed by persuasion Health good Cont

May 24 No change of any consequence apprecable Quiet working in the grounds Takes his food well & enjoys excellent health Bowels regular Cont

June 24 No improvement Employed at present cleaning the windows of the west house Full of strange whims & gestures Health good Cont

July 24 No mental improvement Flights turbulent & impulsive but not unnatural still as incoherent Cont

Aug 24 No improvement Much the same as reported above Badly Health good Cont

Sept 24 Has been rather more turbulent & flighty of late But is not at all unnatural Works tolerably well but cannot settle at any thing Badly Health good Cont

Oct 24 Continues much the same as at last report Irascible but at the same time very good natured & easily pleased Badly Health good Cont

Nov 24 Much the same in all respects Working of late with the industrious carrying vegetables &c &c Badly Health good Cont

Dec 24 No change apprecable except that having been confined for disturbing patients he is rather less over hearing than formerly Health good Cont

Jan 24 Much the same in all respects Has been employed of late cleaning all the gallery windows Badly Health excellent Cont

Feb 24 No change of any importance Badly Health good Cont

Mar 24 Much the same in all respects Health good Cont

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1846 April 1

Alexr Paton Act. from Asylum

May 1st Was sent from the West House fully a fortnight ago excessive drivelling imbecile. Passes his stools & urine in his clothes as in bed as the case may be. From this had habits of getting at top of other patients during the night it is absolutely necessary to maintain close seclusion personal & urinary part of dress of this man excoriated. Has to be washed & shaved to foot every morning in consequence of being rolled in his stools. Takes his food well & excessively stuffed. Bowels very long. Pulse moist. Urine dischd

16 Continued in the same imbecile filthy state as above reported until last night. On the attendant attempting to get him up out of bed this morning it was seen that he could not stand. Was in a stupid half comatose state & convulsive quivering came over him when they attempted to make him stand. Pulse little altered. Pupils sluggish. Can be roused to say a monosyllable or two. Has not had a stool, has passed his urine during the night. Tongue moist. Inhalation. Expectation. Enema Terebinth. Stupes Abdomen & pectus. Bowels 3 x indie. Catheter urinam

17 Little change from yesterday's report. Lingua clean. Breath offensive. Urine still requires to be drawn off by the stool. Extremities getting rather cold & pulse feeble. Can still be roused somewhat. Coma

18 Gradually became more & more sunk, cold & comatose until at 7 P.M. he

Died

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David Hepburn aet 46 Farmer
J.H.

Readmitted from Glasgow to-day (see page 1826) having been in the asylum from the 29th July 1845 to 3rd April 1846 &c. also at a previous period in an asylum at Kirkcaldy in all he states three years and six months. Formerly he was a dull lie-

12 Slept in a bad cant night but on the morning shaved it all off and dressed as he used to do formerly. Appetite still voracious is always crying for muffy bannocks carry napkins still same restless countenance eyes have a slight oblique expression R Spirtus Aetheris Nitrosi ℥ij Aetheris Sulphurici ℥ij Tinctura Camphoræ ℥ij Mucilaginis Gummi Arabici ℥ij Aquæ ℥viij ft Haustus ter quotidie

14 Is into all sorts of mischief that he can possibly get at cannot be trusted out into the airing court as he takes all the clothes off the imbecile patients he can get hats caps tears or otherwise abuses them. To be locked up for a day as a punishment &c &c

22 Little or no mental improvement. Is the most mischievous patient in the house. Was subjected to a cold bath & sent out to exercise but it seems to have wrought very little reformation in his habits. Takes his food greedily is constantly crying for snuff the allowance he gets being very soon consumed. Oedema of the feet much better. Bowels regularly confined. Behaves quietly sometimes works a little out in the grounds but can seldom be induced to be kept out of mischief. Dirty & mischievous as to his clothes & offensive manners &c &c

May 1

29 No improvement still offensive mischievous & destructive. Wears a strong canvas dress but it is often torn & soon rendered useless. Appetite voracious. Dirty & cleanly &c &c

Committed April 11th 1846

28 Is most destructive & troublesom patient in the house Destroys every thing he can lay his hands on & must be watched thro the attendant two months ago tore down a piece of the Gas pipe in Mens yard allowing the Gas to escape for this was sent to bed without supper Has twice had a cold bath but it seems evident he cannot restrain his destructive propensities although an ordinary subject he can converse tolerably rational by fits & quick & offers to pray Cont on

28 Continues in all respects in nearly the same state as at last report Still as much inclined as ever to noisy clamorous & destructive Cont on

28 Little change of any importance very destructive & mischievous & yet ready to give a plausible excuse on all occasions Cont

28 28 The most destructive & mischievous patient in the establishment Destroys & soils his own clothes & the clothes of any inferior patient that cannot resist Yet talks most plausibly & deceives with the greatest effrontery what he has just been doing very thin ceremonies take place this & readily Cont

28 Not much change but is upon the whole rather less mischievous & destructive but the improvement is not very great Cont on

28 No change of any consequence a troublesome & still mischievous & destructive Takes his food well but is very thin Cont on

28 Continues extravagantly troublesome & destructive & very mischievous & is cunning & plausible in his excuses & arguments & will argue a case in the most plausible & eloquent manner yet cannot restrain from mischief & a tendency to destroy & also to hoard all manner of rags pieces of metal & bones & textile fabrics Cont on

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6 Wm Rodger aet 58 Mason

April 29 No improvement in any respect
Delusions continue & mind is
as weak & weaker than ever
Dirty & destructive Works a
little occasionally with the
masons Is still anxious to get
home Shaved, regular Takes
his food readily Cont same

May 29 Continues in all respects as above
reported Mind in the same mis-
erable confusion Occasional
marks out in the grounds, pegs
at other times Getting rather
weakly from age Takes his food
readily & dirty as heretofore
Continue

June 28 No change of any importance
Still anxious to get home
Get when ask does not attempt
to go away Takes his food
well Is getting extremely
Cont same

July 28 No appreciable change When mov-
ing last week walked away tol-
erably upright & frequently shaved
Shaved Cont same

Aug 28 Continues much in the
same state Anxious
to get home Works a
little occasionally
Cont same

Sept 28 Employed as a mason Mind
continues in the same wretched
condition Dirty & careless of
his personal appearance Cont

Oct 28 No change of any consequence
Still works occasionally
with the masons Careless &
dirty Anxious to get home
Takes his food well Cont
same

Nov 28 No change of any consequence
Works occasionally Very
filthy in his habits Still at work
Cont

Dec 28 Rather cleaner & more
inclined to work Still pe-
culiar & generally asks when he sees
the Medical officer "Well
Sam I to get land" Health
tolerably good Cont same

1874
Jan 28 Not much change since
last report Still supposes
himself a king & declares he
shall be punished for keeping
him here Takes his food
well Cont same

October

Admitted April 14th 1842

Jan 28 Still supposes himself a King Walks with the Mason when the weather permits Badly Health tolerable good Relishes meals Has had at night a room Cont

Feb 28 No mental change Mind as weak & as full of delusions as formerly Walks with the Mason Takes his food well Cont

March 28 Working tolerably steadily along with the Mason Fancying stories Still supposes himself a King Health tolerable Helps his Bed &c Cont

May 28 No change of any importance Still retains the delusions noted above Works with the Mason but is anxious to get home Cont

June 28 Still employed with the Mason Delusions as before Cont

July 28 Was troubled with a slight attack of loseness & dysentery Find the following Medicines as is now well & at work again R Ol Ricini ℥ss Tinct Opii gtt xxv Aqua Cinnamomi ℥ij M Sumat pro dosi R Ol Olivæ ℥ss Tinct Opii gtt xv Sumat urgentibus quatuor horis

Aug 27 Badly Health tolerably good Has been working with the Masons of late Very anxious to get away Some abatement of his delusions Cont

Sept 24 Since last date he has been behaving well & working. Does not brood as much as formerly over his delusions looks well His wife being anxious to have him at home as there is a prospect of employment, he is discharged Cured

Error. With [illegible] Book

Oct 27 Much the same in all respects No abatement of his delusions still imagines himself a King & threatens to have the medical officers beheaded for keeping him here Works with the Mason Takes his food well Health tolerable Cont

Nov 24 Much the same in all respects still anxious to get away Health tolerable Cont

Dec 24 No change of any importance Delusions remain as before

1843 Jan 5 Much the same in all respects Cont

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April 27 No change of any consequence still anxious to get discharged liable to convulsions from irritation of the bowels consequently after regular medicine for three relief. Works tolerably well except at times when his bowels become more obstinate than usual Continue

May 29 No material change in any respect takes Rx as usual obstinate but respectful terms as before. Had an injection & a few pills after which his bowels have been rendered regular for the present. Will probably resume more tomorrow. Health & Remain tolerable although he is pale & dingy Cont

June 28 No permanent improvement still anxious to get discharged Has been working tolerably diligently for some time past appetite, sleep & bowels natural Cont

July 28 Working tolerably diligently at present still however very anxious to get discharged Bowels require almost constant suppression Cont ommer

Aug 28 Still as anxious to get home Works well anxious to get home Cont

Sept 28 Still anxious to get discharged but makes no attempt to go Bowels plone R Pl Tract & Cal Crat X11 plumbum ij Nitric Quarque mixte

Oct 28 Not much change Is restless unsettled Remark last report Working moderately Bowels easy Cont ommer

Nov 28 Very anxious to get home Sometimes works & sometimes refuses Health pretty good Bowels easy Cont ommer

Dec 28 Still somewhat anxious to get away & thinks he can do well enough at home occasionally refuses to work R Pl Cinchon Cal Crat X11 plumbat once per day Cont to ommer

1847
Jan 30 Much continues in the same weak condition Admitted at carrying coals &c Still anxious to get home Health tolerable Cont ommer

Aug 26 1847 — Hamilton May 6th 1848

Aug 4 — Little change of any importance
Sept 1 — Inspector has formerly carrying coals &c Bodily health tolerably good Requires laxative pill occasionally Cont

Oct 1 — Much the same as formerly little anxious to get away Mind very weak Requires medicine to open his bowels occasionally otherwise he becomes very restless R Pl attend to all duties omni modo

30 — Complaining considerably of pain in the hypogastric region Habit costive quantity of Urine Commune C Olea Terebinth ℥ j

Nov 30 — Walks just tolerably carrying coals &c although very anxious to get away a passenger opportunity does not attempt to walk off Health good Cont

Dec 28 — Much the same in all respects as at last report Bowels very Cont

1848 July 28 — At present dull & stupid and appetite Lounges about but for nothing R Pl Factus C Alcohol ℥ ii Sumat ij pro quaq mane Cont & Cea

Aug 27 — Better than at last report but still very dull & low spirited Does not trouble any one Taking his food again which he was confined about some time ago Bowels very Cont

Sept 27 — Better than at last report but still somewhat dull Walks a little occasionally still very anxious to get home Bowels regular Cont

Oct 27 — Is again at work & has got out of the state of sluggish stupid melancholy in which he was Is still anxious however to get away Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Nov 24 — Much the same as at last report Bodily health tolerably good Mind weak & fanciful Bowels costive

1848
Aug 5 — Not much change very anxious to get home Mind weak Takes his food well Bowels sluggish R Pl Tinct Calumb C Alcohol Cont ℥ ii Sumat unam omni nocte de apus Ast

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1846

May 29 Epileptic fits continue as before a pale old man Quiet & inoffensive in general Takes his food tolerably well but is pale & thin Bowels easy Tongue white Ordered cont om

June 28 No change of any importance Epileptic fits continue rather frequent Must be always appears quiet & inoffensive Readily recalls nothing & Bowels easy Cont om

July 28 Continues much as formerly Usually sits by himself on the wards & looks as if he groaned within in the course of an hour or so very little until the rest of the patients Takes his food tolerably well but is pale & thin Cont om

Aug 28 Must be the same as at last report Quiet & peaceable Pale & thin Takes his food well Cont om

Sept 28 Quiet & inoffensive Epileptic fits continue as before Bowels regular Is pale & rather thin Takes his food tolerably well Cont

Oct 28 Little change of any consequence Fits continue as before Pale & thin Cont om

Nov 28 Very quiet & peaceable Epileptic fits continue Requires a little medicine occasionally for his bowels Cont

Dec 28 Fits continue occasional Is nonetheless very quiet & inoffensive no annoyance to any one nor much to be disturbed by any one Cont om

1847

Jan 28 Epileptic fits continue rather frequent Mind weak seldom speaks Takes his food tolerably well but is somewhat thin occasionally requires a little laxative medicine Cont

Feb 28 Must be the same as at last report Fits occur as before Pale & weak Takes his food tolerably well Bowels easy Cont

Mar 28 Quiet & retiring Pale & weak fits frequent Bowels easy Cont om

22 Admitted August 4th 1848

June 28 Very quiet & getting very thirsty & also frail Frequent passing but never preceded or followed by violence or excitement Cont

Mar 28 No change of any importance quiet & dull Trouble to keep Cont

June 28 No change of any importance appreciable very quiet Takes his food as before Cont

July 28 Continues much in the same state stupid & sleepy. Troubles no one & is glad to sit quietly and in any way Takes his food as before & a pint of old man Cont

Aug 27 Much the same made no respects but is melancholy Troubles no one Takes his food pretty well Bowels odey Cont

Aug 27 No change of any importance appreciable Dull & quiet & stupid Moves but little Takes his food tolerably well Cont

Sept 24 Very little change of any importance Frail and forgetting & stupid Takes his food Bowels regular Cont

Nov 24 No change of any importance Rarely speaks but appears Takes his food tolerably well but in a corner & allowed annoying no one Cont

1848

Aug 4 Much the same as reported above Frail & old Fits never frequently but he never shows any symptoms of excitement Cont

July 3 Little change of any consequence Frail & old Quiet & dispodent Takes his food tolerably well Cont

Nov 24 Much the same in all respects quiet inoffensive & unassuming Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

25 Seems to have had a very severe fit during the night as there was found in a very exhausted state breathing laboriously with much rattling in the throat Pulse weak Gradually will not survive many hours! Swallows a little bellly with much difficulty Ordered Cont

Notwithstanding the assiduous care of attendant & external remedies continued to sink & at 9½ p m

Died

1846 Robert Coventry act 41

May 26 Dresses up a dummy & plays around his hard fate. Complains to be set at liberty or put out of existance. Often kneels down & frequently begs these or other favors occasionally in the gallery but says such is not for occupation for a tradesman. Health pretty good. Bowels regular. Cont as mine.

June 3 Has made some attempts to strangle himself & has consequently been transferred to a gallery where he can be better watched. In all other respects as at last report. Cont.

28 Little improvement still unfit to get home as to be sent home when he dies. Has not been observed to make any suicidal attempt since last report. Assists occasionally at washing the gallery. Cont as mine.

July 28 No appreciable improvement as impatient as ever to get home & pushes the medical officer to promise to send home his corpse when he dies. This however is refused him & seems to aggravate somewhat & augment his desire to commit suicide. Takes his food pretty well. Bowels regular. Cont as mine.

Aug 28 Continues in all respects as at last report. Anxious to get away dead as alive. Refuses his food well. Health tolerable. Cont as mine.

Sept 28 Much in the same state as at last report. Cont as mine.

Oct 28 Often gets very excited calling loudly to God to send him home & swearing at the top of his voice. At other times implores of the attendants & others to see & Has not shown any inclination of late to strangle himself. Sometimes makes a little. Cont as mine.

