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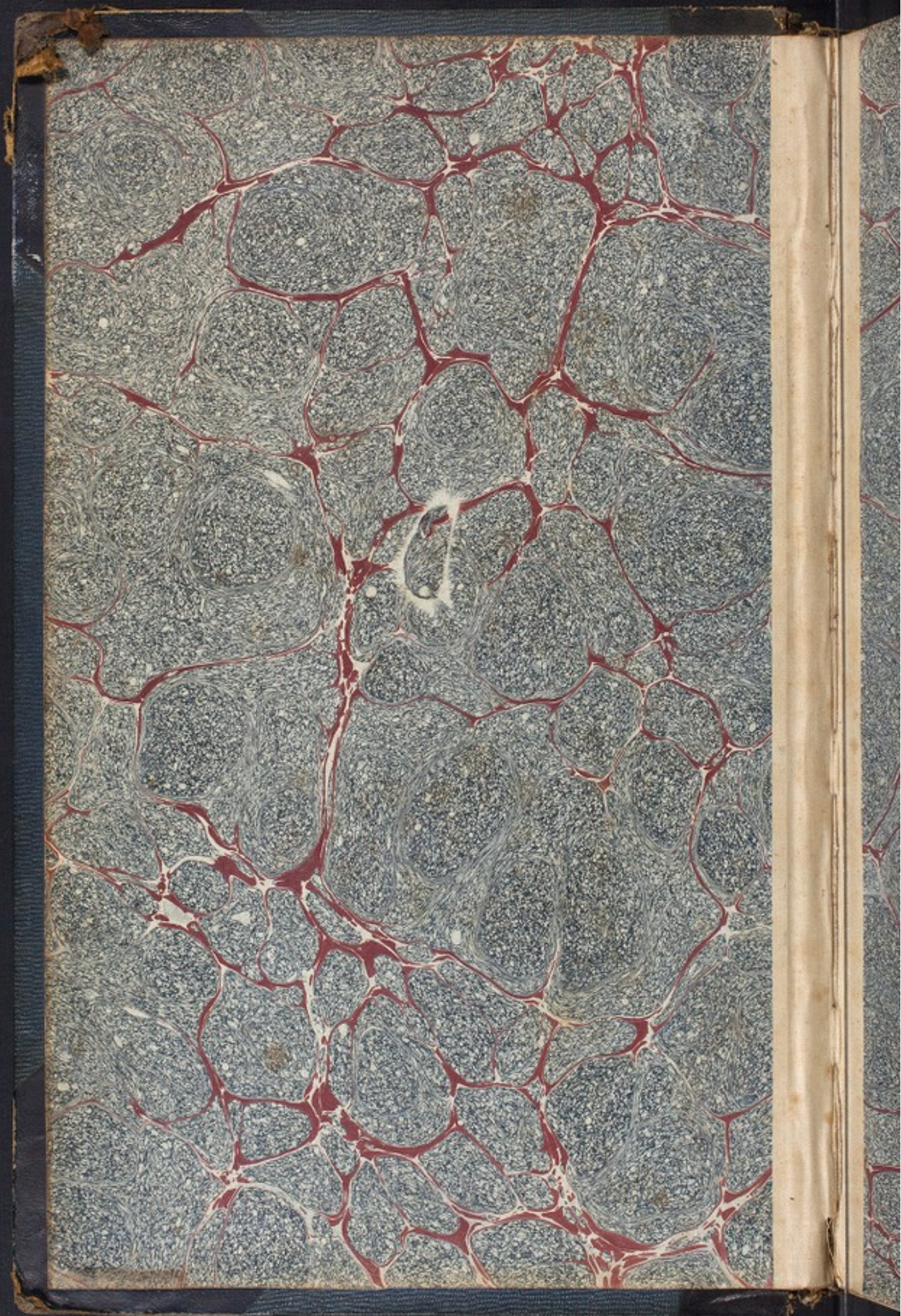
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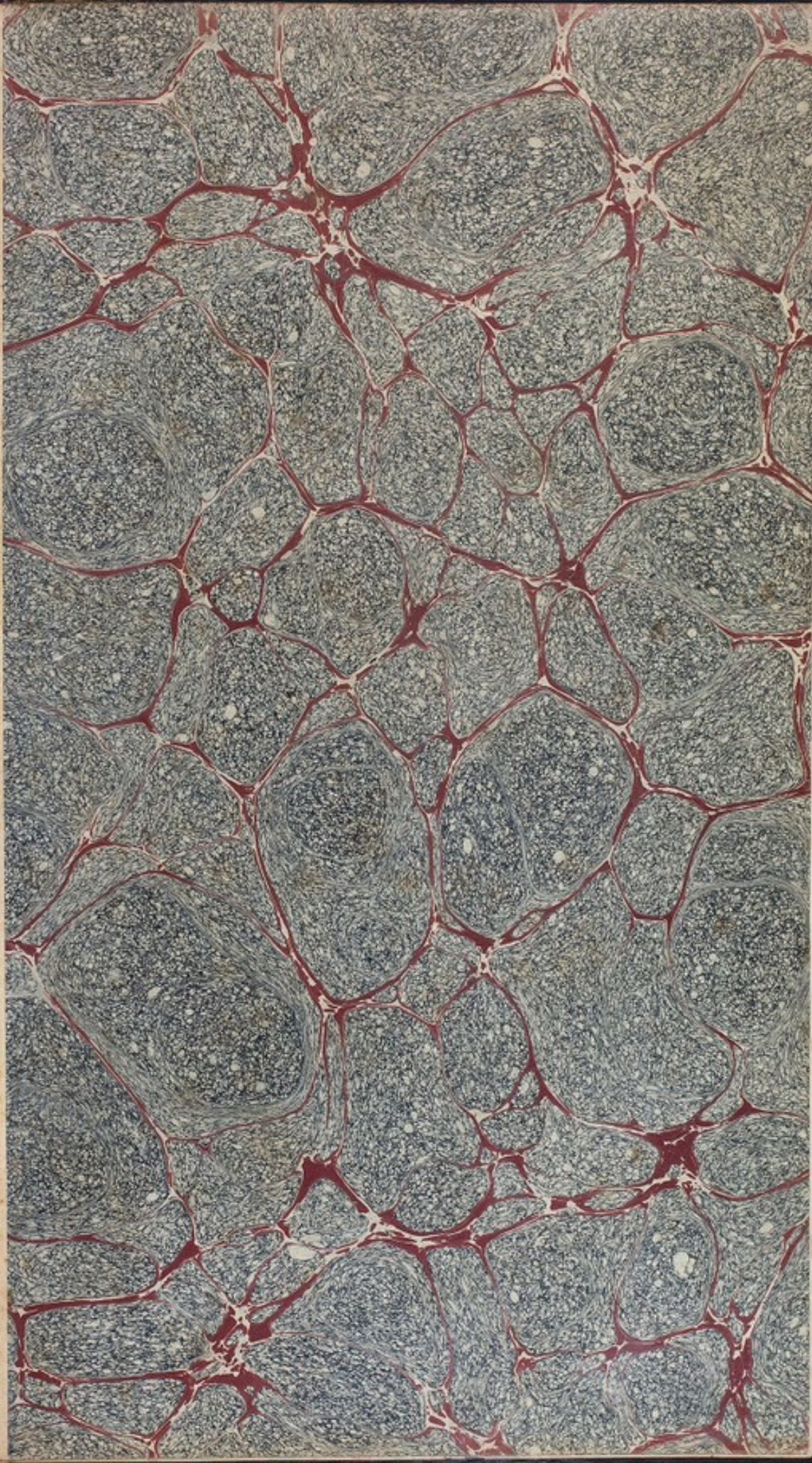


