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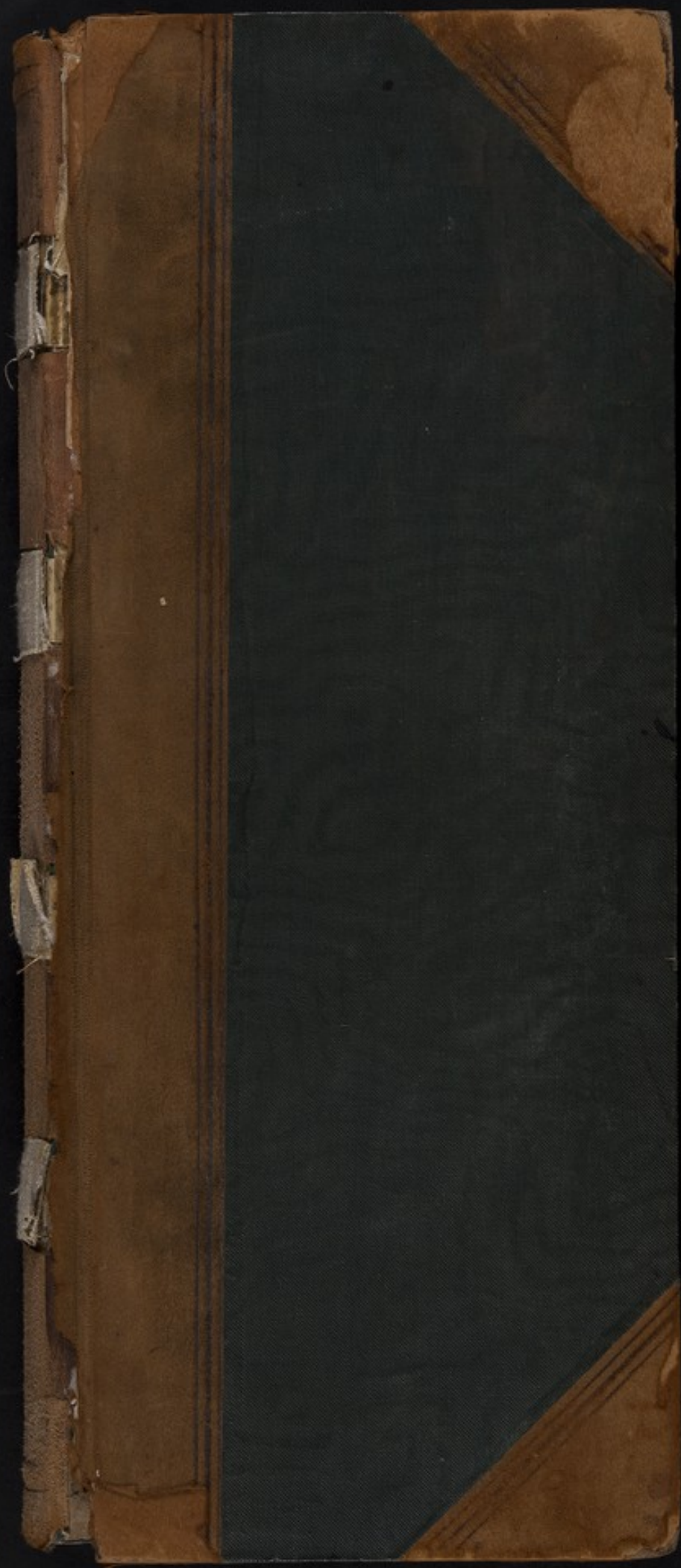
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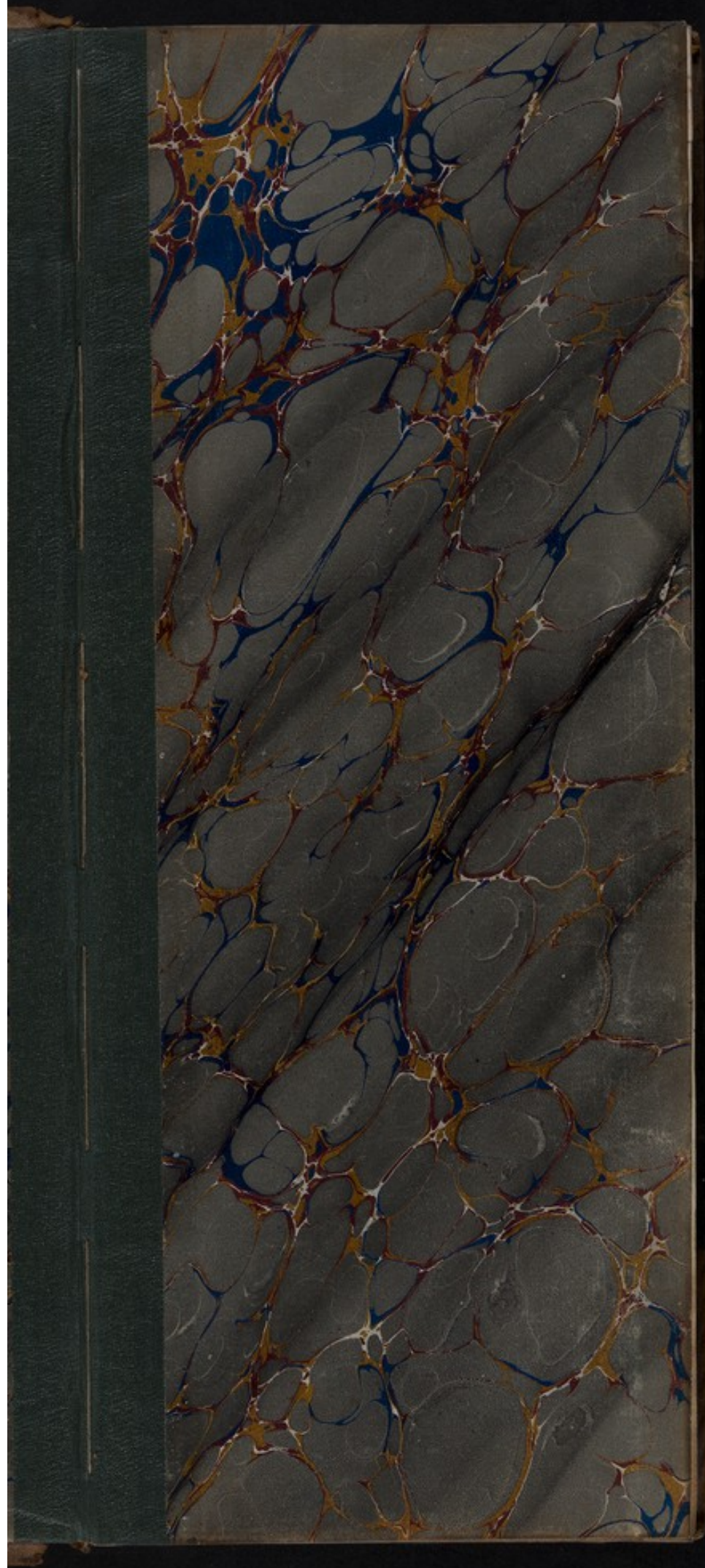