Nov 28 Neither better nor worse than at last report. Not to change in any other respect. Assists to clean the gallery but very unwillingly. Health good. Cont.

Admitted March 5th 1842

Aug 27 Has got very excited yesterday & today running talking loudly at a most violent rate. Threatens to strangle himself unless set at liberty says it is most miserable to keep him here he is such an excellent Arabian Man & the Queen & Lord Lovaine & Applent present accepts Resident must regret &c. Stat

Aug 29 Still most anxious to get away & walks up & down muttering & talking as before although scarcely quite so much excited. Delusion continues unabated. Resists in the gallery but most unwillingly that it is not mark set for him & Pl attempt all Dismissal does not quite so much

Sept 4 27 Little change of any consequence since last report treatment continuing rather less than it was three months ago occasionally threatens to make away with himself still bowels easy cont

Sept 11 27 Occasionally gets very excited shouting at the very top of his voice praying & cursing Wishes home & threatens to destroy himself if not permitted to depart says he is Lord Coventry & a Peer takes his food well cont

Sept 18 27 No change of any importance since last report still noisy & malicious as reported above cont

Sept 25 27 Less noisy & excited but still very anxious to get away Bowels & health good cont

Oct 2 27 Last week made an attempt to suspend himself by his trousers but was discovered as at last report

Oct 9 27 No improvement still anxious to get home a miserable because he cannot get away often asks to be put out of existence & threatens to do away with himself Right foot is always somewhat oedematous otherwise health pretty good cont

Oct 23 27 Not quite so noisy but still as anxious as ever to get away & often threatens suicide cont

Oct 30 27 No change of any importance still occasionally threatens to commit suicide Bowels & health tolerably good cont

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Salm Campbell

1846

May 29 No mental improvement
Mind almost gone Derby in
extreme pacing the floor
wringing in his clothes as in
bed Never speaks an intelligible
word but moans all
day long standing in one
location Cont on

June 28 Continues in the same fatuous
state Plumes in a low unintelligible
manner to himself all day Legs
& feet have still the same tendency
to swell Bowels carry Cont

July 28 No improvement in any respect Con-
tinues to moan constantly in an unin-
telligible manner Legs have still
the same tendency to swell Bo-
wels carry Cont on

Aug 28 As dirty & useless as ever
Takes his food well
Bowels regular Cont
on

Sept 28 No change Quite factious Dirty
in extreme Plumes constantly
Takes his food & readily
Cont on

Oct 28 No change in any way Dirty
& slovenly to the last degree Pea-
nutters & inarticulate moaning
Bowels regular Takes his
food well Cont on

Nov 27 No improvement Fatuous
& filthy to the last degree
Relishes his food well
Cont on

Dec 27 No improvement Very dirty
& filthy Never utters an
intelligible word Takes
his food well Cont

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Jan 27 A hopeless case of dementia
Very dirty Never utter an
intelligible word Takes his
food well Health passable
Cont on

Feb 16 No change of any consequence
as there was a want of room
in the Asylum Mrs Parker was
requested to remove Him In
consequence of which he is
today discharged as

Relieved

2930 Admitted Dec 18th 1843

Alex Watson admt 18 from

1846

May 27 Mind weak but probably as sound as ever will be Works tolerably diligently Takes his food well Swelling under jaw much increased It is under the iodine ointment & Rx Pot iod 2 grs ad Solutio ad Potassium three times a day cont om

June 27 Continues much in the same state Swelling beneath chin not decreased but a considerable purulent eruption has appeared under the Iodine has been stopped Health & appearance good cont om

July 28 Little change since last report with regard to mental state There still remaining a slight degree of imbecility Swelling beneath chin very large & although it has a soft fluctuating feel cannot say that the distinctly feels of fluctuation Rx Iod zvss cont om

Aug 28 Little change mentally or bodily Health latterly good Swelling below jaw not abated cont

Sept 28 Still employed in the tailor's shop conducting himself very well Swelling below jaw and lower in the neck getting somewhat lobulated cont

Oct 28 No change of any importance since last report Swelling below jaw becoming flatter but not decreasing cont om

Nov 28 Swelling below jaw has increased & a quantity of thin fluid escaped & continues to discharge a little accumulation Conducts himself very well & works industriously cont om

Dec 28 There is still an accumulation & slight discharge from the opening below jaw but is otherwise in good health & conducts himself very well in all respects cont om

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Jan 28 Still slight discharge from sore on neck Works industriously in the tailor's shop Takes his food well cont om

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Apr 28 Working quietly & well in the tailors shop. Mind although weak on the whole tolerably well. There is still slight discharge from sore in neck. Takes his food well. Cont.

" 28 Beneath the lower jaw another scrofulous swelling has formed about the size of a farmer one large as a grape. Gradually progressing to the surface. Takes his food well. Bowels easy. Cont. on.

" 28 One cyst has burst & another is rapidly approaching the surface. Some of the pus & other accumulating beneath. No delusions. Works quietly & steadily in the tailors shop. Cont.

May 8 Bodily health good except in so far as the enlarged glands of the neck are concerned. Mind free from delusions. Discharged

Cured

James Gelbrest a Romin
1846

May 27 Mind continues in the same way
always gives a military salute
when he sees any stranger or
mounted officer Supposes the
his buttons are gold & will pro-
cure them at any price Seems
in the gallery Takes his food
well Cont

June 28 No change in any respect sum
last report Delusions the same
as reported Appears very
well Cleanly pretty good
Cont on

July 28 Delusions continue and in minishes
& he seems getting rather more stu-
pid Assists in the gallery Is slow
& methodical Takes his food
well & is in tolerable condition
Bowels regular Cont on

Aug 28 Getting very frail & scarcely able to walk Lets
mutterings to himself as well
as ever Getting stupid & rather
neglectful Takes Bowels
very Gets Porter & steak
Cont on

Sept 28 Getting very frail & stupid Walks
with difficulty & lets almost
constantly mutterings to himself
in a low & unintelligible manner
Getting thin & stupid like
Cont on

Oct 28 Much in the same state as at
last report Head & stupid
Mumbling constantly to him-
self Takes his food well
Gets steaks & Porter Cont

Nov 28 Not much change very
stupid Takes his food
well Bowels regular
Cont on

Dec 28 Much the same as at last
report Mumbles almost
constantly to himself
Takes his food well
Bowels easy Cont
on

1847
Jany 28 Mind very weak Still imagines
his buttons gold & of immense
value Constantly chanting to
himself in a mumbling manner

Feby 28 No change of any importance
Chants to himself all day long
Mind very weak & so are
his bodily powers Keeps
himself Bowels tolerably
clean Takes his food
well Cont

Admitted 22d Augt 1844

Augt 28 Getting daily more & more stuffed & foul Constantly mumbling in an unintelligible manner Takes his food well but cannot be expected to live very long Cont omnia

Augt 28 Continues to decline Was two or three days confined to bed with erysipelatous swelling of leg Heart is now quite weak Has for some time past acquired a habit of constantly grinding his teeth those of one jaw against those of the other Chants in a mumbling unmeaning manner Takes his food well Bowels costive Urine very high coloured sporter Cont

Augt 28 Very little change in any respect from what he was when last reported Still takes his food well but is very foul Cont

Augt 28 Getting daily more stuffed & breaks Mumbles almost continuously Cont

Augt 28 No improvement in any way Mumbles constantly except when asleep & sleeps but little Is so foul that his life cannot be reckoned on for 24 hours Cont omnia Getting steaks sporter & bitters daily

Augt 20 Continues in the same miserable condition never ceasing except when asleep or eating to make a mumbling noise sometimes very loud very dirty & filthy in his clothes and bedclothes Takes his food well Cont omnia

Augt 26 Seems getting more & more foul At times can with difficulty walk is so much stuffed as to cause inconvenience orders have been issued that he is not to be taken down stairs Takes his food well & gets collops & porter Cont

Augt 24 Continues in the same stuffed foul & filthy condition almost always making a mumbling unintelligible noise Takes his food & extras Cont

June 17 Getting more stuffed & foul For several days has been confined to bed almost constantly on his back and bedsores are forming over sacrum Takes his food & extras greedily Cont omnia

19 Getting more & more stuffed & much low on his back unable to turn Bedsores increasing Cannot with difficulty swallow

James Broadfoot aet 18 fa...

June 2 R Plumbi acet ℥ss Zinci Sulph
ℏ pii ℥ vi Conserv Rosarum ℥j
Mucil Acaciae in pil xxiv Has
been taking one of these three
times a day for several days past
3 Has no Hæmorrhagic returns at inter-
vals but not very copiously
Mucous ronchi & slight extension
especially in left side of chest
Refuses his food R Cremor
Lentis ℥ij Adipis ℥ss Ung
Potassæ Iodidi ℥j Ft Unguentum
Pectori Sinistro ter die
Lint Sulphuris ℥ij Zinci Oxidi ℥ij
Sulphuris Sublimati ℥ij Ft Pulvis
Hepatis ℥ij Lint Cinchonæ Comp ℥ij
Misce Limat ℥ij Ft Pulvis quotidie
7 No Hæmorrhage since last report
Difficulty of breathing still
continues Is pale sanguine
Takes his food rather better
Heart still acting strongly
with the very considerable extension
dulness in cardiac region Pulse
96 rather quick & weak
Cont. omnia
20 Has not had any Hæmorrhage
since reported above Is consi-
derably stronger & out of bed
occasionally Takes his food
much better but is still pale
& thin Mucous rhonchi still
heard extensively in left side
of chest & dulness of cardiac
region not diminished Has
still considerable dyspnœa es-
pecially on any exertion such as
the breathing becomes decidedly
nasal Pulse 88 mouth sore
Cont. omnia
24 Still continues very pale & ap-
to be constantly in bed Still
considerable difficulty in breath-
& little diminution of the mucous
ronchi in chest None return of
Hæmorrhage but continues pale
& sanguine Has pustules
& blotches Refuses to take
not take R Sum Liquor Ammon Acet
Antimonialis ana ℥ss Liquoris Ammo-
℥ss Mistura Muscleg ℥vi
Liquor Quinæ Ammoniatus ℥ij
Misce Sumat ℥ss ter quotidie
July 2 Not much change still confined
to bed Cough considerable
Refuses his porridge but at the
same takes his food well
Has return of Hæmorrhage but is
still very sanguine Cont. omnia

Admitted August 16th 1843

12 Much in the same state as at last report Weak & will not stay out of bed Head & Chest as before to chest which seems to have relieved the difficulty of breathing somewhat still very Thin & pale Cont tonic

18 Up to today but is very weak Has still a troublesome cough with rather copious yellow expectoration Takes his food well Cont tonic

19 Alleged to go to bed again after having up an hour Chest dull on both sides & respiration Rattling over greater part of it mixed with consonating rales Cheeks as to appear sunken in Superior portion of right lung Pulse rapid & weak Warm to a shadow although he takes steak & porter & other extras

20 Evidently getting worse daily up in bed from difficulty of breathing Cont

21 Lungs appear nearly useless Mouth dry & brown Lips & cheeks livid Skin tells his head & chest & Quotes Vomited 3/4 Cont as ord

22 Continued to suffer much from extreme anxiety & at 10 p.m. shortly after having small amt & glass of toddy suddenly fell over in the bed

Died

Delegat
A. Bennie from Jersey 19

Jan 20 Lying insensible & apparently dying a little toddy with the greatest difficulty Pulse weak Cont

21 At 1 o'clock a.m.

Died

1846 Wm Gunn act 48 from Ja.

June 29 No appreciable change Mind a meek & peaceful as ever very quiet & industrious employed in the mechanics shop Takes his food well Bowels but is somewhat relaxed from confinement Manner reported regular Cont as

Aug 27 Continues much in the same state Working steadily in the mechanics shop Quiet & inoffensive Cleanly & neat in dress Eating Cont as usual

Sept 28 Working in the grounds very quietly & industrious Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont as

Oct 28 Working very industriously in the grounds Mind continues in the same meek & peaceful state Bowels somewhat disposed to be costive R R Cleanliness Cont as

Nov 28 Still employed in the grounds No change of any consequence since last report Cont as

Dec 28 Mind the same as at last report Health tolerably good Cont

1847 Jany 29 Mind still very meek & peaceful very quiet inoffensive & industrious Keeps himself tolerably clean, neat in dress destructive Health pretty good Cont as

Feb 28 A case of Dementia Mind very meek Works industriously in the grounds very quiet Addresses Dr & others when spoken to answers cheerfully Health tolerable Cont

March 28 Little change Mind meek & quiet peaceful Works in the grounds occasionally Health tolerably good Cont as

April 28 Continues much the same as at last report Works steadily in the grounds Mind very meek Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont as

April 28 Works very industriously & quietly in the grounds Health very good & has just now given up the use of tobacco Thinking it does not agree with him Health tolerable Cont

Aug 28 Continues to conduct himself quietly & the ward industriously Takes his food well although occasionally refuses strange nurses & has lately been employing to labour cont

28 Little change of any sort apprehend Health favourable cont

28 Works in the ground tolerably industrious Mind continues in the same weak state Bodily health tolerable cont

29 Has been ailed these two days but none is quite recovered & when well is possibly one of the most active & ingenious of the whole establishment in all matters omni parte respectable left

27 Much the same in all respects quiet & industrious Works in the garden & grounds & bodily health tolerably good cont

24 No change of any importance Mind weak & erratic but he conducts himself very steadily & comports himself very properly Bowels regular cont

24 Much the same in all respects Bodily health tolerably good but mind weak & powerful Takes his food tolerably well Bowels costive cont

Sept 25 No change of any consequence Works steadily in the grounds when the weather permits Takes his food pretty well cont

3 Much the same in all respects Works industriously Takes his food tolerably well Memorandum

cont

4 Conducts himself quietly works industriously but mind is very weak Bodily health favourable cont

4 Works in the ground very industriously at present employed draining Mind weak & powerful cont

4 Much the same in all respects Bodily health favourable Mind weak cont

4 Much the same as report

4 Works very industriously in the grounds Bodily health tolerable cont

4 As last report

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James Kirkland aet 68 y

1846

June 29 No improvement has taken place in his being unable to sit or stand. Legs still continue largely swollen but are perhaps rather less so than formerly. Takes his food well. Cont. Omn.

July 2 Oedema of legs much abated but not much increase of strength. Lies constantly in bed. Appetite pleasant. Bowels natural. Cont.

12 Not much change. Lies constantly in bed. Cannot stand on his feet. Passes all in bed without giving any warning. Takes his food well. Progressing stationary. Cont. Omn.

14 Seems gradually sinking. Becomes affected with bedsores very extensive.

16 Today at noon

Died

18 Inspectio Cadaveris

Head. Some spots of the pia mater thick & oedematous especially over the vertex & accompanied with a little of the roots of the nerves projected. Brain somewhat considerably examined rather thick & tough & thickened very considerably & much infiltrated with serum. Brain & optick especially intensely about the ventricles lateral ones & tubes large containing a considerable quantity of serum. Choroid plexus rather more than usually engaged with blood which indicated that the brain generally had been oedematous.

Chest. Both pleural sacs completely obliterated except a small space of the right posteriorly which was filled with serum. Covering the lower lobe of the left lung was a very strong leathery pulmentaceous membrane nearly 1/16 of an inch thick. None of the adhesions were recent. Lungs quite soft & oedematous so as to be easily broken down. Heart very large. Increase chiefly on the left side & especially the left ventricle at whose base it is dilated & hypertrophied the wall being nearly an inch thick. Ascending aorta sound

Admitted Augst 18th 1843

dilated. Aortic valves thickened at one side presenting their full closure although they were considerably enlarged.

