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Sept. 5. 1846.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Archd. M. Arthur	52	Married	Provision Merchant	Common	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Was Lately Confined at the Asylum
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
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7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
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13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
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18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
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(*Signed*) Waterson

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, Joshua Paterson M. D. in Glasgow having this January 184 4
day carefully examined Archd. McArthur resident in the Infirmary
of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my
knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW
ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Joshua Paterson M. D.

No. II.

I, John Harvey M. D. having this day carefully examined
Archd. McArthur Infirmary hereby certify, on soul and conscience,
that I concur in the Certificate granted above. John Harvey M. D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John McArthur Ship Agent
Glasgow

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Archd. McArthur Mid Lothian Burgh aged Years,
is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum,
which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes
55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for
the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or
ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said
Archd McArthur

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(SIGN.) John McArthur Paterson
(ADDRESS) John McArthur

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Paterson
and Harvey, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS
or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed
Archd McArthur, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition,
declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 4 Days

GLASGOW, 5th
January 1844

A Stevenson

No. 1755

Glasgow, 5th January 1844

An Obligation has been granted by John McArthur, Rutherglen for the Board of Archd McArthur, now at the rate of Ten shillings and sixpence per Week.

John Barr, per Dond Cumbertson Treasurer.

Admit Archd Wardrum as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Wm Macewen Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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Jan.y 9. 1844.

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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, W. Mackinnon M.D in Edinburgh having this 9th January 1844 day carefully examined Mr John Ogle resident in the R. P. Lunatic Asylum of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

W. Mackinnon M.D.

No. II.

I, Robert Taylor M.D. having this 9 January 1844 day carefully examined Mr John Ogle hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Robert Taylor. M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Andrew Stone Ogle Author Glasgow

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Ogle my Brother aged about 35 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Andr S Ogle

(Address) 1 South Frederick Street

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Mackinnon & Taylor & Watchman, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Ogle, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 6 Days

Glasgow, 11th January 1844

Wm Hastie Bell

No. 1756

Glasgow, 12th January 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Andrew Ogle Esq^r 1. Co. Pitcaple &c.
for the Board of Mr John Ogle *at the rate of* Two Guineas
per Week.

John Barr
Fred^k Carmichael *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
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Jan. 11. 1844.

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Martin Stockdale Riches	28	s			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow 11th Jan.y 1844

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J. W. Pagan M. D.

No. II.

11 Jan.y 1844

I, William Ritchieson Physician having this day carefully examined Martin Rockdale Kirkes hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Wm Ritchieson M.D. Member of Faculty

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Henry Gregson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Martin Rockdale Kirkes aged twenty eight Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Martin Rockdale Kirkes

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Henry Gregson

(ADDRESS) Lancaster.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pagan and Hutchison, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Martin Rockdale Kirkes, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 11th January 1844

C. Alison

No. 1757

Glasgow, Jany 28th 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by John Dunlop Esqr, 120, Ingram St,
for the Board of Parish Govan Stockdale Rates, *at the rate of* One guinea
per Week.

Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 3, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

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No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Robertson & Son, Printers to the Asylum.

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Jan^{y}. 1st. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Johnstone					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow January 17 1844

I, Jas A Lawrie in Glasgow having this day carefully examined William Johnston resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Jas A Lawrie MD
Member of the Faculty of Physicians & Surgeons

No. II. Glasgow Jan 17 17 1843

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon having this day carefully examined Wm Johnstone hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Donald Campbell M. D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of David Johnston

Humbly Sheweth,

That William Johnston my Son aged Eighteen Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said William Johnstone.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) David Johnston

(Address) 11 Bentinck Place Glasgow

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctors Lawrie & Campbell, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed William Johnston, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within forty eight hours

Glasgow, 17th January 1844

Wm Hayford Gale

No. 1758

Glasgow, 17th June 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by David Johnstone Esq^r 11. Montagu Place, *for the Board of* William Johnstone *at the rate of* One Guinea *per Week.*

John Barr
Pro Dean Cathcartston, *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Physician.

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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Holdsworth & Son, Printers to the Queen.

Jan.y 17. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Alexander Watson	16	single	apprentice Rock Cutter	can read & write well	United Secession Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	has never been insane before
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about three months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	preceded for a week or two by frequent paroxysms of agitation and embarrassment of speech
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	great elevation of spirits in the prospect of being a block cutter (which he contemplated about [illegible] his illness) followed after he began to cut blocks by as great depression of spirits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	was very quiet and reserved in his manner
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	was very fond of reading — anxious to obey his master and much afraid of giving offence
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	was healthy at the present attack — complains occasionally of paroxysms of giddiness and pain of head
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	—
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none of his Relatives have been insane
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	a brother-sister died of water in the head
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	head was never injured
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	great anxiety of spirit from fear of his not succeeding in his new occupation
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	great restlessness — with occasional giddiness and pain of head
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	occasionally changes from an excited state to one of quietness and despondency
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	is apparently stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	no lucid intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	—
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	is afraid of those about him hurting him or of being bitten by serpents or other animals — is afraid that he will be murdered after death — has a great fear of meeting destruction. does animals attacking him when he is dark
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	has never made such an attempt
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	is sometimes furious when urged to take food or take off his clothes — or generally when opposed
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	[illegible] at first a little — shaved his head [illegible] was purged [illegible] afterwards had emetics — and antispasmodics [illegible]
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	was never in any asylum

(Signed) Andrew M'Watson

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Busby 12 January 1844

I, John Ross Surgeon in Busby having this day carefully examined Alexander Watson — resident in the Village of Busby hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

John Ross

No. II.

Newton Mearns 14th January 1844

I, John Pollock, Surgeon having this day carefully examined Alexander Watson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

John Pollock, Surgeon

, A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Andrew Watson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Alexr Watson My Son aged Sixteen Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Andrew Watson

(ADDRESS) Busby Mearns

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Ross and Pollock, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Alexander Watson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 14th January 1844

James Reid

No. 1759

Glasgow, 15th June 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Arthur Pollock Esq.r 19. Union St.
for the Board of Alexander Watson *at the rate of* Eight Shillings and six pence
per Week.

John Barr,
Jno Dun. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	miserable after death – has a propensity of tearing destructive. does animals attacking him when in bed
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	has never made such an attempt
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	is sometimes furious when urged to take food or take off his clothes – generally when opposed
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no
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(*Signed*) Andrew M'Watson

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Mearns Manse Sept 15th
1844

Dear Sir

The accompanying schedule regarding the last Watson, the Youngest of the two of whom I spoke to you I now send. And I have to request that you will have the goodness to procure the Sheriffs Warrant as it is not convenient for me to go in to town, and the Father of the Boy cannot well leave him. Mr Pollock has consented to sign the summary obligation: But I hereby request you to retain within eight days to take the requisite oaths. Upon you sending the Boy down to the Asylum tomorrow and will give the Father a note to you

I am Dear Sir
Your faithfully
D. MacKellar

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Dr Hutcheson
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Elsinore

Meaux January 15th 1844

Dear Sir

The Bearer is the Father of Alexander Watson of whom I wrote this morning — I should either write enclosing Money, or call to Mrs Cuthbertsons myself as I stated in my letter — Pray pay to the bearer if any more letters are received than what the Boy has or ——

Sam

Dear Sir

Yours faithfully

D. Mackellar

Dr Hutcheson
Royal Lunatic Asylum
72. St George's Place
Glasgow

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Jan. 19. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Arthur Long	21	Single	Ploughman		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	See No 26
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	4 or 5 weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Spirits rather elevated
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the oldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	unknown
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Very anxious to get into the Police as a Keeper in the Asylum
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Not at this time
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes in the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow for 3 Months in 1843. Discharged Cured

(Signed) Alexander Mac Lean Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Burnbrae January 19th 1844.

I, Alexander Carr Surgeon in Kilbarchan having this day carefully examined Arthur Long resident in the Parish of Kilbarchan Renfrewshire hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, He is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Alexander Carr

No. II.

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon Glasgow Jany 19th 1844
Arthur Long having this day carefully examined
hereby certify, on soul and conscience,
that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Donald Campbell M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Alex Long

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Arthur Long his Son aged 21 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

Arthur Long And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Alex Long

(ADDRESS) Burnbrae Kilbarchan

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Mc and Campbell, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Arthur Long, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 20 May 1844

William Stafford Bell

No. 1760

Glasgow, 19th January 1841

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Abel Summerville 26 Castle St Edinburgh
for the Board of Arthur Lang ~~~ *at the rate of* Eight Shillings and sixpence
per Week.

John Hare for Robt Cubbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

[illegible]	a Keeper in the Asylum
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Not at that time
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes in the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow for 3 Months in 1840. Improved [illegible]

(*Signed*) Alexander Mac Lauchlan *Surgeon*

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Jan^{y} 6, 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Lyle McCann	53	married	Spirit dealer	Inferior	Episcopalian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes — 5 years ago —
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	more or less singular in manner for some years but decidedly insane for a month past.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	—
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	—
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	A Tippler —
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Passionate — Egotistical —
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Bilious Diarrhoea — subject to.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Three — 21 years — & 14 years.
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	—
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	—
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Received a blow on head 5 years ago
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Sleeplessness Suspicion of Relatives — Incoherence &c
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	no decided lucid interval for a month occasional exacerbations
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain intervals.
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	wife & Brother &c have plotted for 15 years to poison him — Gone out of their place — can never get himself warmed. An angel from heaven has ordered him to shoot his brother &c —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has committed repeated acts of violence
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	See no 20.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Is mischievous.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing done.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	no.

(Signed) James McCann

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, James Adams — in Glasgow January 16th 1844 having this day carefully examined Lyle Mc. Cann resident in the of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

James Adams. Surgn
58 Rose St. Garnethill.

No. II.

I, John F. Mutter Surgeon having this day carefully examined Lyle McCann hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

January 16th 1844

John F Mutter Surgeon
30 Rose St
Garnethill

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James McCann

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Lyle McCann aged 53 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(SIGN) James McCann

(ADDRESS) 97 Cowcaddens St

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Adams & Mutter —, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Lyle McCann, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 18th
January 1844

Wm Rapp Dalzell

No. 1761

Glasgow, 19th January 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs Eliz. McCann, Spirit Dealer, Old Rutherglen; and Mr James McCann, 97 Cowcaddens,

for the Board of Lyle McCann at the rate of Eight shillings Sterling per week, with fee to Surgeon extra, 2s shillings per Week, Pay in all 10/6 per wk.

R Brown Jr. D. Tullis Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	An angel from heaven has ordered him to shoot his brother &c
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has committed repeated acts of violence
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	See no 20.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Is mischievous.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing done.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	no.

(Signed) James McCann

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1 1 0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1 11 6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2 2 0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the *current*, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Jan^{y}. 22. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Anderson Shaw.					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes. About Seven years ago.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Three days.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Not observed.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Had a wife deprived him
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	—
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	~~Some~~ A Brother much Eccentric.
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Unknown
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, John Panton Doctor of Medicine in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr John Anderson resident in the Royalty of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM. John Panton M.D. Member of the Faculty of

No. II.

22d January 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr John Anderson alone dupon hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Wm. Hutcheson M.D. Member of Faculty

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire or his Substitute.

The Petition of Andrew Anderson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Anderson — aged 30 — Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Anderson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Andrew Anderson

(ADDRESS) 213 Buchanan St. Glasgow

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Panton & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Anderson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 22 January 1844

C. Alison

No. 1762

Glasgow, 22d January 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Andrew Anderson Esq 76 Buchanan St
for the Board of Mr John Anderson *at the rate of* One Guinea
per Week.

John Carr
per Lan. Anderson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Jan. 23. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Melchio James	32	d	Tinsmith		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	This is the first attack
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About nine months since
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Intemperance — Epilepsy appeared about 6 months since
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or do otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Jan 22nd 1844.

I, William Lyon Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Ritchie resident in the Wynd Church Parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, He is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

William Lyon

No. II. Jany 22 1844

I James C. Douglas Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Ritchie hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. James C. Douglas

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Margaret Ritchie Widow

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Ritchie aged 32 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Ritchie

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Margaret Ritchie

(ADDRESS) 266 High Street Glasgow

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of William Lyon & Jas C. Douglas, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Ritchie, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 23 Jany 1844

George Shaw

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 28 Jany 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit James Ritchie into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) Peter Hill

(ADDRESS) Governor Town Hospital

No. 1763

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Given the questions answered as far as possible, & letter sent in writing, from the superintendent of the Poor & the neighbours

Jany 28. 1840

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Orrell Carmichael	55	Widower	Farmer	Indifferent	Presbyterian Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the date of previous attacks, and how treated.	For Five years and treated in the usual manner
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Five years
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Not that we are aware of
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	At the commencement considerable depression of spirits were observed
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Peculiarly absent but general character temperate
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	General character passionate
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None that we are aware of unable to ascertain
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Five living eldest 22 years Youngest 11 years
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Several the relatives are said to have been insane
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	A Sister of the Patient
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Not that we know of
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Cannot account for it
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Imagining ideas with delusive Patients
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Occasional Variations
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	At uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	His particular delusion at present is imagining himself Proprietor of all the Neighbourhood
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Not as far as we can ascertain
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes with Bludgeons or any convenient Weapon
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He is disposed to be mischievous
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He has been under restraint but a short time under Medical treatment
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

January 9th 1844

I, John McColl Surgeon in Appin having this day carefully examined Donald Carmichael resident in the Parish of Appin Shire of Argyle hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

John McColl Surgeon

No. II.

January 9th 1844

I, Daniel Livingston Surgeon having this day carefully examined the above Donald Carmichael hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Daniel Livingston Surgeon Appin

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Sir John Campbell Bart.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Donald Carmichael aged Fifty five Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Donald Carmichael

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Campbell

(ADDRESS) Benhams Green Edin.r

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr McColl and Livingston, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Donald Carmichael, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Six Days

GLASGOW, 13th Jany 1844

George Skene

No. 1764

Glasgow, 28th January 184[illegible]

An Obligation has been granted by Michael Howard Esqr. Southbank Glasgow *for the Board of* Donald Carmichael at the rate of Eight Shillings per week

per Week.

John Barr
per Dan[l] Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Supposes that Queen lives next door
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Not at present use has been addicted
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes with Shoulders or any Convenient Weapon
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He is disposed to tear his clothes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He has been under restraint but a short time under Medical treatment
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Feb 7. 6: 1844.

11.

At Ayr the fifth day of February Eighteen hundred and forty four years Intent the application given in and presented to Archibald Bell Esquire Advocate Sheriff of the County of Ayr and Andrew Jamieson Esquire Advocate his Substitute under the act 5 & 6 Victoria Cap 60 entituled "an act to alter and amend "certain acts regulating Mad houses "in Scotland: and to provide for the "custody of dangerous Lunatics" by James Ferguson Murdoch Writer in Ayr Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public interest against a person calling himself Charles Mc Bryde: The said Sheriff Substitute having considered the petition with the proof adduced. Found and hereby Finds it proved that the Defender Charles Mc Bryde is a Lunatic and dangerous Therefore Granted and hereby Grants warrant to commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be there detained untill his cure or until caution &

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caution shall be found for his safe custody: and if necessary Authorised and hereby Authorises the Procurator Fiscal to contract with the Keeper of said Asylum to whose care the said Charles McBryde is hereby committed, for the expence of his maintenance and that at the lowest rate charged for persons received into the said Asylum Found and hereby Finds that the parish liable ad interim for the maintenance of the said Charles McBryde is the parish of Old Cumnock and Decerned and hereby Decerns in favor of James Ferguson Mundoch Procurator Fiscal against said parish and John M'Kinnel Session Clerk thereof for the said sum of weekly maintenance Reserving the relief of said parish against all others as accords of Law: Found and Finds the Procurator Fiscal entitled to the expence of said application and consequent procedure from the Clerk of Supply. Extracted upon this &c

John Gray

This and the preceding pages by me
Sheriff, Clerk Deputy of the County
of Ayr.

John Gray

№ 1785

Unto The Honorable The Sheriff
of Ayrshire or his Substitute
The Petition of James Fergusson
Murdoch Writer in Ayr Pro-
curator Fiscal of Court for the
Public Interest

Humbly Sheweth

That by the act 4 & 5
Victoria cap 60, entitled "an act to alter
"and amend certain acts regulating
"Madhouses in Scotland: and to pro-
"vide for the custody of dangerous lunatics"
it is by section 3d enacted "That where
any furious or fatuous person or
lunatic shall have been apprehended
charged with assault or other offence
inferring danger to the lieges, or where
any furious or fatuous person or lunatic
being in a state threatning danger
to the lieges shall be found at large,
it shall be lawful for the Sheriff
upon application by the Procurator
Fiscal accompanied by a medical
certificate as to the condition of such
person from some medical person who
is

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either a physician, a has a diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons in Edinburgh or London or from the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow or who has a right to practice from having served in the Army or Navy forthwith to commit such furious or fatuous person or Lunatic unto some place of safe custody and the Sheriff shall thereupon direct notice to be given to the next of Kin (if known) or other relatives relatives of such furious or fatuous person or Lunatic, and shall also direct notice to be given in some newspaper circulated within the county of such commitment, and of his intention to enquire into the condition of such furious or fatuous person or lunatic on an early day to be named: and the Sheriff shall at the time named proceed to take evidence of the condition of such furious or fatuous person or Lunatic, and upon being satisfied

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that he or she is furious or fatuous or a Lunatic and dangerous, he shall commit him or her to any private madhouse licensed under the said recited acts or into any public hospital or public asylum willing to receive him or her: and in case there shall be no private licensed madhouse or public hospital or public asylum within the jurisdiction of such Sheriff, he shall commit such furious or fatuous person or Lunatic to some licensed private madhouse or public hospital or public asylum of some adjoining County, willing to receive him or her: and a licence shall be granted in respect of every such commitment to any licenced private madhouse as prescribed by the said recited acts, and such furious or fatuous person or lunatic shall be there detained until his or her cure, or until caution shall be found for his or her safe custody

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"custody, in which last case it
"shall be lawful for the Sheriff
"upon being satisfied as to such
"caution and the safety and
"propriety of such custody to autho-
"ize the delivery of the furious or
"fatuous person or lunatic to the
"person so finding security and
"the Procurator Fiscal is hereby
"authorized and required to con-
"tract with the keeper of the mad-
"house. Hospital or Asylum to
"whose care such furious or fatuous
"person or Lunatic is committed
"for the expence of his or her keep.
"ing or maintenance therein"

That a person has been ap-
prehended in Cumnock calling
himself Charles McBoyde accused
of having on the night of Monday
the 15th curt and on the public
high road near Cumnock been
guilty of uttering profane and
blasphemous language and in
behaving in a riotous and
disorderly John Gray

disorderly manner and on the same night of having entered into the Black Bull Inn at Cumnock aforesaid and persisted in remaining in said house, swearing that he would knock down the person in attendance and refusing to leave said house till forcibly put out, by all which furious conduct the safety of the lieges was endangered and the public peace greatly disturbed

That from the medical certificate herewith produced under the hands of William Whiteside M.D. it appears that the said Charles McBryde is a furious or fatuous person or lunatic being in a state threatening danger to the lieges if allowed to go at large.

That in these circumstances the petitioner is under the necessity of making the following application.

May it therefore please your Lordship to consider this petition and in

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in terms of the above quoted section and act forthwith to grant warrant for committing the said Charles McBryde into some place of safe custody: and to direct notice to be given to the next of kin (if known) or other known relatives of the said Charles McBryde and also to direct notice to be given in some newspaper circulated within the county of such commitment and of your Lordships intention to enquire into the condition of the said Charles McBryde on an early day to be named and at the time named to proceed to take evidence of the condition of the said Charles McBryde and upon being satisfied that he is furious or fatuous or a lunatic and dangerous to commit him to any private madhouse licensed under the acts 5 5 Geo: 3d C. 69 and 9 Geo: 4. c. 34 or into any public hospital or public John Gray

asylum willing to receive him:
And in case there should be no
private licensed madhouse or public
hospital a public asylum within
your Lordships jurisdiction to commit
the said Charles McBryde to some
licensed private madhouse or public
hospital or public asylum of some
adjoining County willing to re-
ceive him, a licence having been
granted in respect of such commitment
to such licensed private madhouse
and said Charles McBryde to be there
detained until his cure or until
caution shall be found for his safe
custody, all in terms of the said
act Fourth and Fifth Victoria
chapter Sixty

According to Justice

Ayr 20 Jany 1844 (signed) J. F. Murdoch

Pror Fiscal

Ayr 20 Jany 1844

The Petitioner produces Medical Repot
dated 19 Jany 1844

The Sheriff Substitute having con-
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sidered the foregoing Petition with the Medical Repot dated 19th Jany 1844, in the meantime Grants warrant to commit the said Charles McBryde to the prison of Ayr as a place of safe custody, and directs notice to be given to the next of kin, if known, or other known relatives of the said Charles McBryde that he will proceed to enquire into the condition of the said Charles McBryde as to his being furious, fatuous or a Lunatic, and dangerous upon Monday the 5th day of February next at 10 A. M.; and appoints notice thereof to be given in the Ayr Observer, Ayr Advertiser, and Edinburgh and Leith General Advertiser Newspapers, all in terms of the Act of Parliament 4 & 5 Victoria cap 60 (signed) And. Jameson

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Minutes of Court in Petition the Procurator Fiscal against Charles McBryde.

At Ayr the fifth day of February Eighteen hundred and forty four years

Sitting in Judgement Andrew Jameson Esquire Advocate Sheriff Substitute of Ayrshire

Appeared Charles McBryde referred to in the Petition and Complaint

Appeared also the Procurator Fiscal who produced the Petition and copies of the Ayr Observer of date 23d Jany of the Ayr Advertiser of date 25th Jany and of the North British Advertiser of date 27th Jany 1844, and execution against Janet McBryde or Millony wife of Charles Millony Hawker Westport in or near Edinburgh sister of the said ~~Janet~~ Charles McBryde also copy Intimation to the Session Clerk of Dumfries & acknowledgements from Session Clerks of Cumnock and Riccarton - and repeats the medical certificate John Gray

referred to in the Petition
Appeared also Mr Hood the Session
Clerk of Riccarton for the Heritors of
that parish - Also Mr White Writer
Kilmarnock for the Heritors and
Kirk Session of Kilmarnock

Appeared the following Witnesses who
were examined on oath by the
Procurator Fiscal viz.
Archibald McGowan residing at Lapon
Acre aged 21 being solemnly sworn
and interrogated depones That he
recollects of being at Kilmarnock on
the evening of Monday the fifteenth
of January current and he overtook
a person as he was coming out of
Kilmarnock on his way home. That
this person was shouting very loud
on the middle of the road and
crying "I am God Almighty, Paul
"Paul why persecutest thou me"
"Katy, Katy come and make my
bed and lie down with me" That
the deponent was alarmed and
returned John Gray

returned into Cumnock to get some person to go along with him That he got William Baird and John McCallum both residing in Cumnock to accompany him and they found the same person a little further on the road. That he now sees this person at the bar who calls himself Charles McBryde That the said Charles McBryde had a stick in his hand which he was shaking in a menacing manner and shouting in the manner above mentioned and using several oaths. That after passing him the two lads who accompanied the deponent were afraid to return by themselves in consequence of the outrageous appearance of McBryde who was still standing on the middle of the road and the deponent agreed to return with them to Cumnock in order to get the Policeman. That it was dark but they had a lantern with them: That they got Charles McKenna John Gray

McKenna Police Officer and returned again to the same place where they found him conducting himself in the same outrageous manner as before That he refused to tell his name to the Policeman and refused to go on the Road to Dumfries whither he said he was to proceed. That he proceeded along the road after a little and laid himself down in a ditch That the Police officer then told him to get up and to come with him to Cumnock but he threatened to strike him with his stick if he interfered with him, as he was on the King highway. That he was then apprehended and went quietly enough into Cumnock where he was put into the Lock-up. All which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God

(signed) Arch.d McGowan
" And Jameson
John Gray

Charles McKenna Police Officer residing in Dunnock aged 39 being solemnly sworn and examined deponed That on the night of the fifteenth January current Archibald McGowan a preceding witness came to deponent and stating there was a man behaving outrageously on the Dumfries road whom he was afraid to pass and this was between eleven and twelve at night. That having got a light they went out and found the man standing in the middle of the road vociferating a good deal, apparently singing at one time and praying at another and when he came up, the deponent asked him what he was when he answered that he was walking in the scriptures. He also said that "he made Paul and "that he was walking up and "down there till he went to Heaven" That deponent asked him where he came

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came from and he answered that he was "the Holy spirit" That he said afterwards he was from Dumfries where he was going. That the deponent told him to go on the road. That he then walked on and as one of the lads was afraid to pass him on his way homewards the deponent proceeded a short way in the same direction when they found the man lying in a ditch and they told him to get up to which he answered pointing to his breast that if they meddled with him he was dead. That from his conduct he thought he was an Impostor and the deponent then took him to Lumnock to the Lock up. That he said he knew the deponent was a policeman and that he was an infernal spirit. That next morning he told him his name was Charles McBryde and John Gray

and he conducted himself in a similar manner. That he identifies the prisoner That he appeared to the deponent to be an insane person to be allowed to go at large. That the deponent thought McBryde had got drink the night he apprehended him but he saw him daily while he was in Cumnock and also brought him down to Ayr prison and from his behaviour on these different occasions especially the last, when he was very outrageous, he had no doubt that he was insane. All which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God

(signed) Chas McKenna
And Jameson

George White Weaver in Cumnock aged 38 being solemnly sworn and interrogated deponed That he is keeper of the Lock-up-house at Cumnock. That Charles McKenna brought a person on the night of the

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the fifteenth January last to the Lock-up whom he now sees at the bar. That McKenna said that he had been behaving in an outrageous manner on the highway. That for three hours after he was put in, he was crying out incessantly, like a man out of his senses. That next morning he found him in a very excited state and when he looked into the cell the man put himself in a fighting attitude and said if the deponent came in he would put him down and also said that he was the Holy Spirit and second in power. That he remained there till Thursday morning and was rather more quiet but he occasionally burst out in the same furious manner as before. That the deponent was afraid of him and thought him an unsafe person. All which is truth as the deponent shall answer to

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to God and the prisoner being asked if he had any questions to put to the deponent as he had frequently interrupted him during his examination he says he was none, but that neither the deponent nor the rest of the witnesses had spoken a word of truth except as to finding him on the road and he says that this is the truth for it is the Lord who is speaking and this is also truth

(signed) George White

" And. Jameson

Hugh Mac Pherson Governor of the Prison of Ayr aged 49 who being solemnly sworn and examined depones That the Prisoner Charles McBryde has been in the prison since the eighteenth day of January last. That he was very much excited when he came into prison and prayed a great deal about God and the Spirit - That he behaved himself in a violent and outrageous manner in consequence of

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of which he was put under restraint some days after he came in and this had considerable effect upon him. That he occasionally broke out in the same sort of vociferation but with less violence and he checked himself when threatened with the handcuffs That it was the deponents decided opinion that he was of an unsound mind joined with a degree of cunning which in such cases is not unusual - and the prisoner being asked whether he has any questions to put to the deponent says that he has none as he has been always very civilly treated by him but that the under-keeper restrained him from using the divine praises and doctrines and praising the light in the clouds all which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God.

(signed) Hugh Macpherson
" And. Jameson
John Gray

William Whiteside Physician in Ayr being solemnly sworn and examined depones That he now sees a Medical report subscribed by him in process bearing date the nineteenth day of January last the contents of which are true to the best of the deponents knowledge and belief. That he has frequently seen and conversed with the prisoner Charles McBryde since the date of that report and he is of the same opinion that he is of unsound mind and dangerous. That he has now seen the depositions of the previous witnesses before emitted and observes that the prisoners statements and conduct therein mentioned are indicative of the same disordered state of mind and religious manner which the deponent observed when he conversed with him. All which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God

(signed) Will Whiteside
" And Jameson
John Gray

Ayr 5th Feby 1844

The Sheriff Substitute having resumed consideration of this Petition with the Proof this day adduced before him Finds it proved that the Defender Charles McBryde is a Lunatic and dangerous Therefore Grants warrant to commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be there detained until his cure, or until caution shall be found for his safe custody and if necessary authorizes the Procurator Fiscal to contract with Keeper of said Asylum to whose care the said Charles McBryde is hereby committed for the expence of his maintenance and that at the lowest rate charged for persons received in the said Asylum: Finds that the parish liable ad interim for the maintenance of the said Charles McBryde is the parish of Old Cumnock and decerns in favor of James John Gray

James Fergusson Murdoch Procurator Fiscal against said Parish and John McKinnal Session Clerk thereof for the said sum of weekly maintenance Reserving the relief of said Parish against all others as accords of Law: Finds the Procurator Fiscal entitled to the expense of this application and consequent procedure from the Clerk of Supply of which allows an account to be given in and the same to be taxed

(signed) And. Jameson

Follows certificate referred to in the deposition by Dr Whiteside

Ayr 19 Jany 1846

I hereby certify on soul and conscience that I have this day examined Charles McBryde prisoner in the jail of Ayr, and find him labouring under such a state of mental derangement, as to render him an unsafe person to be going at large

(signed) Will Whiteside. M.D.

A True Copy John Gray Clk Sup

Copy
Proceedings
ag.t
Charles W. Bryde
a Lunatic

1844

Charles McBryde

Augt 10 Feb 1844

Sir

I was duly favored with your Letter of the 8th Inst & now Enclose extract of the procedure regarding McBryde. I understood the Extract Warrant was all that was required, & as your Sheriff cannot reverse the Judgement of our Co not see of what benefit the extract proceedings can be. Please let me know on what authority or ground it is required, as it forms a considerable addition to the expense, & might perhaps be dispensed with on future cases. I am Sir

Your most ob Sr

J. F. Mundorff

Wm Hutchesen Esq
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Wm Hutcheson Esq. M.D.
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow
GLASGOW
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Glasgow Royal Asylum
for Lunatics Gartnavel
18 October 1844.

I William Allan Constable Dumfries by virtue of a warrant granted by Andrew Jameson Esquire Sheriff Substitute of Ayrshire with concurrence of George Keene Esqr Sheriff Substitute of Lanarkshire for the Removal of Charles M'Bride a furious [illegible] person and dangerous to the keeper from the Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatics to which he had been committed on the 6th of February last by Warrant of the Sheriff Substitute of Ayrshire, to the Crichton Institution Dumfries have this day received from the Officers of the said Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatics the person of the said Charles M'Bryde to be by me conveyed to the Crichton Institution of Dumfries—

William Allan

Dumfries 15 Oct 1844

Sir

The bearer Wm Allan Constable is sent with a warrant for the delivery of the Curatrix Mrs Boyde and must be carefully delivered up so that the officers and Curatrix can leave by the first train for Ayr in the morning after his arrival in Glasgow. I will remit you to morrow.

I am Sir &c

Chr. Hartley

Dr Cuthbertson Esq
Treasurer
Glasgow Royal Asylum
116 West George St
Glasgow

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Dumfries 15 Oct 1814

Sir

The bearer Wm Allan Constable is sent with a warrant for the delivery of the Curatie Mc Bryde and I trust he can be delivered safe to that the officers and Curatie can leave by the first train for Ayr in the morning after his arrival in Glasgow. I will send you to morrow

Wm Mc Dowall

Chr. Hartley

Dr Cuthbertson Esq
Treasurer
Glasgow Royal Asylum
110 West George St
Glasgow

To Cuthbertson Esq.
Treasurer
Glasgow Royal Asylum
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Glasgow

Wm Cuthbertson Esq
Treasurer
Glasgow Royal Asylum
110 West George Street
Glasgow

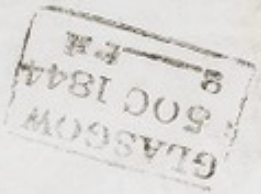
Dumfries 4th October 1844

Sir,

I beg to intimate that the Sheriffs of Ayrshire and Lanarkshire have granted Warrant of Liberation in favour of Charles Mc Bride a Lunatic Confined in the Asylum of which you are Treasurer in Glasgow and that Jessie or Helen of the Parish of Dumfries send a person from this to Glasgow on Tuesday to convey him to the Crichton Asylum here and will send the Board due to the 1st Inst along with the Person. The Person will also present the Warrant for Mc Brides Liberation.

I am Sir Your most Obt Servt

Chr: Hartley



Dr. Cuthbertson
Revd. Glasgow Royal Asylum
110 West George St.
Glasgow

Feb 7. 44. 1844

At Lanark the fourth day of February Eighteen hundred and forty four years. Sitting in Judgment Daniel Dove, Esquire, Advocate, Substitute of Archibald Alison, Esquire Advocate, Sheriff Depute of Lanarkshire. Anent the Summary Action and Complaint raised and pursued before the said Sheriff's Depute and Substitute, at the instance of Stephen Gray, Writer in Lanark, Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public interest, against James M.ᶜ Lachlan, son of John M.ᶜ Lachlan, lately tenant of Righead in the parish of Lesmahagow and County of Lanark, in terms of the Act of Parliament Fourth and Fifth Victoria cap. LX entitled "An Act to alter and amend certain Acts regulating Madhouses in Scotland; And to provide for the Custody of dangerous Lunatics 22.ᵈ June 1841". In which Action the said Sheriff Substitute of the date above written, Having resumed consideration

of

What is the rate of Wages charged for this Labour?
1/ or 6/- per day

of the Petition, with Medical Certificate, and Copy of the Glasgow Courier Newspaper of date the first day of February current, Containing Notice of the Commitment of the said James McLachlan and of the said Sheriffs intention to inquire into his Condition in terms of said Act of Parliament) with the proof adduced Found and hereby Finds that the said James McLachlan is a Lunatic and dangerous. And Granted and hereby Grants Warrant to Commit the said James McLachlan to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum there to be detained until his cure, or until Caution shall be found for his safe Custody. Extracted upon this and the preceding page, by me, Sheriff Clerk Depute of Lanarkshire.

Written by A. Davidson
Collated by John Webb
Signed 13th Feby 1844

I William Dickson, farmer Boghill who being solemnly sworn and examined deposes I know James M'Lauchlan now in Custody - I consider him to be an Insane person - I have known him for fourteen years and for some years past I have considered him to be Insane and being desired to state whether deponent can condescend upon any particular circumstance on which his opinion as to the recent state of M'Lauchlans mind is founded deposes - His father was Tenant in the farm of Boghead and was ejected from that farm on the 1st of June last and I was instructed to take charge of the premises for the proprietor. & when I went to the farm to attend to some crop under my charge upwards of a week after the ejection. I found James

Extract Decree

Warrant of Commitment

Stephen Gray J.P.

vs

Jas McLachlan

1844

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I William Dickson, farmer Boghill who being solemnly sworn and examined deposes I know James M'Lauchlan now in Custody - I consider him to be an Insane person - I have known him for fourteen years and for some years past I have considered him to be Insane and being desired to state whether deponent can condescend upon any particular circumstance on which his opinion as to the recent state of M'Lauchlans mind is founded deposes - His father was Tenant in the farm of Boghead and was ejected from that farm on the 1st of June last and I was instructed to take charge of the premises for the proprietor. & when I went to the farm to attend to some crop under my charge upwards of a week after the ejection. I found James

M^c Lauchlan now in Custody had a fire in the Dwelling House. I was afraid that he might set fire to the premises & I put out the fire. I had not been long home when he came to me enquiring by what authority I had put out the fire. I told him it was by authority of the proprietor, & he then said to me "well "you will remove immediately "from the lands of Boghill" I know he gave the same warning to other parties on the property - Boghill and Riggside both belong to D^r Fagan - M^c Lauchlan returned to Riggside and took possession of the premises again and some days thereafter I locked them up to prevent his getting access & the following morning I found that one of the windows had been broken in. which

which is truth as deponent shall answer to God

(sig.) William Dickson
Dan. Lee

John Cassie Messenger at arms Lanark who being solemnly sworn & Examined deposes By virtue of a Warrant from the sheriff of Lanarkshire I ejected John M'Lauchlan and his family from the Farm of Righead on the first of January last - On the twenty fifth of same month I was instructed to apprehend James M'Lauchlan son of said John M'Lauchlan on a charge of Malicious Mischief and I went for that purpose and the instant he saw me he accused me of having made a breach of and dishonoured the Law and that he therefore appre=

apprehended me and gave me in charge to my own assistants and said that he himself would go with them and see me put in Jail. & he accordingly came to Lanark, went to the Jail & was not satisfied until he saw me in a cell. He admitted that he had broken the windows at Righead in order to get into his bed & he claimed that property & house there as his own. He also claimed several other properties and in particular Douglas Mill & said a fellow called Lambert had got possession of it some how without his knowledge & that he would have him turned out. I have known James M'Lauchlan for several years & I have considered him insane during that period. Afterwards a year ago he preferred a charge against Mr Pollock Road Surveyor

Surveyor & he came to Lanark
riding on a horse without a
saddle or proper bridle in a
furious manner to get a warrant
to apprehend Mr Pollock It
was conceived proper to take the
Horse from him lest he should
injure the Lieges by furious
riding — He could give no
proper reason for demanding
a Warrant against Mr Pollock
All which is truth as deponent
shall answer to God. Deponer
further I conceive James
M. Lauchlan deponed to, to
be dangerous From the recent
statements made by him to
me I am satisfied that persons
occupying the properties which
he imagines to be his would
not be in safety if he were
at large which is also truth
as deponent shall answer
to God

(sig.d) John Cassels

Dan Lee

John M'Lauchlan who being
solemnly sworn & examined
deposes I reside at Fishill
in the parish of Lismahagow
My son James now in custody
has been in an unsound state
of mind for some years past
He has often threatened violence
to me when any thing crossed
him - about the end of Decem-
ber last I was doing some-
thing necessary to a Horses
foot & he got into a great
rage & ordered me to desist &
not compel him to knock
me into Eternity I was
ejected from Highhead on
first January last He
refused to leave it & go and
reside with me at Fishill
& said it was (and said it
was) his own property and
it was necessary for him to
reside at it & he often slept
there without a fire - & on one
occasion

occasion when we tried to prevent him he lifted his stick & threatened to strike his mother & me & would not be prevented from going - I consider it would be dangerous to allow him to go at large in his present state of mind - When he threatened me about the house as deponed to I was obliged to leave him to do with the house as he thought fit - All which is truth as I shall answer to God

(Sig'd) John McLachlan

Dan'l Rose

John Magisterbanks Labourer residing at Devon being solemnly sworn & examined deposes & concurs with the preceding witnesses as to James McLachlan now in custody saying that the property of Bayside was his - For the last month

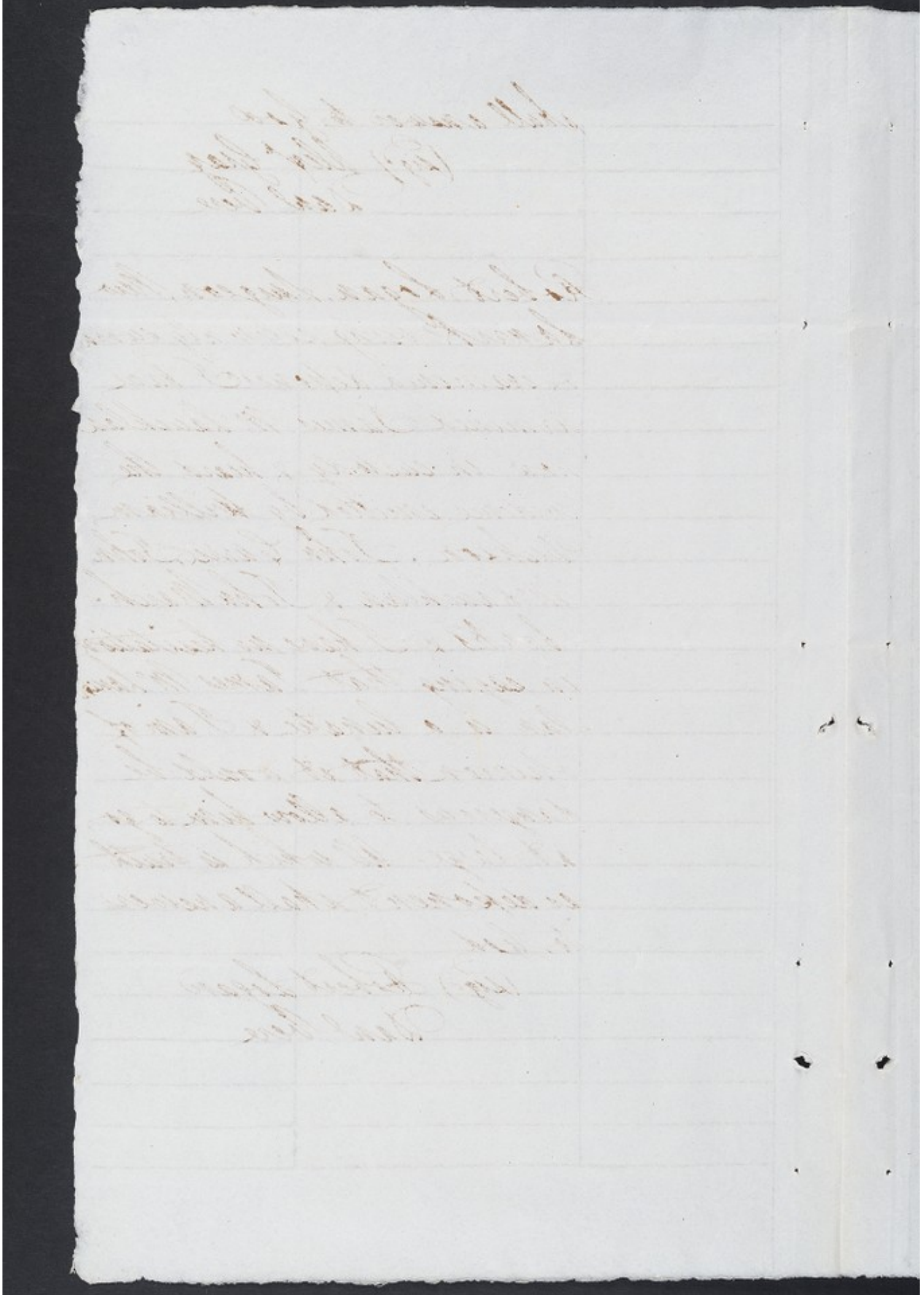
months I have had charge of the Cattle at Bigkead and he ordered me off the property with them. I conceive him to be insane, but I never saw anything dangerous about him. All which I depone to be truth as I shall answer to God

(Sig) John Marchbank
Dan Rose

Alexander Gray being solemnly sworn & examined deponeth I am a Physician & reside in Lanark. I have seen & examined James M'Lauchlan now in custody, & have also heard the foregoing evidence emitted & I am satisfied that James M'Lauchlan is a Lunatic & that it would be dangerous to allow him to go at large. All which is truth as deponent shall

shall answer to God
(sig.) Alex. Gray
Dan. Rose

Robert Logan, Surgeon, New Lanark being solemnly sworn & examined deponeth I have examined James M'Lauchlan now in custody & heard the evidence emitted by William Dickson, John Currie, John M'Lauchlan & John Marchbanks & I have no hesitation in saying that James M'Lauchlan is a lunatic & I am of opinion that it would be dangerous to allow him to go at large. All which is truth as deponent shall answer to God
(sig.) Robert Logan
Dan. Rose



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in Cause

The Pres. Fiscal

vs

James M Lachlan

1844

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 84; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeted only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

HUTCHISON & SON, PRINTERS TO THE ASYLUM.

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July 10 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Moore	24	Single	Farm Servant	Reads & Writes	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Six Months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Of a Stubborn, unyielding disposition
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	His Mother's Aunt was insane for a short period
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	His only Father is very eccentric when under the influence of spirituous liquor
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Dispute with his Master
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Disposed to work. Hinders his relations as mentioned to be in and speaking ill of them
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Sometimes he will be so composed that one [illegible] But [illegible] you cannot be any thing the matter with him
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Irregular
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	See Q. 15.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has several times struck his Father and Mother but better
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Has frightened Mother and considerable quantity of furniture.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has never been in any Asylum

(Signed) John Pollock Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Mearns 12th February 184/

I, John Pollock Surgeon in Newton Mearns having this day carefully examined James Mann resident in the Village of Newton of Mearns Renfrewshire do hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

John Pollock, Surgeon

No. II.

Mearns 12 Febry 184/

I, John Ross Surgeon in Busby having this day carefully examined James Mann hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

John Ross Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Mann

Humbly Sheweth,

That James Mann My Son aged 26 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Sign) John Mann

(Address) Newton Mearns

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pollock & Dr Ross, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed James Mann, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 16 Feb 1844

Wm Maitland Bell

No. 1768

Glasgow, 11th February 184 1.

An Obligation has been granted by Archibald Pollock Esqr 19. Union St.
for the Board of James Mann *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & Six pence
per Week.