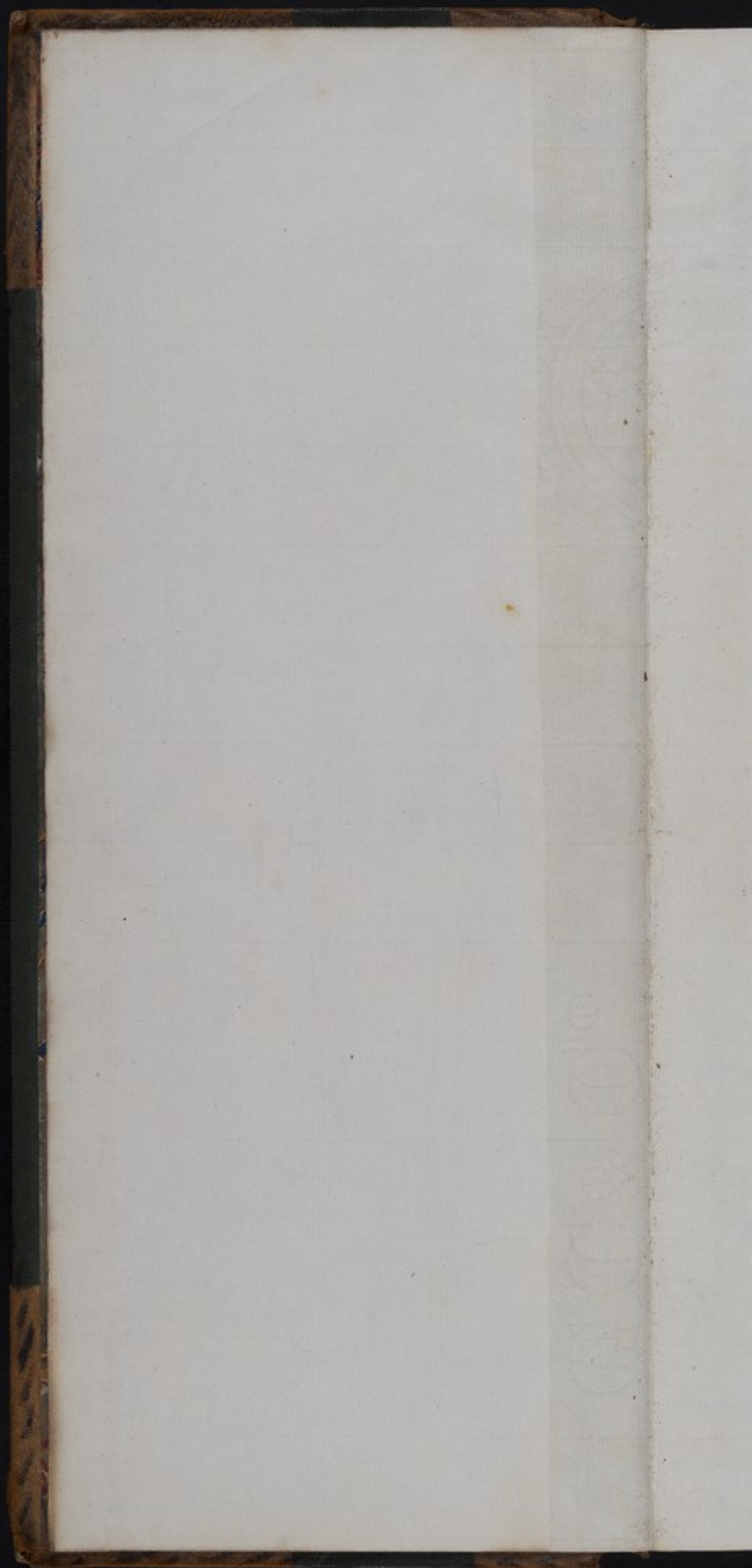
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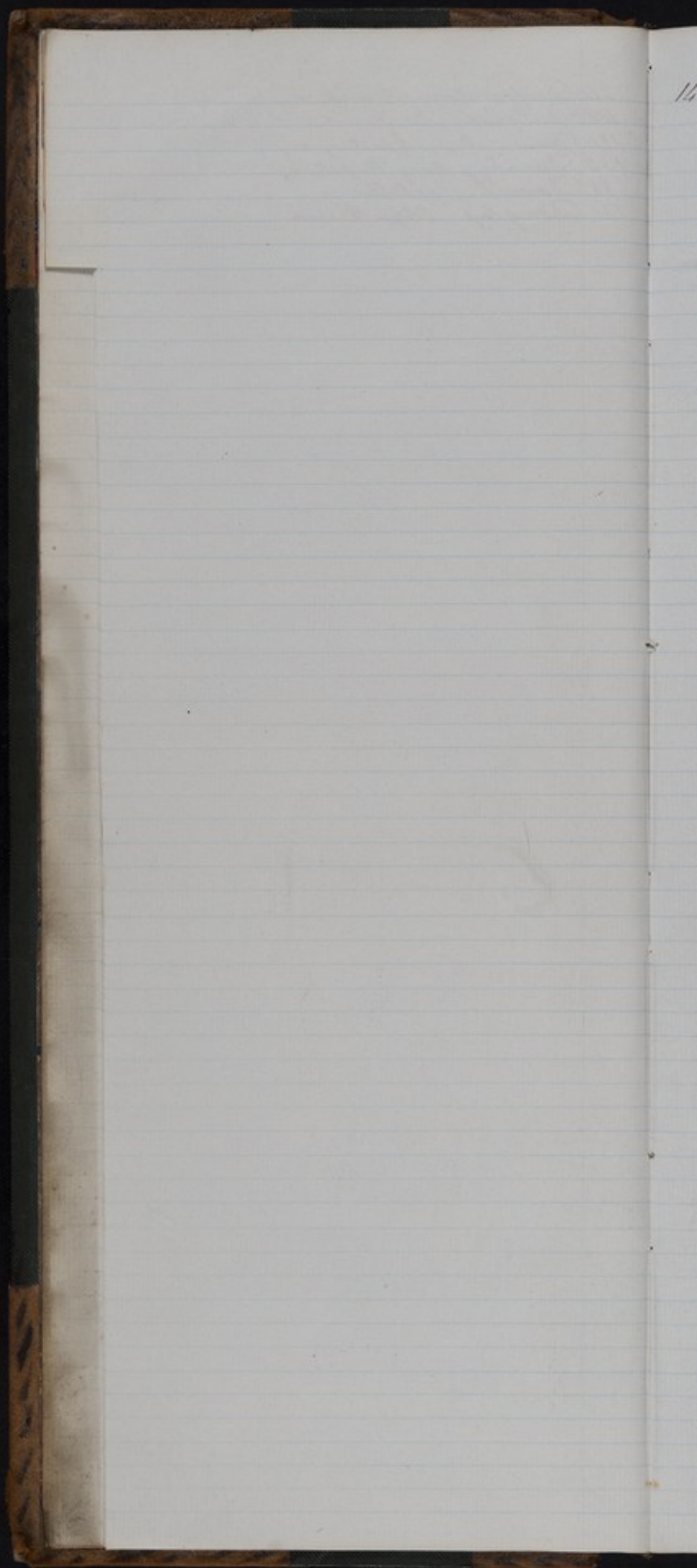
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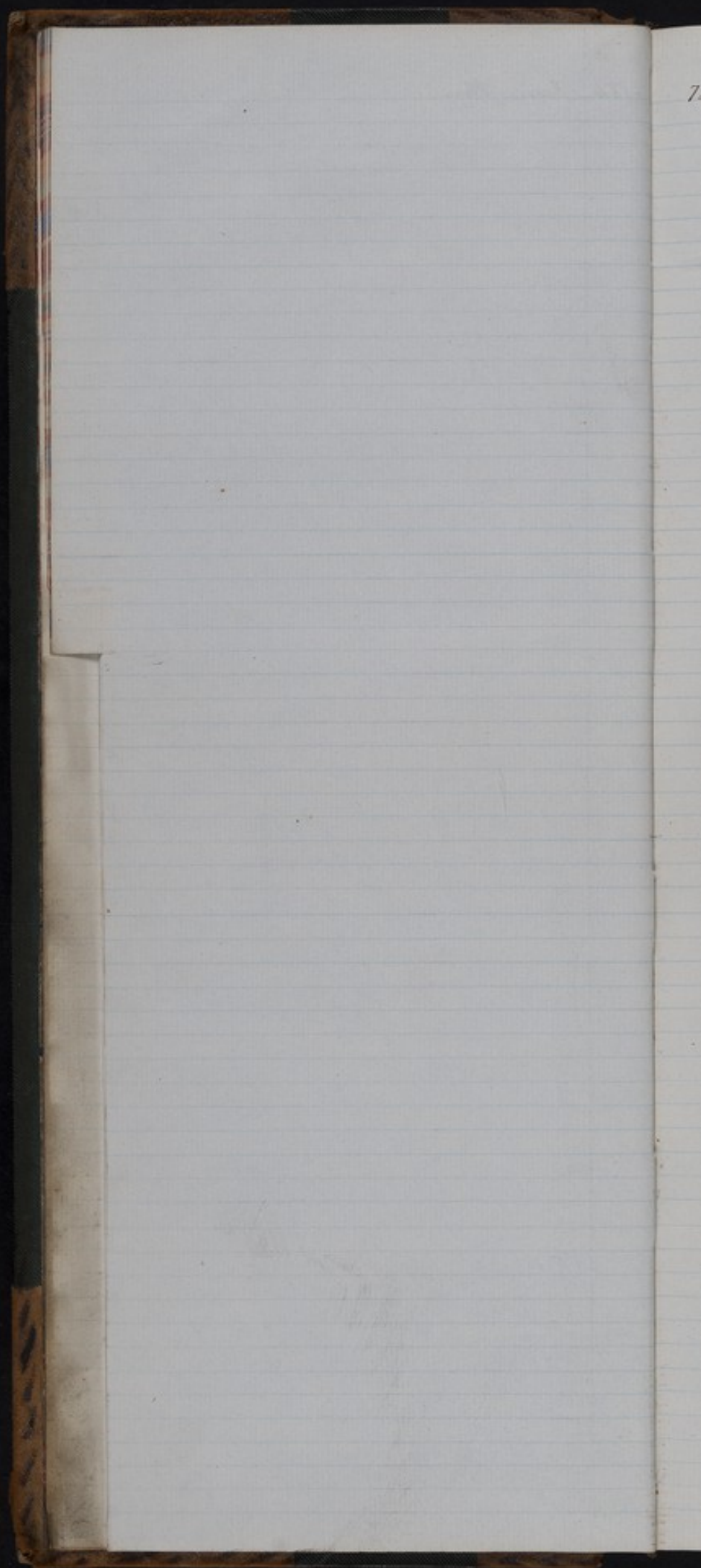
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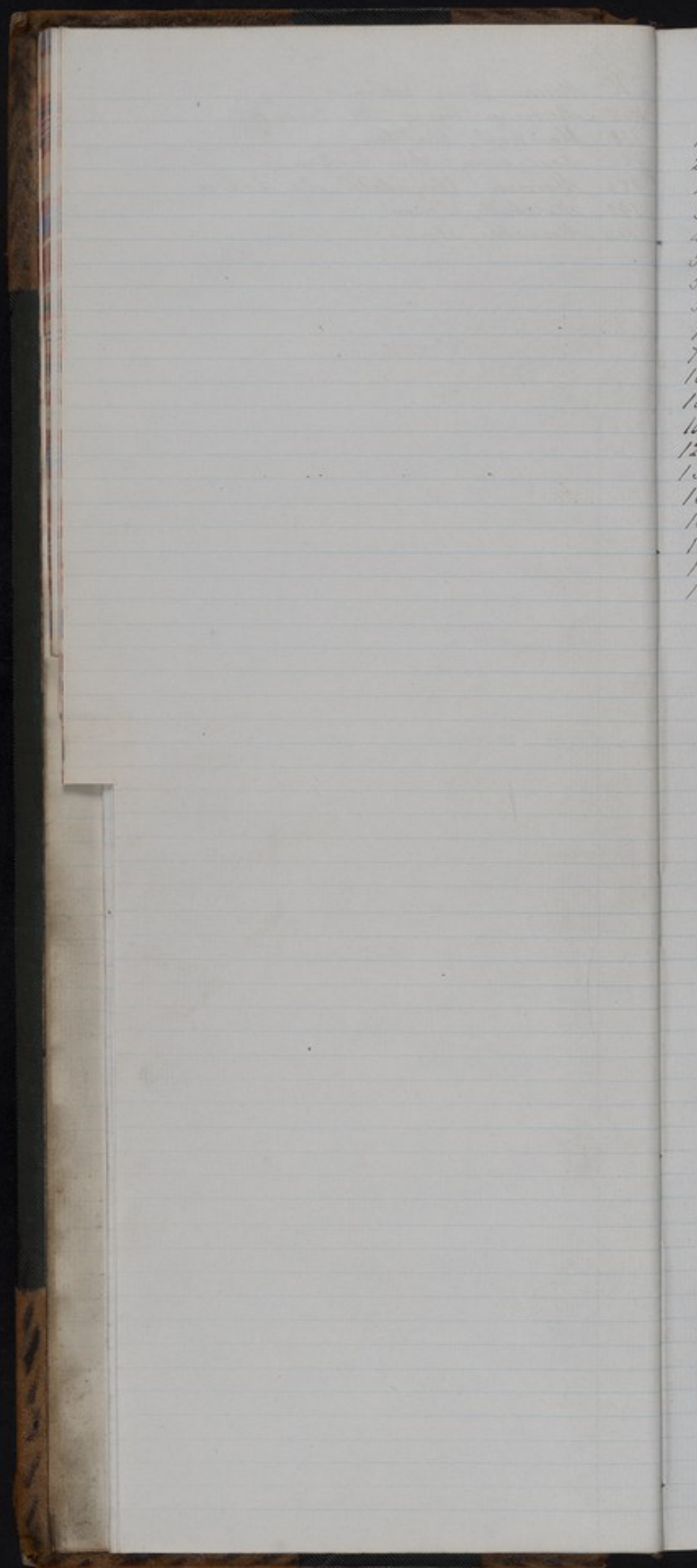
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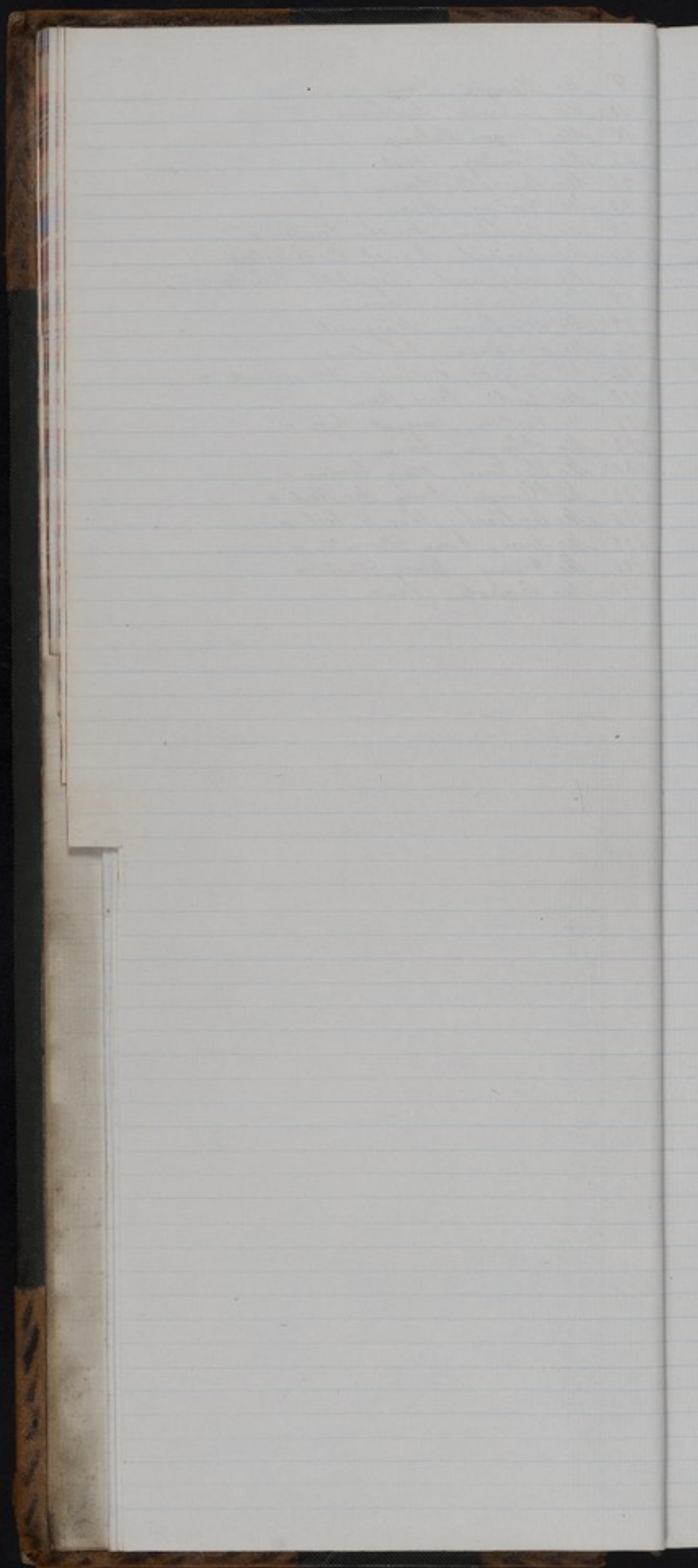
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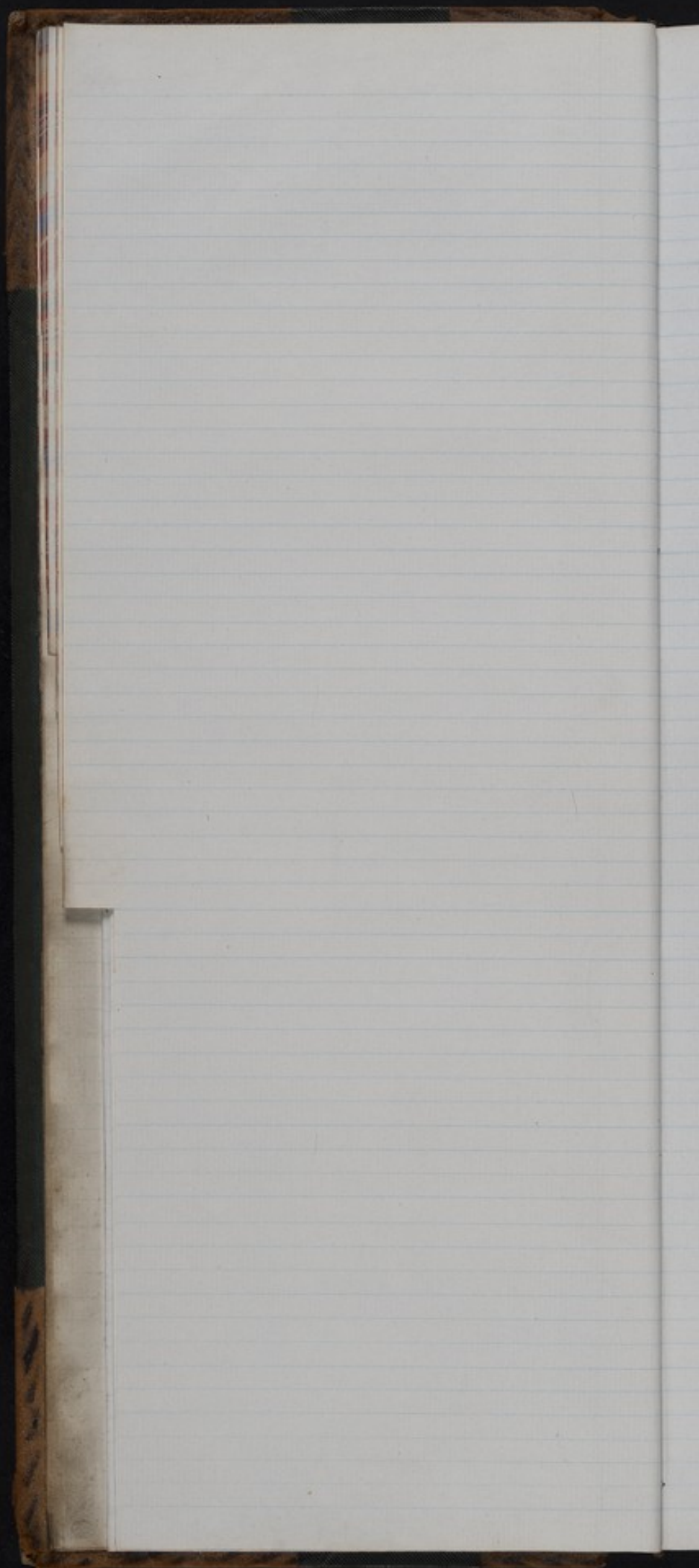
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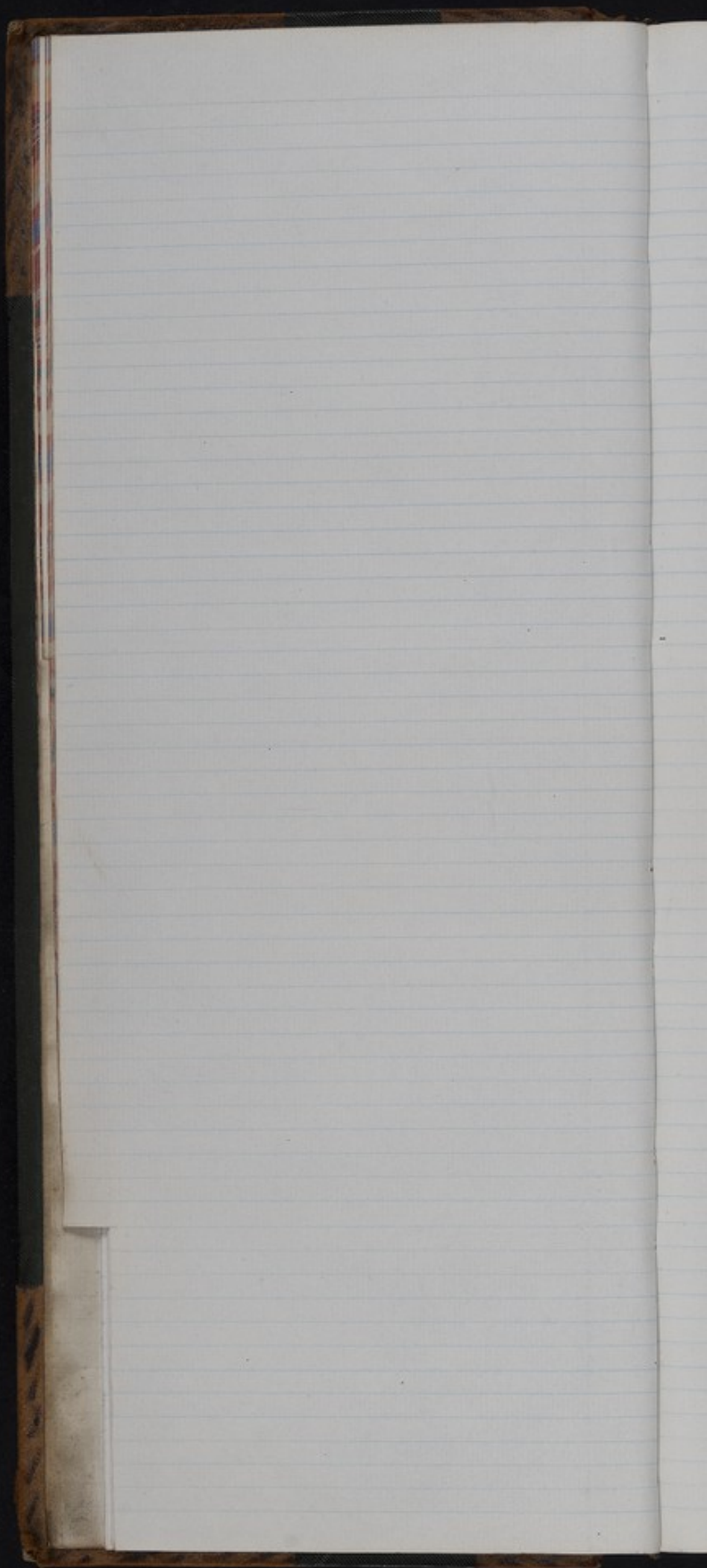
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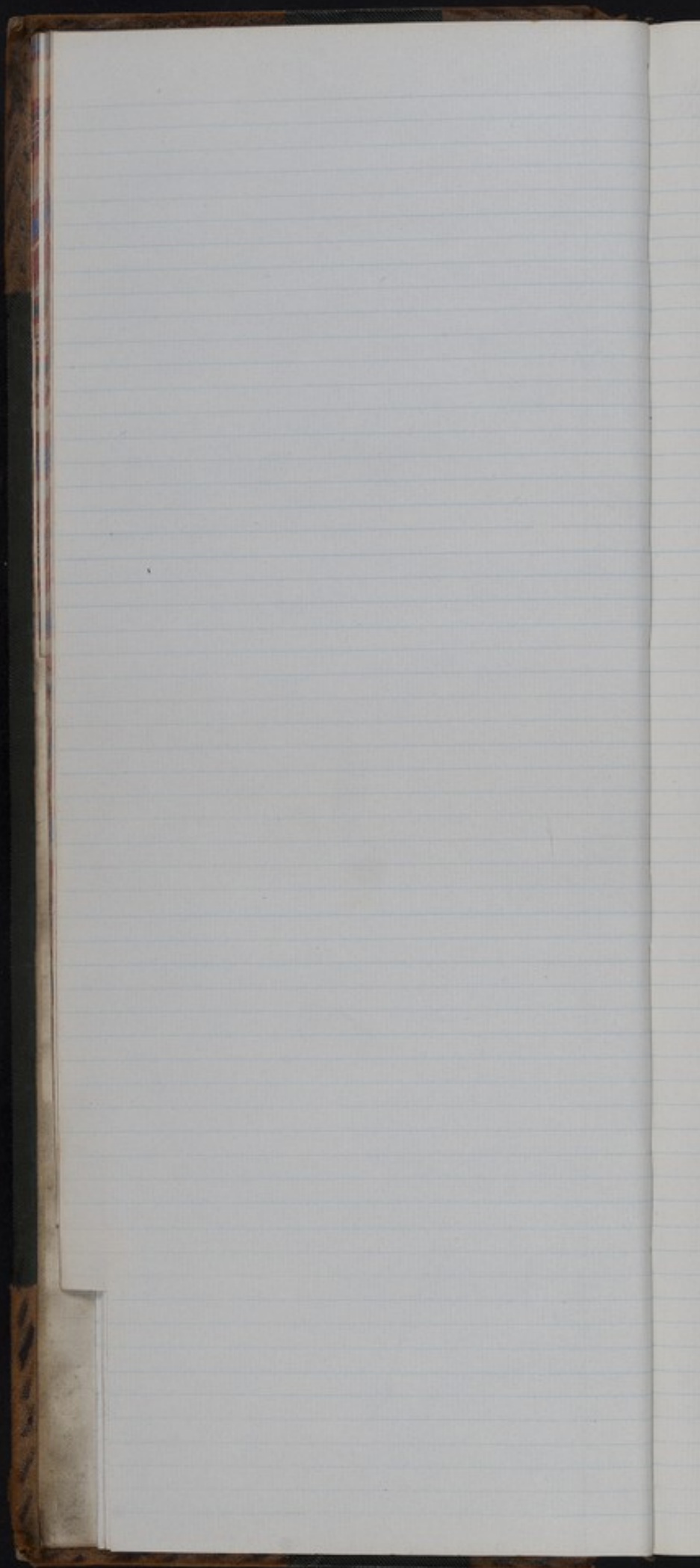
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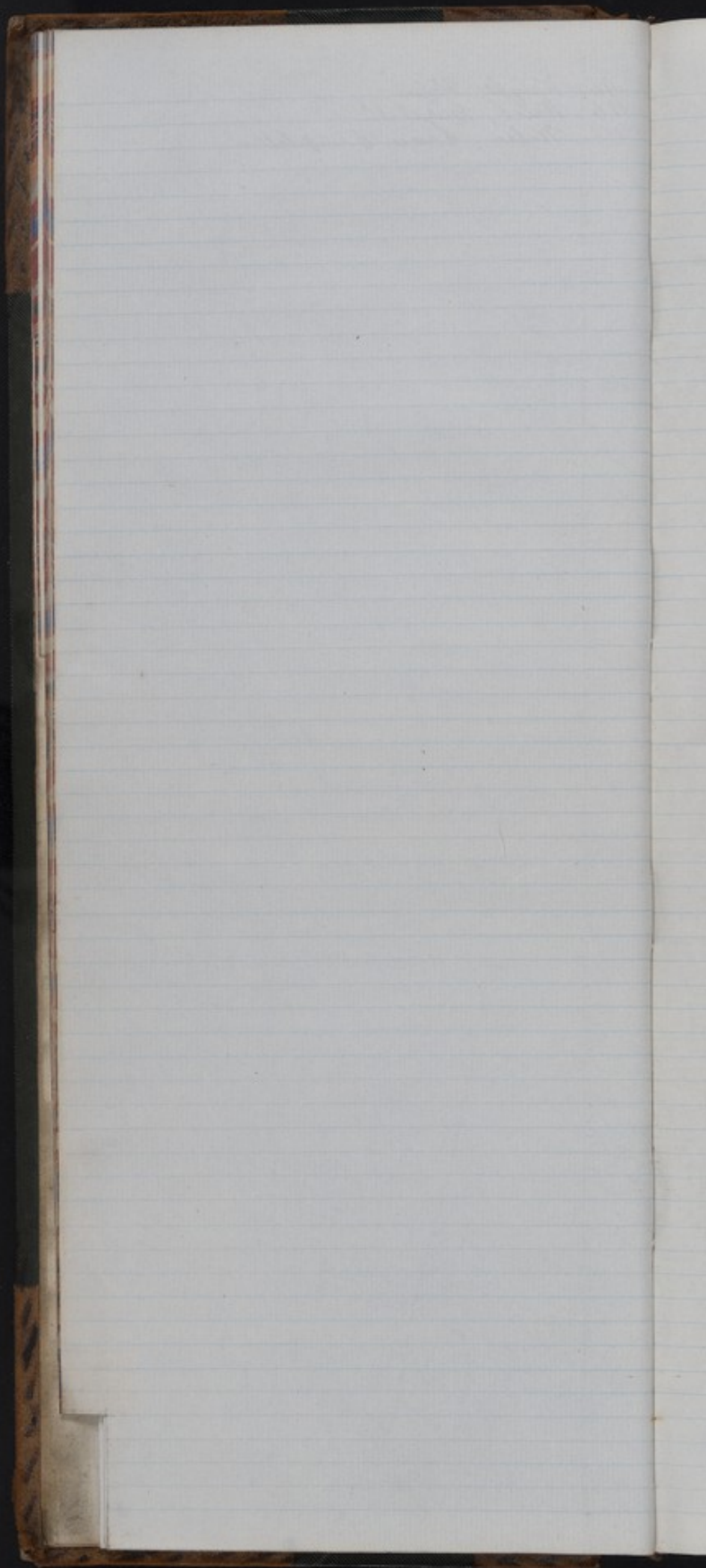
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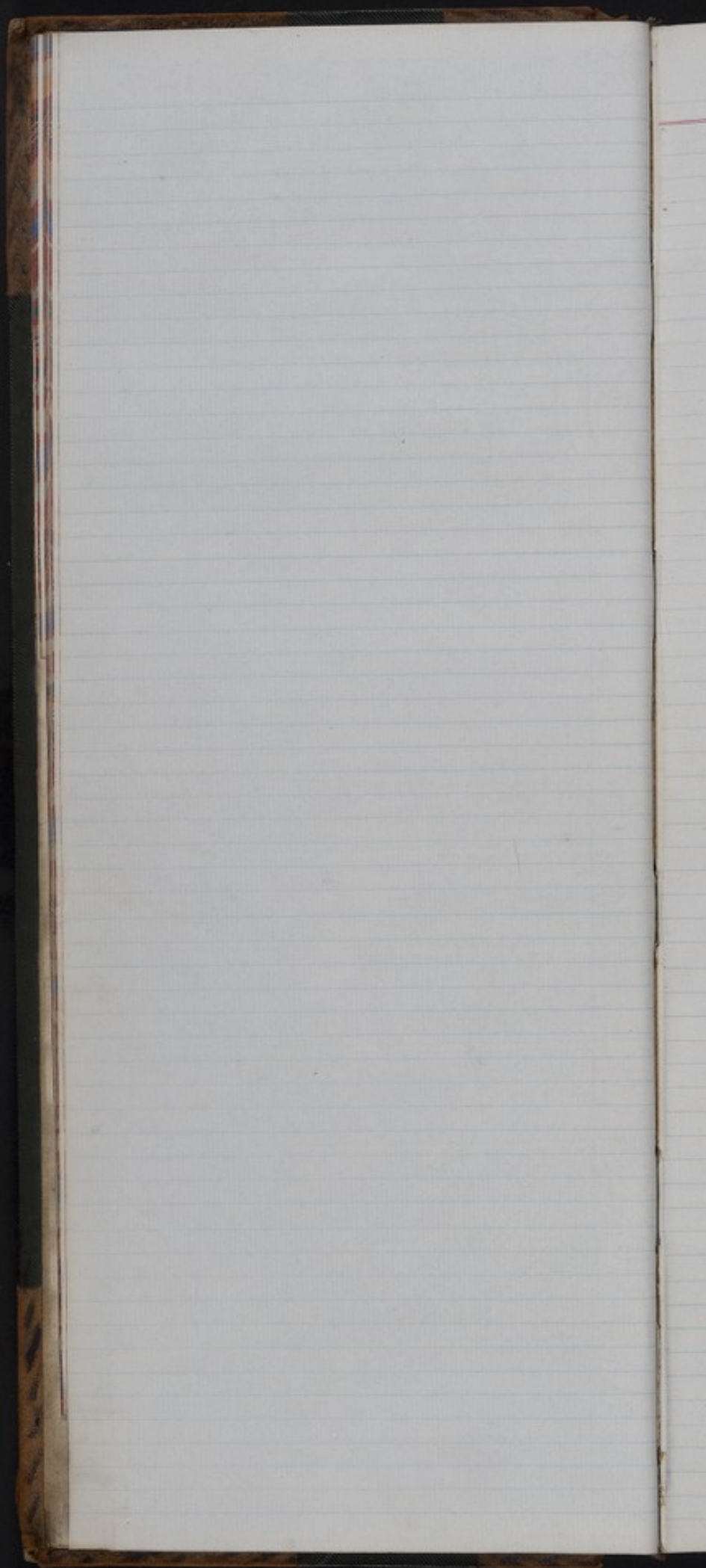
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Mary Hatcheson or Brown act 34

1865

April 7

Was brought to the Asylum today, by two sisters and an attendant who was sent for her, from 65 King Street Calton and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to the City Parish Glasgow.

She is 34 years of age, widowed, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a sewer.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one week, and the cause is disappointment in marriage, she is dangerous to others, but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency.

The history given of this case by her sister is that she is a widow, her husband having died three years ago, that she had five children, the first being born alive but died soon, that she had other four all dead born and premature, each successive birth occurring at an earlier period of utero-gestation, and that she is now pregnant five or six months to a person who promised to marry her.

The attack commenced eight days ago by her leaving her work and reading passages in the Bible, especially Ruth. She then commenced to write letters and said she would make the person who promised to her, explain. Next she became incoherent, and ultimately violent and destructive, tearing her cloths and whatever came in her way. The night prior to admission she was so restless and excited that she had to be held all night during which time she bit her sister severely on the finger and injured her in several other parts of the body.

On admission she is quiet, and can with difficulty be got to reply to any question, almost everything she says being wandering and incoherent. She says she got poison which now makes her breath more freely.

She is in feeble bodily health, her condition is reduced and she is very anæmic.

2 Last night she was restless interfering with the attendants and other patients. She had to be put into a room out of the hof. She would not take breakfast.

5 She requires to be fed. During the night she tore her bed and took the steam out of it and wet her room. This morning she is very stupid.

14 She still continues stupid and restless. Last night she was noisy complaining of pain in loins. She is still dressed in canvas which she has been since admission to prevent her from tearing her clothes or undressing herself.

May 8

For some times past she has been constantly confined to bed on account of her dirty habits. She takes her food well, but is quite demented, and gives no reply when spoken to. She is sometimes violent.

9 Today she is found to have lost the power of voluntary motion of the right arm, when raised it falls like a dead weight by her side, her hand being pricked there is slight reflex action.

16 She was today transferred to Dundee Asylum by Postoffice of Sir James Cox and himself.

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Admitted 1st April 1885

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Mary Murchie or Russell

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April 3

Was brought to the Asylum today by her son from 13 Clyde Terrace Glasgow and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is forty nine years of age, widowed, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Shop Keeper.

She is the first attack of insanity, has lasted about three months, and the cause is said to be the death of her mother. There is hereditary predisposition in the case, she having a sister at present in Bechergilphead District Asylum. She is suicidal, but not dangerous to others.

The history received of this case is that shortly before the death of her mother which occurred on 31st December last she began to complain of a burning pain in the belly, that on that same day she took to bed and has been in bed ever since. Three weeks ago after a sound sleep she began to talk incoherently, a fortnight became outrageous, and for the last four days has taken little or no food.

She has arrived at the second critical period.

Prior to admission she had delusions, such as that the flames of hell were burning around her, that it was the Millennium, that she had revelations from heaven and that all were lost.

On admission she talks a great deal, says the devil is in her daughter, asks what parish is paying for her and says she has plenty of money. She says that she never dying worm is within her, that, that is what is wrong with her and that she never can be cured.

bodily health feeble: Condition reduced
Pulse 104, small.

" 4 Last night she was quiet and slept about three hours. Today she refuses her food.

" 5 Yesterday she continued to refuse food and in the evening was fed by the stomach pump. Today she has taken her breakfast.

" 9 She continues to take her food, but is very dull and melancholy, sits idly in the gallery and scarcely ever speaks or looks about her.

" 13 She has improved since last report has begun to do a little sewing and her aspect is more cheerful.

" 29 There has been little change since last report, the work she does is little, she seldom speaks, but when asked for generally says she is better.

May 9 She is more depressed, and does not take her food so well. bodily health feeble.

" 19 Since last report she has been gradually becoming more unwilling to eat. Yesterday after dinner she was observed lurking near the life food and dirty dishes that were about to be carried away. Something wrong was suspected and on examining her, she was found to have her hands filled with potatoes and chard flesh. Today it was found necessary to feed her by means of the stomach pump. Her bodily health is very feeble.

June 2

She now takes her food herself. She is still very depressed.

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She is still depressed, but has taken her food
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She was today taken home by her daughter
and dismissed.

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Jane Cameron or Goodland act 75

April 11

Was brought to the Asylum today from 501 Caltongate West Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is seventy five years of age, widowed, is a protestant and was formerly employed as a Housewife.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for three years and the cause is unknown. She is said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. There is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was very restless, she fancied that her mother was alive, and often wandered away to near Ladywell where her mother had formerly lived. She could not be kept in bed at night, would get up and kindle the fire, and often destroyed clothing and other articles in it. She was also in the habit of stripping off her clothes, was at times violent, and latterly was altogether unmanageable.

On admission she is quiet and seems not to understand anything that is doing; talks incoherently about her mother wishing to get married again and can give no account of herself.

On being examined she is found to have Protrusion of the Uterus; apparently of long standing; the mucous membrane of the vagina being hard and thick and nearly similar in appearance to the skin.

Physically feeble. Condition reduced.

" 12

Last night she was very restless would not keep in bed and had to be removed to a room. Today she is still restless going about shaking the handles of the doors; she is dressed in canvas to prevent her taking off her clothes.

" 16

She is very restless and talkative and will allow nothing to remain in its place. She mistakes identity and her memory is much impaired.

" 24

For some time past she has been suffering from incontinence of urine, and every night was wet in bed she generally manages to keep herself dry during the day. Last night she was wet, dirty and very restless.

May 8

She is very weak and has been in bed for some days. The night before last she was very restless and tore a blanket. She still believes her mother is alive and often talks of having been to her house to see her yesterday.

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Since last report she has had an attack of Erysipelas extending over the face, head and back. The treatment was Iunct. Mercurii in twenty drop doses four times daily. The disease has now disappeared but she is still in bed on account of feeble bodily health.

June 18

She is often restless and troublesome at night and occasionally wets and dirties herself; her mind is quite gone and her conversation is wandering and childish.

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April 29

Was brought to the Asylum today from 176 Kew Road Glasgow by her mother and two friends and admitted as a private patient.