Abdomen Liver soft & very friable Kidneys healthy Bile Stomach appeared healthy The walls of the abdomen had a black melanotic appearance as if they had got clayed by laying in a dirty kennel for some time. This coloring was observed externally in Scurvied patients two or three weeks before death.

Wm McCready Act from

1846

June 29 Knee improving surrounding inflamation much less Drs Rang from Nurse also decreasing Takes his food well Bowels easy Cont

July 28 Knee nearly well Takes his food well Gets an alterative pill every night & extra diet Cont

Aug 28 Some what obstinate & refractable Will not work except at particular kinds of employment Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Sept 28 Very obstinate & self willed often refuses a day in his bed Takes his food well Bowels regular Tolerably cleanly Cont

Oct 28 Still very obstinate only spins out to work occasionally & to particular kinds of employment Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Nov 27 Obstinate & unclean Refuses to do any thing usually stands leaning against the wall most of the day Readily receive tolerable Cloathing Continues very taciturn and obstinate seldom speaks does not eat losing flesh Yet takes his food well Bowels regular R Infusi Cinchonae fusci ℥xviii Tinct Cumam Comp ℥ij Acidi Sulphurici dil ℥i M Sumat ℥ij ter quotidie

1847

Jany 29 Still losing flesh & looking very ill labored Pulse too frequent Has all the appearance of a person affected with phthisis Will not refuse to allow his chest to be examined Takes his food well Gets a steak daily

Feby 1 His friends seeing him thus determined to remove him Left this day

Released

Died soon after

Admitted July 25th 1843

John Blue aet 32 from 1826

June 26 Epileptic fits continue rather more frequent of late. Is very obstinate & excitable. Full of notions of his own importance. Keeps his hat on & says he will pay reverence to no man who has not the courtesy to uncover to him. Getting thin & erosion at pit of stomach. Allowed to keep his bowels regulated Cont. Omn.

July 26 Has been working tolerably quiet since last report but still continues very excitable. Bowels healthy tolerably good (except being epileptic) Cont. Omn.

Aug. 27 Held excitable but not much accustomed. Has a very exalted opinion of himself & of his own talents. Mind very quick & powerful. Takes his food well.

Sept. 27 Was in seclusion for two days in consequence of excitement. Now tolerably quiet & doing a little work. Health good & appetite excepting the epilepsy. Cont.

Oct. 27 Last week in a struggle with another epileptic was knocked down & got a kick which has caused a rather severe bruise round over top of right parietal bone. Is continued shaved & is growing well but will keep at present rather excited & confined to his room. Cont.

Nov. 27 Wound of scalp healed. Has been rather quieter of late. Takes his food well. Bowels regular. Cont. Omn.

Dec. 28 No change of any importance. Fits occur as before with occasional paroxysms of excitement. Bowels regular. Appetite tolerably good. Takes his food well. Bowels obstructed. Cont.

1847 Jan. 29 Was in seclusion for two days in consequence of excitement after fits but is at present tolerably quiet. Requires shaving occasionally. Cont. Omn.

Feb. 28 Tolerably quiet just now. Has been so for some time back. General health tolerable. Cont.

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March 28 Has been out of seclusion for the last fortnight — Has got one of his eyes blackened in consequence of fighting — Bodily health (except the teeth) pretty good — Bowels require medicine occasionally Cont. on

April 28 Although he has had several fits has not required seclusion since last report — Bowels easy Cont. on

May 28 Continues much as before — Was for a day or two secluded three weeks ago but is at present quiet Cont.

June 28 Has not been in seclusion for the last four weeks — Is at present tolerably quiet Cont.

July 28 Has been working tolerably industriously in the grounds since last report — Gets noisy occasionally — Has left foot-sore Cal. Cret. XII Sumat unan omne monte te abjus ict

Aug. 27 Has kept tolerably free from excitement for a considerable period — Had a severe fit a fortnight ago — Works in the grounds occasionally — Bowels pretty Cont.

Sept. 27 Gets noisy occasionally very generally — Has not however been much excited of late — Assists in the gallery & in the grounds — Owing to his head not requiring to shave a full occasionally to keep his bowels regular Cont.

Oct. 24 Was for a few days in seclusion but is at present tolerably quiet — Takes his food well — Bowels pretty Cont.

Nov. 24 Has been in seclusion for a few days in consequence of having exerted but has become quieter — Has been out in the yard daily — Health during the fits pretty good Cont.

1843

Jan. 4 Was in seclusion about a week since last report — At present quiet — Danced at one of the annual parties — Bowels last Aug. Cont.

Feb. 3 Little change of any consequence — Bodily health good except the epilepsy — Has been tolerably free from excitement Cont.

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Malcom McCallum Left from

1846

June 26 No improvement in any respect scarcely utter a single word Wrestles often for hours mourns the weight of his body to the time from one foot to the other Pays great attention to his clothes & untidy in his personal appearance Takes his food decently well but looks thin & pines & peasant stare Cont on

July 26 No change of any consequence in regard to mental state Was confined to bed for two days in consequence of foot swelling & getting somewhat inflamed but is well now Manner Takes his food well Cont on

Aug 27 All employed in the quarry Works Exactly as others Takes his food well Health good Cont

Sept 27 Never employed at any thing useful Dirty & destructive abstinate & pilfering Sometimes drinks his urine Health quite well Cont "

Oct 27 No improvement or change of any consequence Cannot be employed at any thing useful Cont on

Nov 27 No improvement Indeed is getting more dirty & destructive Madly Health tolerably good Cont

Dec 28 Continues much the same as reported above Mind very much Dirty destructive & abstinate Eats & drinks his food well Cont on

1847

Jan 28 A hopeless case of dementia Very dirty & destructive to his clothes Never speaks beyond "yes" or "no" Eats his food Takes his food well but is rather thin Bowels easy Cont

Feby 28 No improvement Dirty & destructive Cannot be made to make himself useful in any way Takes his food well Health tolerable Cont

March 28 Continues much the same as reported above Dirty & destructive Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont on

April 28 Still employed in the quarry No mental improvement Bodily health good Cont on

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May 28 No change of any consequence
Takes his food well very stupid
& dirty Cont

June 28 No mental improvement
Dirty & destructive to his
clothes Takes his food
tolerably well Cont

July 28 continues in all respects as
at last report stupid dirty
& careless Takes his food well
Cont

Augt 28 No improvement or change in
any respect Never speaks Dirty
& careless takes his food cannot
be employed at anything useful
Cont

Sept 27 No change of any importance
observable Dirty & careless Never
speaks scarcely Eats his food
Takes his food well Cont

Oct 24 Much the same in all respects
Dirty & careless Is Idiotic & speaks
Takes his food well Bowels
regular Would make his
escape if he could & tries so
readily is annoyed Cont

Nov 24 No change of any importance
Cannot even speak a word Bad
ly Health good Takes his food
well very dirty Cont

1848
Jany 4 Much the same in all respects
Very stupid eats his food
Takes his food well
Cont

Feby 2 No change of any consequence observable Never speaks Filthy &
careless of his clothes Takes his
food speedily Cont on

March 4 In all respects as at last
report Cont

April 4 No change of any consequence
observable Never speaks
stupid dirty & careless
Takes his food well Cont
on

May 4 General health good Bowels
regular Cannot be prevailed upon
to speak Continues dirty & in
clined to be destructive to his
clothes Cannot be employed
in any useful way Eats his
food well Cont

June 4 Takes still discharging but
not so copiously as before
Takes his food well
Cont on

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Charles McAllister from 1846

June 27 No improvement in the case never allows a night to pass but that he at the evening visit asks for security that no one may touch him. Is continually exclaiming oh! oh! what'll I do! What'll I do! Takes his food well Works in the grounds Has got the arm nicely fractured by a blow from a fellow patient Bowels regular Is very dirty Cont

July 27 No change of any consequence Still uses the same exclamations Walks about constantly in the grounds Takes his food well Cont same

Aug 27 Continues in all respects as reported above Works occasionally Very cleanly Cont same

Sept 27 Complains slightly of knee which is somewhat swollen Bowels rather sluggish R Pl alterat + II Limat imm omni nocte Potus q.s.

Oct 27 No mental improvement Still moans lament &c is constantly afraid of some impending danger Knee does not trouble him now but is still somewhat swollen Cont same

Nov 27 Continues same in the same state as reported above Still moans & laments Takes his food well & works occasionally

Dec 27 No change of any consequence Still afraid of some impending calamity &c except when asleep almost constantly exclaiming oh! oh! what'll I do Health tolerable Cont same

1847 Jan 27 A case of melancholic dementia with all appearance incurable Little or no change since last report Bowels & health pretty good Cont same

Feb 27 Continues in all respects as reported above with his manner moaning & exclaiming oh! oh! &c Takes his food well Cont same

March 27 No change of any importance Still repeats his old lamentations Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont same

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Aug 27 Not quite so noisy in his lamentations does not as formerly ask security for himself every night at the evening meal Bodily health tolerably Eloquently & carefully of his clothes Cont

Sep 27 Continues much the same as at last report Has not been working much of late Bodily health tolerable Cont

Oct 27 Not quite so noisy Has not been doing much work of late Bodily health passable Cont

Nov 27 No mental improvement still very much depressed & afraid but not so loud in his moans Takes his food well Cont

Dec 27 Much the same in all respects as at last report Much depressed so fearful careless & destructive to his clothes Takes his food well Cont

1849 Jan 27 No change of any importance apprehend Bodily health tolerably good Takes his food well Cont

Feb 24 Much the same in all respects still afraid of some evil overtaking him Do not so loud in his complaints however careless & slovenly always untidy Takes his food well Cont

March 24 Very little change in any respect still incessantly afraid of some impending evil Takes his food well but is very thin Cont

1849 April 7 Much the same in all respects as reported above Always afraid of impending calamity Takes his food well but is thin careless of his clothes & appearance Cont

9 Has been attacked with very severe diarrhoea Stools frequent & bloody Get acclamations pulse rapid Must be kept warm Mist opii 3ij Ext opii gr ij Ft haustus statim sumendus ter indies

11 Not improving Stools copious frequent & bloody Tongue rather red pulse soft & quick Get hot not much accidental Get three milk tea spoonfuls of milk to drink R Vini Ipecacuanhae 3ii Aquae 3ii misce ter indies

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James MacCrossan Act 38

1846

July 24 Works quietly with the masons
In general industrious & well behaved
but very apt to commence abusive
speaking mean & mimicking not at all irritated
any reference to him, mean to insult
him, & strikes at him indecently Takes
his food well Health good Talks
elegantly & is a mimic

Aug 24 No change since last report
Takes his food well Health good
Conduct regular Cont on

Sept 24 Employed assisting the ma-
sons Generally quiet & industrious
but apt to strike without
very evident provocation
Health good Cleanly con

Oct 24 Three days ago walked off
unseen went home & there
found - quietly smoking by
the fireside - readily come
back with the attendant
Speedy Health good Work
still cont

Nov 24 Working quietly with the masons
No change of any importance
Remarks Health good cont

Dec 27 No appreciable difference in
any respect Works daily &
usually quietly although
a very little serves to excite
him & then he is apt to strike
Speedily Health good Cont
conn

1846
Jany 27 Works industriously & cleanly
went last Monday week & very
little excites him & even sometimes
he strikes without any apparent
provocation Takes his food
well Health good cont

Feby 27 Walked away last week as
far as the Broomielaw -
returned saying he could get
no further Works as usual
with the mason Cont

March 27 Again walked away went to
his relations in Lanarkshire &
had to be sent for Was subjected
to a cold bath but he will
go off when he pleases again
Health good cont

April 27 Working quietly in the grounds No
mental or bodily change Takes
his food well Health good
Cont

May 27 Not much change in any re-
spect Bodily health good
Takes his food well
Cont conn

Admitted October 30th 1839

Aug 27 No mental change Still
kept to walk off at any time
he sends an opportunity
Bodily Health good Conduct

Aug 27 No mental change Employed
at table tending the pleasuring
ground in consequence of his
tendency to escape Conduct

Aug 29 No mental improvement Works
more as above reported Occasionally
apt to strike Bodily Health good
Conduct

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects
Employed usually in the grounds
Bodily Health good Takes his
food well Conduct

Oct 24 No change of any importance
Mind remains in the same weak
condition Works in the grounds
occasionally But cannot be
much trusted in consequence
of his melancholy to go home
Bodily Health good Conduct

Nov 23 Much the same in all respects
Bodily Health good Remarks
as Works occasionally
in the grounds Conduct

1848

Jan 24 Bodily Health good Tore his
trousers some time ago in a fit
of ill humour because he can-
not get out Dressed & enjoyed
himself very much at the
annual party but not so
glad two days before on ac-
count of tearing his trousers Conduct

March 3 Bodily Health good Works
in that ground Must mend
his ways if his food well Conduct

March 24 Quiet working in the grounds
again Bodily Health good
but mind remains as before
Conduct

April 4 Conducts himself on the whole
tolerably quietly but is liable
to lurch out of the room without
any evident adequate exciting
cause Works in the grounds
Health good Conduct

May 4 Much the same in all respects
Liable to paroxysms of rage
& often attempts to escape

June 4 No change of any consequence
Appreciable Bodily Health
good Conduct

July 4 Bodily Health excellent
Works occasionally but cannot
well be trusted out for
his running away Conduct

Sept 4 As at last report

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Wm Allan ad from pag

1840

July 27 No change of any importance Delusion as to his being superintendent of the whole institution continues Walks regularly round the grounds twice a day to see that every thing is properly done Health good Conduct ditto

Aug 27 No change of any consequences Delusions as before Health good Conduct

Sept 27 Still looks after the whole establishment as if he were superintendent Chiefly employed in the garden where he plants all the cabbages &c Health pretty good Conduct

Oct 27 No change of any consequence Delusion remains Healthy tolerable good Conduct ditto

Nov 27 Still acts as if he superintended all Healthy health good Conduct ditto

Dec 27 Last week went home to see his friends came back on Sunday & they being at church told the neighbour that he was to be home to look after the patients dinner & therefore could not stay Healthy health good Conduct ditto

1841

Jan 27 Still works in the garden & walks round the grounds as superintendent Healthy health pretty good Conduct ditto

Feby 27 No change of his delusions Walks round the grounds as before Wants to tell the patients go to bed &c Health health pretty good Conduct

March 28 No change of any consequence Usually engaged in the garden planning or digging Health good Conduct ditto

April 28 No change of any consequence Indulges in all his old habits & peculiarities Health good Conduct

May 28 Still as before makes a regular serment of the grounds at least twice a day Healthy health good Conduct

June 28 Delusions remain unchanged Still chiefly employed in the garden Healthy health tolerable Conduct

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July 28 No change of any kind appreciable Bodily health good Delusions as before Cont

Aug 27 Much the same in all respects Delusion remain in full force Still employed in the Garden Bodily health good Cont

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects. Bodily health tolerable Still plants all the cabbages &c Cont

Oct 23 Much the same in all respects Delusions as to his having the whole charge of the establishment &c continue Bodily health good Cont

Nov 23 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

1848

Jany 5 No change of any consequence Delusions as before Bodily health good. Cont

Feby 3 Much the same in all respects as reported about Delusion remain as before Bodily health tolerable Cont