John Carr
pro Dent Lut Bessen *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	—
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has several times struck his Father and Kicked his Sister
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Has frequently torn Clothes and a considerable Quantity of Furniture.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	—
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has never been in any Asylum

(*Signed*) John Pollock Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Mearns Mons Feb. 16th

1844

Dear Sir

The lad of whom I spoke to you some time ago has now become so troublesome that it is absolutely necessary to have him removed immediately — Will you have the goodness to get the Sheriffs warrant in course of today. And send out a Conveyance and you will either tonight about dusk or tomorrow morning about day light as it is only then he is to be got in the House — We are afraid ourselves to meddle with him — When they come to the Inn at Newton, any person will shew them his Fathers house — He board Schaller pay next week —

Yours

Dear Sir
Yours faithfully
D. MacKellar

D^r Hutchinson
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

Mearns Manse Feb. 16th 1844

Dear Sir

It having been found necessary last night to send the bad James Mann he is taken in to the Asylum in a cart sent in the Schedule to be subscribed by Mr Polock this morning as guarantee for his board & with a request that you would kindly get the Warrant from the Sheriff — As it is now a case of absolute necessity to have him in. I have no doubt you will see to send order his admission — Isabella is in town next week and pay the expences —

Love

Dear Sir

Your faithfully

D. MacKellar

Dr Hutchison
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

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When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Hedderwick & Son, Printers to the Queen.

Feb. 19. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Hastie	33	Wife	Miller & Merchant	Plain good	Free Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	About 8 years ago he had his first attack which was slight and he had several slight attacks during the next year which he had at his own request
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About a fortnight
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	There has no one
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	There has none
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	There was none
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	He is a moral child and peaceable
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	There is none
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	His clothes are not more than some
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	By his previous attacks he has been easily managed but in his present has been taken much occasions
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	A little more unruly latterly
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Rather increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	It has been pretty continuous
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Talks incoherently and occupies himself much with writing and drawing
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has been rather more unruly than treaten
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	occasionally but not to a great
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Has taken nothing but ward the Sabbath commandment
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(Signed) G Hamilton M.D.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Falkirk Feby 16 184 4

I, George Hamilton M.D. in Falkirk having this day carefully examined John Hastie resident in the Town of Falkirk hereby certify, on soul and conecience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

G Hamilton M.D.

No. II.

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I, Wm Cumbrough Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Hastie and I hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Wm Cumbrough Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Janet Johnston or Hastie Widow of the late Thomas Hastie Builder Falkirk

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Hastie, Son of the Petitioner aged thirty three Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Janet Hastie

(ADDRESS) Wharfside Lane Falkirk

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of G. H. Hamilton M.D. & William Cumbrough Surgn, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Hastie, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 18 February 1841

Wm Glassford Bell

No. 1769

Glasgow, 18th July 1849

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Robt Bay, Whitehouse Land, 76 Broadway Road *for the Board of* John Hastie _____ *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & Sixpence *per Week.*

John Carr
per Dan[l] Cuthbertson _____ *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Sheriff Steele 17 Woodside Broad
Sheriff Bell George's Road

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has been rather unruly from Mastur
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	occasionally but not a great de
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Has taken nothing but wait the Sabbath commandments
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Feb. 24. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Ann Cameron			Teacher		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
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(*Signed*)

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15.

Given at Kilcolmkill
Parish of Morven
this 16th day of Febry
1844.

I hereby certify
that John Cameron
Teacher in the Parish
of Morven, County of
Argyll, has been
labouring under insanity
since the month of
November last.
There is a constant
& most determined
inclination to commit
suicide, proceeding
apparently from re-
ligious despair.
He requires to
be

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Jas Kirkland

(ADDRESS) Parish Mill

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Jas Campbell *and* Mr Lachlan, *produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* John Cameron, *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 48 hours

GLASGOW, Febry 24th 1844 } George Sheriff

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 184

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit
into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of*
per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME)

(ADDRESS)

he strictly & constantly watched in order to prevent him from injuring himself: but he has as yet evinced no disposition to attack any other person.

He was several years ago affected with disease of the brain accompanied with slight convulsions & palpitation of the heart from which he perfectly recovered under the usual treatment

This I declare on soul & conscience

(signed) John McLachlan
a Prov. Coln. Surgeon.

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Jas Nisbet

(ADDRESS) Partick, Mill

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Jas Campbell *and* McLachlan *, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* John Cameron *, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 48 hours

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(NAME)

(ADDRESS)

15.

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And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Jas Aitchison

(Address) Partick, Mile

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(Name)

(Address)

15.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

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I, in having this day carefully examined resident in the of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

No. II.

Glasgow 24th Feby 1844

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Cameron hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Donald Campbell M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Nisbet

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Cameron aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

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(Address) Partick Mills

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Glasgow, Feby 24th 1844 George Mackie

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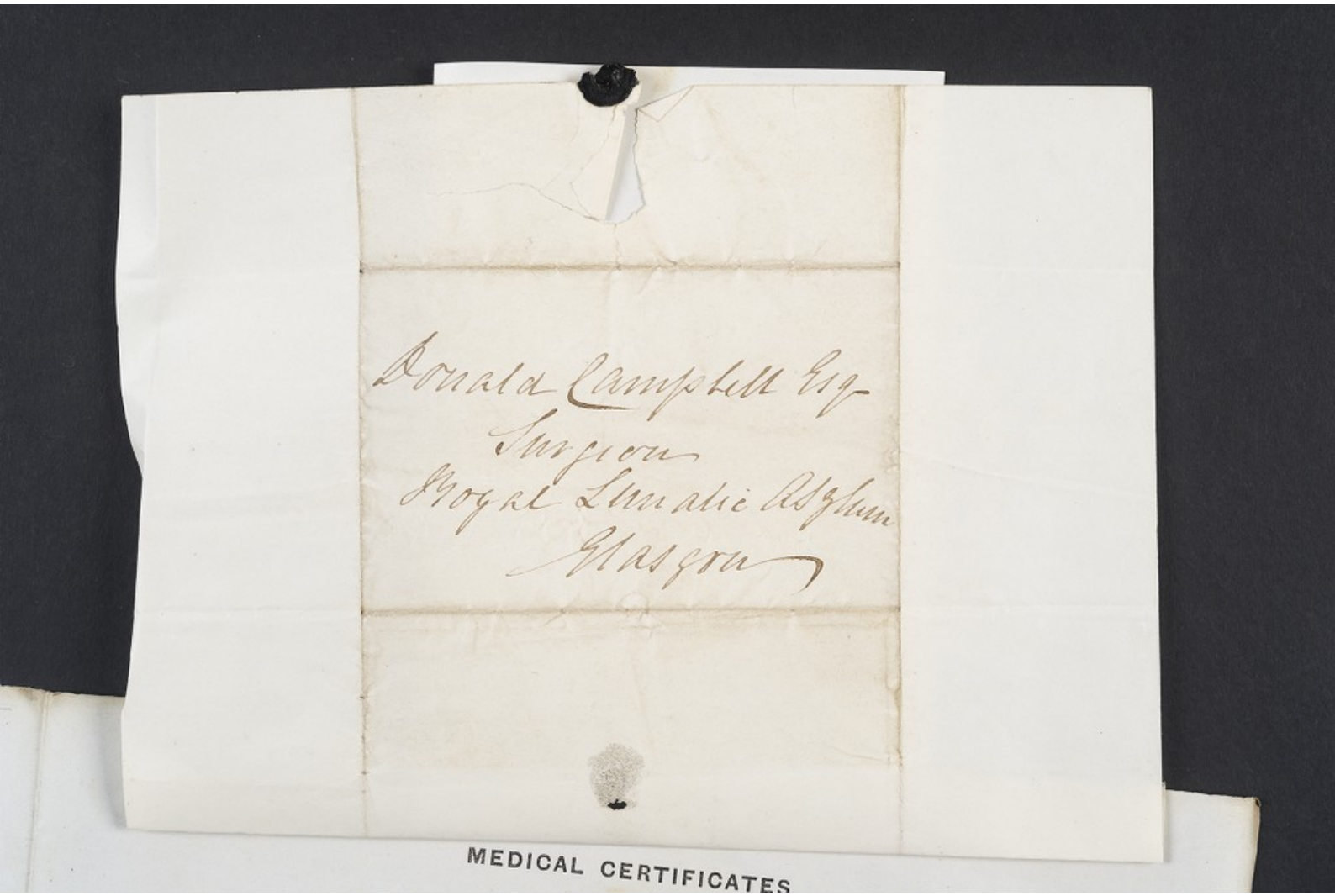
Glasgow, 184

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name)

(Address)


Donald Campbell Esq
Surgeon
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES

No. 1770

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed, in some, or all, of the following particulars, *viz.* in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with a proper suit of apparel, and with a sufficient number of those articles of dress which require to be washed. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum, after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive, ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

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Near Relatives, Guardians or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office, before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, the Physician; or to Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street, the Secretary and Treasurer. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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72. George Road.

July 2nd 1834

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Bright Hannah	30	S	Lingen	Good	Established

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	5 or 6 weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Intemperance
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Raving - Drinking - Epileptic fits
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow Feb. 25th

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I, John Wilkie Lapsley in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Bright Hannah resident in the Barony parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

J W Lapsley M. D.

No. II.

184/

I, David Walker Surgeon having this day carefully examined Mr Bright Hannah hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

D Walker Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honorable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Hannah Farmer Stobhill

Humbly Sheweth,

That Bright Hannah he, Brother Aged about 35 Years, is at present in such a state of mental deranagement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69. 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vict. Cap. 60. your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship, to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said Bright Hannah

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Hannah

(Address)

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr Lapsley and Walker, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Bright Hannah, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 26 Feb. 1844

Wm Hastie Bell

No. 1771

Glasgow, 21st Feb — 184

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Hannah Hobbs, Springburn,
for the Board of Mr Bright Hannah — *at the rate of* fifteen Shillings
per Week.

John Carr
Geo Dunlop Cathcartson, *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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WEST HOUSE:

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGION'S DENOMINATION.
Wm Henry Wilson	37	Mar	Manufacturer		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
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13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

25th February 1844

I, John Panton M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Henry Alston resident in the Barony Parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum. John Panton M.D.

No. II.

25th February 184 4.

I, [illegible] having this day carefully examined Mr Henry Alston hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Henry Alston

Humbly Sheweth,

That Mrs Henry Alston aged 37 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Christine Alston

(Address) No 11 St George's Road

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr Panton and Watt, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Henry Alston, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 26 Feb 1844

George Sheriff

No. 1772

Glasgow, 26th July 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs W. Watson, 110 Sth Frederick Street, Glasgow, *for the Board of* Mr Henry Allen *at the rate of* per week Fifteen Shillings *per Week.*

Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Physician.

To the Officers of the
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Feby 29 1844.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
David Dunn	42	Married	Blacksmith	None	Protestant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Three Weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Depression of Spirits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Love of Money
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	one 18 years of age
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Receiving Money
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Head shaved and blisters to no effect
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed) Mrs Dunn

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, William Craig Surgeon in Glasgow 26 Feby 1844
day carefully examined David Dunn resident in the Bell St
of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my
knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW
ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Wm Craig Surgeon

No. II.

I, James Jamieson Surgeon Feby 26 1844
David Dunn having this day carefully examined
that I concur in the Certificate granted above. hereby certify, on soul and conscience,

James Jamieson Surgeon
Glasgow

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mr Dunn

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That David Dunn aged 42 Years,
is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

David Dunn

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mr Dunn

(ADDRESS) No 76 Bell St Glasgow

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Wm Craig & James Jamieson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed David Dunn, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within forty eight hours from this date. —

GLASGOW, 27th Feby 1844

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GENTLEMEN, Glasgow, 27 Feby 1844

As you have agreed to admit David Dunn
into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of
Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige
myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) Peter Hill

(ADDRESS) Govern Lunatic Hospital

No. 1773

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

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Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Goldsmith & Son, Printers to the Queen.

Feb 29. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Cunningham	55	Single	Farm Servant	Rather inferior	Presbyterian. but a member of no church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes. About 14 years ago. He was treated in Fancy Farm, Greenock
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Eight days.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None observable.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Liked whiskey but for 18 months has not been the worse of liquor.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	General character quiet & peaceable
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	One illegitimate from 25 to 30 years of age.
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Not Known.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	Not Known.
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No: as far as is known.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Not Known.
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Pain in head & legs
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No.
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No.
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Of a religious nature
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes. He attacked his master with a group of threatens to take the lives of all who have put him under restraint.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He has torn his own clothes to pieces & broken his wardrobe — but this disposition is only occasional.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing except personal restraint to prevent his injuring himself or others.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes. He was in Fancy Farm Greenock for about 6 twelvemonth, twice dismissed cured.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Houston 29th Feby 1844

I, Thomas Smellie, Surgeon, in Houston having this day carefully examined James Cunningham resident in the Parish of Houston hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Thomas Smellie, Surgeon

No. II.

Kilbarchan 29th Feby 1844

I, John Munro - Surgeon having this day carefully examined James Cunningham hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

John Munro

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of the Kirk Session of Houston & Killallan

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Cunningham aged about 55 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Cunningham

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Peter Dale, Moderator of Kirk Session

(ADDRESS) Houston Manse, by Paisley.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jno Smellie & Munro, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Cunningham, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Feby 29th 1844

George Sheriff

No. 1774

Glasgow, 29th July 1847

An Obligation has been granted by the Rev. Peter Dale, Houston Manse, Houston,
for the Board of James Cunningham *at the rate of* Seven Shillings
per Week.

John Barr
for Dean Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes. He attacked his master with a prop & threatened to take the lives of all who have put him under restraint.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He has torn his own clothes to pieces & broken his watch.— but this disposition is only occasional.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing, except personal restraint to prevent his injuring himself or others.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes. He was in Fayer Farm Dreadnought for about 2 Twelvemonths, & was dismissed cured.

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

March 1. 1844.

Unto the Honourable The Sheriff of Ayrshire or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Ferguson Murdoch Writer in Ayr Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public interest

Humbly Sheweth

That by the act 4th and 5th Victoria cap 60 entituled "an act to alter and amend certain acts regulating Madhouses in Scotland and to provide for the custody of dangerous lunatics" it is by section 3d enacted "That where any furious or furious person or lunatic shall have been apprehended charged with assault or other offence inferring danger to the lieges or where any furious or furious person or lunatic being in a state threatening danger to the lieges shall be found at large it shall be lawful for the Sheriff upon application by the Procurator Fiscal accompanied by

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by a medical Report as to the condition of such person from some medical person who is either a Physician or has a Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons in Edinburgh or London, or from the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow or who has a right to practice from having served in the Army or Navy forthwith to commit such furious or Jalcous person or Lunatic into some place of safe custody: And the Sheriff shall thereupon direct notice to be given to the next of kin (if known) or other known relatives of such furious or Jalcous person or Lunatic and shall also direct notice to be given in some newspaper circulated within the County of such commitment and of his intention to enquire into the condition of such furious or Jalcous person or Lunatic on

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on an early day to be named:
and the Sheriff shall at the
time named proceed to take evidence
of the condition of such furious
or furious person or Lunatic and
upon being satisfied that he or she
is furious or furious or a Lunatic
and dangerous he shall commit him
or her to any private madhouse
licensed under the said recited acts
or into any public hospital or
public asylum willing to receive
him or her and in case there shall
be no private licensed madhouse or
public hospital or public asylum
within the Jurisdiction of such
Sheriff he shall commit such
furious or furious person or Lunatic
to some licensed private madhouse
or public hospital or public
asylum of some adjoining
county willing to receive him
or her, and a license shall
be granted in respect of every
such commitment to any licensed
private

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private madhouse as prescribed by the said recited acts and such furious or furious person or lunatic shall be there detained until his or her cure, or until caution shall be found for his or her safe custody in which last case it shall be lawful for the Sheriff upon being satisfied as to such caution and the safety and propriety of such custody, to authorize the delivery of the furious or furious person or Lunatic to the person so finding security: and the Procurator fiscal is hereby authorized and required to contract with the Keeper of the madhouse, Hospital or Asylum to whose care such furious or furious person or Lunatic is committed for the expence of his or her keeping or maintenance therein"

That from the Medical Report herewith produced under the hands of Fergus Robertson and Archibald &c. John Gray

Archibald Crawford, Surgeons, and dated Girvan 10th Feby: 1844 it appears that Mathew Bryden residing near Baryany house is a furious or furious person or lunatic and that he is in a state threatening danger to the lieges as appears from the circumstance of his having about the end of January Eighteen hundred and forty four struck Margaret Brackenridge or Bryden his mother with a chair or some other article and having seized John Bryden his old infirm father by the neck or neckcloth threw him in bed and attempted to drag him forcibly out of it and having since the foresaid time made other attacks upon them.

In these circumstances the Petitioner is under the necessity of making the following application.

May it therefore please your Lordship to consider this Petition and in terms of the above quoted section and

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and act, forthwith to grant
warrant for committing
the said Mathew Bryden unto
some place of safe custody
and to direct notice to
be given to the said John
Bryden & margaret Bracken-
ridge or Bryden his father
and mother the next of
kin or only known relatives
of said Mathew Bryden and
to Sirie Watt Session Clerk
and representing or acting
for the Parish of Daily where
said Mathew Bryden resides
& also to direct notice to be
given in some newspaper
circulated within the County
of such commitment and
of your Lordships intention
to enquire into the condition
of the said Mathew Bryden
on an early day to be nam-
ed, and at the time named
to proceed to take evidence
of &c John Gray

of the condition of the said Mathew Bryden and upon being satisfied that he is furious or furious or a lunatic and dangerous to commit him to any private madhouse licensed under the acts 5 5 Geo. 3d c. 69, and 9 Geo. 4 c 31 or into any public hospital or public asylum willing to receive him – and in case there should be no private licensed madhouse or public hospital or public asylum within your Lordships jurisdiction to commit the said Mathew Bryden to some licensed private Madhouse or public hospital or public asylum of some adjoining County willing to receive him, a license having been granted in respect of such Commitment to such licensed private Madhouse and

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and said Mathew Bryden to be there detained until his cure or until Caution shall be found for his safe Custody all in terms of the said act Fourth and Fifth Victoria Chapter Sixty and decern and ordain the said Parish of Daily and the said Ivie Willet as representing or acting for the same to pay such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the said Mathew Bryden in whatever asylum he may be committed reserving to the said Parish its relief as accords of Law. Further Decern against the Clerk of Supply for the petitioners expences in terms of the Statute.

According to Justice

Ayr 17 Feby 1844 (Signed) J. K. Murdoch

Girvan 10th Feby. 1844

Having &c John Gray

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Having this day visited Matthew Bryden near Bargany House, We do hereby certify that by his manner and the incoherency of his speech and bearing every way, we are fully of opinion that his intellect is deranged, and his complaint being nothing subdued owing to the want of coercion and consequently the necessary medicine & regimen, He is not unlikely in some of its paroxysms to injure either himself or those coming into contact with him.

Upon Soul & Conscience

(signed) Jerqus Robertson, Surgeon

" Archd. Crawford, Surgeon

Ayr 17th February 1844

The petitioner produces Medical Certificate founded on in the petition.

The Sheriff Substitute having considered this petition, Medical certificate produced, and Act of Parliament founded on, Grants warrant to commit the said Matthew Bryden designed in the petition

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petition to the prison of Ayr as a place of safe custody ad interim: Farther appoints the petitioner to give notice to the said John Bryden & Mrs Margaret Brackenridge or Bryden and also to the said Wm Willet, and also notice in the Ayr observer or Ayr advertiser Newspaper of this Commitment: and that the Sheriff will on Wednesday the twenty eighth February Current at 11 A.M. within the Sheriff Court house of Ayr proceed to enquire into, and take evidence on the condition of the said Mathew Bryden as to his being furious, Furious or a Lunatic and dangerous: Grants warrant to cite witnesses and ordains them and the Saids John Bryden and Mrs Bryden and the said Wm Willet for their several interests, to attend said diet, with certification.

(Signed) A. Ind. Jameson.

At Ayr the twenty eighth day

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day of February Eighteen hund
red & forty four years.

Sitting in Judgement Andrew Jameson
Esquire Advocate Sheriff Substitute
of Ayrshire

Appeared Matthew Bryden referred to in the
Petition & Compliant

Appeared also the Procurator Fiscal who
produced the petition & Copy of the Ayr
advertiser 22d Feby. Execution of Citation
against witnesses. Medical report by
Messrs Robertson & Crawford, Surgeons,
dated 10 Feby 1844 and two letters from
the Revd D. Strong Minr. of Dailly
dated 12 & 14 Feby 1844, addressed to
the Pror Fiscal.

Appeared also Davie Willet Session Clerk
of Dailly for behoof of the parish
of Dailly.

Appeared also the following witnesses who
were examined on oath by the Pro-
curator Fiscal viz

Margaret Brackenridge wife of John Bryden
residing near Bargany house in the
parish of Dailly aged 60 who being

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solemnly sworn and examined deposes that her son Mathew who is 32 years of age came in April last to live with the deponent, having been unwell and obliged to leave Coalbridge where he was working as a weight. That when he came home he complained of being troubled with evil spirits and bewitched and that the spirits haunted him at night. That he was quite peaceable in his behaviour, That he continued in this state till about four weeks ago when he became more violent and said that he must have a better bed than the one he slept in as he was heir to the estate of Bargany and he struck the deponent with a chair for refusing to change his bed in which he said there were spirits and witches. That he gave his father a shake by the breast and tore down the hangings of the bed. That the deponents husband is a very weak old man and is at present confined to bed. That she had

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applied to the minister of the parish to get some one to assist her as she was much alarmed by her sons outrageous behaviour. That the Minister sent John Duff to assist her. That before he came her son had again thrown a chair at her and showed violence in his behaviour, in consequence of all which the Deponent was alarmed for the safety of her husband and herself. That she believes her son is at present disordered in his mind but she has great hopes that through proper treatment he may yet recover. That she never observed any thing wrong about her son till he came home in April last. That she would be apprehensive of danger to herself and husband if her son was to live with them in his present state. All which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God and adds that she cannot write from defect of sight.

(Signed) And Jameson

John Duff Witness

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John Duff. Sawyer, Bargany aged 27 years who being solemnly sworn and examined deponeth that about four weeks ago he went to the house of John Bryden to take care of his son, at the request of the minister of the parish. That he found Matthew in a state of excitement and the chaff bed in which he slept was lying at the outside of the door. That Matthew told him he could not sleep upon it as it was full of spirits and his father and mother complained that he was injuring them. That another time the deponent was called to come and assist in protecting the family and John Bryden then stated that his son had attacked him with a chair. That John & his wife are the only persons who stay in the house the other son William being afraid to remain in consequence of his brothers conduct: That Matthew never attacked the deponent but he was often

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afraid that he would. That his manner was excited and alarming. That he has no doubt that Matthew is at present insane and from all he has observed he is of opinion that the old people would not be in safety if he were allowed to remain in the house. That John Brydon is a very infirm old man. all which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God

(signed) John Duff
" And: Jameson.

Hugh Macpherson Governor of Ayr prison aged 49 who being solemnly sworn and examined deponeth that since Matthew Brydon came to prison he has behaved quietly. That he always answered any simple question distinctly. That he has not seen any thing outrageous in his conduct. That he has remarked a certain stupidity and inactivity about him. That he differs from other insane prisoners whom he has seen but he is convinced that he labours

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under some unsoundness of
mind: All which is truth as the
deponent shall answer to God
(Signed) Hugh Macpherson
" Alex. Jameson

Fergus Robertson Surgeon Irvine aged
25 who being solemnly sworn and
examined, deponeth That he gave
in the Medical Report which he
now sees dated 10th Feby 1844 as
to the condition of Matthew Brydon
who now appears to be in the same
condition as when he last saw
him, That the medical report is
correct and he believes Matthew
Brydon to be of unsound mind
and dangerous. That he thinks he
would require coercion for some
time before any hope could be entertained of his recovery. All which
is truth as the deponent shall
answer to God.

(Signed) Fergus Robertson
Alex Jameson.

Sworn 28 Feby 1844
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The Sheriff substitute having resumed consideration of this petition with the proof this day adduced before him: Finds it proved that the said Matthew Brydon is a Lunatic and dangerous, therefore grants warrant to Commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be there detained until his cure, or until caution shall be found for his safe custody and if necessary authorizes the Procurator Fiscal to Contract with the keeper of said Asylum to whose care the said Matthew Brydon is hereby committed for the expence of his maintenance and that at the lowest rate charged for persons received in the said Asylum: Finds that the parish liable ad interim for the maintenance of the said Matthew Brydon is the parish of Dailly and decerns in favor of James Fergusson Murdoch Procurator Fiscal against said parish and Dric Millar Session Clerk thereof for the said sum of Weekly maintenance, reserving

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the relief of said parish against all others as accords of law: Finds the Procurator Fiscal entitled to the expence of this application & Consequent procedure from the Clerk of Supply of which allows an account to be given in and the same to be taxed. one word delete—

(Signed) And Jameson
John Gray

I hereby certify that what is Contained upon this and the Seventeen preceding pages is a true Copy of the proceedings

John Gray
Clk Dep

Certified Copy
Proceedings
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Mathew Bryden
a Lunatic
Feby 1844
Ayrshire

Dear Sir,

Matthew Bey.

Can who accompanies the
officer was committed to
your asylum by order of
the Sheriff. I sent the
proceedings to you last
night by post but would
them in case they should
not yet have reached
you.

Yours truly

J. F. Mundock

Augt March
1844

Dr. Bulchen

Royal Lunatic Asylum

Glasgow

Matthew Bryden.

County Buildings
Augr 29 Feb 1844

Dear Sir,

This individual has been ordered for Confinement in your Asy. here by the Sheriffs warrant. I enclose Extract of the Proceedings. He will be sent by the Train which leaves this Morning at Eleven oclock.

Yours truly
J. Fr. Maundsell

Dr Hutcheson
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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March 4. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Jane Hunter	35		Shoemaker		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	3 years
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	2 Months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Habitual
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	none
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Constant Joy
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	no
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Sometimes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	To the Glasgow Asylum once before

(Signed) Wright Carmichael D.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Govanston, 4 March 1844

I, Joseph Heming Surgeon in Govanston having this day carefully examined John Hunter resident in the Govan of do hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Joseph Heming Surgeon

No. II.

Govan 4 March 1844

I, William Brown, Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Hunter hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

William Brown MD

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Hunter aged 35 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) for Wm Hunter Brown

(ADDRESS) Wright Crescent

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Heming & Brown, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Hunter, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW 5th Mar 1844

Wm Stewart Bell

No. 1776

Glasgow, 4th March 1841

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs Andw Munro 332 and John Crampsie 321 Argyle St.
for the Board of John Hunter *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & Sixpence
per Week.

John Hart
per Robt Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Not
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Not
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Occasionally
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	For the Glasgow Asylum once Relieved

(Signed) Mrs Andw Munro

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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March 6. 1844

Glasgow 6 March.

Unto the Honourable, The Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The Petition of Peter Hill

Humbly Sheweth,

That James M. Kay

aged about 40 years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper he should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hand of Drs Dick & Easton - Surgeons in Glasgow

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III. Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV. Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a Public Hospital or Lunatic Asylum is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital, to receive the said James M. Kay

and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Peter Hill

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of

Drs Dick & Easton, Surgeons in Glasgow

produced. Grants Warrant for placing the within designed

James M'Kay

into the *Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum*, or *Town's Hospital*, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition.

Glasgow, 6 Mar 1844

Wm Stafford Hall

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Glasgow 5 March 1844

We John Dick & J. A. Easton Surgeons in Glasgow

having this day examined James M'Kay

resident in the Police Office *of this City*

hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that to the best of ~~my~~ our *knowledge and belief* he *is insane, and a proper patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.*

John Dick Surgeon

J. A. Easton M. D.

Town Hospital, March 1844

I bind myself on the part of the Town's Hospital, to pay the sum of Seven Shillings Weekly, for the Maintenance of James Mc Nay in the Lunatic Asylum. And to Conform in all other respects with the Regulations of that Institution

Peter Hill

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Alexander		Single	Merchant	Liberal Moncath Edin	Protestant Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never insane before the present attack.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about six months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None that I am aware of.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	always of a cheerful & happy disposition.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Mind very much occupied & usually talks about the business
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	None.
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Same of opinion that over anxiety about Business is the Cause. 2.
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Great nervous irritability, and occasionally symptoms approaching Epileptic fits
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	Rather getting worse
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Rather Increasing.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Yes sometimes feels pretty well but memory always defective
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain Intervals.
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	No permanent delusion, mind generally occupied about business. Delusion about left leg being 60 times greater than the right
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Never.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Head Leeched, Blistered, slight course of Mercury & afterwards Tonics. Slight improvement (temporary)
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never.

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. March 9th

I, R. D. Tannahill Surgeon in Kirkintilloch 184 4 having this day carefully examined Mr James Alexander resident in the Parish of Cadder. hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

R. D. Tannahill Surgeon

No. II.

11 March 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr James Alexander hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Wm. Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinburgh Member of the Faculty of Physicians & Surgeons of Glasgow

***A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Alexander Farmer Cadder.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That his son James Alexander aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Alexander my Son

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Alexander Farmer

(ADDRESS) Lock Cadder Parish

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Messrs Tannahill & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Alexander, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 12 March 1844

George Rose

No. 1779

Glasgow, 11th March 184

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Alexander Merchts Court, St Ryphst.
for the Board of James Alexander at the rate of Fifteen shillings
per Week.

John Barr
pr Douglas Robertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	Delusion about eyes seeing 60 times greater than the right
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Never.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Head Leeched, Blistered, slight comes. Mercury &c afterwards Tonics. slight improvement Compivan
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never.

(*Signed*)

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March 11. 1844

Glasgow 11 March 1844

Unto the Honourable, The Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The Petition of Peter Hill

Humbly Sheweth,

That William Telfer

aged about years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper he should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hand of Drs Robertson & Wait, Surgeons in Glasgow

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III. Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV. Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a Public Hospital or Lunatic Asylum is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital, to receive the said William Telfer

and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Peter Hill

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of

Drs Robertson & Sait, Surgeons in Glasgow

produced. Grants Warrant for placing the within designed

William Tofts

into the *Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum*, or *Town's Hospital* in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition.

Glasgow, 11 Mar 1844

Wm Muff Bell

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Glasgow 9 March 1844.

I William Sait Surgeon in 53 Maxwell St of Glasgow

having this day examined William Tofts

resident in the Parish *of* St Enoks 22 Summerbank *hereby certify, on soul and*

conscience, that to the best of my knowledge and belief he *is insane, and a proper patient for admission into*

the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.

William Sait
Surgeon

Concurs
G Robertson M.D.
53 Glassford St Glasgow
9th March 1844.

Town's Hospital 11 March 1841.

I bind myself on the part of the Town's Hospital, to pay the sum of Seven Shillings weekly for the maintenance of William Pelfer in the Lunatic Asylum, and to conform in all other respects with the Regulations of that Institution, with regard to the said William Pelfer

Peter Hill

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
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I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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March 12. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
David Main	43	M	Labourer	Ordinary	

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Once before under Asylum Records
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	14 days
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	On all subjects
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in this Asylum 4 times previously 19 Octr Cured

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow 12 March 1844.

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined David Allan resident in the Town of Falkirk & now in Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Donald Campbell M.D.

No. II.

Glasgow 1844 14 March

I, Robt Fleming Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined David Main hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Robt Fleming Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Wm Main

Humbly Sheweth,

That his brother David Main aged forty three Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said David Main

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Wm Main

(Address) Garrison by Falkirk

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Campbell and Fleming, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed David Main - - , in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 13th March 1844

William Hastie Bell

No. 1781

Glasgow, 12th March — 1847.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Wm Marshall, Supr of Poor, Falkirk

for the Board of David Main — *at the rate of* Eighteen shillings per fortnight

per Week.

John Barr
Jr Dean Cuthbertson — *Treasurer.*

Admit — *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

— *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means? *	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in the Asylum Edinburgh 19 Octr Cured

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 21, may be answered in a separate note, and seal. sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of these Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

184

I, Robert S. Orr M.D. resident in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Robert Scott Jones resident in the City of Edinburgh hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Robert S. Orr M.D.

No. II.

184

I William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr Robert Scott Jones hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Wm. Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edin. Member of the Faculty of Physicians & Surgeons Glasgow

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Robert Scott Jones

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Scott Jones Clerk his grandson aged about 30 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 69, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Robert Scott Jones

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) R. Scott

(ADDRESS) 18 South Street Edinburgh

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctors Orr Watchesson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Scott, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days

GLASGOW, 15 March 1846

Wm Glassford Bell

No. 1782

Glasgow, 15th March 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by R. Scott Esqr *for the Board of* Wm Robertson Jones *at the rate of* One pound eleven shillings & sixpence in the meantime *per Week.*

John Dan

[illegible] *Treasurer.*

Admit Wm Robertson Jones *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Wm Mulchester *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit anyact of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 8, 9, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and seal, sealed, to the Physician.

Lodge 29 Hanover Road.

16th March.

My dear Sir

I received a note last night from Miss Jones, informing me that her Brother has been removed, to be under your care in the Royal Asylum at Glasgow - an arrangement in which my Father and Family concur, and some time ago suggested to Mrs Orr, but owing to the patient's

Victor's great objection to ag
such an arrangement, he pr
desisted from the proposal
not commenced a system
of torture from which Jo
some benefit, although certainly
very partial, has accrued.

I regret that not an
opportunity of meeting Yo
in the case, which might
have been a satisfaction
to the Misses Jones, and would
certainly have been very pro

to agreeable to me, and
the perhaps in a professional
point of view, would have
been advisable, however
in Jonspare your time very
shortly, and the final
step being somewhat
hurried, it was scarcely
advisable -

Your Mrs Jones's case, is
one, wherein but little ad-
vantage is to be expected
from Medicine, but a Blood

Dun great benefit from
the use of Castor oil in some:
: times Epilepsy, Administered
it in repeated Does with some
success, but a severe attack of
the disease taking place, I was
induced to try small Does of
the Nitrate of Silver, under which
treatment the fits have less
frequent, but a marked
change for the worse, as:
: cured in his mouth
sounds Thrush about him,
and he seems to trouble-
-some as to lead to the

merits of his removal.

This detail of his case I give you at the request of Miss Jones, which to-gether with the interest I feel in my patient, must be my excuse for troubling you -

Yours

Jane Smith

R. Thompson

Dr Hutchison

Royal Asylum

Glasgow.

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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March 21. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Hugh Smith Turner	37	Single	Writer		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Cant say but so far as could judge was Sane
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Came on so by degrees could not name a date, have no doubt now for 2 weeks back
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Stomach Bowels about 15 years worse for 12 months back
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	more violent in his temper generally low in Spirits, but for 3 weeks noticed unusually high
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	high tempered & flighty
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	for some weeks buying property of many descriptions — formerly very careful of money
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	same as no 3
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	none
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	no
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	disorder of the Stomach Bowels aggravated by taking Spirits although not in large quantity
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	same as no 6
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	dont Know
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	dont Know
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	been only 3 times highly excited since Tuesday
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	cant say
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	but not cant say
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	no
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	been very violent in speech
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	broke a chair upon the door this morning
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	put under Dr John M'Farlanes treatment yesterday morning put by Dr Jay pd Glasgow & Rouste taken to
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	no see

(Signed) Hugh Smith,

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow, March 21st 1844

I, John Marsfarlane M.D. in The City of Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Hugh Smith resident in the City of Glasgow. hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

John Marfarlane M.D.

No. II.

Glasgow 21. March 1844

I, James Watson M.D. — having this day carefully examined the above Mr Hugh Smith — hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. James Watson, M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of W. Hugh Smith, Merch. Glasgow

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Hugh Smith Junr. aged 32 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Hugh Smith Junr.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Hugh Smith

(ADDRESS) 14 Blythswood Sq.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Marfarlan and Watson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Hugh Smith Junior, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 21st Mar 1844

Wm Macfarlane Clerk

No. 1783

Glasgow, 21st March 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Peter Smith Esqr. 11 Royal Crescent *for the Board of* Hugh Smith Senr. *at the rate of* Three Guineas *per Week.*

John Barr
for Dond Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Hugh Smith Esqr. *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Wm Wallace M.D. *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	cant say
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	no
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	been very violent in speech
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	broke a chair upon the door this morning
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	put under Dr John M'Farlanes treatment yesterday morning
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	never

put by Dr Jay
pd Glasgow
Hamilton taken home

(Signed) Wm Smith

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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WEST HOUSE:

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March 25. 1844.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Stewart	25	Single			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	always insane
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Getting worse
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Goes from close to close
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	has a brother insane — Father Brother at present insane
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	no change
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	By hanging himself.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Struck his brother with a hammer
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

March 22 1844

I, [illegible] Surgeon in Port Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Stewart resident in the village of Port Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

[illegible] Surgeon

No. II.

Greenock 23rd March 1844

I, James Paterson M.D. Glasgow John Stewart having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. James Paterson, M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John M'Laren,

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Stewart aged 25 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

* * * * And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John M'Laren

(ADDRESS) 36 North Albion Street Glasgow

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Wm Young of James Paterson Surgeon, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Stewart, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 26 March 1844

Wm Young Alex. D. Bell

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 25 March 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit John Stewart into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Laren Clerk Treasurer

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1784

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
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March 27. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Macallam	53	Married	Weaver	Can read & write	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never before insane
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	To a partial extent, four months.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	A fondness of liquor was all that was observable before his insanity became marked.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	A habitual & heavy drinker, but not given much to drinking.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Of a quiet & inoffensive temper
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	No bodily disease
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the oldest and youngest.	Five children eldest 20 years of age, a married woman youngest a girl 8 years of age
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	He had an uncle insane & his sister's son is at present insane.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never injured
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Can assign no cause
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Restlessness & delusive fancies.
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	Only a change in degree to the worse
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None very marked
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	No
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	His first & chief delusion was imagining that his head was diseased, & that bones were protruding from the roof of his mouth & crown of his head: at present he supposed that his house, wife, & family are destroyed by fire.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	He cut out of the house twice naked, & was once found in a ditch 4 miles up the country.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Tonics have been prescribed to him without success.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never in any asylum

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow March 25 1844

I, Dr Adam Lawrie in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John MacAllan resident in the Parish of Killearn hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Dr Lawrie M. D.
Member of the Royal Physical Society

No. II.

Glasgow March 25 1844

I, W Campbell Surgeon having this day carefully examined John MacAllan hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

W Campbell Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Andrew Maccallan, Gardener, Campsie,

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Maccallan, my Brother, aged Fifty three Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said John Maccallan.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Andw McAllan

(Address) Campsie

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Lawrie & W R Campbell Surgeon, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Maccallan, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two Days.

Glasgow, 27th March 1844

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No. 1785

Glasgow, 27th March 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by James Reid Esqr Union Bank of Scotland *for the Board of* John Macallan ——— *at the rate of* Eight shillings and sixpence *per Week.*

John Carr
for Dan Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit ——— *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

———— *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	by mouth to cross the Road: at present he supposes that his Horses, wife & family are destroyed by fire.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	He ran out of the house twice naked, & was found in a ditch of water up to the middle.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
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March 29. 1844.

At Glasgow the third day of April Eighteen hundred and forty four years Sitting in Judgement Henry Glassford Bell Esquire Advocate Sheriff Substitute of Lanarkshire Anent the Petition and Complaint of George Salmond Writer in Glasgow Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public interest against James Calder residing in the Village of Chryston in the parish of Cadder a furious or fatuous person or Lunatic as more fully mentioned in said Petition & Complaint presented under the Act 4 & 5th Victoria Cap 60 Sect. 3. 45

Curia legitime affirmata

The Sheriff Substitute Having resumed Consideration of this Petition together with the Concluded Proof Found and Hereby Finds it proved that the Defender James Calder is a Lunatic & dangerous Therefore Granted & Hereby Grants Warrant to Commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be there detained until his Cure, or until Caution shall be found for his safe Custody, And if necessary Authorised and hereby Authorises the Procurator Fiscal to Contract with the Keeper of said Asylum to whose Care the said James Calder is hereby Committed for the expense of his maintainance and that at the rate of per Week

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Week, being the lowest rate received in said Asylum. Found and hereby Finds that the Parish liable ad interim for the maintainance of the said James Calder to the Parish of Cadder, and Deemed & hereby Decerns in favour of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal against the Heritors and Kirk Session of the said Parish of Cadder for the said sum of weekly maintainance Reserving the Relief of said Heritors & Kirk Session against all others as accords of Law. And Deemed Hereby Decerns according Extracted upon this and the preceding page from the Records of the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow this Third day of April Eighteen hundred & forty four years By

Sam. Hastings Dep.

Extract
Sentence
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James Calder

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Goldsmith & Son, Printers to the Queen.

March 30. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Dunlop	72	Single	Weaver	English	Entire inclined to Methodism

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes about three years ago but received no Medical treatment
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Rather more than two weeks the for the most part not bound have just about
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	no bodily disorder known to precede this attack —
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Not known
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	All the energies of his mind appear to rest on the contemplation of Religious subjects
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Reclusive faculties, Memory & Imagination in a state of over excitement & Judgment ×
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None known × Irregular & defective
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	Not any
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No —
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Misconception in regard to the import and application of Religious truth
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Fanatic declamation on the import of Scriptural facts, and offering violence to his × Relatives. ×
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Rather increasing.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	There have been both.
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	at uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Delusions all connected with Religious facts or opinions
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a Razor
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes. He has attempted to murder and he was first Wife
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes. Probably so
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	The circumstances of this case did not admit of regular treatment. Little done
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has never been in any Asylum

(Signed) Jno Connell Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Kilsyth 26th Feby 1844

I, Wm. Forrester Surgeon in Kilsyth having this day carefully examined James Dunlop resident in the Parish of Kilsyth hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM. Wm Forrester Surgeon

No. II.

Kilsyth Feb 27th 1844

I, Geo. Crawford Surgeon having this day carefully examined James Dunlop hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Geo. Crawford

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of George Auchinvole Kirk Treasurer of Kilsyth

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Dunlop aged 24 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Dunlop into the said Asylum conform to Rules & Regulations thereof

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) George Auchinvole

(ADDRESS) Kirk Treasurer of Kilsyth

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Crawford and Forrester, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Dunlop, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 4 Days

GLASGOW, 30th Mar 1844

Wm Mansfield Bell

No. 1787

Glasgow, 31st March 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Adam Monteith Esq. St. George's Place *for the Board of* Mary Dunlop ——— *at the rate of* seven shillings ~~per~~ *per Week.*

John Burn
for Dean Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit ——— *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

——— *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	~~Yes~~ Yes attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a Razor
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes. ~~He~~ has attempted to murder and ill use his wife
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes. Partially so
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	The circumstances of this Patient did not admit of regular treatment. Little done
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has never been in any Asylum

(*Signed*) Jno Connell Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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April 3. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Dickson	49	M	Cotton dealer		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Several times
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about a fortnight
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Irritable quarrelsome irritable.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Constitutional
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has threatened violence to self by drowning this present attack —
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has been treated in the Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatics several times — Returned home the Asylum but generally cured —

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow April 3rd 1844

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Dixon resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Donald Campbell M.D

No. II.

Glasgow 3 April 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined James Dickson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Wm. Hutcheson M.D Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinb. & Member of Faculty &c

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute. &c

The Petition of James Dickson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Dickson aged forty three Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Dickson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) James Dickson

(ADDRESS) No 19 Frongate Street

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Campbell & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Dickson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

April 4th GLASGOW 1844

Wm Jas Bell

No. 1788

Glasgow, 5th April 184/1

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Hugh Morton 53 Bridge St
for the Board of James Dickson *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & six pence
per Week.

John Bain for Don Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

...ention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has threatened on some occasions by denying the present Mark
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has been treated in the Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatics several times & Discharged from the Asylum last year as Cured

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 3, 8, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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April 2. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Miller Ellen					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, Neil McNeile M.D. in Glasgow 8th April 1844 having this day carefully examined Alexander Miller Patient resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Neil McNeile M.D.

No. II.

9th April 1844

I, Wm. Hutcheson Hyslop having this day carefully examined Alexander Miller hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Wm Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinb. Member of Faculty &c

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Margaret Miller

Humbly Sheweth,

That Alexander Miller aged 50 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Margaret Miller

(Address) 137 Cambridge Street

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr McNeile and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Alexander Miller, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 9th April 1844

George Skene

No. 1789

Glasgow, 10th April 1849

An Obligation has been granted by Miss Margaret Miller 137 Candleriggs St.
for the Board of Alexander Miller *at the rate of* Eight shillings and sixpence
per Week.

John Carr Gordon & Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 3, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW
ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

First Rate of Board,	£0	8	6	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£1	11	6 per Week.
Second,	0	15	0	—	Fifth,	2	2	0 —
Third,	1	0	0	—	Sixth,	3	3	0 —

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vict. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners, one of whom must be a Member of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on the first Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents are herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rates from which the Patients are received, viz. in the case of Paupers, a difference will be observed, in some, or all, of the following particulars, viz. in the proportion of the rate of board, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the exemption from the use of Public Apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in articles of dress, attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with a proper suit of apparel, and with a sufficient number of those must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, supplies of dress which require to be washed. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum, after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive, ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly, and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Physician, by each Patient at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the rate of board is doubled.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of these Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office, before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, the Physician; or to Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110, West George-Street, the Secretary and Treasurer. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three days' previous notice must be given, before the removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Ferguson		married	Farmer	ordinary	Secession Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how cured.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about two weeks
3. Is this attack? if so, state the nature and duration.	Not
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Spirits for about two months and depression during the last Month or more
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	A sober regular living Man
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	for about six weeks, troubled with Insanity
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	an Uncle his Mother's Brother recovered and never more
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	Nothing remarkable
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when and to what extent?	when a Boy got a severe cut with an occasioned dullness in hearing Subject to ringing in the Ears
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	depression of the times and want of regular employment disappointment after trying to better his circumstances and intervention with Machinery
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	disappointment, depression, delusions melancholy
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	No remarkable change
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	No
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	appears that his land is lost, and that he has devised the various
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No, but by the Patient instructions any weapons by which he might injure himself were put out of his reach
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise misdirvious?	Nothing of that Nature
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Bled three last Sat. of June Antimony mill purgatives & the last Kept cool
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never requiring confinement before

(Signed) Elizabeth Ferguson her mark

* Nos. 3, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Paisley 7th April 1844

I James Peter Mc Lagan in Paisley having this day carefully examined James Ferguson resident in the Middle parish of Paisley, Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

No. II.