She is twenty two years of age, single, is the daughter of a ship broker and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted about two months, (but she has always been of weak intellect), and the cause is inflammation of the brain. She is very suicidal but not dangerous to others. There is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she slept none for several months even although she had large doses of Sol. Mur. Morph. Her language was incoherent and she laboured under extravagant delusions. Said she was lost and going to hell, fancied that she was a devil and attempted to cut her throat with a knife and scissors.

She has had a peculiar mental temperament for many years supposed to have followed on some inflammatory action of the brain.

On admission she was quiet and had a very depressed and melancholy aspect. Her language was incoherent; she says she never was happy; that once she was rash and cut off her head and got it changed; that she is all changed and that it occurred on account of a wrong name that was on a picture.

She is in very feeble health, conditions reduced, is anæmic, pulse 104, weak.

" 30

During the night she imagined she was being blown up in the air, and slept none. She has eaten but sparingly.

May 1

Today she tied a handkerchief tightly round her neck and attempted to choke herself. During the night she had slept for three hours.

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She slept none during the night and this morning was very anxious to get into the fire. This sheepishness continues although she has each night at bed time had a draught containing Sol. Mur. Morph. & Trid. Hyoscyam. M.

" 4

She slept from 10 o'clock last night till 5:30 this morning. Yesterday she was walked in the grounds, had St. Dob. gr. M., was well purged, and had a bottle of Ale and porridge, and a hot foot bath at bed time.

" 11

Since last report she has generally slept for some hours more or less till last night when she slept none and was restless fancying there was a man in the gallery making a fool of her.

June 2

There is no mental improvement. Her bowels are obstinately constipated and she never has relief except from the action of medicine. She is very restless and has several times struck her attendant pretty severely.

" 21

She is quite demented when spoken to, she attempts to reply and the words seem to die away upon her lips before she can utter them.

July 17

Since last report there has been no perceptible change.

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She was taken home today by her mother and dismissed — Relieved.

Admitted 29th April 1885

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Workhouse (her former residence was 3 Julliallan Place) and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty seven years of age, single, was formerly employed as a Domestic Servant, and belongs to the Established Church.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted about one week, and the cause is unknown. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. Hereditary predisposition not known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and excited, and required restraint. She was very delirious, believed that she was the second Christ sent by God to convert the wicked of Glasgow, and that he gave her directions what to do by the hand of an angel at the dead of night. She said that all Highlanders would be saved (she being one) and that all others would not be saved.

She has taken no food for four days, and while in Govan Workhouse, which she has been for two days, she resisted every attempt to feed her.

On admission she will at times give no reply, at other times she speaks on and cannot be got to stop, when she does reply her invariable answer is, it is nothing to you. She asks what is wrong with me, to put me in Bridewell and in hell. When asked her name, she says my name is above your name. & I am what I am.

She is in good bodily health and condition.

2 Yesterday she refused to take food and resisted any attempt to feed her. Last night she was by the stomach pump. After being fed, she said you have brought me here to kill me. She was quiet during the night and today still refuses food.

4 She still refuses to eat and is fed three times daily by means of the stomach pump; she says she gets food from heaven.

6 Her sister called today to inquire for her. She says that she is 34 years of age, and that she knows no cause for her present illness, but that another sister during the time of the late perils became affected and was ill for twelve weeks, but was kept at home.

9 Today she has taken all her food but would eat none except under the eye of the Medical Assistant. The attendants have great difficulty in managing her; she calls them ill names and says they have no right to order her.

30 Since last report she has taken her food pretty well, but otherwise there is no improvement. She has become more cleanly in her habits, and last night she was very shrewing her feet about and dirtied her bed & walls of her room. She has discoloured her breast by striking it with her hands.

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She was today transferred to Lehighphred District Asylum and dismissed.

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Was brought to the Asylum today by her son from 256 Eglinton Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is sixty four years of age, married, is a blacksmith's wife and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is the second attack of insanity, and it has lasted about two years. The former attack took place four years ago, when she was under treatment in this Asylum from 23 May till 2^d July 1861 - see vol XXII page 148. The cause is said to be the change of life. She is pained, is at times dangerous to others, but is not suicidal. There is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission, she was very restless, and could not be left alone for a moment. She was in fear of evil persons getting into the house and was constantly examining doors and windows to see and prevent them. She believed the house was falling and she was blind and had various other delusions. She cried about fire and darkness, talked constantly, and was afraid of coming to want.

On admission she is talkative, and her memory is very defective. She says she was out walking with her son and that he brought her here, she does not know why. She is very anxious not to be kept waiting, for that he has a long road to go & the cab is waiting.

On examination she is found to have varicose veins upon the left leg. She says it is a bad leg from Rheumatism, and talks incoherently about the blood coming up & up and into her knee and her womb and her heart and through all her body and keeps talking and gesticulating as if describing something very amazing.

Bodily Health feeble. Condition reduced. Pulse about 70 but very weak.

" 9 She slept well last night, is quiet and has taken her food. She cannot remember who brought her to the Asylum, but after considerable mental effort says she thinks it was her son.

" 18 She has been constantly confined to bed since admission but takes her food pretty well. She is disturbed by the most trifling event, and talks in a disconnected and incoherent manner.

" 28 Yesterday she became more agitated, picked up and hid the other patients' cloths & when visited by her son he found five pocket handkerchiefs belonging to them in her pocket. Afterwards she tore her dress and became quite unmanageable. It was found necessary to dress her in cambric and seclude her.

June 5

She is constantly confined to bed, is very restless and requires an attendant constantly beside her. She can hardly be got to take any food, is very much excited and her pulse intermits.

" 16

She is much excited and is labouring under a severe attack of diarrhoea. Today while attempting to raise herself in bed she received a small contusion around the right eyebrow by coming in contact with the edge of her bedstead.

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Admitted 8th May 1865

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July 7

The diarrhoea which has lasted for a considerable time has now yielded to treatment. She was prescribed various astringents both in the form of draught and pill, but the following formula answered best.

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 Pulv. Opii ʒ. III
 Conser. Ros. 2. S.

Fract. mass. et dis. in Spirit. XII

Sig. One or two twice daily or as required.

21st She is now very well mentally, but has sometimes little attacks of diarrhoea.

August 8 She continues well mentally and employs her time sewing.

19 She was today dismissed.
 Cured

Agnes Ball

Oct 20

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May 10

Was brought to the Asylum today by three friends from Park Farm Eaglesham and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is twenty years of age, single, is a farmers daughter, and belongs to the Established Kirk of Scotland.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted about six months and the cause is said to be over exertion at reaping machine in Sept. last. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. There is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was abstracted and melancholy, and although quite able would do no work, for days she would never say almost one word or answer one question and refused to leave her bed. She threatened to commit suicide by drowning herself, and at times went away and hid herself under bushes and in out of the way places.

On admission she is quiet and appears to be depressed. She can with difficulty be got to speak but what she says is quite coherent. She says she is very dull, but when asked the cause will give no reply.

Physically health and condition good.

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She slept little during the night and is depressed. She has taken her food pretty well and is doing a little work but is often inclined to cry; when asked the reason she says she is thinking about home and the work that is there for her to do.

" 18

She is still depressed but does a little work she speaks little and can hardly be got to reply to questions.

" 26

While walking in the grounds today she was found to be unable to speak. She had unconsciously tied a string tightly round her neck in an attempt to choke herself.

June 11

She continues depressed and melancholy, and can with difficulty be got to speak; any thing she says being scarcely intelligible. She takes her food pretty well and is in good health and condition.

July 18

Since last report she has improved very much. She is now cheerful, converses readily, and is very industrious.

August 9

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May 12

Was brought to the Asylum today from
Dunoon Iron Works Shotts and admitted as a
pauper patient chargeable to Shotts parish.

She is twenty years of age, widowed, was
formerly employed as a field worker, and is a
Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted
three weeks and the cause is unknown. She
is dangerous to others and said not to be very
suicidal. There is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she is said to have had
a wild, maniacal appearance, and to have cried,
laughed, swore and talked incoherently by turns.
Her friends were afraid watching to prevent her
doing bodily injury to herself, and her mother
who came with her to the Asylum said that she
had slept none for the last fortnight. She has
also more than once attempted to injure others.

On admission she is quiet, so much so that
she cannot be got to reply to any question whatever.
The only words that escape her lips is that her
head is sore. She is labouring under a very
severe attack of Ophthalmia Tarsa. The eye-lashes
are encrusted with purulent matter, the eye-lids
are inflamed and thickened so that she cannot
open her eyes.

" 13 Bodily health feeble condition reduced.
She slept well during the night and has taken
her food. Today at the medical visit she rolled
out of bed and fell on the floor where she lay until
lifted into bed again. She was not injured.

" 16 She was noisy during the night. Today her language
is somewhat incoherent and insolent. She sang in
such a loud voice and was so noisy disturbing all
the other patients in the ward that she had to be removed to B3.

June 1 There is no mental improvement; she is very
disorderly and at times makes use of very bad
language. Bodily health improving.

" 16 Last night between 12 & 1 o'clock the attendant hearing
a noise in the dormitory in which the patient slept
entered it and found her with a piece of wood in
her hand which she had wrenched from the bedstead
of another of ~~another~~ patients (Mrs. Kelly) whom she
had severely injured. The floor of the room was soiled
with blood and Mrs. Kelly was severely cut about the
head; and her body, arm and hands were much bruised
and discoloured. She threatened to kill her and also
take the lives of the other two who slept in the same
dormitory with her. Today she is still very violent and
threatening.

July 3 She is still very threatening in her language
and she vomits a great deal of her food.

" 18 She has been prescribed Hydrocyanic Acid 10 drops
three times daily in water but the vomiting still continues.

August 7 There is now almost no vomiting and she
has been pretty quiet for some days.

September 3 She continues quiet takes her food well and
is much improved both bodily and mentally.

September

October

Admitted 12th May 1865

September 25 She is quiet and orderly, is in very good bodily health and condition and is very well mentally.

October 4 She was today dismissed. —

Cured.

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May 17

Was brought today by her brother to the Asylum from 146 West Larkham Street, Glasgow and admitted as a Chronic Patient.

She is thirty six years of age, single, was formerly occupied as a Lady's Maid, and belongs to the Free Church of Scotland.

This is the second attack of insanity and has lasted under four months. During the present attack she was for two months in Bailbreich Asylum near Bath and lately for some time at home but was there found unmanageable. During her former attack which occurred in 1853 she was under treatment in Morningside Asylum. The cause of insanity is said to be too much thought about religion, but there is hereditary tendency, her father having been in Morningside Asylum 16 years ago. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others.

Prior to admission she talked constantly and incoherently; she fancied she knew every person upon the streets, said she crossed Niagara Falls in Blenheim's barrow and imagined she had visited various Foreign Countries although she never was abroad. She thought her friends were conspiring against her, that they found fault with her eyesight walk &c. has a great dislike to all her family, and threatened to strangle her mother with a poker, and to hang or drown herself.

On admission she talks continually, thinks she knows every one and gives them a name. She mentions the same delusions as above noted and says she was in Grant's Army and in the fight with him in New York four and a half years ago.

Physically health feeble; condition reduced.

18 During the night she slept only two hours, was very noisy, ran up & down the ward (bpy) and coughed a good deal. Today she has eaten sparingly, is as talkative as ever, and mistakes identity.

19 Last night she was violent to the attendant and swore before going to bed. During the night she was restless, noisy & slept none, and dirtied the walls of her room with urine and some black substance. Today she is as talkative as ever; she says that last night she thought she was made of crystal, and that she was away on Loch Lomond with Mr. Bonolton North fishing.

June 1

She is restless noisy and troublesome. Her talk is very absurd and generally incoherent. She is often restless at night and two nights ago she broke her hair brush in pieces.

22

For some time past she has been quieter and slept better at night. She is still disorderly during the day and her language is very insolent and coarse, and often quite incoherent.

July 23

Since last report she has improved very much; she is quiet, orderly and industrious; and is now almost well.

August 7

She was today dismissed—

Cured.

Admitted 17th May 1865

Mary Ryan

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May 20

Was brought to the Asylum today from the Eastern Police Office, Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish.

This is at least the second attack of insanity and has lasted a few days, cause unknown.

During her former attack she was treated in Barnhill Lunatic Asylum from 5th Oct till 31 Dec.

1883. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. There is no known hereditary tendency.

She is twenty one years of age, single, is Roman Catholic, and was formerly employed as a millworker.

Prior to admission she maintained that she was a Nun, and that her place of residence is in St. Mary's Chapel, and that she was married to a Roman Catholic Priest. She was in some way silent for hours and answer not a question.

On admission she is very quiet and slow to speak, but replies to questions quite coherently. She says this is the third day since she was taken to the Police Office, and that she was taken there from St. Mary's R.C. Chapel; says that she has no home, and that the house she lived in was not her home, and that she left off work two months ago because it was too heavy for her.

Her delusions are the same as before admission—she fancies she is a Nun and says she has been so for two years, and says she is married to a R.C. Priest named Mr. Chubb on Italian. She has she says been in this country five years.

bodily health and condition good.

" 21

She slept well during the night and has taken her food. She is quiet and never speaks, but when spoken to.

" 24

She is still and very quiet, and employs her time knitting. Delusions unchanged.

June 19

She is still delirious, and has become somewhat irritable and anxious to get away. She blames the clergy as being the cause of her confinement in the Asylum.

July 18

She is very irritable and abusive in her language, and says that those who keep her here will be cursed. She says she should get a nail put through her hand to be made like Him.

August 7

Today she is very excited, demanding her own clothes and threatening to run away.

September 1

She is very stubborn and taciturn. She will give no reply to anything said to her although she seems quite capable of understanding.

October 12

She is still taciturn and at times refuses her food. Bodily health & condition pretty good.

November 6

She never speaks nor raises her eyelids to look at any thing; at times she will sit up in her clothes and at other times she has to be prevented from undressing herself.

December 8

She is as taciturn as ever. Today she attempts to strangle herself by tying a handkerchief round her neck and twisting it with her hands.

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May 26

Was brought to the Asylum today from Loran Workhouse and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Loran Parish.

She is thirty seven years of age, single, is a Protestant, and was formerly employed as a Muslin Sewer &c

This is the first attack of insanity, and is said to have lasted a few days, the cause is unknown but is supposed to be hereditary, a brother being at present a patient in the Asylum. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others.

Prior to admission she was incoherent in her conversation, and had various delusions. She said that people were poisoning her, that they laid poison at her door for her to take, that it was put into her food, and that all this was done on account of her religion. Says she is persecuted and has to shift from place to place to escape her enemies.

On admission she seems weak minded and at times wanders in her conversation. She smiles and talks freely of her delusions - says the Gilmore Hill folks gave her poison, that it was put into her tea and that some of it ran over on to the table which she took to the Police Office to get the bottle to test. - says she thinks it was antimony and that it made her ill but not sick. She also talks of her fellow workers having forged her name to a thirty pound, and then burnt it.

Physically healthy and constitution ordinary.

27

She slept well during the night, and has taken her food. Today she is employed making shirts.

June 9

Since admission she has been quiet and orderly till this morning when in consequence of her delusions she became excited and threatened to destroy herself with a pair of scissors. She says that the Gilmore Hill folks and some young men from Pottuck who wished to poison her are in the Asylum.

July 18

She is full of delusions especially about poison and things connected with the church. At times she is very excited and threatening.

August 7

There is no mental improvement, she takes an ill will at other patients in consequence of her delusions, and today called another patient a bad woman.

September 4

She continues to be delusive and is incessantly subject to paroxysms of violent excitement.

October 20

For some time past she was quiet and was about to go to the street last night; during the singing she became very excited, threw her hands above her head screamed and cried out this is the house of the devil.

November 20

She has been quiet since last report, says there is nothing wrong with her mind and is very anxious to get away. She is very delusive. Physically healthy ordinary.

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June 16

Was brought to the Asylum today by her son in law from 2 Norfolk Court Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is forty nine years, widowed, has one daughter and belongs to the United Presbyterian Church.

This is the third attack of insanity has lasted ten days and the cause is said to be unknown, but her father was insane. During her first attack which occurred about seventeen years ago she was under treatment in this Asylum. When the second attack occurred she was confined in Tronanto Asylum for a few days and then in Garmagh Asylum for about seven months. She is said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others but threatened to strike her relatives.

Prior to admission she was much excited and fancied that her friends were trying to poison her, she complained greatly of her head, conversed with the dead and said that fairies worked magic upon her.

On admission she was rather talkative but her language was quite coherent. She asked for several persons who had formerly been connected with the Asylum, said that when at home she had fought with her relatives and said that she would also fight here.

June 17 She is in good bodily health and condition. She was put to bed last night in the topy. but slept none about 3 o'clock in the morning she became so excited and threatening she had to be removed to a strong room. Today she fancies that her relatives and a number of acquaintances whom she names are in the Asylum.

June 21 Last night she tore the straw out of her mattress and slept none. Today she is very restless singing and dancing, and threatening violence towards the other patients.

July 13 She is very disorderly and unmanageable, last night she threw her urine about the walls of her room.

August 7 She is now excited and violent, last night she again destroyed her room with urine.

September 18 She is delirious, incoherent and very disorderly. Last night she had rubbed the walls of her room with her excrements and urine.

October 15 She is now cleanly in her habits, but is still very delirious and stumbling in conversation. A tumor on the right side of her neck is getting larger and painful. She says it has been operated on before by Dr. Jowett & Dr. Lyon.

November 6 At present she is quiet; for the last two days she has taken no food on account of the swelling and pain of the tumor. She would not allow it to be touched but today it has burst and discharged a large quantity of putrid pus.

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June 20

Was brought to the Asylum today from 17 Spring Street Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is sixteen years of age, single is a Protestant and was formerly occupied as a servant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted about six months, and the cause is unknown, she is dangerous to others, but not suicidal. There is no hereditary tendency.

Her mother says that the attack commenced about six months ago when she was sewing with her sister and that the symptoms have gradually increased. She began to be sullen and at times insolent; when asked to do anything she would bid whoever asked her to do it themselves. About six weeks ago she had to be taken home, having become quite unmanageable, refusing to dress herself and being also destructive, tearing her dress and knocking about the furniture, she also ill-used the children.

On admission she is quiet and can hardly be got to reply to any questions, but what she says is quite coherent.

She is in good bodily health and condition.

" 21

She was quiet during the night but slept only about two hours. Today she would not take her breakfast, could be got to speak and is often inclined to cry.

" 28

She is very restless and her language is somewhat incoherent. She often interferes with the other patients and is in danger of being injured.

July 17

She is quiet and sleeps well at night. During the day she is mischievous and disorderly in her habits.

August 4

She has improved since last report, continues to sleep well at night, and assists in the work of the day room.

" 19

She continues to improve. She has menstruated for the first time the discharge was normal.

September 1

She is not so well as she was at last report; she is somewhat insolent and not inclined to do any work.

October 9

Since last report she has improved; she is daily employed assisting in the work of the gallery. She is very anxious to know when she is to get home.

November 8

She was today dismissed.
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June 24

Was brought to the Asylum today from 318 Gallowgate Street and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City of Glasgow. She is twenty six years of age, single, is a protestant and was formerly occupied as a domestic servant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted two weeks and the cause is unknown, she is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others, and there is no hereditary tendency.

Eight days ago she left her home in Kilmunming and traveled to Glasgow. She went to a friend's home in Gallowgate Street where she arrived with her clothes all wet and dirty. She again left her friend's house on the evening following and returned in the morning in the same state. She was very restless and sleepless, and destroyed and burned her clothing. At times she was quiet and talked coherently about her times she was in business and delusive, - fancied that there was vanity and dishonesty about her clothes, and said she would never send a letter by post because Jesus had never done it. Yesterday and today she has taken almost no food.

On admission she is quiet and rather depressed, she is somewhat disinclined to converse, but what she says is quite coherent and she says she knows quite well that she is in an Asylum.

26 Her health and condition ordinary. She has been quiet, taken her food, and slept well at night. She has altered since admission some rather considerably, but today is employed sewing.

July 1

She is delusive and her language is somewhat incoherent. She very often refuses food and has to be fed by means of the stomach pump.

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She still refuses to take her food and continues to be fed by means of the stomach pump. This morning she would not put on her clothes and while being dressed by an attendant, she attacked and struck her on the face it was found necessary to dress her in canvas and put her in a room.

August 7

She has now for some time taken her food freely, but is inclined to be a great deal in bed. Her language is wandering and somewhat incoherent.

September 9

She constantly complains of headache and is at times very incontinent.

October 3

Last night she was very disorderly going into other patients' beds and annoying them; after being rebuked by the nurse she seized a chamberpot & struck her with it.

November 18

She is incontinent but is delusive and very irritable. Her health ordinary.

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June 28

Was brought to the Asylum today by her father and uncle from 46 Washington Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is 25 years of age, single, was formerly employed as a milliner and belongs to the United Presbyterian Church.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted three weeks, and the cause is disappointment in love. She is suicidal, but not very dangerous to others, having attempted to bite when restrained. There is no hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was extremely violent in her conduct and had to be kept constantly under restraints. She would take no food, fancying it was poisoned, and imagined that every one was her enemy. She was restless and sleepless and on the night before admission twice attempted to jump over the window and is said to have required five persons to restrain her.

On admission her arms were fixed to her sides by means of a handkerchief tied round them and passing behind her back. She was quiet and had a depressed and melancholy aspect. She said little, but her language was quite coherent; when asked to do anything she always said she would do it if it was right. On the dorsal aspect of the right hand there is an incised wound measuring about an inch in length with several scratches, caused by her smashing out glass.

She is in pretty good bodily health and condition.

" 29

She was quiet and slept well during the night; in the afternoon she became restless and very excited, rushing wildly from place to place.

She was so unmanageable that she had to be sedated.

" 30

She will take no food and it has been found necessary to feed her by means of the stomach pump which she resisted very much. She cannot be by any means induced to speak.

July 3

Yesterday and the day previous it was found necessary to feed her through the nose, on account of her keeping her jaws so firmly locked that they could not be opened. She is losing strength and becoming much exhausted from excitement.

" 19

Since last report she has been almost constantly confined to bed, and has received the greater part of her food by means of the stomach pump, sometimes through the nose and sometimes by the mouth. For the last two days she has taken her food well, has been out of bed and employed pulling berries in the garden. At the medical visit she stands and looks out of the window and cannot be got to look round, nor speak.

August 7

She is constantly in bed and does not speak to or look at any one. She urinates herself and gets all her food by means of the stomach pump.

September 18

She is still confined to bed and is often wet and dirty. She allows the attendants to feed her but never speaks nor does anything for herself.

Admitted 28th June 1865

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October 26

There has been no change since last report till today when she would not take her food from the attendant, and had to be fed by means of the S. pump.

November 9

Since last report she has received all her food by means of the Stomach Pump till today, when she eat her food, but would not put forward her hands to take it. She is always confined to bed and constantly wets herself. Bodily health feeble.

26

She has been fed four times by means of the stomach pump since last report. She has not spoken a single word for upwards of four months, but last night she rose out of bed and eat a biscuit with the attendant and said she would like to get home just now.

December 19

She is extremely uncleanly in her habits, wets her bed every night and last she got out of bed decorated herself and then going to bed pursued her practices in it. Would not speak.

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January 17

Continues very filthy in her habits. Four days ago she had an attack of vomiting and purging and put up a little blood, but is now better and talks of being very hungry. She eat very irregularly.

February 14

Wet every night in bed. She is very troublesome during the day, probably opposes everything asked of her refuses to take any medicine and her tongue is very foul.

March 23

Has been wet in bed every night and occasionally urinates freely with the exception of one night, since last report, when she was noisy and sang much.

April 18

Even more filthy than at last report. Deliberately passes her faeces in her clothes, although every convenience is made. Filthy night and day and has been lately much excited and dangerous in her conduct.

May 15

She has been again refusing all food and four days ago was fed by the stomach pump, but has now began to take her food although irregularly. She wet her bed last night, but was dry the three preceding nights.

June 19

Wet in bed every night and during the day is restless and very erratic in her conduct. She seldom speaks voluntarily except when asking for anything.

July 25

She was today taken away by her father on trial.

August 17

She was today dismissed
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July 21

Was brought to the Asylum today, by her husband, from 3 Salisbury Place Glasgow, and admitted as a private patient.

