

## **Sheriff's Warrants**

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

We, James 5<sup>th</sup> 1853  
Physicians or Surgeons, in Carlisle  
have this day carefully and personally examined Thomas Grindal in the Parish of Stilton  
and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.  
William Carrick

The Medical Practitioner granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own  
Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.  
If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be  
obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of Joseph Grindal Senr. and Joseph Grindal Junr

Humbly Sheweth,  
That Thomas Grindal the  
Petitioner's William Carrick is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by  
and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Orichton Royal Institution for  
Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named Thomas Grindal  
as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.  
I do hereby certify on soul and conscience Joseph Grindal  
that Thomas Grindal is in a state of Lunacy.  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]  
I do hereby certify, James Fitcher M.D.  
DUMFRIES, Orichton Royal Institution 13 January 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.  
Dumfries 14 Jan<sup>y</sup> 1853 Wm. Goldie





William  
Surgren  
Carlisle



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Thos. Hunt  
for  
Mrs. Gunkle  
July 1853

LETTER OF APPLICATION  
BY THE  
INSPECTOR OF POOR OF THE PARISH TO WHICH THE PATIENT BELONGS,  
OR BY A RELATIVE OR GUARDIAN.

*To the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, Dumfries.*

GENTLEMEN,

*Sanguhar 31 Janry 1853.*

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Wm Kay & J. Wood* Physicians or Surgeons, in the Parish of *Sanguhar* and County of *Dumfries* that *John Seaton* has been for *several years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Southern Counties' Asylum for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution at the prescribed rate of Board.

*for Robert Newall, Inspector of poor  
parish of Sanguhar  
Wm Wood, Insp of Sanguhar*

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 or she 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.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

*Sanguhar 31<sup>st</sup> Janry 1853*

WE, *Wm Kay & J. Wood* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Sanguhar* have carefully and personally examined *John Seaton* in the Parish of *Sanguhar* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Southern Counties Asylum 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 1853*  
*William Kay Surgeon*  
*James Wood Surgeon*  
*That John Seaton is in a state of Lunacy*

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SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of Robert Newall, Inspector of Poor, for the  
Parish of Symon

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Skaton a Pauper of the Parish  
of Symon is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Drs Kay and  
McLeod and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
John Skaton as a Patient in the Crichton Royal Southern  
Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, 3 Feb 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

for Robt Newall Insp of Symon  
W. Bebbond Insp of Glasgow  
W. Goldie

3 Feb 1853

John Skaton  
for  
Shewell's House  
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# LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

INSPECTOR OF POOR OF THE PARISH TO WHICH THE PATIENT BELONGS,  
OR BY A RELATIVE OR GUARDIAN.

To the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, Dumfries.

GENTLEMEN,

Haugh of Urr 8<sup>th</sup> February 1853

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by James Lorrie Physicians or Surgeons, in the Parish of Urr and County of Kirkcudbright that Mary McMillan has been for some time past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Southern Counties' Asylum for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution at the prescribed rate of Board.

John Lowden Inspector of  
Poor for the Parish of Urr

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 or she 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.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Dalbeattie 26<sup>th</sup> February 1853

WE, James Lorrie Physicians or Surgeons, in Dalbeattie have carefully and personally examined Mary McMillan in the Parish of Urr and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Southern Counties Asylum 9 Feb 1853 James Lorrie Surgeon  
Testify upon soul & conscience that  
Mary McMillan is in a state of Insanity W. F. Browne M.D.

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

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SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of John Lowden Inspector of Poor for the Parish  
of Urr.

Humbly Sheweth,

That Mary McMillan a Pauper of the Parish  
of Urr is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by James Bowie  
Surgeon and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Mary McMillan as a Patient in the Crichton Royal Southern  
Counties Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

John Lowden Inspr. Urr

DUMFRIES, 10 Feb'y 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Archibald

10 Feb'y 1853

Mary McMillan  
Sheriff's Warrant

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

INSPECTOR OF POOR OF THE PARISH TO WHICH THE PATIENT BELONGS,  
OR BY A RELATIVE OR GUARDIAN.