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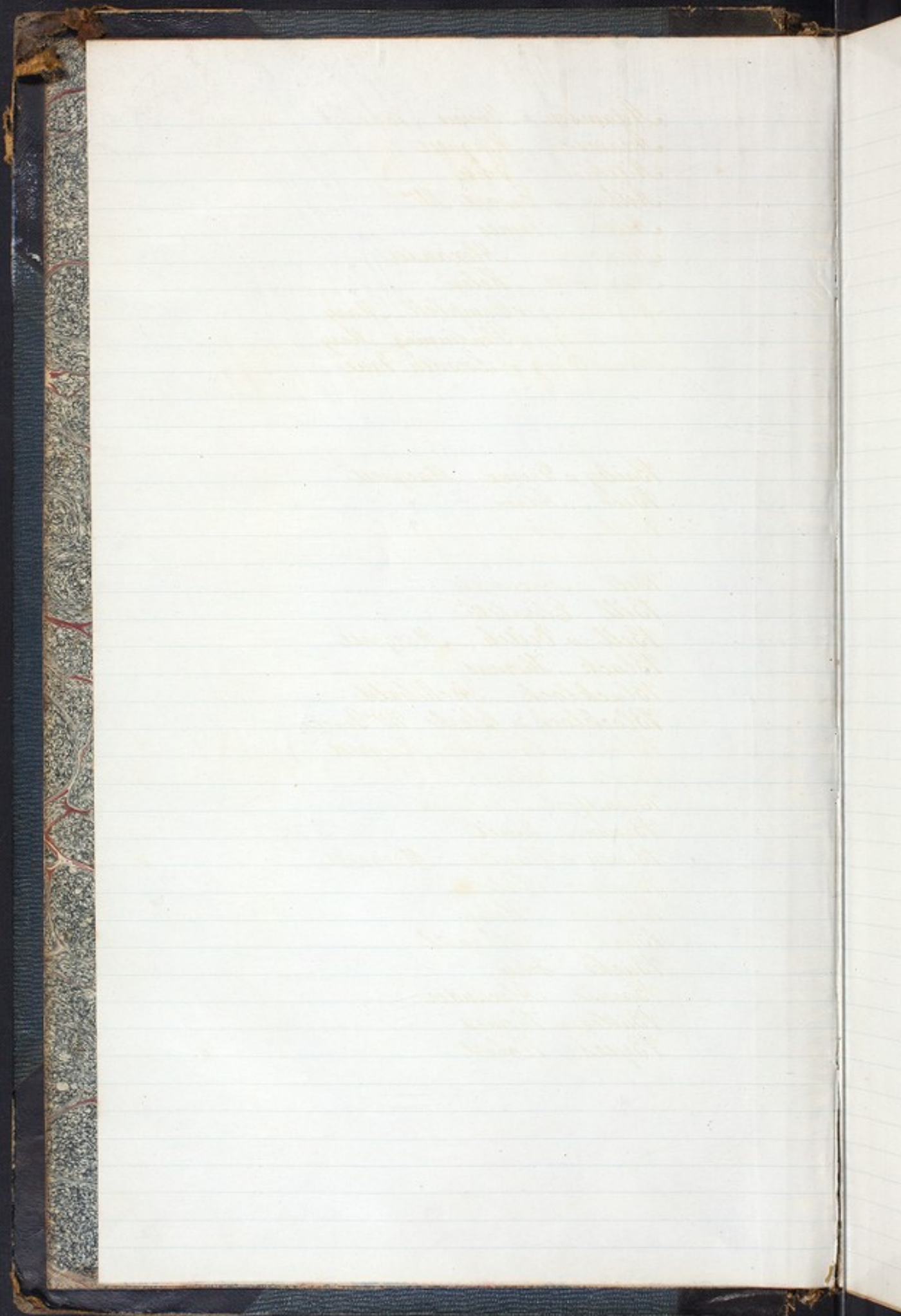
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Adamson & Morine - Jane	109	✓
Adamson - Margaret	445	✓
Aitchison - John	365	✓
Aitken or Ewart M ^r	209	✓
Aitken - James	337	✓
Anderson - Alexander	377	✓
Anderson - Helen	345	✓
Armstrong or Campbell - Mary	115 - 351	✓
Armstrong or Glendinning - Mary	313	✓
Armstrong or Lowden - Jane	245	✓

Bailey & Divine - Margaret	177	✓
Beck - Adam	145	✓
Beck - John	459	✓
Beck - Robert	443	✓
Bell - Alexander	167	✓
Bell - Elizabeth	211	✓
Bell or Oetich - Margaret	133 - 407	✓
Black - Thomas	37	✓
Blacklock - Archibald	71	✓
Blacklock or Clarke - M ^r Grace	159	✓
Blain or Lamont - Margaret	173	✓
Boyle - William	283	✓
Broadfoot - William	301	✓
Brown - Janet	253	✓
Brown or Hunter - Margaret	207	✓
Bydges - Rebecca	5	✓
Bryson - Helen	85	✓
Buckby - Nathaniel	419	✓
Burke - John	255	✓
Burnie - Alexander	189 - 365	✓
Butler - Thomas	13	✓
Byers - Robert	59	✓

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Campbell & Armstrong - Mary	115 - 351	✓
Campbell - Bernard	193	✓
Campbell - William	429	✓
Candlish or Geddes - Janet	357	✓
Charters - John	19	✓
Charters - John Napier	371	✓
Clarks & Blacklock - W. Grace	159	✓
Clarks - John	199	✓
Clark - William	405	✓
Collins or Wells - Margaret	89	
Cook & Haining - Jane	47	
Bolthart - James	161 - 393	✓
Cooper - Mary	349	✓
Cormont - William	247	✓
Coway - Nancy	293	✓
Copland & M. Nae - Janet	343	
Coulthart - Robert	1	✓
Coupland & W. Gowen - Helen	457	
Craig & Sinclair - Margaret	453	
Craig - Janet	281	✓
Breighton - Jane	11	✓
Currie - David	65	✓
Currie - James	347	✓
Corrie & Murdock - Helen	97	HM ✓
Crocket - Robert	239	✓
Davidson - Eliza	353	✓
Davidson - Elizabeth	449	✓
Davis or Lorence - Eliza	265	✓
Deans - Grace	165	✓
Dewar - Janet	309	✓
Dinwoodie - Agnes	235	✓
Dinwoodie - John	179 - 439.	✓
Divine or Bailey - Margaret	177	✓
Doak - Joan	379	✓
Dobie - Janet	329	✓
Docherty - Joan	423	✓
Douglas - Mary	141	✓
Douglas - Thomas	421	✓
Drummond - John	425	✓
Duncan - Catherine	35	✓

<i>Elliot or Post - Ann</i>	<i>197</i>	✓
<i>Ellis or Reid - Sarah</i>	<i>333</i>	✓
<i>Ewart or Aitken - W.^r</i>	<i>209</i>	✓
<i>Ewart - David</i>	<i>367</i>	✓

<i>Ferguson or Gass - Elizabeth</i>	<i>183</i>	✓
<i>Ferguson - Isabella</i>	<i>397</i>	✓
<i>Flyn or Hoyland - Catherine</i>	<i>99</i>	✓