She is twenty seven years of age, Married, has received an ordinary education and belongs to the United Presbyterian Church.

This is the second attack of insanity, has lasted between seven & eight weeks, and the cause is said to be weakness consequent on a miscarriage which she had about three months prior to admission. The former attack occurred in Nov. 1864 when she was ill for a month, and treated at home. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others, there is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was very depressed and restless. Would not converse, and seldom replied to the simplest question. She had a constant desire to get out of the house, and sometimes wandered away and had to be brought back. Her husband states that she has been in bed only two out of the last six nights, and that she often falls asleep sitting in a chair. She fancies that she has got money left her and that the late Sir John Maxwell's estate belongs to her.

On admission she is quiet and seems careless about everything. She says that there is nothing the matter with her, and that she is quite happy. Often when spoken to she only replies she gives in a smile.

Bodily health and condition good.

" 22

She was restless during the night, but slept about five hours; after getting up she was constantly going to the doors and trying to get out. She has taken no food since admission and was this afternoon fed by means of the stomach pump.

" 25

She continues restless and continually tries to wander away. She still refuses food and is regularly fed by means of the stomach pump.

August 2

She kept in bed tiller last night but is still restless. She is now fed by the attendants but is somewhat unwilling to eat.

" 21

She is restless and very stubborn. Yesterday she struck one of the servants several blows on the face which caused her nose to bleed profusely.

September 12

She has to be constantly watched by an attendant to keep her from the door. She continues to be violent and when striking always aims for the face.

October 15

At present she has to be watched to prevent her rolling over on her head and leaping over the seats.

November 18

Since last report she has improved. She has now commenced to do some work. Bodily health good.

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July 22

Was brought to the Asylum today by her sister from 67 High Street, Rothersey and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Rothersey Parish.

She is twenty five years of age, single, is a Presbyterian and was formerly employed as a millworker.

This is the second attack of insanity, has lasted about two weeks and the cause is said to be grief on account of the death of her father. During her former attack she was a patient in the Asylum from 24th Nov. 1860 till 11th Jan. 1861 (see Vol. XXIII page 62). She is suicidal but not particularly dangerous to others. No hereditary predisposition.

Patient's sister states that since the death of her father which occurred in December last, she has not been so well; that about four months ago the menses were suppressed and that she has been gradually getting worse up till a fortnight ago, when she became very depressed and suicidal in her tendencies, saying she was a great sinner and desirous to die. She attempted to injure her hand with a hatchet and tried to get hold of a knife to injure herself with. For some time before admission she was uncleanly in her habits, wiping her secretions about her clothes, but she is said now to be cleanly.

On admission she has a dull, melancholy and depressed appearance, and can hardly be got to reply to any questions. She is in ordinary bodily health, but is somewhat reduced in body; the muscles being relaxed and soft and the pulse feeble.

23 She was quiet and slept a little during the night; she has taken no food since admission and was fed by means of the stomach pump.

26 She still refuses all food and is regularly fed by means of the stomach pump. She says that she is sated and does not desire food.

28 She has today taken her food herself. She is still very depressed.

August 7 She sleeps well at night and continues to take her food pretty well, but cannot be induced to do any work.

22 She sits idly all day. She takes her food pretty well & her bodily health has improved.

September 9 She is still depressed. She has not altered since admission. She has been ordered by Dr. Ferrié in half ounce doses, three times daily.

November 26 Today she refused her food saying that she did not deserve it. During the previous month she had improved and was induced to do a little work.

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July 24

Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Workhouse and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is thirty six years of age, Widowed, was formerly employed as a millworker, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity is said to have lasted four weeks and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal, but not dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

She was an inmate of Govan Workhouse for some time before admission where she was incoherent and had paroxysms of excitement, during which she tore her clothes to pieces. She had delusions about being lost and having committed some heinous crime, and also refused food.

On admission she is very restless, cannot be got to remain for a minute in one place, but constantly wanders away. She is very depressed and says that she has killed her husband and that she should be put in jail and hanged.

She is in feeble bodily health, condition much reduced, pulse very small.

" 25

She slept for four hours last night but when awake was very restless. She will take no food and was fed by means of the stomach pump.

" 27

She continues restless and sleeps very little at night. Yesterday she stripped off all her clothes and it is found necessary to have her dressed in in canvas. She still refuses all food.

August 2

She slept well last night and today has taken her food. She is very depressed and says she should be hanged for killing her husband.

" 22

She is depressed and restless. Bodily health improving.

September 13

She generally sleeps well at night but continues depressed and restless during the day. She says that she is the bad woman and that she has done evil.

October 6

She is very suicidal; today a pin was found in her right thumb her hand; on the back of both hands there was also a number of small bleeding points caused by pressing in the pins.

November 18

There is no mental improvement; she requires to be constantly watched to prevent her from creeping under the beds and forms. She wishes to be given over to the police to be punished for her wickedness.

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August 1

Was brought to the Asylum today from 23 1/2 Castle Street Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is thirty three years of age, married has been employed as a housewife and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for nine months and the cause is unknown. She is said to be both suicidal and dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

The attack commenced by the patient's mind becoming absent, accompanied by constant muttering to herself. She then became delirious, fancied that there was a large sum of money that had been left her lying at Dublin University. She also imagined that she had been married to Lord Sargan. For three nights prior to admission she slept none and two days ago she seized a hatchet and threatened to injure her children.

On admission she is quiet and answers questions readily. Her delusions of which she speaks in a very positive manner are the same as before admission.

Her body is covered with vermin and she is affected with Prurigo extending over the whole body but chiefly upon the arms. Otherwise she is in ordinary bodily health and condition. Her youngest child which she has been suckling is three months old, and the mammae are still secreting milk.

2 She slept well last night, and has taken her food. She attended to her breast hardiff. She talks quite coherently and says the Prince of Wales is a half brother of hers.

7 She is quiet, orderly and inquisitive, but very delirious. The skin eruption has more disappeared.

19 Today she was sent to the West House to assist in C. 2.

September 8

She works very well, but at times in consequence of her delusions she becomes suddenly excited, dangerous and very violent. Bodily health good.

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It has been found necessary to bring her back to the East House on account of the sudden paroxysms of excitement to which she is subject.

October 19

There is no mental improvement. She is very delirious and at times excited. She says she is Lady Sargan, and speaks of her husband as Joe Beattie.

November 3

She assists the servants in the private house. Today she became suddenly excited, scolding and striking her hand on the table. She says that when the sounder sound to her, she must sound back to them.

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August 1

Was brought to the Asylum tertiary from 10 Frederick Lane Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish. She is fifty three years of age, married, has been employed as a housewife and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for one month and the cause is intemperate habits. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Patient has been of intemperate habits for twenty years, and for the last three months she has been drinking very hard and pawning the furniture and clothing to get drink. She was also in the habit of taking Laudanum. For some time before admission she slept none at night and was violent to her relatives. She was delirious, fancied that she got poison in her food and drink, and that her husband was married to another woman.

On admission she is very talkative, and her language is extravagant, wandering, somewhat incoherent, and full of delusions. She says she is Queen of Denmark talks about her brother being King of Granada, and fancies there is large sums of money belonging to her in the West Indies. Immediately before being brought to the Asylum she drank a glass of whisky, which she vomited, and asserts that it was poison.

Her bodily health is feeble and condition reduced.

2 She slept little last night, and only for about fifteen minutes at a time. Today she is quiet and has eaten little.

7 She now sleeps well at night and takes her food pretty well. She is still very delirious.

September 1 She makes herself very useful in the gallery. Her conversation is rambling and extravagant and full of delusion.

" 15 She has been sent over to the West House to assist the servant at the door.

October 8 She is very industrious but her conversation is rambling and she is very delirious. She says that she is higher than the Queen of Denmark and that she has relations in every country in Europe.

November 13 There is no mental improvement. She talks of large sums of money which she is to get, and about Estates and Castles which she is going to give away.

She works well but her health is feeble.

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August 8

Was brought to the Asylum today from
L. Eglington Lane and admitted as a pauper
patient, chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is thirty four years of age, married
has a family and belongs to the Free
Church.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted one week, and the cause is said to be
religious. She is both suicidal and dangerous
to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was much depressed,
said her sins were so great that her soul was
lost; that she should be hung and wished
to die. When left alone for a few minutes she
was found in possession of a razor and appar-
ently intent on cutting her children's throats; and
on the night before admission attempted to
strangle her husband.

On admission she was labouring under
great dyspnoea and palpitation of the heart, and
almost fainted in the waiting room. She was
taken up stairs and put to bed in the Infy.

After being put to bed she became much
excited; fancied that another patient who was
being fed was being poisoned, said she heard
her children's voices in the next room and
would not keep in bed. Her cheeks and lips
were livid, and the pulse was very frequent and
intermittent, but on account of her restlessness
a very particular examination of the chest could
not be made. Upon percussing however an abnormal
clearness of sound was detected all over the chest,
any dullness to indicate the region of the heart
not being found. From the examination that has
been made, it is evident she is labouring under
organic disease of the heart complicated with
Emphysema of the lungs.

" 9 Last night she slept none, was restless, coughed
a great deal and expectorated much purulent matter
with blood.

" 11 She continues sleepless, is at times much
excited and noisy and has always to be propped
up in bed in consequence of urgent dyspnoea. Her
face and legs have become oedematous and she
has been ordered to have a diuretic and also
Spt. Nod. $\mathfrak{z}\text{iv}$ daily.

" 15 She slept for three hours last night, but she
is gradually becoming weaker. Her belly is much
swollen and emits a tympanic sound on percussion.

" 17 The dyspnoea is very great, and the heart
action is so feeble that the pulse at the wrist can
with difficulty be detected.

" 19 Since last report she has been gradually sinking
and this morning shortly after 12 o'clock she
Died.

" 21 A post mortem examination of the body was
made today.

Admitted 8th August 1885

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August 21 Thorax

On the thorax being opened a large quantity of serum was found in the cavities of both pleurae and in the pericardium. The cavities of the heart were found to be completely filled with clots of dark venous blood, and the mitral valve and cordae tendineae were cartilaginous and an earthy deposit was found in them. The lungs were in a state of great congestion and partly emphysematous on the anterior aspect.

Abdomen

The abdominal viscera were quite healthy but there was a large quantity of serum in the cavity of the peritoneum.

Lower Extremities

The legs and feet were very oedematous

1865 Janet Aird or Armstrong Oct 30

August 12

Was brought to the Asylum today from 34 Clydefield Street Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the Leith Parish.

She is thirty years of age, married, was formerly employed as a steam iron weaver and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one week and the cause is said to be the burning of an infant child which died in consequence. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Her husband who accompanied her to the Asylum says that her mind has been more or less affected ever since the burning of her child three years ago; that about a week she had a quarrel with her neighbours, and that five days ago she became incoherent and maniacally excited. For the last five days she has slept none except for an hour on the night before admission, and for the same length of time she has taken almost no food. At times she was quiet and at other times very excited.

On admission she was quiet and answered questions coherently but her memory is much impaired. She cannot tell the age of her child and has to be asked questions several times before giving any reply. Her body was dirty and covered with vermin and there were several marks of discoloration on her arms and legs caused by restraining her while excited.

bodily health and constitution ordinary

" 13

Yesterday she refused all food and had to be fed by means of the stomach pump. She was quiet till 4 o'clock, when she became much excited, after a time she became quiet and slept for about two hours. Today she still refused food & was fed.

" 22

She has for some days taken her food herself but is stupid, confused and restless.

September 1

She is still restless and confused, wanders about and when spoken to seems not to comprehend what is said to her.

" 18

There is little or no mental improvement, she sometimes asks to be let away.

October 6

She is quite demented she tears her clothes, and when spoken to, seems not to be aware she is doing it.

November 7

She now sleeps well at night and has commenced to work a little but she is absent in mind and has to be constantly directed.

Admitted 12th August 1885

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1865 Catherine Baird Miller or Currie 1865

August 21

She was brought to the Asylum today from 110 Castlbank Street, Partick by a Police Constable and other two men and admitted as a private patient.

She is forty three years of age, married, is a shopkeeper and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is set down as her second attack of insanity, the former attack having occurred eight years ago, but she is known to have been at least three times previously in the Asylum. The present attack has lasted thirteen days, and the cause is said to be premature birth, spachill and loss of blood. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal, and a sister is said to have been insane.

Thirteen days ago her husband returning from his work found her lying on the floor with a large quantity of blood about her and also a premature child beside her. Since then she has been maniacally excited and before admission was violent and destructive, talked constantly and incoherently, abusing and swearing at all around her, for several nights she has slept none and has taken little or no food.

On admission she was very much excited; swearing and using abusive language towards every one she saw; she also tried to strike and when prevented kicked at any person within her reach. Her arms were much discoloured and her wrists were abraded from having been tied to restrain her before admission.

Bodily health feeble: excretion ordinary.

22

She slept little during the night; today she is kept in bed, and requires to have an attendant constantly with her. She is very restless and noisy.

September 1

She is restless, noisy and incoherent and seldom sleeps any at night.

13

She continues noisy and very disorderly. She fancies that another patient in G. S. is the General.

October 14

There is no mental improvement. She says she gets no food, curses and swears and today her language is very obscene.

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She is now quieter and sleeps better at night she is still somewhat disorderly and says she can get no food.

November 6

She was today taken home by her husband and dismissed.

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August 26

Was brought to the Asylum today from
Bro. Lane, to Dannel Greenock and admitted as
a pauper patient, chargeable to Greenock Parish.

She is forty five years of age, Widowed
was formerly employed as a Housekeeper, is a
Roman Catholic and can neither read nor write.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted four weeks and the cause is unknown.
She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. She
had a sister insane.

Prior to admission she was delusional - fancied
that people watched her while she followed her
occupation. She fancied that the Captain of the
"Tamar" wanted to throw her over board, and that
he stopped the Steamer to do so but was prevented
by the passengers. She also imagined that she
got persons in her food and refused to eat
for some time before admission, and was violent
to her son and daughter and broke furniture. Her
daughter who accompanied her to the Asylum
says that she quarrelled and made a disturbance
in a Steamer ship and was taken to the Police
Office, where she has been for the last two days.

On admission she was at first quiet, -
mentioned the delusions stated above and also
that on the night before admission she found
men putting up a scaffold, and that there was
a rope in her cell in the Police Office, with she
was to be hung. After being put to bed she became
very restless and was violent towards the Attendants.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.

" 27

She slept none during the night and was
very violent in her conduct. Today she is restless
incoherent and very delusional.

September 1

She continues to be noisy and restless and
fancies she hears her relations about the house. She
rambles a great deal in conversation.

" 16

She is incoherent, restless and very disorderly
constantly annoying the other patients. Last night she
dirtyed her room and rubbed her night dress in it.

October 8

She is dangerous, destructive, and very disorderly
she put saliva in her hands and threw it on the
Attendants and Medical Officer. She ate a large quantity
of food and is now satisfied.

November 1

She is noisy and very destructive, often
tears her bed and body clothing last night although
she was dressed in canvas she tore the lining out
she shows the rags she makes, and fancies she is
doing work.

Admitted 26th August 1865

1865

Willie Chambers Shaw

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August 27

Was brought to the Asylum today by her son from Gowanbank Villa Maryhill and admitted as a private patient. She is fifty six years of age, widowed, is in comfortable circumstances and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

She has had several attacks of insanity and been previously confined in Gartnavel and Morning-side Asylums. The first attack came on twenty years ago. The present attack has lasted eight days. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was excited, restless and incoherent. She slept none, wandered up and down the house night and day and talked incessantly. She also threatened to take the lives of those in the house with her.

On admission she was very restless, wandering and incoherent in her language. She had no great many demands to make but the most particular request was to have snuff and whisky.

" 30

Profil, health feeble, condition reduced. She slept pretty well during the night, but today is restless talkative and incoherent.

September 3

She is very restless and incoherent. Last night she would not keep in bed but got up and drew her bed about the room.

" 16

There is no mental improvement; she is disorderly and constantly in mischief. Last night she wet her room and today her right eye is a little inflamed.

October 16

She is disorderly and has to be dressed in canvas to keep her from denuding herself. This morning she carried away a shoe belonging to another patient and kept it rolled up in the skirt of her dress.

November 11

She is restless, incoherent, and destructive. She is constantly asking for snuff and whisky.

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Sept. 6

Was brought to the Asylum today by her brother from 54 Belongrove Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is fifty one years of age, single, formerly took charge of her brother's house and belongs to the United Presbyterian Church.

She is the first attack of insanity, has lasted six weeks, and the cause is hereditary tendency and domestic trouble. A brother of the patient destroyed himself with a pen knife. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others.

Prior to admission she was very melancholy and depressed, she said that she had committed sin and was afraid she would not be pardoned.

On the 23rd of August last she left home and walked about all night and the following day and did not come home till 8 o'clock in the evening; on Friday 25th she was found in the water closet with her throat cut, and the blood running from it. Since then she has been watched night and day to prevent her destroying herself.

On admission she was very depressed and had a melancholy look. She could with difficulty get to look up or speak, and any reply she made was in a mere whisper. The wound on her throat is in a state of granulation with a little suppuration.

Physically health feeble condition reduced.

" 7

She was quiet but slept none during the night. Today she is still very depressed but has taken her food pretty well.

" 18

Since last report she has slept well at night and was removed to G. 1. She could not sleep there on account of being afraid of something, and had to be taken back to the Infirmary.

October 3

She has had several attacks of bronchitis with cough and urgent dyspnoea. She is very depressed and constantly in bed. The wound on the throat is healed.

" 15

She is still confined to bed and has a cough. She is depressed and somewhat irritable, and says that the medicine is the cause of her cough.

November 11

The depression continues she sometimes reads her bible but will not look at any other book. She cannot be induced to get out of bed.

" 25

She has been out of bed for the last three days and has done a little sewing. She is still depressed and seldom speaks.

December 8

She is very much improved. She is very quiet but converses readily. She has still at times little attacks of dyspnoea.

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She was today dismissed.—

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Admitted 6th September 1885

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James McAllister Mc Donald Oct 63

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Sept. 12

Was brought to the Asylum today from Greenwich Police Office (Her residence was 7 New Dock Lane) and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Greenwich Parish.

She is sixty three years of age, widowed, is a Protestant and was employed as a housewife.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted eight days, and the cause is said to be drinking. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was greatly excited constantly muttering and wandering about her cell; she tore off and destroyed her clothes and was with difficulty prevented from going about in a state of nudity. The day before admission she stated that she was then married but was not present at the ceremony & two days ago was so outrageous that it was necessary to use constraint.

On admission she was rather excited and incoherent. fancied she heard the voices of her friends and persons she knew also that she saw persons who were not present and was in great dread of being injured.

Her bodily health is feeble and condition reduced; the legs and arms are much discoloured and atrophied.

" 13

She slept none during the night and was very restless and noisy.

" 18

She continues restless and noisy and seems quite bewildered. She fancies that she sees people coming out of the roof and walls of her room.

October 3

For some time past she slept well at night up till two nights ago when she became restless and noisy. Her tongue is dry and furred and she is constantly crying for water. She has been given three small alterative powders.

25

She is now quiet but her mind is weak and she is much exhausted from her former treatment.

November 11

She is now quiet and orderly and has begun to employ her time sewing in G.L., to which she has been removed.

December 12

She continues to be industrious, quiet and orderly and is now very well mentally.

" 23

She was today dismissed.

Cured.

Admitted 12th September 1885

Elizabeth Rhodes a McLelland Oct 32

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Sept. 18

Was brought to the Asylum today by her husband from 214 New City Road Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is thirty two years of age, married, is a United Presbyterian, and was formerly occupied as a Teacher.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted six years, and the cause is hereditary tendency. Her mother is eccentric and her mother's brother's brother was insane and died in an Asylum. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others.

Prior to admission she was depressed and melancholy with occasional fits of violence and excitement. At times she was absolutely taciturn. She fancied that people called her a dog and that every body was unfriendly to her. She was violent to her husband and unable to do any household duty, throwing food and other things about the house. She sucked down her child fancying he was going through the neighbours spreading false reports about her character.

On admission she was quiet and had melancholy aspect. She spoke more unless questioned, and her language then was quite coherent. She said she did not know where she was but suspected she was in an Asylum of some kind.

Bodily health feeble condition reduced. She slept little during the night but was quiet. She has taken food pretty well.

October 1

She continues depressed and melancholy but has not been excited since admission. She employs her time sewing.

" 21

This morning she was much excited and at times crying but could not tell why.

November 7

She is still very depressed but continues to be industrious. Her bodily health is feeble and she is much troubled with flatulence.

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Today she attacked another patient striking her a severe blow on the face.

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Sept. 26

She was brought to the Asylum today from Helichrennan Manse by her brother and sister and admitted as a private patient.

She is twenty nine years of age, single is a blacksmith's daughter and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is the first attack of insanity, and has lasted ten years, during part of which time she was under treatment in the Asylum. Cause unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. She had an acute insane.

Prior to admission she was violent, very puerile and incoherent constantly talking and gesticulating. Among other things she said, when her bedroom door was locked, a black ghost, the evening of souls came into the room.

On admission she was very restless and took no notice of anything that was said to her but kept constantly talking and at times springing suddenly forward and thrusting out her hand to have her pulse felt. Her language was quite incoherent, wandering and had no meaning whatever.

Bodily health indifferent condition good.

" 27

She was restless and noisy during the night and slept only two hours.

October 2

She is dirty in her habits and is violent and destructive. Yesterday she tore her dress and last night was noisy and broke a gutter porch chamber pot.

" 17

She is still at times dirty in her habits and often noisy and restless at night.

November 6

Her habits have improved but she is still dangerous; today she attacked an attendant, struck her on the face and tried to kick her.

Admitted 26th September 1876

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Catherine Murray or Bell Oct 29

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Sept. 29

Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Workhouse and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty nine years of age, married, formerly resided at 13 Cumberland Lane, and is a Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted three days and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was excited, incoherent and refused food. She had delusions - fancied that her child had been murdered, that her neighbours had conspired against her and that her husband was an evil spirit. While in Govan Workhouse she was violent and destructive; she chewed her prayer book to pieces and attempted to bite those about her.

On admission she was very restless and obstinate, she rubbed her body to & fro and kept constantly repeating the words - Blessed Jesus and Blessed Virgin. She said there was nothing wrong with her mind, would not allow herself to be called Bell and said that that name had been her ruin.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.

" 30

She only slept about an hour last night. She has taken nothing since admission and today was fed by means of the Stomach Pump.

October 1

She continues to refuse food, saying that she does not require it. She resists so much that it is found necessary to feed her through the nostrils by means of the Stomach Pump.

" 13

She has now commenced to eat her food, but will only take certain things; persisting that she does not require food.

November

She now takes the ordinary diet of the House but is very obstinate and contradictory. She says that there is nothing wrong with her mind and that she should never have been here.

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Last night she became excited, attacked and tore the night dress of another patient and attempted to bite her. Today she is still excited and dangerous.

Admitted 29th September 1885

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Sept. 30

Was brought to the Asylum today from 78 Old Bannock and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City of Glasgow. She is twenty four years of age, married, was formerly occupied as a boot binder, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted ten days, cause stated as unknown but she is much reduced from suckling her infant child. She is neither suicidal, nor dangerous to others. Nothing is known as to hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission her looks were dull and melancholy; she said she was to be burned in hell fire for not being good to her husband; that she has seen the devil and that he says that she is to be punished by him.

On admission she had a dull absent expression of countenance and could not begin to look up or speak. She was in a wretched condition with dirt and vermin so much so that it was found necessary to have her head shaved and all her clothes burned.

Bodily health feeble. Condition reduced, and she is very anaemic.

October 1

She was very restless during the night. Her breasts were hard but she had them forwarded and they are now softer.

" 11

Last night she became excited, cursed and sworn, and sang loud songs, and was so noisy that she had to be removed from the Infirmary to room.

" 18

She has not been excited since last report, but otherwise there is little improvement. She sits all day with her head bent forward, never speaks and seems to have no desire whatever.

November 10

There is little change mentally. Her bodily health and condition are much improved.