Paisley 8th April 1844

I, Daniel M'Kinlay M.D. having this day carefully examined the above designed James Ferguson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

D M'Kinlay M.D.

☞ A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honorable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Elizabeth Ferguson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Ferguson Aged forty four Years is at present in such a state of mental derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the 5 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vict. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP, to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Ferguson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

Witness Esther Mc Gregor (NAME) Elizabeth her + mark Ferguson

Janet Patterson (ADDRESS) 25 Ilay Place Paisley

Joseph Dixon

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Patton & M'Kinlay, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Ferguson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 11th April 1844

A Alison

No. 1790

Glasgow, 8th April 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr David Scott, 22 Alston St.
for the Board of James Ferguson, at the rate of Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

John Barr, Jre Don. Hutchinson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Appears that his soul is lost, and that he had denied the Saviour
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No, but by Dr Patrick's instruction any weapons by which he might injure himself were put out of his reach
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Nothing of that nature
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Bled three last Sat. of Feb. Antimony mixt purgatives & the head kept cool
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never requiring confinement before

* Nos. 5, 6, 13, and 19, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

(Signed) Elijabet her + Ferguson
mark

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April 12. 1844

Glasgow 12 April 1844

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The PETITION of Peter Hill

Humbly Sheweth,

That Patrick Mac Gary at present an Insane pauper in the Town's Hospital C.

aged about years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper he should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hands of of John Dick, Surgeon in Glasgow

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III., Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV., Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a PUBLIC HOSPITAL or LUNATIC ASYLUM is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, or TOWN'S HOSPITAL, to receive the said Patrick Mc Gary

and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Peter Hill

THE Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of John Dick, Surgeon in Glasgow & David Smith M.D. produced: Grants Warrant for placing the within-designed Patrick Mac Garry

into the **Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital,** in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition.

Wm Hastfield Bell

GLASGOW, 12th April 1844

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We John Dick Surgeon & David Smith M.D. Glasgow 12th Apr 1844

in Glasgow having this day examined Patrick McGarry

resident in the Town's Hospital of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.

John Dick Surgeon
David Smith M.D.

Towns Hospital
12 April 1844

I bind myself on the part of the Towns Hospital, to pay the sum of seven shillings weekly for the Board of Patrick Mac Carry in the Lunatic Asylum, and to Conform in all other respects with the Regulations of that Institution

Peter Hill

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Brindley	46	married	~~Farmer~~ Flint Miller	General	Protestant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes about 12 years ago treated in Glasgow Royal Asylum
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion? X See note in Margin	3 Weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration. X See note in Margin	none
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack. X See note in Margin	depressed spirits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet Temperate
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	"
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	4
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent? X See Note in Margin	injured on the forehead from a stone falling whilst at a change of Employers
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease? X See note in Margin	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	incoherence with sleeplessness & hesitation talking
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	yes from melancholy to furiousness
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	slight lucid intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	uncertain
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	imagines himself destined to perform great miracles
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	no
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	no
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	at times
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	purging, low diet & tranquillity & Shampooing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	in the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum only once about 18 months discharged cured

(Signed) Alex Ruffell Surgeon

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2. How long has been observed to be more irritable than usual for the last 5 or 6 months

3. about six months ago he fell & had much swelling from effects of injury received in August 1843. At that time he was under Medical treatment & a copious discharge took place from the left ear.

4. His spirits rather elevated & informed with the idea of doing great things — M.B.B.

4 children - eldest 25yrs youngest 3yrs M.B.B.

13. upwards of 3 years ago, severely severely.

14. There is strong reason to believe that the illness referred to in Note to qy 3. is the cause, combined with family distress

M. B. Bell

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. West Miller Street
Glasgow ~~58 Hope St~~ April 11th 184 4

I, Alex Russell Surgeon in West Miller Street having this day carefully examined John Brinkley resident in the Barony Parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Alex Russell Surgeon

No. II. Glasgow April 11th 184 4

I, Alex[r] Maxwell Adams M.D. having this day carefully examined John Brinkley hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Alexander Maxwell Adams

, A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Brinkley Junior, Flint Miller,

Humbly Sheweth,

That Petitioners Father John Brinkley, aged about 46 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said John Brinkley.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Brinkley

(Address) Flint Miller Glasgow

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mess[rs] Russell & Adams, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Brinkley Junr., in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days

Glasgow 12th April 1844

George Skene

No. 1792

Glasgow, 12th April 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Mess.rs J. & M. Bell & the Glasgow Lottery *for the Board of* John Brickley at the rate of Eight shillings & Six pence *per Week.*

John Bain

for Dan.l Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	no
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	no
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	at times
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	purging, Emetics & Counter Irritation
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	in the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum only once about six months admitted cured

(*Signed*) Alex.r Ruppel Surgeon

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Ayr
Morayshire

April 12 - 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Findlay	28	S.	Joiner		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	First attack
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	eight or ten months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Supposed to have been caused by great exertion of the Eyes of this Eight
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

Has been Blind about 7 years

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

25 Kirk Street -

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

5th April 1844

I, Bright Harrah Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Robert Findlay resident in the city of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

B Harrah, Surgeon -

No. II.

Glasgow 5th April 1844

I, [redacted] Walker Surgeon having this day carefully examined Robert Findlay hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

F. Walker, Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Janet Findlay & Elizabeth Findlay residing in Kirk Street Calton

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Findlay their Brother aged 28 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Robert Findlay

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Janet Findlay

(ADDRESS) Elspet Findlay

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Harrah & Walker, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Findlay, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 12th April 1844

George Moore

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 184

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME)

(ADDRESS)

No. 1793

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

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First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Baldwick & Son, Printers to the Queen.

April 9 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Josiah Peeles	25	single	Surgeon	good	church of England

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	no
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Ten months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	no.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Temper irritable, low Spirits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Nothing particular
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	literary and quiet
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	no
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	no.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	supposed to be disappointment in love and in his professional views
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	~~Supposed to be~~
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	no lucid intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	not of any particular character
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	no
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	no
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing but attention to the general health
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	no

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

39.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

184

I, William Clucas in Ramsey Isle of Man having this day carefully examined Josiah Keelis resident in the same town of of Ramsey hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

William Clucas, Surgeon

No. II.

Glasgow 19th April 184 4

I, Robert Paterson Surgeon having this day carefully examined Josiah Keelis hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Robert Paterson Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Josiah Keelis residing at Ramsay Isle of Man

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Josiah Keelis Junr. aged 25 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Josiah Keelis Junr.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Josiah Keelis.

(ADDRESS) Ramsey Isle of Man

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Messrs Clucas & Paterson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Josiah Keelis Junr, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 19th April 1844

A Allen

No. 1794

Glasgow, 19th April 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Wm. Matthew Langlands, 16 St. Enochs Square,
for the Board of Wm. Josiah Mackie Junr. *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

Wm Bowman & Co Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	Character
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing but attention to the general health
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 9, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

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No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

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All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Robertson & Son, Printers to the Queen.

April 20. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
David Young	39		Grain Merchant		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow 17th April 1844

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined David Young resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Donald Campbell M.D

No. II.

I, George R. Hunter Surgeon Glasgow 17th April 1844 having this day carefully examined David Young hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

George R. Hunter M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Robert Young 84 West George Street Glasgow

Humbly Sheweth,

That David Young his Son aged 34 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said David Young

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Robert Young

(Address)

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Campbell & Person, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed David Young, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

Glasgow, 18th April 1844

George Hume

No. 1795

Glasgow, 20th April 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by William Young Esq. 123. West Nile St.
for the Board of Mr David Young, — *at the rate of* One Guinea
per Week.

John Carr
per Dan Hutchison *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
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25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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Robertson & Atkinson, Printers to the Queen.

April 22. 1864

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John William Steel	18	Single	Clerk		Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Not before the present
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About four Months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	He was formerly rather religious & pleasant and kind in his temper & manner which is now reversed to that of a surly disposition but has now frequent bursts of good humour
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	He was generally studious and fond of books
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	He was respected in his general character is now interrupted by his own and apparently deep minded or guarded in his conduct
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	He seems to have formed a false appetite and at times eats voraciously
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	About Six Months ago when amusing himself with some companions he received a blow on the head of which he still complains
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	The Death of his Father about eight Months ago seemed to prey much on his mind
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Melancholy
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	Frequent change to being at times calm and collected and at others violent and stubborn
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Think it is rather on the decline as his attacks do not last so long as at first
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Yes
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	He generally went once a Month
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	He has threatened violence to himself ~~[illegible]~~ and to the inmates of the House with a knife (but not lately)
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	The Inmates of the House
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He has frequently broken the furniture of the House which seemed to greatly distress him
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He was removed for change of Air and Scene to Belfast and Dublin in Ireland & to Gateshead in England but seemed more disturbed in his return than when he went away
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(Signed) Jane Steel

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

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I, John Harvey Residing in 403 Argyle St Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Heal resident in the 220 Broomielaw of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

John Harvey M.D.

No. II.

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I, John Coats having this day carefully examined John Heal hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. J Coats MD 403 Argyle St

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Peter Hill

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Heal aged 18 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Peter Hill

(Address) Town Hospital

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Harvey & Coats, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Heal, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow April 23 1844

George Sheriff

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 23 April 184

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit John Heal into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) Peter Hill

(Address) Town Hospital

No. 1796

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Griffith & Son, Printers to the Queen.

April 6. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Susan Rick					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

April 26th 1847

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Duncan Clark resident in the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Thomas Prichard M.D.

No. II.

I, William Ferrie M.D. having this day carefully examined Duncan Clark hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

April 26 1844

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Clark

Humbly Sheweth,

That his son Duncan Clark aged 23 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Clark

(Address) 41 Old Wynd Glasgow

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Prichard & Ferrie, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Duncan Clark, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

26th April Glasgow 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Gentlemen, Glasgow 27 April 1844

As you have agreed to admit Duncan Clark into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) John M'Laren & Treasurer

(Address) Barony Parish

No. 1797

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

23d. July 1844.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Ross Shire or his Substitute for the Lewis District of said Shire

The Petition of Donald Munro Procurator Fiscal of Court for the Public Interest.

Humbly Sheweth,

That by Act 4th & 5th Victoria Cap 60. Sect. 3. it is enacted "That "where any furious or fatuous person "or Lunatic shall have been appre "-hended charged with assault "or other Offence inferring danger "to the Leiges, or where any furious "or fatuous person or Lunatic, be "-ing in a State threatening "danger to the Leiges, shall be "found at large, it shall be "lawful for the Sheriff upon "application by the Procurator "Fiscal, accompanied by a Me "-dical Certificate as to the "Condition of such person from "some medical person who is "either a Physician or hath a "Diploma

"Diploma from the Royal College
" of Surgeons in Edinburgh or Lon-
"=don, or from the Faculty of
" Physicians and Surgeons of Glas-
"=gow, or who has a right to prac-
"=tice from having served in the
" Army or Navy forthwith to Com-
"=mit such furious or fatuous person
" or Lunatic into some place of safe
" custody; and the Sheriff shall then
"=upon direct Notice to be given
" to the next of Kin (if known) or
" other known relatives of such
" furious or fatuous person or Luna-
"=tic and shall also direct Notice
" to be given in some Newspaper
" circulated within the County of
" such Commitment and of his in-
"=tention to enquire into the Condi-
"=tion of such furious or fatuous
" person or Lunatic on an early
" day to be named, and the
" Sheriff shall at the time nam-
"=ed proceed to take evidence
" of the Condition of such furious
" or fatuous person or Lunatic; and
" upon

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"upon being satisfied that
"he or she is furious or fatu-
"-ous or a Lunatic and dan-
"-gerous he shall Commit him
"or her to any private Mad
"House Licensed under the
"said recited Acts, or into
"any Public Hospital or
"Public Asylum willing to
"receive him or her, and in
"case there shall be no
"private Licensed Madhouse
"or Public Hospital or Public
"Asylum within the Jurisdic
"-tion of such Sheriff, he shall
"Commit such furious or fatuous
"person or Lunatic to some
"Licensed private Madhouse
"or Public Hospital or Public
"Asylum of some adjoining
"County willing to receive him
"or her; and a License shall
"be granted in respect of every
"such Commitment to any
"Licensed private Madhouse
"as prescribed by the said
"recited acts; and such furious
"or fatuous person or Lunatic
"shall

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"shall be there detained until
"his or her Cure, or until Caution
"shall be found for his or her
"safe Custody; in which last
"case, it shall be lawful for
"the Sheriff upon being satisfi-
"-ed as to such Caution and
"the safety and propriety of such
"Custody to authorise the deliv
"-ery of the furious or fatuous
"person or Lunatic to the person
"so finding) Security"

That Donald Martin Ship-
-Carpenter residing in Stromoway
in the Parish of Stromoway, Island
of Lewis and County of Ross a
Lunatic or furious, or fatuous person
is at present in a State threaten
-ing danger to the Liges and un
-safe to be permitted to go at
large as appears from a Medi-
23d July 1844 cal Certificate of this date by
Roderick Millar Surgeon in Strom
-oway herewith produced which ren
-ders the present application necessary

May it therefore please your
Lordship to Consider this Petition
and Certificate produced, and
In respect thereof to Grant War
-rant for Committing the said

Donald

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Donald Martin Prisoner to the Jail of Stornoway as a place of temporary Safe Custody in terms of the said Act; Further To Appoint an early day for Leading Evidence as to the Conditions of the said Lunatic and to direct Notice to be given to the next of Kin (if known) or other known relative and also by Advertisement in the Ross shire Advertisement Newspaper of such Commitment and of the time and place for Leading Evidence as aforesaid And thereafter On being Satisfied that the said Donald Martin is furious or fatuous or a Lunatic and dangerous to Commit him to a Mad house or Asylum in terms of the said Act or to do otherwise in the premises as to your Lordship shall seem proper According to Justice &c

(Signed) Don.d Munro P.F.

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Stornoway 23d. February 1844.

The Sheriff Substitute having Con-
=sidered this Petition and Medi
=cal Certificate produced Grants
Warrant for apprehending and
Committing the person of the there
=in designed Donald Martin
to the Gaol of Stornoway as a
=place of a temporary Safe Custody
as Craved Appoints the Nineteenth
day of March next at noon for
taking evidence of the Condition
of the said Donald Martin
as to his being furious Satious
or a Lunatic and dangerous
to the Lieges Grants diligence
at the Petitioner's instance against
Witnesses and appoints previous
Notice to be given to the next of
Kin (if Known) and also by Ad-
=vertisement in the Ross Shire
Advertiser Newspaper of the
Committment and of this appoint
=ment all in terms of the Statute

(Signed) A.L. Macdonald

Stornoway 5. March 1844 I Certi-
=fy that I intimated to Widow
Ann Martin or Smith, as the
next

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next of Kin of Donald Martin a-
bove designed, the above Inter-
locutor by furnishing her with
a Copy thereof, of this date.

(signed) Don.ᵉ Munro P.F.

Stornoway 19th March 1844 The
Sheriff Substitute having resumed
Consideration of this Petition
publick Examination of the said
Donald Martin, Medical Cer-
tificates and evidence adduc-
ed and having personally ex-
amined the said Donald Mar-
tin finds that he is furious or
a Lunatic, and dangerous to the
Leiges, and grants Warrant to
Commit him to the Glasgow
Royal Asylum for Lunatics,
there to be detained until his
Cure or until Caution shall be
found for his safe Custody. All
in terms of and under the Act 4ᵗʰ.
and 5. Vic. Cap. 60 intituled "An
"Act to alter and amend Certain
"Acts regulating Madhouses in
"Scotland and to provide for the
"Custody of dangerous Lunatics"
Further Appoints an account
of the Expences already incurred
and to be incurred by the Peti-
tioner &

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tioner in transmitting the said Donald Martin to the said Asylum x to be given in fo taxation — (Signed) A.S. Macdonnell

x and of maintaining him therein —

Stornoway 23d. February 1844

I this Morning visited Donald Martin Carpenter residing at Bayhead — I find since my repat in October 1842, his State of reveine and delusive ideas have become more fixed and his thoughts Concentrated on imaginary injuries and losses, his gestures furious as under frenzie threatening to have the life of a certain individual — I Consider him non Compos mentis or in a State of Lunacy and unsafe to be left to go at Large.

Given under my hand place and date as above on Soul and Conscience —

(Signed) Rod. Millar Surgn

Stornoway 19th March 1844 This is one of the Certificates referred to in the Deposition emitted by me in the proceedings at the instance of the Pro. Fiscal of the Lewis District of Ross Shire against Donald Martin a Lunatic of this date

signed { Rod. Millar
A.S. Macdonnell

A.H.

Stornoway 20th October 1842 -

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These do Certify that I have repeated-
ly visited Donald Martin Carpenter
in Jail and to day accompanied
by the Procurator Fiscal, from his
Conversation and Conduct it is
my opinion he should be regard-
as non Compos mentis or Lunatic,
having the use of his Senses Sometimes
- I could not detect any Symptoms
of his using violence or of his being
furious - If kindly treated and
not provoked I think think there
is not much risk of danger from
him (Signed) Rod. Millar Surgeon

At the request of the Procurator Fiscal I proceeded to the Lodgings of Donald Martin Carpenter. I found him alone quiet and seated at his breakfast. He spoke now and then incoherently (for instance) of the Moons being in four quarters - I could trace no Symptoms of his offering or using violence - It is my opinion that the above mentioned labours under mental alienation having Lucid intervals of understanding, and if employed and not molested or provoked I at present do not apprehend danger from his going about at large - Stornoway 9th Sept. 1842 -
(Signed) Rodk. Millar Surgeon
This is one of the Certificates referred to in the Deposition emitted by me in the action at the instance of the Pro. Fiscal of the Lewis District of Ross Shire against Donald Martin a Lunatic of this date - Stornoway 19th March 1844
Signed { Rodk. Millar / A.L. Macdonald

Stornoway 19th March 1844

This is one of the Certificates referred to in the Deposition emitted by me in the proceedings at the instance of the Pro. Fiscal of the Lewis District of Ross Shire against Donald Martin -
Signed { Rodk. Millar / A.L. Macdonald

At Stornoway the Nineteenth day of March Eighteen hundred and forty four - In Presence of Andrew Sothian Macdonald Esquire Sheriff Substitute of the Lewis District of Ross Shire & the Procurator Fiscal produced Petition at

at his instance against Donald Mar
=tin a Lunatic, 2°. Certificate by R. Mil
=lar Surgeon Stornoway - 3°. Ross Shire
Advertiser of Eighth March Eighteen
hundred and forty four Containing
Intimation of Diet Proof fixed for this
date in the said Cause and 4th Cer
=tificate of Intimation of said Diet
by the said Procurator Fiscal to Widow
Ann Martin or Smith as the next of Kin
of the said Donald Martin - Thereafter
Compeared Janet Gunn or Martin Wife
of the said Donald Martin who be
=ing Solemnly Sworn Examined and
Interrogated Deponed that She has
been married to the said Donald Mar
=tin for Sixteen years That about three
years ago he Commenced to exhibit Symp
=toms of Abberation of Intelect exhibit
=ing itself at first in a groundless
Jealousy of the Deponent, That he
became worse by degrees and began
to exhibit deadly hatred and ill
will to certain individuals from
whom he fancied he had received
injuries and whom he Considered
to have defrauded him in money
transactions, but in particular he
so conceived ill will against the
Revd John Cameron Minister

of

of Stonoway on whom he was constantly threatening to inflict personal violence under an idea that Mr Cameron had deprived him to a large extent, tho' it consists with Deponents knowledge that there did not exist any ground whatever for such an imputation against Mr Cameron. That in the same way the said Donald Martin expressed ill will and was in the habit of threatening John Morison, Lewis MacLean Merchants in Stonoway and others. That the said Donald Martin was for a time in the habit of leaving his house at night and sleeping outside sometimes in the Church yard and when in bed with the Deponent scarcely ever slept, but talked incessantly about visions of evil Spirits. That the said Donald Martin on the occasions of his leaving the House as above mentioned always evinced a desire to have a Hatchet with him, which de-

ponent

-ponent on noticing his wish, was in the habit of concealing from him. That he was also in the habit of carrying a Bible with him as a protection against evil Spirits, That for the last three months his mind has been totally unsettled without any lucid interval whatever, Deponent that even at a previous date and after the said Donald Martin first became unsettled he destroyed and put out of the way some of the House furniture and upon two occasions the Deponent was obliged to leave the House with her Children and go to leave with her relations from fear of personal injury. Deponent that a short time before Martin was committed to prison he went to Torry the residence of the Reverend John Cameron for the express purpose as he declared of taking Mr Cameron's Life, That on on or both of these occasions he took with him a Carpenters adze. The Deponent understands that the Father of the said Donald Martin was

was likewise subject to derange-
-ment. Depones that the Depon-
-ent would be afraid to live with
her said husband while he re-
-mains in his present condition
more particularly on account of
her Children against one of whom
her husband took such an Ill
will that the Deponent was al-
-ways obliged to guard the Child
and keep him out of her husband's
sight all which She depones to
be truth and depones She can-
-not write —

(Signed) A. J. Macdonald

Compeared Ann Martin or Smith
a Widow, and Sister to the said
Daniel Martin who being so-
-lemnly Sworn examined and
Interrogated Depones that her
said Brother has been for some
Considerable time subject to de-
-rangement but that more parti-
-cularly he has been for the last
twelve months in a constantly
unsettled State of mind and
liable to extraordinary fancies.
That as an instance Deponent
took

took him for a time to sleep in her house in the course of last Summer as a relief to his wife and to keep him quiet by being separated from her and the Children. That a Woman who lived with the Deponent having died at her said brother would not live longer with the Deponent, nor would at all enter the house alleging that she had murdered the Woman Deponer that he was in the habit of sleeping out Sometimes in the Church Yard and ~~Sometimes~~ in the old Castle of Stonemay Deponer that her said Brother was of late become more violent than formerly and has been in the habit of threatening personal injury to several people Such as The Reverend Mr Cameron, Mr L. Mackenzie and John Ironson and has on many occasions threatened the Deponent herself Deponer that she would not Consider herself safe to live in the same house with her said brother. The Deponent had ~~no~~ occasion to see him on Sunday Evening

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evening last and Spoke to him through the bars of the Jail window, but he was quite in-coherent and outrageous and Deponent Considers that he is getting worse instead of better all which is truth and deponer she cannot write.

(Signed) A.L. Macdonald

Compeared Malcolm Macleod Jailor in Stornoway who being Solemnly Sworn and Interrogated Deponer that he is Keeper of the Jail of Stornoway That Donald Morton has been in charge of the Deponent since he was Confined in the said Jail in the latter end of last month That his Conduct is violent in the extreme That even when alone he is constantly talking to himself and occasionally Calling in so loud a voice as to attract Crowds to the Window of his Cell Deponer that he seldom gets out of bed That he lately broke one of the beds in the Cell and that he always keeps

keeps possession of a piece of the broken bed brandishing it wildly Deponer that he is incessant in his threats against certain individuals par=ticularly the Reverend Mr Cameron L. Macrae and John Monson, and the Deponent has frequently heard him declare that if he were once at liberty he would not only get these people hanged but would melt their Children like molten lead. Deponer that the Depon=ent Considers the said Donald Martin to be decidedly Insane and that in the Deponents opin=on he would be highly danger=ous to the liges if set at large That the Deponent himself is sometimes under bodily fear when going in to his Cell and watches his position before he ventures in: All which he de=clares to be truth - Two words delete - signed Malcolm Macleod

(Signed) A.L. Macdonald

Compeared John Monison Merchant Stornoway who being solemnly sworn examined and Interrogated Deponer that

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that he has known Donald Martin for several years. That within the last year and a half or two years Deponent understands him to have become deranged Deponent that about nine months ago he took it into his head that the Deponent was owing him money and frequently annoyed the Deponent with demands for payment and threats of violence - That he was in the habit of coming to Deponent's shop in this way, That on two or three occasions when he latterly did so he actually used violence on one occasion breaking the Measure yard and on another taking the seven pound weight in his hand whereupon he threatened to brain the Deponent. That the Deponent has been several times obliged to fly for safety and to get his Shop shut That the last and most serious attack of the kind when the said Donald Martin took up

up the weight to kill the Deponent as above mentioned was upon the Saturday night before being Committed to the Said Depones that the Deponent would not Consider his life Safe if the Said Donald Martin were to be Set at large and in fact he would Consider it impossible to remain in the Town or within his reach with any Safety - All which he Depones to be truth -

Signed { John Morison
A.L. Mouat Sen.

Compeared Roderick Millar Surgeon Stornoway who being Solemnly Sworn and Examined Depones and identifies three Several Reports given in by him to the Procurator Fiscal relative to the State of mind of Donald Martin presently Confined in the Said Jail of Stornoway of the respective dates of the third September and twentieth October Eighteen hundred and forty two and twenty third February Eighteen hundred &

hundred and forty four and which he now signed as re-lative hereto by him and the Judge examinator Depones that since the Date of the last of these Reports the De-ponent has been in the ha-bit of visiting the said Donald Martin and he has thence the most decid-ed conviction that he is furious furious and dan-gerous to the liages and that there would be great danger in setting him at large he being in a State of unquestion-able lunacy All which he depones to be truth one word delete -

signed { Rod.k Millar
A.L. Macdonald

Compeared Alexander Mac Inver Surgeon residing in Stornoway who being solemnly Sworn examined and Inter-rogated Depones that the Deponent has this day visited Donald Martin presently con-fined &

20 -fined in the Suit of Stoneway and he fully Concurs with the preceding Witness as to his State of Mind and danger to the Le-
-ges from his enlargement all which he Deponeth to be truth-

Signed { Alexr. Fraser
J. L. Macdonald

A True Copy
Donald Munro P.J.

Glengarry 27th April 1798.

An Obligation has been granted by Donl. Munro Esqr. P.C. Lewis, Co.J. for the Board of Donald Martin at the rate of Eight shillings & Sixpence per week.

John Barr, for Donl. Cuthbertson, Treas.

Affr
Proceedings
&c. &c. &c.
Dan. Martin (Lunatic)
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Monday 1 April 1867

Sir,

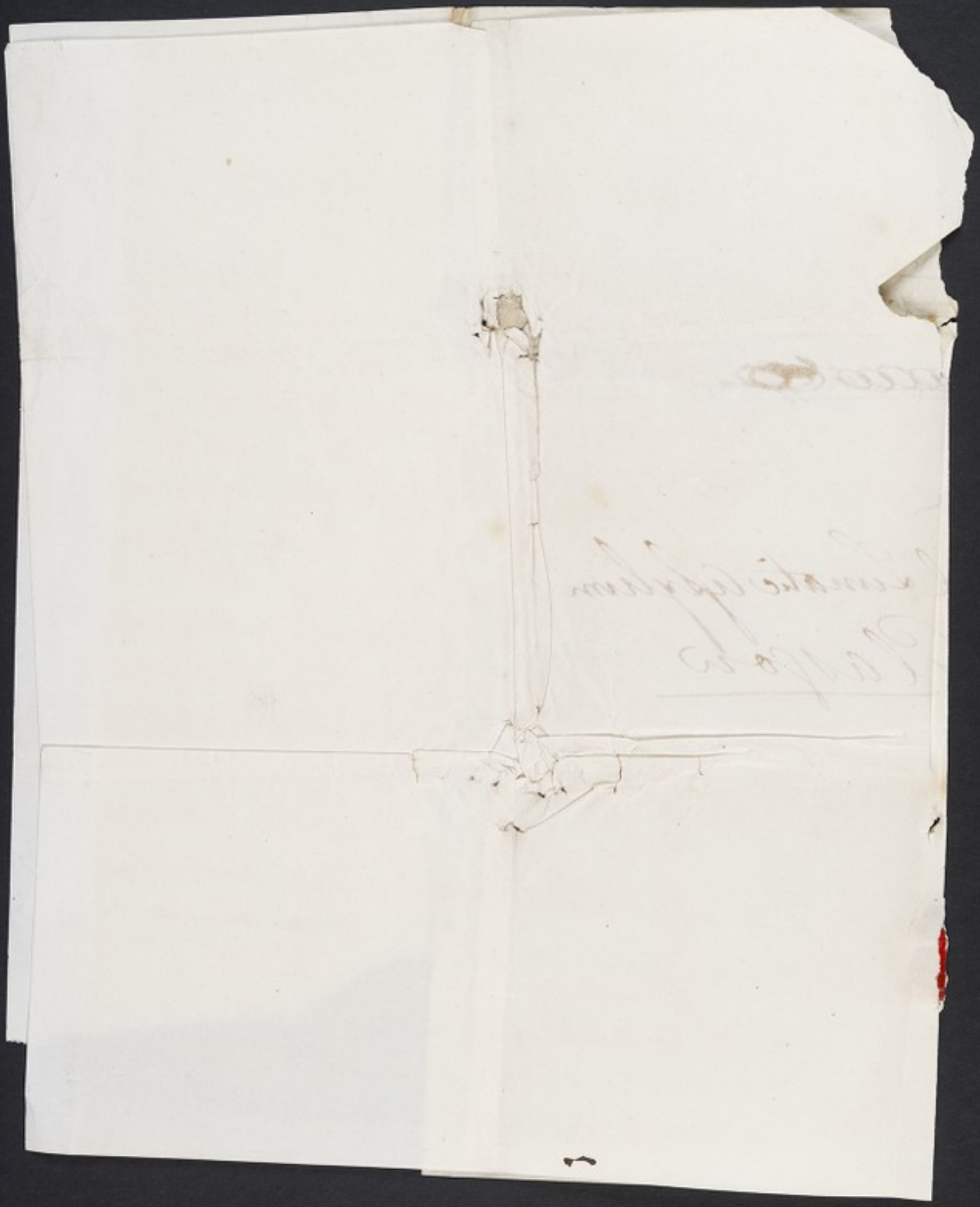
We Beg to give delivery to
you Donald Martin Marcus from the
Parish Attorney and Refer you
to the enclosed Copy Proceedings as to
his case; and Request payment
in terms of the enclosed Guarantee.

Yours &c

Denis P.J.
Parish

D. Hutchison
Agent

Dr Hutcheson
Royal Lunatic Asylum
110 West Geo. Street - Glasgow



GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

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May 1. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Archibald Turnbull	74	Single	Student of Divinity	Classical	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	The earliest indication was about three and a half years ago
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	General weakness of mind and simplicity has become more marked of late and temper more irritable
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	No Satisfactory Cause can be assigned
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	There have been intervals supposed to be regular wherein Judgement had been clearer & sound Calmer
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Supposed to be of Monthly occurrance
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	No particular delusion
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed) R Thurnbull

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

25 April 1844

I, Robert Garmany Surgeon in Bridgeton having this day carefully examined Mr Archibald Turnbull resident in the Parish of Barony Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Robt Garmany

No. II.

25 April 1844

I William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr Archibald Turnbull hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Wm. Hutcheson MD Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinb. & Member of the Faculty of Physicians & Surgeons Glasgow &c

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mr David Turnbull

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Archibald Turnbull aged twenty four Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Archibald Turnbull

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mr David Turnbull

(ADDRESS) 24 Rumford Street Clapton

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr Garmany & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Archibald Turnbull, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 27 April 1844

George Sheriff

No. 1799

Glasgow, 27th April 1841

An Obligation has been granted by Dr Sawmay, 26. John St Bridgeton *for the Board of* Mr Robt Turnbull *at the rate of* Fifteen shillings *per Week.*

John Hart, pro Dean of Guildry, Treasurer.

Admit Mr Robt Turnbull *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Wm Hutcheson *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	No particular delusions
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break window's or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*) R Gunnay

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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May 2. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
McGill Dears	62	Unmarried	Colonial Merchant	Ordinary	Free Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	It is said to have had an attack similar to present 23 years ago, but was treated in Edinburgh
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About Eleven Months —
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	It supposed to have been for some time laboring under Chronic inflammation of brain
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Previously quiet and depressed — now talkative and frequently very much excited
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Naturally very precise about dress and at work habitually now decently & undressed — free from any vice.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	To talk in favor of Free Church principles — general character good —
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	See No 3. —
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	No
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	One brother intemperate
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Mainly, and religious principle & see No 3. —
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	See Nos 3. 11. 7 5. —
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	The change decidedly & the worse —
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	See No 16. —
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No proper lucid intervals when contradicted much excited. —
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	That he is wealthy, while it can be easily proved that he is not possessed of more than £60 or £70. See No 6. —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No —
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No further than to strike with the fist or the hand when his inclinations are opposed
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Occasionally mischievous and destructive
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Bleeding, general & local, Counter irritation, an alterative Course of Mercury & purgatives
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No —

(Signed) John Fleming

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 30th April — 1844

I, James Cameron Douglas Surgeon in Glasgow — having this day carefully examined McGill Deas — resident in 114 North St of Portdundas hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

James C. Douglas Surgeon
107 Gw. St.

No. II.

Glasgow 30 April 1844

I, Hugh Kennedy Surgeon having this day carefully examined McGill Deas hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Hugh Kennedy Surgeon
38 St Enoch Square

, A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Fleming

Humbly Sheweth,

That McGill Deas aged 42 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Fleming

(Address) 114 North Street Portdundas

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of James C. Douglas & Hugh Kennedy Surgeons, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed McGill Deas, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within forty eight hours

Glasgow, 1st day of May 1844

Wm Mackenzie Bell

No. 1800

Glasgow, 23 May 184 4.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Thos M Laird 101 Union St

for the Board of M'Gill Dear at the rate of Eight shillings & sixpence

per Week.

John Ker

pr Dr Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	6 & 10. See No 6.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No further than to strike each other first or the hand when his inclinations are opposed
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May 8. 1811

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Thomas Fraser	34	Single	Wool Combers Labourer	Imperfect	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.
Was first attacked about 18 years of age - had a blister put on his neck his head shaved & bore formed to draw off Water

2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?
Nearly two years

3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.
Having returned from Sea in his present state of mind & cannot say whether there has been any or not

4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.
Have never noticed any marked alteration

*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.
Nothing worthy of particular notice

*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.
He imagines that he has been maltreated by several & disabled for life & is particularly prejudiced against his Father for not having what would have kept him {Independent & was always of an irritable & violent temper

7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.
Has always enjoyed good bodily health

8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.

9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?

10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the oldest and youngest.
none

*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.
See accompanying note

*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.
See as above

13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?
Never that we are aware of - But his birth being ~~rather~~ hurried & no assistance at hand, his mother always doubted that he may have been hurt

14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?
The only cause we can assign is the preceding Statement

15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?
See No 3

16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?
Have never observed any

17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?
Increasing

18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?
He is generally quiet & rather reasoning until he imagines that he is ill used or does not get what he wants

19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?
Uncertain Intervals

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.
He thinks that his head has been frequently broke & pierced through - his body cut - his blood extracted - have been deprived of his sight & that of late have been laid to take away his life. That others may inherit his Rights & many similar delusions

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?
Never

22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?
He has frequently drawn a knife when shaved but only as it was usual on undertakings to prevent accidents but frequently drawn of late more to be alarming

23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?
No - He takes the opportunity when he has or thinks he has any means by fire & otherwise

24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?
See No 1 - treatment has been several times repeated with a beneficial effect but never considered entirely cured

25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.
No Never

(Signed) Steward & Co Alston

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Rothesay 15th April 1844

I, Thomas Gibson M.D in Rothesay having this day carefully examined Thomas Fraser resident in the town of Rothesay hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Thomas Gibson

No. II. Rothesay 18th April 1844

I, William McEwan, Surgeon having this day carefully examined Thomas Fraser hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

William McEwan, Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Stewart McAlister, Treasurer for the Parish of Rothesay,

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Thomas Fraser Seaman, aged Thirty four Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

Thomas Fraser

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Stewart McAlister

(ADDRESS) Clerk Treasurer of the Parish of Rothesay,

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Messrs Gibson, McEwan & Pittodrie, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Thomas Fraser, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 16th May 1844

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(May 11th) Thomas Pittodrie, M.D. & Surgeon, Rothesay, having this day carefully examined Thomas Fraser, resident in Rothesay, hereby certify on soul and conscience that I believe he is insane, and a proper patient for admission into the Glasgow Lunatic Asylum.

Thos Pittodrie

1844

No. 1801

Glasgow, 10th May 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by Dun. Falconer Esq. Virginia Buildings
for the Board of Thomas Fraser *at the rate of* Seven Shillings
per Week.

John Carr Jr. Esq. Collector *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	have been tried to take away his life. That others may inherit his Rights & many similar Attempts
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	He has frequently drawn a knife when shaved by [illegible] was wont or endeavouring to prevent them [illegible] frequently sworn of late more [illegible] to be stopped and he [illegible] of Witten his Father or Brother [illegible] any means [illegible] Father & Mother
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows, furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Leeches & P.I. Medicines have been formerly [illegible] repeated with a temporal effect but never considered entirely cured
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No None

(Signed) Steward & Co Alston

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Craigmore Rothesay April 15th
1864

I hereby declare upon Oath and Conscience that from what I know from Medical Opinions of Thomas Fraser, who has repeatedly committed me, that I consider him a person of unsound mind - that it is dangerous to have him going at large and that for nearly two years past I have considered him as a proper patient for a Lunatic Asylum

D Morrison M.D.

Mrs Lolon Fraser

Dyer.

R Stuart

No 11 The patient had an uncle Wm Chalmers Flesher Rathesay Who died in the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum about from 16 to 18 years ago

No 12 The Father of the patient has been of intemperate & rather vicious habits

Jno F Fisher

Mary Ferguson aet 13.— Two years duration, particularly marked for the last ten months — Epileptic fits to the number of 5 or 6 in a day ~~Received on~~ Fell on her head about two years ago from a height of 8 or nine feet — None of her friends have been known to be insane

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May 14. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
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13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
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17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
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20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
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24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

May 14th 1844.

I, Thomas Pickard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Dickson resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Thomas Pickard M.D.

No. II.

15 May 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined James Dickson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Wm Hutcheson

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of * Janet Dickson wife of James Dickson spd residing

* Wife of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Dickson aged × Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Dickson.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) × Janet Dickson

(ADDRESS) × 43 Gallowgate Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pickard and Dr Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Dickson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 15 May 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 1802

Glasgow, 16th May 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Hugh Martin, 33. Bridge St.
for the Board of Mr James Dickson *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

John Barr Esqr. Dean of Guild, *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
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May 4th 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Septimus Choequard		S			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
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13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
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19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5. 6. 11. and 12. may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow May 16th 1844

I, Peter Lawrie in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Septime Thocqueel resident in the Milton Lane of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) P Lawrie MD

No. II.

Glasgow 16 May 1844

I, Alexander King having this day carefully examined Septime Thocqueel hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) A King, MD

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it refers, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Weddersspoon

* French Consular Agent at Glasgow

Humbly Sheweth,

That Septime Thocqueel aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Weddersspoon

(Address) 20 Nt Enoch Square Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Lawrie & King, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Septime Thocqueel, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, May 16th 1844

George Skene

No. 1803.

Glasgow, 16th May 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by John Masterton Esq. French Consular Agt. Rio
for the Board of M. Septime Choquet *at the rate of* One Guinea
per Week.

John Burn
Jas. Dan. Hutcheson *Treasurer.*

Admit M. Septime Choquet *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

16th May 1844 Wm. Hutcheson *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Hedderwick & Son, Printers to the Queen.

May 21 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Lamond	45	Single	Weaver	Reading and writing	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Got his head injured by a fall about 4 or 6 Months before he became insane
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Never
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, William Campbell Surgeon, in Kilbarchan 23 May 1844 having this day carefully examined James Lamond resident in the Village of Kilbarchan hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) William Campbell Surgeon

No. II.

I, Robert Caldwell Surgeon Johnstone having this day carefully examined James Lamond hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

21st May 1844

(SIGNED) Robert Caldwell Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Shewn by certificate that Mr Campbell and Caldwell are Medical Practitioners qualified to act as such

Wm. Hill Clerk

21 May 1844

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Matthew Houston

* Kirk Treasurer of the parish of Kilbarchan

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Lamond a pauper aged Twenty five Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Lamond

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Matthew Houston

(ADDRESS) Kirk Treasurer Kilbarchan

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Messrs Campbell Caldwell & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Lamond, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days

GLASGOW, 21st May 1844

Wm Maitland Bell

No. 1804

Glasgow, 18th May 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by W. Matthew Hamilton, Kilbirnie,
for the Board of James Lamont *at the rate of* Eight Shillings and sixpence
per Week.

John Burn,
Justice Clerk Edinburgh *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Never
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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May 21 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
[illegible]	53	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	[illegible]
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	5 days
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Delirium tremens
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the oldest and youngest.	One aged [illegible]
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Constant drinking
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Usual symptoms of Delirium tremens
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

May 18th 184 4

I, a Mem. Mr Adams in Govan having this day carefully examined David Raeside resident in the Parish of Barony hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Mem. Mr Adams Govan

No. II.

Port Dundas 18 May 184 4 Sam'l Mc

I, Samuel Clarke having this day carefully examined David Raeside hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. Samuel Clarke surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Marion Paton

Humbly Sheweth,

That David Raeside her husband aged 53 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said David Raeside —

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Marion Paton

(Address) Falk St. Port Dundas

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Messrs Waddell & Clarke, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed David Raeside —, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days

Glasgow, 20th day May 1844 George Skene

Grats 5/

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, May 20th 184 4

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit David Raeside into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) John M'Laren Kirk Treasurer

(Address) Barony Parish

No. 1805

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Walter Amos	26	Single	Gardener	medium for his station	Rec. Free Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	about five Months ago similar symptoms were exhibited, but by prompt & proper treatment he soon got
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	For nearly a week
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	extreme Constipation of the Bowels from neglect of Medicine
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Commotion of Spirits arising from the impression of his own incapacity
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Supposed incapacity to see, hear, or recollect any thing. —
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	of very steady character, & punctual & obliging. used to regularly attend church
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	irregularity of the Stomach & Bowels, with occasionally a voracious appetite
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	None
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none that I have heard of
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	never to Ear as I know.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	perhaps derangement of the digestive organs
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	a disinclination to work even when able could not be obtained to order, or Boisterous appearance & inclination to go to Bed.
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	a degree of Cleanness to those about him which is not his natural characteristic
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	I have not seen it increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Yes for days or Weeks he has been able to attend at his work all Each intervening
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	seeming to uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	a supposition that his Sight memory & hearing are leaving him a determination not to go home to his friends in the Land to them & manifest any inclination to write, a constant feeling that he cannot act so as to please himself & means disengagement & indifference about his appearance
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	has repeatedly threatened to drown himself & rather than go home to his friends in his present state of health —
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	never, quite harmless
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no. but some degree of Cunning in his conversations & Actions
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing, for although ordered Medicine he did not take it. —
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	never I believe in any.

(Signed) Stewart Murray Curator
Botanic Garden Glasgow
May 29th 1844

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

May 29th 1844

I, Robert S. Orr, M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Walter Amos resident in the Botanic Gardens (Parish of Govan) hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) R. S. Orr M.D.

No. II.

May 29th 1844

I, William Hutcheson, Physician in Glasgow, having this day carefully examined Walter Amos, above designed hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm. Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinb. Member of the Faculty of Physicians & Surgeons Glasgow

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Stewart Murray, Superintendent of the Glasgow Botanic Gardens, Glasgow.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Walter Amos his servant aged twenty one Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Walter Amos

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Stewart Murray Superintendent

(ADDRESS) Botanic Gardens Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning. Master or Employer of the patient

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Orr and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Walter Amos, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, May 31st 1844

George Sheriff

No. 1706

Glasgow, 31st May 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Stewart Murray Botanic Garden
for the Board of Walter Ames *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & Sixpence
per Week.

Johnston for Dr Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and in what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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I hereby certify that I know Wm. William Adam, Surgeon in Grangemouth, and James Gardiner Surgeon Falkirk, to be very respectable Gentlemen

Wm Murdoch
of Glasgow Asylum

30th May 1844

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of Stirling County
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GLASGOW

No. II.