<i>Gass or Ferguson - Elizabeth</i>	<i>183</i>	✓
<i>Geddes or Candlish - Janet</i>	<i>357</i>	✓
<i>Geddes - Robert</i>	<i>23</i>	✓
<i>Gibson - John</i>	<i>107</i>	✓
<i>Gibson - John</i>	<i>465</i>	✓
<i>Gibson or Murdoch - Elizabeth</i>	<i>27</i>	✓
<i>Gifford - Mary Ann</i>	<i>103</i>	✓
<i>Gilchrist - Alexander</i>	<i>135</i>	✓
<i>Givan - George</i>	<i>271</i>	✓
<i>Glen - John</i>	<i>119</i>	✓
<i>Glendinning or Armstrong - Mary</i>	<i>313</i>	✓
<i>Gordon - Agnes</i>	<i>427</i>	✓
<i>Gordon or Patterson - Agnes</i>	<i>251</i>	✓
<i>Gordon - Janet</i>	<i>77</i>	✓
<i>Gordon or Muir - Marion</i>	<i>217</i>	✓
<i>Gordon - Mary</i>	<i>205</i>	✓
<i>Gordon - Thomas</i>	<i>201 - 321.</i>	✓
<i>Graham - James</i>	<i>303</i>	✓
<i>Graham - Sarah</i>	<i>328</i>	✓
<i>Greenlees - Alexander</i>	<i>305</i>	✓

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Haining - Alexander	311	✓
Haining or Cook - Isaac	47	✓
Hamilton - M ^r . Jean	373	✓
Hannah - Lockhart	79	✓
Hannah - William	111	✓
Harkness - David	385	✓
Harkness - Thomas	451	✓
Hastings or Lorimer - Agnes	155	✓
Hastings - Elizabeth	295	✓
Hay - John	409	✓
Herris or Murray - Mary	51	✓
Heughan - M ^r . Ann	55 - 147	✓ ✓
Higgins - Christopher	181	✓
Hogg - David	41	✓
Houston - William	257	✓
Hoyland or Flyn - Catherine	99	✓
Hunter or Browne - Margaret	207	✓
Hunter - James	317	✓
Hunter - Robert	139	✓
Hunter - William	63	✓

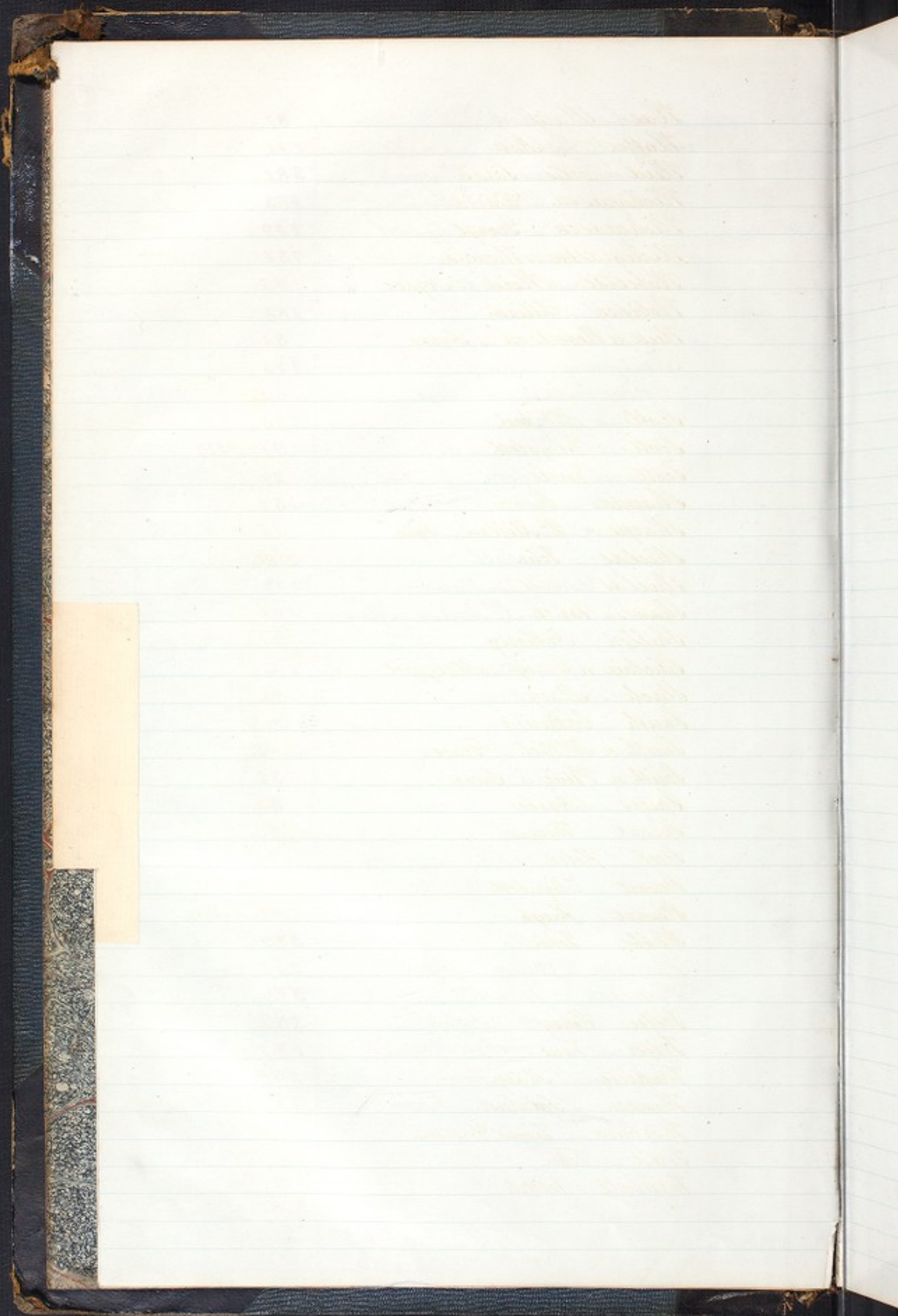
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Jackson - George	401	✓
Jardine or W. Baird - Elizabeth	237	✓
Jardine - John	261	✓
Johnstone - Christopher	43	✓
Johnstone - Robert	21 ^{3/5}	✓
Johnstone - Thomas	411	✓
Kennedy - Isabella	69	✓
Kerr - George	7	✓
Kerr - John	319	✓
Kirkpatrick - James	267	✓
Kirkpatrick - John	309	✓
Kennedy - Elizabeth Koutler	291	✓
Laidlaw or Porteous - Agnes	127	✓
Langton - W. Mary	269	✓
Laurie - William	325	✓
Lavins or Michan Mary	381	✓
Little - Mary	287	✓
Lockie - Henrietta	75	✓
Lorence or Davis - Eliza	265	✓
Lorimer or Hastings - Agnes	155	✓
Lowden or Armstrong - Jane	245	✓

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M ^r Allister - Margaret	219 - 369.	✓
M ^r Caig & Jardine - Elizabeth	237	✓
M ^r Caig - Joseph	33	✓
M ^r Caul - Michael	387	✓
M ^r Coid - Agnes	297	✓
M ^r Coll - William	359	✓
M ^r Colm - Robert	361	✓
M ^r Cormick - Barbara	315	✓
M ^r Dowal - Isabella	153	✓
M ^r Ewen - Robert	113	✓
M ^r Fadian & Milroy - Elizabeth	249	✓
M ^r Gowan & Coupland - Helen	457	✓
M ^r Gie - Hugh	197	✓
M ^r Intee - John	279	✓
M ^r Intosh & M ^r Millan - Mary	461	✓
M ^r Intyre - John	9	✓
M ^r Kavic - Sarah	117	✓
M ^r Kay - William	289	✓
M ^r Kenna - Thomas	441	✓
M ^r Kie & Milligan - Mary	463	✓
M ^r Kinlay - Jane	215	✓
M ^r Lean - John	67	✓
M ^r Lellan - David	73	✓
M ^r Millan - Agnes	195	✓
M ^r Millan & Sharpe - Jane	91	✓
M ^r Minn - Agnes	57	285 ✓
M ^r Minn - James	61	✓
M ^r Nae & Copland - Janet	343	✓
M ^r Neil & Smith - Grace	395	✓
M ^r Keillie - George	221	✓
M ^r Duhal - Alexander	455	✓
M ^r Kavic - Sarah	383	✓
M ^r Whinnie - Jane	151	✓
M ^r Millan & M ^r Intosh - Mary	461	✓