To the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, Dumfries.

*Irvine 12<sup>th</sup> February 1853*

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *William W. Gray & Robert Craig* Physicians or Surgeons, in the Parish of *Irvine and Kilsinning* and County of *Ayr* that *Sean Campbell* has been for *About 10 years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *she* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Southern Counties' Asylum for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution at the prescribed rate of Board.

*Robt Fullerton*  
*Inspector of Poor*

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 or she 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.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

*Irvine 10<sup>th</sup> February 1853*

WE, *William W. Gray & Robert Craig* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Irvine and Kilsinning* have carefully and personally examined *Sean Campbell* in the Parish of *Kilsinning* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Southern Counties Asylum 14<sup>th</sup> Feb 1853.*  
*I certify upon soul & conscience that*  
*Sean Campbell is in a state of Lunacy & not insane.*  
*Wm W Gray Surgeon Irvine*  
*Robt Craig Surgeon Kilsinning*

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

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SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of Rob Fullerton Inspector of Poor for the  
Parish of Irvine

Humbly Sheweth,

That Sean Campbell a Pauper of the Parish  
of Irvine is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by William W. Gray  
Irvine, and Robert Craig, Believinging and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Sean Campbell as a Patient in the Crichton Royal Southern  
Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Rob Fullerton Insp. of poor

DUMFRIES, 15 Feb 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

W. W. Gray

15 Feb 1853  
Sean Campbell  
for  
Rob Fullerton  
1853



# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

*Francis Arton M.D.* *21<sup>st</sup> day of February* 1853  
 We, *Peter William Leather and* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Liverpool*  
 have this day carefully and personally examined *George Radcliffe* in the Parish of *Liverpool*  
 and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
 Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Crichton Institution - 22 Feb 1853*  
*Satisfy upon soul & conscience that*  
*Mr George Radcliffe is mad & insane*  
*Francis Arton M.D.* *Surgeon to the Asylum and Lunatic Hospital*  
 The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own  
 Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.  
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# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be  
 obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of *John Radcliffe of Liverpool in the County*  
*of Lancaster Attorney*

Humbly Sheweth,

That *George Radcliffe* the

Petitioner's *Brother* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by

and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the *Crichton Royal Institution for*  
*Lunatics at Dumfries*, for the reception of the before-named *George Radcliffe*  
 as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

*John Radcliffe*  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, *23 Feb 1853*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved:

*Wm. Wallace*



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George Handel  
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Stewarton 25<sup>th</sup> Feby 1853

We the undersigned having examined  
professionally, Isabella Hart do on soul  
and conscience certify that she is  
of unsound mind and a fit  
subject for confinement in a Lunatic  
Asylum

Southern Counties Asylum  
1 March 1853.

Certify upon soul & conscience  
that Isabella Hart is in  
a state of Lunacy

John Caskie Surgeon

Wm. Ferguson M.D.

Wm. Brane 1853

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that Society.

subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of James Menzies Inspector of Poor Dundonald

Humbly Sheweth,

That Isabella Hart a Pauper of the Parish  
of Dundonald is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by J. Caskie  
J. Ferguson and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Isabella Hart as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

James Menzies  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 2 March 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Liddle



### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

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We \_\_\_\_\_ Physicians or Surgeons, in \_\_\_\_\_  
have carefully and personally examined \_\_\_\_\_ in the Parish of \_\_\_\_\_  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief \_\_\_\_\_ is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

### SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of James Menzies Inspector of Poor Dundonald

Humbly Sheweth,

That Isabel Menzies a Pauper of the Parish  
of Dundonald is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by D. Parker  
J. Ferguson and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Isabel Menzies as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

James Menzies  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 2 March 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Lofthouse

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 Messrs Warrant  
 Sir  
 Laetie Hart  
 2 March 1853

and we do hereby certify that to the best of our knowledge and belief \_\_\_\_\_ is in a state of insanity, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on oath and conscience.

THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES, COLLEGE PARK, MARYLAND 20740-6001

the following edition of a New York may be obtained from the Special as required by Act of March 3, 1879:



# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

We, the undersigned Physicians & Surgeons, in County of West  
have this day carefully and personally examined William Toward in the Parish of Whiffham  
and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Crichton Institution 30 April 1853.

I certify upon soul & conscience that  
Mr William Toward is in a state of Insanity

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own  
Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.  
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William Cap & Sons

Edwards M.R.C.S

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obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of Andrew Toward Steward at Barton Farm

Osborne Isles of Wights Hants.

Humbly Sheweth,

That William Toward the

Petitioner's eldest son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by William Cap Esq.

and John Davids Esq. Surgeons, Cowes and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for  
Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named William Toward  
as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

And<sup>rs</sup> Toward  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 2 May 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Colclough

[illegible]

2 May 1853

Dr. William Jewell

*for*



# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

*Southern Counties Asylum 17 May 1853*  
*Certify upon soul & conscience that Mary Gordon*  
*is now stated of Kirkcubright 11 May 1853*

WE *John Stuart & David Blair* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Kirkcubright*  
 have carefully and personally examined *Mary Gordon* in the Parish of *Kirkcubright*  
 and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of *lunacy*, and a proper object for  
 admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

+ The form of lunacy seems to be of the character of  
 of monomania, composed principally of melancholia & *David Blair Surgeon*  
 Hypochondriasis.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of *James Thomson Inspector of Poor*  
*for the Parish of Kirkcubright*

Humbly Sheweth,

That *Mary Gordon* a Pauper of the Parish  
 of *Kirkcubright* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *John Stuart*  
*and David Blair* and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
 Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
*Mary Gordon* as a patient in the department of that  
 Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
 the Rules and Regulations of the same

According to Justice, &

*James Thomson Insp. of Poor.*  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, *17 May 1853* The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

*W. Gordon*





# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

WE Wm Jackson & G Evans Physicians or Surgeons, in Pewithe & Carlisle  
have carefully and personally examined John Sibbald in the Parish of Pewithe  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief John Sibbald is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Wm Jackson M.D. Pewithe  
Gustavus Evans M.D. Carlisle

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of

Robert Sibbald Sheriff 1 Abbey St. Carlisle

Humbly Sheweth,

That

of

John Sibbald a Resident of the Parish  
Pewithe is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Wm Jackson M.D.  
and G. Evans, M.D. and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
John Sibbald as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Wm Sibbald  
[TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 25 May 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm Sibbald

Southern Counties Asylum 24. May 1853  
I certify upon and have sworn that  
John Sibbald is in a state of lunacy  
Wm Jackson

...the Southern Counties, N. York, on the ...

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John A. Smith

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### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

Upper Main 15 July 1853

~~We~~ Wm. Edgar Surgeon Physicians or Surgeons, in Annandale  
have carefully and personally examined John Robson in the Parish of Summiton  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of ~~our~~ knowledge and belief he is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This ~~we~~ certify on soul and conscience.

Southern Counties Asylum 15 July 1853.

I certify upon soul & conscience.

That John Robson

Wm. Edgar Surgeon

is in a state of Lunacy

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of Robert Robson of Upper Main of Summiton

Humbly Sheweth, that John Robson

That John Robson of the Parish

of Summiton is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by William Edgar  
Surgeon Annandale and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
John Robson as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Robert Robson  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 19 July 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Giddie

L. 319  
Sheriff Warrant  
For  
John Hobson  
19 July 1853



# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

WE, James M. Watson & Co.

Physicians or Surgeons, in

Dumfries

have this day carefully and personally examined Mr. John Griffin Dalzell in the Parish of Timewater and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Charles Institution 22 July 1853 James M. Watson M.D. &c.  
certify upon and I concur that  
Mr John Dalzell is in a state of Lunacy  
W. F. Brown M.D.