Falkirk 184

I, Joseph Mitchell having this day carefully examined
hereby certify, on soul and conscience,
that I concur in the Certificate granted above,

James Gardiner

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Mitchell Cooper

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Joseph Mitchell aged 58 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Joseph Mitchell

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Mitchell

(ADDRESS) Grangemouth

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Wm Adam and Gardiner, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Joseph Mitchell, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 30th May 1844

Wm Hamilton Bell

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Grangemouth 25th May 1844

I, William Adam Surgeon in Grangemouth having this day carefully examined Joseph Mitchell resident in the Parish of Falkirk County of Stirling hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

No. II. William Adam

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I James Gardiner Surgeon Falkirk having this day carefully examined Joseph Mitchell hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

James Gardiner

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And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

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GLASGOW, 30th May 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 1807

Glasgow, 30th May — 1849

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs Joseph Nicholl Morrison, H. S. Hamilton &
for the Board of Joseph Nicholl, — *at the rate of* Eight shillings & Sixpence
per Week.

John Barr,
Per Don. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

]Rate of Board,..£0	8	6	per Week.	Second Rate of Board,	£0	15	0	per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

] Rate of Board,..£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
nd,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
d,.....	2	2	0	—					

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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of Board.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for him shall be refunded.

Agents have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

Fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repaid. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is granted only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physicians.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

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Oct 4. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGION.
Hugh Lamlie	36	Single	weaver	Reading writing & Arithmetic.	Religiously.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Eight days.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Nothing particular was observed.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Nothing, except being occasionally [illegible] for two or three days at a time. —
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	He is of a quiet unassuming character without any very marked leading to prejudice. —
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Has never had any serious disease except Typhus Fever about six years ago.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	No.
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Had an uncle who had several fits of Insanity and a brother who died insane. —
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None so far as is known.
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	No known cause — but patient was indulging dissipation for a few days some time before attack.
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Delusions of religious subjects.
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No.
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	There has been one lucid interval of a few hours and frequent remissions and exacerbations.
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Has generally been worse in the morning.
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	He supposes that he is in heaven — that he has murdered his father — that he is ordained to be a prophet —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No except by struggling violently with his attendants. —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He once jumped through a window and has attempted it several times.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	His head has been shaved, and he has had Tartrate of Antimony — & Tartaly Emetine.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(Signed) John Lamlie

*Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

3? June 184 4.

I, Jn. Wm. Parlane M.D. in Kilmarnock having this day carefully examined Hugh Lambie resident in the (East Shaw Street) Town of Kilmarnock. hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Jn. Wm. Parlane M. D.

No. II.

3d June 184 4

I, Alex: Hood Surgeon - having this day carefully examined Hugh Lambie hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Alex: Hood Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Lambie

* Father of Hugh Lambie

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Hugh Lambie *aged* 26 *Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,*

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Lambie

(ADDRESS) East Shaw St. Kilmarnock

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Drs Parlane & Hood, *produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* Hugh Lambie, *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 48 Hours

GLASGOW, June 4th

No. 1809

Glasgow, 4th June 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by { Wm Gay Master 28 Brunswick Place / Wm Lamb M. Ingram } for the Board of Hugh Lamb at the rate of Eight shillings & Sixpence per Week.

John Carr, for Dan Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No except by struggling with the Attendants
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He once jumped through a window and has attempted it several times.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	His head has been leeched and blistered and he has had Tartrate of Antimony — without Success.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(Signed) John Lamb

Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

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First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John McNair	26	S			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About two years.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Hereditary predisposition
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Tht his relations seek to injure him.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Yes – He has fired a pistol at and wounded the individual
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes – for a short time in a private asylum in the City of Sydney (Colonies) was removed from there and sent to England

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

June 4th 1844.

I, James Ronald Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr John McNair resident in the Island of Bute hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) James Ronald Surgeon

No. II.

June 4th 1844

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr John McNair (above designed) hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thomas Prichard M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Charles Cheyne Esq Sheriff Substitute of the Western District of Lanarkshire

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Mr John MacNair aged twenty six Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Mr John MacNair

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Chas Cheyne

(ADDRESS) Lanfernline

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning. Mother in law of the Patient

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Ronald & Ritchard, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John McNair, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Two days from the date.

GLASGOW, 4th June 1844

Wm Hastie Veall

No 1810

Glasgow, 4th June 1846.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Charles Sheriff, Dunfermline *for the Board of* Parish of Dunfermline *at the rate of* Fifteen Shillings *per Week.*

John Starr,
for Donald Cattanach *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Yes – He has struck a pistol and wounded his wife.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes – For a short time in a private asylum – He by first Indies (Colombo) was removed from there and sent to England.

(*Signed*)

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Auburn, Duke. June 3d 1846

I hereby certify that Mr John McKee is at present, and has been for some time back in a State of Mental Mistaken & delusion respecting Atonement & Salvation

Thomas Gibson MD

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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June 4. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Since Friday last
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Nothing particular, except a slight elevation of spirits from change of residence at the time.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	No.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	A little quick tempered, but inoffensive
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	No.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	— No
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	We had a Sister peculiarly affected on the occasion of her Lying in
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Fatigue of the person and mind, want of rest, taking of the Sitting & anxiety about Business
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Extreme violence and fury
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	First attack
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Delusions universal
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Yes - by throwing missiles - kicking &c
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; or if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never was in an Asylum.

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 4th June 1844

I, J. R. Easton M.D. Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined George Binning resident in the Police Office of this city hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) J. R. Easton M.D.
Member of the Faculty of Physicians Glasgow.

No. II.

4th June
Glasgow, 1844

I, John Crawford Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined George Binning hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John Crawford M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Elizabeth Binning residing in Green Street Calton * Sister to George Binning - the Patient -

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That George Binning aged 38 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificate and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said George Binning

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Elizabeth Binning
(ADDRESS) Green Street Calton.

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for presenting.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Elizabeth Binning and of Drs Easton and Crawford, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed George Binning, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Ten days from this date.

GLASGOW,
4th June 1844.

W. Rae Bell

No. 1811

Glasgow, 4th June 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Wm Mac Lachlan 28 New Wynd
for the Board of George Binning *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

John Law
Pro Dan'l Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes by throwing Missiles - Kicking &c
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never was in an Asylum.

(Signed)

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Robertson & Atkinson, Printers to the Queen.

7 June 1844.

Unto The Hon.ble The Sheriff Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Rob.t Sterling Minister of Galston Ayrshire

Humbly Sheweth

That William Hepburn

aged above 40 —— years is at present in such a state of mental derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificate and Statement herewith produced. But as by the Statute 55 Geo 3 Cap 69 & 9 Geo 4 Cap 84 your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary

May it therefore please your Lordships to grant Warrant to the Officers & Keepers of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum to receive the said William Hepburn ——

And your Petitioner shall ever pray

Jas Galloway Witness for Revd Dr Rob.t Sterling Minister of Galston

sions; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Medical Certificate

Greenhebs June 5th 1844

I Robt Carrick M'Gillivray Surgeon in Newcastle Apothecaries having this day examined William Hepburn Weaver resident in the Village of Greenhebs Gateston hereby certify on soul and conscience that to the best of my knowledge and belief he is insane and a proper patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum

Robt Carrick M'Gillivray

The Medical practitioner granting this certificate will superscribe the name of the place and the date of his subscription, and sign his own name, designation, and place of residence, the naming the patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which the residence of the practitioner is a member of the Society of Friends he may use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society. No person labouring under contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a patient. Recently delivered and pregnant Women are also inadmissible, unless under peculiar circumstances, to be judged of by the visiting Committee.

June 7th 1844

I Thomas Prichard M.D in Glasgow having this day carefully examined William Hepburn of Greenhebs Gateston above designed, hereby certify on Soul and conscience that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Thomas Prichard M.D.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Prichard & Dr Richard, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed William Hepburn, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 45 days.

June 7th 1844 Glasgow

Wm Hepburn Bell

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 184

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

No. 1812

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

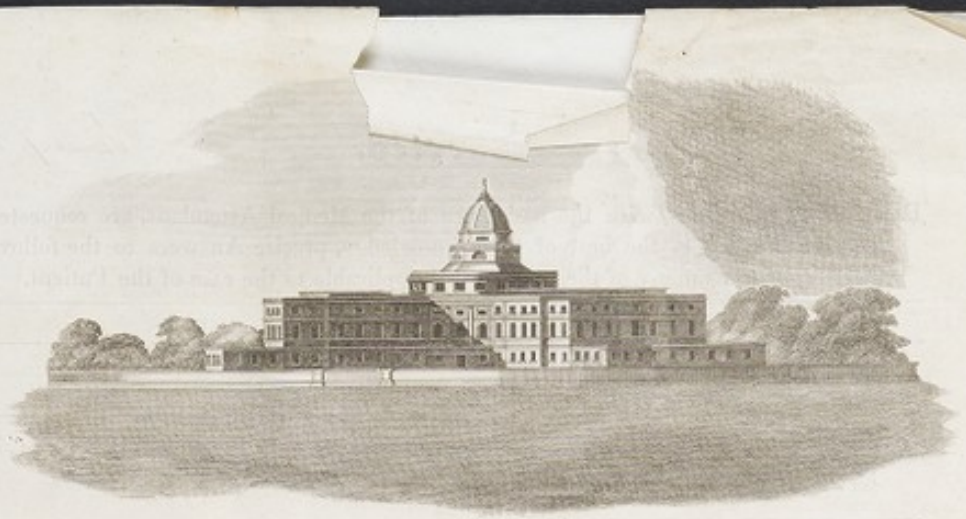
Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.



Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

First Rate of Board,	£–	10	6 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£1	11	6 per Week.
Second,	–	15	–	Fifth,	2	2	–
Third,	1	1	–	Sixth,	3	3	–

According to the rate of board, a difference will be observed, in some of, or in all, the following particulars, *viz.* in the size of the bed-room, in the number of apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of keepers or servants, appointed to a given number of patients. If a keeper or servant be provided solely to attend a single patient, or if the exclusive use of a suite of apartments be required for a patient of the highest class, a charge is made in addition to the rate of board.

Patients sent by any parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly, and in advance.

When any patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board, shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Physician, by each patient at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismission, or on the death of the patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the patient remain a year or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish patients, or by patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No patient is admitted, without a written application addressed to the Directors, from one or more of the nearest relatives, or from the guardians of the patient; a certificate of lunacy from a respectable medical practitioner; a warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55, Geo. III. Cap. 69. and 9.—Geo. IV. Cap. 34; and a written obligation for payment of board, as well as for due observance of the rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible persons resident in Glasgow. The forms of these documents herewith furnished, or copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

No person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a patient. Harmless idiots, and pregnant women, are also inadmissible, unless under peculiar circumstances, to be judged of by the Weekly Committee.

Patients verging to the state of idiocy, epileptic patients, and others whose cure, after due trial of treatment in the Asylum, appears to be hopeless, are dismissed.

When any patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismission is always sent by the Secretary, to the person or persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the obligation for payment of board; and when the patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the rate of board is doubled.

Near relatives or guardians, or others producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those letters of application, on which patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit patients at such hours as he may specify.

No visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

No person shall bring into, or carry out of the house, any article for a patient, without the knowledge of the Superintendent, or of the Matron.

Every patient must be provided with a proper suit of apparel, and with a sufficient number of changes of those articles of dress which will often require to be washed. An accurate list of every article brought with the patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Superintendent. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the house, and the cost of it charged against the relatives, guardians, or parish, by whom the patient has been placed in the Asylum.

N. B. Patients, in cases of urgency, will at any hour be admitted; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum, after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any patient may be expected to arrive, ought always, if possible, to be given to the Superintendent. Thus due preparation will be made for the patient's reception; and, if immediate medical attendance should be requisite, the patient shall, as soon as possible after admission, be visited by the Physician.

HEDDERWICK AND SON, PRINTERS, GLASGOW.

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June 7. 1844

Queries.

Relatives or Guardians, with the assistance of the Medical Attendant, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise Answers to the following Queries, or to as many of them as may be applicable to the case of the Patient.

QUERIES.	ANSWERS.
1. How long has the patient been insane?	For the last three days. Viz since Saturday the 2nd Inst:
2. If the patient has been oftener than once insane, when did the malady first occur; how often did it occur before this last attack; in what forms, and of what duration?	Never had a previous attack
3. Before the symptoms of lunacy became manifest, was there any unusual depression or elevation of spirits, or was any alteration observed in the temper, disposition, opinions, conduct, sleep, appetite, state of bowels, or health of the patient; and how long before lunacy were any such precursory symptoms observed?	Much oppressed in Mind for the last Months, Nothing particular observed further than sadness looking Ps. & gradual breaking
4. What have been the prominent symptoms of the malady? has any obvious change in its form occurred? and does it appear to be increasing, declining, or stationary?	Since the attack he has been very furious & excited — rather better, that is quieter today
5. Are there lucid intervals, or any great remissions, or exacerbations; and do such changes occur at uncertain times, or at stated periods?	None
6. Does the patient rave indifferently on various subjects, or chiefly on one? and what is that subject? Mention particularly any permanent or remarkable illusions.	Has not raved any.
7. Has the patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? and by what means?	Often filled Violence against others — bought 6 Cords of Londonderry Offer Head was shaved
8. Has the patient ever made any premeditated or dangerous attempt to injure any other person? and how?	By biting severely manual effort —
9. Is the patient prone to tear clothes, or to break windows or furniture?	Prone to tear clothes, Throws Stones &c.
10. What is the age, and what was the profession or occupation of the patient?	Forty four or upwards — A Weaver by trade
11. Is the patient married or single, and was any relative of the patient ever insane?	Married, Sister, & daughter who left the asylum a few months ago — Insane
12. Before the commencement, either of the malady or of any of its precursory symptoms, had the patient been remarkable for any degree of oddity, eccentricity, or mental infirmity? Mention predominant passions or prejudices, religious impressions, and any habitual vice or intemperance.	Nothing particular in his habits or disposition — Very temperate & steady man
13. Is the patient subject to periodical attacks of any other malady; to any unusual discharge, or to suppression or obstruction of any *customary* discharge; to sores, eruptions, rupture, epilepsy, or palsy? Specify any bodily infirmity, or disease of the patient.	Nothing of disease about him, except occasionally complaining of his Head
14. Did the present fit of lunacy occur, or has any former fit occurred, during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
15. Was the head of the patient ever severely injured?	Not at all before he was married. Viz if he at any time ~~has~~ had an injury to the Head it ~~must have been accidental~~
16. What is supposed to have been the exciting cause of the malady?	Nothing known to have occasioned the attack.
17. What has been done for the recovery of the patient? and with what effect?	His Head has been shaved, & he has been quieter since —
18. Has the patient ever been treated for lunacy, in any public asylum or private mad-house? If so, how often, and how long, on each occasion, has the patient been in any such establishment? When, in what state, and, if not cured, for what reason was the patient dismissed?	—

Letter of Application

BY

THE RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

To the Directors of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Gentlemen, Galston 6th June 1844

Having reason to believe, as attested in the Medical Certificate herewith sent, that William Hepburn *resident in the* Village *of* Greenholme *is insane, I request that* he *may be admitted into your Asylum as a Patient, under your Regulations.*

Robt. Stirling Minister
of Galston Ayrshire

Prefix the name of the place, and the date of subscription.—Insert, in their proper places, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he has resided.—Each subscriber of this letter must state his or her proper address; and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

No 1812

Glasgow, 7th June 1814.

An Obligation has been granted by James Finlayson Esqr. Writer Glasgow for the board of the Patient within mentioned, at the rate of Ten shillings & sixpence per week.

John Kerr for Dan. Cockburn Treasurer.

Admit _____ as a Patient into the Asylum.

_____ Physician.

To the Superintendent or Matron of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

4. What have been the prominent symptoms of the malady? has any obvious change in its form occurred? and does it appear to be increasing, declining, or stationary?	Since the attack he has been very furious & dejected – rather better, but is quite [illegible]
5. Are there lucid intervals, or any great remissions, or exacerbations; and do such changes occur at uncertain times, or at stated periods?	None
6. Does the patient rave indifferently on various subjects, or chiefly on one? and what is that subject? Mention particularly any permanent or remarkable illusions.	He's not raved any.
7. Has the patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? and by what means?	Often felt violence against others – bought 6 Pounds of Sandarac to [illegible] was shaved
8. Has the patient ever made any premeditated or dangerous attempt to injure any other person? and how?	By biting severely Manual assault –
9. Is the patient prone to tear clothes, or to break windows or furniture?	Prone to tear clothes, Burns Stoves &c.
10. What is the age, and what was the profession or occupation of the patient?	Forty four or upwards – a Weaver & Tailor
11. Is the patient married or single, and was any relative of the patient ever insane?	Married, Wife, & daughter who left the Asylum a few months ago – Insane
12. Before the commencement, either of the malady or of any of its precursory symptoms, had the patient been remarkable for any degree of oddity, eccentricity, or mental infirmity? Mention predominant passions or prejudices, religious impressions, and any habitual vice or intemperance.	Nothing particular in his habits or deportment – very temperate & steady man
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14. Did the present fit of lunacy occur, or has any former fit occurred, during pregnancy or in childbed?	———
15. Was the head of the patient ever severely injured?	Was at Sea before he was married. Wife says at any time happened an injury to the head it ~~must have been at Sea~~ [illegible]
16. What is supposed to have been the exciting cause of the malady?	Nothing known to have occasioned the attack.
17. What has been done for the recovery of the patient? and with what effect?	His head has been shaved, & he has been quieter since –
18. Has the patient ever been treated for lunacy, in any public asylum or private mad-house? If so, how often, and how long, on each occasion, has the patient been in any such establishment? When, in what state, and, if not cured, for what reason was the patient dismissed?	———

Galston 6th June 1844

My Dear Sir

Will you have the goodness to sign the obligation for a lunatics Board if required by the Asylum from which I guarantee you against any loss and oblige

Yours very Sincerely

Robt Sterling

James Finlayson Esqr

Writer

Gordon Street

Glasgow

James Finlayson Esq
Writer
Gordon Street
Glasgow.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Robertson & Son, Printers to the Queen.

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June 10, 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Thomson	23	single	Weaver		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

He is a Stranger in this Parish

John McLaren K.S.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 10 June 1844

I, George Miller, Surgeon in George St. Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Thomson — resident in the 12 Union Place, Calton of Glasgow — hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

George Miller, Surgeon

No. II.

Glasgow 10th June 1844

I, John McVean M.D Rottenrow [illegible] having this day carefully examined John Thomson as above hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

John McVean M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John M'Laren

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Thomson aged About 23 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said John Thomson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John M'Laren

(Address) 36 North Albion Street

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Surgeon & John M'Vean M.D, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Thomson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 10 June 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

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TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 10 June 1844

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit John Thomson into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) John M'Laren Kirk Inspector

(Address) Barony Parish

No. 1813

Glasgow, 184

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per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

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All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Nelson	18	Single	Weaver	Common	Established Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never before attacked
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Six weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No bodily disorder preceded
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Has been in a low state of spirits since the month of June last
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Nothing of the kind but a mental hallucination in respect to salvation
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet, harmless disposition
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Some rheumatism but complains of nothing
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or lying-in?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	None
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Fright real or supposed
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Lowness of spirits & running to himself
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None, appears still increasing.
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Daily increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	That evil Spirits are tormenting him
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Nothing of the kind
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	None
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Sent to the Royal Infirmary but returned no benefit from the medicines administered
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	None

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, Andrew Thomson Surgeon in Bridgeton 11th June 1844 having this day carefully examined of Glasgow William Nelson resident in the Barony Parish hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Andrew Thomson Surgeon

No. II.

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I, David Young Surgeon in Bridgeton having this day carefully examined William Nelson Weaver Rutland hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. David Young, Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FORTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of William Nelson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That William Nelson aged eighteen Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

William Nelson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) William Nelson Weaver

(ADDRESS) Smith's Place & Rutherglen Road

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Thomson and Young, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Nelson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 12th June 1844

William Maxwell Bell

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 12 June 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit William Nelson into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Laren K. Treasurer

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1811

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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June 12 1844

At Glasgow the Eighteenth day of June Eighteen hundred and forty four years Sitting in Judgment Henry Glassford Bell Esquire Advocate Substitute of Archibald Alison Esquire Advocate Sheriff of Lanarkshire Ament the Petition and Complaint at the instance of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal of Court for the Public Interest against Robert Finlay Kirk Street, Glasgow: In which Petition and Complaint the said Henry Glassford Bell Esquire Advocate Sheriff Substitute after various steps of procedure by Decree and Sentence pronounced by him of the date above written Found and hereby Finds it proved that the Defender Robert Finlay is a Lunatic and Dangerous: Therefore Grants Warrant to commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be there detained until his cure or until Caution shall be found for his Safe Custody and Appoints the Procurator Fiscal to Contract with the Keeper of said Asylum, to whose Care the said Robert Finlay is hereby Committed for the Expence of his maintainance and that at the rate of Eight Shillings and six pence per week being the lowest rate received in the Asylum: Found and hereby Finds that the said Robert Finlay has not the means of defraying his said maintainance, and that the Parish liable ad interim for the maintainance of the said Robert Finlay is the Parish of Glasgow, and Decerned and hereby

H. M'Neill

1. Granted and hereby

H. M. Glassford Bell

hereby Decerns in favour of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal against said Parish and Richmond Wilcock above designed for the said Sum of weekly maintainance, Reserving the Relief of said Parish against all others as accords of Law: Found and hereby Finds the said Procurator Fiscal entitled to the Expences of this Application and Consequent Procedure from John Marr the Clerk of Supply for the County of Lanark, and Taxed and hereby Taxes the amount thereof at Seven Pounds fourteen Shillings and One penny Sterling for which together with the Dues of Extract Decerned and hereby Decerns: Extracted upon this and the preceding page fourth of the Records of the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow By

Sam M Bard Dep

Extract Decree

George Salmond P.F.

Vs

Robert Finlay. —

18th June 1814

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John McDougall	56	Single	Labourer	wants cabbage for education	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	He has: and was formerly in this asylum.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About three weeks.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	He met with an accident, which required the amputation of a finger.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	No remarkable alteration.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	He has always been a person of weak intellect
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	He has always had an irritable Temper — was liable at times to become violent
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	———
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	———
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	———
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No.
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Not known
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Answered at No 28
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Answered at No 18
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	He does not seem to have any particular delusion
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	He has threatened to take his own life — without mentioning the means.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes. He has threatened repeatedly violence to the Surgeon who amputated his finger.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He has frequently broken stools and about a fortnight ago broke two windows with a stool.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing since the present attack. He has been confined in the prisons of Aberdeen at different periods for about five years. He was admitted [illegible] Prov. Precog. He was dismissed as cured.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Partially insane in 1841

(Signed) James McDougall

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Alloa 10 June 1844

I, James Syme, Surgeon in Alloa ——— having this day carefully examined John Mc Dougall ——— resident in the Country town of Alloa ——— hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Jas. Syme Surgeon

No. II.

Alloa 10th June 1844

I, John Minto ——— having this day carefully examined John McDougal ——— hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Minto M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Mc Dougal Weaver Alloa

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Mc Dougal aged fifty six Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said John Mc Dougall

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) James Mc Dougal

(Address) Weaver, East Vennel Alloa

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Syme and Minto, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Mc Dougall, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 4 days.

Glasgow, 11th June 1844

George Skene

No. 1816

Glasgow, 11th June 184 4.

An Obligation has been granted by Provost Mitchell, Henderson & Mitchell, Writers, Hutcheson's } *for the Board of* John McKergall *at the rate of* Eight shillings, and sixpence Stg. *per Week.*

A Brown, for Authority, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	Particulars deferred
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	He has threatened to take his own life without mentioning the means.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes. He has threatened repeatedly violence to the Surgeon who amputated his finger.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	He has frequently broken Asst furniture and about a fortnight ago broke two windows with a stick.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing since the present attack. He had been confined in the Prison of Ayr at }
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Partially insane in 1841 — He was confined } instance of the Proc. Procr. for about five years — He was dismissed as cured.

(Signed) † James McKergall

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Alloa
Dec. 18th

Unto the Honorable the Sheriff of Clackmannanshire, or his substitute

The Petition of John Ramsay, Writer in Alloa, Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public Interest —

Humbly Sheweth

That John M^c Dougal at present in confinement in the Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatics, [redacted] was committed to that Asylum on [redacted] or about the tenth day of June Eighteen hundred and forty four under a Warrant Granted by your Lordship on an application at the instance of the Petitioner against him as a Lunatic threatening danger to the Leiges, in terms of the act 4th & 5th Victoria, chapter 60 section 3 —

That the said John M^c Dougal is still in confinement in said Asylum; but the Petitioner has just received and produces herewith a Medical Certificate under the hands of William Hutcheson M.D. Physician to the said Asylum that the

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the said John McDougal is now well and may with propriety be liberated —

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant warrant for the liberation of the said John McDougal in terms of the said Medical Certificate

According to Justice

Wm Ramsay P.F.

Alloa 21st December 1826 — The Sheriff having considered the foregoing Petition with the Medical Certificate produced Grants warrant for the liberation of the said John McDougal as craved —

M Clerk

Petition

for the

liberation of

John McDougal

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing [illegible] authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Agency on which Patients have been admitted, are, by order of the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartments of Patients of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they are allowed to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. For immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted by [illegible] before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the [illegible]

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June 15. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes. in June & July 1843
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Five or Six weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
...any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or ...uptance ...arking the character of the Patient.	
...predominant passions or prejudices, and the ge... character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	His Fathers brother, but partly from Intoxication
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Continued Intoxication
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
...particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
...Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit ... of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
...tient ever threatened or attempted to injure ...? in what matter?	He has threatened to strike his Wife and has struck others
...posed to tear clothes, break windows or ...otherwise mischievous?	
...ns for the recovery of the Patient, and	
...er been in any Asylum, public or pri... how often and how long on each occa... state the Patient was dismissed; and ...t region removed.	no

(Signed)

...ered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

June 14th 1844

I, James Stein, Surgeon in Menstry having this day carefully examined John Vicars resident in the Village of Menstry hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) James Stein Surgeon

No. II.

June 14th 1844

I, John Thomson M.D. having this day carefully examined John Vicars hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John Thomson M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Hellen Vicars

* Wife of John Vicars

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Vicars aged Forty five Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

John Vicars

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Hellen Vicars

(ADDRESS) Menstrie nr Stirling N.B.

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Dr Stein & Thomson, *produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* John Vicars, *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 48 hours

GLASGOW, June 15th 1844.

Wm Stafford Veitch

17 June 1844 Wm Stafford Veitch Sheriff Substitute of Lanarkshire granted Medical Certificates

No. 1817

Glasgow, 15th June 1847.

An Obligation has been granted by James Ryddell Esq. 33. Ann St.
for the Board of Wm John Feary *at the rate of* Fifteen shillings
per Week.

John Carr
for Dan Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

e Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
tient ever threatened or attempted to injure on what matter?	He has threatened to strike his wife and has struck others
isposed to tear clothes, break windows or otherwise mischievous?	
for the recovery of the Patient, and	
r been in any Asylum, public or pri- how often and how long on such occa- state the Patient was dismissed; and d reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

gned in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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June 18. 1844

Glasgow
18 June 1844

Unto the Honourable, The Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The Petition of John Hanna, Superintendent of Town's Hospital

Humbly Sheweth,

That Peter McAlister, at present in the Police Office

aged about 20 years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hand of Drs Dick, & Easton, Surgeons in Glasgow

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III. Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV. Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a Public Hospital or Lunatic Asylum is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital, to receive the said Peter McAlister

and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Jn. Hanna

THE Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of

Dr Dick & Easton, Surgeons in Glasgow

produced. Grants Warrant for placing the within designed

Peter McAlister

into the *Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum*, or *Town's Hospital*, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition.

GLASGOW, 18 June 1844 Mr Hastford Bell.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Glasgow 17 June 1844

We J. A. Easton M.D & John Dick Surgeons in Glasgow

having this day examined Peter McAlester

resident in the Police Office — *hereby certify, on soul and*

conscience, that to the best of ~~my~~ our knowledge and belief he *is insane, and a proper patient for admission into*

the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.

John Dick Surgeon

J. A. Easton M.D

Town's Hospital
18 June 1844.

I bind myself on the part of the Town's Hospital, to pay the sum of seven shillings weekly, for the maintenance of Peter Mc. Alister, in the Lunatic Asylum, and to Conform in all other respects with the Regulations of that Institution, in regard to Peter Mc. Alister

Jn. Hannen

No 1818

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0	8	6 per Week.		Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.	

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.	
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —	
Third,.....	2	2	0 —					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Hedderwick & Son, Printers to the Queen.

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June 20. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Mc Fadyen	44	Married	Porter	Ill & read only	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Must been about 4 yrs has been in Sane. Hosp. Kirkbride Superior
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about a week
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Much given to Ardent Spirits,
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Hard working honest man
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	———
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	———
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	7
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Two Brothers and his Grandmother
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	———
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Indulgence in Ardent Spirits and pecuniary troubles.
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Violent excitement about the person supposed Sheriff Armed with Gun and Pistols
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	———
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	See Answer to No. 15
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	With any resistance Strike the door and a small table suffering it to injure many.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	None
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

20th June 1844

I, Andw McEwan Surgeon in Anderston Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Mc Fadyen resident in the Ch of Glasgow he hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Andw McEwan Surgeon

No. II.

21st June 1844

I, J & J Conny Surgeons 446 Argyle St having this day carefully examined James M Fadyen hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) J & J Conny Surgeons

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of _____

* _____

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Mc Fadyen *aged* 44 *Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,*

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Agnes Mc Fadyen or Mc Lellan Sister-in-law

(ADDRESS) 2 Bridgeton Road Bridgeton Sister-in-law 80 Ellison St Port Dundas

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Dr MacLaren & Conny *, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* James Mc Fadyen *, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 48 hours.

GLASGOW, June 20th 1844.

Wm Stark Jun Bill.

No. 1819

Glasgow, 20th June 1847.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Robert Scott 23 Stockwell St
for the Board of James McFadyen *at the rate of* Eight shillings & six pence
per Week.

John Barr
for Dan'l Corbett *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	At times may require to be kept from the Fire and a small degree of restraint at the upper Story
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	None
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Hutchison & Co., Printers to the Queen.

June 22. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Stewart	50	Married	Labourer	read & write well	Established Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	since receiving an injury of the head by falling a height of two stories while in an epileptic fit on the 16th May 1844
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	always quiet & reserved in his habits
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	has been liable to epileptic fits about once a month
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	but not able for work for himself Six children eldest 23 & youngest 6 years of age
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Head was injured as mentioned above
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 3, 4, 5, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow June 21st 184 4

I, John Buchan Pagan in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Stewart resident in the Infirmary of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

John Pagan M.D.

No. II.

June 21st 1844

I. William Bell having this day carefully examined James Stewart hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

William Bell M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Margaret Stewart or Davidson Land Cowcaddens

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Stewart aged Sixty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Stewart.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Margaret her + mark Stewart

(ADDRESS) Davidson's Land Cowcaddens

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctors Pagan & Bell, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Stewart, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 22 June 1844

George Skene

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No. 1820

Glasgow, 22d June 184[illegible]

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John M'Lees, Barony Parish
for the Board of James Stewart *at the rate of* Seven Shillings
per Week.

John Barr
for Dan[illegible] Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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June 24. 1844.

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Unto the Honorable the SHERIFF of LANARKSHIRE,

The Petition of GEORGE SALMOND, *Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public interest,*

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Ewen A. Cameron said to be from North West

who, from the Medical Certificate herewith produced, appears to be a furious or fatuous person, or lunatic, and in a state threatening danger to the lieges, has been found at large, and apprehended in East Clyde Street Glasgow within the Parish of Glasgow

and County of Lanark,

MAY it therefore please your Lordship, in terms of the Act 4° and 5° Victoriæ, cap. 60, § 3 and 5, to grant Warrant to commit the said E. A. — Cameron

into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or other place of safe custody, and appoint an early day and hour for your Lordship's proceeding to take evidence of the condition of the said E. A — Cameron ; Grant Warrant to cite the Witnesses to be adduced for that purpose ; direct notice to be given, by serving them each with a copy hereof, and of your Lordship's deliverance hereon, to Captain Allan Cameron of Calgairy Castle near Tobermory Mull Argyleshire

the next of kin, or only known relative of the said E. A. — Cameron and to Richmond Willock representing or acting for the Parish of Glasgow within which the said E. A. — Cameron was found and apprehended. And also direct notice to be given in some newspaper, circulated within the County of Lanark, of such commitment, and of your Lordship's intention at said diet to inquire and take evidence as said is. Further, after making such inquiry, and on your Lordship being satisfied that the said E. A. — Cameron is furious, or fatuous, or a lunatic, and dangerous. Grant Warrant to commit him to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, therein to be detained until his cure, or until caution shall be found for his safe custody. And decern and ordain the said Parish of Glasgow and the said Richmond Willock as representing or acting for the same, to pay such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the said E. A. Cameron in said Asylum, reserving to the said Parish its relief as accords of law. Further, Decern against the Clerk of Supply for the petitioner's expenses, in terms of the Statute.— According to Justice, &c.

Geo. Salmond P.F.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Glasgow 24th June 1844

I certify that I have this day examined Ewen A Cameron mentioned in the preceding Petition and find that he is insane

and in a state threatening danger to the lieges, and rendering his confinement, either in a Lunatic Asylum or other place of safe custody, proper. This I attest to be truth on soul and conscience.

J. A. Easton M.D.

GLASGOW, 24th June 1844

HAVING considered this Petition, Medical Certificate, and the Act of Parliament founded on, grants Warrant to commit Ewen A Cameron designed therein, to the Royal Lunatic asylum Glasgow as a place of safe custody *ad interim*. Further appoints the Petitioner, by serving each of them with copies of said petition and of this deliverance, to give notice to Richmond Willock and to Captain Allan Cameron within designed

and also notice in the Glasgow Herald newspaper of this commitment, and that the Sheriff will, on Tuesday the 9th of July next at twelve o'clock noon within the Sheriff's Chambers in Glasgow, proceed to inquire into, and take evidence on, the condition of the said Ewen A Cameron Grants Warrant to cite witnesses, and ordains them and the said Richmond Willock and

for their several interests, to attend said diet, with certification.

Wm Hayford Bell

1844

Memorial for the Pros Fiscal

From the Certificate of Dr. Hutcheson now produced the Memorialist agrees to abandon the procedure and craves your Lordship's Warrant for Mrs Cameron's liberation -

Geo: Falconer Pr.

Glasgow, 29th June, 1844. Having considered the preceding Minute by the Procurator Fiscal abandoning further procedure under the above Petition together with the medical Certificate produced with said Minute, Grants warrant to discharge the within designed Ewen M'Cameron from the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum. —

Wm Dalgleish

No 1825

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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June 28. 1864

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Richard Stratton					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Ardrossan 27 June 1844

I, Alexander Macfadzean in Ardrossan having this day carefully examined Mr Richard Stratton resident in the Town of Saltcoats hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

A. Macfadzean MD

No. II.

Saltcoats 27 June 1844

I, Robert Wallace having this day carefully examined Mr Richard Stratton hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Robert Wallace Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Renfrewshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Alexander Campbell Innkeeper in Saltcoats

Humbly Sheweth,

That Mr Richard Stratton aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Signature) Alexander Campbell

(Address) Innkeeper in Saltcoats

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Campbell and Macfadzean, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Richard Stratton, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow June 28th 1844

George Skene

No. 1822

Glasgow, 28 June — 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by Wm Alex Campbell, Bankerfor, Saltcoats.

for the Board of Mr Richard Stratton *—at the rate of* One Guinea

per Week.

John Ross
for Dan Cubbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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(Signed)

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July 2 1844

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John Millar					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

2 July 184

I, James Stewart Surgeon in Lanarkshire Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Miller resident in the Parish of Shotts of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) James Stewart Surgeon

No. II.

July 2 184

I, And.w Mackie, Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Miller hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) And.w Mackie M.D Surgeon.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Miller

* Cop. of Crown Parish

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Miller aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said John Miller

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Miller

(Address) 14 North east Lauriston

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Stewart and Mackie, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed John Miller, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 6 days

Glasgow, 2 July 1844

A Allison

No. 1823

Glasgow, 2d July 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Cassells 4 Forsyth Court.
for the Board of John Miller *at the rate of* Eight shillings per week
per Week.

John Carr
for Dav Stuthers *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
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Sept 6 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Alexander ~~xxxxxxx~~ Wallace	30	S	Weaver	Reading	

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Eight times within 30 years
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Two months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Caused by a fright from an accident occurring to a friend while he was driving
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
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(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

July 6 1844.

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Alexander Wallace resident in the Parish of Barony & now in Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Thomas Prichard M. D.

No. II. Glasgow July 6

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I, John Mackenzie Regan having this day carefully examined Alexander Wallace hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John Mackenzie Regan M. D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

6 July 1844

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of * Archibald Wallace

* Brother of the undermentioned patient Alexander

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Alexander Wallace aged fifty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Alexander Wallace

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Archibald Wallace

(ADDRESS) 19 Crown Street Hutcheson Town

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Prichard and Regan, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Alexander Wallace, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 4 days

GLASGOW, 6th July 1844

Wm Hastie Bell

No. 1874

Glasgow, 6th July 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by the Rev? D. Makellar, Measrs, for the Board of Alexander Hallard at the rate of Eight shillings & sixpence per Week.

J Barr? Dan? Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit _____ as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was confined in Paisley Jail for the first attack

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
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Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Cocker	20	M	Cutler		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 6th July 1844

I, John Crawford Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr W. D. Cocker resident in the City of ~~of~~ Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John Crawford M.D.

No. II.

6th July 1844

I, Robert S. Orr M.D. having this day carefully examined Mr W. D. Cocker hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Robert S. Orr M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Samuel Cocker

Father of the undernamed W. D. Cocker

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That W. D. Cocker aged Thirty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said W. D. Cocker

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Jas Cocker

(ADDRESS) 84 John St

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jas Crawford and Orr, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Mr W. D. Cocker, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 6th July 1844

George Shelly

No. 1825

Glasgow, 6 July 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Chas Cocker 84 John St *for the Board of* M. W. D. Cocker *at the rate of* [illegible] *per Week.*

John Burn,
Jas Dan Hutcheson *Treasurer.*

Admit M. W. D. Cocker *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

[illegible] *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Jas Cocker
84 John St

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Dickson	47	M	Currier	ordinary	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Frequently. Vide Records of Asylum
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	14 days
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Intemperate occasionally but not at present. He left the Asylum last
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Unknown
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Yes for a day or two
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	At uncertain
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Delusions that the rats had eaten Binning a patient in the Asylum — that the head of another patient was in the case containing St. Robert
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Kill wife & family
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has been several times in the Asylum

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, John Dick Surgeon in Glasgow Glasgow 8th July 1844 having this day carefully examined James Dickson resident in the Saltmarket of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John Dick Surgeon

No. II.

I, William Reid Surgeon 8 July 1844 having this day carefully examined James Dickson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) William Reid Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Janet Dickson

* wife of James Dickson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That the said James Dickson aged forty seven Years, or thereabout is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Dickson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Janet Dickson

(ADDRESS) No 43 Saltmarket St

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Dick and Reid, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Dickson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 8th July 1844

Wm Hoffman Bell

No. 1826

Glasgow, 8 July 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Hugh Morton, 53 Bridge St.
for the Board of Mr James Dickson *at the rate of* Fifteen Shillings
per Week.

John Hart
per Jos Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Mr James Dickson *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Wm Mitchell *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	the Cage chimney operation
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	His wife & family
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Has been several times in Kirkcaldy Asylum

(*Signed*)

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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July 9. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Duncan Currie		Married	Shoemaker	Limited	Church of Scotland.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Insane before, See Query 25.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Twice, Latterly for 4 Months Prior to April 1844.

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Rothesay 8th July 1844

I, Thomas Mackechnie MD in Rothesay having this day carefully examined Duncan Currie resident in the Parish of Rothesay hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Thomas Mackechnie M.D.

No. II.

Rothesay July 8. 1844

I, Thomas Gibson MD having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Thomas Gibson MD

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Stewart McAlister,

* For behoof of the Kirk Session of Rothesay;

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Duncan Currie aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Stewart McAlister

(ADDRESS) Kirk Treasurer

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr. Mackechnie Gibson & McGavin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Duncan Currie, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 9th July 1844

Gratis

Wm Stafford Veitch.

No. 1827

Glasgow, 9th July 184[illegible].

An Obligation has been granted by A. Dunsalmond, Virginia Buildings for the Board of Duncan Street at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week.

John Barr
pro Dr Hutchison Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Lives, Latterly for 4 Months Prior to April 1844.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
David Young	24	S	Grammarian	Accomplished	

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	2nd attack of two weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	High mental excitement
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Thinks that men are conspiring against him & this Father — that he is under the protection of God & this brother in Heaven
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in the Asylum before & discharged Silly Cured

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 12th July 1844

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined David Young resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Donald Campbell M. D.

No. II.

Glasgow 12 July 1844

I, John D. M'Gavin M.D. having this day carefully examined David Young resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John D. M'Gavin M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Robert Young

* Robert Young Natural Father

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That David Young aged 72 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Robert Young

(ADDRESS) 129 west Nile Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jas Campbell and D. M'Gavin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed David Young, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 28 hours

GLASGOW, July 12th 1844

George Sheriff

No. 1828

Glasgow, 12th July 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Robert Young 125 N. Hill St for the Board of Wm David Young at the rate of One guinea per Week.

John Barr
pro Dor. Cockburn, Treasurer.

Admit Wm David Young as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

W. Buchanan, Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

	of God & the brother in [illegible]
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in the Asylum before & dismissed Killing Cock

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0	8	6 per Week.		Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.	

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.	
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Henderson	40				

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

July 15th 1845

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Robert Henderson resident in the Barony parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Thomas Prichard M.D.

No. II.

July 16th 1845

I, John D. McLaurin M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Robert Henderson in Barony parish hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John D. McLaurin M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John M'Laren

* Barony Kirk Treasurer

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Henderson aged about 45 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Robert Henderson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John M'Laren

(ADDRESS) 36 North Albion St Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Thomas Prichard M.D. & John D. McLaurin M.D., produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Henderson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within forty eight hours

GLASGOW, 16th July 1845

J.S. George Skene

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, July 16 1845.

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Robert Henderson into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Laren Kirk Treasurer

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1829

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

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The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are;—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visiter is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Matthews Brown	26	S	Joiner	Ordinary	Secession

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	For two years
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Elevated
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	/
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	His Mother was at one time rather eccentric
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing for the last eight days
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	That he is married & wronged
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or is otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow, 23 July 1844

I, Wm Mackenzie, MD in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Brown resident in the parish of Saltcoats do hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) W Mackenzie, MD
39 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow

No. II.

Glasgow 23 July 1844

I, James Douglas MD having this day carefully examined James Brown in the Same hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Douglas M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mathew Brown Labourer in
* Newington Appr[illegible]

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That his Son James Brown aged 26 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Brown

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mathew Brown

(ADDRESS)

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Mackenzie and Douglas, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Brown, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 23d July 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 1830

Glasgow, 23d July 1841

An Obligation has been granted by William Brown Jr. Esqr. 77. St. Vincent Pl.
for the Board of James Brown *at the rate of* Eight shillings & six pence
per Week.

John Carr
pro Dom. Cathcartson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 3, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0	8	6 per Week.		Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6	—	Fifth,..... 4	4	0	—
Third,..... 2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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July 21. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Brown	37	M	Baker		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	About 5 years since first attack during winter the result of grief. Recovered by this autumn on returning during the summer had no medical treatment
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Since the month of September last
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No known disorder preceded the attack
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	No particular alteration observed before the present attack
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Has had no bodily disease for many years
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	One Brother
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Originally supposed to have been something regarding Religious Matters
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Both outrageous at times, at other times in low spirits
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Frequent Lucid intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	He lay occasionally means his wife & family heavily
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	No Treatment has been pursued
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5. 6. 11. and 12. may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physicians.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Lennoxtown 22 July 1844

I, Matthew Finlayson Surgeon in Lennoxtown Campsie having this day carefully examined William Brown Baker resident in the Parish of Campsie hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Mat. Finlayson Surgn

No. II.

184 George St Glasgow 23d July 1844

I, Arch.d Brown M.D. having this day carefully examined the above Robert Brown hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Arch.d Brown M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mary Dunn and John Dunn * father in law Wife & the above Robert Brown

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Brown aged 37 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Robert Brown.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Dunn

(ADDRESS) 32 West College St Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Arch.d Finlayson & Brown, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Brown, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 24 July 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 1831

Glasgow, 24th July 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Dunn, 32. West College St

for the Board of Robert Brown *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence

per Week.