Marshall - Mary	87		✓
Martin - Isabella	241		✓
Michan or Lavinus - Mary	381		✓
Milligan or Mc'He - Mary	463		✓
Mitroy or Mc'Fadcan Elizabeth	249		✓
Mitroy - James	131		✓
Mitchell - Alexander	45		✓
Mitchell - James	185		✓
Mitchellson - Mary	81		✓
Montgomery - Mary	225		✓
Morine or Adamson - Jane	109		✓
Morran - Alexander	123		✓
Murdoch or Corrie - Helen	97 - 417		✓✓
Murdoch or Gibson - Elizabeth	27		✓
Murphie - Henry	431		✓
Murray or Kerris - Mary	51		✓
Murray - Rachael	29		✓
Muir or Gordon - Marion	217		✓
Mackintosh or Mc'Millan - Mary	461		✓
Neubigging - Joan	415		✓
Nicholson - Mary	83		✓
Oliver - Joseph	31	184	✓✓
Oray - Charles	53		✓
Parker - Andrew	101		✓
Pasley - Isabella	339		✓
Patterson or Gordon - Agnes	251		✓
Patterson - Isabella	327		✓
Petrie or Smith - Susan	331		✓
Porteous or Laidlaw - Agnes	127		✓
Post or Elliot - Ann	191		✓
Puntou or Lockhart - Jane	437		✓

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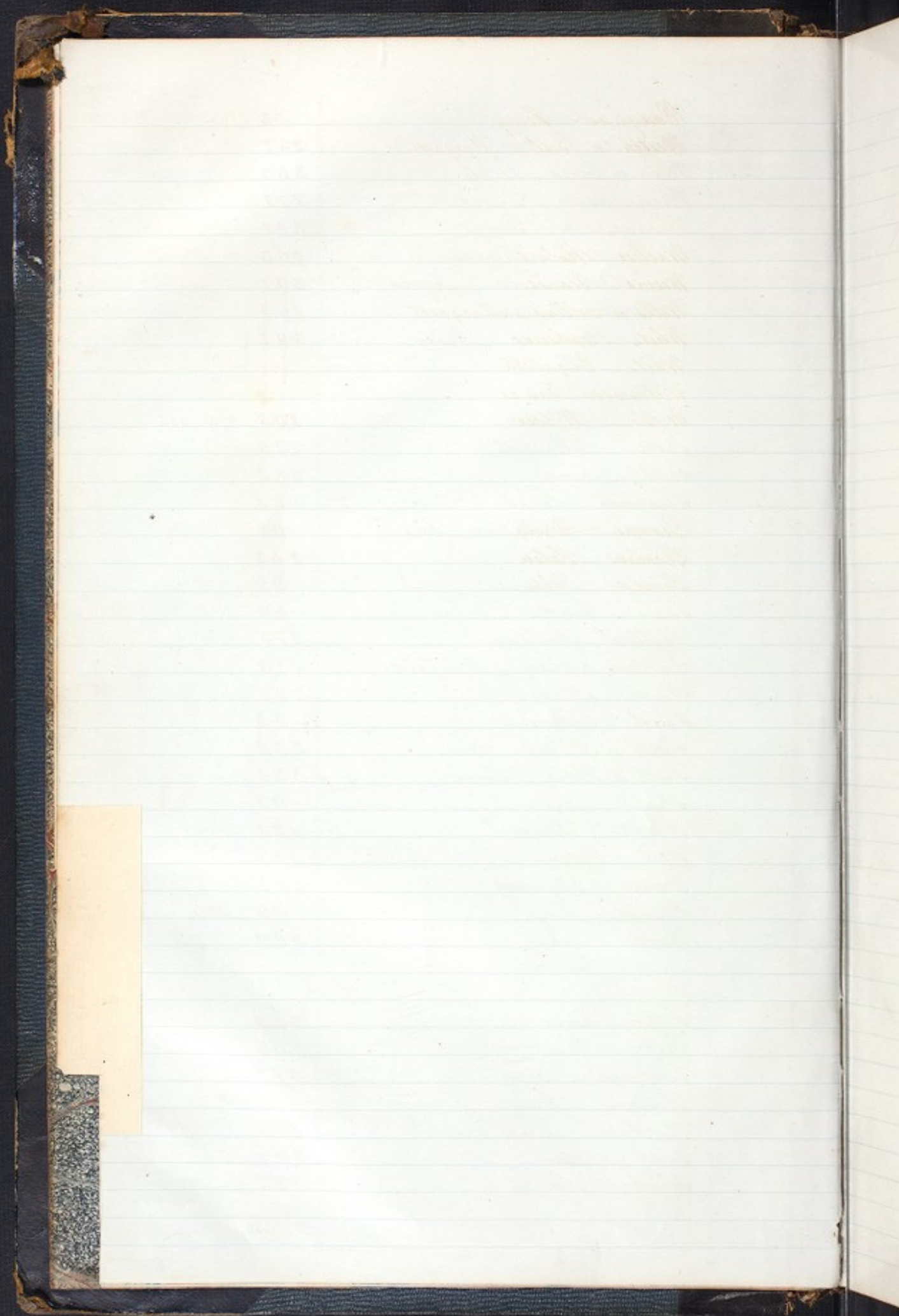


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Rafferty - Ann	231	✓
Reid & Ellis - Sarah	333	✓
Richardson - David	171	✓
Richardson - George	341	✓
Richardson - Thomas	263	✓
Robertson & Reid - Agnes	391	✓
Robison - William	163	✓
Reid & Robertson - Agnes	391	✓

Scott - M ^r Ann	105 - 275 - 355	✓ ✓ ✓
Scott - Elizabeth	229	✓
Scott - James	233	✓
Shannon - Sarah	433	✓
Sharpe & M ^r Millan - Jane	91	✓
Shields - John	243	✓
Shields - William	95	✓
Shaw - Janet	39	✓
Shillon - Anthony	175	✓
Sinclair & Craig - Margaret	453	✓
Slack - Mary	227	✓
Smith - Catherine	93	✓
Smith & M ^r Neil - Grace	395	✓
Smith & Petrie - Susan	331	✓
Spiers - Agnes	403	✓
Sproat - Thomas	121	✓
Steel - Helen	137	✓
Stewart - Elizabeth	307	✓
Stewart - Hugh	49 - 129	✓ ✓
Stubbs - John	389	✓

Telfer - Henry	149	✓
Telfer - Jane	163	✓
Templeton - Mary	447	✓
Thomson - Andrew	413	✓
Thorburn - James Gordoun	169	✓
Todd - John	277	✓
Turnball - Joseph	25	✓

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Vaughan - Henry	157	✓
Veitch or Bell - Margaret	407	133 ✓

Walker - Robert	203	✓
Weims - Jeanie	435	✓
Wells or Collins - Margaret	89	✓
White - Catharine	335	✓
White - Elizabeth	213	✓
Williamson - James	125	259 ✓
Wilson - Robert	223	✓

Yeoman - David	15	✓
Yeoman - Helen	17	✓
Young - John	273	✓

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Number	673 664	Surname	Robert Gaulthart
Date of Admission	9 th December, 1858	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 25	Religion	Presbyterian
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	No. for the first twelve months
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Irish, chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks	One		

December 6, 1858. William Marshall, Buccleuch Street Dumfries, says: He imagines he consumes many articles of food different from those which he has actually partaken of, says it is not necessary for him to work as he is heir to large estates. Inclines to keep in bed all the day &c. (2). His mother states that he sometimes gets angry with her for not giving him food in keeping with his imaginary prospects of independence. Is quite childish in all his sayings and pursuits &c.