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place, and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:-

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of

Thomas Lind, Carewark Place, Leith

Humbly Sheweth,

That

John Griffin Dalzell

the

Petitioner's brother in law is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by

and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named John Griffin Dalzell as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Thomas Lind  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 22 July 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Dalzell

The following is a list of the names of the persons who have been appointed to the various committees of the Board of Directors of the City of New York, for the year 1901.

22 July 1853

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

WE James Little Physicians or Surgeons, in Kirkton  
have carefully and personally examined James Wilson in the Parish of Kirkmahoe  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Southern Counties Asylum 25 July 1853. James Little, Surgeon  
Society upon soul & conscience that  
James Wilson is in a state of Melancholia W.D. Brownell

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

## SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Substitute,

The Petition of George Douglas, Minister, Inspector of Poor for the Parish

of Kirkmahoe  
Humbly Sheweth,

That James Wilson, or McNaught a Pauper of the Parish  
of Kirkmahoe is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Mr. James Little Surgeon  
Kirkton, Kirkmahoe and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
James Wilson or McNaught as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Geo. Douglas  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 26 July 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Watson





# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

Whitehaven August 7 1853

We, John Thompson & Andrew Fisher Physicians or Surgeons, in Whitehaven  
 have this day carefully and personally examined Joseph Askew in the Parish of St Bees  
 and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
 Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Quelton Institution 18 Aug. 1853 John Thompson M.D.  
Andrew Fisher M.D.  
 I certify upon soul & conscience that Mr Joseph Askew is a mad man.

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of

Humbly Sheweth,

That

Petitioner's

is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by

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and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Madison Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named Joseph Askew as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES,

17 August 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Scott





# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

*Paisley 15<sup>th</sup> August 1853*

We *James Hutchison & Hugh W. Patison* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Paisley and Renfrew*  
have carefully and personally examined *Robert King* in the Parish of *Abhey, Paisley,*  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*I certify on soul and conscience that Robert King is in a state of Lunacy 1853*  
*James Hutchison Surgeon*  
*Hugh Wallace Patison, Surgeon*  
*Edinburgh Royal Institution 17 Aug James Gilmartin M.D.*  
The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their  
own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or  
she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must sub-  
scribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of *John Stewart, Inspector of Poor, Parish of*  
*Renfrew, County of Renfrew*

Humbly Sheweth,

That *Robert King* a Pauper of the Parish  
of *Renfrew* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *M<sup>r</sup> James*  
*Hutchison & Hugh Wallace Patison* and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
*Robert King* as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

*John Stewart*  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, *22 Aug 1853*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

*James Gilmartin*

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

Paisley 15<sup>th</sup> August 1853

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WE James Hutchison & Hugh W. Paterson Physicians or Surgeons, in Paisley and Renfrew  
have carefully and personally examined Malcolm McCallum in the Parish of Abby. Paisley  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*I certify on soul and conscience that*  
Malcolm McCallum is in a state of lunacy James Hutchison, Surgeon,  
Crichton Royal Institution 1<sup>st</sup> Aug. 1853 James Gilchrist, M.D.,  
James Wallace Paterson, Surgeon,  
The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their  
own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or  
she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must sub-  
scribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of John Stewart, Inspector of poor Parish of  
Renfrew County of Renfrew

Humbly Sheweth,

That Malcolm McCallum a Pauper of the Parish  
of Renfrew is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by James  
Hutchison & Hugh Wallace Paterson and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Malcolm McCallum as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

John Stewart  
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DUMFRIES, 22 Aug. 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