March 4 Conducts himself in all respects as reported about Bodily health good Cont

April 4 No change of any consequence appreciable Still imagines himself Head of the establishment Deals out the food never goes to bed but all the rest of the patients Manage returned Cont

May 4 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

June 4 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Still imagines himself Chief of the establishment Cont

July 4 Still considers himself Head of the Asylum Works industriously in the Garden Cont

Aug 4 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

Sept 4 Still employed planting cabbages &c imagines himself Head of the establishment Cont

Oct 4 No change except that he is a little more thoughtful Endeavours to conceal mental Cont

Nov 4 Much the same in all respects

Dec 4 No change Cont

1849

Jany 6 No appreciable change

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1846 Wm Chapman admt from

July 29 No change mental or bodily appears when in bed suddenly starts up runs to the middle of the floor utters two or three angry expressions & then lies down again When not employed as usually lays his arms folded across the breast often sounds with a very pure pulse mant respt Health tolerable good Cont omn

Aug 28 No Change of any important case Takes his food well Health tolerable good Mind very much Cont omn

Sept 28 Employed with the under gardener feeding &c &c No improvement Health tolerable Cont omn

Oct 28 Still employed with the gardener No mental improvement often suddenly take a fit of swearing & shaking the medical officer for some supposed injury often as suddenly stops Takes his food well Cont omn

Nov 28 No change of any consequence observable Still works with the under gardener Health tolerable Cont omn

Dec 28 Must do same as report above Still employed as above mentioned Bodily health pretty good Mind very much Cont omn

1847
Jany 28 A case of incurable dementia Works with the undergardener Mind very much cannot give a relevant answer to the simplest question Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont omn

Feby 26 Has been for the two last days in bed Pulse quick Skin hot Headache Coughs a good deal Will not allow his chest to be examined but there is dulness on percussion lower lateral thoracic region of right side Appears tubercular disease

28 Takes his food pretty well but has a brown fur on tongue & constant moist cough Pulse &c

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ad tales hille Strength Bowels
opened by Castor oil R
him antimon Zij Mistura
Myrrhae Zjss ter die
Aug 12 Right side of Chest still heavy
dull & respiratory murmur audible to a considerable extent
cough still troublesome occasionally Sputa Expectoration very little
Long ne mount slightly pearl Appetite rather improved Respiration
Increased R Hemi antim et Ipecac
Potassae aa Zij Spiritus aetheris Nitrici
Zss Aquae acetatis ammoniae Zjss
omni quarta hora Zss tar pulses

Aug 13 Right Side of Chest still continues dull Pulse however takes his food pretty well & pulse is but little above the normal Standard although rather weak Looks rather than a pale Bowels regular
Cont

Aug 14 Still lies in bed Takes his food tolerably well but looks thinner pale very little difference in his state since last report Was raised up once or twice in a warm forenoon but is weak & wishes to remain in bed Gets Steak & porter Cont Melle camenta

10 Getting very weak & emaciated Passes all in bed & Appetite is getting very indifferent to food Ordered R Quinae Sulphas Zj VI in dec Cont alia

16 Getting daily more weak & thin Takes nothing but Liquids Pulse 120 per minute Cont

18 Still more weak & sunken looking Passes all in bed Tongue pale Eyes sunk Cont

19 Sinking Pulse very feeble Throws a white pasty Extremities cold Cont

20 At 4 A. M.

Died

Samuel Cameron Cont from 1846

July 29 No change of any importance Works occasionally in the Shoemakers shop is humble usually conducts himself very quietly takes his food well & sufficient with a good deal about meals Mess at present are rather dried up Cont Com

Aug 16 Vomited some blood to day three or four times in small quantities From the account of the attendant it seems to come from his stomach & being blown not considered up to Rl Pl Pulse small & quick 111 Same manner in dec

20 No more hæmorrhage, but appetite has been capricious for a day or two Standing sore quiescent Do Some cod liver & Porter Pulse & Co rather weak

Sept 1 Taking his food well No more blood has appeared Bowels regular Pulse 84 Cont

29 Is in his ordinary health & at work but very thin & perspires Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Om

Oct 27 Employed in the Shoemakers shop Quiet & industrious Readily health not very strong Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Om

Nov 27 Conducts himself very quietly Works in the Shoemakers shop Health rather feeble Takes his food well Cont

Dec 29 Works constantly in the Shoemakers shop & does not seem to have any wish to leave the establishment Takes his food well & conducts himself quietly Cont Om

1847
Jany 29 Seems inclined Works quietly & humble & of course does not talk any Very quiet Takes his food well Cont Om

Feby 28 Has not been at work of late Occasionally throws himself into strange attitudes & contortions Does not molest anyone Takes his food pretty well Bowels regular Scrupulous & tolerably quiescent Cont

No 76 Admitted Jany 30th 1843

March 28 Is rather less excited than at last report Takes his food well but still has a pale unhealthy look Has not yet resumed employment Bowels regular Cont

" 28 Quiet & at work again Takes his food well but is pale & unhealthy looking Bowels regular Cont

May 28 Little change of any importance Walks industriously & otherwise Takes his food well but is thin pale & unhealthy looking Cont

" 28 Has not been much employed of late Much given to lie upon the floor Takes his food well Cont

" 28 Has rather fallen off from his food of late is looking thinner No mental change R Tr Gent Rom Jrqcle ℥ x to 3 Quart Cinnamonic ℥ij Aqua Rub ℔ss Adde ℥j ms Liquor ℥iij ms

his mates Cont also

Sept 1 Has had a rather severe attack of diarrhoea R Aloes Rheum ℥ss Zinc ℥ss Aqua Cinnamomi Tinct ℥ss Aqua pura ℥viij Ft Haust R Pil Plumbi Opii Aloes ℥ij Fiat pil xij Sumat unam ter indies

" 2 Last night Had a severe attack of vomiting & purging became very ill & low Face became & remains very hippocratic Countenance sunk & pulse feeble Had a dysenteric discharge & abdomen on & after vomiting was exceedingly tender Blisters & Fomentation at first more depressing Spirits & abdomen tender Tongue red & dry Pulse weak R Aloes Rheum ℥ij Zinc ℥ss Aqua Cinnamomi ℥iij Tinct Cassidi ℥j Decoct Hordei ad ℥j ms Hyoscyamus Cont Quantus sufficit Gruel

" 3 Seems very much Face pallid and shrunk Feet oedematous Acute increasing hippocratic symptoms not alarming Rad R Quantity Ol Ricini ℥ij Aq Cinnamomi ℥ss Mist Fiat Potus Mistura Camphorae ℥vi Ol Limet ℥ss quantum indies Cont also

" 4 Diarrhoea & vomiting increasing Stools occasionally black are thin & of a dirty Barclay color Pulse very weak Tongue red & dry Face pale & shrunk Eyes hollow R Quantus sufficit Champagne ℥iv ad Haust effervescens Cont also

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Wm Barry Act from Jan 7
1846

July 29 No improvement Works steadily in the grounds Mind very weak Eats all parts of food having the appearance of food he can find in his way even from the ground Still very destructive especially to his clothes Bodily health good Cont same

Augt 28 No change Dirty slovenly & destructive Works in the grounds Appetite voracious Health good Cont same

Sept 28 Had a sore foot for which I kept him to bed for two days now quite well Attends as before Cont

Oct 27 No mental improvement Works daily in the ground very slovenly in his dress & destructive to his clothes Appetite voracious Bowels Health good Cont

Nov. 27 No mental improvement Works in the grounds Very destructive to his clothes Health good Cont

Dec 29 Continues in all respects as reported above Slovenly & destructive Strong & muscular works but rather unwillingly Takes his food well Cont

1847

Jany 29 A case of incurable dementia In good bodily health Works in the ground Very destructive to his clothes If he sees a stone lying on the ground lifts it to fling it even although it be stooping Cont same

Feby 28 Much the same as at last report Very destructive to his clothes Works in the grounds Bodily health good Cont same

March 28 Was considerably excited last week Talking almost constantly in a loud & incoherent manner using strange gestures & refusing to do as he was bid Quieter this week & working in the grounds Health good Cont

April 28 No mental improvement Last week got very excited for several days shouting & talking strange things about & provoked by running at the attendent with his spade to strike him was secured

1847 Admitted Dec. 28th 1847

Had a cold bath Working quietly
Dec 28 Health good Cont
Working quietly & peaceably Mind
very much confused Takes
his food well Destructive to
his clothes Cont
Dec 28 No mental improvement
Bodily Health good Works daily
in the grounds Cont
Dec 28 No mental improvement Bodily
Health good Take his food
well Bowels regular
Jan 27 Again got more violent refusing
to work Put out of work
mentioned Was subjected to a
cold bath & is again quiet & out
at work Health good Cont
Jan 26 Very little or rather no change
perceptible since last report
Keeping quiet & respectful
Working in the ground Mind
as much confused as before
Bodily health good
Feb 23 Is getting again rather worse
& not
so violent to attendant but is
still working tolerably well
Talks much to himself Bodily
health good Cont
Feb 23 Much the same as he usually
is but not so violent & unruly
as he was at last report Bodily
Health good Cont

1848
Mar 5 No change of any importance
since last report Health
good Works in the grounds
Cont
May 3 Bodily health good Mind
as violent & as much astray
as ever Cont
March 4 Much the same in all respects
Bodily health excellent Appetite
voracious Cleanly & destructive
to his clothes Requires a person
round to keep him in order
Cont
April 4 No change of any consequence
appreciable Bodily health
good Cont
May 4 Much the same in all respects
Bodily health excellent Careless
of his personal appearance &
destructive to his clothes Cont
June 4 No change of any consequence
Bodily Health good Cont
July 4 No improvement in any
way Health excellent
Cont
Aug 4 In all respects as at last report
Mind 13 Judge 172

Joseph (W Queen act

1846

July 27 Will stand for an hour in one position as if cataleptic slowly moving his eyes on any object without moving his head seldom speaks except spoken to very dirty passive his stool in his clothes as in bed takes his food well Cont

Augt 27 No change of any importance Still stands & stupid takes his food well Cont

Sept 27 Still as slow & stupid as ever very dirty answers yes or no to a question but little beyond these bounds Regular Cont

Oct 27 No improvement in any respect Slow & stupid stands for hours in nearly the same position takes his food well Cont

Nov 27 No improvement Soils his body & bed clothes stands stupid takes his food well Menst regular Cont

Dec 27 Slow stupid & inactive stands & putters in good bodily health & condition takes his food well soils his clothes & bed Cont

1847

Jany 27 A case of incurable dementia very dirty stands for hours one spot without moving or speaking scarcely ever speaks takes his food well Health tolerable Cont

Feby 27 Dirty stupid slow & massive Does little ruminating to speak of more Takes his food well Cont

March 27 Has fallen off in flesh & strength since last report Pulse quick & rapid Has a hard dry cough Dry crepitating rales heard all over chest Symptoms of tuberculous disease of lungs evidently Has taken to his bed from weakness Takes his food well Cont Ordered a porter

April 27 Declining very much Pulse weak & rapid Has lost his voice & can only speak in a hoarse whisper Mind unchanged Takes his food well but is too weak to leave his bed Cont

Aug 97 Admitted 25th June 1844

Aug 15 Continued declining in flesh & strength constantly confined to bed but without any unusual change until brought when after having taken his supper as usual was observed between 9 & 10 o'clock P.M. to articulate a few words, some dark blood issuing from his mouth died at 11 P.M.

Died

Samuel Cameron from page 204

Aug 4 7 6 Getting very low & exhausted Pulse & thoracic increase pulse very feeble 120 per minute Bowels still in a watery loose at least the evacuations are of the character described above although not frequent occasionally vomits a little Lakes Pain in breast & chest & pectoral Symptoms all 7 P.M.

7 Daily getting lower & more exhausted Pulse not perceptible in left arm where it has already been very weak Cannot hold out much longer

8 Today at 1 P. M.

Died

Hunter Darkness Oct 18 from

1846

July 27 Epileptic fits continue as frequent & severe as ever seldom a day passes without one or more At times excessively exhausted & sometimes tears his clothes to tatters Appetite very great Takes his food well Bowels require constant suspension of R V C Pulse 120 Breathing 24 per min

Augt 27 Epileptic fits continue as frequent Takes his food well Requires medicine to keep his bowels regular Cont

Sept 27 Fits as numerous & as before Health otherwise tolerable Cont

Oct 27 Little change of any importance Fits still very numerous Has not been very furiously excited of late Takes his food well Cont

Nov 27 No change of any importance Health pretty good

Dec 24 No change Departure of room his removal was refused & to day he was removed to Dumfries

Mcneil

Page 104 Permitted July 11th 1844

James Ritchie aet 32 from
1846
July 27 Has not had any fits since
last report. Working quietly
& industriously in the smiths
shop. Takes his food well
Bowels regular. Is decently &
quiet when not in his paroxysm
Cont. omitted

Augt 27 No fits since last report. Is
working quietly & industrious
ly in the smiths shop. Bow
els regular. Cont

Sept 27 Was in bed for a day or two
but neither fit nor excitement
came on. At work. Bowels
regular. Cont

Oct 27 Continues free from fits
or excitement. Quiet & in
dustrious. Takes his food well
Bowels daily Cont
omitted

Nov 27 Continues free from fits &
excitement. Works industri
ously & conducts himself qui
etly. Exercise tolerated

Decr 27 Continues free from fits &
excitement. Said the other
day as it was about the time
that the fits used to trouble
him formerly would like
a few pills to ward them
off if possible. Is at
present getting a mercu
rial laxative pills Cont

1847
Jany 27 Continues free from fits or excite
ment. Works industriously in the
smiths shop. Quiet & peaceable
Takes his food well requires
a few pills occasionally Cont
omitted

Feby 27 Still continues free from
excitement & the fits
per se. Works quietly
at the turning. Bowels
regular. Cont omitted

March 27 Continues free from fits & from
excitement works steadily
in the smiths shop. Is
scrupulous smelling in either
bellows. Takes his food well
Gets occasionally a pill
to keep his bowels easy

April 27 No fits nor any excitement.
Works quietly & steadily at
turning. Bowels easy. Cont

May 27 Works quietly & industriously
at his trade. No fits nor
excitement. Since last re
port Cont

No 197 Admitted Sunday 23d 1844

Nov 27 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well No fits nor excitement Works quietly steadily Cont

Nov 27 Continues to conduct himself well in all respects No fits + no excitement Cont

Dec 24 Still continues free from excitement + no fits have been observed since last report

Dec 26 Has had two epileptic seizures since last report rather of them Promises fallow his usual excitement Still quiet + industrious at his ordinary employment Gets an alterative pill occasionally to keep his bowels regulated Cont

Dec 23 Has not had any fits since last report Collecting himself quietly + working industriously Gets his bowels rather sluggish Pill altered

Nov 23 Continues free from fits + excitement Rather dull + much disinclined to work but works regularly + industriously at his trade Cont

1848

Jan 1st Continues free from excitement but every now + then complains has severe headache + usually considerable epileptic symptoms + works industriously Cont

Jan 3 Still continues free from excitement + no fits have been observed of late Cont

Jan 4 Had a severe epileptic fit last night but there has been no excitement Gets an alterative pill at night Cont

Jan 4 Continues free from excitement Health tolerably good Still employed at his trade Bowels easy Cont

Jan 4 Has had two or three fits since last report but no excitement But his tongue in last fit + it is still unhealed R Pil Hydrarg Chloridi 3ij Aquae 3ij mix pro Chloridi 3ij Cont