December 5

She is depressed and listless, speaks none, takes fits of crying often, and sits with her face in her hands supported on the table.

Admitted 30th September 1885

1865

October, 1st

Was brought to the Asylum today from Warthill by the Inspector of Poor Shotts and admitted as a Pauper Patient.

She is fifty five years of age, single, was formerly employed as a shop-keeper and sewer and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for six months and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was delusive; fancied a murdered babe was in her house, that she continually heard its wailing, and that her neighbours had serious intentions of doing her great wrong. She was very restless, frequently wandered at night to Warthill Schoolhouse where she thought she heard sounds of murder coming from, but could see nothing.

On admission she was restless and very anxious to get away, she said she had no need to be here for she was able and willing to work for herself. She does not talk about her delusions but when spoken to about them says that she heard sounds both day and night and that she was subject to headaches.

Bodily health ordinary; condition good.

" 5 She was quiet, but often awakes during the night. She has taken her food well and is now employed knitting.

" 11 She slept more last night on account of hearing cays as if from some person being illured.

" 23 She is quiet, orderly and very industrious, but is often annoyed both night and day by sounds which she fancies she hears.

November Today she says she shakes the house is coming down, because she hears such loud noises in different places. She is in good bodily health.

" 25 She is irritable today and anxious to get away she quarreled with the attendant and told her that she made a god of her keys.

December She is often much annoyed at night with cays as if people being murdered. She is industrious and generally quiet and orderly. Bodily health good.

Admitted 14th October 1875

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October 7

Was brought to the Asylum today from Allow
Parish of Loudoun, Ayrshire, by the Proprietor
of 100, and admitted as a Pauper Patient.

She is sixty seven years of age, widowed,
was formerly occupied as a spinster, and
belongs to the Established Church of Scotland.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted one week, and the cause is Fear of Poverty.
She is suicidal, but not dangerous to others.
No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was peevish and selfish
and her memory was completely gone, she could not
remember the day of the week nor any event, however
recent its occurrence. She was afraid of coming to
work and always went about in rags although she
had plenty of bed and body clothes in the house.
She frequently threatened to destroy herself, and
on Sunday last told her brother that he would
never see her again, that she was wretched and
could not live. A few days before admission she
threw herself into an old pit containing fourteen
feet of water and was rescued - nearly drowned.

On admission she talked in a silly and
wandering manner, and could give little or no
account of herself. Her legs and arms were much
discoloured but no fractured bones could be
detected. She says that the discolourations were
caused by people pulling her up out of a hole
with strings.

Bodily health feeble, condition reduced.

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She has been confined to bed since admission, but
she takes her food pretty well. She is always quiet
at the Medical visits but at other times she occasionally
uses bad language towards the attendants.

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She is weak minded and talks in a silly
childish manner. She is generally quiet and orderly.

November 1

There is no change whatever. When spoken to
her answer always is - I am just about it.

December 13

She is very weak minded, easily agitated, and
seems to be incapable of doing any work.

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Since last report she has been confined to bed
from having caught a cold; her throat is very much
inflamed upon the left side and she has great
difficulty in swallowing. It has been swabbed several
times with a solution of Aegest. but with no success.

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October 7

Was brought to the Asylum today by the Inspector of Poor Southwark from the Parochial Lodging House Alexandria and admitted as a Pauper patient.

She is stated to be sixty years of age but looks younger, is single, a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Mintfield Worker.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted eight days, and the cause is said to be violent bad temper. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Nothing is known of her relations; she is a native of Ireland.

Prior to admission she was wandering in her habits, and when spoken to replied in very obscene language. Her conduct was violent and she threatened to injure the Patients of the Parochial Lodging House with a knife.

On admission her language is rambling and full of delusion. She cannot tell her age and can give very little account of herself. She says that while in the Parochial Lodging House that they gave her boiling mineral to drink which caused all her skin to become black, badly leath and condition ordinary.

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Since admission she has taken her food and slept well. Today she is restless, says that her head was squeezed by something last night, that she has no business here and must get away.

" 15

She is weak minded and rambling in conversation is at times irritable and anxious to get away.

November 9

She is delusional and very weak minded and cannot be induced to do any work.

December 12

She is very indolent in her habits, stands at and looks out of the window the greater part of the day and is very weak minded and irritable.

She says that there is a lassie from Southwark outside the window crying about her companion and that she will get her poisoned.

Admitted 7th October 1875

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October 16

Was brought to the Asylum today by Mr. Black her former employer from 1165 Nelson St. Trade-street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is forty years of age, married, was formerly employed as a domestic servant and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted two months, and the cause is said to be unknown, but it would seem that she has not been altogether well since the birth of her child in April last. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was restless and excited, moving about the house in her night dress and laughing and speaking to herself. She was dangerous to herself and others, illused her step-daughter and destroyed articles in the house, and when prevented from doing as she wished, she became violent and threatening and cried at the top of her voice.

On admission she was restless and stupid constantly moved her body from side to side and talked incoherently. Her body and limbs were much discoloured, the second phalanx of the little toe of the right foot was fractured - the tissues around it swollen, and there were two wounds on the left arm the result of burns.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.

" 17 She slept a little during the night and was quiet today she is restless and talkative.

" 20 Since last report she has been restless and had to sleep in a room at night. Last night she tore up her bed and bedcover, there was blood on the floor and walls of her room, her face was discoloured and swollen but no wounds were found on her body.

November 3 She continues restless, noisy & incoherent, and often wets herself both by night and day.

" 25 Since last report there has been symptoms of Paralysis. She has had two deep doses of Tincture of Cantharides combined with Mist. Dec. Tonic. And also Extract of Belladonna in half grain doses in the form of draughts, but the Enuresis still continues.

December 7 She has not wet herself for the last four nights. She walks up and down the gallery in a state approaching dementia, is curious to know everything that is going on and laughs in a silly manner when spoken to.

" 15 This morning about 9 o'clock she had an epileptic seizure with violent convulsions, vomiting and bleeding at the nose. The attack lasted about two and a half hours.

" 17 She had a slight seizure yesterday and one today, they have left her mind much impaired. She can comprehend nothing said to her, but when spoken to repeats the same word again and again.

Admitted 16th October 1885

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October 14

Was brought to the Asylum today from Alexandria by the Inspector of Poor Bonhill and admitted as a pauper patient.

She is thirty one years of age, single was formerly employed as a print field Worker and belongs to the Free Church.

This is the second attack of insanity has lasted six days and the cause is put down the former attack occurred three years ago and passed over without treatment. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was very excited would not remain at home and required restraints. She also talked constantly and was quite incoherent.

On admission she was very restless, stupid and excited. She kept constantly moaning and talking and seemed to know nothing whatever of her position. In the midst of her wailing she would often say that she was the child of God, that she had formerly resided in the Beattie Church, and that she came here to get married.

Physically health feeble condition reduced. and on her legs there a large number of discolorations.

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She was very restless during the night and could not be kept in bed. She was therefore covered in canvas to keep her warm. She had an attack of diarrhoea which has been checked by Antiseptics.

" 25

She is stupid, restless and sleeps very little. Yesterday she was violent kicking and striking the attendants.

" 30

She is now quiet and altogether greatly improved but her conversation is wandering; she says that she came here to get married.

November 1

Since last report she has relapsed. She is restless and stupid won't lie in bed at night and has to be dressed in canvas to keep her warm.

December 6

She is not so stupid but is still very restless constantly moaning as if in pain, is incoherent in her language and disorderly in her conduct.

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January 13

This morning she is very stupid and required two women to dress her and it was found necessary to put on lockfast gloves to prevent her demanding herself.

Admitted 19th October 1875

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October 23

Was brought to the Asylum today from Stirling Prison by the Inspector of Poor Law and admitted as a Pauper Patient.

She is fifty nine years of age, single, was formerly employed as a domestic servant and mill worker and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, duration unknown, cause intemperance. She is said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she had a maniacal aspect and was constantly in a state of great mental excitement talking incessantly and incoherently. She fancied that twenty young women led on by some married women were conspiring against her. She had been three times before the present in Prison for breaches of the peace.

On admission she was somewhat restless and excited, and very talkative. Her language was wandering and incoherent and full of plots against her. She said that there was nothing wrong with her mind, but that the Sheriff of Stirlingshire & Mr. Johnston Inspector of Poor were against her. She was sure.

Bodily health feeble; condition reduced.

" 26

She laughed and talked to herself during the night and was incoherent to the night nurse. After getting out of bed she refused to wash or dress herself.

November 2

She now employs a good deal of her time sewing. She is delirious and rambles in conversation.

" 16

Since last report she has become decidedly interfering with the management of the other patients. She was noisy all last night, and today she is excited and her language quite incoherent.

" 23

Today she was quite maniacal, turning her head, body, and arms in all directions, and would not keep on her clothes. She had to be dressed in canvas and put into a room.

December 2

She is now much quieter and sleeps pretty well at night, but is still restless and disorderly in her conduct and incoherent in her language.

Admitted 23^d October 1865

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November 11

Was brought to the Asylum today by her brother from Bowling and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is thirty nine years of age, single, is a Teacher and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted under a month, and the cause is over-mental exertion. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was melancholy and depressed and subject to violent paroxysms of excitement. She also seemed very suspicious and had an eager wish to die - said that she was an awful sinner and fancied that her soul was lost beyond redemption.

On admission she was depressed and miserable, said that she was the most wicked woman in the world, that she had not done her duty, and that she could not live and was unable to die. She fancied that the newspapers were filled with reports of her awful crime, and asked if the Rev Mr. McGregor of the New Church had not told her wicked she was.

bodily health feeble; condition reduced.

" 12

She was quiet but slept none during the night. Today she is anxious to know if her friends were calling to inquire for her and says she thinks they will never come to see her.

" 14

Today she is very unhappy; she slept none during the night. Being afraid another patient was going to sit fire to the house. She has pain in voiding urine, which is scanty and high colored, with a large deposit on standing.

" 25

Since last report she has had a diarrhea, with hot hip back and suppositories at night. The urine is now more healthy and abundant. She is improved mentally, slept well last night and for the last two days has employed her time sewing a little.

December 5

She did not sleep well last night but can assign no cause for it. She continues to improve in daily employment sewing and is anxious to know what Dr. Mackintosh thinks of her case.

" 13

She is now very well mentally, she has also improved very much in her bodily health and condition since admission.

" 19

She was today dismissed. —
Cured.

Admitted 11th November 1865

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November

Was brought to the Asylum today by her husband from 37 St Andrew Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is seventy years of age, married, is the wife of an Insurance Agent and factor and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is about the fortieth attack of insanity has lasted about three months, and the cause is intemperance. She is very suicidal and dangerous to others. Her father committed suicide.

She has been at least thirty-four times previously in this Asylum (see Vol. XXIII page 324). At this time she has been away an unusually long period, having been dismissed on 13th April last. Her husband had taken a country house and used every means to wane her from her bad habits but without any ultimate good effect.

Before admission she was perfectly furious; striking all around her and threatened to take away her husband's life. She also threatened to commit suicide by taking arsenic and other means. Her husband's face was bleeding from an attack she had made upon him while bringing her to the Asylum.

On admission she was in a tremulous, confused state. She said she was a patient that there was nothing wrong with her mind, and was violent to all around her.

Physically health feeble; condition reduced.

" 19

She was quiet during the night, but slept none and was very thirsty. Today she is confined to bed is very tremulous and has taken very little food.

December 2

She has been quiet and employed her time sewing for some days. Today she is confined to bed on account of having a slight attack of bronchitis.

Admitted 18th November 1865

Margaret Mc Kenzie Robertson Oct 31

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November 20

Was brought to the Asylum today from 249 Gallowgate Street Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish. She is thirty one years of age, married, was formerly occupied as a House-wife and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted ten days, and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Her husband who came with her to the Asylum says that since the death of her child in February last she has been depressed and that her mind has been getting weak; that for the last ten days she has slept none, and for three or four days has taken nothing but a little coffee.

She said that she was a great sinner, and that she tried to go out at the window and to set the bed on fire but could not tell why. She was very restless and her conversation was interrupted by incoherent utterances.

On admission she was depressed, nervous and agitated; and seemed to be in great distress of mind and gave no reply when spoken to. When she was given her supper she would not eat, saying she could not for there was something in her throat. She was fed by means of the stomach pump.

Bodily health very feeble: condition reduced.

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During the night she was very restless and slept none. Today she refused food and was again fed by means of the stomach pump.

• 30

She takes her food pretty well. She is nervous, childish and afraid of bodily injury. Today she fancied her head is to be cut off and legs to be spared.

December 5

She has slept well for the last three nights but is restless during the day and in continual dread of bodily injury.

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Admitted 20th November 1865

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December 1

Was brought to the Asylum today from 1, Bright Street Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is thirty four years of age, single, was employed as a millworker and is a Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity, duration not down as one week and cause unknown.

She is dangerous to others but not suicidal.

No known hereditary tendency.

The brother who accompanied her to the Asylum says that she has not been well mentally for upwards of three years. He says that she worked in the Glasgow Mill Downhead along with her sister that she was very irritable and threatened to strike her sister with a knife which she used at her work, would not attend to her work, and terrified all the other workers. She has not been at work for the last three days.

She laboured under the delusion that her grandfather who has been dead many years appeared to her two days ago, and that he has left her twenty seven pounds a year for life. On account of the above delusion she refused to work.

On admission she was excited and incoherently scolding and threatening all sorts of violence. She could give no proper account of herself, said she was forty four years of age because she was born on Good Friday or Saint Patrick's Day and her whole conversation was very rambling.

Physical health feeble; condition reduced.

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She slept five hours during the night. This morning she was moody, but is now quiet and has taken her food well.

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She is quiet and works during the day, at night she sleeps very little and often makes a noise by sing a number of songs.

Admitted 1st December 1865

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December 4

Was brought to the Asylum today from 35 Canon Street Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is twenty four years of age, single, was occupied as a sewer and is a Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one month and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. Nothing is known of her relations.

Prior to admission she was depressed, restless and incoherent in her language. Her parents are dead and she lived with Peter Waters and his wife at 35 Canon Street whom she called Uncle and Aunt, and earned a living by sewing. The account they give of her is that six years ago she was taken into a convent at St. Mary's R.C. Chapel Abercromby Street Glasgow and lived there for five years and that since she has been depressed.

For a month past she has been very restless, unable to do any work and slept little at night, for the last four nights slept none, has taken no food for three days, two days ago threw herself over a two story window from which she received severe bodily injury.

On admission she seemed to be in great distress of body and mind. She was unable to walk on account of the injuries she had sustained in falling from the window and had to be carried in. She kept repeating a prayer making a distinct pause between each word and took no notice of anything said to her.

Both legs, near and around the ankle joints were discoloured and much swollen, she also complains of pain in the region of the left hip joint, but no fracture was detected. Bodily health very feeble. Conditions extremely reduced.

5 She slept well during the night. She says there is a hole in her belly, has taken no solid food but drank two cupfuls of milk. She could not pass water and was relieved last night and this morning by means of the catheter. Pulse very small.

6 She slept only one hour last night. She can take no solid food and whatever fluids she takes, even water is shortly afterwards vomited. She complains of great pain all over the region of the abdomen, the pulse at the wrist cannot be detected and she seems to be in a dying state.

7 She slept none during the night and refused everything but cold water. The vomiting still continued and this morning at 9.45 she died.

Admitted 4th December 1865

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December 6

Was brought to the Asylum today from
Holly Woodend by Fothergill and admitted as
a Temper Epileptic chargeable to Old Monkland
Parish.

She is thirty years of age, married, was
employed as a Housewife and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted eight days and the cause is unknown.
She is both suicidal and dangerous to others.
No hereditary tendency.

Her husband who accompanied her to the Asylum
says that about a year since she had a fever and
that three months ago she gave birth to a stillborn
child. Before admission she was agitated in her manner,
talked incoherently and was very querulous. She has
taken no food for three days, was violent and refused
to take the care of her husband and children.

On admission she was maniacally excited, was
in great fear of bodily injury, and could with difficulty
be restrained.

Bodily health indifferent condition good.

" 7 She did not sleep during the night was restless
and very noisy, so much so that she had to be
kept in a room all night. Today she is quiet, but
very stupid and unable to answer the simplest
question.

" 11 She is very stupid never speaks, but has a
habit of placing her hands on our shoulders and
looking steadfastly into their face as if wishing to
make some inquiry.

" 25 Since last report she has improved very much.
She is now industrious, quiet and orderly, and
is very anxious to get home.

" 30 She was today dismissed. —
Cured.

Admitted 6th December 1815

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December

Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Poorhouse and admitted as a Pauper Patient, chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty four years of age, single, was formerly occupied as a servant at 17 Highgate Street, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted a few days, and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to herself but not to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

The history given of the patient by the Govan Poorhouse nurse who brought her to the Asylum is that she has been in the habit of annoying a person who formerly made love to her, by often ringing his door bell; that on Wednesday night last about 12 o'clock she was caught ringing the bell and taken to the Police Office from where on the following day she was taken to Govan Poorhouse, in which place she has been for two days, and that this morning about 6 o'clock she leaped through a Plate Glass window, whereby she dislocated her left arm at the shoulder joint, sprained her right ankle and received several incised wounds. She is said to be a Nymphomaniac.

On admission she was unable to walk, was free from all excitement and talked quite coherently. She said the reason she leaped through the window was to obtain her liberty.

Patient complains of pain in the left shoulder joint and the parts around it are swollen, but the dislocation has been reduced. The right ankle joint is also stiff and swollen. On the right arm there are two incised wounds, also one on the left thumb and one on the sole of the right foot. The nurse who accompanied her told the Matron that she had had connection with several men before being taken to Govan Poorhouse.

bodily health and condition with the exception of the above good.

10. She was quiet and slept well during the night. Today she has taken her food well but is confined to bed on account of the injuries received before admission.

11. She has recovered from the injuries received before admission, was in bed for two days, but had to be taken back to the Infirmary to be under observation on account of her restless, depressed state. She has altered since admission.

Admitted 9th December 1865

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December 21

Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Poorhouse and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty one years of age, single, formerly resided at 11 Albert Street, Govan, was a Domestic servant, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity is said to have lasted four days, and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to herself and others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Little is known of the patient before admission. The Govan Poorhouse nurse, who came with her to the Asylum said that yesterday she was taken to the Poorhouse from her sister's house 11 Albert Street, where she had been since she became unwell. That when taken into the Poorhouse the nape of her neck was raw from the effects of a blister that she was noisy, incoherent and excited, was dangerous to herself & others, fancied she was Mrs. Richards and refused food.

On admission she was restless, noisy, and quite incoherent, she talked without intermission but all in Gaelic. She would not remain in bed nor keep on her clothes when up and had to be dressed in canvas to prevent her fondling herself, she also refused to take any food but the attendants managed to feed her.

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She slept for about four hours, took off the canvas dress but did not destroy anything. She would not take her breakfast and was fed by the Attendants. Is quite incoherent.

Admitted 21st December 1865

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Margaret McFarlane or Shearer Oct 10

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Poorhouse and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is forty years of age, married, is a Protestant and formerly resided at 87 Commercial Street.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted a few days and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to those. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was delirious. Said that she must be offered up as a sacrifice, - that she was annoyed by spirits, - fancied that she was under the influence of mesmerism, - that there was sulphur in her food, - that her husband had evil designs upon her, and was restless, excited and sleepless.

On admission she talked quite coherently. Said that she had a feeling of numbness and prickling in her arms and legs and thought she would be the better of a blister on the back of her neck, for that she had had one nine years ago when a brother died and it did her good. A delusion said she got something in her food which injured her, and that for one thing there was a great deal of sulphur in it.

She is very anaemic, bodily health feeble and condition reduced.

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December 24

This patient was brought to the Asylum today by her son from 514 St. Vincent St. Glasgow and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is sixty years of age, Widowed, is a Reformed Presbyterian and resided with her son.

This is the second attack of insanity, has lasted ten days, and the cause is said to be weakness of body from cough and pain in side. She is not suicidal but is dangerous and destructive. She has a son at present under treatment in this Asylum.

Prior to admission she laboured under hallucinations and illusions, was restless incoherent and talked incessantly. She fancied that she was blessed, and that she was eaten up of worms, that a son was Prince Charles Stewart, that others of her family were devils, and that she constantly saw little devils which annoyed her greatly. She also slept very little, refused food, was destructive and much excited.

On admission she was very restless, talkative incoherent and delusive. She fancied she knew every person she saw and had some means to give them.

bodily health very feeble: condition reduced.

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January 10

This patient was brought to the Asylum today by her son from 151 Holm Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is thirty eight years of age, married, belongs to the Established Church and was formerly employed as a housekeeper.

She has been eight times previously under treatment in this Asylum. The present attack has lasted two days and the cause is said to be Brain Fever. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was delusive, incoherent and wandering in her conversations. She was suspicious of and violent towards her relatives, and refused to take food. She also had some fits similar to Epilepsy.

On admission she had a depressed and melancholy appearance and was absolutely taciturn. She seemed to understand what was said to her, but every attempt to get her to speak failed.

Bodily health very feeble. Condition pellucid.

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She slept none during the night but was quiet. Today she is confined to bed and won't speak nor look at anything. She refused to take any food but allowed the attendants to feed her.

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She still requires to be fed, she was excited for some time last night, fancied that one of the patients was a man and would have her put out.

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January 16

This patient was brought to the Douglas by
from the City Workhouse and admitted as a pauper
chargeable to the City Parish. She formerly resided
at 392 Calton Street Glasgow.

She is twenty eight years of age, single,
is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a nurse.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted four days, and the cause is said to be
unknown, but she is subject to Epilepsy. She
is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No known
hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission there was great maniacal
excitement and incoherency. She refused food, was
extremely violent and tore at everything and
everybody about her. A few days before admission she
was taken to the City Workhouse by two policemen
when she had to be secured in a cell to prevent her
injuring the other inmates.

On admission she was much excited;
quick and incoherent in her language. She
could not give any account of herself but when
spoken to, said in an angry and menacing tone
of voice that she was a serpent.

bodily health feeble: condition reduced.
On her legs and arms were found a number of
scratches and discoloration, also a large scar
upon the brow, the result of an injury received
during an epileptic seizure.

A number of scratches and discolorations
were found up on her arms and legs, and a large
scar upon her brow. bodily health feeble: condition
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Admitted 16th January 1866

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January 17

Was brought to the Asylum today from 53 Brown Street, Bridgeton and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to the Borough Parish.

She is forty four years of age, single, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Power Loom Weaver.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted about two months, and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal, but not dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she had a melancholy and dejected aspect, gazed abstractedly from her and laughed apartly without any object; was idle listless refused to work and talked in an unconnected way. She often wept and said she had thoughts of drowning herself as she had no home, no friends and no peace of mind. She also laboured under the delusion that she was covered with worms which were devouring her and that she could not get clear of them.

On admission she was depressed and somewhat confused, but talked pretty coherently. She said she felt unable to do her work but could not tell why. Four months ago the index finger of her right hand was injured and amputated at the second joint; this she said was sent as a judgment upon her. When spoken to about her delusion she says she only thought it.

Physical health feeble. Condition reduced.

Admitted 17th January 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 146 Duke Street Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to the City Parish. She is thirty six years of age, married, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Housewife.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one week and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal and dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency so far as known.

Prior to admission she had the idea that she was a lost sinner and that there was no hope of salvation for her. She imagined that she saw Hell fire and the Devil constantly before her and threatening to destroy her. She was generally melancholy but at times very excitable, often singing hymns & psalms and threatened to throw herself over the window.

About four months ago she had a stillborn child, since which period she has been in indifferent bodily health, and unable to do her usual household duties.

On admission she was very depressed and melancholy, she kept constantly moaning and laboured under the idea that she could not live. She also seemed to be in great dread of every one near her and implored that they would not do anything to her.

Bodily health very feeble: Appetite reduced.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 205 Maine Street Andoverton and admitted as a Temper Patient - chargeable to Barmy Parish.

She is thirty one years of age, married, is a Protestant, and was formerly occupied as a Housewife & Cotton Factory worker.