Paisley 15<sup>th</sup> August 1853

WE James Hutchison & Hugh W. Patison Physicians or Surgeons, in Paisley & Renfrew  
have carefully and personally examined Alexander Gunning in the Parish of Abhey, Paisley,  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*I certify on soul and conscience that Alexander Gunning is in a state of lunacy*  
*Paisley 23 Gaugy side St James Hutchison Surgeon*  
*17 Aug 1853 Hugh Wallace Patison, Surgeon*  
*Crichton Royal Institution James Giehrich M.D.*

The Medical Practitioner granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Substitute,

The Petition of John Stewart, Inspector of Poor  
of Renfrew County of Renfrew

Humbly Sheweth,

That Alexander Gunning a Pauper of the Parish  
of Renfrew is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Mr James  
Hutchison & Hugh W. Patison and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Alexander Gunning as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

John Stewart,  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 22 Aug 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Galloway





# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

Dumfries 30 August 1853  
~~Wm. Walker~~ 1853

We, Nicholas Blacklock Physicians or Surgeons, in Dumfries  
 have this day carefully and personally examined Mrs Agnes Walker in the Parish of Dumfries  
 and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief She is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
 Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Crichton Institution 5 Sept 1853 Nich. Blacklock, Surgeon  
 I certify upon oath & conscience that  
Mrs Agnes Walker is in a state of mental derangement  
 The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own  
 Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.  
 If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be  
 obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,  
 The Petition of David Ramsay Mackintosh Schernock

Humbly Sheweth,  
 That Mrs Agnes Walker the  
 Petitioner's Sister is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Nich. Blacklock  
Dumfries and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for  
 Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named Mrs Agnes Walker  
 as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

David Ramsay  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 5 Sept 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Walker





# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

We, J. Francis & Co. Esqrs. Physicians or Surgeons, in Dumfries  
have this day carefully and personally examined Henry Williamson in the Parish of St. Nicholas  
and we do hereby certify, that to the best of <sup>my</sup> knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Crichton Institution 15. Sept 1853  
I certify upon soul & conscience that  
Mr. Henry Williamson is in a state of Lunacy  
The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own  
Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.  
If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be  
obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of Mrs Mary Craigie Williamson residing at  
239 Union Street of Aberdeen

Humbly Sheweth,

That Henry Williamson the  
Petitioner's son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by J. Francis  
Esqrs. Physicians in Aberdeen and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for  
Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Aberdeen  
August 1853.  
15th Sept:

DUMFRIES, 16 Sept 1853

M. Williamson  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. G. G. G.

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CHIEF'S WARRANT

16/11/1853

Henry Richardson

Chief's Warrant

16/11/1853

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

We the undersigned Nov 14 1853  
Physicians or Surgeons, in Stirkcudbright  
have carefully and personally examined Mary Doud in the Parish of Stirkcudbright  
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

David Blair Surgeon  
Arch R. Campbell Surgeon

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

## SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of James Thomson  
Inspector of Poor for the Parish of Stirkcudbright.

Humbly Sheweth,

That Mary Doud a Pauper of the Parish  
of Stirkcudbright is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by David Blair and Arch R. Campbell  
and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Mary Doud as a patient in the department of that  
Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

James Thomson  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 16 November 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

James Thomson





# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

*Alexander Mackintosh M.D.* *Part name, Glasgow, 17 November 1853.*  
 We *John L. Stewart M.D.* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Glasgow*  
 have carefully and personally examined *Elizabeth Gourlay* in the Parish of *Govan*  
 and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for

admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Southern Counties Asylum 17 Nov. 1853.*  
*I certify upon soul & conscience that*  
*Elizabeth Gourlay is in a state of Lunacy*  
*W. F. Brown M.D.* *Mackintosh M.D.*  
*J. L. Stewart M.D.*

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of *James Thomson, Inspector of Poor*  
*for the Parish of Kirkcubright*

Humbly Sheweth,

That *Elizabeth Gourlay* a Pauper of the Parish  
 of *Kirkcubright* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *D<sup>r</sup> Mackintosh*  
*and Stewart* and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
 Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
*Elizabeth Gourlay* as a patient in the department of that  
 Institution, called the Southern Counties Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
 the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