Jan 4 Continues to keep free from excitement Industrious + docile Cont

Jan 4 Has refused to work of late + says he is now fit for going home

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Wm Thomson Sent Asst Surg

1846

July 27 More convulsions Puts out his tongue when asked cannot swallow solid food Getting very thin Bowels more full & tender by pressure Respiration convulsive movements more frequent Convulsions more frequent more severe when he lies closely pressed on arm

28 Has become more convulsive So able to swallow a little better but is becoming very thin & exhausted Pulse rapid & weak

29 Last night again had a fit of it attended with slight convulsions & he became again quite unconscious Continued to sink & at 8 A. M. he

Died

No 120 admitted April 9th 1845

1846 John Jamieson Act 10 from

July 27 very mischievous & tricky
Tears clothes whether his own
or others breaks furniture &c
Two day ago was shut up
a few hours in a dark room
in consequence of having broken
a pane of glass & as she did not
seem to relish the confinement
perhaps it may have some
influence on her future conduct Health
good Conduct Com

Augt 27 Continues in all respects
as reported above very
mischievous Health
excellent Conduct

Sept 27 Health excellent Mischievous
& destructive Conduct com

Oct 27 Still as mischievous as ever
Tears his clothes & plays all
sorts of tricks Health
pretty good Conduct

Nov 27 Still mischievous & destructive
Cheerful & tricky Enjoys excel
lent Health Conduct com

Dec 24 In consequence of want of room
the authorities was written to
requesting her removal
To day she was removed by
the proper steps December

Released

Page 130 Admitted Augt 2nd 1844

Daniel McGlashan from

1846

July 28 Bodily health has been completely reestablished but he retains all his old notions of people coming through the walls and windows &c. and moaning during the night

Aug 28 Bodily health excellent he keeps his head well down in the garden industriously Delusions remain as before Bonnets regular conduct

Sept 28 Employed in the garden quiet industrious well behaved but no abatement of his delusions Health good Conduct

Oct 28 No change of any importance still employed in the garden amusement the grounds Bowls Health good Delusions as before Conduct

Nov 28 Very much improved says that he is now convinced that he has been labouring under strange delusions as to people coming through the walls at night &c Talks quite rationally Works industriously Conduct

Dec 28 Continues free from delusion Works industriously & speaks & acts quietly & rationally Conduct

1847

Jan 27 Continues convalescent Works industriously in the grounds Health good Conduct

Feb 27 Continues to conduct himself in all respects well At work daily in the grounds Conduct

March 27 Has not been so well for the last fortnight Talks somewhat incoherently Has head to shave during the night to shave & thinks he will altogether till Lent has passed

April 26 Better says it is some weeks since he was troubled with the fancying & perceiving Health Getting better again Works every industriously Conduct

28 Has continued to conduct himself well respects well Working steadily quietly & industriously The letter Mary McGlashan wrote to Sometime ago

Admitted Nov 25 1843

because the town's hospital authorities refused to do anything with a view to procuring him the means of curing a disease which could alleviating a very painful cause of relapse. He was quite well at the time she was written to but she being resident in London was not able to come sooner. He has always been annoyed with the prospect of having confined here for life relapsed as above reported. Every attempt was done with a view to cheer him up with the hope of his sister's speedy arrival &c considerable improvement although there is still some lingering symptoms of delusion about him. It is to be hoped that now he has got his liberty with as his sister says, the likelihood of employment he may be confirmed in perfect sanity. Health pretty good. Dismissed cured

Sept 20. Shaves head of this patient several times & he is quite well & behaving with propriety

W. H

1846 Matthews Ast 22 from

Aug 24 No change in any respect
Mind very weak. Can con-
not answer any thing but
yes' or 'no' Feet still sick
to smell & ulcerate Takes
his food well Bowels
clyster Cont

Sept 25 Mind on the same fashion & take
occasionally employed a little
Takes his food well Bowels
as Cont

Oct 25 Mind continues in the same
weak condition Was sent to
bed for a few days on con-
sequence of leg being ulce-
rated The latter is now healing
again Bowels report all
regular Cont

Nov 25 No change of any importance since
last report Feet & legs still contin-
ue to smell Takes his food
well Cont

Dec 25 Continues as much the same
as report all alone Legs
& feet still liable to smell
& there is a small ulcer
on right leg at present
Applied Cataplasma which
to be made

1847
Jany 24 No mental improvement Ulcer on leg
nearly well Very dirty feeling
his bed & body clothes cannot answer
anything yes' & 'no' Takes his food
well Bowels regular Cont

Feb 24 No mental change Skin still
a martine & still a tendency
in legs to smell (but at
present ulcerated Takes
his food well Cont

March 24 No change of any consequence
Stupid & filthy Takes his
food well but is good for
no useful purpose Cont

April 24 Continues in all respects as
reported at home Quite imbecile
filthy & careless of every thing
Takes his food well Cont

May 24 No change of any importance
Still dirty never speaks
Takes his food well
Cont

June 24 Very stupid seldom moves
unless forced Feet & legs
always swollen Takes his
food well Cont

July 24 Little change of any consequence
appearance Still dirty
& dirty Cont

Ward 1 Admitted June 4th 1843

Aug 20 Legs very much swollen & there is a small callous ulcer on the middle third of right No general change Never speaks Takes his food well very filthy & careless Cont

" 26 Had phlegmonous swelling of left leg which was incised & a considerable quantity of pus evacuated Kept this bed for some time in consequence Leg is now well No mental change Cont

Sept 23 Much the same as at last report Last week was rather worse & appeared to take on slight exacerbation Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Nov 23 Very stupid Legs much swollen Passes his stools & urine whenever he may be Takes his food well Cont

1848

Aug 5 Very stupid & lies moon rather unruly of late Must again quoted Takes his food well Legs still swollen Bodily health good Cont as

" 3 No change of much consequence Appears very stupid & filthy in the extreme Bodily health Still indifferent Takes his food greedily Cont

March 4 In all respects as at last report Stupid filthy & careless Cont

April 4 Legs not so much swollen Must be kept to bed for several days after which they were reduced to nearly the normal appearance No mental change Cont

May 4 Legs still much swollen & red Seldom moves from where he is placed Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

June 4 Much the same as at last report Very stupid & filthy Cont

July 4 Was in bed several days for the cure of an ulcer of the leg which is now healed up Cont

Aug 4 In all respects as at last report Cont

Sept 4 No change of any consequence Very much debilitated

Died 13 Sept 1848

Robert Young Set 25 from

1824

Augt 1 Has become quarrelsome & violent very violent & appetite good

16 Getting better. Appetite returning & countenance getting less intense — Very thirsty to change a steak daily Cont

25 Still improving but very angry & at times violent as before Cont

Sept 25 Bodily health improving but no change in his mental delusions as before Cont

Oct 25 Health now fully restored & is also in excellent humour Takes his food well Delusions continued as before Cont

Nov 26 Bodily health good Delusions as numerous & rooted as ever Rather restless & anxious to get away Cont

Dec 26 Has been confined to his cell for some time past in consequence of insisting to get away & often going in about the Asylum & when he was released he insulted with person who lodged in the walls &c Health good Cont

1825
Jany 26 Still supposes that he is a cousin to Dr Luther & has not been let out into the grounds for some time past Assists in the gallery Health good Cont

Feby 26 Again at work as a mason Delusions as numerous & rooted as ever Bodily health good Cont

March 26 Continues to work with the mason but there is no diminution of his delusions except that he does not put so many things on his clothes or have so many chains about his limbs Cont

Admitted Sept 26th 1843

Sept 26 His head encased round with bars of turned iron. Has an iron shield of iron in his cap. Chains round his body. Has ears to keeps always stuffed with cotton & his mouth, when he goes to bed. to defend himself from his enemies. Health good Cont

Nov 26 No change of any consequence takes his food well & enjoys good health but is still as full of notions as ever Cont

June 26 No abatement of his delusions he mason Having left he was very anxious to get his place & says he has to settle all who come near. Health good Cont on

July 26 still as full of delusions as ever usually keeps a pair of masons irons slung over his shoulder beneath his shirt one before, one behind to defend himself from the machinations of his enemies Health Good Cont

Sept 26 No change of any consequence appreciable. Still as full of delusions as ever very anxious to get his liberty. Usually health good Cont

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects Full of his former absurd delusion wearing leather & iron in his mouth stuffing his ears & nostrils carrying iron & other things about his person all to protect him from the machinations of his enemies Health good Cont

Dec 23 No change of any importance since last report. Usually pretty well Cont

Nov 23 Still full of the notions reported above. Usually health good Still employed as a mason Cont

1848 July 5 Much the same in all respects Still imagines that there are people in the walls of the yard who intend to destroy him. Usually health good Cont

July 3 No abatement of his delusions Has been confined to the galleries for some time in consequence of intimating his intention of making his escape Cont

Dec 24 Is again at work with the mason no material change Health good Cont

Read 13 Sept 1845

Edward Burns act 27 pro

1846

Aug 26 No change of any importance very stupid Idiotic is out doing a little work the Governor takes his food well Health good Cont Orm

Sept 26 Mind continues very much Works in the grounds occasionally takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Orm

Oct 26 Mind continues as weak as before Governor he is not quite so stupid and assert in the Gallery Bodily Health tolerably good Cont Orm

Nov 26 No change perceptible Bodily Health tolerably good Cont

Dec 26 Very stupid but still tolerably cleanly & resorts in the Gallery takes his food well Bowels regular Cont Orm

1847

Jany 26 Mind continues in the same weak state cannot give a relevant answer to the simplest question Resorts in the Gallery Bodily Health tolerably good Cont

Feb 26 No improvement Cheerfully employed carrying coals Mind very weak Takes his food well keeps his bed clean Cont Orm

March 26 Continues in all respects as reported above Mind very weak & confused Resorts in the Gallery & at carrying coals Health tolerable Cont Orm

April 26 No change of any consequence Employed in the grounds carrying coals Health tolerable Cont

May 26 No change apprehensible Takes his food well Works tolerably industriously Cont Orm

June 26 Works tolerably industrious although very stupid Takes his food well Cont Orm

July 26 No change of any consequence apprehensible Resorts at carrying coals & Health tolerable Cont

Aug 24 No change apprehensible very stupid Bodily Health good Cont Orm

Sept 26 Must be same in all respects Mind very weak Bodily Health good Cont Orm

21 Red Mutted Augt 16 1843

Aug 23 Much the same in all respects
Mined very much Works in the
ground occasionally Quiet
& peaceable Very stupid
Health tolerable Coal

Nov 23 No change appreciable in any
respect Takes his load with
ease at coal carrying Coal
on

1848

Jany 5 No change of any consequence
Employed as mentioned above
Very stupid Takes his load
well Coal

Feb 3 Much the same in all respects
Takes his load well & works
steadily at carrying coals &c
Beat by every stupid Coal

March 4 Much the same as reported
above Steadily with load
but there is no mental change
Coal

April 4 Works very steadily & evinces
no inclination to go astray Mind
very much Health pretty
good Coal

May 4 Very stupid of late so much
so that he cannot well be employed
at any thing useful Health
pretty good Coal

June 4 Left off stupidity passing off
Employed in the products
Takes his load well
Health pretty good Coal

July 4 Working very much as formerly
Steadily Health pretty good
Mental much Coal

Augt 4 Much the same as at last
report Works quietly and
industriously Mind unchanged Coal

Sept 4 No change since last report
Quiet & industrious Health
good Coal

Nov 4 Much the same as reported above
Mind much as formerly Works
quietly & industriously Remains
Coal

Nov 4 Steadily Quiet Health good Mind
much as Works in the ground
as above Store Coal

Dec 4 Tolerably quiet & docile Mind
much Steadily with Health good
Attends at carrying coals &c
Coal

1849

Jany 6 Has been for a week back confined
to bed Attends unsteadily but
takes his load well
Coal 13 page 205

Wm Eaton Act from

1846

Aug 24 No change of any importance
Works very diligently in the
Grounds & in the Quarry Per-
Guet & contented yet occa-
sionally asks whom he is to
get away Health good
Cont Com

Sept 26 Still employed in the Quar-
ry Works very quietly
& very industriously Mind-
ful & fancyful Cont
om

Oct 26 Continues to work quietly &
industriously sometimes Talk
of getting away but never
attempts to walk off although
often has opportunities Cont
om

Nov 26 No change of any importance
appreciable Takes his part
well Works steadily very
good Cont om

Dec 26 Mind continues in the same
meek contrition but he &
is quiet civil & industrious
Now works as a mason Beha-
ves Health good Cont om

1847
Jan 26 Works quietly & steadily as a mason
very well conducted in all respects
Has still the delusion that he has a
wife & a large family in Devon
Steadily Health good Cont

Feb 26 Employed in the Quarry
duly Believes name pulpitted
his promised time There
is one spot now to be dismissed
Quiet & civil Steadily Health
tolerable Cont om

March 26 Continues to work very quietly
& industriously in the Quarry When
I saw meek Yet talks on ordinary
subjects tolerably rationally
Steadily Health good Cont

April 26 No change of any consequence ap-
preciable Still employed in the
Quarry Cont

May 26 Still employed in the
Quarry Steadily Health good
Cont

June 26 Very quiet peaceable and
industrious Works usually
in the Quarry Steadily Health
good Cont

July 26 Continues to work industri-
ously in the Quarry & to con-
duct himself very quietly
Health good Mental state
Cont om

3 Admitted Septr 12th 1844

Augt 24 Employed in the quarry as formerly Quiet & industrious Bodily health tolerably good Bowels regular Conft good

Septr 26 Much the same in all respects Quiet and industrious still employed in the quarry Bodily health good Takes his food well Bowels is tolerably confined Pulse 72 Conft

Octr 23 Still employed in the quarry where he renders himself very useful Quiet peaceable & industrious Takes his food well Conft

Novr 23 Conducts himself quietly & works most industriously in the quarry Bodily health good Marked indust Conft

1845
Jany 5 Much the same in all respects Still employed with the quarry-man & works most industriously very quiet & civil Bodily health tolerable Conft

Feby 3 No change of any consequence appreciable Takes his food well Bowels regular Conft

March 4 Still employed in the quarry very quiet & industrious Bodily health good Conft

April 4 No change of any consequence appreciable Works most steadily & industriously in the quarry Bodily health tolerable Conft

May 4 Works very industriously in the quarry Has been somewhat anxious of late to get away & asked the Sheriff to grant him his liberty Health good Conft

June 4 Bodily health good Quiet & civil & industrious Conft

July 4 Still employed with the quarriers Works most industriously Takes his food well Conft

Augt 4 In all respects as reported above Quiet docile & industrious Conft

Septr 4 No change of any consequence Works industriously in the grounds Conft

Octr 1 Quiet & industrious Works steadily in the quarry Bodily health good Conft

Jan 13/1846

Abstract of Improvement from

1846

Aug 26 No change of any importance after striking this report Remains much the same as following Heart is Bad. has shooting Heart struck my mother Barty Takes his food well Bowels Costive

Sept 26 Continues much in the same State Takes his food well Looks Dull at night sometimes meets his friends Health tolerable Costive

Oct 26 No improvement Mind remains the same much State Takes his Stools & urine in bed Health tolerable except that legs are usually small & liable to ulcerate Costive

Nov 26 No change of any importance Health remaining the same much Costive Legs liable to swell & ulcerate Bowels regular Costive