November 30, 1858. James M^c Culloch M. D. &c. 38 Castle Street, Dumfries, says: (1) He says he is rich and does not require to work, though the fact is otherwise, lies mostly in bed, is mooping and melancholy, imagines that he eats things different from reality &c. &c. (2). The same, & that he has been full of melancholy and full of delusion for a long time, the delusions various, but principally as above.

26th March 1871. Whether R. G. labours under the above mentioned delusions it is impossible to detect. As he continues most of the talking in a loud voice to himself & never stops unless when he is at food or when he takes his food well, has good health & is daily at work.

12 March 1873. R. G. enjoys good health. His habit of continual talking is very persistent. He is otherwise quiet and at work daily.

12 Decem. 1873. R. G. continues as before to enjoy good health. He eats & sleeps well & his habit of continual talking is the only one which causes any peculiarity in his case.

19th June 1874. R. G.'s condition remains unchanged. He is occasionally very noisy but never violent.

19/3/75. R. G. continues much the same - his noisy talking during

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The night appears to occur every second night, having fair sleep every alternate night.

31/11/75

Three weeks ago whilst sitting at supper R.L. was suddenly seized with violent haematemesis, the blood vomited being semi-coagulated, dark, and mixed with food. This was almost at once arrested on his introduction to an ice cold bath, and having some brandy & water internally. After a few hours interval, however, the vomiting was renewed again and again, and in all more than two ^{blood} pint must have been discharged; patient at last became quite blanched and his pulse was 100 - almost imperceptible. The bleeding was finally checked by Dr. Jones at once after the vomiting ceased the stomach again became distended, ice internally and applied over the pit of the stomach. The interesting point about the case, however, is that while patient has always till now been an inmate of the Cross Alley - so very noisy and clamorous, he is now - though he has almost quite regained strength - actually the quietest and most docile patient in the house.

25/6/76

Patient has lately relapsed into his former noisy, parrot-like, so that his case no longer furnishes a satisfactory argument for bloodletting in the insane: is allowed to do no hand work.

10/12/76

Is much the same condition.

20/4/77

Still very noisy: has again been allowed to go out to work on the farm.

June 6th 81

Has a good deal of posturing waving with his hands soliloquises much.

Feb 16th 82

Much the same.

Oct 9th 82

No change to attend.

March 30th 83

R.L. is much demented: holds no conversation with anyone but himself.

8 Oct. 1883

Case of dementia in which however there is still active brain disease going on - posturing, soliloquise as much as ever.

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Number *674*
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 Date of Admission *16th December, 1858*
 Cause *Grief & solitude*
 Sex & Age *Female. 37*
 Occupation *Housekeeper*
 Marital, single or widowed *Single*
 Irish, chargeable to *None*
 Previous attacks *None*
17th Nov. 1868 Discharged recovered

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Mary Ræ

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1778-1779

Number	675 668	668	Name	Rebecca Brydges
Date of Admission	15 th December, 1858		Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown		Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 51		Religion	
Occupation	House servant		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single		Clean or Dirty	
Birth, changeable to	Johnstone		Result	
Previous attacks	One			

16th May 1859 Removed

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Number	646 669	669	Name	George Herr (of)
Date of Admission	3 rd January, 1859		Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Fever in infancy		Education	
Sex & Age	Male 50		Religion	
Occupation	No occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single		Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dalton		Result	
Previous attacks	None			

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Number	67	Name	John Mc Intyre
Date of Admission	7 th January, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 29	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
British, changeable to	Glasgow	Result	
Previous attacks	One		

1st August 1863 Removed

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Number	678	by Name	Jane Creighton
Date of Admission	31 st January, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Cold	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 60	Religion	
Occupation	Field labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to	Dryfesdale	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	679 672	by Name	Thomas Butler
Date of Admission	2nd February 1839	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Intemperate(?)	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 35	Religion	
Occupation	Railway labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Hills	Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

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24/11/75

Number	680	Name	David Geoman
Date of Admission	14 th February, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 19	Religion	
Occupation	Son of sailor	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Arman.	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

2nd March, 1859. William Ewart, Surgeon, Edwin Street, Arman, says: (1) His general appearance, feeble mental development & peculiarity of looks and actions. (2) Hereditary predisposition on Mother's side is sometimes mischievous and intractable and is there, difficult to manage.

2nd March 1859. James Gilchrist, M.D. Crichton House, says: (1) General mental deficiency from which the patient is unable to regulate and control his actions. (2) Occasionally intractable and obstinate as stated by the attendants.

30th March 1873. The idiotic condition of D. Y.'s mind still remains. He is very excitable often, & could scarcely be kept from attacking other patients in a violent manner & tearing their clothes. He is given to masturbation & other improper practices. He has good health & is duly at work.

2 February 1873. D. Y. enjoys good health. He has periods of acute excitement which last for two or three days in which he is very violent and assaults the attendants, & bites & kicks any who dare to approach him.

12 Decem. 1873. D. Y. has the same peculiarity of excitement as before. His ordinary habits are however those of an idiot. Harmless childlike and he is industrious.

29th June 1874. D. Y. still attacks patients and attendants occasionally when excited. His bodily health continues good.

30/3/75. D. Y. has been since the recent administration of a few showerbaths been very well behaved and in-drections.

30/11/75. In statu quo.

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- 25/6/76 Patient has been rather excited lately: is a more determined worker, and his unfortunate practice has a more delirious effect both on his fingers and mind.
- 10/12/76 In much the same condition.
- 20/6/77 Report has endeavoured to prevent his self-sterilization by the insertion of a silver wire into the prepuce - without much result. Is daily at work.
- June 6th -81 usually quiet: but occasionally comes to blows with the other patients.
- Feb 10th 82 looks with the Curran party.
- Oct. 9th 82 In statu quo.
- March 30th 83 D. J. continues to work: is apt to quarrel with other patients - has little language & is rather shaky on his legs.
- 8 OCT. 1883 D. J. is unimproved since last report.
see new casebook. Vol I 119.

Number	681 144	Name	Helen Yeoman
Date of Admission	11 th February, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 12	Religion	
Occupation	Daughter of sailor	Seizidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Irish pedigreeable to	Annan	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

2nd March
14th Feb 1859.

William Ewart, Surgeon, Edwin Street, Annan, says: (1) Her general appearance, feeble mental development & peculiarity of looks and actions. (2) Hereditary predisposition on mother's side is sometimes mischievous and invariable and is then difficult to manage.

2. March 1859

James Gilchrist M. D. Crichton House, says: General mental deficiency from which the patient is unable to regulate and control her actions. (2) Occasionally irritable as stated by the attendants.

30th March 1872

This idiot of a very mild & harmless kind is often desirous of going work as a servant but she is not able to do any work from her mental incapacity. She is in good health at present

2 March 1873

H. Yeoman enjoys good health. She is orderly in her habits, but she is not able to engage in any employment.

12 December 1873

She suffers from no special disease, has good health. Her condition is as noted above.

27th June 1874

The above-mentioned patient's condition remains unchanged

10/3/75

This patient has for some years become the reputation of being an epileptic, from her hysterical nature and various other indications reported, who has however, only seen her once in fits, is disposed to regard the case as one of hysterical malinprosy.

31/11/75

Report was recently summoned to see H. Y. by the attendant who reported her as taking so severe a series of fits that she became quite alarmed about her; she at

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since ordered patient to get up and in local determined tones addressing the attendant said "if the fits continue she must have a cold shower bath at once": the fits at once ceased & no has reports seen or heard of any kind - that is for two or three months.

25/6/76

There has been but one recurrence of fits, and that was nipped in the bud by a firm reprimand.

10/12/76

No more fits.