John Barr

J. D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	He has occasionally treated his keeper roughly
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or to otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	No treatment has been prescribed
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

To the Sheriff of Lanarkshire

Sir

The Subscriber Humbly Petitions your Lordship to entertain an Investigation of the Case of William Beacon formerly Residing in Lennoxtown Dumbartonshire now Confined in the Royal Lunatic Asylum here. The Subscriber believes he has been confined unjustly as that First He was Confined without the Consent or Knowledge of his Friends and Relations and that

Secondly He is not a fit person for the Treatment pursued in the Asylum as when he was last Seen by his Friends which was the Evening before his Confinement and did not appear to be Lunatic but Low in Spirits on Account of the Continued abuse he Received from his Wife which can be proved to have been Excessive for the last Twelve Months Witnesses names can be given to prove that Mrs Brown's Conduct to her Husband Rendered him an unfit person to put him in

He has been Visited by a Member of his Relations Since he was put in and they can State that there was no deference in his behaviour and Conversation than what was all his life

(He has been Visited by a Member of his Relations Since he was put in and they can State that there was no Difference in his behaviour and Conversation than what was all his Life.) At present his Relations are now Refused admittance to See him by order of his Wife (Signed) James Quinn Baker 33 Govan Street Hutchesontown

14/18/44

John Allan Sheriff Officer

Glasgow 20th Augt. 1844 Having Considered this Petition before further answer Remits to James Watson M.D. Glasgow and Samuel Clark M.D. there to Visit the above Designed William Bracon and to Report Seperate & Conjunct whether in their Opinion he is insane and a fit Subject for confinement in the Lunatic Asylum Said Visit or Visits and Reports to be made at the Expence of the Petitioner further appoints a Copy of the Petition and of this Deliverance to be Served on Dr. William Hutchison Physician to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum before any Visit by the above Medical Men is Made

(Signed) Henry Glassford Bell

Glasgow 21st Augt. 1844 We do hereby Certify that we have this day Visited and carefully Examined William Bracon Baxter Lenghtown of Campsie at present a Patient in the Royal Lunatic Asylum Gartnavel — That we have also perused his case as noted in the Records of the Asylum and Conversed with Dr. Hutchison in Relation to his State. It is our Joint opinion that at his admission on the 24th of July last he was ailing Much in his bodily health and that his mind was feeble and confused the methaut any Distinct Allusion — That Since his becomming a patient in the Asylum he has with Some Slight Variations Continued Steadily to improve both in Regard to Mind and Body and that at present he is in Such a State of Restored health as to make it nearly Certain that he will be able to Return with Prospriety to his family and business in the Course of Eight or Ten days

upon Soul and Conscience

(Signed) James Watson M. D.
(Signed) Sam Clark Surgeon

Glasgow 28th Augt. 1844 At this we are Still of opinion that a Residence of a few days longer in the Asylum would benifit Mr. Bracon and that he would be as likely to Recover his General Health by being there as any where else yet we do not See any thing in the State of his Mind at present absolutely Requiring Confinement in the Asylum as a Retreat for Lunatics

(Signed) James Watson M. D.
Signed) Sam Clark Surgeon

Robt Allan Sheriff Officer

Glasgow 26th Augt 1844 Having Resumed
Consideration of this Petition together with
the Medical Reports by Drs Watson & Clark
appoints a Copy of said Petition and
Reports to be Served on Mary Ann or
Brown wife of the within Designed
William Brown upon whom Application
Warrant for the Reception of the Said
William Brown into the Royal Lunatic
Asylum was Granted and also upon
Dr William Hutcheson Physician to
said Asylum for his Interest and
appoints them to Lodge answers if they
any have in the hands of the Clerk of
Court within forty Eight hours
after Such Service with

(Signed) Henry Glassford Bell

To William Hutcheson within
Designed You are hereby
Required and Required to compear
yourself to the foregoing Copy
of Petition and Deliverances
as Contained on this and the
two Preceding Pages with
Certification that I do upon
the twenty seventh day of
August Eighteen hundred
and forty four years before
Robert Mc Hutchison residing
in Hutchesontown of Glasgow
witness

John Allan Deputy Sheriff Officer
County Building

Copy for

Dr. Willm. Hutchison

1844

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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July 24. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Leitch	25	Married	Weaver	little	Protestant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	never —
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	since the 17th or July current 1844
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	none
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	depression of spirit
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	none —
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	worthy & pious —
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	none
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	two boys, eldest 4 3/4 and they say 18 months
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	none
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	is not known
15. What have been the prominant symptoms of this attack?	melancholy —
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	outrageous for the first three days and taken violently since —
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	not known —
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	no —
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	—
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	wishing to turn a catholic, (knows of no other)
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	none —
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	never
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no —
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing done
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	never was in any asylum whatever

(Signed) James Leitch, Father of the Patient.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

25th July 1844

I, James Paterson M.D. Surgeon in 44 Rent St Glasgow having this day carefully examined William Leitch resident in the Land 36 Cow St of Calton Barony Parish hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, He is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) James Paterson M.D.

No. II.

25th July 1844

I, John Lauder Surgeon Calton having this day carefully examined William Leitch hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John Lauder Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs William Leitch

* Wife of Wm Leitch

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That William Leitch aged 25 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said William Leitch

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Mrs William Leitch

(Address) No 36 Cow Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jn Paterson and Lauder, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Leitch, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 24 July 1844

Wm Stafford Hall

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 24 July 1844.

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit William Leitch into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) John Warren Kirk Treasurer

(Address) Barony Parish

No. 1832

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£0	8	6 per Week.	Second Rate of Board,	£0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Brown Buchanan	20	M	Mercantile (Clerk)	Mercantile	Free Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the date of previous attacks, and how treated.	Dec 39. 40 – About ~~eight~~ 12 months
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Six months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Complaining of headache – ?
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition – any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Alternately high & low – Hypochondriacal fancies – irritable
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Head of obst[inate] & rather eccentric
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet, quiet & retiring
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	—
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	—
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Half brother insane (10 years)
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Unknown
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Restlessness – disposition to purchase unnecessary articles – hope[less] delusions of future wealth
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None perceptible
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Irregular – periods
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Army – Navy – Artist – Drawing Class – Margaret – Debility of Mother – Borrowing money
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No ~~Threatens~~
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Warm Bath, Leeches, Cold Lotion
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No Garvald House for last & Much Determined Uncured but recovered afterwards

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 25 July 1844

I, Ebenezer Mackenzie, in Glasgow, having this day carefully examined Mr J. B. Buchanan resident in the Gorbals of Glasgow, hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) E. Mackenzie Surgeon.

No. II.

26 July [illegible] 1844

William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr Frances Brown Buchanan hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Wm Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinburgh Member of the Faculty of Physicians & Surgeons Glasgow &c.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Buchanan

* Mother of the undernamed

Humbly Sheweth,

That Frances Brown Buchanan aged 20 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said F. B. Buchanan

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) J M Buchanan

(Address) 114 Hospital Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Mackenzie and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Frances Brown Buchanan, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days from the date.

Glasgow, 26 July 1844

George Shaw

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD

No. 1833.

Glasgow, 25th July 184[illegible]

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Buchanan 111 Hospital Street *for the Board of* Wm K. B. Buchanan *at the rate of* One guinea *per Week.*

John Burn
J. D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Wm K. B. Buchanan *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

M C Hutcheson *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No ~~threatens~~
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or to otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Warm bath Cold Unit
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on such occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	In Garnethill House for Each attack Relapsed Incurred but recovered afterwards

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners,—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person afflicted with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Williams Keith	31	Married	Butcher	Reads & Writes	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Two or Three months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Some pain in his head
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Nothing particular
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	—
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Sober & industrious
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	—
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	[illegible]
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	None
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	A cold
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Low Melancholly
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Slight
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	—
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	All Spirit not willing to take his food
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	None
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Being in a Strange place he cannot say any thing about it
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, Arch. Johnston Surgeon in Glasgow having this 23 July 184 4 day carefully examined William Keith resident in the Glasgow of County of Lanark hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Arch. Johnston Surgeon

No. II.

I, John Harvey M.D. having this day carefully examined William Keith hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. 23 July 184 4

John Harvey M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Keith

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That William Keith aged 71 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said William Keith.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Keith

(ADDRESS) 24 & 26 Stockwell St

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Archd. Johnston & Harvie, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Keith, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW 24 July 1844

George Skene

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Rich[d] Finley	28	Single			Free Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Since about the middle of June
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Epileptic fits: Heat over right eye: Pain in Head & Neuralgia
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing gradually.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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1844

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 1st Augt 1844

I, George Watson Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Richd Finlay resident in the Parish of St. Georges hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) George Watson

No. II.

Glasgow 1st August 1844

I, Thomas Watson Surgeon having this day carefully examined Mr Richard Finlay hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thomas Watson

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Agnes Finlay

* Sister of Richard

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Mr Brother Richd Finlay aged about 29 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Agnes Finlay

(ADDRESS) Hamilton Hill

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Thomas Watson & , produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Richard Finlay , in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, August 1st 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD

No. 1835

Glasgow, 1st Aug.t — 184 1

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Angus McDonald, 229 Cowcaddens
for the Board of Richard Finlay *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

John Barr, per Don.d Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£0	8	6	per Week.	Second Rate of Board,	£0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

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August 6 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Robertson	58	M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 5 August 184 4

I, Wm Moffat Surgeon in Glasgow, having ~~this~~ day carefully examined John Robertson resident in the Asylum of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

SIGNED) Wm Moffat M.D. R.C.P.L.

No. II.

Glasgow 5 August 184 4

I, Wm Maddee Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Robertson do hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Maddee

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Robertson

* Wife to John Robertson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Robertson aged fifty eight years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

Wm Maddee & Moffat
W Porterfield

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mrs Robertson

(ADDRESS) North albion court Gallowgate

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Moffat & Maddee, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Robertson, in terms of the Statutes refecred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days

GLASGOW, 5th August 1844

George Shaw

No. 1836

Glasgow, 5th August 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Messrs John Stuart, 74 Hospital St and William Waddell, 49 George St. 3 *for the Board of* John Robertson, *at the rate of* Ten Shillings and Sixpence (10/6) *per Week.*

G. R. Brown, p. t. Robertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

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Aug 8. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Marshall	52	Married	Labourer	Ordinary	Protestant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No —
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	2 Months —
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Derangement of Biliary secretion
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Patient has always been ~~[illegible]~~ but at present Dowrt, more Chas[illegible] mind —
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	See 3. — but is now recovered —
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	12 children
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Deprived state of his trade — fears of not being able to support his family — & religious anxiety
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None —
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	One Remission about 4 weeks ago.
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	See 14 — The patient is always in a melancholy state — from which he cannot be roused — Continually brooding over his affairs & thinks that he will never be able to support his family
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has attempted Suicide — by cutting his throat
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has threatened ~~[illegible]~~ others —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Treatment directed to the bodily disorder & when ~~[illegible]~~ he seemed more capable of exertion
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Las Symes
Surgeon —

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Torphichen Augt 5th 184

I, James Syme Surgeon in Bathgate having this day carefully examined James Marshall resident in the Parish of Torphichen hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

SIGNED) James Syme Surgeon

No. II.

Torphichen Augt 5th 184

I, Archd Allardyce Surgeon James Marshall having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Archd Allardyce Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner granting this Certificate must have visited and carefully examined the Patient to whom it relates, not more than a Fortnight before Petition

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Margaret Duncan Wife of James Marshall

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Marshall aged fifty two Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Marshall

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Margaret Marshall or Duncan

(ADDRESS) Torphichen

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Archd Allardyce Surgeon James Baird & Margaret Duncan, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Marshall, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Two Days.

GLASGOW, 6th Augt 1866

Wm Stafford Bell

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Torphichen Augt 5th 184

I, James Tyrie Surgeon in Bathgate having this day carefully examined James Marshall resident in the Parish of Torphichen & hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) James Tyrie Surgeon

No. II.

Torphichen Augt 5th 184

I, Geo Allardyce Surgeon having this day carefully examined James Marshall hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Geo Allardyce Surgeon

* * * Any Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

To the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Margaret Duncan

* Wife of James Marshall

SHEWETH,

That James Marshall aged fifty two Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, as appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 3 & 4 Vict. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the Admission of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said James Marshall

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Tyrie & Dr Allardyce, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed James Marshall, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within five days.

Glasgow, 5th Aug. 1846 } Wm Stafford Veall

No. 1837

Glasgow, 6th Aug.t 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Rev.d William Brankt, Sorphichen *for the Board of* James Marshall *at the rate of* Eight shillings & Sixpence *per Week.*

John Barr
J. D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Physician.

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	* Has attempted Suicide - By cutting his throat
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has threatened occasionally to kill others -
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Treatment directed to the bodily disorder - when it was ameliorated he seemed more capable of exertion
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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Lauchlan Grey
Surgeon -

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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

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On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Logan		d			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

August 10th 1844.

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Logan resident in the Barony Parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Th. Prichard M.D.

No. II.

August 10. 1844

I, John M'Laren M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Logan hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John M'Laren M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John M'Laren

* Kirk Treasurer Barony

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Logan aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Logan

Aug 9. 1844

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Maclaren

(ADDRESS) 141 Macdonald st.

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Thomas Prichard & Joh. M'Laren, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Logan, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within forty eight hours

GLASGOW, 9th Aug 1844

George Ker

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, Aug 9th 1844.

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit James Logan into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John Maclaren

(ADDRESS) 141 Macdonald

No. 1838

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

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August 15. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Ross	40				

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 15th Aug. 1849

I, George Miller, Surgeon in George St. Glasgow having this day carefully examined Jas Ross. resident in the Glasgow of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) George Miller Surgeon

No. II.

Glasgow 15 Aug 1849

I, James Miller Surgeon Glasgow having this day carefully examined Jas Ross hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Miller Surgeon 2 Lancaster Place Glasgow

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Maclaren Kirk Treasurer of the Barony Parish 36 North Albion Street

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Ross aged Fifty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

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And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John M'Laren

(ADDRESS) 36 North Albion Street

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Wm Wallace Bell

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(NAME) John M'Laren K. Treasurer

(ADDRESS) 36 North Albion Street

Barony Parish

No. 1839

Glasgow, 184

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John McNab					

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4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, William Strang Surgeon in Nicholson Square having this day 17th August 1844 carefully examined John McNab resident in the Parish of Govan hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) William Strang

No. II.

I, James Stuart Surgeon, Lanarkshire having this day 17th August 1844 carefully examined John M'Nab hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Jas Stuart

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Carlile Solt Gavin Annandale
* 4 Norfolk Court Lanarkshire

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John M'Nab aged fifty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Carlile

(ADDRESS) 4 Norfolk Court Lanarkshire

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Wm Strang and Stuart, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John M'Nab, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 17th August 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 840.

Glasgow, 17th Augt — 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Cassells, 41 Norfolk Court Lancaster
for the Board of John Mc Nab *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & six pence
per Week.

J Barr, for Dun Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or to otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Roland	48	M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
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19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

August 19th 1844

I, Thomas Pritchard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr John Cleland lately resident in the Town of Helensburgh now in Crum hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Thomas Pritchard M.D.

No. II.

19 August 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr John Cleland hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) William Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinr Member of Royalty &c

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Nisbet acting for Catherine Cleland Wife of the above designed *

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Cleland aged 40 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Cleland

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) James Nisbet

(ADDRESS) 2 George Place Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pritchard and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Mr John Cleland, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within

GLASGOW, 20th Aug. 1844 George Sheriff

No. 1841

Glasgow, 19th August 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Ellard

for the Board of Mr John Ellard *at the rate of* One Guinea

per Week.

John Hart
Jas Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
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(Signed)

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Argyllshire or his Substitute

The Petition of

James Macdonald Procurator Fiscal for said Shire for the Public interest

Humbly Sheweth

Inverary 23 July 1844

That by Act of Parliament 4th & 5th Victoria Cap 60 Section III it is inter alia provided, enacted and Declared "That where any furious or fatuous person or Lunatic, shall have been apprehended charged with "Assault or other offence inferring danger to the Liege, or "where any furious or fatuous person or Lunatic being "in a state threatening danger to the Liege, shall be found "at large it shall be lawful for the Sheriff upon applica- "tion by the Procurator Fiscal, accompanied by a Medical "Certificate as to the condition of such person, from some "Medical person, who is either a Physician, or has a Di- "ploma from the Royal College of Surgeons in Edinburgh "or London, or from the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons "of Glasgow, or who has a right to practice from having "served in the Army or Navy for the time to commit such "furious or fatuous person or Lunatic unto some place "of safe custody; and the Sheriff shall thereupon direct "Notice to be given to the next of Kin (if known) or other "known relatives of such furious or fatuous person or "Lunatic, and shall also direct Notice to be given in some "Newspaper circulated within the County of such com- "mitment, and of his intention to enquire into the condition "of such furious or fatuous person or Lunatic on an early "day to be named; and the Sheriff shall at the time named "proceed to take evidence of the condition of such furious "or fatuous person or Lunatic, and upon being satisfied "that he or she is furious, or fatuous or a Lunatic, and "dangerous, he shall commit him or her to any private "Madhouse licenced under the said recited Acts, or into "any public Hospital, or public Asylum willing to "receive him or her; and in case there shall be no "private licensed Madhouse, or public Hospital, "or public Asylum within the Jurisdiction of such "Sheriff, he shall commit such furious or fatuous person "or Lunatic to some licenced private Madhouse, or "public Hospital, or public Asylum of some adjoin- "ing County willing to receive him or her"

That John Mac Kinnon Labourer at Achna- carnan in the Parish of Kilcalmonell or United Parish of Kilcalmonell and Killberry is at present in custody charged with having on the Second day of Jul current assaulted James Caldwell Grieve or Overseer to John Campbell Esquire of Stonefield; and the said

John Mac Kinnon is a Lunatic & furious, fatious and dangerous to the Liege in terms of the meaning and intent of the above Act of Parliament as is shewn from a Medical Report under the hands of W S King M D in Inverary herewith produced and will be farther shewn from other evidence.

May it therefore please your Lordship to commit the said John Mac Kinnon Prisoner to the Prison of Inverary therein to remain in the meantime for safe custody - to direct Notice to be given to his next of Kin, or other known relatives and in one or more of the Newspapers circulated within the County of Argyll of such Commitment - to fix a day for inquiring into his condition and on that day to take evidence thereof accordingly - and upon being satisfied that the said John Mac Kinnon is a Lunatic or furious or fatious and dangerous to the Liege to grant Warrant for committing him to any licensed private Madhouse, or into any public Hospital, or public Asylum willing to receive him in any of the adjoining Counties (there being none such in Argyllshire) to be there detained until he is cured, or until sufficient Caution be found for his safe custody - to ordain payment to be made to the Petitioner of the Expences of this application and consequent procedure, or to do farther or otherwise in the premises as to your Lordship shall seem proper in terms of the Provisions of the Act of Parliament above mentioned and to grant Warrant for citing Witnesses in the premises

According to Justice
(signed) James Macdonald P.F

Inverary 25th July 1844 - Having considered the foregoing Petition with the Medical Certificate therewith produced Grants Warrant for detaining John

Mac Kinnon complained on in the meantime Prisoner in the Prison of Inverary for safe custody and appoints Notice to be given by the Procurator Fiscal to the next of Kin if known or other Kinnon relatives of the said John Mac Kinnon and also a Notice to be inserted in the North British Advertiser and Glasgow Courier Newspapers intimating that such commitment has taken place and that it is intended to enquire into the condition of the said John Mac Kinnon on Thursday the Eighth day of August next at two o'clock P.M. all in terms of the Act of Parliament fourth and fifth Victoria Chapter sixty referred to in the Petition. —

(signed) J Maclaurin N P

Inverary 8th August 1844 - Having resumed consideration of the foregoing Petition with the Proof adduced and several productions Finds it proved that John Mac Kinnon complained upon is furious and insane and in a state threatening danger to the lieges Therefore Grants Warrant for committing him to a proper and suitable private Madhouse or public Hospital willing to receive him in some adjoining County therein to be detained until cured or until sufficient caution be found for his safe custody all in terms of the Act of Parliament Fourth and Fifth Victoria Chapter Sixty referred to in the said Petition and Grants Warrant for detaining the said John Mac Kinnon in the Jail of Inverary until arrangements be made for his removal and Decerns accordingly

(signed) Maclaurin N P

What is contained on this & the two preceding pages is a true copy of the Complaint Warrant & Sentence against John Mac Kinnon a Lunatic. — James Macdonald

Clerk

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Glasgow, 17th Augt ~~24th July~~ 1842.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr James Macdonald Prov Fiscal for Argyllshire for the board of John McKinven at the rate of Eight shillings and sixpence per week.

John Bain
D. Cuthbertson
Treasurer.

1842

Copy
Petition
The Poor Fiscal
agt
John Mac Kinven
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John McKinnon

Inverary 14th August 1844

Sir

I am sorry with your letter of the 15th but am glad that this person is to be removed into your Hospital without any further trouble.—

I intend to have him removed from here on Tuesday or Wednesday next so that you may look for him on either of those nights.—

A copy of the petition Evidence & finding of the Sheriff will accompany him along with the Prisoner. His obligation for his Board I have signed and now enclose it.—

I shall apply to the Parish for the petition to make you a remittance of the first Quarters board without delay.—

I am Sir
Your most obt Servt
James Macdonnell

P. Mutchison Esq M.D.
Glasgow Royal Infirmary
for Curative

GLASGOW
19 AUG 1844
2 30 AM
POSTAGE
ONE PENY
Wm. Anderson Esq
Physician to the Glasgow Royal
Asylum for Lunatics
Glasgow

John McInnes

Inverness 28th Augt 1844

Sir

With reference to my letter to you of the 17th Inst I now send you the enclosed of the Bearer, Alex Jenkins accused of assault together with the depositions and also with the evidence adduced by the Sheriff—

McInnes appears to me to be rather mild and easily managed; but there can be no doubt that he is liable to violent fits occasionally.—

Please cause a receipt to be given to the bearer for the person of the Lunatic.—

I am
Sir
Your ob. Servt
James Macdonald

P.S. Any clothing which McInnes may require had better be furnished to him at the Asylum.— J.M.D.

Rob: Robertson Esq M.D
Royal Asylum for Lunatics
Glasgow

Will Hutcheson Esq M.D
Royal Asylum for Lunatics
Glasgow

Inverary July 25 - 1844

I certify on oath and conscience that I have been in the habit of visiting John Mac Kinven at present Prisoner in the Prison of Inverary since the third day of this month - during which time he has been in a state of insanity - I have examined him this day - and am of opinion that if he were at present restored to liberty his conduct might prove dangerous to the lives of Her Majesty's subjects

(signed) W S Fung M D

Inverary 8th Augt 1844 This the Medical Report referred to in the Deposition emitted by me of this date

(signed) W S Fung

Copy Letter James Macdonald Sen Fiscal Inverary to Colin Mac Kinnon Sonlia near Tarbert

Inverary 2 Augt 1844

Sir

As the only Brother of John Mac Kinnon from Achnacarnan in the Parish of Kilcalmonell and present Prisoner in the Prison of Inverary it is my duty to inform you that it is intended on Thursday first at two O'clock P M within the Court House here to try your Brother before the Sheriff of this County or his Substitute as being a Lunatic furious & dangerous to the liege under the provisions of the Statute 4 & 5 Vict: Cap 60.

If you wish to be present at

James Macdonald

or have any objections to state against the proposed proceedings on Thursday first You may appear in Court time and place above stated / which You have this intimation in terms of the above Statute.

I am &c

(signed) James Macdonald

Inverary 8th Augt 1844. Refered to in my deposition of this date

(signed) Charles Riddoch

At Inverary the Eighth day of August Eighteen hundred and forty four years

In presence of John Maclaurin ~~Esquire~~ Sheriff Substitute of Argyllshire

Compeared James Macdonald Esquire Procurator Fiscal of Court for the Public interest who produced a Petition to the Sheriff Substitute praying for a Warrant to commit John Mac Tinnen Labourer at Achnacarnan in the Parish of Kilcalmonell or United Parish of Kilcalmonell and Killberry at present in custody charged with having on the second day of July last assaulted James Caldwell Grieve to John Campbell Esquire of Stonefield and with being a Lunatic or furious, furious and dangerous to the Lieges and further praying for a Warrant to commit the said John Mac Tinnen to any Licensed private Madhouse or into public Hospital or public Asylum willing to receive him in any of the adjoining Counties on which Petition a Warrant was granted on the Twenty fifth day of July last for detaining the said John Mac Tinnen

James Macdonald P.F.

complained on in the meantime Prisoner in the Prison of Inveraray and Notices appointed to be given to the next of Kin if known, or other known relatives and in the Newspapers and appointing this day at two O'Clock afternoon for enquiring into the Condition of the said John Mac Kinnon all in terms of the Act of Parliament fourth and fifth Victoria Chapter sixty and the said James Macdonald also produced a copy of the Glasgow Courier Newspaper dated the first day of August Current, also a copy of the North British Advertiser dated the third day of August Current in both of which Papers Notices are inserted intimating that the said enquiry is to be made at this time and place - Also Compeared the said John Mac Kinnon accompanied by David Montgomery Campbell Writer in Inveraray as his Agent. Thereafter Compeared the said James Caldwell who being solemnly sworn and examined Deponed that he is Overseer to John Campbell Esquire of Stonefield and resides on the farm of Achnacarnan in the United Parish of Kilcalmonell and Killberry on which farm the said John Mac Kinnon also resided - That on Tuesday the second day of July last the Deponent was engaged at Hay working on the said Farm alongst with the said John Mac Kinnon and a number of other persons - That while the Deponent was so engaged the said John Mac Kinnon struck the Deponent two or three violent blows with a Hay Rake on the head; so violent as to break the Rake and cut the Deponent on the head severely - That the said Assault was committed without any previous

James Macdonald J.P.

intimation on the part of Mc Kinven and without the Deponent having spoken or done any thing whatever calculated to provoke him - That the Deponent has known Mac Kinven for nearly four years - That during that time he has considered the said John Mac Kinven to be insane and dangerous to the liegos - That the said John Mac Kinven has a half brother named Colin who resides on the farm of Lonlia in the said United Parishes - That it coincits with the Deponents knowledge that the said Colin Mac Kinven is aware of the Proceedings which are going on here this day - Interrogated for the said John Mac Kinven Deponos that he has considered him insane for some years back and his reason for doing so is that the said John Mac Kinven had made an attempt upon the Deponent by striking him about a twelve month before the Assault above referred to and that without any grounds or provocation whatever - That Mac Kinven also chased the Deponents Family and threatened them with violence All which the Deponent deponos to be truth as he shall answer to God

(signed) James Caldwell

Compeared John Black Labourer residing on the farm of Kilvaeraige in the Parish of Kilcalmonell or United Parishes of Kilcalmonell and Kilberry who being solemnly sworn and Interrogated - Deponos That on Tuesday the second day of July last the Deponent was engaged working at Hay alongst with the said John Mac Kinven and the immediate preceding Witnes - That the Deponent on

James Macdonald JP

the said occasion saw said John Mac Kinven striking James Caldwell on the head with a Rake by which he cut him and broke the said Rake. That the Deponent did not see or hear Caldwell give Mac Kinven the slightest provocation. That the Deponent has known the said John Mac Kinven from his infancy. That he was a long time abroad at sea and since his return his mind has been considered weak. That the Deponent considers him dangerous to the lieges All which the Deponent deponeth to be truth as he shall answer to God. —

(signed) John Black

Compeared William Stevenson King Physician in Inverary who being solemnly sworn and examined deponeth — That he examined the said John Mac Kinven now at the Bar in the Prison of Inverary on the Twenty fifth day of July last when he made out the Medical Report which he now reads and which is docqueted and subscribed by the Deponent and Sheriff Substitute as relative hereto deponeth that the same is a true and correct Report. That the Deponent formed this opinion of the said John Mac Kinven before he heard the Evidence led in Court this day which Evidence strengthens the opinion which he had previously entertained and the Deponent now considers him dangerous to the lieges if allowed to go at large. All which is truth as the deponent shall answer to God

(signed) W S King

Compeared Charles Riddoch apprentice to the said James Macdonald Esquire

James Macdonald

who being solemnly sworn and examined Deponeo That on the second day of August Current there was written a letter to Colin Mac Kinnon residing at Sonlia near Tarbert of which the paper now produced is a true Copy and which Copy is dictated and subscribed by the Deponent and Sheriff Substitute as relative hereto That the Deponent put the original Letter of which this is a Copy in the Inveraray Post Office on the said second day of August Current - All which is truth as the Deponent shall answer to God. —

(signed) Charles Riddoch

Inveraray 19 August 1844. I James Clue Donald Procurator Fiscal for the County of Argyll Do hereby certify that what is contained on this and the five preceding pages is a true & correct copy of the evidence led against John M'Kinnon & Sunatre

James Macdonald

Copy

Evidence &c
agt
John Mac Kinnon
Lunatic

1844

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0	8	6 per Week.	Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Mitchell	38	M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Eight weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Intimate of the following to Confirming language & has a Pew in the Church he became quite Insane in his disposition
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Was a quiet & reserved person in consequence of his visits Drinking Brandy thought Deserted
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Conscientious fear of Danger
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Cannot the examination but for Sickness & Debility and has always been subject to Colds & Coughs
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Five, one 13 and one 6 years of age
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Insanity not known to be hereditary
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	To the best of his belief, Habits Regular
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Patient was struck on the Temple, one year ago nearly, on the Head, & was confined to the House for 3 months after but he was fully restored to his health & mind shortly after
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Thought to be Pride
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	—
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	—
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Imagines he has plenty of money, and is in good Circumstances
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has threatened to Cut his throat
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Has threatened to Kill his wife & Children
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Has threatened to throw the Furniture out of the Window
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	In the Glasgow Town Hospital three weeks about four days

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

24 August 184 4

I, John Dick Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Mitchell resident in the Town Hospital of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John Dick Surgeon

No. II.

I, Bright Hannah Surgeon 24th August 1844 having this day carefully examined John Mitchell hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Bright Hannah Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Hanna Surgeon of the Town Hospital Glasgow *

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Mitchell aged 93 — Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Mitchell

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Hanna

(ADDRESS)

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of John Dick, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Mitchell, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 24 Aug 1844 George Miller

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 24 August 184 4

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit John Mitchell into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John Hanna

(ADDRESS)

No. 1843

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

First Rate of Board,...	£0	8	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,...	£1	11	6	per Week.
Second,.....	0	15	0	—	Fifth,.....	2	2	0	—
Third,.....	1	1	0	—	Sixth,.....	3	3	0	—

THE THREE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Certificate of Lunacy from a respectable Medical Practitioner. The Certificate is to be exhibited, along with the Petition, to the Sheriff.

II. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69. and 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34. The Warrant, together with the Medical Certificate, must be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

III. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer, on payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents, herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of board, a difference will be observed, in some, or all, of the following particulars, *viz.* in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of keepers or servants, appointed to a given number of Patients. If a keeper or servant be provided to attend a single Patient, a charge is made in addition to the rate of board.

Every Patient must be provided with a proper suit of apparel, and with a sufficient number of those articles of dress which require to be washed. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum, after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive, ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly, and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Physician, by each Patient at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dimission, or on the death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismission is always sent to the person or persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the rate of board is doubled.

Near relatives or guardians, or others producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients at first rate of board on Saturdays, from 11 till 2; and at the other rates, on Mondays and Thursdays, at the same hours.

No visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Office, before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, the Physician; or to Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110, West George-Street, the Secretary and Treasurer. A sealed *confidential* statement of properly numbered Answers to the following Queries, may be enclosed, for the Physician, along with the other Documents, addressed to the Secretary. The Sheriff's Warrant having been produced, and the Regulations of the Institution duly observed, the Physician will grant an Order for Admission. But, to ensure the immediate admisson of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that the Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three days' previous notice must be given, before the removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES:

Patient's Name and Surname.	Age.	Single, Married, or Widowed.	Occupation.	Education.	Religious Denomination.
Archibald McLea Junior	27	Single	Licentiate of the Established Church of Scotland		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	A few days.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Constipation and disordered digestion.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	As a probationer he has been recently called upon to perform arduous duties mentally and bodily.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Has recently been more thoughtful and less inclined to mix with society.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet and steadious
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children?	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Hard study and religious responsibility
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Absence of mind and incongruous motions and cries.
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	The disease has only been current for the last four days.
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Afraid of future punishment being in a lost state.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	The patient having been kept in constant restraint cannot say.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Shaving the head, cold applications and afterwards a blister with fumigations, but without material improvement.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed) Archd. McLea Father of the Patient

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Rothesay 24th Aug 1844

I, Thomas Gibson MD in Rothesay having this day examined Mr Archibald McLea Junr resident in the Town of Rothesay hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Thomas Gibson MD

Aug 24 1844
Seen on the above
Sir Mungo Murray
Glasgow
of Ruthesay

☞ A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honorable the Sheriff-Depute of Renfrewshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Archibald McLea writer in Rothesay

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Archibald McLea Junior, Aged twenty seven Years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificate and Statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. 3, Cap. 69, and 9 Geo. 4, Cap. 34 & 4th and 5th Victoria cap 60 your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

Certificate

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP, to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or KEEPERS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Archibald McLea Junior

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Archd McLea

(ADDRESS) Writer Rothesay

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of Dr Gibson and Mr Scott, produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or KEEPERS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Archibald McLea Junr, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within fourteen days from the date hereof.

GLASGOW, 27th Aug 1844

George Miller

1844

Glasgow, 24th August 1844

An obligation has been granted by Duncan Salmond Esq. Virginia Buildings Glasgow for the board of the Patient within mentioned, at the rate of Eight shillings & 6d per week.

J Barr, for Dont Smith Murdoch Treasurer.

Admit _____ as a Patient into the Asylum.

_____ Physician.

To the Officers of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Afraid of getting worse treatment being in a lost state.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	The patient having been kept in constant restraint cannot say.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Shaving the head, cold applications and afterwards a blister with purgatives, but without matter of improvement.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed) Archd. M'Lea Father of the Patient

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Dec. 21. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Mabella Cowbrough	54	Marr.d	Worker	ordinary	Independant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about three weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	no
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	at times religiously inclined—talks much about being elevated to a high Place in the Heaven
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Sullen Temper
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	no bodily complaint
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	"
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	"
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	One son 21 years of Age Married
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	no
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	cannot account for it
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	wandering about & talking incoherently
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	still increasing
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	"
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	The operation power of his mind—Soldiers talks much about being imprisoned for Gods sake about to join the Army under the Duke of Wellington under whom he is to hold a high Station
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	his wife, when contradicted in any thing he wants
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	"
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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Thomas Moore's witness

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

26th Augt 1844

I, William Easton Surgeon in Castle having this day carefully examined Malcolm Cambrough resident in the Parish of Barony hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) William Easton Surgeon

Castle Glasgow

No. II.

21 Aug 1844

I, William Gow M.D. having this day carefully examined Malcolm Cambrough hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Gow M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FORTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Ann Cambrough

* wife of Malcolm Cambrough

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Malcolm Cambrough aged 54 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Ann Cambrough

(ADDRESS) No 15 James Street Calton Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of William Easton Surgeon & William Gow M.D., produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Malcolm Cambrough, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within four days after the date hereof.

GLASGOW, 26 August 1844

George Skene

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 26 Augt 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Malcom Cambrough into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Laren Kirk Treasurer

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1845

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

_____ *Admit* _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of these Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Aug. 28. 1841.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Thomas Johnston Senr.	57	Married	Coalmaster	very Moderate	Established Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Has been frequently under restraint in his own house
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Is subject to frequent fits of derangement
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Is frequently suffering bodily injury when in a excited state
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	His irritability of his temper has long been increasing to the present time & rendered him ungovernable by the exertion of his
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Himself elated by any one of his family particularly within his own house & becomes outrageous & dangerous
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Health Moderate
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Has eight Children & a wife living - eldest child 30 & youngest 14 years
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Long Continued excessive use of Spirituous Liquors
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	A tendency to commit violence on all around.
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	It grows more frequent and violent.
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Upon the increase - more elated in frequency & the System is capable to bear
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	The extent & frequency of intermissions depend on his abstinence
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has frequently threatened & attempted to destroy himself with a Razor &c
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has frequently threatened & often put his threat into execution
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes - Tears Burns & Breaks
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing beyond the restraint as stated by his Son James frequently in his own house
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(Signed) Thomas Johnston Jr.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Coatbridge 27 Aug 184 4

I, Robert Stewart M.D. in Baillieston having this day carefully examined Thomas Johnston Senr. resident in the Village of Garscloch hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Robert Stewart M.D.

No. II.

Coatbridge 27 Aug 184 4

I, James Tennent M.D. having this day carefully examined Thomas Johnston Senr. hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Tennent M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Thomas Johnston Senior Coalmaster at Garscloss in Lanarkshire only Son * of the present

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Thomas Johnston Senr aged fifty Seven Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

Glasgow 28 Aug 1844

(NAME) Thos Johnston Jr

(ADDRESS) Garscloch

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Stewart and Tennent, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Thomas Johnston Senr, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 28th Aug 1844

Wm Hamilton Gibb Advocate

Wm Hamilton Bell the medical attendant

No. 1846

Glasgow, 28th Augt 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Alexr Thomas Johnston Jnr Butcher, 42 Candleriggs and J. Macdonald, Writer, Upper Court, Glasr for the Board of Mr Thos Johnston Senr — at the rate of One guinea ₰. (£1.1-) per Week.

M'Bryan
for D. Corbett Treasurer.

Admit Mr Thomas Johnston Senr as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Has frequently threatened & attempted to destroy himself each a Razor &c.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has frequently threatened & often put his threats in execution
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes — Tears Burns & Breaks
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing beyond the restraint imposed by his having frequently at his own houses
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(Signed) Thomas Johnston Jr

* Nos. 3, 4, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

16 October
1864

Unto The Honorable the
Sheriff of Lanarkshire or his
Substitute
The Petition of Thomas Johnston
Coalmaster Eastfield Parish of
Old Monkland

Humbly Sheweth

That about Six weeks ago the Petitioner was most unceremoniously apprehended by Certain persons unknown to him and forcibly Carried to and has ever since been Confined as a Lunatic or insane person in the Royal Lunatic Asylum at Gartnavel Near Glasgow in virtue of a Warrant as he has since been informed from Your Lordship granted on the application of his own Wife falsely alleged That the petitioner was insane and a fit object for confinement in an Asylum. That the Petitioner never was insane in his lifetime or a fit person for Confinement in an Asylum. – On the Contrary he has extensive Coal works in active operation and in Consequence of his confinement he has suffered and continues to suffer loss and damage in his business as well as personal injury. –

That the Petitioner is entitled to the protection of Your Lordship, and to immediate liberation from Confinement, and he makes the present application

Application for that purpose.

May it therefore please your Ladyship
to give immediate to visit the Asylum
and examine the Petitioner or to cause
the Surgeon of said Asylum instantly
to report to your Ladyship on the sanity
of the Petitioner and thereupon to recall
the warrant detaining the Petitioner
detention in the Asylum and to grant
warrant for his liberation therefrom
or to do otherwise

According to Justice

for Petitioner Sheriff

(Signed) R Mylne

Glasgow 16 October 1844. Having considered
this Petition Appointe a copy thereof and of
this deliverance to be served on William Hut.
chison M. D. Physician to the Glasgow
Royal Lunatic Asylum and Appoints
him to lodge in the hands of the Clerk of Court
within two days after date Answer & Report
Report on the Case of the Petitioner including
a Statement as to his present Mental
Condition. (Signed) Henry Glassford Bell

William Hutchison Esquire before designed
You are hereby served with the foregoing
Copy Petition and Deliverance thereon and
desired and required to conform yourself
and &

Mc M Glover
Sheriff Officer

and pay due obedience to said Delivr-
=ance in all points. with Certification,
as affeirs. This I do upon the Sixteenth
day of October Eighteen hundred and
forty four Years, before James Robertson,
residing in Glasgow witness.-

Alex McGregor
Sheriff officer

Copy for

William Hutchison
M. D. - Royal
Lunatic Asylum
1864

William Steel - Pharm
16 Queen Street

William Hutchison Esq
M. D.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visiter is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Sept 2. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Fraviah	50				

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
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9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
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23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 31st August 1844

I, John W. Black Surgeon, in Gallowgate St Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Travish resident in the Bush of Barony hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, He is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) John W. Black Surgeon

No. II.

Glasgow Augt 31st 1844

I, John Lauder Surgeon Calton having this day carefully examined John Travish hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John Lauder Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John M'Laren
136 North Albion St

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Travish aged 50 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said John Travish

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John M'Laren
(Address) 136 North Albion Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of John W.m Black & John Lauder Surgeon, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed ~~John Lauder Surgeon~~ & John Travish, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 14 days.

Glasgow 2 Sept.r 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 2 Sept.r 1844

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit John Travish into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) John M'Laren Kirk Treasurer
(Address) Barony Parish

No. 1847

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

_____ *Admit* *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
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Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Feb 2. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Munson	30	S	Farm Servt	Read & Write	Episcopalian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Once about 2 years ago for a month Fidler - Utica Hospital
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Three months at present
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Always Sober - good temper
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Unknown
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	Unknown
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Over Exertion
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Excitement
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Religious excitement at first now general running
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Threatened to drown himself Cut his throat &c
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Yes - to strike & has done so
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, John McLaws, Surgeon in Renfrew, having this day carefully examined John Morrison [illegible] resident in the parish of Govan of [illegible] hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

2d Sept 1844

(SIGNED) John McLaws Surgeon

No. II.

Govan Sept. 2d 1844

I, Peter Austin having this day carefully examined John Morrison hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Peter Austin Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Morrison

* Brother of the above designed John Morrison.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That the said John Morrison aged about 30 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Morrison

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) James Morrison

(ADDRESS) Govan

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jn McLaws & Austin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Morrison, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within fifteen days.

GLASGOW, 2 Sept 1844

Wm Wallace Bell

No. 1848

Glasgow, 2d. Sept. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by M'Allister Thompson & Neilson Brown,
for the Board of John Morrison *at the rate of* Eight Shillings per Week
per Week.

John Hare, Treasurer.

Admit John Morrison *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

2 Sept 1844 Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Threatened to drown himself & cut his throat &c
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes — to strike & kick those near him
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 8, 9, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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Sept. 3. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Alexander S. Coleman	20	M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Has been deranged about two years. Has been under the care of Dr. Ward two weeks.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow Sept 3 1844

I, John Walker Pagan in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Alexander S. Cleland resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) J. Walker Pagan M.D.
Member of Faculty of P. & S.

No. II.

3 Septr 1844

I, William Ralston Physician having this day carefully examined Mr. Alex. S. Cleland hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Ralston M.D. Fellow of the R.C. of P. & S. Member of Faculty &c

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Martha Cleland
*Wife of the undersigned A. S. Cleland

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That A. S. Cleland aged about 35 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said A. S. Cleland

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Martha Cleland
(ADDRESS) 46 Renfield Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pagan & Ralston, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Alex S. Cleland, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Five Days.

GLASGOW, 4 Sept 1844

Wm Mackenzie

No. 1849

Glasgow, 3d Sept 1844

An Obligation has been granted by me

for the Board of Mr A. J. Blane — *at the rate of* One Guinea *per Week.*

for Dan[l] Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*
J Burn

Admit Mr A. J. Blane *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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Sept 6 1854

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Matthew Robertson	50	Single	Farmer	Limited education	Methodist Episcopal Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Becoming of Spirit last
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	A Common Cold & Sore throat
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Low Spirits for some time
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Nothing of this Kind—Kept steady employment
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Affectionate & Gentle & Industrious
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Nothing particular as far as known
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	See Children
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Several Relations on Mother's side
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None Except as above
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Not to be as his Father knows of but was on board ship & fell down hatchway & struck his head
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Religious Excitement
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Religious Melancholy
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	It has been increased
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	About a month after the Common commencement of an interview with Rev Mr Wood when this began to exhibit itself
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	No other change has been observed
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	He fancies that he is spiritually dead & that he is lost & that he has committed the unpardonable sin & that he has no interest in the Saviour & that he is doomed to destruction
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No. Has never been violent
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No. Not in the least
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He has been under the care of Drs Lewis & Hall
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(*Signed*) Mathew Robertson
Father of the patient

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

Crichton Roy

No. I.

3 Sept

I, John Stewart Surgeon in Cumnock 184/ having this day carefully examined Mathew Robertson resident in the Parish of Cumnock hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) John Stewart Surgeon Cumnock

No. II.

Cumnock 3 Sept. 184/

I, D. Wills Surgeon in Cumnock having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) D. Wills

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mathew Robertson

* Name of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Mathew Robertson *aged* thirty *Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,*

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said* Mathew Robertson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Mathew Robertson

(Address) Cruchtondale Cumnock

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Dr Stewart and Wills *, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* Mathew Robertson *, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 6 days

GLASGOW, 4th Sept 184/

Wm Hastie Bell

No. 1850

Glasgow, 6th Sept. 1847

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Robertson Procurator Castle Street & Clare
for the Board of Matthew Robertson *at the rate of* Eight shillings & six pence
per Week.

John Burn
for Dan Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Matthew Robertson *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Wm Wallace M.D. *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Makes no such attempts
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No. Has hitherto been perfectly harmless
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No. Not in the least
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He has been kept from [illegible]
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No.

(*Signed*) Matthew Robertson
for the Parent or Relative of the Patient

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£1 1 0 per Week. | Fourth Rate of Board, £3 3 0 per Week.
Second,..... 1 11 6 — | Fifth,..... 4 4 0 —
Third,..... 2 2 0 —

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of these, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Linn	30				

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Sept. 8th 184 4

I, Andw Mackie surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Linn resident in the Parish of Govan hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Andw Mackie M.D.

No. II.