She was under treatment in this Asylum six years ago. The present attack has lasted two weeks and the cause is unknown. She has a tendency to be suicidal, and is dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was very delirious, - fancied that people spoke to her out of the walls of the house, that persons got into her food in some unknown way, that people hunted her on the street and spoke ill of her, that her clothes were being constantly taken away by her neighbours and then substituted for them, and that her husband when he came home at night was his brother or some other person.

Her husband who accompanied her to the Asylum, says that on Sunday last she was much excited, attacked and threatened to injure her daughter with a table knife, and that when he spoke to her, she seized the poker and attacked him with it.

He also says that she is five months advanced in pregnancy, and that she is always ill when she is in that state. Her appearance is that of a woman in whom inter-gestation has gone on for nearly six months.

On admission she was free from all excitement and somewhat depressed. Her language was coherent but undecided and hesitating.

bodily health ordinary: condition good.

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She slept well during the night and has taken her food. She is very quiet and seldom speaks to any one.

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She is quiet and makes no complaints, but when questioned her delusions are found to be the same as before admission.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 5 Cameron Street Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to Barmy Parish.

She is twenty two years of age, single, was formerly employed as a millworker and is a Roman Catholic.

She is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for twelve months and the cause is not known. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was stubborn, obstinate and very unwilling to speak. She fancied that her relations were leagued against her, trying to injure her in various ways. Said that her relations cursed her and that they put their fingers in the fire and made faces out of the fire at her.

Her mother said she had to leave her work for the noises that were in her head, and for the last three months she has sat in the house and her chief occupation has been combing her hair. She slept little or none at night, was at times very violent, threatening to strike and using horribly obscene language.

On Sunday last 28th Jan. she attempted to leap over the window.

On admission she was depressed, absent, and very unwilling to speak. She said she had to leave her work on account of sounds in her head, and voices telling her to stop and put on her bonnet. The parts around the left eye were discoloured, the cause of which she said was a blow from her brother.

Physically health and condition good.

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Margaret Lyon or Mc Lachlan Oct 50

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Was brought to the Asylum today by her husband and brother in law from Chambersburgh County of Pa. and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is fifty years of age, married, is the wife of a Carpenter and belongs to the Free Church.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for eight years off and on, and the cause is hereditary, her mother having been frequently insane. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal.

Prior to admission she was excited, unsettled and suspicious; her language was suspicious and she had absurd and changing fancies. She imagined that she was to be shot or stabbed by people coming into the house, and that she heard the devil whispering into her ear to come to her bed in hell. She also thought that she was to be persecuted by her friends, could not rest and wished to escape from them by the windows. She was violent, destructive and dirty in her habits - constantly setting herself, fire and destroying her clothes books &c, attacked her relations and was bound hand and foot to restrain her.

On admission she was restless and talkative, she spoke to every person she saw and fancied she was personally acquainted with them. Her language to the servants was very rude and insolent, she talked incessantly and interfered with every thing going on in the Infirmary ward into which she was placed. She fancied she was going to be shot and begged that it would not be done.

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Bodily health very feeble. Condition much reduced. She slept more during the night and was very noisy. Today she is extremely disorderly and talkative.

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February 12

The patient was brought to the Asylum today by her brother from Mrs. School House, Dunoon.

She is twenty one years of age, single, is a Parochial Schoolmaster's daughter, and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted under three months and the cause is hereditary, her mother having weak minded and her maternal grandfather having been insane for years.

She is said to be neither violent nor dangerous to others, but has been very unmanageable for the last few days.

Prior to admission she was very restless and noisy, she slept little and for the last few days has taken almost no food. She refused to answer questions or speak to anyone, but kept repeating passages of the scriptures, of Shakespeare and of Milton. She had numerous delusions - fancied that her relations were conspiring against her, also that she was the Queen of Hebr, the Virgin Mary, the Lady Godiva, Sir Beaumont &c.

When brought to the Asylum she would not answer any question put to her was very obstinate, and talked incessantly in a loud measured tone of voice - saying she was tempted by the devil but that he would not prevail against her, and that the power of the prince of the air was against her. She very often repeated the words - the noble lady married to the Moor, and said I am the Virgin Mary.

Bodily health and condition ordinary, tongue coated, pulse quiet, Catamenia present.

13 She slept none and had to be held in bed for the greater part of the night, she was violent and threw one of the night nurses upon the floor.

18 She is extremely restless and unmanageable requiring an attendant constantly with her. Her delusions run very high and she desires to be worshipped.

Admitted 12th February 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 57 Garngate Road, Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is sixteen years of age, single, has no occupation and is a Protestant.

She has been insane from infancy, the cause is not known and no relations are known to be insane. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others.

She is a simple, childish, silly girl with an idiotic expression of countenance.

Prior to admission she was quite unable to take care of herself and had to be taken from the school on account of the children annoying her.

On admission she was in a very filthy state, her hair had to be shaved off and every thing that was on her burned to get rid of the vermin that were about her.

She was able to tell her name, said she could read the bible and Kant, but could not tell the name of the street she lived in.

When being put to bed she became much alarmed and said her mother would be angry if she for going to bed so soon.

Physical health feeble: Condition reduced the skin on the trunk of the body is almost as black as that of a negro.

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She slept well during the night, has taken her food well and seems much pleased with her position.

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She is very quiet and has been employed doing a little knitting. Her head has had to be shaved on account of scabs caused by vermin.

March 10

She takes her food well, sometimes does a little work, and is quite happy & contented.

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February 17

Was brought to the Asylum today from 233 High Street, Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is sixty eight years of age, single, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Widow.

She is set down as the first attack of insanity has lasted one week and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others.

No hereditary tendency so far as known.

Prior to admission she was in an agitated depressed state of mind, laboured under delusions believed that she was a great sinner, that the Lord had forgotten her and that the Devil appeared to her during the night. She lived in a house by herself did not sleep at night and disturbed the neighbours by singing and dancing.

On admission she was agitated, and complained greatly of being taken from her own home so hurriedly. She is weak minded and delusive but talked coherently. She said she had seen in her face a month ago, that since then she has heard sounds in her head, and that there is something like a wheel going round in her head. She also says that thirty five years ago she was ill with a nervous complaint which affected her mind, and she is extremely anxious to know if ever she will get better.

She was found to be affected with prurigo all over the trunk of the body and her clothes were covered with vermin. Bodily health feeble: condition much reduced.

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She did not sleep any during the night but was quiet, she is very despondent and complains of great weakness of body.

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She slept well last night, but is at present labouring under an attack of Erysipelas of the face. She says there is a sound like a railway train running through her head. The Elder called to inquire for her & he says that thirty three years ago she was a patient in the G. R. L. Asylum in Parliamentary Road.

March 10

The Erysipelas has disappeared and she has been out of bed for the last three days. She is weak minded, fidgety and discontented.

Admitted 17th February 1886

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Was brought to the Asylum today from City Workhouse (she formerly resided at 48 North Manserv Street Glasgow) and admitted as a temper patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is twenty six years of age, single, is a Protestant and was formerly occupied as a Sewer.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted ten days and the cause is unknown. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency so far as known.

This patient has been deaf for the last fourteen years, but up till two days ago is said to have understood what was said to her by signs.

Before admission she was excited, restless, noisy and violent, she also attempted to go over the window and required two persons to restrain her.

She was taken to the City Workhouse on the day before admission where she was quite maniacal, slept none and refused food.

On admission she was excited and very restless and noisy, she kept working with her hands about her dress and had her breast all exposed and her clothes in disorder. She required an attendant constantly with her and at times one person was quite unable to restrain her.

A number of discolourations were found upon her arms, and scars over her knees. Bodily health very feeble: Condition reduced.

18 She slept none during the night, and was very restless and excited; she will take no food and when anything is put into her mouth she spits it out: she was fed by means of the stomach pump.

21 She slept for 5 hours last night and is now quieter and much excited. She allowed the nurse to feed her, swallowing the food when put into her mouth.

23 She is evidently labouring under an attack of mania. There is a livid flush on the cheeks, pulse quick, breathing frequent and short with moist rales but no cough or expectoration. A particular examination of her chest cannot be made on account of the state of her mind. She seems always to be in dread of bodily injury.

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February 19

Was brought to the Asylum today from the Central Police Office Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is nineteen years of age, married, is a Protestant, and was formerly employed as a servant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted four days and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was taken to the Police Office, where she was found in a very highly excited state, frequently shouting and screaming and loudly saying that she saw a bird. She also thought that she was in Newcastle.

On admission she had an excited appearance, was restless and somewhat incoherent, and her mind was to some extent preoccupied. She talked under delusions of hearing, said she heard the voice of a man whom she knew at a great distance. Said in a nervous agitated manner that her mother was stabbed yesterday in two places and then buried and that the account of it was in this day's newspapers also that the ringing of bells this morning told her of the burial of the body.

There were found a number of discolourations upon her arms and legs, a scar upon her brow, and a foul ulcer upon her tongue the result of a wound inflicted by her teeth while excited. Bodily health good. Condition good.

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She slept well during the night, but today is confused and restless, she says she hears her husband's down stairs calling on her and she is very anxious to see him.

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She is much improved especially in her bodily health, the discolourations have disappeared and the ulcer upon the tongue has healed. She has commenced to be industrious, but is still delirious.

March 13

She continues to improve, is industrious and cheerful and her delusions have now nearly disappeared.

April 7

She is now very well mentally and makes herself very useful assisting in the work of the kitchen. Her bodily health is also much improved.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 3 Ashole Terrace, Lucan Park near Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Lathcote Parish.

She is thirty four years of age, single, is a Protestant, and was formerly employed as a domestic servant.

She has been insane before, her age a first attack was nearly three years and she has been under treatment in Morningside and Gilmourhouse Asylums, and altogether is said to have been in Asylums for two years. The present attack has lasted two days and the cause is said to be unknown but evidently is from predisposition from previous attacks and hereditary.

She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Prior to admission she talked incoherently and incessantly, sometimes on religion, then swearing lay in her bed would not rise and could be induced to do anything asked of her. One of the Physicians who examined her she said you are my father from Belrose and he is dead.

On admission she talked and laughed to herself and took no notice of anything about her. When spoken to she seldom gave any reply but any answer she gave was either irrelevant or quite incoherent.

Physical health and condition good.

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She was restless for some time after going to bed but was quiet and slept six hours. Today she was crying and when asked the reason, said it was for her mother for she loved her real well.

March 3

She has improved very much is now quiet, orderly, and industrious, but rather depressed and somewhat weak minded.

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She had commenced to be industrious, but has now given up work and is very irritable and dissatisfied towards the attendants.

21

The irritability has gone off, she is now quiet and more contented, and has again begun to work.

April 14

She still continues to be industrious, but today was excited and quarrelsome, finding fault with everything and interfering with the servants and other patients.

Admitted 22nd February 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Margaret Street Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is twenty years of age, single, a Protestant and was formerly occupied as a servant.

This is the second attack of insanity, her lasted two months and the cause is unknown. During her former attack she was under treatment in the Lunacy Ward City Workhouse from 15th June till 1st October 1864. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. She had a cousin insane and under treatment in this Asylum.

Prior to admission she had a peculiar, sullen, discontented appearance and was very unwilling to answer questions. She would do nothing, but said she was willing to work and would not be allowed. At times she was violent and threatening, at other times she would start suddenly from her seat and begin to dance and sing, and then she would as suddenly stop and weep, and say she was sorry for making a noise and fancied she would be taken to jail and hung for her conduct. She had to be constantly watched to prevent her from injuring herself and others; has repeatedly swallowed pins, needles and has torn her hair from her clothes, was always trying to get out and was violent to those who prevented her, at times she refused food at other times swallowed it in a pretentious manner.

On admission she had a gloomy, discontented appearance and could scarcely be got to speak any. Her mother who accompanied her to the Asylum says she destroyed her clothes, refused food, & showed a number of recently inflicted lacerated wounds on her hands inflicted by the patients. She also states that a few days ago she swallowed a number of pins which are still in her body. Bodily health fairly good. Condition ordinary Catamenia irregular.

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She would eat nothing yesterday, but slept well during the night; the attendants today with considerable difficulty today succeeded in feeding her.

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She is very obstinate and discontented, has to have on lockfast gloves to prevent her scratching herself and is constantly asking to get on her own clothes & to get home to her mother.

April 13

There is no mental improvement. She still tries to get her clothes taken off and even last report has been fed several times by means of the stomach pump.

Admitted 1st March 1866

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March 3

Was brought to the Asylum today by her husband from 12 Whitehall Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is thirty two years of age, married, was formerly employed as a mill-worker and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted twenty one days, and the cause is set down as unknown. She is dangerous to others, but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was melancholy; lay in bed, could not be made speak, and refused food or any kind of nourishment. She seemed not to recognise her relations, was quite indifferent to everything, and at times was very outrageous and abused her children.

On admission she had a stupid, melancholy appearance, seemed to care or know nothing about her position and could not be induced to speak a single word. She was also very obstinate, refused to eat or allow anything whatever to be put into her mouth.

Her husband says that her youngest child is six months old, and that a month ago it had to be taken from her, that for three weeks past she has taken very little nourishment and for the last four days has refused everything. After being put to bed she was fed by means of the stomach pump.

bodily health very feeble. Condition reduced.

14 She slept none last night and not in bed. She cannot by any means be induced to speak, and refuses all food. She was again fed by means of the stomach pump.

7 She is constantly confined to bed, never speaks, nor tries to help herself in any way.

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March 20

Was brought to the Asylum today from City Workhouse Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is forty years of age, married, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Weaver.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted four days and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was very easily excited, talked in an incoherent manner, and laboured under delusions about some property which she fancied belonged to her. She was an inmate of the City Workhouse for some time when she passed sleepless nights, and was restless and noisy. At times she was also violent and two nights before admission she threatened to take the nurses life.

On admission she was confused and rambled in conversation. To some questions she answered quite coherently, to others her replies were irrelevant or quite incoherent. She talked of places in Glasgow at a considerable distance from each other as being in the same locality, and said that she had children in an institution where their bodies were made use of for some purpose.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.
 " 21 Last night she slept for five hours and was quiet. She has taken her food well and seems quite cheerful about her position.

April 2 There is little change since admission. She cannot be induced to do any work, is weak minded and stupid, and sometimes at night is restless and sleeps none.

" 20 She is very weak minded, and always ill; today she was noisy scolding at persons not present but which she fancied were near her.

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March 31

Was brought to the Asylum today from City Workhouse Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is twenty four years of age, single, is a Roman Catholic, and was formerly employed as a sewer in Dublin.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted four days, and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Hereditary tendency not known.

The patient came from Dublin to Glasgow about three weeks ago, and for four days prior to admission was an inmate of the City Workhouse. She was under the influence of a religious phrenia and talked irrelevant nonsense about religion. She fancied that she had come to Glasgow from Dublin with a Government order to look after her mother, but did not tell how long she had been in Glasgow and marched up and down the ward in a defiant manner with a prayer book in her hand. She had also taken a shovel to force her way out of the ward.

On admission she was very obstinate and rather dangerous when interfered with. Her mind was impaired and she could give no reason for leaving Dublin and coming to Glasgow. She however said that she had no friends in Glasgow, but either could or would not tell how or where she had lived since she had left Dublin.

She was very dirty, had covered with vermin but in good bodily health and condition.

April 1

She slept none during the night and was abusive in her language towards the night nurse. This morning when getting her up to dress her she struck at and tried to bite the Attendants, she also refused to take her food and when being fed seized the spoon with her teeth and broke it.

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She is always stubborn and insolent. This morning she was much excited; attacked the night nurse for her hair and attempted to bite her.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from City Workhouse Glasgow, and admitted as a Pauper Patient, chargeable to City Parish.

She is twenty five years of age, married, is a Protestant, and formerly resided with her husband at 53 Wygate Street.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted one week, and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency so far as known.

Prior to admission she manifested great weakness of mind, laughed immoderately without cause, talked incoherently about her family and imagined that her husband was to undergo severe punishment on her account. At night she was very restless and unmanageable and wished to wander all over the ward of the Workhouse in search of imaginary friends.

On admission she talked in a silly wandering manner. She talked of having a great many children, but could not, she said, tell how many, could not tell whether her husband was dead or alive, was very irritable and discontented answered questions in an irrelevant and rather insolent way, and acted as if everything that was said and done was in jest.

Bodily health feeble: Condition reduced.

April 1

She was quiet and slept well during the night. She has taken her food pretty well, but says it is too coarse for her, and is very querulous and childish.

" 15

She is composed and irritable, never satisfied with anything and always asking to be dismissed home. Bodily health improving.

May 2

There is no mental improvement. She has been destructive since last report, having destroyed 6 new petticoats that she was wearing. She denies knowing anything of how they were destroyed.

Admitted 31st March 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 37 Wallace Street and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Green Lough.

She is twenty four years of age, widowed, was formerly occupied as a Domestic Servant, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted two weeks and the cause is said to be unknown. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Patient's mother who came with her to the Asylum, states that her husband died in August and her child who was eleven months old in October last. That since then domestic affairs have been neglected by her and her mode of life has been irregular;— she bought, sold and pawned articles in a foolish and reckless way, and while in a warehouse making extravagant purchases which she had not money to pay, she had slipped a pair of stays under her shawl. She had seemed when detected to be unconscious that she was stealing. Formerly she was incoherent, excited and dangerous, and attempted to destroy herself by going over the window.

On admission she was quiet and had a careless, satisfied appearance, her answers when spoken to were either incoherent or quite irrelevant. She laughed in a silly way and her mind seemed to be very weak.

Physical health indifferent: Condition ordinary.

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She was quiet and slept well during the night. has taken her food and when spoken to is inclined to cry.

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Although she sleeps well at night, she is restless and often falls asleep in the day room. Her memory is very defective, she picks up cents and trifling articles and puts them in her pocket, and seems to be quite unconscious of having done so.

May 2

She has improved since last report and for some time has been industrious. She is still weak minded.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Clyde Police Office Glasgow by her mother and brother and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is thirty two years of age, single, is a House daughter and belongs to the Established Church of Scotland.

Her first attack of insanity came on when she was about thirteen years of age, and she was twice previously under treatment in this Asylum, having been admitted on 24th September 1855 See Vol. XVIII page 334, and again on 13th October 1856 See Vol. XIX page 116. She is somewhat dangerous to others but not suicidal. No hereditary tendency. The present attack has lasted for two months.

Prior to admission she was rather excited, could not rest any where, but went about from one friend's house to another. She had an ill feeling towards her relatives, threatened them at dinner with her knife and fork, threatened them also to smash windows, but did not commit any actual violence. She fancied there was a large sum of money due to her which her father had left, and last week went to a lawyer to see after it, and was continually annoying her relations by her restless, irritable, and violent conduct.

On admission she was free from excitement but restless and very talkative. She inquired after patients who had been formerly in the Asylum when she was a patient here, and had a great many complaints of being ill-used by her mother, brother and sister. She also spoke of having gone to Captain Ross at Hamburgh who told her that her father had left a will and advised her to go to Mr Quentin Dick a Writer in Glasgow to see after it. Her brother says her father died intestate.

bodily health and condition ordinary.

5 She was quiet during the night but slept none. Today has eaten sparingly.

12 She is insolent in her habits, fond of reading novels and is with difficulty induced at times to do a little sewing. She is also very discontented and says the food she gets is stuff for pigs.

May 2

She restless, irritable and very troublesome. Since last report she quarrelled with and struck the attendant on the face. It was found necessary to remove her to another Gallery.

Admitted 4th April 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Port Bannatyne and admitted as a Pauper patient chargeable to North Gate Parish.

She is thirty nine years of age, married is a Protestant and the wife of a salaried

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted eight days and the cause is a fright. She is suicidal, but not dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was haunted by the idea that a murder had been committed in the neighbourhood and that the ghost of the murdered man was waiting her away. She was also of opinion that her soul was lost and that she must die as the murdered man would not leave the house without her. The cause of the above is said to have been a quarrel, a week ago, of two neighbours, husband and wife, and the wife having cried murder. Since then she has not slept would not keep in bed, and said if she could get she would go over the window.

On admission she had a stupid, benighted appearance; seemed unable to comprehend the simplest question, seldom gave any reply, and when she did her answers were quite irrelevant.

Her husband says she has a child four months old which she has been suckling. Her bodily health is very feeble, she has symptoms of Pæmism - lips and cheeks livid, tongue coated, pulse slow, breathing frequent but not laboured.

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She slept none during the night, perspired very much and her bladder had to be relieved by means of the catheter. She would not take her food but allowed the attendants to feed her.

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Since last report she has been quite maniacal at times she fancied the house was on fire and was often great dread of bodily injury. She occasionally became so violent and unmanageable that it is found necessary to seclude her.

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April 18

Was brought to the Asylum today from 13 West Blackhall Street Greenock and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Greenock United Parishes.

She is forty two years of age, single, was formerly occupied as a Milliner and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted six years and the cause is unknown, but she has a sister insane, who has been certified and is about to be taken to Glasgow Asylum. She is not suicidal but is rather dangerous having threatened to strike her father.

Prior to admission she was very delirious and when spoken to became very excited. Said that she was persecuted by all the people of Greenock. Claimed that through the evil speaking of some blab and her relations (her worst enemies) the milk, coffee, tea, sugar and bread were mixed with some poisonous substances, which withered and dried and contracted her body so that her existence was rendered miserable and her life shortened, to all which Government and ministers were subservient and by which her father restricted her in the amount and quality of her food, exercise &c.

Her father was afraid to live in the house with her as she was at times dangerous and on one occasion threatened to strike him with a hammer.

On admission she was free from excitement, but displayed great weakness of mind. She had high notions of herself; said she was degraded by being put in a common ward with others, said she did not like the appearance of those she saw, and fancied she was in danger of bodily injury.

Her skin and underclothing were very dirty and she admitted that her head had not been washed for more than half a year.

Bodily health feeble, condition reduced.

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She slept for five hours has taken her food pretty well and is quiet.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 157 Broad Street Mile End Glasgow by two friends and a nurse and admitted as a private patient.

She is twenty six years of age, single, is the daughter of a Merchant and United- Presbyterian.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted under one month, and the cause is disappointed love. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Some of her relations have been insane.

Prior to admission she was excited, noisy and incoherent; for she lost two nights she slept none, tore her clothes and kept calling out on religious subjects, but without connection or reason. She also refused food and although she had a nurse sent from the Asylum to attend her, it was found quite impossible to keep her at home.

On admission her appearance was fierce; her conduct violent, destruction, restless and dangerous, and her speech quite incoherent. She fancied there was something in her hands which she tried to wipe off but which resisted every effort she made. She could with difficulty be kept in one place and she would not walk when wished to do so.

bodily health good. Condition redneck. There are a number of small wounds behind the knee joints, caused by the application of leeches.

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Yesterday after admission she refused to take any food and was fed by means of the stomach pump. During the night she slept none and was very noisy, she passed no water and was this morning relieved by means of the catheter. Today she was again fed by means of the stomach pump.

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April 24

Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Workhouse and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is thirty six years of age, single was formerly employed as a Weaver in a mill and is a Protestant.

It is not known whether or not she is the first attack of insanity, but she is supposed to have been ill mentally for three weeks & the cause is not known. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No relations known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent, and at times excited and violent. She had delusions such as that she was the daughter of Christ, was born of the house of David and was in heaven and hell. This morning she had attacked her landlady and thrown a tumbler at her which cut her face; she was taken to the Police Office.

On admission she showed great weakness of mind, she fancied everything said to her was in jest, laughed when spoken to, and when questioned was at times ready to strike. When being brought to the Asylum she said she was going to Palestine but did not know that this was the place.

Physically health feeble condition reduced.

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She was restless and noisy during the night singing loud and praying. Today she has taken her food pretty well and she says she is a goddess.

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April 24

Was brought to the Asylum today from Gosan Workhouse and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to Gosan Parish.

She is twenty eight years of age, single, was formerly employed as a domestic servant and is a Protestant.