20/1/77

Still no more fits & patient having latterly become ~~rather~~ considerably thinner, and her habits considerably less cleanly, she was put on a tonic and restorative regimen, as the result of which she is stouter and in better condition than formerly.

15/10/80

In status epilepticus.

June 6th 81

Patient is very stupid: powers of mind enlarged. Is good natured & does not now take fits.

Feb 10th 82

Remains as above

Oct 9th 82

No change to be noted

March 30th 83

H. J. is apt to strike & quarrel with some of the other patients: she is unable to dress her-
-self or in fact to do anything useful.

8 Oct 1883

H. J. remains as described above.

John Charteris

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 Date of Admission 21st February, 1859
 Cause Intemperance
 Sex & Age Male 53
 Occupation Coachman
 Marital, single or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to Dumfries
 Previous attacks None

by name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

1st August 1859 Removed

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Number	683 676	Name	Robert Johnstone
Date of Admission	22 nd February, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Over work in Australia	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 30	Religion	
Occupation	Surgeon	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
British chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	One		

2nd November 1859 Removed

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Number	685	672 Name	Joseph Turnbull
Date of Admission	1st March, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Male	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal & Dangerous	
Mind, single or double		Class & Duty	
British, chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

1st February, 1859. Robert Wilson Jr. M.D. Surgeon, says: (1). He is generally speaking quiet and docile but at times he is unruly and occasionally even outrageous, and there being no regular arrangements for treating such lunatic patients in the Poor House.

3rd March 1859. The mental condition of J. T. is now in the same condition as stated above. He is morose & irritable & often dangerous. He has good health & is daily at work.

11 March 1873 J. T. suffers from no special disease. He works steadily and enjoys good health. His mental faculties are much impaired & he never makes any inquiries. Though he is able to answer questions readily.

12 December 1873 J. T. makes no progress in his mental state. He works steadily but never asks for any amelioration of his condition.

7th June 1874 J. T. is harmless and industrious. His bodily health is good but there is no improvement in his mental condition.

10/3/75 Quiet and industrious though demented and rather sullen: in good bodily health.

30/11/75 On status pro.

25/6/76 J. T. acts as assistant gatekeeper, and continues apparently contented with his lot and unobtrusive felicity.

10/12/77 No change to record: is very demented, is unable to associate the house in which he resides with its

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name, or to identify the medical officer except as "the gentleman who reads prayers": enjoys uninterruptedly fair bodily health.

20/6/77
June 6th 81
May 20th 82

In State yard.

Is demented: still assists at the Gate
Patient not being very ornamented: has been removed to
the garden: he works well in his own sphere of use-
fulness.

Oct 9th 82
March 30th 83

Is quiet & demented: sometimes soliloquies

Has delusions about some property near (apparently the farm) belonging to him. He continues
quiet and industrious

8 OCT 1883

J. D. remains as described above: he works
industriously.

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Elizabeth Maudslayi Gibson

Number
Date of Admission
Cause
Sex & Age
Occupation
Single, single, or widowed
Whom chargeable to
Previous attacks

7th March 1839
Hereditary
Female 28
Minor's wife
Married
One

Name
Form of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clean or Dirty
Result

13th September 1839 Removed

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Number	687	688	Name	Rachael Murray
Date of Admission	4 th March, 1859		Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Hereditary		Education	
Age	Female 39		Religion	
Occupation	Wife of a Shepherd		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Single, single, or widowed	Married		Clean or Dirty	
Is changeable to			Result	
Previous attacks	None			

5th May 1859 Removed

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Number	688 687	688 Name	Joseph Oliver
Date of Admission	8 th March, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Hereditary	Education	
Sex	Male 26	Religion	
Profession	Artilleryman	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Is he chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

1st August 1859 Removed

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Number	689 682	682	Name	Joseph McLaugh
Date of Admission	10 th March 1859		Form of Mental Disease	
Disease			Education	
Sex & Age	Male 48		Religion	
Occupation	Hostler		Solitary or Dangerous	
Wife, single or widow	Married		Clean or Dirty	
Wife chargeable to	Morton		Result	
Previous attacks	None			

14th Nov 1860 Died

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Number	690 685	483	Name	Catherine Duncan
Date of Admission	12 th March, 1859		Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary		Education	
Sex & Age	Female 29		Religion	
Occupation	Farm servant		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single		Worn or Dirty	
Wish, chargeable to	Morton		Result	
Previous attacks	None			

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22nd Mar

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19th February

18th December

17th June

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Number	691 684	Name	Thomas Black
Date of Admission	23 rd March, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	None known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 40	Religion	
Occupation	Idiot from birth	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital Single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Wish chargeable to	Herb Michael	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

22nd March 1859 William Scott M.D. &c. Dumfries, says: (1) I have known him as an idiot for several years. Delusions, Incoherency. (2) His mother says he is now becoming violent.

1st March 1859 John Chisholm M.D. Buccleuch Street, Dumfries, says: (1) Delusions. Incoherence. Want of mental capacity. (2) Mother informs me that she has no control over him.

3rd March 1871 The idiotic condition of this person is now the same as described above. He is especially fond of adorning his clothes with buttons. His language is rambling & incoherent. He is often very excited. He enjoys fair health & takes exercise in the grounds daily.

February 1873 Thomas Black enjoys good health. He sometimes manifests great violence & has on several occasions inflicted serious injury on other patients. He walks daily in the grounds.

2nd December 1873 T.B. continues as above noted. he is equally prone to dangerous excitement. His general health is good.

2nd June 1874 T. B. has not been dangerously excited for a long time. His bodily health is good.

2/3/75 T. B. died today and of what was diagnosed, and subsequently demonstrated by post mortem examination to be ~~the~~ cancer of the stomach - the pyloric end.

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Number	692 185	68. Name	Janet Shaw
Date of Admission	24 th March, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Unknown	Education	
Age	Female. 60	Religion	
Occupation	Tailors wife	Subacute or Dangerous	
Married single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Is she chargeable to	Hilton	Result	
Previous attacks	One		

30 May 1863 Died

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Number	898 888	Name	David Hogg
Date of Admission	29 th March 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Over study	Education	
Sex, Age	Male 24	Religion	
Occupation	Student	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Single, single, or married	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Is he changeable to previous attacks	None	Result	

27th March 1859 Andrew C. Chalmers M.D. Thornhill, says: (1) He is sullen. Will not answer questions & has all the appearance of one suffering from disease of brain, and disordered intellect. (2) His father tells me that he is perfectly changed. Pays attention to nothing and will not answer questions; that he is dirty in his habits and is constantly talking and muttering to himself.

28th March 1859 J. B. Grierson L.R.C.S.E. Thornhill, says: (1) That he is unable to understand and reason and that his actions seem to be impulsive without the guidance of reason or understanding. (2) That he can in no way be trusted to take care of himself, he does not ask for food, but takes it when it is given to him, that when he is hungry or when he is suffering from any uneasiness or pain he is apt to become furious and would injure persons or property.

1st June 1873 D.H. is restless & inconstant almost always in a state of morbid excitement from some cause. such as continual fear. He keeps rubbing his head & walking about. Staring fiercely & squinting foam from his mouth. If any notice is taken of him. He is very apt to attack one. He has good health but does no work?

February 1873 David Hogg is never free from excitement during the time he is out of bed. He walks about continually rubbing his head with one hand. His eyes staring wildly. He sometimes attacks his fellow patients. He takes his food well and exercise daily in the grounds.

March 1873 D.H. continues as is noted above. He walks daily in the grounds. No special disease.