September 8th 184 4

I, James Stewart surgeon having this day carefully examined John Linn hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Jas Stewart

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Agnus
* Supt Govan Parish

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Linn aged 70 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Agnus

(Address) 91 Trongate & Tureen Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Mackie and Stewart, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Linn, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Sept 8th 1844

George Skene

No. 1851

Glasgow, 8th Sept. 1845

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Cassells & Norfolk Court Lanrieston at the rate of Eight shillings & sixpence per Week.

for the Board of John Linn

John Barr
J. D. Cobburn
Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

... patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
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(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Sept. 12. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Watson —	59	-			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
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*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
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19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

I Robert Goddard Surgeon at Strathaven in the Island of Arran do hereby certify upon Soul & Conscience that I have Examined Wm Paton residing at Corrie who is at Large in said Island & that he is a Furious person or Lunatic threatning danger to the Liege at a person fitted for an Asylum — Given under my hand at Strathaven the eleventh day of September Eighteen hundred & forty Four

Robt Goddard Surgeon

M. Goddard resides at Arran is a legally qualified Medical Practitioner Wm Hutcheson

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I, Wm. Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr Paton lately residing in Arran hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Hutcheson M.D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians Edinb. Member of Faculty &c

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of William Shaw acting for John Paterson Factor to the Duke of Hamilton

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Mrs Paton aged about 50 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said William Paton

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) William Shaw

(ADDRESS) Brodick Jun

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Goddard & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Paton, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW 12th Sept 1844

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 1852

Glasgow, 12th Sept. — 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Paterson, Whitehouse Arran, for the Duke of Hamilton & Brandon.
for the Board of William Paton *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

John Barr
for Dan. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Strathaven Sept. 12th 1844

Dear Sir

The Bearer goes to Glasgow to stay with Wm Paton, a Lunatic, who of late has been rather troublesome & occasionally rather furious - It has been thought advisable to have him sent to the Asylum & I am desired to say that the Duke of Hamilton will be accountable for his Board &c if any Form is necessary to be gone into, let Mr Paton on the Duke's Factor here or myself know of it & it will be immediately entered into

I remain

You inclosed a certificate stating that he is a person who ought to be confined in an Asylum —

I shall be glad to hear from you by the Bearer —

I am

Dear Sir

Yours Sincerely

A. Goddard

Dr Hutcheson

Asylum

Glasgow

Dr Hutcheson

Glasgow Asylum

per
Wm Shaw

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Sept 18. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Gourdie	22	Single	Printer	Ordinary	Secession.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Wandering in mind. No treatment.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About two months.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Headache occasionally
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	More irritable than usual.
5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	none very marked
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	apt to be angry and passionate.
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Cannot be traced
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Rage and suspicion
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Days of quietness.
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Not at stated periods
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	High notions of his own consequence and suspicion of being overlooked.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Threatened his relations
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Tore books, broke furniture & doors.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Purgatives, always with effect.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never.

(Signed) Daniel Gourdie

Brother to the Patient.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, George Mitchell Surgeon in Ayr having this day carefully examined Robert Gourdie resident in the parish of Wallacetown Ayr hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

July 23rd 1844

17th Sept 1844
I G. M. Certify that R. Gourdie continues insane &c

No. II.

1844

I, W Whitelaw MD Ayr having this day carefully examined Robert Gourdie hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Wm Whitelaw MD

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Renfrewshire, or his Substitute.

18 Aug 1844

The Petition of Daniel Gourdie Farmer in Ayr

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Gourdie his son aged 22 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Robert Gourdie

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(SIGN) Daniel Gourdie

(ADDRESS) _____

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Geo Mitchell & Wm Whitelaw produced, Grants Warrant and Authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Gourdie, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 Hours.

GLASGOW, 18
Sept 18 44

Wm Hastings Bell

No. 1853

Glasgow, 18th Sept 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Dr Cooper, 133. Moore Place
for the Board of Robert Gendie at the rate of Eight Shillings & 6d.
per Week.

John Carr, J. D. Cathcart Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

Glasgow 18th Septr 1844
this day

I John Cooper, M.D. in Glasgow, having carefully examined
Robert Gendie, contained in the above certificate granted by the
Sheriff of Lanarkshire in favour of Dr Whitelaw there
John Cooper M.D.

We John Cooper M.D Glasgow and Harry Rainy M.D there
having this day carefully examined Robert Gendie resident in the
Parish of Wallacetown Ayr, hereby certify on soul & conscience
that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is insane
and a proper patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal
Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow 18 Sept 1844.

John Cooper M.D.
Harry Rainy M.D.

	and suspicion of being overlooked.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Threatened his relations
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Tore books, broke furniture & doors.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Purgatives, always with effect.
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never.

(Signed) Daniel Gendie
Father to the Patient.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Sept 20. 1844

At Stirling the seventh day of September eighteen hundred and forty four years: Sitting in judgement Sir John Hay Baronet Advocate Sheriff Substitute of Stirlingshire in a complaint at the instance of John Lawrie and Robert Monro writers in Stirling Procurators Fiscal of Court for the public interest against William Quill weaver residing in Kilsyth in the parish of Kilsyth and county of Stirling mentioning That by Act IV and V Victoria Chapter 60 It is enacted Section Third "That where "any furious or furious person or lunatic shall "have been apprehended charged with assault "or other offence inferring danger to the "liges or where any furious or furious person "or lunatic being in a state threatening "danger to the liges shall be found at "large it shall be lawful for the Sheriff "upon application by the Procurator Fiscal "accompanied by a Medical Certificate "as to the condition of such person from "some medical person who is either a "Physician or has a diploma from the Royal "College of Surgeons in Edinburgh or London "&c

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"or from the Faculty of Physicians or
"Surgeons of Glasgow or who has a right
"to practice from having served in the
"Army or Navy forthwith to commit such
"furious or fatuous person or lunatic into
"some place of safe custody and the Sheriff
"shall thereupon direct notice to be given
"to the next of kin (if known) or other
"known relatives of such furious or fatuous
"person or lunatic and shall also direct
"notice to be given in some newspaper
"circulated within the County of such
"Committment and of his intention to proceed
"with the condition of such furious or
"fatuous person or lunatic on an early
"day to be named; and the Sheriff shall
"at the time named proceed to take
"evidence of the condition of such furious
"or fatuous person or lunatic and upon
"being satisfied that he or she is furious
"or fatuous or a lunatic and dangerous
"he shall commit him or her to any
"private mad house licensed under the
"said recited acts or into any public
"Hospital"

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" Hospital or Public Asylum willing to
" receive him or her And in case there shall
" be no private licensed madhouse or Public
" Hospital or Public Asylum within the
" jurisdiction of such Sheriff he shall commit
" such furious or fatuous person or lunatic
" to some licensed private madhouse or
" Public Hospital or Public Asylum of
" some adjoining county willing to receive
" him or her and a license shall be
" granted in respect of every such
" Committment to any licensed private
" Madhouse as prescribed by the said
" recited acts and such furious or fatuous
" person or lunatic shall be there detained
" until his or her cure or until caution
" shall be found for his or her safe
" custody in which last case it shall
" be lawful for the Sheriff upon being
" satisfied as to such caution and the
" safety and propriety of such custody
" to authorise the delivery of the furious
" or fatuous person or lunatic to the
" person.

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"person so finding security and the Pro-
"curator Fiscal is hereby authorised and
"required to contract with the Keeper
"of the madhouse Hospital or asylum
"to whose care such furious or laturous
"person or lunatic is Committed for the
"expense of his or her Keeping or main-
"tenance therein". And by Section fifth
of said statute certain provisions are
made for payment of the expenses
incurred in any such application
as also of such expense as may be
incurred in the maintenance of the
said furious or laturous person or lunatic
in the first place out of the Rogue
money of the County and then out
of the estate if the furious or laturous
person or lunatic and by the parish
liable for his or her maintenance
And power is given to pronounce
Judgement in favor of the procurator
Fiscal of such sums as may be
necessary

necessary for the maintenance of such furious or fatuous person or lunatic in a licensed madhouse or public Hospital or Public Asylum against the parish liable either ad interim or ultimately or with relief for the maintenance of such person which judgement shall be final and conclusive and not subject to review by Suspension Advocation or Reduction or otherwise as the said statute containing sundry other clauses in itself more fully bears; That the said William Guild upon the second day of September current or about that time did wickedly and feloniously attack break into and enter the house in Kilsyth foresaid then and now or lately occupied by Patrick Guild teacher residing there by forcing open the door thereof and did within the said house wickedly and feloniously attack and assault Robert

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Robert White weaver residing in Kils-
: ayth foresaid who was then in charge
of the said house and did seize him
by the head and hair and by the
person and struggle with him and
did attempt to throw him to the
ground and did bite his thumb
and did kick him upon the legs
to the effusion of his blood and
severe injury of his person: And
the said Robert White having escaped
from the violence of the said William
Guild and ran off the said William
Guild did follow and chase him a
distance of two hundred yards or
thereby and endeavour to overtake
him using threatening language to
him and the said William Guild
was convicted of the crime of assault
before the Bailie of the Burgh Barony
of Kilsyth upon the thirty first
day of July eighteen hundred and
forty

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forty four That the said William Guild was on the third day of September current on the said charge & aggravation apprehended and brought before the said Sheriff Substitute on a Summary Complaint at the Complainers instance and having pleaded not guilty the case was adjourned until the eleventh day of September current and in the meantime the said William Guild was committed to the prison of Stirling until he should find caution to appear at all future diets of Court and not having found caution he still remained in prison. That from Information which the Complainers had received and enquiries they had made they averred and charged that the said William Guild is furious furious and almatic and dangerous and has been in the habit of committing for some time back various crimes of assault and

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any breach of the public peace all
arising danger to the liges and has been
going at large in Kilsyth in a state threaten-
ing danger to the liges and they produced
a Medical certificate to the effect that
he is in a state of mental derangement
requiring restraint to prevent injury himself
and others under the hand of William
Hutton Forrest surgeon in Stirling who
has a Diploma from the Royal college
of Surgeons in Edinburgh. That therefore
it was necessary that the said William
Fyall be committed to and detained in
Stirling prison as a place of safe custody
and thereafter on the complainers hearing
that he is furious furious or a lunatic
and dangerous that the said Sheriff commit-
him (there not being any licensed Madhouse
or Public Hospital or Public Asylum in the
County of Stirling) to the Edinburgh or
Glasgow Lunatic Asylum or some licensed
Madhouse or some Public Hospital or
other Public Asylum therein to be detained
until his cure or until caution be found
for his safe custody and that decreet be
granted as aforementioned for the expense
thereof—

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thereof in favor of the complainers against the said parish of Kilsyth the said William Guild having an industrial domicile therein and particularly as he has no known means or estate of his own: And craving the said Sheriff to Grant Warrant to apprehend the said William Guild and to bring him before the said Sheriff on the said complaint and thereafter to commit him to the prison of Stirling in the meantime for his safe custody; Further to fix a certain early day to take evidence of the condition of the said William Guild and upon being satisfied that he is furious furiously and dangerous to commit him to the Edinburgh or Glasgow Lunatic Asylums or some licensed private Madhouse or some public Hospital or other public Asylum therein to be detained until his cure or until caution shall be found for his safe custody Further to authorise notice thereof to the said Patrick Guild and to Charles Guild weaver residing in Kilsyth brothers and next of kin to the said William Guild and also to Sir Archibald Edmonstone of Duntreath Baronet principal Heritor of the said parish of Kilsyth to George Buchanan Esq

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10 Auchinvole Keitors Clerk and the Reverend Henry Douglas Minister of the parish and Moderator of the Kirk Sessions and also in one or other of the Newspapers circulated in the county; thereafter to Decern in favor of the Complainers against the said parish and heritors thereof and the said Sir Archibald Edmonstone George Auchinvole and Henry Douglas as repre: senting the same for such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the said William Guild in any licensed Madhouse or public Hospital or Public asylum all in terms of the said Statute; And the said Sheriff having Granted Warrant to apprehend the said William Guild and to commit him to the prison of Stirling as a place of safe custody therein to be detained till the date hereof: and of the date hereof the Complainers having led a proof of the allegations con: tained in the foregoing Complaint The Sheriff having considered the proof adduced by the Complainers and resumed consideration of the Petition Grants

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Found and hereby finds that William Guild complained upon is insane and dangerous and therefore Grants & hereby Grants Warrant to commit him to the Glasgow Lunatic Asylum therein to be detained until his cure or until caution shall be found for his safe custody and Grants and hereby Grants Warrant to commit him in the meantime to the Prison of Stirling therein to be detained till his removal: Extracted upon these eleven pages by

Wm Grant Clerk

Glasgow 20th Sept: 1864

An Obligation has been granted by Messrs Somers & Scoon, Pro. Fiscal Stirling for the Board &c of William Guild at the rate of Eight shillings & sixpence per week.

John Bain

Jno Dan. Leathbertson

Treas.

Extract Warrant

of

William Guice, a Lunatic

1844

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6 —	Fifth,..... 4	4	0 —
Third,..... 2	2	0 —			

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Not to our Knowledge
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	As far as we Know a few days only
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	We Know not of any
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Having just come from America we know nothing of former habits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	From what we can learn he are by Some to be much intemperate
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	of this I am ignorant
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Delirium Tremens
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Occasional intervals of hours
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Imagines that the Captain of the ship from America threatens to take his life
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing particular
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed) Thomas Richmond Surgeon
John Lewis Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Paisley Sept 19 1844

I, John Craig Surgeon in Paisley having this day carefully examined John Craig resident in the Town of Paisley I hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John Craig Surgeon

No. II.

Paisley 19 Sept 1844

I, Thomas Richmond Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Craig hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thomas Richmond Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

I do hereby certify that I have examined the above named John Craig, & find that he is insane & a proper person for the Glasgow Royal Asylum
21 Mathd Sq. 20 Sept 1844

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Craig Surgeon Paisley
Made to the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Craig aged 26 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Craig

(ADDRESS) Surgeon

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jn Craig and Richmond, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Craig, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 14 Days

GLASGOW Sept 20 1844

George Rose

No. 1855

Glasgow, 20th Sept 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Dr James Mitchell, 45 Argyll Arcade, for the Board of Dr John Craig, – at the rate of Two pounds, one shilling Stg. (£1.1.–) per Week.

R Brown, Treasurer.
for D. Cuthbertson

Admit _____ as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

	Under his Care
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing particular
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed) Thomas Richmond Surgeon
John Craig Surgeon

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Sept. 25. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Reich	28				

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
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*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
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21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Anderston, 25 Sept. 1844

I, Joseph Fleming Surgeon in Anderston having this day carefully examined William Kirk resident in the of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Joseph Fleming Surgeon

No. II.

25th Sept. 1844

I, Andrew M'Lennan Surgeon having this day carefully examined William Kirk hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Andrew M'Lennan Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John M'Laren
* 36 North Albion St. Glasgow

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That William Kirk aged 35 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John M'Laren
(ADDRESS) 36 North Albion Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Joseph Fleming & And.r M'Lennan Surgeons, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Kirk, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Eight Days.

GLASGOW, 25 Sept. 1844

George Sheriff

Yeates W.S.

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 25 Sept. 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit William Kirk into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Laren Kirk Treasurer
(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1856

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit – *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

At Falkirk the Twenty Third day of September Eighteen hundred and forty four years; Sitting In Judgement James Stanhope Dickson Esquire Advocate Sheriff Substitute of the County of Stirling; In a Summary Application Exhibited and presented to the Sheriff of said County and his Substitutes for and in name of John Gair Procurator Fiscal of Court of the Eastern District of Stirlingshire for the public interest Setting forth, That Patrick Bird Lodging house Keeper in Falkirk who, from the Medical Certificate of Mr James Gudwood Surgeon in Falkirk and Dr James Tennant Physician there therewith produced, appeared to be a furious or furious person or a lunatic and in a State threatening danger to the leiges, had been found at large and apprehended in Falkirk within the parish of Falkirk and County of Stirling charged with Assault, and which application prays that it might therefore please the Sheriff, in terms of the act 4th and 5th Victoria, Cap. 60 & 3 and 5 to Grant Warrant to commit the said Patrick Bird &

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Bird to the prison of Falkirk or other place of safe custody, and appoint an early day and hours for his Lordship's proceeding to take evidence of the condition of the said Patrick Bird; Grant warrant to cite the Witnesses to be adduced for that purpose; direct notice to be given, by serving them each with a copy thereof and of his Lordship's deliverance thereon to Mrs Elizabeth Rushen or Bird wife of the said Patrick Bird and Margaret Bird his daughter both residing in Falkirk the next of kin of the said Patrick Bird and to William Marshall residing in Camelon treasurer & collector to the Heritors and Kirk Session of the parish of Falkirk, representing or acting for the parish of Falkirk within which the said Patrick Bird was found & apprehended; And also direct notice to be given in some newspaper circulated within the County of Stirling of such commitment and of his Lordships intentions at said diet to enquire and take evidence as said is. Further after making such enquiry and on his Lordship being

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being Satisfied that the said Patrick Bird is furious or furious or a lunatic and dangerous, Grant Warrant to commit the said Patrick Bird to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum or other public Hospital or Public Asylum Willing to receive him (there being no Licenced Asylum or Mad house within the County of Stirling) therein to be detained until his cure or until caution should be found for his safe custody; And Decern and Ordain the said Parish of Falkirk and the said William Marshall as representing or acting for the same to pay such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the said Patrick Bird in said Asylum; Reserving to the said parish its relief as accords of law; Farther Decern against the Clerk of supply for the Petitioners expenses in terms of the Statute; The said Sheriff Substitute upon the Seventeenth day of September Eighteen hundred and forty fours Having consudered said Petition, Medical Certificate and the Act

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Act of Parliament founded on, Granted Warrant to apprehend Patrick Bird designed therein and to commit him to the prison of Falkirk as a place of safe custody ad interim. Further appointed the Petitioner, by serving each of them with copies of said petition and of the deliverances thereon to give notice to Mrs Elizabeth Rushen or Bird and Margaret Bird and to William Marshall designed in the Petition and also notice in the first publication of each of the Stirling Newspapers of the said commitment and that the Sheriff would on Monday the Twenty third day of September current at Eleven o'clock forenoon, within the Ordinary Sheriff Court place in Falkirk, proceed to inquire into and take evidence on the Condition of the said Patrick Bird as braved in the Petition. Granted Warrant to cite Witnesses; and ordained them and the said Elizabeth Rushen or Bird Margaret Bird and William Marshall (if they see cause) for their several interests to attend said diet with certification &

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certification; Thereafterupon the date hereof, The said Sheriff Substitute having considered the Proof adduced by the Petitioner and resumed consideration of the Petition, Found and hereby Finds that Patrick Bird complained upon is of unsound mind furious and a Lunatic and dangerous Therefore Granted and hereby Grants warrant to commit him to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum therein to be detained until his cure or until caution should be found for his safe custody and Granted and hereby Grants warrant to commit him in the meantime to the prison of Falkirk therein to be detained till his removal; Found and hereby Finds that the Expenses of the Petitioner which Modified and hereby Modifies to

Stg. as well as the Expenses to be incurred in keeping and maintaining the said Patrick Bird should in the first place be paid out of the Rogue money of the County but Found and hereby Finds that such ex-

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expenses cannot be immediately recovered out of any estate or effects belonging to the said Patrick Bird Found and hereby Finds that the said Patrick Bird is residing and has acquired an Industrial residence in the Parish of Falkirk and that that Parish is liable in the Expense of said Maintenance; Therefore Decerned and hereby Decerns in favor of the Petitioner against the said Parish of Falkirk and the Heritors thereof and against William Marshall as Treasurer and Collector to the Heritors and Kirk Session of the said Parish for such sums as may be expended by the Petitioner in the maintenance of the said Patrick Bird; of which aforponded and hereby Assponts him to lodge accounts from time to time Reserving all claims of Relief competent to the said parish against the said Patrick Bird his means and estate and all others liable as accords and Decerned and hereby Decerns. Extracted upon these six pages by

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Cl. Dep.

Glasgow 26th Sept. 1866

An obligation has been granted by Mr. William Marshall, Superintendent of Poor, Falkirk, for the Board &c. of Patrick Bird, at the rate of Eight shillings & sixpence per week.

John Bain, Pro Dom. Cuthbertson, Treas.

Extract Sentence
The Prō Fiscal
against
Patrick Bird
a Lunatic

23 Sept 1844

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Falkirk 23 September 1844.

Sir,

A pauper of the name of Patrick Bird, a lodging house keeper here, has been apprehended under the Act 4 & 5 Victoria - Cap. 60; and today the Sheriff has granted Warrant for Committing him, as a dangerous Lunatic, to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, until his cure, or until caution be found for his safe Custody, in terms of the Statute. I beg to know whether he can be received immediately, at the lowest rate of Board. And if so, I will thank you to mention what farther forms require to be gone through before he can be admitted. I understand from the Fiscals at Stirling, that they merely send you a full Extract of the Proceedings before the Sheriff, as

as your Warrant for receiving him; but if any other forms be required, you can let me know. Be so good also as say what amount of Board we require to send along with the Patient; and also whether you require a Guarantee from a Person in Glasgow for the due payment of the Board in future. I am willing to grant the Guarantee myself, if that be sufficient; or the Treasurer to the Heritors here will grant it, if he will be accepted.

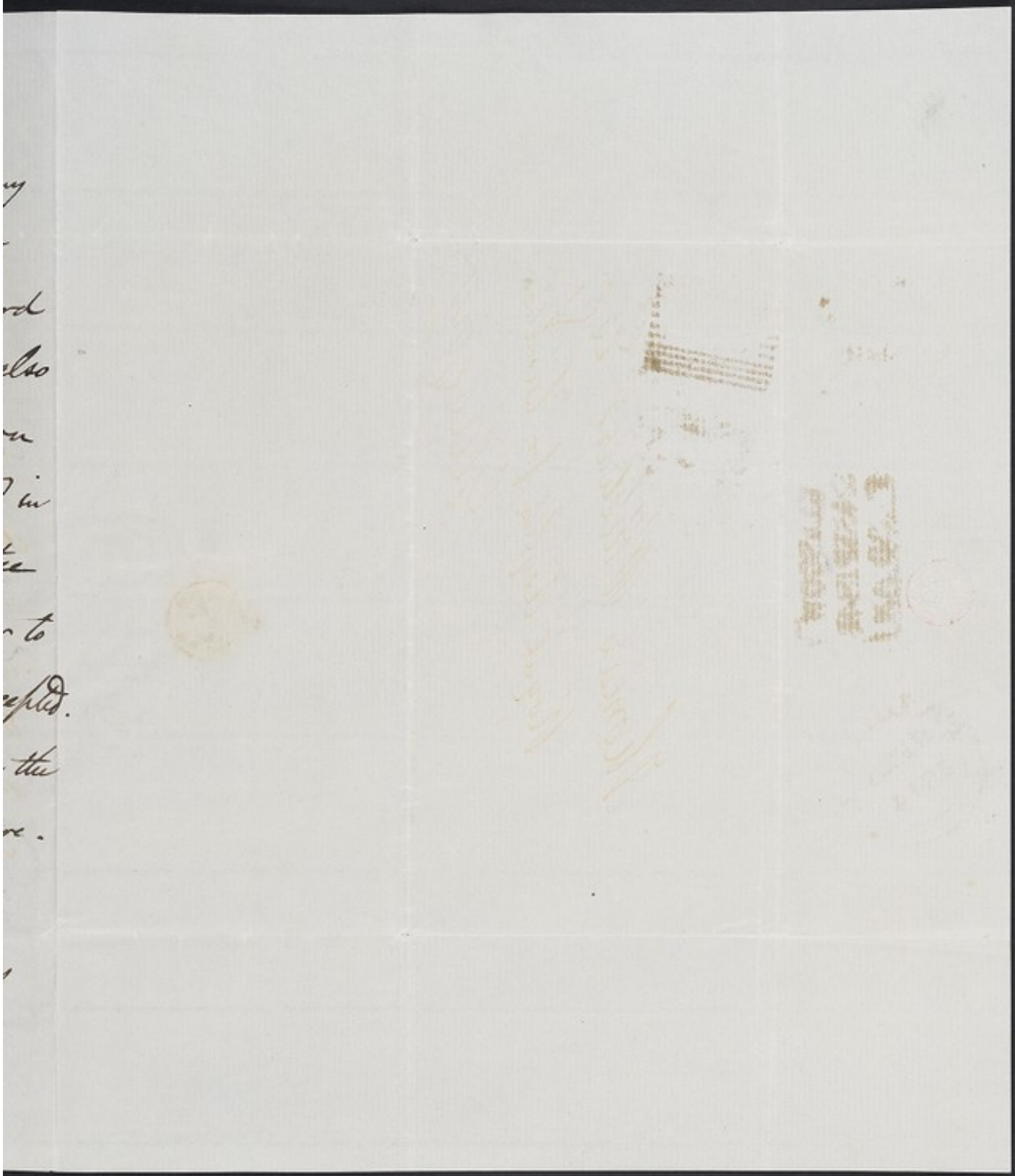
I beg the favor of an early answer, as the Patient is at present in a miserable place here.

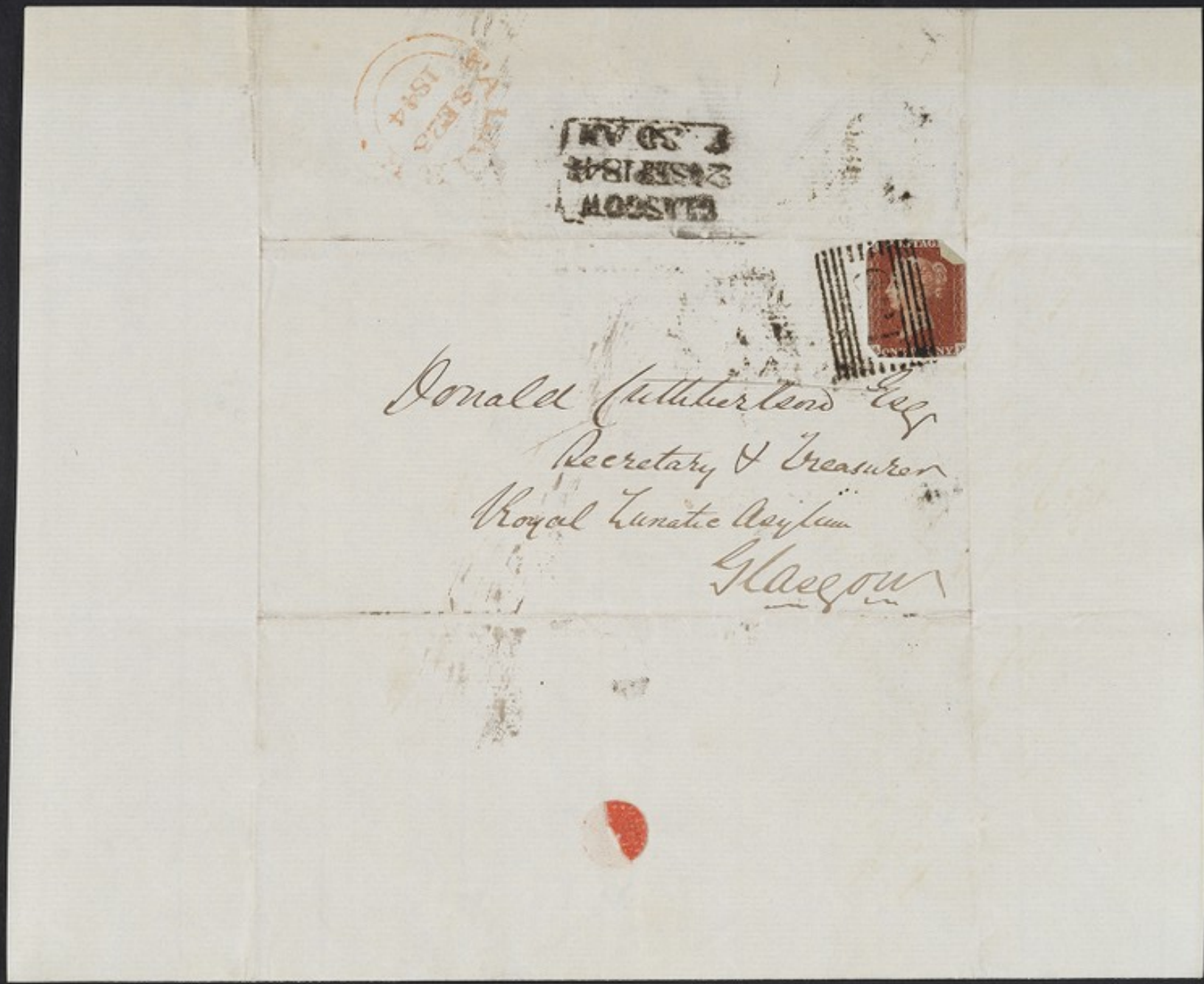
I am, Sir,

Your most obed. Servant

J. Hunter
Pro. Fiscal.

Donald Cuthbertson Esq.
Secretary & Treasurer
Royal Lunatic Asylum Glasgow




Donald Sutherland Esq
Secretary & Treasurer
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

Patrick Bird.

Falkirk 26 Septemr. 1844.

Sir,

I am in receipt of your Letter of Yesterday as to Patrick Bird; and I now send him by an Officer to your Asylum. I also send herewith an Extract of the Sheriff's Decreet, and of the Proceedings on which it followed; and I enclose the Obligation for the payment of Board &c signed by the Treasurer to the Heritors of this Parish. The Treasurer mentions that you have other Paupers belonging to this Parish, for whom he pays at stated periods, and he would wish the board of the present Pauper to be included in your usual Account against him; but I have furnished

the Officer with Five pounds to pay the first quarter's aliment, should you desire it.

I shall be glad to hear from you should Bird recover, as I hope he soon will.

I am

Sir

Your very obed. Servt.

John Gaer.

Thomas Prichard Esqr.

Royal Asylum for Lunatics

Glasgow

Thomas Prichard Esq
Royal Asylum for Lunatics
Glasgow

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

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Sept. 26. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Alexander McKitchen	24	S			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
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(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 26th Sept. 184[illegible]

I, William Weir Physician in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr. Alex.r M.Hutcheson resident in the Town of Govan ~~of~~ hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Will.m Weir M.D.
Member of the Faculty of Physicians

No. II.

26 Sept.r 184[illegible]

I, W.m Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Alex.r M.Hutcheson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Hutcheson M.D. F.R.C.P.E
Member of Faculty P.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Alex Jamieson

* as any further relatives of the above designed Alex.r M.Hutcheson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Alex.r M.Hutcheson aged about 24 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Alex.r M.Hutcheson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Alex Jamieson

(ADDRESS) 318 St Vincent St Glasgow

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The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctors Weir & Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Alex.r M.Hutcheson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Two Days

GLASGOW, 28th Sept.r 184[illegible]

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR [illegible] RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

No. 1858

Glasgow, 26th Sept. 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs. Tennent Cogt. 318 St. Vincent St. *for the Board of* Mr. Alex. Mr. Aitcheson *at the rate of* Two pounds two shillings *per Week.*

J. Barr & D. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Malcolm Cowbrough		M	Baker		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Malcolm Cowbrough was admitted a Patient of Royal Lunatic Asylum on 26 Sept 1844 was removed from on 23 Sept 1844 at the request of his Wife as was stated by Dr Houghton the Superintendent to be that he was not likely to live on the great dread that any change took place to would be necessary to order
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Calton 27 Sept. 1844

I, William Gorm, M.D., in James St Calton having this day carefully examined Malcolm Coubrough resident in the Parish of Calton in Lanarkshire of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Wm Gorm M.D.

No. II.

246 Gallowgate 27 Septr 1844

I, George Black Surgeon having this day carefully examined Malcolm Coubrough hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) George Black Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Malcolm Coubrough

* Wife of the pettioner Malcolm Coubrough

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Malcolm Coubrough aged 58 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Malcolm Coubrough

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Ann Mrs Malcolm Coubrough

(ADDRESS) 15 James St Calton

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Wm Young and Black, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Malcolm Coubrough, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 27th Sept. A Alison

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 27 Sept 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Malcom Coubrough into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John Wharen Keir & Treasurer.

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1859

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

Oct. 3. 1844. 10b

Paisley
1 October
1844

To the Honourable
the Sheriff of Renfrewshire
or his Substitute -

The humble Petition of
John Arnot residing in
Paisley -

Sheweth,

That your Petitioner's son David Arnot is at present in such a state of mental derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum - as appears from the medical certificate herewith attached - That the said David Arnot is at present a patient in the Lunatic Asylum in Paisley under a Warrant from your Lordship. But as it has appeared expedient to the parochial authorities of Abbotsinch by whom he is maintained, to advise his removal to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow, and as your Lordships Warrant is necessary for authorising his discharge from the place of his present confinement -

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Keeper of the Lunatic Asylum of Paisley to discharge the person of the said David Arnot, in order to his removal to the Glasgow Asylum - And your Petitioner &c -

John Arnot

Paisley 30th Sept 1844

Having visited Wyamund David Arnot at present resident in the Lunatic Asylum attached to the Towns Hospital of Paisley I certify that he is at present in a state of mental derangement and would be dangerous if at liberty and therefore is a fit & proper person for removal to the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum

This I do on Soul & Conscience

D M'Kinlay M.D

Glasgow Oct 2 1844. Having considered the annexed Petition by D M'Kinlay dated 30 Sept last Grants warrant as craved in the foregoing petition

J Robertson

Glasgow October 3d 1844

Grants warrant of commitment to the above

George Skeen

Sheriff Substitute of Lanarkshire.

Glasgow, 3d Octr 1846

An Obligation has been granted by Mr
Alexr Findlay Supt of Poor Kilmarnock
for the Board of David Arnot at the
rate of Eight Shilling & six pence per week.

John Barr
Vice Dean Cathcartson
Trust.

Mr James L. Brown
Towns Hospital
Pawley

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Unto the Honourable
the Sheriff Depute of
Lanarkshire or his substitute

The petition of John Arnot
residing in Kilmarnock
Humbly Sheweth

That David Arnot aged 32 years
your petitioners son is at present in
such a state of Mental Derangement
as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum
which appears from the Medical Certificate
and Statement herewith produced
But as By the Statute 55 Geo III Cap 69
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Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum to receive the
said David Arnot into my
and your petitioners Custody and Keep

John Arnot Father of
David Arnot

Paisley 3rd October 1874

We the undersigned having this day visited & examined the above designed
David Arnot do Certify that to the best of our Knowledge & belief he is
insane & a fit & proper patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal
Lunatic Asylum

This we do on Soul & Conscience

J. McGillivray M.D.
Thos Richmond Surgeon

Glasgow Oct 3d 1874

Grant warrant as craved.

George Sheriff

Kilmainham 30 Sept 1844

Sir

The Bearer John Clark Sergeant of Police will take charge of Brown & Kelly and we them lodged in Kilkenny Asylum he will also bring to you in their stead David Arnot at present an inmate of Paisley Asylum it is an old case and we believe you know something of as he was sometime in Govan Poor House pray for his board and his Father provides his clothes

I am

Sir

your Humble

Alex Finlay Inspector of

Poor Park Lane Cottage

Dr Wm Hutcheson
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

1860

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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John Gordon		S	Servant		

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Glasgow 3d. Octr 184 4

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3 Octr 184 4

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(SIGNED) Wm. Hutcheson M.D.

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The Petition of William Gordon Junr

* his Master

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GLASGOW, 3d October 1844

George Skene

No. 1761

Glasgow, 31 October 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by William Graham Jun^r Esq^r of Mills &c
for the Board of John Gordon *at the rate of* Eight Shillings and Sixpence
per Week.

John Carr
per Dan^l Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
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Oct. 2. 1849.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Thomas Sheddon	46	S	Farmer	Ordinary	Episcopalian Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	First attack
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About 2 weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Rheumatism
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Elevation of spirits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Mild temper
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	—
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Exposure to Cold (Rheumatism)
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Lucid intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Raving on all subjects
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Never
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Oct. 3.

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I, John M'Farlane M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Thomas Sheddon resident in the City of Glasgow of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John M'Farlane M.D.

No. II.

Oct. 3rd 1844.

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. Glasgow, having this day carefully examined Thomas Sheddon above designed hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thos. Prichard Jr. M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Sheddon

* Patient's Father

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Thomas Sheddon aged fifteen Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Sheddon

(ADDRESS) Jarvis Town near Glasgow by Partick

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr M'Farlane & Prichard, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Thomas Sheddon, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 3d Oct 1844 } Wm Mayfield Esq

No. 1762

Glasgow, 4th Oct. 1845.

An Obligation has been granted by John M'Arthur Esq 12. Anderston Quay
for the Board of Thomas Sheddon *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

John Orr for Dan Cubbison, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Never
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Glasgow Central Station Post Office
Glasgow 3rd Oct. 1874

Dear Sir

I Beg to Inform Mr Sheddon is a friend of mine whose son is in a very weak State of Mind - I hope you will have the goodness to admit him into the Asylum with the Dr's certificate till further arrangements are made if necessary. They are from the Country & are not acquainted with the regulations & they called on me for a letter of introduction. —

I am
Dear Sir
Your Most Obd Servant

Dr. Hutcheson
Royal Asylum
Glasgow

Dr. Hutchinson
Royal Asylum
Glasgow

Clarkson Northgate Sept.r 3.d 1844

Dr Hutcheson

Sir

The accompanying poor Lad Thomas Sheddon ætat 16 Son of a person in this neighbourhood has had a most severe attack of Rheumatism about 4 months ago from which he recovered by judicious treatment and about 4 weeks ago became highly delirious and unmanageable but after shaving his head and inserting a cord in the cranium with antiseptic ointment he became quite calm and these last eight days his ailments have returned with as much violence as before which induces his friends to recommend to your valuable institution and will submit to the regulations thereof.

John M.c Kellar Surgeon

To Dr Hutcheson
Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£0	8	6 per Week.		Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.		

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,..£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.		
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —	
Third,.....	2	2	0 —					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the *current*, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Dec 4. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
George Reid					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	He was in the Glasgow asylum about the year 1830
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	three or four months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	He had no bodily disorder before the attack
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	He has no oddity eccentricity mental infirmity nor is he subject to any vice or intemperance
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	He is liable to none nor has he any at present His constitution is good
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	an elder brother Robert now in the Glasgow Royal asylum
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	He never received any injury of the head
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	unknown
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	He supposes he is slighted or persecuted
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	He has frequent intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	The patient is not mischievous
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing has been done but going to the country for some time
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed) Matthew Reid

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow Oct^r 3^d 1844

I, William Moffat F.C.M.L. Surgeon Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr George Reid resident in the Union St of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Wm Moffat F.C.M.L

No. II. Glasgow. October 3^d 1844

I, John Maxfarlane M.D having this day carefully examined Mr George Reid Union Street hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John Maxfarlane M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable in a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of

* Mathew Reid, Brother

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That George Reid aged 44 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said George Reid

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mathew Reid

(ADDRESS) 35 Cannon Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctors Moffat & Maclachlane, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed George Reid, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 4th Oct. 1844

Wm Maxfarlane Bell

No. 1763

Glasgow, 31 October 184[illegible]

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Matthew Reid 35 Canon St.
for the Board of Mr George Reid *at the rate of* Fifteen Shillings
per Week.

John Baxter
p.t.o. Dan. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	The patient is not mischievous
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing has been done but going to the country for some time
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*) Matthew Reid

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Dear Sir

I sent you a patient yesterday Mr George Reid brother of Robert Reid who has been with you for some time past. I think it proper to mention to you that he is a very high spirited & proud young man and although he has never shewn any suicidical inclination yet he appeared to be so indignant at this time in being suspected to be insane that when he comes seriously to consider his situation I would be a little afraid of him and besides He had a sister who committed Suicide

I throw out these hints merely
that you may be the better
able to judge of his case
and I should also think that
he would be better not to see
his brother. but you are
the best judge in such case,
therefore I leave it to yourself

I am
Dear Sir
Yours truly
Wm Tyler

21 Butts St
5 Oct 1844

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0	8	6 per Week.		Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6	—	Fifth,..... 4	4	0	—
Third,..... 2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Holdsworth & Son, Printers to the Queen.

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Feb. 8. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Archibald Graham		M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 8th Octr 1844

I, Charles Ritchie M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Archd Graham resident in the 162 Trongate of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) Chas Ritchie M.D.

No. II.

Glasgow 8th Octr 1844

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon having this day carefully examined Mr Archd Graham hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Donald Campbell M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mr Archibald Graham

* Husband of the Petitioner

Humbly Sheweth,

That Archd Grahame aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Mr Archibald Graham

(Address) 162 Trongate

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff, having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Ritchie and Campbell, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Mr Archd Graham in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 8th Octr 1844

George Skene

No. 1764

Glasgow, October 8th 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Simon M'Lennan Esq.r 128. Sc Portland St.
for the Board of Mr Arch.d Graham, *at the rate of* Fifteen shillings Stg.
per Week.

J Barr J.D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Mr Arch.d Graham *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Wm Ritchie M.D. *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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Oct. 18. 1844

At Stirling the fifteenth day of October Eighteen hundred and forty four years, Sitting in judg: ment Sir John Hay Barronet Advocate Sheriff Substitute of Stirlingshire in a Petition at the instance of John Sawers and Robert Scouce, Writers in Stirling, Procurators Fiscal of Court against John Porter Labour: er residing in Lennoxtown in the Parish of Campsie and County of Stirling, Founding upon the Act IV and V Victoria chapter 60 & Shewing that for sometime bygone past and particularly within the last few weeks the said John Porter has been furious furious and a Lunatic and dangerous and has committed various crimes of Assault, speciallly 1st On the morning of Friday the twenty eighth day of September last

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last or about that time he did 2nd
within the house in Lennoxtown
foresaid occupied by him wickedly
and feloniously attack and assault
Elizabeth Hayman or Porter his
wife and William Porter his
son and Mary Ann Porter
his daughter all residing there
and did with a black haw-
: thorn walking stick or
other such weapon and with
his fists strike them several
violent blows on various parts
of their persons (2d) On Friday
last the fourth day of October
current; or about that time
he did place foresaid wickedly
and feloniously attack and assault
his said wife and did with
the said Black thorn walking
stick or other such weapon
and with his fists strike
her

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3 her several severe blows on various parts of her person
3d On Saturday the fifth day of October current he did
place foresaid, wickedly and feloniously attack and assault
his said wife, and did with his fists, and with a Black
thorn walking stick foresaid
or other such weapon strike
her several violent blows on
various parts of her person
by all which the said Eliz-
: abeth Hayman or Porter, Wil-
: liam Porter and Mary Ann
Porter were bruised and wounded
to the injury of their persons
And James Main Criminal
Officer residing in Lennoxtown
foresaid with Mark Stevenson
Print cutter and John Binnie
Sticker both residing in Lennox-
: town

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: town foresaid, his assistants
having in Virtue of a War-
: rand from the Sheriff of
Sterlingshire on the ninth day
of October last proceeded to
apprehend the said John Porter
on the said charges or one
or other of them, and take
him to Stirling for examin-
: ation, and having gone
into his house in Kennoxton
foresaid, and laid hold
of him for that purpose
he did wickedly and felonious-
: ly attack and assault
them, and did struggle with
them, and with an open
knife severely cut the hands
of the said Mathk Stevenson
and John Binnie and they
bled very much, but he was
finally secured and brought
to

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to Stirling and this he did well knowing that the said James Main was an Officer of the law and that the said Mark Stevenson and John Binnie were his assistants acting in the discharge of their duty, that on being brought for examination he appeared not to be in a fit state for examination, but insane, and he was committed to Stirling Prison for examination after having been examined by William Hutton Surgeon in Stirling who granted the certificate of his insanity after mentioned, that the said John Porter is therefore a person furious furious and a lunatic, and within the provisions of the Statute foresaid and the Petitioners produced a

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a Medical Certificate to the effect 6
that he is of unsound mind
and very dangerous when at
large under the hand of the
said William Hutton Forrest
who has a Diploma from
the Royal College of Surgeons
in Edinburgh. That therefore
it is necessary that the said
John Porter be apprehended
and committed to Stirling
Prison as a place of safe
custody, and thereafter on
the Petitioners proving that
he is furious [illegible] or a
Lunatic and dangerous that
the said Sheriff commit him
there not being any licensed
Madhouse or public Hospital
or public Asylum in the County
of Stirling) to the Edinburgh
or Glasgow Lunatic Asylum or
some

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some licensed mad house or some public Hospital or other public Asylum therein to be detained until his cure or until Caution is found for his safe custody, and that Decree be granted as after: mentioned for the expense thereof in favor of the Petitioners against the said parish of Caddo, the said John Porter having an industrial domicile in that parish and particularly as he has no known means or Estate of his own, and praying that it might therefore please the said Sheriff to grant warrant to apprehend the said John Porter, and to bring him before him on the said Complaint and thereafter to commit

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commit him to the Prison of Stirling in the meantime for his safe custody. Farther fix a certain early day to take evidence of the condition of the said John Porter and upon the said Sheriff being satisfied that he is furiously furious or a Lunatic and dangerous commit him to the Edinburgh or Glasgow Lunatic Asylum or some licensed private Madhouse or some public hospital or other public Asylum therein to be detained until his cure or until caution shall be found for his safe custody. Farther authorise notice hereof to be given to the said William Porter and Mary Ann Porter his children, and only known next of kin and also

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I am also to John Lennox Kincaid Lennox Esquire of Lennox castle Principal Heritor of the said parish of Campsie, the Reverend Thomas Munro Minister thereof, and William Gilchrist Clerk to the Heritors of the parish and Session Clerk and also in one or other of the Newspapers circulated in the County, thereafter decern in favor of the Petitioners against the said parish and Heritors thereof and the said John Lennox Kincaid Lennox Esquire and Thomas Munro and William Gilchrist as representing the same for such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the said John Porter in any licensed Madhouse or Public Hospital, or Public Asylum

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Asylum all in terms of the
said Statute & do otherwise
And upon the said fifteenth
day of October the Sheriff
having considered the proof
adduced by the Petitioners &
resumed consideration of the
Petition; Found and hereby
finds that John Porter com-
plained upon is insane &
dangerous & therefore Granted
and hereby Grants warrant
to commit him to the Glasgow
Lunatic Asylum therein to be
detained until his cure or
till caution shall be found
for his safe custody & Granted
and hereby Grants warrant
to commit him in the mean-
time to the prison of Stirling
therein to be detained till his
removal, Extracted on these
two pages by me Sheriff Clerk
Depute of Stirlingshire, Wm Grant Clerk

Kingston, 18th Octr 1846

An Obligation has been granted by Messrs Sawers & Seaver Actg Fiscal Stirling, for the Board &c. of John Porter at the rate of Eight shillings and sixpence Stg. per Cwt.