This is not the first attack of insanity but she was never before under treatment in an Asylum; the present attack has lasted six weeks and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was a domestic servant at 81 Abbotford Place, but was for some days past in Gosan Workhouse, where she was dull, depressed and melancholy and refused to answer questions. She also refused to take food and laboured under the delusion that there was poison in it.

On admission she had a dejected, melancholy look and could not be induced to speak a single word.

bodily health very feeble: Anus reduced. On the left hip and more than an inch from the anus there is a sinus, discharging thin pus, into which the probe passed freely for fully two inches in the direction of the coccyx, the tissues on the left ankle point externally are much inflamed and there is an unhealthy surface over the right tibia.

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She slept for four hours during the night and was quiet, not having spoken a single word to any one. She refused to take food but allowed the attendants to feed her.

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She has not spoken since admission, is quiet at night but became excited when put into a bedroom without light. She continues to refuse food and was today fed by means of the stomach pump.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 56 Chapel Street Ardara and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to New Montrose Parish.

She is twenty seven years of age, married, is a Protestant and was formerly occupied as a Housewife.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted three weeks and the cause is bodily weakness. She is not suicidal but has at times threatened to be violent. No known hereditary tendency.

She had a child three months ago, (her third) and since the birth of the child her health has been feeble. She tried to nurse the child up till three weeks ago, when her mind was noticed to be affected, and the child was taken from her, but she never had a sufficiency of milk to nurse the child upon. The symptoms began by her neglecting her household duties - she had not her husband's food ready at meal-time and excused herself by saying that she was afraid of her neighbours. Before admission she was unsettled and restless in her habits, talked continually and incoherently upon religious matters, and her mission on Earth and had an idea of saving the world and her friends from destruction.

On admission she talked readily, but always wandered away into religious subjects and had ideas of suicide running in her mind. She said that she got up at night and was about to leap through the window, but the Lord prevented her, and also that there was a well near her house that could drown her and five or six more.

Bodily health feeble: Appetition reduced.

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*Eliza Turner or Farrell**Oct 10**1866**April 26*

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Admitted 26th April 1886

Jane O'Neil & McCulloch

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May 2

Was brought to the Asylum today from New Yorkland Workhouse and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to New Yorkland Parish.

She is seventy one years of age, widowed, is a Roman Catholic and has been an inmate of New Yorkland Workhouse for the last fifteen years.

She has not been well mentally for some years and her mind is said to have been much affected by the death of her son who was killed four or five years ago during a riot in Dublin. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. None of her relatives are known.

Prior to admission she was restless and wandering in her habits.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 210 Thistle Street and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is sixteen years of age, single, is a Protestant and was formerly employed as a Domestic Servant.

This is the first attack of insanity, but the duration and cause are unknown. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she had a dull, vacant and absent expression of countenance, was melancholy and listless - memory absent - and when she spoke or answered questions was incoherent. She refused to take food was at times excited and tore her hair and at other times wept.

On admission she had a stupid bewildered expression, seemed quite unable to comprehend anything said to her, and could give no account whatever of herself. When spoken to she sometimes replied but was always incoherent and often repeated the words 'Long long ago.'

She is reported to have been ravished, and on examination a number of inflamed and discoloured patches of integument are found in the line of the spine, extending from between the shoulders to the anus. Bodily health very feeble: Condition reduced.

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Isabella Early & Canfield

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Helen Tillie or Smith

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Eleanore Stone

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Sarah Riddell Cameron

Admitted 21st May 1866

Eliza Pearson Douglass

Admitted 28th May 1866

Sarah Mc. Cann & Wyden

Admitted 29th May 1886

Jane Mc. Carol

Oct 17

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May 30

Was brought to the Asylum from 17 Young Street Glasgow today and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the City Parish.

She is seventeen years of age, single and is a Protestant.

She was previously under treatment in this Asylum from 20th June till the 3rd November 1865. (see page 26). She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and excited and had violent fits of laughter and crying. She used violence towards those in the house and often threatened to do for them.

On admission she was free from excitement but was very obstinate and dull. She would give no reply when spoken to nor do anything asked of her although she seemed quite able to comprehend anything said to her.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 56 South Kinning Place and admitted as a Pauper patient, chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is ~~twenty~~ years of age, married, is a Protestant and was formerly occupied as a Housewife.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted three weeks and the cause is Puerperal. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Hereditary tendency not known.

Her mother states that she has been married for two years, and that ten weeks ago she had a child which she nursed for some time, but had to desist from want of milk.

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June 2

This patient was brought to the Asylum today by her brother from Montrose Royal Asylum and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is sixty six years of age, single has received a good education and is a Free Church Presbyterian.

This is the second attack of insanity has lasted four years and the cause is religious despondency. She is not dangerous to others and not known to be suicidal. Some years ago she lost a brother by suicide, committed under great despondency, arising from fear of want.

Admitted 2nd June 1866

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June 5

Was brought to the Asylum today from City Workhouse Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is sixty three years of age, widowed, was employed as a servant, and is a Protestant.

She was an inmate of the Juracy Ward of the City Workhouse in 1863 - and of this Asylum from 15th July till 24th August 1866. The present attack is of four days duration - She is at present said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No relations known.

Prior to admission she was excited, incoherent and delusional; she fancied she had a great many enemies who wished to injure her; imagined that a fire had been raised in the land she lived in, said that she ran out naked to put it out and became a crucifix. She had been taken to the Police Office from where she was taken to the City Workhouse.

On admission she was free from excitement, knew where she was and could answer questions pretty coherently, but she was very nervous and her memory defective. When she tried to give an account of herself and more especially of her present illness, she always stopped suddenly or wandered away from one subject to another.

Admitted 5th June 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Rickellaw Carmunnoch and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to the Parish of Carmunnoch.

She is sixteen years of age, single, is a Protestant and was employed as a Farm Servant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted three weeks and the cause is unknown. She is said to be dangerous both to herself and others. No known hereditary taint.

About three weeks ago she became excited, incoherent and unmanageable; in a few days she got better and was able to go about her work; she again about a week ago had a relapse. She saw imaginary persons, spoke to and struck at them, and knocked her head against the wall; threatened to do for herself, and three days ago was nearly suffocated by thrusting her hands into her mouth.

On admission she had the appearance and manner of a person labouring under the influence of drink or some powerful narcotic; she could not walk was unable to hold up her head and seemed quite unconscious of existence. After being put to bed she went into a fit somewhat like hysteria, but with pretty severe convulsions — this lasted for a considerable time. During the fit she rolled about, was in danger of injuring herself and had to be closely watched.

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Elizabeth McLeod & Morrison

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*Jane Mitchell**1866**June 18*

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Was brought to the Asylum today from
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Admitted 26th June 1886

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Admitted 26th June 1866

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*Margaret Anderson**Oct 50**1866**June 29*

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Helen Harran

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*Emily O'Neil & Robertson**1866**July 3*

Admitted 3^d July 1866

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Sarah M. Mahon & Gunn

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Admitted 14th July 1866

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Admitted 6th July 1866

*Agnes Paterson or Robertson**1866**July 12*

Admitted 12th July 1866

*Mary Wallace & McAnlay**1866**August 1*

Admitted. 1st August 1866

*Agnes Muller & Hinlayson**1866**August 2*

Admitted 2nd August 1866

*Janet Walker & Mathieson**1866**August 3.*

Admitted 3. August 1866

Mary Watson & Black

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Admitted 5th August 1866

Ann Burke or Campbell

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Admitted 7th August 1886

*Louisa Turner & Millar**1866**August 8*

Admitted. 8th August 1886

*Catherine Huntland & Hindman**1866**August 8*

Admitted 8th August 1866

Janet Fisher or Brown

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1866

August 9

Was brought to the Asylum today, from the City Workhouse and admitted as a pauper-patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is sixty six years of age, widowed, is a Protestant, and was formerly employed as a servant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one week and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No known hereditary tendency.

Admitted 9th August 1876

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*Annie Devlin**1866**Aug August 10*

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Was brought to the Asylum from Govan
Workhouse, today, and admitted as a
Pauper Patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty years of age, single,
was formerly employed as a domestic servant
at Osborne Terrace Govan and is a
Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity
has lasted a few hours, and the cause
is unknown. She is dangerous both to
herself and others. Relations not known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent
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Was brought to the Asylum today from Gowan Poorhouse and admitted as a Pauper Patient Chargeable to Gowan Parish.

She is twenty years of age, single, was formerly employed as a domestic servant at 8 Osborn Terrace Gowan, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted a few hours and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to herself and others. No relations known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and had paroxysms of excitement and violence. She was also delusive and fancied that she was being poisoned.

On admission she was quiet but very confused and stupid. When spoken to she would at times smile but could not be got to give any answers to questions. Her pupils were much dilated and her hands very hard; her appearance was more like a girl of sixteen than twenty years. Bodily health ordinary condition good.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Newyards and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to New Monkland Parish.

She is thirty five years of age, married, was employed as housekeeper to her husband and is a Roman Catholic.

This is the second attack of insanity; she was previously under treatment in this Asylum from 16th June till 28th July 1866 - see page 155. The present attack has lasted about two weeks and the cause is predisposition from previous attack. She is said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she had a restless unsettled appearance, was sleepless and wandered out at night in all kinds of weather. She was also cruel to her children and fancied that she was labouring under the effects of mercury.

On admission she had a fretful, discontented and somewhat melancholy appearance. She fancied that she was very ill and just dying and could not be got to speak of anything but her great bodily suffering.

Bodily health feeble; condition reduced.

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Was brought to the Asylum from Galloray
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Pauper patient chargeable to New Monkland Parish.

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Joanna Ferguson

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September 3

Was brought to the Asylum today from City Workhouse where she has been for two days and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to City Parish Glasgow.

She is thirty five years of age, single, was employed as housekeeper to her father at 103 Graeme Street, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted nine months, and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission and until recently she was comparatively quiet, but lately she was much excited, rolled on the floor and screamed in a frantic manner, and required her hands to be tied so as to be manageable. When not excited she would sit in one position with her eyes closed and obstinately refused to answer any question.

On admission she had a depressed somewhat silly appearance, and sat with her eyes closed and the mucus running from her nose over her mouth and chin. She took no notice of anything said to her and would give no reply to questions.

She is anaemic; bodily health feeble; condition reduced.

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Grace Cowan Jamieson & Muir Oct. 62

September 11

She came to the Asylum in a cab three days ago, from Hargreave Hill by Edinburgh, requests Miss Aitken to pay the cabman as she has no money, and desired to remain at Gartnavel for the present time. She is excited and incoherent.

Her husband having been written to for to remove her or arrange for her admission as usual; the necessary certificates have now been got and she was today admitted as a Private Patient.

She is sixty two years of age, married, is a housewife of Collieston wife and belongs to the Church of Scotland.

She has been in Musselburgh and Withholm Asylums and more than twenty times in Gartnavel. The present attack has lasted more than one week and the cause is unknown but supposed hereditary. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from
Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper
patient chargeable to Lamburnetham Paroch.

She is sixty four years of age, married
is a Labourer's wife and a Protestant.

She has been insane for some years
and has been in Longdale Asylum since
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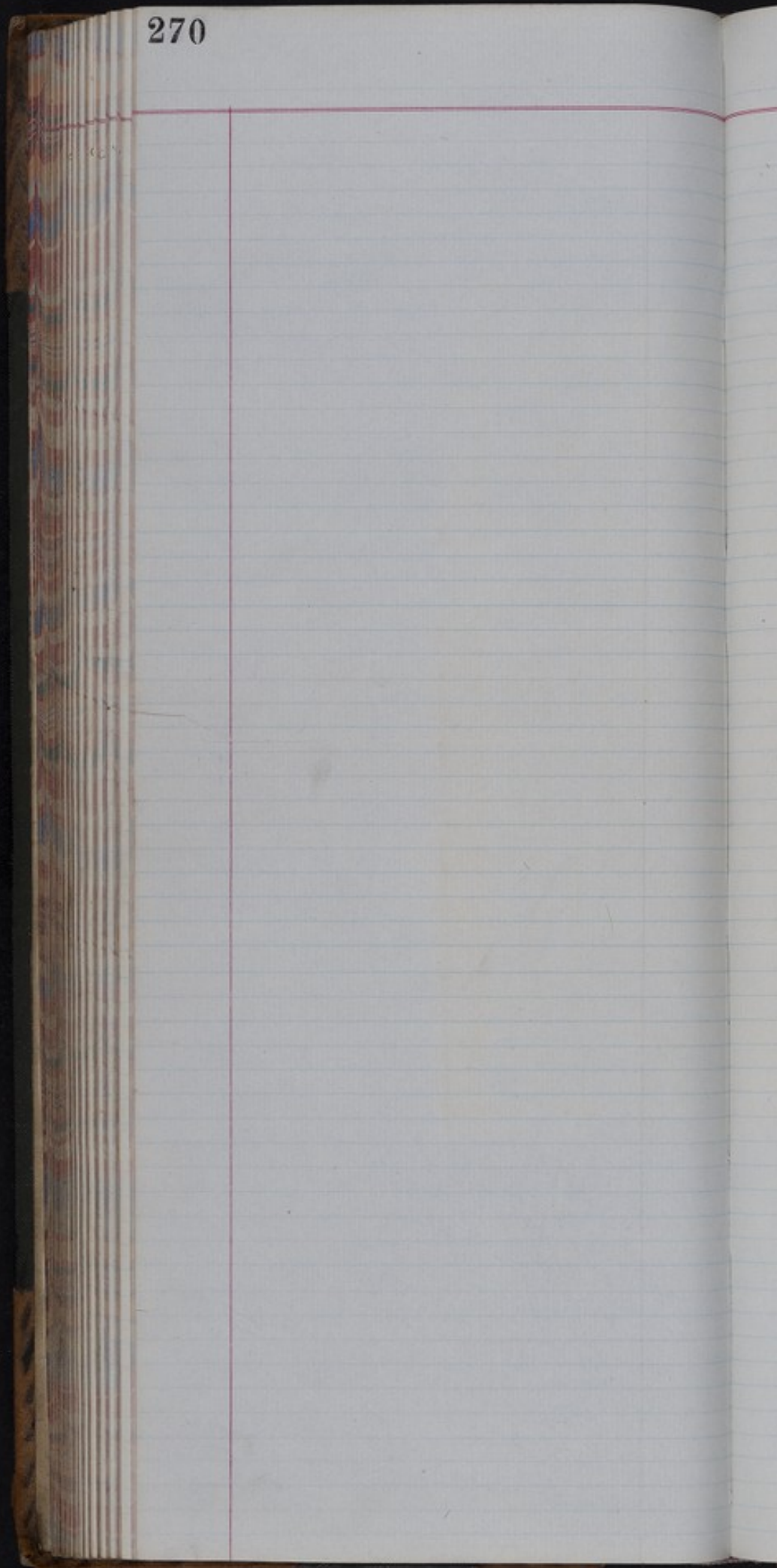
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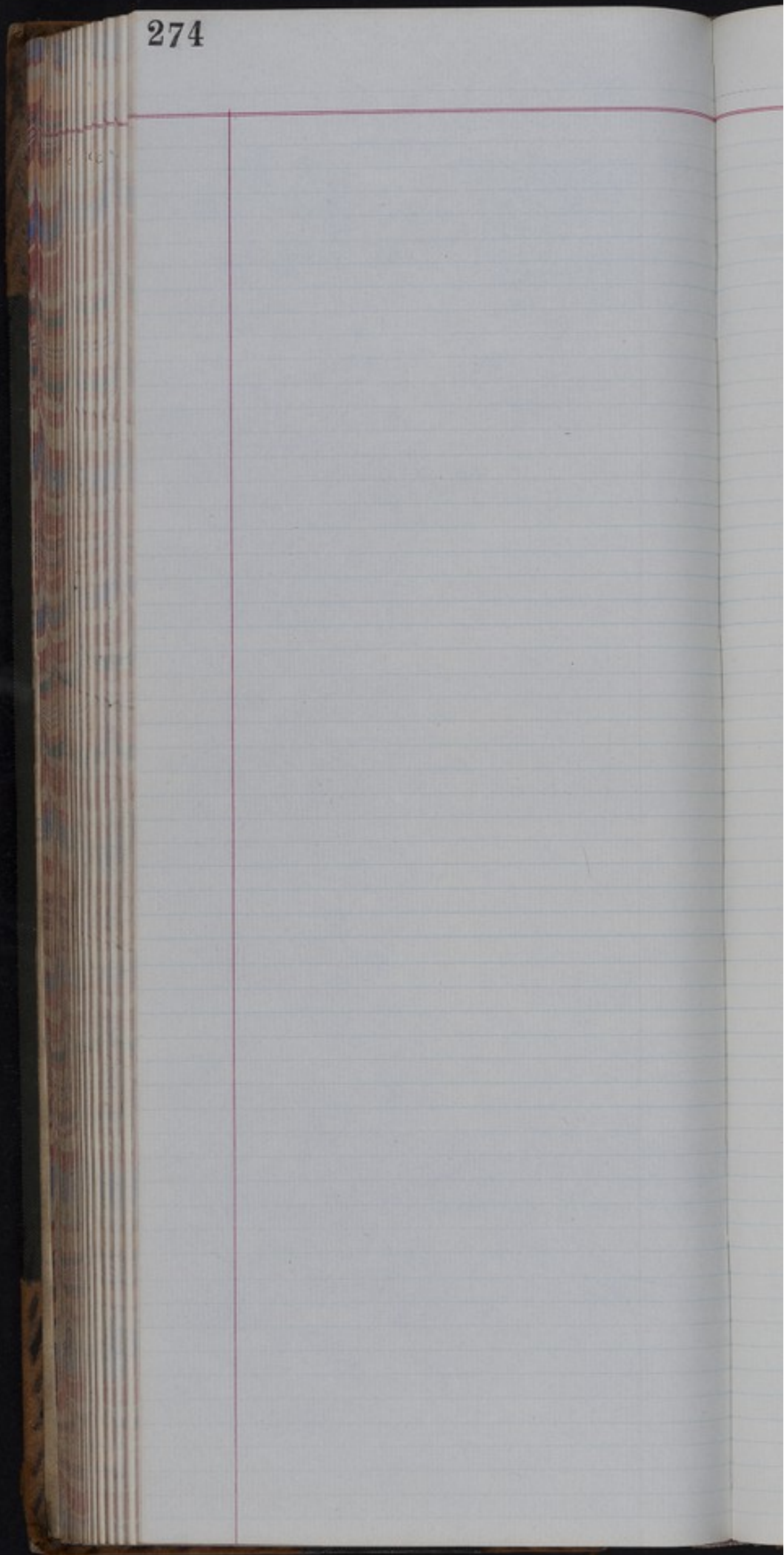
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*Elizabeth Wilson**Ass. 324.35**1866**September 14*

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Mary Douglas

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September 19

Was brought to the Asylum today by her brother from Trarent Asylum and admitted as a Private Patient.

She is sixty six years of age, single, is the daughter of a Blacksmith and belongs to the Established Church.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted three months, and the cause is leaving the family she served forty years. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

She has been under treatment in Trarent Asylum since 22^d June 1866. from which Asylum she was today transferred by the sanction of the Board of January.

In admission she had a melancholy somewhat demented appearance and when spoken to seldom gave any reply. She was said to be deaf and at times seemed so, but at other times her sense of hearing seemed to be very acute and she would answer things spoken in a low tone of voice although not address to her.

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*Elizabeth Paton**Oct 35**1866**September 26*

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*Margaret Philips**Oct 48**1866**September 26*

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Euphemia Trotter

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Mrs. Janet Dunn & Smith

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*Mary Shields**Oct. 1st**1886**September 26*

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*Agnes Johnston**Oct 68**1866**September 26*

Admitted 24th September 1866

Euphemia Braidfoot Oct. 26

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October 1

Was brought to the Asylum today from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Barnworth Parish.

She is twenty six years of age, single, was employed as a farm servant, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted upwards of nine years, cause not stated. She has been in Longdale Asylum since September 1857. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

The medical certificate states that although there are indications of improvement, she still continues in a state of great mental imbecility.

On admission she was restless and showed great weakness of mind. She could not even tell her name and laughed in a silly manner when spoken to.

Bodily health and condition good.

" 2 She slept none and was restless. This morning when getting her clothe put on she bit the attendant on the hand and was somewhat unmanageable.

" 4 She is still very restless and does not sleep well at night. She had an attack of diarrhoea and was confined to bed but is now better.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Govan Poorhouse and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty seven years of age, single was employed as a domestic servant at 16 Abbotsford Place and is a Protestant.

She was a patient in this Asylum in 1861. The present attack is said to have lasted three days and the cause is unknown. She is not dangerous to others but it is not known if she is suicidal. Hereditary tendency unknown.

Prior to admission she was incoherent, - also melancholy and distressed about her spiritual condition. She also exhibited great loss of memory, was tired of existence and laboured under dread of impending evil. She imagined she heard voices calling upon her and figures floating about her bed.

On admission she was depressed, silent and irritable; she was quite coherent but very unwilling to answer questions and her mind seemed to be very much preoccupied.

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She slept well during the night and has taken her food. Today she is very listless and can with difficulty be induced to speak.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from 16 Steel Street Wigham and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Camberthorpe Parish. She is fifty four years of age, widowed, was employed as a house keeper and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity so far as known, has lasted four or five days and the cause is religious excitement. She has threatened to be dangerous but so far as known is not suicidal. Hereditary predisposition not known.

Prior to admission she was at times morose and sullen, at other times she became very violent and excited requiring to be restrained by force. She also raved about Hell, told me of the Physician who visited her to get behind her believing he was Satan, at the other she shook her hand and refused to allow him to approach her, because he was unclean.

On admission she was confused, obstinate and absolutely taciturn. She seemed to be labouring under a monomania of fear and was much alarmed when any one approached her. After being put to bed she kept her arms rigidly compressed over her body and would not allow them to be removed.

bodily health good: condition reduced.

5 She slept well during the night. Today she is confined to bed and still refuses to speak or allow herself to be moved in any way.

6 She slept well but was sick and unable to take any breakfast. Afterwards she had a very offensive motion and seemed much relieved.

7 She has improved a little and commenced to speak. She says that Donald her son is a Policeman when she became unwell he laid her feet & hands Her memory is still defective & she is depressed and melancholy. She is still confined to bed.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Newbigging Asylum Musselburgh and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Rutherglen Parish.

She is thirty nine years of age, single, was formerly employed as a Townloom Weaver and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted seven weeks and the cause is unknown. She was in Newbigging Asylum since 17th August 1866.

She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she laboured under delusions, but was quiet and unobtrusive.

On admission she was quiet, talked readily and was quite coherent. She fancied that people in Rutherglen were conspiring against her and said that they had already done a great deal to injure her.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.

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She slept little and talked to herself the greater part of the night. Today she is irritable and very anxious to get home.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Newbigging Asylum Musselburgh and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Rutherglen Parish.

She is fifty four years of age, married, was formerly employed as a Knitting Toller, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted nine years and the cause is unknown. She has been in Newbigging Asylum since 15th October 1857. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she laboured under delusions as to some unseen persons around her and was suspicious in her behaviour.

On admission she has a full, melancholy look, her mind seemed to be very much preoccupied, she talked to herself and took no notice of any thing going on around her.

bodily health very feeble: Condition reduced.

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She slept none all night and saw of persons whom she fancied were disturbing her. Today she seems very depressed never looks about her nor raises her head and is constantly annoyed by imaginary persons pulling at and speaking to her.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum, and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Hamilton Parish.

She is fifty nine years of age, married, was formerly employed as a Tamberner and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted fourteen years, and the cause is said to be intemperance. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 12th May 1852. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was delirious — imagined that Longdale Asylum belonged to her.

On admission she was very talkative and her language was rambling and incoherent.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.

There is a large deep scar upon her scalp.

7 She slept well during the night, and has taken her food. She is very talkative and somewhat restless.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum, and admitted as a Pauper patient, chargeable to Hamilton Parish.

She is forty two years of age, single was formerly employed as a Gambler and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted seven years, and the cause is unknown. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 20th July 1859. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and her memory gone.