*James Thomson*  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, *21 Nov 1853*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

*Wm. S. S. S.*

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)

We, Robert Lorimer, M.D. Physicians or Surgeons, in Haddington  
have this day carefully and personally examined Dr. Patrick Home in the Parish of Haddington  
and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.  
Crichton Institution 1 Dec 1853 Robert Lorimer, M.D. Edin. 1853.  
I certify upon solemn oaths, that  
Dr Patrick Home is an ascertained lunatic  
Wm J. Brown did  
The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own  
Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.  
If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be  
obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,  
The Petition of The Rev. Abraham Home of Gushgreen, Eyemouth,  
Perthshire  
Humbly Sheweth,  
That Dr. Patrick Home the  
Petitioner's son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Robert  
Lorimer, M.D. - Haddington and the Petitioner therefore  
Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton Royal Institution for  
Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named Dr. Patrick Home  
as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.  
According to Justice, &c.  
Wm J. Home  
[APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 21 Decemr 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm J. Home

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

*Ochilston Institution* (To be granted within Seven Days previous to the date of the Sheriff's Warrant.)  
*Dumfries 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 1853*  
 I certify upon soul & conscience, that the *Rev. J. Beaton* is in a state of insanity, *December 6<sup>th</sup> 1853*  
 We, *Edmund Smith* Physicians or Surgeons, in *Sheffield*  
 have this day carefully and personally examined *Thomas Beaton* in the Parish of *Swinton near Rotherham*  
 and we do hereby certify, that to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a  
 Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Edmund Smith M.D. C.S. Sheffield*  
*Dumfries 7<sup>th</sup> Decr 1853. James Griew M.D.*

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament :-

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE SHERIFF OF DUMFRIES-SHIRE AND HIS SUBSTITUTE,

The Petition of *William Beaton Esq. of Rotherham*  
*Yorkshire*

Humbly Sheweth,  
 That *Thomas Beaton* the  
 Petitioner's *Cousin* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *Mr Beaton*  
*Smith* and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees and Directors of the Oriclston Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named *Thomas Beaton*  
 as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

*William Beaton Esq*  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, *8 Decr 1853*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

*Robt Murray*

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# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(To be granted within Seven Days previous to the Sheriff's Warrant.)

At Dumfries 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 1853  
 We John McLannahan Physicians or Surgeons, in the Parishes of Dalrymple & Wemyss  
 have carefully and personally examined Agnes Wilson in the Parish of Dalrymple  
 and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of lunacy, and a proper object for  
 admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Southern Counties Asylum 27 Dec 1853*  
*I certify upon soul & conscience that*  
*Agnes Wilson is in a state of melancholia*

*John McLannahan Surgeon &c*  
*Wm Wilson M.D.*

The Medical Practitioners granting this Certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides. If the Practitioner be a member of the Society of Friends, let him use the form of affirmation adopted by that Society.

# SHERIFF'S WARRANT.

BEFORE any Patient can be admitted, a Relation or Guardian of the Patient, or Inspector of the Poor, must subscribe the following Petition, that a Warrant may be obtained from the Sheriff, as required by Act of Parliament:—

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,

The Petition of William Hood, Inspector of Poor

Humbly Sheweth,

That Agnes Wilson a Pauper of the Parish  
 of Beccartown is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by John  
McLannahan, Surgeon and the Petitioner therefore

Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority to the Trustees and Directors of the Crichton  
 Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named  
Agnes Wilson as a patient in the department of that  
 Institution, called the Southern Counties' Asylum, on the Petitioner's complying with  
 the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

William Hood Inspr  
 [APPLICANT TO SIGN HERE.]

DUMFRIES, 28 Decemr 1853

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

*Wm Hood Inspr*  
*John D. Smith Esq*

# LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY THE INSPECTOR OF POOR, OR BY A RELATIVE OR GUARDIAN.

*John Wilson*