27th June 1874 D.H. condition remains unchanged

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- 10/3/75 No change to record.
- 30/11/75 In statu quo.
- 25/6/76 Continues his peripetetic cases, and promises no improvement in mental condition.
- 10/12/76 In much the same condition.
- 20/6/77 Demented and restless - seldom or never speaks. ~~Along~~ Along with several similar cases he has recently been sent out to work, and by dint of patience something is being made of him, and a better vent given for his aggressiveness than formerly.
- June 6th 81 Is demented, very irritable and dangerous: frequently attacks the patients.
- Feb 10th 82 No improvement to record.
- Oct 9th 82 In statu quo.
- March 30th 83 L.H. is still irritable and inclined to be violent his dark eyes often dart out threatening intentions. He requires to be pased at night.
- 8 OCT 1883 An impulsive violent Chronic maniac unimproved.

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 Date of Admission 1st April, 1859
 Cause None known
 Age Male 30
 Occupation Vagrant
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Dischargeable to Trooper
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Christopher Johnstone

13/12/62

Died

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Number	695 128	Name	Alexander Mitchell
Date of Admission	7 th April, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Masturbation	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 24	Religion	
Occupation	Farmer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Is he chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

3rd October 1859 Removed

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Number
Date of Admission
Cause
Sex & Age
Occupation
Social, Single or Widowed
Cognate, Changeable to
Previous Attacks

14th April, 1859
Prolonged lactation
Female 26
Clerk's wife
Married
None

Name
Form of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clean or Dirty
Result

Jane Cook or Chaining

21 April 1859 Died

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Number	697 698	Name	Hugh Stewart
Date of Admission	15 th April, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Male 1,5	Religion	
Profession	Tailor	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, Single or Widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Cash chargeable to	Arr	Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

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Number	692	Name	Mary Ferris or Murray
Date of Admission	30 th April, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Female. 61.	Religion	
Occupation	Widow of shepherd.	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Widowed	Other or Dirty	
Under chargeable to	Lyornholm	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	699	Name	Charles Croy
Date of Admission	2 ^d May 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Unknown	Education	
Age	Male 36	Religion	
Occupation	No occupation	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Under chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

20 April /63 Died

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Admission	2 nd May 1859	Name	M ^{rs} Ann Slughan
	a night	Form of Mental Disease	
Age	Female 65	Education	
Profession	Captain's widow	Religion	
Married or widowed	Widowed	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Is chargeable to		Clean or Dirty	
ious attacks	None	Result	

2 August 1859 Removed

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Case	701: 64	Name	Agnes McMinne
Date of Admission	1 st May, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Female. 65	Religion	
Profession	Housewife	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital status or widow	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Is changeable to	Hereditary	Result	
What attacks	None		

23^d October '60 Removed

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Robert Byers

Admission	4 th May, 1859	Form of Mental Disease
Age	Unknown	Education
Sex	Male. 60	Religion
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous
Marital state	Single	Clean or Dirty
Is chargeable to	Storkmaiden	Result
Has attacks	None	

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Number	703	Name	James McMiner
Date of Admission	10 th May 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Place	Hardyburg - none known	Education	
Age	Male. 30	Religion	
Occupation	Ostler	Successional or Pauper	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Character or Party	
Whom chargeable to	Hilton	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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William Hunter

Number	704 697	Name	William Hunter
Date of Admission	12 th May, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Unknown	Education	
Age	Male. 41	Religion	
Occupation	Grocer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Chast or Dirty	
Irish, or of Irish descent		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

5th Octobr 1859 Removed

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698		Name	David Currie
Date of Admission	12 th May, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Age	Male. 25	Religion	Presbyterian
Occupation	Servant	Suicidal & Dangerous	Neither
Married, single or widowed		Clean or Dirty	
Is he amenable to previous attacks	Kirkmahoe	Result	
	None		

15th May, 1859 William Marshall, Buccleuch Street, Dumfries, says: 1. Speaks incoherently. Thinks his soul is lost, imagines there has been something introduced into his food which has caused great weakness over his whole frame. 2. Much the same as above

2nd May 1859 James M. McCull. Ch. M. D. &c. 38. Castle Street, Dumfries, says: 1. Imagines that all his food is drugged and poisoned, that the fiends of hell are in his belly and consuming his soul and that he saw the glory of God through the head of the bed & that it told him he would never be better &c.

30th March 1872. This patient is entirely lost to all sense of decency & moral control. His habits are filthy & his only delight is in dirt, impudency, & lewd language. He works daily & enjoys good health.

2. February 1873 David Currie manifests no improvement. His habits are most degraded, disorderly & filthy. He is much given to telling lies from a bad habit which in his case appears to give some amusement. His intellectual faculties are very much impaired.

5 Decem. 1873 D. C. is daily employed as a feeder of pigs. He appears to like this trade. He has no objection to sharing their food if he feels at all hungry & is as much disposed as ever to keep himself disorderly & filthy.

27th June 1874 D. C.'s habits have improved but his mental condition remains unchanged. Bodily health good.

10/3/75 In much less degraded condition than formerly; bodily health good.

25/11/75 On station &c.

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- 25/6/76 D.C. continues in much the same condition, often noisy and swearing at night, but fairly correct habits.
- 10/12/76 In status quo.
- 20/6/77 In much the same condition. Bodily health good.
- June 6th 81 Sometimes noisy at night: still a pig-feeder: imbecile
- Feb 10th 82 In good bodily health: nothing to remark
- Oct 9th 82 Seems happy and contented: no change
- March 30th 83 D.C. has got an offensive, swearing tongue apparently more from habit than anger or a wish to annoy. On Dec 28th 82 He had two small cuts behind the right ear, inflicted by a stone thrown by another patient (Robert Wilson)
- 8 Oct 83 D.C. is incapable of improvement & consequently must be recorded as 'unimproved':
See New Case Book Vol. I 131

Number
Date of Admission
Sex
Age
Profession
Married single or widowed
Irish Chargeable to
Previous attacks

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13th May, 1859
Moral
Male 27
Clerk
Single
None

Name
Sign of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clean or Dirty
Result

John McLean

1st Nov 1869

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Number	706 707	Name	Isabella Kennedy
Date of Admission	15 th May 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 46	Religion	
Occupation	Cut worker	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Closeburn	Result	
Previous attacks	Three		

26th Sept 1859 Removed

Number	708	Name	Archibald Blacklock
Day of Admission	16 th May, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Male 57	Religion	
Profession	Shoemaker	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Birth, changeable to	Moffat	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	709 402	Name	David McTellan
Date of Admission	24 th May, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 44	Religion	
Occupation	Tailor	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Teeth, changeable to	Whitened	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Date of Admission

25th May, 1859

Name

Henrietta Locke

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Rheumatism

Form of Mental Disease

Education

Sex & Age

Female 49

Religion

Occupation

Housekeeper

Suicidal or Dangerous

Married, single, or widowed

Single

Clean or Dirty

Is chargeable to

None

Result

Various attacks

21st Nov /59 Removed

Number	711 704	Name	Janet Gordon
Date of Admission	1 st June, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Unknown	Education	
Age	Female. 32	Religion	
Occupation	Indoor worker	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Place chargeable to	Birmingham	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

29th July 1861 Removed

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Number	712	Name	Lockhart Hannah
Year of Admission	700 2 nd June, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Age	Male. 41	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Subsidiary & Dangerous	
Marital Status	Married	Clean & Dirty	
Is chargeable to	Hills	Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

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Name		Mary Mitchellson	
Date of Admission	1 st June, 1850	Form of Mental Disease	
Age	Scrophula - distitution	Education	
Sex	Female. 26	Religion	
Profession	Domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Who chargeable to	Temporarily	Result	
Previous attacks	One		

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Number	714 715	Name	Mary Nicholson
Date of Admission	10 th June, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Intemperance	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 16 1/2	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Under chargeable to	Sumpster	Result	
Previous attacks	Two		

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16th June, 18

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Previous Admissions 15th Dec 1841; 12th Oct 1846;
23rd June 1851; 25th Nov 1852; 21st Aug 1852; 16th June 1859 (85-)

Number	715 708	Name	Helen Bryson
Date of Admission	16 th June, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary	Education	
Sex & Age	Female.	Religion	
Condition	Weaver	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Food & Habitable to	Irishman	Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

16th June, 1859 Alex. Northwick M.D. Dumfries, says: (1) Great excitement incessant, incoherent talking. (2) Miss Cowan her niece informs me that she is very excited, rude, abusive, violent and furious.