Dec 26 No improvement Mind very much dull Looks dirty & bed Feet & legs liable to swell & ulcerate Takes his food well Bowels regular Costive

1847

Jan 26 Much the same as at last report Legs still liable to swell & ulcerate At present however they are well Looks after his bed & his clothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Costive

Feb 26 No mental improvement often complains of pain in abdomen from where must to be shaved Takes his food well Legs still small Costive

Mar 26 Very anxious to get removing in bed & complains much of pain Takes his food well Looks after bed at night Costive

April 26 Getting very feeble & infirm & complains much of pains & although he ulcerates Recent it is evident that they are not all imaginary Costive

May 26 Very feeble & stupid Constipated in consequence of debility Takes his food & tea pretty well Costive

June 26 Getting more & more feeble & stupid So much so that he cannot walk Takes his food well Bowels pass Collapse & perfect Costive

Age 62 Admitted 26 Apl 1842

Aug 26 Very weak very stupid & very
sickly takes his food well
moderate But no one can
reckon forty eight hours on
his life at any time Gets
collapse & parties Const

Sept 24 Very feeble seldom more more
in a day than from the bed to the
fire & back passes every thing
where he sits or lies Quite blind
& very lame & complains very
much of pains in his limbs stomach
& bowels Gets a pill occasionally
Gets steadily & porter Const

Oct 26 Much the same as at last report
very dirty passing all where he
sits or lies A considerable ulcer has
formed on left leg to be kept in
bed till it has healed Takes
his food well but is very
feeble Const

Nov 14 Has been confined to bed for some
time in consequence of having an
ulcer on leg arising from the ex-
coriation of the urine he passing
very frequently It again up but is
very feeble Chest very much hollow
tarsal bones and sternum pro-
jecting much Takes his food
well Const

24 Leg again healed up but badly
healed it is very feeble indeed &
his life at best in a very precar-
ious state Takes his food
well moderate & gets a little
of porter & gruel Const

Dec 22 Much the same in all respects
a pitiable miserable object Unable
& unable to walk Takes his
food well but his life
cannot be reckoned on for
any time Const

1843
Jany 5 Very feeble & confined to bed
not likely to survive long Takes
his food well & get moderate
No mental change Const

14 Continued much the same as at last
report till this evening when he
suddenly became very ill insensible
breathing laboured & unable to swallow
except small quantities of liquid with the
greatest difficulty Do same as much
today as he can swallow

14 Continued sinks & at 1 A.M.

Dead

Wm Kerr left from

1826

Augt 26 No change of any importance Sel com plaints Works tolerably industriously Generally cleans clothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

Sept 26 Continues much in the same State as formerly Works tolerably industriously Health good Cont

Oct 26 Little change Usually employed cleaning in the Gallery & is usually very quiet but occasionally takes sudden paroxysms in which he strikes furiously any one who may chance to come in his way the paroxysm is however but momentary Health good Cont

Nov 26 No change of consequence Readily walks Behaves orderly Good Cont

Dec 26 Mind continues in the same weak condition usually works well & quietly except sometimes he suddenly strikes those near him without any adequate provocation Health good Cont

1827

Jany 26 Still usually employed sewing Upon the whole quiet & kept during the sudden momentary paroxysms to which he is liable Takes his food well & converses rationally Bowels regular Cont

Feby 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Still employed sewing sometimes at work in the grounds Takes his food well Cont

March 26 No change of any importance Takes his food well Comports himself quietly except an occasional momentary outburst of violent & unprovoked violence Health good Cont

April 26 No change of any importance Quiet except during the momentary outbursts to violence Health good Cont

May 26 Has been out working in the grounds for some time past No mental improvement Cont

June 26 No change of any consequence Takes his food well Bowels regular Health good Works tolerably industriously Cont

Page 70 Admitted Aug 16th 1843

July 26 Mind continues in the same weak state Bodily health good Works in the grounds Takes his food well Conts

Aug 24 Not much change in any respect Has been working in the grounds of late seldom speaks Takes his food well Sanitary & tolerable health Bowels regular Conts

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects Works occasionally in the grounds & sews in the Gallery Mind & like weak & exacting Bodily health good Conts

Oct 23 No change of any importance Occasionally has a momentary outburst & striking or kicking any person who annoys him Takes his food well Conts

Nov 23 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Tartarum Works in the grounds occasionally Conts

1848

Jany 5 No mental change of any consequence Has been employed of late in the tailor's shop Bodily health good Takes his food well Conts

Feby 3 No mental change Employed in the tailors shop Bodily health pretty good Conts

March 4 Employed still in the tailor's shop Bodily health good but no mental improvement Conts

April 4 Still employed in the tailors shop Very taciturn scarcely speaking a sentence in a week Health generally good Conts

May 4 Much the same in all respects Still employed as reported above One morning lately attempted to walk away but was observed & brought back

June 4 Much the same as reported above Seldom speaks Works in the tailors shop Conts

July 4 Employed in the tailors shop Takes his food well Seldom speaks Conts

Augt 4 In all respects as at last report Conts

Sept 4 Rather surly & given to strike of late Conts

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Hector Cuore Act 36 [illegible]

1846

Sept 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Strong & Healthy Works industriously Constantly muttering to himself Sometimes singing at times & other times Cont

Oct 24 No change in mental state Muttery constantly to himself & threatens any one who may chance to cross him in any manner Has taken an antipathy to the little boy a patient & pursues him whenever he sees him Health good Cont

Nov 24 No improvement Dangerous when he gets excited which he does at very little trifles Strikes & kicks at the object of his wrath Health good Has not been much employed of late

Dec 24 Continues much the same as reported above Has not been out working for some weeks in consequence of his dangerous character Bodily Health good Cont

1847
Jany 24 No improvement in any respect Always muttering to himself or singing or when the smallest thing irritates him swears in a most dreadful manner Threatening to tear the person to pieces &c Bodily health excellent

Feby 24 Much the same as at last report Employed occasionally carrying coals &c Bodily Health excellent Takes his food well Cont

March 26 Employed occasionally at carrying coals Cursing & swearing as formerly Bodily health excellent Cont

April 26 Has not been so violent to strike the patients of late but is in all other respects as reported above Cont

May 26 Much the same as at last report Bodily Health good Takes his food well Cont

June 26 Still employed carrying coals &c Has not the slightest disposition to strike of late Is otherwise as reported above Cont

July 26 Much the same in all respects Employed as formerly Health good Cont

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Admitted Nov 24th 1890

Aug 24 Continues much the same in all respects Does not look his best but is very dirty in other respects Appears Healthy & sings a chorus song Carries coals &c Health good cont

Sept 24 No change or any consequence still employed carrying coals &c Bodily Health good Cont

Oct 23 Much the same in all respects Excels at carrying coals He very irascible & strikes & kicks furiously when irritated Health good Cont

Nov 23 Has been very dirty of late painting his hands & clothes with putty for this was subjected to a cold bath two days ago & has not soiled his clothes since Health good Cont

1848

Jan 5 Has considerably more submissive & less putty since he was subjected to a cold bath No mental improvement Excels at carrying coals &c Cont

Feb 3 No change or any consequence apprecia[ble] Bodily Health good Has not [illegible] himself with putty since last report Cont

March 4 No mental improvement except that he could hardly seem to have prevented him from the putty habit alluded to above Health excellent Cont

April 4 In all respects as at last report Bodily Health excellent Cont

May 4 Continues to abstain from rendering himself so filthy as formerly Bodily Health excellent Cont

June 4 Much the same in all respects Strong & Healthy Service this month well On the whole quieter than he used to be Cont

July 4 Not much change Health excellent Excels at carrying coals &c Cont

Aug 4 Strong & healthy No mental change Cont

Sept 4 No change or any consequence Strong & Healthy Carries coals &c Cont

Oct 4 Much the same in all respects Cont

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Jas Graham left from

1846

Sept 24 Little change of any importance observable / seldom speaks or employs himself at any thing useful Takes his food well Mind is rather thin Health pretty good Cont

Oct 24 No change in any respect Mind very weak seldom employs at any thing useful & seems to take but little note of anything passing around Takes his food well & very quiet but careless of answering Cont

Nov 24 Much the same as reported above Takes his food well Health tolerably good Bowels regular Cont

Dec 24 Right leg which usually ulcerates in cold weather is at present sore He is therefore confined to bed No mental change Bodily health otherwise tolerably good Cont

1847
Jany 24 Still kept in bed but ulcer on leg is very nearly healed No mental change With the exception of the sore leg Bodily health good Cont

Feby 24 Ulcer on leg healed No change in mental state Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

March 24 Mental condition remains unchanged Seldom speaks Takes his food well Mind very weak Cont

April 24 No change Mental or bodily Leg at present well but liable to break Cont

May 24 Much the same as reported above Mind very much seldom utters a word Takes his food well Cont

June 24 Continues in all respects as reported above Seldom speaks & very thin but takes his food tolerably well Cont

July 24 Confined to bed at present in consequence of right leg being again ulcerated otherwise at last report Cont

Aug 20 Leg again well In all other respects much the same as reported above Cont

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Eagle admitted July 1st 1824

Sept 26 Mind remains in the same weak state quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well keeps his bed clean cont

Oct 23 No change of any consequence appreciable seldom utters a word is very inoffensive Badly health tolerable good cont

Nov 23 Much the same in all respects Drinks from observation very quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well Health passable cont on

1825
Aug 5 No change of any importance very quiet & inoffensive Takes his food well but almost remains rather than seemed very happy elapsed at the annual party last night cont

Feb 3 Much the same in all respects Health not over strong Cooley & untidy Takes his food well cont

March 4 Mind remains in the same weak state Badly health tolerable & does not at present alter cont

April 4 Conducts himself in a quiet & inoffensive manner Badly health not very strong Takes his food well Rather sleeps well cont

May 4 Much the same in all respects scarcely ever speaks Lies much on the ground in the evening & round more than the weather is fine cont

June 4 Much the same in all respects Badly health good Takes his food well cont

July 4 In all respects as reported above Health tolerable cont on

Aug 4 Much the same in all respects scarcely ever utters a syllable quiet & inoffensive cont

Sept 4 No change of any consequence appreciable Lays much at present cont

Oct 4 Is continue free from ulcers Mind remains in the same weak state cont

Nov 5 Much the same as at last report Noticed little change for years cont

Dec 4 No change worth recording cont on

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Robert Stewart Cut 4 ft

1846

Apr 24 Still employed in the meal house attending the fires Mind very meek & pain pleased when taken notice of & pursues steadily the tolerably good Cont

Nov 24 No change of any consequence appreciable Still at work as above mentioned Bodily health good Cont on

Dec 24 Caught a slight cold for which had a cough Mixture prescribed & is now quite gone No mental change Cont on

1847

Jan 24 Mind remains in the same meek contented pain & sense of being taken notice of Still employed about the furnaces of the meal House Bodily health good Cont on

Feb 24 Still employed in the meal house as formerly Features his good usual health & good Mind as meek & pain as formerly Cont on

March 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Health tolerable Cont on

April 24 Mind continues in all respects as at reported above Cheerful & contented Works as formerly Cont

May 24 Continues in all respects as at last report Still employed in the meal house Cont

June 24 No change of any consequence Works quietly & successfully & industriously Looks his good usual Cont

July 24 Much the same in all respects Mind meek and contented Health good Cont

Aug 24 Little change appreciable Enquires when he is to get home but makes no attempt to go away although he has every facility Health good Cont

Sept 24 No change of any importance observable Still employed at the furnaces Bodily health good Cont on

Oct 24 In all respects as at last report Favourable Cheerful Cont on

Nov 24 No change of any importance Mind meek Health good Cont

Page 7 Admitted Augt 16th 1849

July 4 Well employed in the wash
looking after the pens (No mental change Bodily Health Spirits good Cont

Sept 3 No change of any consequence
Bodily health tolerably good Walks
& talks Employed as mentioned
above Cont

March 4 In all respects the same
employed at the furnaces in
the Limekiln Health good Mind
weak Cont

April 4 No change mentally physically
Cont

May 4 Well employed in the wash
house Mind weak Health
tolerable Cont

June 4 Physically the same in all respects
Getting very bad at walking
Well employed as mentioned
above Cont

July 4 In all respects as reported
above Mind weak Takes
his food well Cont

Augt 4 No change of any consequence
Bodily health tolerable Cont

Sept 4 am Walks very badly Mind very
weak Well employed in
the wash house Cont

Oct 4 No change of any importance
or moment Mind weak Makes
no attempt to walk away although
he has plenty of opportunities
Cont

Nov 4 Much the same in all respects
Mind weak & badly not very
strong Takes his food well
Cont

Dec 4 In all respects as reported
above Mind weak & quiet
& inoffensive Employed in
the wash house tending furnaces
Health good Cont

1849
Jany 16 Removed today to the Parish
Authorities Discharged as

Relieved

see Bed 17 page 14

Thos Waddell Left from

1846

Sept 24 Little change of any importance & perhaps rather more cruel when he does return our answer to a question which is seldom Health good Cont Com

Oct 24 Still taciturn & morose seldom utterms a word & what he does say is generally in a surly manner Works quietly & orderly constantly Takes his food well Rounds regular

Nov 24 No change of any importance Last week made his escape from home to Chester to his mothers house & was brought back the same night Health good Com

Dec 24 No change of any importance Taciturn & morose seldom speaks however works whilst working Conducts himself peaceably Takes his food well Cont Com

1847

Jany 24 No change of any importance Works industriously but seldom speaks except to give some unnatural answer reply Takes his food well is cleanly & tolerably neat not neat exactly Cont Com

Feby 24 Works industriously in the grounds but there is no mental change Really health tolerable Takes his food well Cont Com

March 24 No change of any consequence Takes his food well & works steadily Cont

April 24 Still employed in the garden Works quietly & industriously but is still as sulky & taciturn as ever Really health tolerable Has however a sort of lameness in walking but from no apparent cause Cont

May 24 No change of any importance Still employed as above reported Health tolerable Cont

June 24 Works quietly & industriously in the grounds Still as sullen & taciturn as ever Really health tolerable Cont

July 24 No mental or bodily change appreciable Still employed about the garden Sullen & taciturn Takes his food well Cont Com

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Aug. 20 No mental or bodily change appreciable Works in the garden seldom speaks except to demand in a surly manner why he is kept here Bodily Health good Takes his food well & keeps himself tolerably clean Cont.

Sept. 26 No change or any consequence Rarely speaks except sometimes in a surly & irritated manner demanding why he is kept here & when he is to get home Bodily health pretty good Well employed in the garden or grounds Cont.

Oct. 23 No change of any importance Works diligently in the garden or grounds Takes his food well Health tolerable but he still retains the same surly sullen dissatisfied Cont.

Nov. 23 Much the same in all respects Bodily health tolerable good But he is still as taciturn & surly as ever Cont.

1848
Jany. 4 No change of any importance Works steadily in the ground or at other farm work at present the ploughing Bodily health pretty good Cont.

Feby. 3 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Walks about the farm & grounds Cont.

March 4 No change or any consequence still as surly & sullen he speaks if it is in the same exasperated tone as before demanding why he is kept here & when he is to get away Cont.

April 4 No change or any consequence still employed about the farm & garden Bodily health tolerably good Cont.

May 4 Much the same in all respects often demands in a surly manner why he is kept here Bodily health good Cont.

June 4 No change or any consequence Bodily health good Takes his food well still as surly & sullen Cont.