J Barr,
A.D. Cuthbertson
Treasr

Extract
Petition & Warrant
against
John Porter
15th October 1844

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.		Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.	
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Watterston	42	A.	Land Surveyor		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes. several times
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Four days —
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	very suspicious — No change in his temper seems to be noticed by those residing in the same house.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	—
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Excitement — suspicion —
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No.
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	—
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Fearful of being attacked by person residing in the house where he is lodging — Sleeps in room with his door fastened on the inside — Keeps pistols ready and other weapons to defend himself with —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	—
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	See No 20 —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes. Was been treated in the Glasgow Royal Asylum for demonstrated previous attacks

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

October 19 1844

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Waterston resident in No 49. Renfield Street Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Thomas Prichard M.D.

No. II.

Oct 19th 1844

I, John McGavin M.D having this day carefully examined John Waterston hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John McGavin M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Alexander Miller

* Cousin of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Waterston aged forty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Waterston

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Alex. Miller

(Address) Merchant 12 Craigpark Place

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Prichard and McGavin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Waterston, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Oct 19th 1844

George Shaw

This is a true extract from the petition and certificates of John Waterston now in the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum. Thomas Prichard M.D.

No. 1866

Glasgow, 19th Octr 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by David Sandeman Esq. & Jas. Miller Jr.
for the Board of Mr John Waterston, at the rate of One pound, eleven shillings, & Nine pence
per Week.

J Barr Jr. D. Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

	with —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	—
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	See No 20 —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Bothers
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes. Has been treated in the Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatic & Several previous attacks

(Signed)

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GLASCOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

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First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

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First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
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Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Feb. 23. 1867

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Francis Young	53	Married	Farmer	Limited	Reformed Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	10 Months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Depression from worldly Circumstances
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Manifested an easy temper and a lively turn of mind was fond of talking with his Neighbours
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None of the Relatives were known to be insane
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Depression of Mind from adverse Circumstances
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Mental despair Melancholy
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No Marked Change
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	During first 8 Months had exacerbations daily
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Imagines the earth to be formed of Sulphur at times thinks himself dead, — at others that he is drowning
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Frequently threatened to destroy himself with a knife
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Threatened his wife & family, but never made any attempt
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Had some aperient Medicine, and had an occasional visit of an intelligent and much respected Clergyman
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Gelston 17th October 1844

I, William Rodger Surgeon in Gelston having this day carefully examined Francis Young resident in the parish of Loudoun hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) William Rodger Surgeon

No. II. Darvel 18th Octr 1844

I, James Paterson having this day carefully examined Francis Young hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Paterson Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Alexander Young

* Nephew of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Francis Young aged 53 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Francis Young

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Alexander Young

(ADDRESS) Farmer Meadowfoot Lowndale

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Rodger and Paterson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Francis Young, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 23 Oct 1844

Wm Stafford Hall

No. 1867

Glasgow, 23d October 1849.

An Obligation has been granted by Hugh Morton Esq.re Write Londonft.
for the Board of Francis Young *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

J Barr
J.D. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Frequently threatened to destroy himself with a knife
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Threatened his wife & family, but never made any attempt
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	had some aperient Medicine, and had an occasional visit of an intelligent and much respected Clergyman
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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Oct. 23. 1844

At Glasgow the First day of November Eighteen hundred and forty four years: Sitting in Judgment Henry Glassford Bell Esquire Advocate Substitute of Archibald Alison Esquire Advocate Sheriff of Lanarkshire Anent the Petition and Complaint raised and prosecuted before the said Sheriff at the instance of George Salmond Writer in Glasgow Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public Interest against Archibald Adam residing at Number forty three High Street Glasgow, the said Sheriffs Substitute after sundry steps of procedure, by Decree and Sentence pronounced by him of the date above written Found and hereby Finds Proved that the Defender Archibald Adam is a Lunatic and dangerous;- Therefore Granted and hereby Grants Warrant to Commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow, to be therein detained until his cure, or until Caution shall be found for his safe custody, and if necessary Authorised and hereby Authorises the Procurator Fiscal to Contract with the Keeper of said Asylum, to whose care the said Archibald Adam, is hereby Committed, for the Expence of his maintainance, and that at the rate of Eight Shillings and six pence per week, being the lowest rate received in the Asylum Found and hereby Finds that the Parish liable ad interim for the maintainance of the said Archibald Adam is the Parish of Glasgow, and Decerned and Ordained accordingly.

Jas. McNeill J.

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hereby Decerns in favour of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal against said Parish and Richmond Wilcock ~~above designed~~ x for the said sum of Weekly maintainance, Reserving the Relief of said Parish against all others as accords of Law. Found and hereby Finds the Procurator Fiscal entitled to be paid the Expence of this application and Consequent procedure out of the Rogue-money of the County payable by Mr. John Marr writer in Lanark the clerk of supply and Taxed and hereby Taxes the amount thereof at six pounds Seventeen Shillings and ten pence Sterling. - Extracted upon this and the preceding page By me Sheriff Clerk Depute of Lanarkshire. - Two words delete. -

x representing or acting for the said Parish

Extract Decree

George Salmond P. F.

against

Archibald Adam & c.

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Feb. 25. 1841

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Lavina Mixer	21	single	Shop Keeper	Common parochial	Reformed Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	about a fortnight
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	no
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	His spirits were elevated
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	none
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Pious
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	none
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	none
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	no
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	anxiety of mind about his situation
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	religious enthusiasm
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	He imagines himself to be a Magician or a
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	if Right in house argues his will would go over Methodists if permitted
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	no

(Signed) her mark Mrs L Mixer

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 25 Oct 1844

I, James Miller surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined George Muir resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) James Miller Surgn

No. II.

Glasgow 25 Oct 1844

I, Jr Miller M D Surgn in Glasgow having this day carefully examined George Muir resident in Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Wilson M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs James Muir

* Mother of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That George Muir aged 21 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Jane Muir Mc Dougall Muir

(ADDRESS) 24 South St Port Dundas Glasgow

John Jane Muir Mc Dougall Muir
Matthew Stanley Muir

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jr Miller and Wilson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed George Muir, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 25 Oct 1844

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 25 Oct 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit James Muir into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John Mc Laren Kirk Treasurer

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1869

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
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John Gibson	43	Married	Weaver	Moderate	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	since June 1st 1844
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	for some months previous to the present attack he showed symptoms of depression of spirits & also occasional fits of irritation
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Ten years ago very intemperate but since that date
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	always quick & passionate & apt to take prejudices towards his neighbours
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	7 alive Eldest 20, youngest 5 years
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	None can be assigned
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	an irritation for returning, aversion to exertion & the avoidance & aversion to company
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	seems stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	he has had exacerbations in which he destroyed furniture & manifested the same violence but to a less degree
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	-
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	a supposition that people are combined against him
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	he has frequently threatened to cut his throat & once or twice he has threatened to cut his own
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	answered above
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	occasionally
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing except attending to the state of the bowels
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(Signed) J. Blackwood Surgeon

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Helen Gibson wife of John Gibson

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Catrine 18 Octr 1844

I, John Blackwood Surgeon in Catrine having this day carefully examined John Gibson — resident in the Parish of Sorn hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John Blackwood Surgeon

No. II. Catrine 18th

1844

I, James Ballantine M. D. Catrine having this day carefully examined John Gibson hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Ballantine M. D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Rankine Minister of Sorn, and

* Helen Gibson wife of John Gibson weaver at Catrine.—

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Gibson above designed *aged* 43 *Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,*

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And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Rankine. Minister of Sorn

(ADDRESS) Helen Gibson resident in Catrine.

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The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* the Pet. Blackwood & Ballantine, *produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* John Gibson, *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* One Week.

GLASGOW, 25th Oct 1844

Wm Stafford Reid

Grated 1/6

No. 1870

Glasgow, 25th Octr. 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by James Buchanan Esqr. 172 Buchanan St.
for the Board of John Gibson *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence
per Week.

J. Barr for D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
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Physician.

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Oct. 29 1844.

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Edward Doherty	19	S.	Carver & Gilder		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes once about two months ago.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Three Days.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	At first depression afterwards excitability.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None -
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Great excitability
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing.
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Raves incoherently - Speaks to
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Threatens to drown himself -
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Has attempted the life of his Father and declares he will yet effect this
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No -

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 28th Oct. 1844

I, Wm Macdonald MD in Ewing Place 35 Argyle St. having this day carefully examined Edward Doherty resident in the Stockwell St. No 113 of this city, he hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) Wm Macdonald MD

No. II.

Glasgow 28 Oct 1844

I, James Fraser Surgeon having this day carefully examined Edward Doherty above mentioned hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) James Fraser Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of William Doherty

* Father of the Patient

Humbly Sheweth,

That Edward Doherty, aged 19 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said Edward Doherty

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Wm Doherty

(Address) Stockwell No 113

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr's Mc Donald & Fraser, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Edward Doherty, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow Oct 29th 1844 George Shore

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 29 Oct 1844

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit Edward Doherty into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) Wm Hamer

(Address) Govern Town's Hospital

No. 1871

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Rankine	24	Married	Cotton Spinner	Ordinary School	Free Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	None.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	2 weeks.
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	In ordinary health.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Dull at times & Obstinate & unsocial easily fretted when annoyed —
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Temperate no peculiar oddity &c
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	In good health.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	One Child 9 Months old
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	A Brother.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Disappointment in business
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Talking & Melancholy — Disinclination to follow usual Employment.
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Countenance always much the Same
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Unsafety in Worldly Speculation
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never.
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Never.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Bled &c —
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

30 October 184 4

I, Alex Sherman Glasgow in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Robert Rankine resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) Alex Sherman M.D.

No. II.

Glasgow 27th September 184 6
14 November

I, John Mitchell M.D. of Glasgow Edinr. Practitioner having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John Mitchell M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Robt Rankine
* Wife of Patient

Humbly Sheweth,

That Robert Rankine aged Twenty three Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said Robert Rankine

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Mrs Robt Rankine

(Address) 29 Princes St Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of * Alex Sherman & Mitchell, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Rankine, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two Days.

Glasgow, 1st Nov. 1st Oct. 1844

Wm Stafford Bell
Signd Nov 1st

No. 1872

Glasgow, 1st November 1847.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr William Martin 87 Argyll St.
for the Board of Robert Martin at the rate of Eight shillings per week.
per Week.

J Barr
for D. Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	None.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	None.
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No.
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Bled 2 or 3
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	None.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

At Glasgow the fourteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and forty four years Sitting in Judgment Henry Glassford Bell Esquire Advocate Substitute of Archibald Alison Esquire advocate Sheriff of Lanarkshire; anent the Complaint raised and pursued interms of the Act fourth and fifth Victoria Chapter Sixty, Sections three and five, at the instance of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal of Court for the public interest against James Jackson;- in which Complaint,- after various steps of procedure,- the said Sheriff substitute, of the date above written, Found and hereby Finds it proved that the Defender James Jackson is a Lunatic and dangerous, and was found at large in the parish of Glasgow, Therefore granted and hereby grants warrant to Commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be therein detained until his cure, or until Caution shall be found for his safe custody.- and if necessary Authorised and hereby authorises the Procurator Fiscal to Contract with the Keeper of said Asylum, to whose care the said James Jackson is hereby Committed for the Expence of his maintainance, and that at the rate of Eight shillings and sixpence per week, being the Lowest Rate received in the Asylum.- Found and hereby Finds that the Parish lies.

H. B. Bell J.

liable ad interim for the maintainance of the said James Jackson in the Parish of Glasgow, and Decerned and Decreeth and Ordaineth in favor of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal against said Parish and Richmond M'Clock representing or acting for said Parish - for the said Sum of weekly maintainance; Reserving the relief of said Parish against all others as accords of Law: Found and hereby Finds the Procurator Fiscal entitled to be paid the Expence of this application and Consequent procedure out of the Rogue money of the County payable by Mr John Mars Minister in Lanark The Clerk of Supply, and taxed and hereby taxes the amount thereof at Six pounds four Shillings and four pence:— Extracted (upon this and the preceding page) from the Records of the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire, at Glasgow the said fourteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and forty four years By

J.P.

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Extract Decree

George Salmond Esq.

agt.

James Jackson

14th Nov. 1844

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Nov. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James McNair		M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow Nov. 6th 1844

I, Alex. Campbell Adams in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Mc. Nair resident in the parish of St. Georges hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) Alex. Campbell Adams M. D.

No. II.

Glasgow 6 November 1844

I, James Cameron Douglas Surgeon having this day carefully examined James McNair hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) James C. Douglas Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mr William Richmond

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Humbly Sheweth,

That James MacNair aged 46 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said James MacNair

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) William Richmond

(Address) 127 Broadwick St

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mssrs Adams Maxwell & Douglas, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed James McNair, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days

Glasgow, 6th Nov. 1844 } one word delete — A Alison

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 6 Nov. 1844

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit James McNair into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) Jn Hannen

(Address) Governor Town Hospital

No. 1874

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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First Rate of Board,...£1 1 0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3 3 0 per Week.
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Third,..... 2 2 0 —	

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Rebecca Barclay	54	Widow	Labourer	very slight	Protestant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Once insane before about 12 years ago, was treated in Dundee Asylum —
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About 2 months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No —
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Inclined to sleep more than usual —
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Nothing known
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet and inoffending when in health, but inclined now to be Miserly Sensitive & Irascible
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None —
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	—
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	—
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Has one Son aged about 25 years
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	—
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	—
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never —
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Not known
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Imagines people wish to injure him, sleeps very little and takes very little food —
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No —
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Rather increasing —
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	No —
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	His Delusion has been answered in answer to Queries 6 and 15 — Imagines he is watched by imaginary himself very strong, could work more than any other person and thinks he is much loved by Others —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Has threatened to take the person with him and beat his head against the Stacks in the neighbourhood —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Has broke some furniture —
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He used simple Medical treatment such as Bleeding, Blistering, Sponging, without effect —
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in Dundee Asylum about 12 yrs ago remained there for 3 yrs, made his escape while insane & gradually recovered at home

(Signed) Wm Patterson Snr

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

4th Novr 184 four

I, Geo. Pattison Surgn in Mauchline having this day carefully examined Alex. Barclay resident in the village of Mauchline hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Geo. Pattison Surgn

No. II.

4th Novr 184 four

I, William Baillie Surgn Mauchline having this day carefully examined Alex. Barclay Mauchline hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Baillie Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Lieuts Neil & Miller & Patterson Mauchline are Executors for the deceased Alex. Barclay

5 Nov

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Landel Robb

* Acting for the Kirkdsessn & Heritors of Mauchline

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Alex. Barclay a pauper aged Fifty-four Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Alexander Barclay

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(SIGNED) James Landel Robb

(ADDRESS) Mauchline Ayrshire

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Baillie and Pattison, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Alexr Barclay, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Novr 5th 1844

George Reine

No. 1875

Glasgow, 4th Nov. 1844

An Obligation has been granted by the Rev. James L. Reid Markinch, Fifeshire.
for the Board of Alex. Barclay — *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & sixpence
per Week.

J. Burn D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Alexander Barclay *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

	much baffled & by Obey —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has threatened to take the person of Mr Simpson and beat fire to some stacks in the neighbourhood —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Has broke some furniture —
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	He underwent regular Medical treatment. Such as Bleeding, Blistering, Purging, without effect —
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	He in Cadder Asylum about 12 yrs ago remained there for 3 yrs, was discharged with his friends & gradually recovered at home

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

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I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Jennings		S	Merchant	Good	

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Helensburgh 7 Nov 1844

I, Mr Duncan Surgeon in Helensburgh having this day carefully examined John Young resident in the House of his Mother hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Mr Duncan Surgeon

No. II. 7th November 1844

I, David Cameron having this day carefully examined Mr John Young hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) D. Cameron Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Penelope Young

* Mother of the above named John Young

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That the said John Young aged twenty four Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Young

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(SIGNED) Penelope Young

(ADDRESS) Helensburgh

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr Duncan and Cameron, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Young, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Nov 9th 1844

George Skene

No. 1876

Glasgow, 6th Nov. 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs Jane Lapsley Young, Helensburgh
for the Board of Mr John Young, *at the rate of* One Guinea
per Week.

J Burnside Cochburn *Treasurer.*

Admit Mr John Young *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Wm. Hutcheson *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Moorman					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, Thomas Prichard M.D. in Glasgow Nov 9th 1844 having this day carefully examined John Mossman resident in the parish of Govals hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper ~~Patient~~ for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Thomas Prichard. M.D

No. II.

9 Nov 1844

I, Wm. Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined John Mossman hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Hutcheson M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Miller

* Lessee Clerk St Lucy Ayr

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Mossman a pauper aged 35 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Mossman.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) James Miller

(ADDRESS) Lessee Clerk St Lucy Ayr

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Prichard and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Mossman, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Nov 11th 1844

George Skene

No. 1877

Glasgow, 7th Nov. 1845

An Obligation has been granted by Mr James Miller, Sol. (Clk. to Lanrk.) Agt.
for the Board of John Mossman *at the rate of* Eight shillings & six pence
per Week.

J. Barr, D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit John Mossman *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 3, 4, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASCOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6 —	Fifth,..... 4	4	0 —
Third,..... 2	2	0 —			

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visiter is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Nov 9. 1860

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Wm. McDonald	49	Married	Labourer	Common	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About two months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Fever
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Short tempered
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Exposure and disappointment in not getting employment in the capacity of a Gardener
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Sullen and taciturn, refuses to eat, attempts to injure himself, refuses to dress
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	He has lately been thinking that he is going to be murdered
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	He supposes that meat and bread will kill him
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Has threatened his wife
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	None

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

184

I, in *having this day carefully examined* resident in the *of* hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my *knowledge and belief,* is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) _____

No. II.

184

I, *having this day carefully examined* hereby certify, on soul and conscience, *that I concur in the Certificate granted above.*

(Signed) _____

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of _____

* _____

Humbly Sheweth,

That *aged* *Years,* *is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,*

May it therefore please your Lordship *to grant Warrant to the* Officers *or* Attendants *of the* Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* *, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* Officers *or* Attendants *of the* Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *to receive the Person of the within designed* *, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within*

Glasgow, _____

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 184

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit *into the* Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of* *per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.*

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

No. 1878

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Nov. 9. 1841

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The PETITION of Isabella McPherson wife Alexander McDonald

Humbly Sheweth,

That the said Alexander McDonald Labourer residing at No. 27 old road st. Glasgow

aged about forty years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper that he should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hands of George Robertson and John Gardner Physicians in Glasgow.

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III., Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV., Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a PUBLIC HOSPITAL or LUNATIC ASYLUM is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, or TOWN'S HOSPITAL, to receive the said Alexr McDonald.

and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Isabella McPherson

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of

Drs Robertson & Gardner produced: Grants Warrant for placing the within-designed Alexander Macdonald

into the **Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital,** in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition.

GLASGOW, 8th Nov 1844 George Sheriff

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Glasgow 8th November 1844.

We George Robertson and John Gardner Physicians in Glasgow — having this day examined Alexander McDonald Labourer resident in the old Wynd of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, the said Alexr McDonald is insane, and a proper Patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.

G. Robertson M. D.

John Gardner M. D.

Glasgow Town's Hospital 9th Nov: 1844.

I bind myself on the part of the Town's Hospital, to pay the sum of Seven Shillings & Weekly, for the Maintenance of Alexander M.ᶜ Donald in the Lunatic Asylum, and to Conform in all other respects with the Regulations of that Institution.

Jn.ᵒ Hanna

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0	8	6 per Week.	Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visiter is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

Hedderwick & Son, Printers to the Queen.

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Nov 11. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Robertson					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. 8th November 1844

I, John Hutton Balfour M.D. in Dumfries having this day carefully examined William Robertson resident in the Crichton Institution of Dumfries hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) J. H. Balfour M.D.

No. II.

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I, Thomas Prichard M.D. — having this day carefully examined William Robertson – above designed – hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thos. Prichard. M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Robertson Farmer Newton

* Eldest Brother & William Robertson

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That William Robertson aged Forty Eight Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said William Robertson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) James Robertson

(ADDRESS) Newton Sutton

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Hutton and Prichard, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Robertson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, Nov 11 1844

George Shaw

No. 1879

Glasgow, 9th November 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Messrs James & Robert Robertson Saltcoats Ayrshire
for the Board of William Robertson, at the rate of Eight shillings & six pence
per Week.

James & Robert Robertson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Pluto	40	M	Shoemaker	Indifferent	Catholic

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Two days
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Extreme violence & great excitation
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Mostly temper
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Yes Two Children, 3 Years — 15 Months
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None that we know of
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Supposed to have been frightened
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Great violence in temper & actions
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Occasionally quiet for a minute or two
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Thinks himself a great Sinner & frequently prays the Devil of Almighty God on his Soul & Curses the Virgin Mary & St Peter &c
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Threatens to Kill all around him
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Breaks & destroys furniture
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing but purging
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never in an Asylum

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 16th Nov 1844

I, John Dick Lauder Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John White resident in the 49 New Street of Calton hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) John Dick Lauder Surgeon

No. II.

Calton 16th Nov 1844

I, John Lauder Surgeon Calton having this day carefully examined John White hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John Lauder Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Sarah Carry

* 49 New St. Calton

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John White aged Forty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) her Sarah X Carry

(ADDRESS) 49 New mark St Calton

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Chas. Dick & Lauder ——— , produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John White ——— , in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within Twenty four hours,

Glasgow, 16th November 1844

A Allison

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 16 Nov 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit John White ——— into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of ——— Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John Maclaren & Co

(ADDRESS) 54 Macdonald St

No. 1880

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6	—	Fifth,..... 4	4	0	—
Third,..... 2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physicians.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visiter is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Nov. 11. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Adam Dalglish	60	Married	Weaver	Good	United Secession

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Four months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Nothing particular
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	A passion to transmigrate Satan from Roman Catholics, he being the greatest enemy to the word.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Naturally peaceable, Benevolent & Conscientious
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Has lost five children — wife & living
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None to present Knowledge
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	His wife being afflicted & expected being soon confined.
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Incoherency, Nervousness, Irritability & Hallucination Loss of Appetite &c &c
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	Gradually increasing but no change
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Wants to persuade to believe to convert to Roman Catholics. & great dislike to all them surrounding Money — Has means is Douglas Esq
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	None
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	None
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	No treatment has been adopted
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, George McEwan Surgeon in Auchinton having this 16th Nov. 184 4 day carefully examined Adam Dalglish resident in the Parish of Barony of Auchinton, Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) George McEwan Surgeon

No. II.

I, James Bryson M.D. having this day carefully examined Adam Dalglish hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above. 16th 184 4

(SIGNED) James Bryson M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Alexander Blair

* Kirkwoods Land Clepside &c

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Adam Dalglish aged Sixty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Alex Blair

(ADDRESS) Kirkwoods Land Clepside &c

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Geo. McEwan & Bryson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Adam Dalglish, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 16 Nov. 1844

A Nisbet

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 16 Nov. 184 4

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Adam Dalglish into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) Jn John Maclaren Solr of Barony

(ADDRESS) Sol Macdonald & Clk

No. 1881

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

This is an urgent Case
Ex a M Magistrate of Police

Nov 19. 1844

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The PETITION of John Hanna Esq Governor of Town Hospital

Humbly Sheweth,

That William [illegible] at present in the Police Office

aged about 45 years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper that he should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hands of Doctors Dick and Carlow

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III., Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV., Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a PUBLIC HOSPITAL or LUNATIC ASYLUM is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, or TOWN'S HOSPITAL, to receive the said

and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Jn.o Hanna

THE Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of

Dr Dickson Easton

produced: Grants Warrant for placing the within-designed

William Smith

into the **Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital,** in terms of the Statutes referred to

in the Petition.

William Stafford Bell

GLASGOW, 19 Nov
1844

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We Dr Easton & John Dick Surgeons Glasgow 19th Nov 1844

in Glasgow having this day examined William Smith

resident in the Police Office hereby

certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, he

is insane, and a proper Patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.

John Dick Surgeon
J. D. Easton M. D.

I, John Hanna Esquire Steward of Seaman
Hospital, hereby bind and oblidge myself
to pay for the Board of William Smith, designed
in the foregoing petition at the usual rate -
and to Conform in all other respects to the
Rules, and Regulations of the Asylum

Jn. Hanna

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0	8	6 per Week.	Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Peter Boydell					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	One Month
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Occasionally took to drink
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet and quiet
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Hearing the Parliament and the Ministers mismanagement in England
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Quiet so
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Talks incoherently about many of subjects, supposes himself to be the victim of the Black Art & Magic
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes to cut his throat
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	yes
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

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I, in having this day carefully examined resident in the of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) _____

No. II.

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I, having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) _____

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of _____

* _____

Humbly Sheweth,

That aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship *to grant Warrant to the* Officers *or* Attendants *of the* Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of , produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* Officers *or* Attendants *of the* Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *to receive the Person of the within designed , in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within*

Glasgow, _____

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 184

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.*

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

No. 1883

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Nov 19. 1844

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of the Shire of Lanark, or his Substitutes.

The PETITION of John Hanna Esqr Governor of the Glasgow Town's Hospital

Humbly Sheweth,

That Peter Drysdale

aged about 24 years, is at present in such a state of mental derangement, as to render it necessary and proper that he should be put under restraint and confinement, as appears from the accompanying Medical Certificate, under the hands of Messrs William Lamb & James Kirk Surgeons in Glasgow

But as by the Statutes 55th, Geo. III., Cap. 69, and 9th, Geo. IV., Cap. 34, your Lordship's Warrant for reception into a PUBLIC HOSPITAL or LUNATIC ASYLUM is necessary.

May it therefore please your Lordship to Grant Warrant to the Superintendent or Keeper of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, or TOWN'S HOSPITAL, to receive the said Peter Drysdale and your Petitioner will ever pray.

Jn. Hanna

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificate, under the hand of

Wm Laird and Kirk

produced: Grants Warrant for placing the within-designed

Peter Drysdale

into the **Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital,** in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition.

Wm Stafford Hill

GLASGOW, 19 Oct 1844

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We William Laird Surgeon & James Kirk Surgeon residing in Glasgow Glasgow 18th Nov 1844 having this day examined Peter Drysdale Labourer Bailie's Court 729 Appeal resident in the Parish of St Enoch's hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, or Town's Hospital.

William Laird Surgeon

James Kirk Surgeon

I John Hanna Register Governor of the Glasgow Towns Hospital hereby bind and oblige myself to pay for the Board of Peter Drysdale designed in the foregoing Petition at the usual rate — and to conform in all other respects to the Rules and Regulations of the Asylum —

Jn°. Hanna

Petition
John Hannah
&
Peter Dryedale
1844

1883

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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First Rate of Board,...£0	8	6 per Week.	Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0 per Week.

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First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0 per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6 —	Fifth,..... 4	4	0 —
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Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Nov. 20. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Deaver	42	Married	Farm keeper	—	Free church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Was here Nov 1840
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Nov. 20th 184[illegible]

I, Robert M'Gregor Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Dewar resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Robert M'Gregor M.D.

No. II.

Nov 20th 184[illegible]

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon having this day carefully examined John Dewar hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Donald Campbell M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Dewar

* Wife of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Dewar aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Dewar

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mrs Dewar her mark

(ADDRESS) Kirkintilloch

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs M'Gregor & Campbell, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Dewar, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 20th Nov 1844

Wm Mansfield Bell

No. 1884

Glasgow, 20th Nov. 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mrs Dewar

for the Board of John Dewar, *at the rate of* Eight shillings Sterling

per Week.

Wm H Dent Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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Nov. 21, 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Ann H. Gordon	31	Single	Mercantile Life	Liberal	Baptist

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	For particulars see Asylum Report
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
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*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
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20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 21st Nov. 1844

I, George Watson Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Andrew Halley Gordon resident in the Parish of Barony Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) George Watson

No. II.

21st November 1844

I, Wm Watson Surgeon having this day carefully examined Mr Andrew Halley Gordon hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Watson

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mr A Gordon

* Brother to the Lieut A Gordon

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Andrew Halley Gordon aged 31 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) A Gordon

(ADDRESS) 60 Hanover St

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr George and Messrs Watson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Andrew Halley Gordon, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 15 days

GLASGOW, 21st Nov 1844

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No. 1885

Glasgow, 21st Nov. 1845

An Obligation has been granted by Mr W. A. Gordon, Co. Renfrew

for the Board of Andrew M. Gordon *at the rate of* Eight shillings Sterling

per Week.

John Carrick D. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

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Nov.r 26. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Duncan Cowan	61	Married	Miner worker	Ordinary	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	I beg to refer to the two former Certificates and to the Medicine with which Duncan Cowan is supplied to the Asylum per requisition
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*) Howard Mc Master.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Kilmarnock 25th Nov.

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I, Thomas Gibson MD in Kilmarnock having this day carefully examined Duncan Currie resident in the Parish of Kilmarnock of Kilmarnock hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Thomas Gibson MD

No. II. Kilmarnock 25th Nov.

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I, Thomas Macluckie M.D having this day carefully examined Duncan Currie hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thomas Macluckie M.D

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Stewart McMillan

* Clerk Treasurer to the Parish of Kilmarnock

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Duncan Currie Shoemaker aged Sixty Years, *is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,*

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Stewart McMillan

(ADDRESS) Clerk Treasurer 23 Columshill Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* Dr Gibson & M'Luckie, *produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* Duncan Currie, *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within*

GLASGOW 25 Nov 1844

J Allison

No. 1886

Glasgow, 25th Nov. 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Duncan Salmond Esq. Virginia Buildings
for the Board of Duncan Morrice *at the rate of* seven Shillings
per Week.

J. Barr Jr. Dan. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

20. Mention particularly the delusions of the patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*) Howard & Mc. Miller.

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Nov 25. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
William Mann		M			

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 25th Nov 1844

I, John Cowper M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Wm Sloan resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John Cowper M. D.

No. II.

Glasw 25 Nov. 1844

I, Wm Weir M.D. having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm. Weir M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mr David Sloan.
Cotton Spinner Glasgow
Brother to Mr W. Sloan.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Mr. Wm Sloan aged 36 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Mr William Sloan

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) David Sloan
(ADDRESS) 13 Charles St. Calton

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctors Cowper & Weir, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Sloan, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.—

GLASGOW, 25th Nov 1844

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No. 1887

Glasgow, 25th Nov. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr. David Sloan Bridgeton Mills,
for the Board of Mr. William Sloan at the rate of Three Shillings
per Week.

J. Barr for Dan. Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£0	8	6	per Week.	Second Rate of Board,	£0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

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Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

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When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Nov. 23. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Marshall	52	M.	Labourer		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About a week
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Imagines he is lost— Has fancies about the state of his health— Says he cannot work or do any thing for himself—
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Yes—
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was admitted Aug. 3. 1844 into the Glasgow Lunatic Asylum and dismissed Nov. 2. 1844. Cured.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

November 28 1845

I, Thomas Pichard M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Marshall Labr resident in the Parish of Gorbals now in Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) Thomas Pichard M.D.

No. II.

November 28th 1845

I, John W.Gavin M.D. having this day carefully examined James Marshall above designed hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) John W.Gavin M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Forsyth acting on behalf of the Revd William Brankes

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Marshall (Labourer) aged about 46 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary.

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Marshall.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) John Forsyth

(Address) Dorsyth

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pritchard and M'Gavin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Marshall in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW 28th Nov 1845

George Lockie

No. 1888

Glasgow, 28th Nov. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by the Revd William Barclay Torphichen

for the Board of James Marshall, *at the rate of* Eight Shillings ~~Sterling~~ *per Week.*

William Dunlop Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever intended to [illegible] any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Yes –
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was admitted 2nd July 1844 into the Glasgow Royal Asylum and dismissed Nov. 2. 1844. Cured.

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Sarpsichew Maine
Augt 7. 1840.

Sir According to pre
vious notice I have
sent the patient James
Marshall and have that
all things are in readiness
for his reception into
your Asylum.

The Bearer will
pay you his board.

up to the first of October
in conformity with the laws
regulations.

I am
Sir
Your Humy
William Brandt

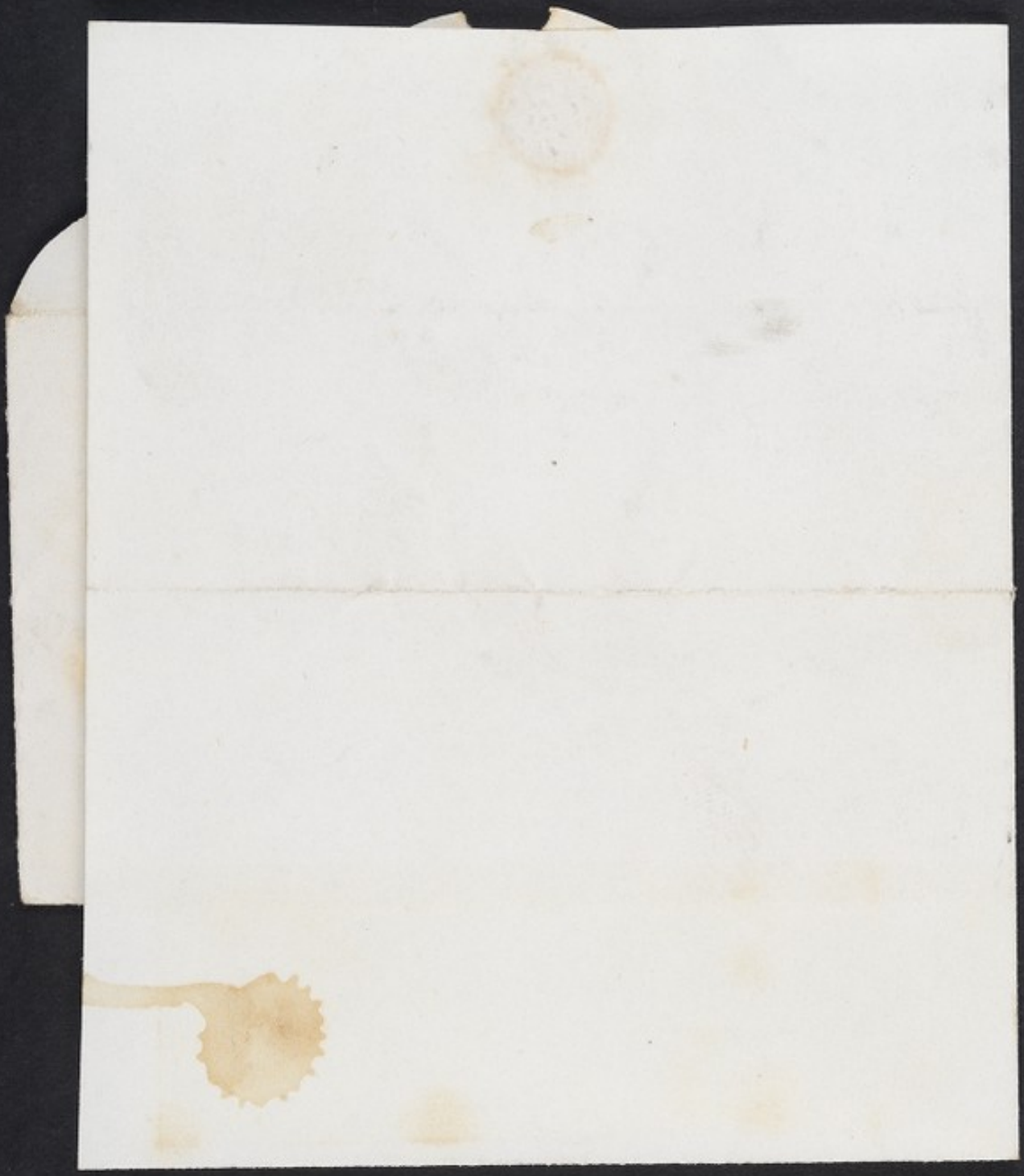
Dr Whitehead

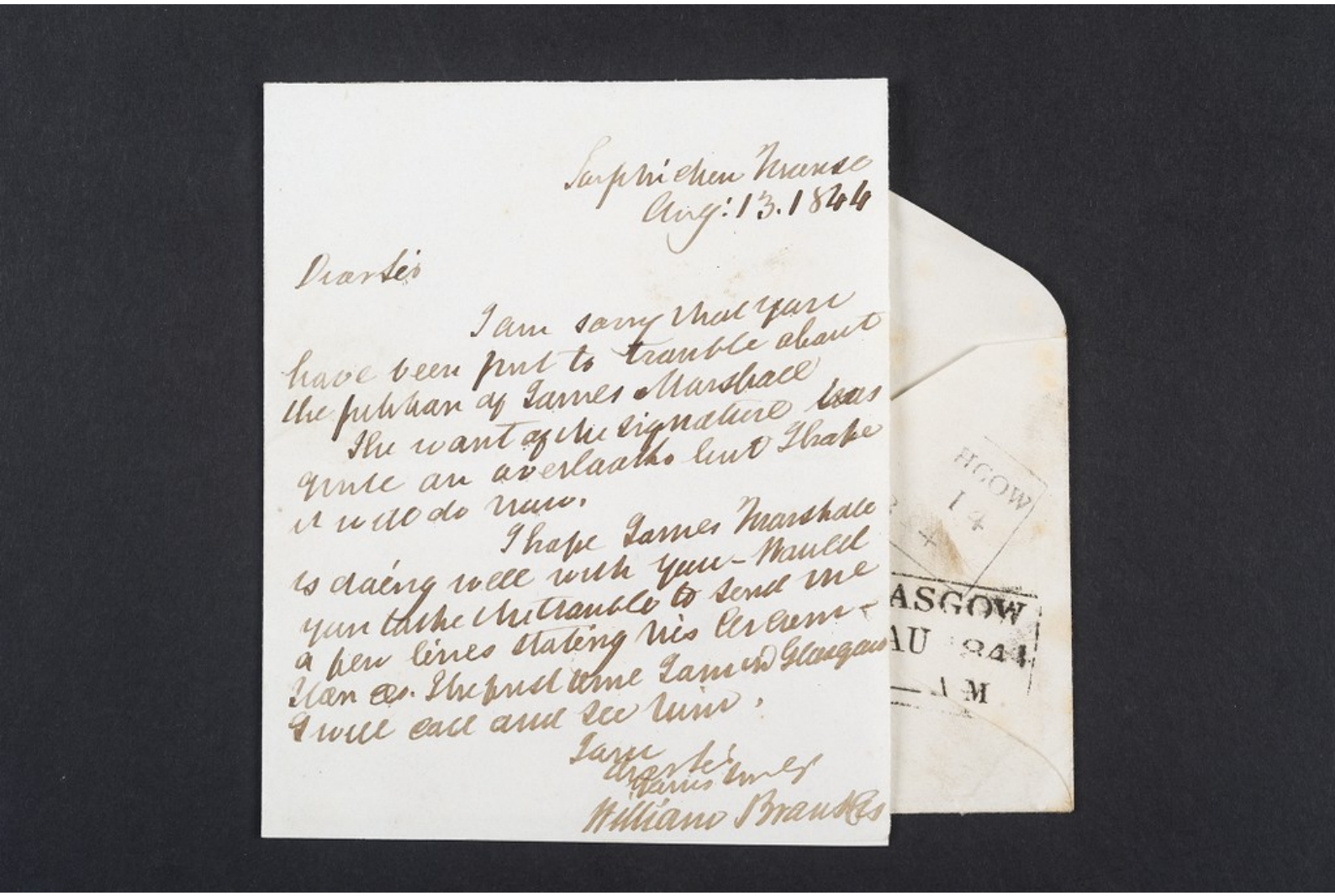
up to the first of October
in conformity with the
regulations.

I am
Sir
Yours truly
William Brandes

Dr Butchesan

Dr Hutchesan
Hyper Manatic Asylum
Glasgow




Sappricken France
Aug: 13. 1844

Dear Sir

I am sorry that you
have been put to trouble about
the publican of James Marshall
the want of the signature was
quite an oversight but I shall
send it now.

I hope James Marshall
is doing well with you - Would
you take the trouble to send me
a few lines stating his present
plan &c. The next time I am in Glasgow
I will call and see him.

I am Dear Sir
Yours truly
William Brand &Co

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Dr Richard
Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

Sophia Town Mauritius
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Sir

Not being acquainted with any person in Mauritius who would be willing to sign the obligation for James Marshall's board. I have signed the obligation & will see his board paid according to your regulations As it would be trouble & expensive for me to send in Mauritius to obtain the Sheriffs signature. Marcella

you get this done for me
Presuming that all the ne
cessary steps have been taken
we will forward the patient
to your Asylum on Thursday
the 8th Inst.

I am
Sir
yours truly
William Brankes.

Dr Hutcheson

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Henry Peever	28	Married	Labourer	None	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Six months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No disease during an Unbridled attack
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Dull - Careless - Sometimes furious
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Lethargy - inclining to lye in bed
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Anger -
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	Has one child - 1 year & 9 Mos
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Had two Brothers & father insane
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Exhibited fits - muttering - Inability to speak & Lethargy
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	None
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	None
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Once
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

I, George Newman Hunter in Hamilton having this 21 Nov 1844 day carefully examined resident in the Barony of Henry Peacock hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) Geo. Newman Hunter

No. II.

I, John Macewan M. D. having this day carefully examined Henry Peacock hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

Glasgow 22 Nov 1844

(Signed) John Macewan M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Mrs Brown or Peacock

* Wife of the Patient

Humbly Sheweth,

That Henry Peacock aged 28 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said Henry Peacock.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Barbara Peacock

(Address) 34 Washington St.

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of George M'Ewan & John M'Ewan Surgeon produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Henry Peacock, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within

Glasgow, 25 Nov 1844

George Shaw

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 25 Nov 1844

Gentlemen,

As you have agreed to admit Henry Peacock into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(Name) John Warren Kirk Treasurer

(Address) Barony Parish

No. 1889

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

_____ *Admit* _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee of Management, and the [illegible] board shall be refunded.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Wm Blaine	40	Mall	Labr. of Phila	good	Free

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	4 days
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Religious & excitement on his duty
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	None
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	(
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	(
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	5 — oldest 14. Youngest twins 16 months
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None known
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None known
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Chagrin
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Sysleepness — want of Sleep, Raving
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Since Tuesday increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Remissions
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	uncertain
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Number — but generally incoherently —
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	General bleeding 3 XV. 1800 Cooling Head Shaved — Purgatives
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

We, the undersigned, having this day seen and examined Mr William Blane Superintendent of Police, do hereby declare it, to be our decided opinion that he is in a state of mental derangement, and a fit object for the Royal Lunatic Asylum in Glasgow

James Guthrie Surgeon

John Bowman Provost

James Reid J.P.

Kilmarnock 28 November 1844

29 Nov 1844 I hereby think Mr James Guthrie & Dr John Paxton are legally qualified Medical practitioners

WM ANDERSON

which appears from the Certificate and Medical Report annexed hereto, and in terms of 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

William Blane

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Robt Johnstone

(ADDRESS) 16 Soulis Street Kilmarnock

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Mr Guthrie & Paxton, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed William Blane, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 29th Nov 1844

George Clerk

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. 1.

I, in 184 having this day carefully examined resident in the of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) _____

I, having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) _____

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Robert Johnstone

Brother in law of the patient acting for the other relatives

Humbly Sheweth,

That William Blane aged about 40 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said William Blane.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Sign) R. Johnstone

(Address) 16 Soulis Street Hillhead

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The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr. Guthrie Peddie & Dr. Mackenzie, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed William Blane, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

Glasgow, 29th Nov. 1844.

George Mackie

No. 1890

Glasgow, 29 Nov 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mr And.r Johnston 68. Centre St.
for the Board of Mr Wm Blane at the rate of fifteen Shillings
per Week.

J Barr Treasurer.