On admission she was found to be very demented; she could not even tell her name and laughed in a silly manner when spoken to.

Bodily health feeble: condition ordinary.
" 7 She slept well during the night and has taken her food.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum, and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Hamilton Parish.

She is sixty six years of age, single, was formerly a pauper and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted six years and the cause is unknown. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 25th July 1863. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was constantly afraid of being killed.

On admission she was demented, and laboured under a monomania of fear. She heard imaginary voices talking to her and was in constant dread of bodily injury.

Bodily health very feeble: Condition much reduced.

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She slept well, but today is very misanthropic and restless and very anxious to get out of doors. She says they are constantly speaking to her, and going to kill her.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Gartlagate, Lanark, and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Lanark Parish.

She is forty four years of age, married, was employed as a Housewife and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted two weeks and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not stated.

Prior to admission she had a wild expression of countenance, and her language was absurd and incoherent. She was very restless, constantly singing or dancing.

On admission she was excited, restless, noisy and incoherent.

Bodily health and condition ordinary.

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She slept only two hours during the night. Excepting these two hours she was noisy would not lie in bed and danced and sang. Today she is very restless and excited.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Workhouse and admitted as a Pauper Patient, chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty six years of age, single, was formerly employed as a sewer, and is a Protestant.

She was formerly a patient in this Asylum from 2^d March till 27th May 1861. Was in Morning-side Asylum from 20th July 1865 till 5th October 1866, and in Lunatic Wards Govan Workhouse from 5th October till admission here today.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and talked a great deal of nonsense, her language was also filthy and obscene. She was also excited and violent and attempted to strike any one about her. At night she did not sleep and was restless and noisy.

On admission she was incoherent, excited, restless and very talkative.

Bodily health and condition good.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from
Hovan Workhouse and admitted as a Pauper
Patient, chargeable to Hovan Parish.

She is fifty years of age, widowed, was
formerly occupied as a Housewife at Hovan Street
and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted a few days, and the cause is unknown.
She was a patient in Longdale Asylum last year.
She is dangerous to others but not suicidal.
Hereditary tendency, not known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent, quiet
and moody, and required to be restrained from
doing violence to herself and others. She also
refused food and had various delusions about
money, circumstances and position.

On admission she was quite incoherent,
stupid and very restless. She kept constantly
working with and pulling at her dress, and muttering
words which were quite unintelligible.

bodily health feeble: Condition reduced.
A number of small abrasions were found
upon her arms, and there are varicose veins
on both legs.

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She was restless, violent and slept
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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Swindale Parish.

She is twenty nine years of age, single, was formerly employed as a house servants and is a Protestant.

This is the second attack of insanity, and has lasted for a year and five months. She has been in Longdale Asylum since May 1865. The former attack occurred about nine years ago. The cause is not known, nor is it known whether she is suicidal or dangerous to others.

Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was delusional, fancied herself subject to cancer and was at times incoherent.

On admission she was quite coherent and talked readily. She fancied she was in very feeble health said she had little power of her left side and that she had laboured under cancer for the last nine years and showed marks on her body where she had been cupped as she fancied for cancer.

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Margaret Bennet or Reynolds Oct. 36

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Stott's Parish.

She is thirty six years of age, married was formerly employed as a Housewife, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted for two years and the cause is said to have been ill treatment by her husband.

She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

She was in Longdale Asylum since October 1864.

Nothing is stated as to the mental state of this patient prior to admission.

On admission she was found to be in a state of dementia. She had a silly look, would give no reply to questions and when any one approached her she would push them from her in a childish manner.

Bodily health indifferent: Condition good. A number of small scars were found upon her back.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Old Monkland Workhouse and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Old Monkland Parish.

She is eighteen years of age, single, was formerly employed as a mill-woman and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one week and the cause is unknown. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and rambling in conversation. Her memory was much impaired but she was able to tell her age. She fancied that she was a married woman and that one of the Physicians who attended her was her father.

On admission she was incoherent, excited, and very obstinate. She could with difficulty be got to speak, could tell nothing about herself looked in a suspicious manner at any one who approached her and seemed afraid of being injured.

Physical health and condition good.

" 16 She slept a little during the night and was quiet. She was raised to the night stool several times, but would not use it and wet the bed. Today it was found necessary to introduce the catheter to keep her dry.

" 27 She appeared to be greatly better and had not been wet for more than a week, but last night she again wet her bed. She is much less obstinate but her memory is still much impaired. She takes her food. Today her head was shaved and blistered.

November 10 For the last two weeks she has been employed in the Laundry and is gradually improving mentally, was not wet since her head was blistered and her mind is now much clearer.

December 10 She now appears to be very well mentally, is quiet and industrious and can answer quite readily anything about herself.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from the Prison of Hamilton and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Cambuslang Parish.

She is about thirty years of age, single, was formerly employed as a Millworker, Religion persuasion not known.

Nothing is known of the previous history of this patient - she resided for only one night in Cambuslang and was one night in the Prison of Hamilton. No relations known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and delirious. She said she had had visions such as that an Eagle had appeared for her destruction and of a good man whom she declared she saw in a vision and afterwards found in Cambuslang. During the night prior to admission she was very violent and kicked at imaginary objects.

On admission she was restless, noisy and incoherent - she kept constantly spelling and said that it was black soap she had got to poison her.

Bodily health and condition ordinary. There is a small incised wound upon the middle finger of the right hand, and a large discolouration on the left leg.

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Was brought to the Asylum today by an attendant from Bredicholm House Banthorpe and admitted as private patient.

She is forty-two years of age, single, was employed as a cook and is a United Presbyterian.

This is supposed to be the first attack of insanity, has lasted three weeks, and the cause is unknown. She is said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency unknown - her brother resides at Warrington Cumberland.

For the last three weeks she was melancholy and desponding. She was impressed with the idea that the members of the household were conspiring against her and yesterday she attempted to escape from control, rushed out of doors in her night clothes, talked incoherently of Heaven and Christ, and addressed the dog on the subject of religion.

On admission she had a depressed, melancholy look, was quiet, replied when spoken to but her language was incoherent. She could not be made to understand her position, nor that she was in an Asylum nor very often instead of giving an answer repeated questions put to her in a slow measured tone of voice.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from 18 Hojier Street Partick and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is fifty four years of age, widowed, was formerly employed as a Housewife and is a Protestant.

It is not known if this is the first attack of insanity, she has been insane for three weeks and the cause is unknown. She is both suicidal and dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she fancied that the people in the neighbourhood had combined to injure her. Said that when she went out the people always looked at her and the police watched her and that she knew no reason for it. She heard imaginary voices talking to her, was alternately depressed and excited and said that she must get herself out of this way.

On admission she had a depressed, melancholy look and was free from excitement. She said that the people in Partick were conspiring to injure her and that they always looked at and talked about her. Said she did not know the reason why for that she had never done them any harm.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Glasford Parish.

She is fifty years of age, widowed and is a Protestant.

This is not the first attack of insanity. The present attack has lasted about two years and the cause is not stated. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 25th April 1865. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she had many delusions. She imagined that Dr. Muirhead was her son-in-law.

On admission she was quiet and at times talked and answered questions quite coherently. At other times her language was incoherent, rambling and full of delusions.

Bodily health ordinary: condition good.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum, and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Glasford Parish.

She is forty three years of age, single, was formerly employed as a sempstress, and is a Protestant.

It is not stated whether this is the first attack. At this time she has been six years insane and the cause is not stated. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 3 January 1861. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was very noisy and incoherent.

On admission she was restless noisy & incoherent. She ranted in a hurried and excited manner from one subject to another — asked if there was a young man here drinking whisky, said she was going to vote for Bright and vote for manhood suffrage.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale's Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Desmahogon Parish.

She is forty five years of age, single was formerly employed as a Farm servant and is a Protestant.

It is not known whether this is the first attack. The existing attack has lasted for a year; cause not stated. She has been in Longdale's Asylum since 16th April 1886.

She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not stated.

Prior to admission she laboured under dementia.

On admission she had a silly senile appearance, could not tell her name and was unable to give any reply to the simplest question. It was with the greatest difficulty and after a question was often repeated that she could be even got to say yes or no.

Bodily health indifferent: condition ordinary.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale's Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Leamington Parish.

She is sixty five years of age, married and is a Protestant.

It is not stated whether this is the first attack, she has been insane for sixteen years, cause not stated. She has been in Longdale's Asylum since 2nd August 1858. She is neither dangerous nor suicidal. Hereditary tendency not stated.

Prior to admission she was very noisy and incoherent.

On admission she was extremely irritable, pushed any one who approached away from her, and kept constantly muttering incoherent threats.

Bodily health good: Condition ordinary.

Admitted 19th October 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum, and admitted as a pauper patient changeable to Eschscholtz Parish.

She is thirty six years of age, single, was formerly employed as a Domestic Servant and is a Protestant.

It is not stated whether this is the first attack of insanity. The existing attack has lasted six months, cause not stated. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 21st April 1866. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not stated.

Prior to admission she was delusional, she imagined herself Duchess of Hamilton.

On admission she said that her name was Jane Stuart Hamilton (was very particular about the spelling of Stuart) that she was related to the Duke of Hamilton and had royal blood in her veins. For further particulars she said that application was to be made to her agent in Hamilton John Dickman, Writer, Duke's Factor or to her solicitors in Edinburgh Bruce Johnston W. S. 67 Great King Street who was writing a history of her life.

bodily health feeble: condition reduced. The tissues behind her knee joints are contracted and her legs cannot be straightened. She has been in bed for years.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Leominster Parish.

She is sixty seven years of age, single and is a Protestant.

It is not stated whether this is the first attack. The existing attack has lasted nine years, cause not stated. She has been in Longdale Asylum since 26th September 1857. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not stated.

Prior to admission she was much depressed in mind and afraid of some impending calamity.

On admission she had a demented, somewhat depressed appearance. She could tell nothing about herself but some simple questions she answered quite coherently.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Seemahogus Parish.

She is fifty seven years of age, married, and is a Protestant.

It is not stated whether this is the first attack. The existing attack has lasted for seventeen years, cause not stated. She has been in a number of Asylums and is Longdale Asylum since 2nd August 1858. She is not suicidal but is at times dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not stated.

Prior to admission she was subject to recurrent mania.

On admission she was free from excitement but was very talkative. Her conversation was rambling and somewhat incoherent. She seemed to be conscious of her mental state and said that she was not so ill as she had formerly been.

Physical health and condition ordinary.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale's Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Hemmagon Parish.

She is forty years of age, widowed, and is a Protestant.

She has been insane for upwards of six years; has been in Longdale's Asylum since 16th January 1861, and prior to that had been a patient in this Asylum. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Nothing is stated as to Hereditary Predisposition.

Prior to admission she was incoherent and apt to strifle and expose her person.

On admission she was restless and had an unsettled expression of countenance. Her mental faculties were much impaired and she seemed unable to answer any question concerning herself.

bodily health indifferent: condition spare.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Longdale Asylum and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to Scrimshagow Parish.

She is forty five years of age, married, and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity and has lasted for upwards of three years. She has been a patient in Longdale Asylum since 10th April 1863. She is stated to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Nothing is stated as to hereditary predisposition.

Prior to admission she laboured under dementia.

On admission she was quiet, listless and indifferent. She spoke pretty readily and answered single questions coherently.

Bodily health and condition good.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from Whifflet by Boatbridge and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Old Monkland Parish.

She is twenty eight years of age, married, was employed as a housewife and is a Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one week, and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Her brother was recently a patient in this Asylum.

Prior to admission she was incoherent, sleepless and excited. She talked about going to heaven on wings, said that people were selling her blood, that she was bewitched and that she was spitting bees out of her mouth. She also attempted to go out at the window and threatened to kill her husband.

On admission she was maniacally excited and quite incoherent. Her husband who came with her to the Asylum says that she had been nursing her child (six months old) who is unwell and had been worn out for want of rest. On the last three days he says she has slept none and has taken no food.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from 14 Piccadilly Terrace Road Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to City Parish.

She is forty years of age, single, was employed as a servant, and is a Protestant.

About four years ago she was in Musselburgh Asylum for sixteen days. The present attack has lasted two days; she is dangerous to others but not suicidal; cause not known. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was much excited in her manner and her discourse was loud, rapid and incoherent. She also laboured under delusions of a religious character; she fancied she could bring the Dead out of the High Church Yard to fight for her, believed that every body was lost, was sheepless and thought it unsafe to go to sleep and leave the lambs unprotected &c.

On admission she was excited, restless and quite incoherent. She seemed to be labouring under a monomania of fear, for when any one approached her she would start back and endeavour to avoid some fancied injury that was about to be done her.

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Was brought to the Asylum today by her brother & sister from 8 Eglinton Terrace, Victoria Road, Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is thirty one years of age, single, was formerly employed as a sempstress and is a Presbyterian.

This is the second attack of insanity has lasted four months and the cause is unknown. She was in hospital four years ago. Is said to be neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was in a highly excited state of mind. She had fits of laughter, talked incoherently and was sleepless. She sometimes tore her clothes and showed a desire to gather up mere bits of paper, dust &c, from the the floor of the room and lay them up in store, and she required constant watching.

On admission she was restless, excited, and incoherent. She talked and laughed a great deal & when asked to do anything refused to do it & resisted as much as possible any thing being done to her. She would not lie in bed nor keep on her clothes.

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*Aene Simmond**1766**November 28*

*Saint Mc Hay a Friday**1866**December 2*

*Catherine Selver**1866**December 7*

*Marion Chalmers**1886**December 10*

*Jessie Lyburne**1866**December 10*

1866

December 11

Was brought to the Asylum today by her husband from 13 Bridge Street Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is twenty-one years of age, married, is a Protestant, and the daughter of a Mill Owner.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted about a week, and the cause is Tuberperal. She is stated by her husband to be neither suicidal nor dangerous, but one of the Medical certificates in her case state her to be dangerous to herself & others. She is hereditarily predisposed to insanity; her paternal uncle and grandmother having been insane.

Prior to admission she was subject to paroxysms of excitement and was at times quite incoherent. She had also delusions of which she frequently spoke. She believed herself at times to be the Messiah, and at other times became excited and stated that she had been fighting with the Devil.

When coherent she complained of headache and was much exhausted having slept none for several nights.

On admission she was in a feeble exhausted state, but her manner was restless and her appearance confused, her language was quite incoherent. She was carried in and put to bed in the Infirmary. Upon examination an abrasion was found on her left arm and discolourations on other parts of her body, apparently the result of her former restless excited state.

She slept only ten minutes during the night, was restless and noisy, but drank freely of milk and water which had been ordered for her.

She continues to be very restless and excited but last night she slept four hours. This is the first sleep she has had since admission and apparently the result of three forty minium doses of Solation of Murexide & Morphine which were given for her yesterday to be given at intervals.

Yesterday she was much quieter and more coherent, but towards evening she relapsed, was noisy singing &c and slept little during the night. She now takes her food better.

She is excited, restless, and noisy; she is dirty in her habits and at times cannot be kept in bed. She continues to take her food well.

She is uncleanly in her habits and restless and excited in her manner. Last night she destroyed her bedding and tore up her bedcover.

1867
January 13

Her bodily health has improved very much since admission, and she was today removed from the Infirmary to Gallery No. 3. Mentally there is very little improvement. She is restless, excited, and abusive in her language to the attendants.

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For some nights past she has slept well but during the day is very restless and troublesome. Today she struck another patient.

She has made considerable mental improvement within the last week but is still at times restless and mischievous. She takes a childish delight in annoying others. She has not been violent since Feb. 1st when she struck another patient.

The catamenia is present. She has slept well at night for the last week, but is still at times restless during the day.

She was today taken home by her husband on trial.

Her husband now considers her quite well and she was accordingly dismissed - Cured.

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1886

2 December 1886

Was brought to the Asylum today from
Larnham and admitted as a pauper inmate
chargeable to Bothwell Parish.

She is twenty-six years of age, single,
never had any occupation, and her religious
persuasion is not known.

This is the first attack of insanity,
has lasted from childhood and the cause
is ascribed to having been struck on the
head with a stone. She is neither suicidal
nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary
tendency.

Prior to admission she had a wild
appearance and roared and screamed at
the top of her voice when approached. She
could give no answers to questions and seemed
quite incapable of understanding. Her
mother stated that she had great difficulty
in keeping her night and had little or
no control over her.

On admission she was quiet, but had
a very vacant, silly appearance. She seemed
unable to understand anything said to her
and was quite unable to articulate the simplest
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She is in ordinary bodily health & condition.
She slept well during the night, has
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Elizabeth Whiston & Campbell 1866

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Was brought to the Asylum today from
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pauper patient chargeable to Old Monkland
Parish.

She is sixty one years of age, widowed,
was employed as a housewife and is a
Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has
lasted one month, and the cause is unknown.
She is very suicidal but not dangerous to others.
No known hereditary tendency.

Admitted 21st December 1866

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*Ann McLean & Ferguson**1866**December 25*

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January 2

Was brought to the Asylum today, from Morningside Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Biggar Parish.

She is forty years of age, single, was formerly employed as a servant, and is a Protestant.

She has been insane at any rate since 7 February 1865, and her parents thought she had been affected since May 1864. She was admitted into Edinburgh Asylum on 11th February 1865.

The cause of insanity is said to be religious melancholy. She is not suicidal, nor has she injured or attacked any one. There is no known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she is said to have laboured under dementia.

On admission her appearance was very absent, her manner was irritable, when spoken to she seldom gave any reply, but when she did speak her language was absolutely incoherent and she at times also talked quite incoherently when no one was speaking to her.

Bodily health indifferent. Condition spare.

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Jane Mc Broom & Stratton Dec 36

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from the City Workhouse Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to the City Parish.

She is thirty-six years of age, widowed, was employed as a sewer and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted ten days and the cause is unknown. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she laboured under delusions. Said she possessed a large sum of money to recover which she had, she believed instituted law proceedings, but that the bank was not possessed of as much money as would pay her demands. She also talked incoherently about the Almighty appearing to her in spiritual manifestations. She threatened violence to the other inmates of the Workhouse if they would not believe her revelations and two nights before admission dangerously assaulted another patient.

On admission she was free from excitement, had a melancholy appearance, and her mind seemed to be much preoccupied; when spoken to she replied to questions unwillingly and at times was incoherent. She said it was the world that owed her the money and that the sum is a hundred pounds.

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January 10

Was brought to the Asylum today, from 58 Tennant Street Glasgow and admitted as a Pauper Patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is eighteen years of age, single, was employed as a Domestic Servant and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity has lasted two weeks and the cause is unknown. She is suicidal but not dangerous to others. No homicidal tendency.

Prior to admission she talked in an exceedingly incoherent manner, laughed immoderately, and laboured under the delusion that those around her were persons altogether different from what they are. She was also very restless got up on chairs and upset the things about the house.

On admission she had a confused restless appearance, she rolled her eyes about from one thing to another and seemed quite unable to comprehend what was going on. She is very deaf and has to be spoken loudly to. She seems quite unable to understand any question put to her, sometimes makes an effort to reply but was always quite incoherent.

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Janet Picken & Campbell Dec 26

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January 11

Was brought to the Asylum today, from 188 Kilm Street Glasgow, by her son and daughter and admitted as a private patient.

She is forty six years of age, widow, was employed as a housewife, and belongs to the Free Church of Scotland.

She has been many times previously in Larkhall Asylum and was dismissed last upon 19th November 1866. (see page 242). The cause is Intemperance. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she had threatened to injure her son and daughter. She was very unwilling to speak, could not answer the simplest question rationally, was restless and lay in bed picking at the bed clothes.

On admission she was very confused and stupid, with a very dull expression of countenance. She sat with her head depressed upon her breast and was absolutely taciturn. She was quite passive and was led by an attendant to the Infirmary ward and put to bed.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from the City Workhouse Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is twenty-three years of age, single, was formerly employed as a Hair Dyer and is a Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted four days, and the cause is Epilepsy. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No relations known.

Prior to admission she was incoherent, excited and dangerous. She laboured under a monomania regarding her child who died shortly after birth still saying it was alive. She talked ramblingly of imaginary wrongs done her and threatened death to any one who stood in the way of her seeing her child, and this about three weeks after the death of the child.

On admission she had a fretful discontented appearance talked of her child as still being alive. Knew she was in an Asylum, was talkative and her language full of complaints of wrongs suffered but she said she thanked God there was nothing the matter with her mind.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from the City Workhouse Glasgow, and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to City Parish.

She is eighteen years of age, single, was formerly employed as a servant and is a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, has lasted one month and the cause is epilepsy.

She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she was quite imbecile, could not give any account of herself nor any rational answer to questions put to her. She at times became very irascible and talkative, her language being incoherent. Three nights before her admission here she left the work in the Workhouse and succeeded in hiding herself in a secluded part of the building.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from
Loran Workhouse (she resided at 69 King Street, London)
and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to
St. Mary's Parish.

She is twenty-five years of age, single, was
employed as a seamstress and is a Protestant.

She was formerly under treatment as a private
patient in this Asylum about two years ago. She
is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No known
hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission patient had hired a cab
when asked for the fare she would or could not pay
it. The cabman then drove her to the Southern Police
Office, where her mind having been found to be affected
she was sent to the Workhouse, where she was
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Was brought to the Asylum today from Govan Poorhouse Glasgow and admitted as a pauper patient, chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is thirty years of age, single, is a Domestic servant and a Protestant.

This is the first attack of insanity, the duration is one week and the cause is not known. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was weak and silly in mind, often talked incoherently and had delusions about the father of her child. She was very willful; at night wandered about the ward of the Poorhouse and endangered the lives of the other inmates by twice setting fire to the floor.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from Barragad House Asylum and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Cadogan Parish.

She is twenty-four years of age, single, no occupation and is a Protestant.

She is a congenital imbecile. Much suicidal nor dangerous to others. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she had an idiotic expression and was quite childish in her manner and conversation.

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Was brought to the Asylum today from 85 Fanchiehall St. Glasgow and admitted as a private patient.

She is thirty-four years of age, single is a farm servant and a Protestant.

She was formerly a patient in this Asylum about seven years ago. The duration of the present attack is about fourteen days and the cause is irregular menstruation. It is dangerous to others but not suicidal. No known hereditary tendency.

Prior to admission she was delirious, incoherent, constantly talking and very restless. She assaulted her father and mother and bit and struck with a stick a person who was in attendance upon her.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from the County Police Office Ardara and admitted as a Pauper patient chargeable to the Mountbellew Parish.

She is twenty-eight years of age, married, is a Housewife and a Roman Catholic.

This is the first attack of insanity, the duration is some months and the cause is Hereditary Predisposition. Her mother being insane. She is neither suicidal nor dangerous to others.

Prior to admission she had a wild maniacal appearance and talked incoherently. She passed the whole of last night without ceasing and was at times violent.

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Elizabeth Munroe Oct. 21

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from 7 Melville Street and admitted as a pauper patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

She is twenty-one years, single, is a domestic servant and a Protestant.

It is not known whether this is the first attack of insanity, but the duration of the present attack is a few days. She is dangerous to others but not suicidal. Hereditary tendency not known.

Prior to admission she had various delusions, as that people attempted to get the better of her in an improper manner, heard unnatural sounds and that people talked evil of her. She was proud and imperious, fancied she was a lady, that she was spoken of in the newspapers and ordered her relations to procure her fine clothes. She laughed and talked to herself, at times was dull and absent and at other times violent and excited.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from
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patient chargeable to Govan Parish.

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was formerly a servant and is a Protestant.
She was formerly a inmate of Longdale
Asylum, Birkbeck, but the duration of the
present attack is not known. She is not
suicidal but dangerous to others. She has
a sister at present in Longdale Asylum.

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Was brought to the Asylum today, from
Transient Private Asylum and admitted as
a private patient chargeable to St. Michael's
Parish.

She is fourteen years of age, no occupation,
and a Protestant.

Before being taken to Transient Asylum
she was a patient in the Asylum and is a
Congenital imbecile. She is not suicidal
but is apt to kick and strike the other
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Prior to admission she was incoherent
in her speech, sometimes surly.

Admitted 31st January 1867

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