July 4 No change perceptible Works in the garden Health good Cont.

Aug. 4 No change or any consequence still employed in the garden & grounds Bodily health good Cont.

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George Smith Ward 4 yrs

1846
Sept 24 No change of any consequence Dirty in his habits Spends his Food Destructive to his clothes occasionally set to drink around the Capitan Court

Oct 24 Remains in the same imbecile rather patients condition Slovenly dirty & very careless of his clothes Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont on

Nov 26 Continues much in the same state as reported above Slovenly careless Bodily health good Cont on

Dec 26 Much the same as before in all respects Bodily Health pretty good Cont

1847
Jany 26 A case of congenital imbecility careless & slovenly but not mischievous Enjoys good bodily health Bowels regular Cont

Feby 26 No change of any importance Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont on

March 26 Continues in all respects as at last report Dirty & careless of his clothes Not particular destructive Cont

April 26 No change Dirty & slovenly however does not soil his bed Takes his food well Cont

May 26 Much the same as at last report Bodily Health pretty tolerable Cont on

June 26 Still much the same as ever Bodily Health pretty tolerable & Mind very vacant Cont

July 26 Continues much the same in all respects Too infirm to be made useful Health & bodily tolerable Cont

Aug 24 No change of any consequence apprehended Mind very vacant Keeps his bed clean Takes his food well Cont on

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects Bodily Health good Takes his food well Cont

Oct 23 No change of any importance Bodily Health good Takes his food well Keeps his bed clean but is very slovenly in personal appearance Cont

Nov 23 Much the same in all respects Mind vacant Bodily Health good Cont

Admitted Augst 10th 1848

1848 Augst 10 Admitted Augst 10th 1848

Augt 5 No change of any consequence observable a case of congenital dementia Takes his food well does not tear his clothes is not destructive Health good Cont

Sept 3 Much the same in all respects Bodily health passable In the mind of course there is no change Cont

Octr 4 Little change of any consequence Bodily health good Mind very much Cont

Novr 4 No change of any consequence observable Bodily health good mind very much the same keeps his bed clean is not absolutely mischievously destructive Cont

Decr 4 No change Appearance Bodily health Continues good Cont

1849 Jany 4 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Mind no different same but more nervous much Cont

Feby 4 Much the same in every respect Bodily health good Mind very much Cont

March 4 In all respects as reported above Bodily health good Walks a little occasionally but mind is very weak Cont

April 4 Mind continues in the same weak state Bodily health pretty good Cont

May 4 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Mind much as formerly Cont

June 4 Little change of any consequence Bodily health good Appetite & bowels continue regular Cont

July 4 No change observable Bodily health good Mind very much as formerly Cont

Augt 4 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Mind much as formerly Cont

Sept 4 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Mind much as formerly but is on the whole more quiet Cont

Octr 4 No change observable Cont

Novr 4 Had three or four attacks of diarrhoea last time very severely purged Is now again in his usual health Cont

Decr 4 Bodily health pretty good Takes his food well Goes out walks a little in the grounds occasionally but mind is too weak for him to be capable of much Bowels regular

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1846 Case No Loyalty and Insanity

Sept 27 Little change of any consequence Never speaks, sits all day in one spot looks to the ground passes his stools & urine in bed and in his clothes Eats & Attends to his food greedily Cont

Oct 27 No improvement mental or bodily Never speaks very dirty Takes his food & feeds Rule & Attends Gets a pint of porter daily Cont

Nov 27 Thin & if possible more pale No mental change No change in the stools & urine Cont

Dec 27 Not much change mentally or bodily Never speaks Takes his food greedily but is thin & pale No change in pint of porter daily Cont

1847
Jany 27 A case of incurable dementia & fatty in the extreme Never speaks passes his stools & urine in bed & in his clothes Takes his food greedily Bowels regular Cont

Feby 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Never speaks very dirty Takes his food well Cont

March 27 No improvement or change of any kind Never speaks Fashions & pettitty Takes his food well Cont

April 27 No change of any consequence appreciable Takes his food Never speaks Selection stirs very pettitty Cont

May 27 Continues to address parts as at last report Readily Health very good Cont but takes his food well Gets stouter & porter Cont

June 27 No change of any consequence Never speaks Takes his food greedily Bowels regular Cont

July 27 No change of any consequence Never speaks & seldom moves from his seat Very pettitty & pettitte Keeps Cont

Aug 24 Very much the same in all respects Never speaks Generally goes to bed for an hour after dinner & he can get Takes his food well Cont

No 4 Admitted Sept 22d 1837

Sept 26 Much the same in all respects as reported above Never speaks very surly Health good Takes his food speedily Bowels regular Cont

Oct 23 No change of any importance Surly & sullen Takes his food voraciously Cont

Nov 23 No improvement in any respect indeed none can be expected Very dirty Takes his food well Cont

Dec 31 Continued in all respects as at last report till today when he complained his unwillingness to rise from bed in the morning Removed to take his breakfast well & also most of his dinner Was looked to a few minutes before 6 evening & nothing peculiar observed a few minutes afterwards on taking to him his supper he was found unable to speak or move & on the medical officer arriving it was ascertained that he was

Dead

Malcom McDonald

1846

Sept 27 Still employed in the quarry Works tolerable mount County Still occasionally struggles his head from side to side Bodily health excellent No mental improvement Cont

Oct 27 No appreciable change Still employed in the quarry Bodily health good Cont

Nov 27 Continues in all respects as reported above Manner meek & bodily health excellent Cont

Dec 28 Still employed in the quarry Works steadily & industrious but mind continues in the same meek state as former Health good Cont

1847

Jany 28 A case of dementia evidently incurable & excellent bodily health Works in the quarry not very little required to be scolded into exertion Cont

Feb 28 Works in the quarry daily when the weather permits Mind very meek Bodily health excellent Cont

March 27 No change of any importance Still at work in the quarry Bodily health excellent & takes his food well Cont

April 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Still employed in the quarry Bodily health good Cont

May 27 Still employed in the quarry Bodily health good but no mental improvement Takes his food well Cont

June 27 No mental improvement appreciable Still employed in the quarry Bodily health good Cont

July 27 Much the same in all respects Still employed in the quarry Bodily health excellent Cont

Aug 24 Has become restive of late & will not work any longer in the quarry Force of late days past has been employed carrying coals &c Takes his food well Health good but there is no mental improvement Cont

Page 68 Committed Augst 4th 1842

Sept 26 Was annoyed for some time back by an anal fistula which was incised & to all appearance has healed favourably Has in consequence not been able to work of late but will probably resume work tomorrow No mental improvement Cont

Oct 23 Has been at work since last report carrying coals &c Bodily health good & is not troubled with the fistula now No mental improvement Cont

Nov 23 No mental improvement Bodily health good Employed carrying coals &c Cont

1843 Jany 4 Much the same in all respects Absent at carrying coals &c Bodily health excellent Cont

28 No change of any consequence apprenable Bodily health excellent Takes his food well & sleeps soundly & his personal appearance is at all times very carefully attended to His bed & his room are daily & frequently & if not the proper hour of cleaning the former Cont

Feby 28 No mental improvement and bodily health excellent Employed as above reported Cont

March 28 No improvement Is very steady Health pretty good Employed carrying coals &c Cont

April 28 Much the same in all respects Takes his fellow patients occasionally Bodily health good Cont

May 28 Bodily health good Employed carrying coals during the month &c No mental improvement Cont

June 28 In all respects as reported above Bodily health good Takes his food well sleeps soundly & disinclined to work Generally Cont

July 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Works at carrying coals &c Cont

Aug 28 Much the same as reported above Bodily health good Cont

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1846

Sept 27 Continues in the same mental state Talks much to himself indeed sometimes almost constantly Walks tolerably industriously Eats tolerably good Coat

Oct 27 No improvement in any respect Always talking to himself even when working When not at work often lies at full length upon the floor Health tolerable Good Coat

Nov 27 No change of any importance Appetite Bowels Health tolerably good Coat &c

Dec 28 Mind very much a prey to painful Talks much to imaginary persons Works occasionally in the ground slowly but not destructive neither does he soil his bed Coat

1847

Jan 28 A case of incurable dementia Talks much to imaginary persons Works in the grounds cannot give a relevant answer to the simplest question Takes his food well Health tolerably cleanly Coat &c

Feb 28 Much the same as at last report Sometimes has a momentary burst of passion &c He usually talks to himself almost constantly Works in the grounds occasionally Takes his food well Coat &c

March 28 Much the same as at last report Works in the grounds Takes his food well enjoys tolerable health for his age Coat

April 28 Talks to himself as much as ever but perhaps not quite so loud Works in the grounds & assists in the gallery Getting very stupid Coat &c

May 28 Much the same as at last report Bodily health tolerable Coat

June 28 Still given to talk much to himself assists a little in the gallery & in the grounds Bodily health tolerable Coat

July 28 Much the same in all respects Works a little occasionally very stupid Takes his food well

Aug 24 Much the same in all respects Works occasionally in the grounds but is very stupid Coat &c

Admitted Augt 16th 1843

Sept 26 No change of any great consequence Still talks very much to himself arguing into a heedless imaginary persons in an incoherent manner Bodily health passable Keeps his bed clean Cont

Oct 23 Much the same in all respects Talks greatly to imaginary persons Works in the grounds occasionally Takes his food Cont

Nov 22 In all respects as at last report Talks much & very incoherently to himself or imaginary persons Bodily health passable Cont

1848

Jany 5 No change of any consequence Talks to himself or imaginary persons almost constantly Bodily health tolerably Takes his food well Cont

28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health passable Must much worn incoherent Takes his food well Cont

April 28 Much the same as reported above Talks almost constantly in a very incoherent colloquial style Takes his food well Cont

March 28 Talks much to himself & at times sings a good deal at work in the grounds Cont on

April 28 Still talks much to himself or some imaginary person At present walking with the Under Gardener Bodily health passable Cont

May 24 No change of any consequence Bodily health pretty good Takes his food well & works out but is very stupid & slow Cont

June 28 Bodily health good but there is no mental change Tolerably cleanly Works a little in the grounds occasionally Cont

July 28 Conducts himself as reported above Works occasionally Talks much to himself Bodily health passable Cont

Aug 25 Much the same in all respects Must work compelled Bodily health good

Sept 27 No change of any consequence Bodily health pretty good Cont

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Wm Brennet Jun

1846

Sept 27 Continues much in the same ~~was~~ as at last report Dirty & slovenly Asserts in the gallery Has an enormous hydrocele which he emulsifies in a mixture during the day Bodily health pretty Last Count

Oct 27 No change if any important since last report Is troublesome with flies & Ulcer Removed Excoriation of Scrotum & Aqueous accumulation Eleventh visit

Nov 27 Continues in all respects as reported at home Bodily health tolerably good Count only

Dec 27 No change appreciable in the case Mental ~~ment~~ Bodily health tolerably good Talkes his food well Has enormous hydrocele seems still increasing in size Count only

1847
Jany 27 A case of incurable dementia No change of any importance since last report Tolerably cleanly & careless of his personal appearance Bodily health pretty good Count only

Feby 27 Has been rather excited for a few days past Nonsense at seems again subsiding Is nonsense at all times & dangerous Bodily health tolerable Count only

March 27 Continues to assist in the gallery Mind very much Talks very incoherently & absurdly The enormous hydrocele seems still to increase Health pretty good Count only

April 27 No abatement of his incoherence last week scrambled upon the top of a chest to pin up some little article or scrawl something on the wall (a very common habit with them) & fell Has hydrocele which is now too large to be encased in his large nightcap either by its own weight or otherwise ~~was~~ distended The parts of the right inguinal region & he complains of pain in that situation There is no redness or heat locally or constitutional disturbance Rest & support have been employed Bowels easy Takes his food well Tongue moist Count

Ward 74 Admitted April 4th 1839

May 27 Not complaining as much of pain in his groin although still a little occasionally Mental condition much the same as before Cont

June 27 No abatement of his delusions Assists in gallery Takes his food well Cont

July 27 Much the same in all respects Still complains occasionally of pains about the hypogastrium Takes his food well Bowels costive

August 10 Has been bedfast these two days says he is sore all over Appetite defective Is so cross & reticent when spoken to or approached that very little of his state can be learned accurately Perspired a good deal yesterday Bowels costive Had half an ounce of castor oil yesterday but it has not operated Cont

14 Generally bedfast but sometimes rises & does strange things such as putting his head up in a corner Going towards pails at the water closet Bowels easy Is very variable in temper Bowels costive Had porter but refuses it

17 Had a severe rigor & vomited a little Retches occasionally Had a senapism applied to abdomen Has been supplied with beef steak & milk sometimes takes them sometimes empties them on to the floor R Porter Hordei ℥ iv ad libitum

21 Is very much a prisoner to bed as he is so dangerous to approach him at times as he threatens to strike a blow at one minute may be put in such a state of excitement much countenance much drunk pulse very feeble very capricious sometimes drinks what is given sometimes pours it on his head or on the floor &c R Infus Valerianæ Ammoniat unam pro re nata R Decoct Cinchonæ Galisaiæ ℥ iv quotidie

22 Passed a very bad night last night indeed is not supposed he should stand through it Has a very distressing countenance very much exhausted pulse 90 very feeble Bowels have not been opened for 3 days Hyperæsthesia of the whole abdomen Tenderness on pressure

23 Again passed a very bad night but is rather better like today Has occasionally very distressing pulse feeble 90 Tongue glazy

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1846 Mrs Frazer Admn from

Sept 27 No improvement Mind quite as full of fancies as ever often feels things pass suddenly through his head & nearly tears his inside out sometimes thinks the direct vengeance on those he suspects das these things Cont Com

Oct 27 Mind very powerful suspects that after he has taken his food the whole of it is sucked away from him Wishes to run away if not disturbed soon death tolerable Cont Com

Nov 27 No improvement Mind still as weak & powerful as ever Takes his food well & sleeps well Cont

Dec 27 Mind quite as full of absurd delusions as ever Takes his food well but imagines it does him no good as he is immediately robbed of it again by some supernatural agency Death good Cont

1847
Jan 27 Scarcely a diary passes but what he affirms that the food is as he ferment when put out of him as soon as he swallows it & the very blood sucked out of him Rheumatics thinks he knows very well who does it by curses or some such things but refuses to tell their names Takes his food well

Feb 27 Delusions remain as before Assents occasionally in the gallery Bodily health tolerable good Cont Com

March 27 Full of fancies as to people with drawing his food from his body piercing him with sharp instruments covering him with vermin disease &c Is thinner than usual yet takes his food well Cont Com

April 27 No abatement of his delusions Thinks two of the patients imagining they had something to do with the annoyances to which he is subjected Takes his food well but is very thin

May 27 Still full of absurd fancies & notions Takes his food well Walks a little actionally Bowels regular Cont

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June 27 No abatement of his delusion sometimes given to strike the patients whom he imagines are the cause of some of his annoyances Has torn or picked off his nails for the purpose he says of defending them from his enemies Cont

July 28 No change of any consequence Had to be sent to seclusion for an afternoon as he had got into a habit of stealing stores he supposes annoy him by getting thinner bowels very Cont

Augt 24 Has not been quite so quiet of late in consequence of his confinement Takes his food well but is still thin bowels regular Cont

Sept 26 Much the same as at last report Has still his notions of being robbed of his food as soon as he has swallowed it That his body is wasting away to a skeleton Bodily health tolerable Cont