Admit Mr Wm Blane as a Patient into the Asylum.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	General bleeding 3xvj. 1 doz, Cooling Head Board - Purgatives
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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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Dec 2. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Noble	21	Single	Servant	Common	

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Not before
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Six Months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Not injured
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Uncertain
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Melancholic at first, & Daily fluctuations
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	As 15
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Stationary
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Some remissions
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain intervals
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	No particular delusion
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Aperients & Bleeding & Blistering with Whip
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reasons removed.	Never in any Asylum

(Signed) R. Douglas Surgeon

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

Dunblane 29th Nov. 1849

No. I.

I, Cornelius Stewart Surgeon in Dunblane having this day carefully examined Robert Noble resident in the Strageth of Dunblane hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) C. Stewart

No. II.

Dunblane 29 Nov 1849

I, Robert Douglas of Dunblane having this day carefully examined Robert Noble Dunblane hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) R. Douglas Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Isabella Bryce or Gow

* Mother of the patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Noble aged twenty one Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Isabella Gow

(Address) Raymonds, Dunblane

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Stewart and Douglas, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Noble, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 29th Dec 1849

Wm Stafford Bell

No. 1891

Glasgow, 2d December 1841

An Obligation has been granted by Mr D. Stewart, Kirk Trace Schoolhouse Dumbarton, for the Board of Robert Noble at the rate of Eight Shillings & sixpence Stg per Week.

Don. Cuthbertson Treasurer.

Admit as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Aperients, Bleeding & Blistering to the Neck
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Never in any Asylum

(Signed) R. Douglas Surgeon

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Dec 2. 1840

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Hall					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Dec^r 2 1844

I, Thomas Pichard, M. D^r in Glasgow having this day carefully examined M^r James Steel late resident in the parish of Lass, now in Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Thomas Pichard M.D.

No. II.

2 Dec^r 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined M^r James Steel hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Hutcheson M.D.
Fellow of the R. Coll. Physicians
Edinb. Member of Faculty P&S

, A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Steel residing in Oswald Street of Glasgow

* Brother German of James Steel Sometime residing in Dunlop Street of the County of Dumbarton & formerly Carrying on Trade at Glasgow now in Glasgow,

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That the said James Steel Son of the said James Steel aged about 45 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Steel

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(SIGNED) John Steel

(ADDRESS) Oswald Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pichard and Dr Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Steel in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW,
2nd December 1844

George Skene

No. 1892

Glasgow, 2d Dec. 1847

An Obligation has been granted by John Hill Esq. Oswald &c.

for the Board of St James Hut *at the rate of* One Guinea

per Week.

J. Wan. Dun. Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,....£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,....	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Dec. 3. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Waterston		S	Land Surveyor		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Has been several times in the Asylum & was discharged on the 22nd of last month. He has again become ill but cannot be received without a New Warrant
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

December 3d 1844

I, Donald Campbell Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Waterston resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Donald Campbell M.D

No. II.

3 December 1844

I, William Hutcheson, Physician having this day carefully examined John Waterston hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm. Hutcheson M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of David Sandman Esq

* Cousin of the Patient and acting for the other Relatives

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Waterston aged Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said John Waterston.

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) David Sandeman

(ADDRESS) 5 Miller Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Drs Campbell and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Waterston in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW
Dec 3d 1844

George Skene

No. 1893

Glasgow, 3d Dec 1844

An Obligation has been granted by David Sandeman Esq. 53 Miller St

for the Board of Mr Isha Waterston *at the rate of* One pounds seven shillings & sixpence

per Week.

J Barr J Don & Sutherland *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Dec. 4. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Mrs Currie		single	Baker	Common	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	not before the present
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	three years nearly
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	none
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	short in temper
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	none
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	nil beheaved preceding the attack
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	none known
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	none
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	loss of money
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	loss of money
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	none
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	none
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	continuing
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Persons of relations
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	none
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Threatening to shoot the petitioner
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	none
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	none

(Signed) William Currie

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

30th Nov. 1844

57 Parn St Anderston

I, Joseph Fleming Surgeon in Anderston having this day carefully examined Alexander Currie resident in the Thrallpens Court of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Joseph Fleming Surgeon

No. II.

30th Nov. 1844

I, Andrew M Lean Surgeon Anderston having this day carefully examined Alexander Currie No 1 Brown Street hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Andrew M Lean Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Wm Currie

No 1 Brown Street Anderston

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Alex Currie aged 23 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Alex Currie

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) William Currie

(ADDRESS) No 1 Brown Street Anderston

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of 9th Joseph Fleming and And.r M'Lean produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Alex Currie, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 3 Dec 1844

George Skene

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 3 Dec 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Alex Currie into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer: to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Laren Kirk Treasurer

(ADDRESS) Barony Parish

No. 1894

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

Treasurer.

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

We do hereby certify that the patient Wm Burns is unable to pay the board wages of the within named Mr Burns

Wm Turnbull

Patrick M'Vaught

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Dec. 4. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Wilson	14				Free Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	one year since simptoms appeard
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	one year
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	blow on head
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	no alteration
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	much given to swearing & himself
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	very distructive and high tempered
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	cannot say
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	none
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	none
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	got a blow on the head ten years ago
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	blow on the head
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	has been ordered to use violence behind back
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	very distructive to his cloth
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

4th Dec 184

I, Alex Fisher & Robert Nelson in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Robert Nelson resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Alexander Fisher M.D.

No. II.

4th Dec 184

I, James Jamieson Robert Wilson having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) James Jamieson Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Wm Hamm Superintendent of the Towns Hospital Glasgow

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Robert Nilson aged 44 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Robert Nilson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Jn Hamm

(ADDRESS)

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Alex Fisher & Jamieson Surgeon, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Nilson, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within two days.

GLASGOW, 4th Dec 1844

Wm Hamilton Bell

Gratis

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 4 Decr 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Robert Nilson into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) Jn Hamm

(ADDRESS) Governor Towns Hospital

No. 1895

Glasgow, 184

An Obligation has been granted by

for the Board of *at the rate of*

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0	per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0	—
Third,.....	2	2	0	—					

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

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According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

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When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

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Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Dec 5. 1844.

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Daniel Tadely	50.				

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Rutherglen 4 December 1844

I, Joseph Fleming Surgeon in Anderston having this day carefully examined Daniel Sadely resident in Mitchells Lane of Rutherglen hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Joseph Fleming Surgeon

No. II.

4th December 1844

I, Andrew M'Lean Surgeon having this day carefully examined Daniel Sadly hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Andrew MacLean Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Rosanah M'Lafferty or Sadely

* 42 Clyde Street Anderston

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Daniel Sadely aged Fifty Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Daniel Sadely

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

J. Macdonald Writer (NAME) Rosanah for D. Sadely

(ADDRESS) Daniel Sadly mark wife of

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Fleming and M'Lean, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Daniel Sadely in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 4th Dec 1844

Wm Hastie Bell.

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS RESIDENT IN GLASGOW.

TO THE DIRECTORS OF THE GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Glasgow, 4 Dec 1844

GENTLEMEN,

As you have agreed to admit Daniel Sadly into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, as a Patient and Boarder, at the rate of Seven Shillings per Week, I hereby oblige myself to pay the said Patient's Board at that rate, quarterly, and in advance, to your Treasurer; to provide the requisite supplies of clothes; to remove the Patient when required; to defray, in case of death, the funeral charges; and to fulfil any other condition incumbent on me as Surety for the Patient, according to your Regulations.

(NAME) John M'Lean N.S.,

(ADDRESS) 36 St Albion Street

No. 1896

Glasgow, _____ 184

An Obligation has been granted by _____

for the Board of _____ *at the rate of* _____

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. Hutcheson, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Donald Cuthbertson, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Dec 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Patricke Smith	52	W	Weaver	Good	Established

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	A month
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
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13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	He all subjects – principally Apprehension by which present wealth is to be made – &c
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Attention to health, Head shaved, Leeched, blistered – Aperients –
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Glasgow Dec^r 5

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I, John M'Nucker Regan M.D. Glasgow having this day carefully examined Mr Patrick Smith resident in the Glasgow of hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) J M'Regan M. D.
Member of Faculty

No. II.

5 December 1844

I William Hutcheson Physician having this day carefully examined Mr Patrick Smith hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Wm Hutcheson M.D. F.R.C.P.E.
Member of Faculty

, A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Wm Grimmett
Half Brother

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Patrick Smith aged fifty two Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Patrick Smith

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Sign) Wm Grimmett
(Address) 8 Woodside Terrace Glasgow

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of J^n^ Regan and Hutcheson, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Patrick Smith, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW
Dec^r 5^th^ 1844

George Shaw

No. 1897

Glasgow, 6th Dec 1844

An Obligation has been granted by William Sommerville Esq. 8 Woodside Terrace
for the Board of Mr Patrick Smith *at the rate of* One pound seven shillings & sixpence
per Week.

J Barr, J Dean Cuthbertson *Treasurer.*

6 Dec 1844 *Admit* Mr Patrick Smith *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Wm Ritchieson *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
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(*Signed*)

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Dec.r 9. 1844

Extract Warrant

The Pro.r Fiscal

against

Laurence Dewchars Jr.

1844.

At Perth the Twenty third day of November one thousand eight hundred and forty four years In presence of Hugh Barclay Esq. Sheriff Substitute of the County of Perth Sitting in judgment anent the Petition and application raised at the instance of Thomas Duncan and John McLean Writers in Perth Joint Pro-curators Fiscal of Court for the public interest against Laurence Dewchars Junior residing in Methven Castle Policies. Which Petition dated the Twentieth day of November Current Humbly Sheweth

Sheweth That the said Lau:
rence Deuchars Junior who
from the medical Certificate
therewith produced appeared to
be a furious or fatuous person
or Lunatic, had been appre:
:hended from his threatening
danger to the Liege. And Grav:
:ing the Sheriff in terms of the
Act 1 and 2 Victoria chap 60
Sections 3 and 5. to grant war:
:rant to commit the said Lau
:rence Deuchars to Perth Prison
or other place of Safe custody and
appoint an early day for pro:
:ceeding to take evidence of the
Condition of the said Laurence
Deuchars: grant warrant to cite
the Witnesses to be adduced for
that purpose: direct notice to
be given thereof and of the Sheriffs
deliverance thereon to the next
of Kin of the said Laurence
Deuchars by serving them with
a Copy thereof and of the Sher

Petitioners

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Sheriffs deliverance thereon, and also direct notice to be given in some Newspaper circulated within the County of Perth of such Commitment and of the Sheriffs intention at said diet to enquire and take evidence as said is.

Further after making such enquiry and on the Sheriff being satisfied that the said Laurence Deuchars is furious or fatuous or a Lunatic and dangrous to grant warrant to commit him to a Lunatic Asylum therein to be detained untie his cure or untie caution should be found for his safe Custody and to decern and ordain the Parish of Methven within which he was apprehended to pay such sum as may be necessary for the maintenance of the said Laurence Deuchars in said Asylum. Reserving to the said Parish its relief as accords of Law. According to Justice Vc. And at

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calling of said Petition and Application upon the day and date hereof in presence of the said Sheriff Substitute He having taken evidence of the condition of Laurence Deuchars Junior and having been satisfied that he was a Lunatic and dangerous Granted and hereby Grants warrant to commit him to the Lunatic Asylum at Dundee (on the directors thereof being willing to receive him) therein to be detained until his Cure is certified or until Caution be found for his safe Custody to the Satisfaction of this Court and authority being given for the delivery of the Lunatic to the person so finding Caution or otherwise until liberated in due Course of Law. Reserving to give forth and pronounce all other and farther orders in reference

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:Curred in Keeping and main:
:taining him and in the mean:
:time until the necessary orders be
obtained for the transmission and
detention of the said Laurence
Deuchars Junior in said Asylum
granted and hereby grant War:
:rant to detain him in the
Prison of Perth authorising the
Keeper thereof to deliver him
over to the person producing
the Warrant for his removal to
said Asylum. Extracted upon
this and the four preceding Pages
by me Sheriff Clerk Depute of
the said County from the An:
:cient Record of the Sheriff
Court of the said County.

Perth 5th

Written by R B Sandeman
Collated by Pattison
Signed 5 Decr 1844

At Perth the Seventh day
of December one thousand
eight hundred and forty four
years. Which Petition and Ap
:plication having again been
presented to the said Sher:
iff Substitute upon the day
and date hereof. He in respect
that the Directors of the Dun
:dee Asylum had declined
to receive the Lunatic and
that the Directors of the Asy:
:lum of Glasgow had expres:
:sed their willingness to re:
:ceive him Granted and here:
:by Grants warrant to Com:
:mit him to said last men:
:tioned Asylum to the same
effect as is contained in
the foregoing Warrant of date
23 Nov last. Extracted by

Pat Stordart Pt

Written by R B Sanderson
Collated by Patsartan
signed 7 Decr 1844
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Glasgow 9th Decr 1815

An obligation has been granted by Messrs
Duncan Jg & M.Lean Pths for Fiscal for Perthshire,
Perth, for the board &c of Lawrence Donchars,
at Eight shillings & sixpence Sg. per
week.

A Donn Cuthbertson Treas.

J Bare

Extract Warrant

The Rt Hon Lord Advocate

against

Laurence Deuchars Jr.

1844

Convicted &c

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Yes

Laurence Deuchars.

Perth 28 November 1844

Dear Sir,

The case of this man was investigated here a few days ago by our Sheriff, under the Act 11° & 5° Vic. Cap 60; and he was found to be insane and dangerous. We will feel obliged by your informing us whether he can be received into your Asylum.

We may mention that Dr Malcom considers the Patient curable. He is about 30 years of age and served an apprenticeship to the Weaving business, and was afterwards a day labourer for about two years; during which time he attended evening schools, and during these five or six years past

past he has been a burden upon his poor parents as he did not work, but studied the Languages French, Latin, Spanish, Greek & Hebrew, and this he did by spending most of his time in reading his books in the plantations round his fathers residence. His object, as avowed by himself, was to acquire Languages so as he might be qualified to attend as travelling companion in foreign parts, any gentleman or nobleman who might require his services. But not being so employed he has within these last two or three months become irritable, and as his father endeavoured to remonstrate strongly with him, he threatened his life & threw the family into great terror and alarm, and hence the Sheriff has found that the Patient is insane and dangerous. But it is supposed that if Deuchars is removed to an Asylum and away from his family he may

soon

…nts soon recover.

We are,

Dear Sir,

Your obed. Serts

Duncan & M.Lean

D. Culbertson Esq.

Secretary.

Lunatic Asylum

Glasgow.

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Dec. 10. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Thomas Howat	25	M.	Miner	—	Protestant

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	First attack
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About 4 weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Elevation of Spirits
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
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8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	2 Children — eldest 3 Years — Youngest [illegible]
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	An aunt in the Asylum
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	Never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	None known
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Sleeplessness many things he could get does of
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Lucid intervals
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Worse at night
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Raving on Religious subjects
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Never
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23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Yes —
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Head Shaved
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(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 4th Dec 1844

I, James Knight Surgeon in Lunatic Asylum Glasgow having this day carefully examined Thomas Hewit resident in the Town of Ayr hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) J Stewart

No. II.

Glasgow 10th Dec 1844

I, Andrew Mackie Surgeon having this day carefully examined Thomas Hewat hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) And Mackie MD

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Mafelle Superintendent Govan Parish

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

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And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) J Mafelle

(ADDRESS) 4 Norfolk Lane

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The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Jn Stewart & Mackie, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Thomas Hewit in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 10th Decr 1844

Wm Stafford Clerk

No. 1899

Glasgow, 10th Dec 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr John Carrick, Sheriff Clerk Depute

for the Board of Thomas Hewit *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & six pence *per Week.*

J Barr, for Dr Cockburn *Treasurer.*

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_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
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II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

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All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Menzies	33	S	Grocer	Ordinary	Free Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	15 Months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Dyspepsia
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Vide printed Statement given in Mr Cameron
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet sober thoughtful & inclined to read
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Dyspepsia
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None / His father & mother brothers & cousin Captain Lyon
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Raving — want of sleep &c
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Yes vide Statement
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Vide Statement
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Vide Statement
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Vide Statement
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

12th December 1844

I, John Alex[r] Easton M.D. Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Menzies resident in the parish of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) J. A. Easton M. D.

No. II.

Glasgow 12th Dec[r] 1844

I, Wm Crawford M.D having this day carefully examined James Menzies above designed hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Wm Crawford M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of William Menzies

*Cousin of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Menzies aged about 35 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said James Menzies

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Wm Menzies

(ADDRESS) 16 Bryson Street

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Easton & Crawford, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Menzies in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Dec. 12th 1844.

Wm Crawford Keith

No. 1900

Glasgow, 12th Dec. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr R. Menzies, Perrijia Parish, 16 Dean St Glasgow for the Board of Laurence Menzies at the rate of Eight Shillings & Sixpence per Week.

N. Provan,
per R. Galbraith, Treasurer.

Admit Laurence Menzies as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

M. McCulloch Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.)

any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	vide Statement
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

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Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

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Dec 14. 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Thomas Johnston					

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	attempted to get away on the night of the 11th Inst
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No. in the Glasgow Royal Asylum for Lunatics Home

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I. Coatbridge 13th Dec. 1844

I, Peter Stewart M.D. in Coatbridge having this day carefully examined Thomas Johnston Sen.r resident in the Parish of Monkland hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, Mr Lee is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM. I have draped the wound which he inflicted on his neck in attempting to cut his throat

(Signed) Peter Stewart M.D.

No. II.

Coatbridge 13 Dec 1844

I, James Tennent M.D. Thomas Johnston Sen.r having this day carefully examined hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) James Tennent M.D.

* A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Thomas Johnstone Sen.r Son of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Thomas Johnstone Sen.r aged 68 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Thomas Johnstone Sen.r

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Thomas Johnston Jn.

(ADDRESS) Garrell

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Stewart & Tennent, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Thomas Johnston Senr, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, 14th Decr 1844.

Wm Gladstone Bell

No. ~~1391~~ 1901

Glasgow, 13th December 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr. John Macdonald, Writer, Sprouls' Court, *for the Board of* Mr Thomas Johnstone, *at the rate of* Fifteen shillings — *per Week.*

Don Culbertson *Treasurer.*

Admit Wm Thos Johnston *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

Wm Anderson *Physician.*

To the Officers of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Attempted to cut his throat on the night of the 11th
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes in the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum

(*Signed*)

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Second,.....	1 11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4 4	0	—
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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

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Dec 17 1844

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PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Alex[r] Miller	29	S	Mercantile & legal	ordinary	Presbyterian

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	No
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Nine months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	No
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None / Intemperate after disease began / Sometimes to excess
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet & unobtrusive —
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	No
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	[redacted] Exposure & started Insane this discharge [illegible] Pecuniary embarrassment
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Depression — Incoherent perplexity Terror —
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Some few
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	That his soul is lost — Terror
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes to jump overboard & tried to once after coming into Port —
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

17 December 1844

I, William Hutcheson Physician in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Alexander Miller resident in the Parish of Barlanark now in Middle of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

(Signed) Wm Hutcheson M.D. L.R.C.P.E
Member of the Royal Coll. of Physicians & Surgeons Glasgow &c

No. II.

17th Dec 1844

I, Wm Weir Physician in Gla having this day carefully examined Alexander Miller hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Wm. Weir M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Miller
Brother of the Patient

Humbly Sheweth,

That Alexander Miller aged about 29 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your Lordship to grant Warrant to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the said Alexander Miller

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Sign*) John Miller

(Address) Millwright Shipland 762 Gallowgate

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Hutcheson and Weir, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the Officers or Attendants of the Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, to receive the Person of the within designed Alexander Miller in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

Glasgow, 17th Dec 1844

George Skene

No. 1902

Glasgow, 17th Dec. 1844

An Obligation has been granted by Mr. William Miller, Baker, Rutherglen.

for the Board of Alexander Miller *at the rate of* ten Shillings & Sixpence *per Week.*

J. Barr, for Dan. Hutchinson *Treasurer.*

Admit Alex. Miller *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

M'Farlane *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Yes, to jump overboard when on the Clyde coming to Port
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	No
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 8, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....£0	8	6	per Week.	Second Rate of Board, £0	15	0	per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board, £3	3	0	per Week.
Second,..... 1	11	6	—	Fifth,..... 4	4	0	—
Third,..... 2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Dec. 7. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
John Faweett	63	M.	Seaman		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes - some years ago
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	About a month -
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Intemperance
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Great excitement
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing -
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Yes
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Complains of an evil Spirit in his head - Went in a Skiff alone from Campbeltown with the intention of going to Liverpool or Belfast "to put the devil right"
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Does attempted to cut his throat at Campbeltown Once and again in his own house — both the present attempts & those
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Threatens to take away the lives of his wife friends -
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Burns every thing he can get within his reach
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes - In the Glasgow Royal Asylum some years ago.

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

17 December 1844

I, John D. McLaurin M.D in Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Fawcett [illegible] resident in the Town of Campbeltown, now in Glasgow of [illegible] hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) John D McLaurin M.D.

No. II.

Dec. 17th 1844

I, Thomas Prichard M. D. Glasgow having this day carefully examined John Fawcett above designed hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) Thomas Prichard M. D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of John Montgomery

* Nephew of the Patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That John Fawcett aged 63 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

John Fawcett

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) John Montgomery

(ADDRESS) Parish Campbeltown

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF, having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr. Prichard and McLaurin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed John Fawcett in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW Dec. 17th 1844

George Skene

No. 1903

Glasgow, 17th Dec 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Wm John Montgomerie Campbeltown
for the Board of ~~John Montgomerie~~ Jaweett *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & Sixpence
per Week.

J Barr Dunlop Treasurer.

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	Once attempted to cut his throat at Campbeltown and again in his own house — broke the fingers
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Threatens to take away the life of his friends &
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	Burns every thing he can get within his reach
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Yes — In the Glasgow Royal Asylum some years ago.

(*Signed*)

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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WEST HOUSE:

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Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
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Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

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I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

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Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

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Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Dec 4. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Ebenezer Strayan		Single	traveling tea Dealer	good	Baptist

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	no
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	twinty months
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	a slight attack of fever and small pox a little previous
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	deep thoughts
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	allways remarked for his satyricty and general good character
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	very generous & repentable
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	none
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	one uncle
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	none
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	never
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	two much studie on religon
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	enthusia
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	none
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	none
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	two deep thoughts about his and his neighbours well fair after death and things to recieve miraculous communications respecting future events from god & though the world to perish by fire
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	no the reverse
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	never

(Signed) Peter Strayan

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Shawan 16th 1844

We Thos M'Clelland Surgn in Shawan having this day carefully examined Ebenezer Strayan resident in the Leight of Leith Parish hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Thos M'Clelland Surgn
J. M'Dougall Surgn

No. II.

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I, _____ having this day carefully examined _____ hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) _____

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Leith Asylum Dr Clelland & Mr Dougall Medical Certificates in favour of Ebenezer Strayan 19 Decr 1844

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Peter Strayan

Brother to Ebenezer Strayan

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Ebenezer Strayan aged twentytwo Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said Ebenezer Strayan

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Peter Strayan

(ADDRESS) Meikel Leight Cairnryan

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Clelland & Mr Dougall, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Ebenezer Strayan in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, Decr 19th 1844.

Wm Hasfurd Bell

No. 1904

Glasgow, 18th Dec. 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Dr. Hannay, St. Vincent St.

for the Board of Ebenezer Stryan *at the rate of* Eight Shillings & Sixpence *per Week.*

J. Burnside Dun. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever attempted or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	never
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	non the reverse
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	never

(Signed) Peter Strayan

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

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EAST HOUSE:

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WEST HOUSE:

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GENERAL REGULATIONS.

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When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

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All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
James Dickson	48	M.	Currier		

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Yes frequently. vide Reports of the Glasgow Royal Asylum
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Dec. 21st 1844

I, Thomas Pichard. M.D. in Glasgow having this day carefully examined James Dickson resident in the City of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Thomas Pichard. M.D.

No. II.

23d December 1844

I, John D.M'Gavin M.D having this day carefully examined James Dickson above designed hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) John D.M'Gavin M.D.

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of FIFTY POUNDS.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of Janet Dickson

* Wife of the patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That James Dickson aged about 48 Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

James Dickson

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) Mrs Dickson

(ADDRESS) 19 Drygate

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Pichard and M'Gavin, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed James Dickson in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 23 Dec 1844

George Deas

No. 1905

Glasgow, 21st Dec. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr Hugh Lockhart, 53. Bridge St.

for the Board of James Dickson *at the rate of* Eight shillings & sixpence

per Week.

John Ramsay Donaldson, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the)
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.)

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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152. Communication Auxiliary

Dec. 24. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
The Revd Joseph King	33	S	Probationer Free Church	Professional	Free Church

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	This is the first attack
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	10 years
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Swelling of Glands of left side of neck which subsided after several months. Each attack of Constitution
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	No
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	No
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Regular talented & reserved temperate (Drinks at University of Glasgow particularly fond of Languages & Metaphysics Quiet but cheerful. benevolent & pious —
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Constipation —
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Overworking of the brain by hard Study of Languages & metaphysics.
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Restless at night - Raving at times & notes writes hastily &c
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Remissions Short
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	Uncertain times —
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	Affirms Accuses - by which he was surrounded the Queen of Belgium - Countess of - attached a female to the room to take the measurements for (Her Majesty) Drawings) says that Queen & Prince Albert are attached for but to be punished (Queen should be) Mainly a conspiracy of Whigs - Preparations which he watched over - & abominations that are making
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Has threatened as above noticed a female
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Treatment in Asylums
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in Perth Asylum (Dr Drury) about 6 years ago for 4 or 5 months - Removed uncured to Asylum Glasgow for 18 months at beginning of this year - removed uncured

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Got a situation as a Clergyman in Nova Scotia & Come home to get an overdue Medicine after which attached female to get —

Reverend Joseph Reay

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Alexander Reay

(Address) Manse of West Kilbride

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The Sheriff *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* JN Ferguson and Skeoch, *produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* Officers or Attendants *of the* Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum, *to receive the Person of the within designed* the Rev Joseph Reay *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* 48 hours

Glasgow, Dec 23 1844.

George Sheriff

Newarton 21 Decr 1844

Dr William Hutchison

Sir

These are to certify, that we consider the Revd Joseph King Preacher of the Gospel here, to be in an unsound state of mind at present, and has been so for a length of time, we would hereby recommend him to your care as a fit person for the Royal Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow. by the bearer his brother the Revd Alexander King Minister of the Parish of West Kilbride County of Ayr.

We are Sir Your most respectfully

Alexr Ferguson M.D.
Thos Sherlock Surgn

23 Decr 1844 } We hereby certify that Dr Alexander Ferguson & Mr Thomas Sherlock Surgeon R.N. are legally qualified practitioners

John Paterson, Surgeon
Port Patrick

Royal Lunatic Asylum
Glasgow

Wm Hutchison Jun

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I, _____ in _____ having this day carefully examined _____ resident in the _____ of _____ hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, _____ is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Name) _____

No. II.

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I, _____ having this day carefully examined _____ hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Name) _____

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Patient to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of The Reverend Alexander King Minister of the Parish of West Kilbride Ayrshire Brother of the patient

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That the Reverend Joseph King aged Ninety three Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

Reverend Joseph King

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Alexander King

(Address) Manse of West Kilbride

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for Petitioning.

The SHERIFF, having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of J.N. Ferguson and Sherlock, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed the Rev Joseph King in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be void and void, unless executed within 48 hours

GLASGOW, Dec 23 1844

George Shaw

Stewarton
21st Dec
1844

Sir

The Magistrates
& County Meeting in the Place
I entirely concur in the Propriety
of the Medical attendant on
the other side

I Brown
J. P. County of Ayr

GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested
cording to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following

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I, _____ in _____ having this
day carefully examined _____ resident in the

No. 1906

Glasgow, 23d Dec. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by The Rev. Alex. King, West Kilbride
for the Board of Rev. John King at the rate of Fifteen Shillings
per Week.

James & Dan. Cuthbertson, Treasurer.

Admit _____ as a Patient into the Asylum,
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ Physician.

To the Officers of the
Glasgow Royal Lunatic Asylum.

No. 1906

Glasgow, 23rd Dec. 1844.

An Obligation has been granted by The Rev. Alex. King, West Kilbride *for the Board of* The Rev. John King *at the rate of* Fifteen Shillings *per Week.*

J. Watt, for Don. Cuthbertson, *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum, on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.*

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	Has threatened as above stated on female
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Treatment in Asylum
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	Was in Gartnavel House (Dr Drury) about 6 years ago for 10 or 12 months. ~~Has been~~ Removed unrecovered again in Glasgow R. L. Asylum for 11 months at beginning of this year. Removed unrecovered.

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

Got a education as a Clergyman in New Scotland & came home to get an assistant Minister after which attacked female to get—

At Glasgow the second day of January
Eighteen hundred and forty five years:
Sitting in Judgment Henry Glassford
Bell Esquire Advocate substitute of Archibald
Alison Esquire Advocate Sheriff of Lanarkshire
Anent the Petition and Complaint at the
instance of George Edmond Procurator Fiscal
of Court for the public interest against Thomas
Waddell residing with his mother Janet Clelland
or Waddell a widow in Chryston: In
which Petition and Complaint the said
Sheriff substitute after various steps of
procedure by Decree and sentence pronounced
by him of the date above written Found
and hereby Finds it proved that the Defend-
=er Thomas Waddell is a Lunatic and dan-
=gerous and was found at large in the
Parish of Cadder, Therefore granted and hereby
grants warrant to Commit him to the Royal
Lunatic Asylum of Glasgow to be therein
detained until his cure or until caution
shall be found for his safe Custody and
if necessary authorised and hereby authorises
the Procurator Fiscal to Contract with the
Keeper of said Asylum to whose care the
said Thomas Waddell is hereby Committed
for the Expence of his maintainance, and
that at the rate of Eight shillings and
sixpence per week being the lowest received
in

in the Asylum: Found and hereby Finds that the Parish liable ad interim for the maintainance of the said Thomas Waddell in the Parish of Cadder, and Decerned and hereby Decerns in favor of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal against said Parish and James Noble (~~three~~ X ~~designies~~) for the said sum of weekly maintainance, Reserving the Relief of said Parish against all others as accords of law. Found and hereby Finds the Procurator-Fiscal entitled to be paid the Expence of this application and Consequent procedure out of the Rogue money of the County payable by Mr John Mervin writer in Lanark the Clerk of Supply and taxes the amount thereof at Eight pounds twelve Shillings and five pence Sterling for which Decerned and hereby Decerns. — Extracted furth of the Records of the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow on this and the preceding page 1 By Two words delete.

Thomas Donald Dep. Clk

1 Session Clerk and acting for said Parish

Extract Decree

George Salmond & J.

agt.

Thomas Waddell.

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£0	8	6	per Week.	Second Rate of Board,	£0	15	0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£1	1	0	per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6	—	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0	—				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

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Fiscal Case

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Thomas Waddell	24	S	Farmservant	ordinary	Established

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Never
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Since Thursday last (Sept 1)
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	Nothing
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	None
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	None
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Quiet-understrong-
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	Aunt ill for some months— Maternal
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	?
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Attended a Concert & was jeered by some Woman about April
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Want of sleep - refusal of food - restless & raving - Violence (Laughing)
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	No
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Remissions
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	at uncertain times
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	~~Is~~ threatened to kill his mother
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	No
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

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I, _____ *in* _____ *having this day carefully examined* _____ *resident in the* _____ *of* _____ *hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief,* _____ *is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) _____

No. II.

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I, _____ *having this day carefully examined* _____ *hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.*

(SIGNED) _____

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Fifty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of _____

* _____

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That _____ *aged* _____ *Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary.*

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP *to grant Warrant to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the said*

_____

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) _____

(ADDRESS) _____

* Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF *having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of* _____ _____, *produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the* OFFICERS *or* ATTENDANTS *of the* GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, *to receive the Person of the within designed* _____ *in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within* _____

GLASGOW, }

No. 1907

Glasgow, _____ 184

An Obligation has been granted by _____

for the Board of _____ *at the rate of* _____

per Week.

_____ *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	~~Labours his~~ threatened to kill his Mother —
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No —
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	No —
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	No

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

At Glasgow the second day of January
Eighteen hundred and forty five years
Sitting in Judgment Henry Glassford
Bell Esquire Advocate Substitute of Archibald
Alison Esquire Advocate Sheriff of Lanarkshire
Anent the Petition and Complaint at the
instance of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal
of Court for the Public Interest against Arch-
ibald or Andrew Graham weaver in Glasgow.
In which Petition and Complaint
the said Sheriff Substitute, after sundry
steps of procedure of the date above written
Found and Finds it proved That the
Defender Archibald or Andrew Graham is a
Lunatic and dangerous, and was found at
large in the Parish of Glasgow Therefore
granted and hereby grants warrant to
Commit him to the Royal Lunatic Asylum
of Glasgow to be therein detained until his
Cure or until Caution Shall be found for his
safe Custody, and if necessary authorised
and hereby authorises the Procurator Fiscal
to Contract with the Keeper of said Asylum
to whose care the said Archibald or Andrew
Graham is hereby Committed for the expense
of his maintainance, and that at the rate
of Eight Shillings and sixpence per week
being the lowest received in the Asylum.
Found and hereby Finds that the

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Parish liable ad interim for the maintainance of the said Archibald or Andrew Graham in the Parish of Glasgow and Deserved and hereby Decerns in favor of George Salmond Procurator Fiscal against said Parish and Doctor John Hunna as representing or acting for the City of Glasgow, for the said sum of weekly maintainance, reserving the relief of said Parish against all others as accords of Law. Found and hereby Finds the Procurator Fiscal entitled to be paid the Expence of this application and Consequent procedure out of the Rogue money of the County payable by Mr. John Marr writer in Lanark the Clerk of Supply, and taxed and hereby takes the amount thereof at Five pounds, fourteen Shillings and seven pence Sterling, for which Deserved and hereby Decerns. Extracted furth of the Records of the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, upon this and the preceding Page By

Macclanahk Dpt Clk

Extract Decree

George Salmond &c.

agst

Archibald or Andrew

Graham. —

2d January 1845

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,...	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3 3 0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4 4 0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —		

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE:

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current, or of the next, quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six, and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum.

No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person affected with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate Admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum. Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

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Dec 28. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Gilbert M'Glueing	29	Single	None	Tolerable	Church of Scotland

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Has had several attacks was in the Asylum at Stirling
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	A fortnight
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	None that was obvious
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	Often depressed – & yet sometimes gaieties
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	Nothing particular
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	Do Do
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	Do Do
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	None
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	None
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	No
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	Not aware of any cause
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	Outrageous conduct. Guarded some imaginary himself to be attacked by robbers
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	None
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	Increasing
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	Some momentary quietness
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	No
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	No raving that cannot be described
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes – Striking & Threatning
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	He was in the Glasgow Royal Asylum about 3 years ago

(Signed) Henry M'Kean

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Dec^{r} 27th 1844

I, John MacKinlay Physician in Barhead having this day carefully examined Gilbert Mc Kiean resident in the Parish of Neilston hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(Signed) John MacKinlay M.D.

No. II.

Dec^{r} 28th 1844

I, Joseph Bell Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Gilbert Mc Kiean do hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(Signed) Joseph Bell Surgeon

*** A Medical Practitioner, signing this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of William Mc Kiean Father of the Patient *
In Gardiner Feuar of Neilston Poors Funds

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

That Gilbert Mc Kiean aged twenty nine Years, is at present in such a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears from the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of any Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(Name) Wm Kiean & Wm Kiean In Gardiner

(Address) Mason Barrhead & Feuar of Neilston Poors Funds

* Here let the PETITIONER mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Doctor John MKinlay, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Gilbert Mc Kiean, in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that this Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

GLASGOW, 28th December 1844.

George Skene

30th Dec^{r} 1844 K

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD,

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE [illegible]

No. 1910

Glasgow, 28th Dec. 1845

An Obligation has been granted by Mr James Anderson, 16 Montrose St.
for the Board of Albert Mc Kiver *at the rate of* Seven Shillings
per Week.

J. Barr J. Dea Cathcartson *Treasurer.*

Admit *as a Patient into the Asylum,*
on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

Physician.

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	No
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what matter?	Yes – Sticking & Threatning
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	No
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	Nothing
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	He was in the Glasgow Royal Asylum about 3 years & a half

(Signed) Henry Mc Kiver

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GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

PATIENTS ARE ADMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

EAST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....£0 8 6 per Week. | Second Rate of Board, £0 15 0 per Week.

WEST HOUSE:

First Rate of Board,.....	£1	1	0 per Week.	Fourth Rate of Board,	£3	3	0 per Week.
Second,.....	1	11	6 —	Fifth,.....	4	4	0 —
Third,.....	2	2	0 —				

Superior Accommodation, such as a suite of Private Apartments, Attendants, &c. may be had.

THE TWO FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE IN EVERY CASE INDISPENSABLE.

I. Warrant from the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, in terms of the Statutes 55 Geo. III. Cap. 69; 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34; 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60. The Warrant—which will be granted on the presentation of Certificates of Lunacy from two respectable Medical Practitioners—is to be presented at the Asylum, on or before the arrival of the Patient.

II. Written Obligation for Payment of Board, as well as for due Observance of the Rules of the Institution, from one or two responsible Persons resident in Glasgow. The Letter of Obligation is to be deposited with the Treasurer on Payment of the Board.

The Forms of these Documents herewith furnished, or Copies of them, must be properly filled up and subscribed.

According to the rate of Board, a difference will be observed in the apartments, in the quality of furniture and of diet, in the rank of associates, and in the proportion of attendants or servants.

Every Patient must be provided with proper apparel. An accurate list of every article brought with the Patient, must, on admission, be delivered to the Steward. If any necessary part of dress should not be duly supplied, after eight days' intimation has been given that it is wanted, it will be furnished by the House, and the cost of it charged against the Patient.

Patients, in cases of urgency, will be admitted at any hour; but, in ordinary cases, they must be sent to the Asylum after seven o'clock in the morning, and before seven o'clock in the evening. Timely notice of the hour when any Patient may be expected to arrive ought always to be given to the Physician, that due preparation may be made for the Patient's reception.

On applying to the Physician, the Patient will be carefully and expeditiously conveyed to the Asylum; the necessary expenses being paid to the Steward by the Applicant.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Patients sent by any Parish which has contributed a sum proportioned to its population, as stipulated by the Regulations, pay according to a rate of Board fixed annually.

Patients sent by other Parishes, pay according to the first rate of board.

The board is, in all cases, paid quarterly and in advance. The regular quarterly terms are:—1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October. The first payment is always made from the day of admission, to the end of the current or of the next quarter.

When any Patient is dismissed, or dies, before the close of a quarter, an application may be made to the Weekly Committee, to ascertain if any, and what portion of the sum advanced for board shall be refunded.

Patients have no claim to remuneration for their labour.

A fee, on admission, is paid to the Institution by each Patient, at the second rate of board, and upwards. On the dismissal or death of the Patient, after six and within twelve months, the fee is repeated. But should the Patient remain a year, or longer, the fee is repeated only on the expiry of the year, and on that of each succeeding year of the Patient's residence in the Asylum. No fees are paid for parish Patients, or by Patients at the first rate of board.

Patients are admitted and dismissed by orders from the Physician.

No Person afflicted with contagious fever, or in a dying state, can be admitted as a Patient.

When any Patient is ordered to be dismissed, timely written notice of the order for dismissal is always sent to the Person or Persons in Glasgow, who have subscribed the Obligation for Payment of Board; and when the Patient is not removed from the Asylum, within a week after the time fixed in the notice, the case is reported to the Sheriff.

Near Relatives, Guardians, or others, producing proper written authority, from the subscribers of those Letters of Application on which Patients have been admitted, are, by an order from the Physician, allowed to visit Patients.

No Visitor is permitted to enter the apartment of any Patient of a different sex, but under proper restrictions.

All letters or other articles, brought to or from Patients, must be lodged in the Physician's office before they can be permitted to pass in or out.

Three Days' previous notice must be given, before the Removal of any Patient.

All necessary Documents may be addressed (post paid) to the Physician, Dr. HUTCHESON, Royal Lunatic Asylum, or 72 St. George's-Place; or to the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. DONALD CUTHBERTSON, No. 110 West George-Street. And, to ensure the immediate admission of any Patient from a distance, it is requested that these, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence, before the Patient be sent to the Asylum.

Hedderwick & Son, Printers to the Queen.

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Dec. 30. 1844

RELATIVES or GUARDIANS, with the Assistance of the MEDICAL ATTENDANT, are requested to annex, according to the best of their knowledge, precise ANSWERS to the following QUERIES.

PATIENT'S NAME and SURNAME.	AGE.	SINGLE, MARRIED, or WIDOWED.	OCCUPATION.	EDUCATION.	RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.
Robert Smellie	age 40	Single	Victualler	Ordinary	Established

1. Has the Patient been Insane before the present attack? if so, state the dates of previous attacks, and how treated.	Was in the Lunatic Asylum about 4 years ago
2. How long has the Patient been Insane on the present occasion?	Some weeks
3. Did any bodily disorder precede this attack? if so, state its nature and duration.	
4. State any alteration in the habits, opinions, temper, or disposition—any elevation or depression of spirits observed before the present attack.	
*5. State any oddity, eccentricity, mental infirmity, vice, or intemperance, marking the character of the Patient.	
*6. State the predominant passions or prejudices, and the general character of the Patient.	
7. State any bodily disease to which the Patient is liable, or under which the Patient labours at present.	
8. If the Patient be a Female, be particular in stating any irregularity or obstruction.	
9. Did the present attack occur during pregnancy or in childbed?	
10. Has the Patient children? if so, state how many are alive, and the ages of the eldest and youngest.	
*11. State what Relatives of the Patient have been known to be Insane.	
*12. State what Relatives have been known to be eccentric, vicious, or intemperate.	
13. Was the Head of the Patient ever severely injured? if so, when, and to what extent?	
14. What is supposed to have been the cause of the disease?	
15. What have been the prominent symptoms of this attack?	
16. Has there been any obvious change in the form of the disease?	
17. Is the disease increasing, declining, or stationary?	
18. Have there been any lucid intervals, or any great remissions or exacerbations?	
19. Do such changes occur at uncertain intervals, or at stated periods?	
20. Mention particularly the delusions of the Patient.	
21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	once about 4 years ago. Was between in the Royal Lunatic Asylum—Glasgow

(Signed)

* Nos. 5, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

No. I.

Glasgow 30 December 1844

I, Thomas Watson, Surgeon in Glasgow having this day carefully examined Robert Smellie resident in Princes Street of Glasgow hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief he is insane, and a proper Patient for Admission into the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

(SIGNED) Tho Watson Surgeon

No. II.

Glasgow 30th Dec 1844

I George Watson Surgeon having this day carefully examined Robt Smellie hereby certify, on soul and conscience, that I concur in the Certificate granted above.

(SIGNED) George Watson

*** A Medical Practitioner giving this Certificate without having visited and carefully examined the Person to whom it relates, is liable to a Penalty of Forty Pounds.

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff-Depute of Lanarkshire, or his Substitute.

The Petition of James Mc. Grain Merchant, 13 King St

Cousin of the above named Robt Smellie

HUMBLY SHEWETH Robert Smellie Watchmaker aged about 40 Years, is at present in a state of Mental Derangement as to require treatment in a Lunatic Asylum, which appears by the Certificates and statement herewith produced. But as, by the Statutes 55 Geo. III. C9, 9 Geo. IV. Cap. 34, 4 and 5 Vic. Cap. 60, your Lordship's Warrant for the reception of Person into a Lunatic Asylum is necessary,

May it therefore please your LORDSHIP to grant Warrant to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS of the GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the said

Robert Smellie

And your Petitioner shall ever pray.

(NAME) James Mc Grain

(ADDRESS) 13 King St Glasgow

Here let the Petitioner mention his relationship to the Patient, or his authority for petitioning.

The SHERIFF having considered the Petition and Certificates under the hands of Dr Thomson & Gemmell, produced, Grants Warrant and authority to the OFFICERS or ATTENDANTS GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM, to receive the Person of the within designed Robert Smellie in terms of the Statutes referred to in the Petition, declaring that Warrant shall be null and void, unless executed within 48 hours.

Dec 30 1844 GLA

Wm Glassford Bell

No. 1911

Glasgow, 31st Dec. 1841.

An Obligation has been granted by Mr James Watt 13 King St Glasgow

for the Board of Mr Robert Spottis *at the rate of* Fifteen Shillings

per Week.

J Harp. Dun Cathcart *Treasurer.*

Admit _____ *as a Patient into the Asylum,*

on production of the Sheriff's Warrant and the Treasurer's Certificate.

_____ *Physician.*

To the Officers of the
GLASGOW ROYAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

21. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to commit any act of self-violence? if so, by what means?	
22. Has the Patient ever threatened or attempted to injure others? if so, in what manner?	
23. Is the Patient disposed to tear clothes, break windows or furniture, or be otherwise mischievous?	
24. What has been done for the recovery of the Patient, and with what effect?	
25. Has the Patient ever been in any Asylum, public or private? if so, state how often and how long on each occasion; also, in what state the Patient was dismissed; and if not cured, for what reason removed.	One about 4 years ago. His brother in the Royal Lunatic Asylum Glasgow

(*Signed*)

* Nos. 3, 6, 11, and 12, may be answered in a separate note, and sent, sealed, to the Physician.