Oct 23 Much the same in all respects Takes his food well but complains of it being supernaturally sucked out of him after he has swallowed it Bowels regular Cont

Nov 23 Conducts himself on the whole quietly but occasionally startles his attendants from the notion that they are the persons who annoy him & rob him of his food &c Bodily health tolerable Cont

1848
Jany 4 No improvement in any way Still full of notions of people robbing him of his food He takes & throws away his medicine & takes his food well but is thin

28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good although he is rather thin Seems to do little in the Gallery No mental improvement Cont

Feby 28 Says that the Queen Government & Parliament have a clock at work in his head Feels blows enter &c & often threaten to knock down those he suspects of doing them Cont

March 28 Still as full of delusions & absurd fancies as ever Employed in the grounds of late Takes his food well Cont

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1846 Robert Henderson act 5

Aug 27 Bodily Health now restored although still somewhat emaciated the limbs have a tendency to swell at the ankles towards evening R Infusi Cinchonae frigid 3ij Tinct Cinnamomi Comp 3ij Acidi sulph dilut 3ij ter in Lemonade 3ij pro mensa

Nov 27 Mind continues in the same mental condition Bodily health tolerably good Takes his food well Conts

Dec 27 Mind continues much as before Conducts himself quietly & inoffensively but is very anxious to get away & says he will never be better while he is kept here Health tolerable Conts

1847

Jany 27 An incurable case of dementia When asked how he is always returns for answer "I'll never be better while I stay here" Bodily health pretty good Conts

Feby 27 Managed to make his escape again on the 20th Inst & was captured in Glasgow & brought back three days after No change of any consequence Conts

March 27 Asserts in the gallery as formerly still anxious to get away Mind remains in the same incoherent condition Health tolerable Conts

April 27 Continues in all respects as at last report Asserts in the gallery Bodily health good Conts

May 27 No change of any importance Asserts in the gallery anxious to get away & says he will never be better here Conts

June 27 No mental improvement Still anxious to get away Asserts in the gallery Takes his food well Conts

July 27 No change of any consequence appreciable Still as anxious as ever to get away & says he will never be better here Conts

Aug 27 Still as anxious as ever to get away & still when asked how he gets on replies "I shall never get better here" Asserts in the Gallery Takes his food well Conts

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Sept 26 Very little change at least no improvement mentally Has stated the same urgent anxiety to get away & constantly declares he will never get better here Bodily health tolerable Conf

Oct 23 Has still the same unceasing desire to get away Addicted to masturbation Keeps himself clean Talks to himself when alone Takes his food well Conf

Nov 28 No change of any importance Bodily health tolerably good Appetite & digestion has proper tone Permitted to run when he gets out he would legally free himself from the asylum Conf

1847
Jan 73- No change of any importance appreciable Bodily health tolerably good Addicted to masturbation Conf

28 Much the same in all respects Anxious to get away & still says he will never be better here Bodily health tolerable Addicted to masturbation Tolerably clean Conf

Feb 28 No mental improvement Talks much to himself in an undertone Bodily health not quite so good from close confinement & he can scarcely be trusted in the airing ground as he constantly finds means to escape Conf

Mar 28 Little change of any kind of appreciable As to health is rather suffering from close confinement will be much at work at draining the south airing court shortly

April 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health improving He is getting rather corpulent & not fond of making use of the airing ground Addicted to masturbation Conf

May 28 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Is anxious as ever to get away Conf

June 28 Has been allowed more exercise in the airing ground of late as he was getting pale & puffy from confinement Conf

July 28 Works out occasionally No mental change Conf

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1846 Robert Hamilton aet 1c fa

Oct 27 Still employed in the Tailor's Shop conducts himself quietly & marks adequately middling & little much Bowels regular Health Good Cont

Nov 27 Works very adequately in the tailor's Shop & conducts himself very quietly Health Good Cont on

Dec 27 Conducts himself very well although mind is much alienated the same in that much very good natured Cont

1847 Jany 27 Still employed in the tailor's shop Mind much as last conducts himself tolerably well Health very good Cont on

Feby 27 Conducts himself tolerably well still at work in the tailor's shop Mind much as Health Bodily Health good Cont on

March 27 Continues work industrious in the tailors shop Bodily health good Cont

April 27 Still employed at the tailoring Industrious with all messages by the tailor makes no attempt to go away Bodily Health good Cont

May 27 Conducts himself very well in all respects likes his food well Bowels regular Cont

June 27 Continues to conducts himself quietly & well although there is still some remains of imbecility about him Cont

July 27 Still employed in the tailor's shop Conducts himself very well Bodily functions natural Cont

Aug 24 Much the same in all respects Works with the tailor Bodily health good Cont

Sept 26 Still employed in the tailor's shop Conducts himself very well although mind is a little probably ever remain somewhat weak Bodily health good Cont

Oct 23 Much the same in all respects Still employed as a tailor Bodily health good Better adapted in the position Cont

Nov 29 Much the same in all respects Mind somewhat weak Bodily health good Bowels regular Cont on

Admitted Aug 16th 1848

May 25 1848

Aug 5 Still employed in the tailor's shop Mind still somewhat weak but is on the whole improving Bodily health good Cont

28 Continues to be employed in the tailor's shop Bodily health good Mind as above reported Cont

Feb 28 Employed of late about the store as the tailor had no employment for him No change of any importance Health good Cont

March 28 Employed about the store as reported above No change of any importance observed Cont

April 28 Employed as mentioned above Mind somewhat weak Bodily health good Mild simple of no importance Cont

May 28 Still employed about the store Mind somewhat weak Bodily health good Cont

June 28 Bodily health good Butter slight a slight & unsteady gait Good temperate habits About the store Cont

July 28 Employed about the store Bodily health good & a settled & simple & old position Cont

Aug 28 No change of any consequence Bodily health good Cont

Sept 28 Mind & the same in all respects Bodily health good Mind slightly weak No delusions Cont

Oct 28 No change of any consequence Still employed about the store Mind weak No delusions Cont

Nov 28 No change a trouble Had a rather severe boil on back of right hand but it is now well Cont

Dec 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont

1849 Jany 16 Removed today by the Supt R. as Monitor Discharged as Cured

Admd 17 Jany 17

Peter German Asst

1846

Oct 27 No change of any importance
Works a little in the grounds but is slow & weak
Takes his food tolerably well
Bowels regular
Cont

Nov 27 Continues in all respects
as reported above very aged & frail but health pleasable all things considered
Cont

Dec 27 Much the same as reported
above & weak minded & frail & all man desires to do a little & anxious to do his utmost which is but small
Cont

1847

Jan 27 A frail old man & an incurable case of dementia Too weak to be sent out to work in the grounds at this season Takes his food pretty well Tolerably cleanly & careful of his clothes
Cont

Feby 27 Not much change Goes out to walk a little occasionally in fine weather but is getting rather frail Takes his food tolerably well Mind weak
Cont

Mar 27 Much the same as at last report Quiet & frail sometimes goes out to do a little work in the grounds when the weather is good Takes his food well
Cont

April 28 No change of any consequence
Works a little in the grounds occasionally but is too old & frail to do much Takes his food well
Cont

May 28 No change of any importance
Takes his food well & enjoys tolerable health for his age
Cont

June 28 Continues much the same as reported above very quiet sometimes does a little work Takes his food tolerably well
Cont

July 28 Of late has been daily employed in the garden weeding &c Little important or marked change
Cont

Augt 24 No change of any importance appreciable Works daily in the garden in good weather Mind as before
Cont

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Sept 26 Much the same in all respects Works usually in the garden in good weather Speaks but little Keeps himself tolerably clean Takes his food well Cont

Oct 23 No change of any importance Occasionally Sometimes out at work in the garden when the weather is favourable Bodily health tolerable Cont

Nov 22 Much the same in all respects A quiet peaceable inoffensive old man Weather too cold for him to go out at this season Cont

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Jany 4 Much the same in all respects Frail pomage Inoffensive & quiet Keeps himself very clean Takes his food well Cont

28 Like the same in all respects as reported above Old & frail Seldom speaks Takes his food tolerably well Cont

Feby 28 No change of any importance Quiet peaceable old Frail to go out at this season Takes his food tolerably well Cont

March 28 Much the same in all respects Has not yet gone out to work in the garden which he usually does in summer in fine weather Cont

April 28 Little change of any consequence Works out in the grounds occasionally when the weather is fine Is very frail Takes his food well Cont

May 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good but is old & frail Employed weeding the weather being fine Cont

June 28 Much the same as formerly Employed weeding in the grounds when the weather is fine Bodily health but frail Takes his food well & keeps himself clean Cont

July 28 Continues to employ himself at weeding in the grounds when the weather is fine No material change Cont

Augt 28 Much the same in all respects A quiet inoffensive old man Works in the grounds occasionally Cont on

Sept 29 No change of any consequence Cont on

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Oct 29 No change of any consequence Delusions as to people pursuing his blood getting below his bed &c. Continues. Takes his food well but is a rather feeble old man unable to help of two Chaplains as before cont

Nov 29 Delusions continue unchanged Bodily health tolerable for his years cont

Dec 29 No change of any consequence Delusions as numerous & varied as before Takes his food well & enjoys tolerable health cont

1847

Jan 29 Mind full of fancies & suppose that people take his blood & do him other annoyances & is always complaining of people & taking him Bodily health tolerable cont

Feb 28 Little change of any consequence Delusions as before Takes his food pretty well cont

Mar 29 No mental change allowed to walk about the doors in good weather does not seek to go away cont

April 28 No change of any consequence Delusions continue as formerly Takes his food well cont

May 28 Still retains his delusions as reported about Mind very weak Takes his food well cont

June 28 No mental change appreciable Takes his food well bowels regular cont

July 28 Got his left radius broken by a blow from a patient whom he would not give a piece of tobacco to his manner doing well Must the same at the house cont

Aug 24 Went about well although rather weak Mind remains in the same weak condition Bodily health pursues Takes his food pretty well Bowels easy cont on

Sept 26 No change of any importance appreciable Mind very much enfeebled Bodily health tolerable Takes his food well cont

Oct 23 Continues much the same as at last report Health tolerable cont

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June 15 Has for some time past been affected with dyspepsia & on the whole improving but is still confined to bed & getting his appetite & meals for diet Ord the following Pil Blanchi & Quinine ℞ Ammt unan ter indies

16 Bowel complaint still ranging about thirty R Mistura Cretae ℥iij Tinct Catechu ℥i Tinct Cinnamomi ℥i Tinct Opii ℥i Misce Cumat ℥ss Ter indies Cont alia

21 Bowel complaint considerably better although he still wants admit to himself Anxious to be allowed Rarely No mental change Cont

Dec 6 Bowel complaint much better Tinct has decreased inflamatory swelling over right Ham still exposed a large quantity of matter circulated

1848
Jany 5 There is still a slight sore left unhealed over right Ham Is otherwise in good health Takes his food well Sleeps well No mental change Cont

28 There is still a slight sore uncontained but he is otherwise in tolerable health & walks about No mental improvement Cont

Feb 28 Sore continues Health tolerably good No mental improvement still believes that people come up through the bed suck his blood & he takes his food well Cont

March 28 Rarely health passable No mental change Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont

April 28 Much the same in all respects Takes his food well Cont

May 28 No change of any consequence Rarely health good Takes his food well Cont

June 28 Much the same Rarely health passable No mental change Cont

July 28 In all respects as at last report Cont

Aug 28 No change of any consequence Cont

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Nov 28 Mind continues in the same
meek & peaceful conduct
seldoms speaks unless spoken
to Manners the Medical
attendant is called Mr Crocke
a person with whom patient
seems to have been ac
quainted formerly & deals
tolerably good conduct on

Dec 28 Continues in all respects
as reported above same
meek & peaceful speaks
little & obeys orders with his
fellow patients Bodily
health tolerable

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Jany 28 An incurable case of dementia
Spends the most of his time looking
out through Railings with his
hands in his pockets scarcely
ever speaks except to say it
is a good day or so always
calls the medical officer Mr
Chisholm Crichton Notes
his food well occasionally
exhibits in the gallery Conduct
as

Feby 28 No change of any importance
Assists occasionally in the gallery
Takes his food well Bowels
regular Conduct as

March 28 Managed to make his escape
as far as Glasgow but was
brought back Assists in the
gallery Bodily health pretty
good Conduct as

April 28 No mental change Anxious to get
to Glasgow as he says there are some
letters lying for him at his brother's
office that there is no part to
bring them here Will not be
convinced of the contrary
Health good Conduct

May 28 Continues in all respects mental
and bodily as at last report
Conduct

June 28 Assists in the gallery No mental
improvement Bodily health
pretty good Conduct

July 6 Talbot removed by his father
Mind as before Discharged as

Relieved

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July 26 A case of Hypochondriasis No change of any importance Employed in the Quarry Works tolerable well although very largely inclined Readily Receives good Conduct

Augt 26 Still employed in the Quarry Mind much as formerly but tractable Does not Converse spontaneously nor utter any Delusions Readily Health excellent Conduct

Sept 27 Much the same as at last report Careless of his clothes which soon go to rags Readily Health good Bowels regular Conduct

Oct 27 Allowed to work in the quarry although not very fond of work of any kind Takes his food well Conduct

Nov 27 Has not been employed in the Quarry for some time Careless of his clothes Would let maggots all day & allowed to take his food well Conduct

Dec 28 Assists in the Gallery although very Lazily inclined Readily Health very good Conduct

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Jany 29 A case of dementia Utters no delusions Employs himself quite well Careless of his clothes & very indolent & disposition Readily Health excellent Conduct

Feby 27 Assists occasionally in the Gallery Readily Health good Must indulge much & Liberally & comfort Conduct

March 27 Much the same as at last report Mind remaining in the same unsatisfactory condition Readily Health excellent Conduct

April 27 Assists in the Gallery & works occasionally on the Grounds Mind continues in the same unsatisfactory state No delusions but imagines that there is no comfort in the world about him Readily Good Conduct

May 27 Had a rather severe bout on side of right knee but now is down nearly well Readily Health & Remains Good Conduct

June 27 Down on knee now quite well No mental change Assists in the Gallery Readily Health good Conduct

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July 27 Mind remains in the same weak state Works in the grounds occasionally but is rather largely inclined Takes his food well Health good Cont on

Augt 24 Much the same in all respect Mind weak Bodily health good Takes his food well Bowels regular Cont on

Sept 16 No change of any consequence appreciable Mind continuing in the same weak state Works a little occasionally but is rather largely inclined Bodily health good Cont

Oct 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Takes his food well

Nov 22 No change of any importance appreciable Bodily health good Takes his food well Assists in the Gallery but is very lazy Cont

1848
Jany 5 No change of any consequence A case of dementia Bodily health excellent Assists in the Gallery but is largely inclined Cont on

28 Continues in all respects as at last report Assists in the Gallery Bodily health good Mind weak Cont

Feb 28 No change of any importance Bodily health good Mind weak Assists in the Gallery Keeps his bed clean but is rather careless of his clothes Cont

March 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont on

April 28 No change of any consequence Mind weak Bodily health good Assists in the Gallery & in the grounds occasionally but is rather slothful Cont

May 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Assists in the Gallery Cont

June 28 No change of any importance Bodily health good Assists chiefly in the gallery Cont

July 28 Bodily health good Mind weak No material change Cont

Augt 28 Much the same in all respects Bodily health good Cont on

Sept 28 No change of any consequence Bodily health good

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