17th June, 1859 James Gilchrist, M.D. Crichton House, Dumfries, says: (1) Tendency to excitement, speaks incoherently. (2) Has slept little during the night as stated by attendant.

Arthur D. A.S. is at present in good health, though it is much impaired, she has suffered much from Carious Disease of the bones of the arm & this threatens often. She is seldom able to go out of the house, she suffers from Gout occasionally & this lasts for 3 or 4 days. She is usually amiable in her disposition & only rarely does she manifest decided illtemper.

24th Feby
9th March 1873. Helen Bryson died at this date from Exhaustion consequent an ^{intracapsular} intra-capsular fracture of the femur. &c.

Died.

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Number	716 709	Name	Mary Marshall
Date of Admission	22 nd June, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex		Education	
Age	Female. 33	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Intellect & Sanguine	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class & Party	
Parent, chargeable to	Whithorn.	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	717	Name	Margaret Collins or Wells
Date of Admission	2 nd July, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex		Education	
Sex & Age	Female	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital, single or widowed		Clean or Dirty	
Is it chargeable to previous attacks	None	Result	

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Number	712	Name	Jane Sherpe or McMillan
Date of Admission	29 th July, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	None known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 32	Religion	
Occupation	Poverty	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class or Party	
Ever changeable to	Yes	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Date	Description	Particulars	Balance
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 Dec 1
 Total

Number	719 718	Name	Catherine Smith
Date of Admission	30 th July, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	None known	Education	
Sex, Age	Female 33	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Class or Party	
Place belonging to	Dumfries	Null	
Previous attacks			

15 May /61 Died

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28 July 1859

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Age	770 713	Name	William Shields
Date of Admission	2 nd August, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Male 28	Religion	
Occupation	Printer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Is he chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

14th July 1859. James Grievie M.D. Surgeon. & Dumfries, says: (1) Great depression of mind, listless, morose, and totally incapable of bodily and mental exertion. 2. Tendency to suicide.

2nd July 1859. James Gilchrist M.D. Crichton House, Dumfries, says: (1) Depressed, taciturn, lethargic, incapable for work or exertion. (2) Has attempted suicide.

1st Oct 1859. Discharged not improved

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Name	Allen Muddoch or Corrie.
Date of Admission	2 nd August, 1859
Cause	The use of intoxicating liquors
Sex & Age	Female, 40
Occupation	Housekeeper
Married, single or widowed	Married
Rank Assignable to	Dumfries
Previous attacks	One
Form of Mental Disease	
Education	
Religion	
Suicidal or Dangerous	
Clean or Dirty	
Result	

26 Sept. 1859 Removed

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Number	722	Name	Catherine Heyland
Date of Admission	2 nd August, 1859	Formey's Mental Opines	
Sex	All usage	Education	
Age	Female 26	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of a mason	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Marital, Single, or widowed	Married	Character & Disposition	
Under chargeable to	Mr	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

16 May / 61 Died

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Number	723 446	Name	Andrew Parker
Date of Admission	9 th August, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Male	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Pseudo-suicidal	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	When a Party	
Rank, or liable to	Leiswalt		
Previous attacks	None	Result	

8th August, 1859. James Hill, M. D. Glasgow Asylum, Glasgow; (1) He has a sullen, and downcast expression of countenance - is generally very taciturn and reserved - frequently will not answer when addressed rambles in his discourse. Is at times low and desponding, and has an inclination to destroy himself. (2) His father told me that shortly before being brought to Glasgow Asylum he attempted to kill him (i.e. his father).

8th August, 1859. David Walker, Surgeon, Glasgow: (1) He has a very sulky expression of countenance; he talks incoherently and evidently shows an inclination to suicide. (2)

25th March 1870. The condition of A.P. is at present precisely the same as is given above. He has good health & is daily engaged in work.

2nd February 1873. Andrew Parker enjoys good health. He is daily employed. His mental state is one of advanced dementia.

12th December 1873. There is no change in A.P.'s condition since last report.

7th June 1874. No change in the condition of A.P. since the date of last report.

10th 3/75. No change.

20th 11/75. On stationary.

25th 6/76. Passing years leave their mark on A.P., but any change in either his mental or physical condition is so gradual as to be little perceptible.

10th 12/76. Suffers from ingrowing toe nails and warts: demented but quiet, rather sullen.

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- June 6th 81 I getting feebler about: later epileptic fits at
rare intervals
- July 10th 82 Demented: quiet some answers with anyone
- Oct. 2nd 82 "Feebler with advancing age: no other change to note
- March 30th 83 - A.P. took two fits about time ago: he has
required special care during the winter from
his advancing feebleness.
- 8 Oct. 1883 Patient fell in a fit not long ago and cut
his head rather severely. He is very feeble
and demented.

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 Date of Admission 4th August, 1859.
 Cause Excitements of home
 Sex & Age Female 30
 Occupation Daughter of Teacher
 Married, single or widowed Single
 Is it chargeable to previous attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Mary Ann Gifford

11th Nov 1859 Removed to Cuckoo Institution.

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Number ~~718~~
 Date of Admission 14th August, 1859
 Previous attacks
 Sex Female 47
 Occupation Domestic servant
 Married, single or widowed Widowed
 Is chargeable to Huddam
 Previous attacks

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Character or Temperament
 Result

Mrs Ann Scott

16 May 1860 Removed

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Number
Date of Submission
Sex, Age
Occupation
Married, single, or widowed
Is he amenable to
Frequent attacks

779
31st August, 1859
Excessive abuse of snuff
Male 53
Farm servant
Married
Frequent
None

Name
History of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clean or Dirty
Result

John Gibson

23rd Sept - 1860 Died

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Number	727	Name	Jane Morine or Adamsen
Date of Admission	5 th September 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Female 60	Religion	
Occupation	Farmer's daughter. assisted on ^{the farm}	Character of Disease	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Character of Duty	
Place chargeable to	Hollywood	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Form of Malarial Disease
Education
Religion
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Clean or Dirty
Result

William Hannah

18th April 62 Died

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Number	729 422	Name	Robert McEwen
Date of Admission	7 th October, 1859	Kind of Mental Disease	
Sex	None known	Education	
Age	Male. 40	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or District	
Parish chargeable to	Parish of Luwatt	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

15 May 1860 Removed

Number ⁷³⁰
~~722~~
 Date of Admission 4th October, 1859
 Cause Puerperal
 Sex, Age Female. 61
 Occupation Housekeeper
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to Parish of Ananraen
 Previous attacks One & Two

Name Mary Campbell Armstrong
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal & Dangerous
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 Result

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Number 731
 Date of Admission 724
 Date 8th October, 1859
 Cause A fright
 Sex & Age Female. 60
 Occupation Poor Seamstress
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Parish chargeable to Dumfries
 Previous attacks Several

Name
 Type of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Cause of Death
 Result

Sarah McFlavie

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Number ~~775~~
 Date of Admission 10th October, 1859
 Cause Religion
 Sex & Age Male 36
 Occupation Labourer
 Marital, single, or wedded Married
 Parish chargeable to Kerkcowan
 Previous attacks None

Name John Glen
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

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Number	733 726	Name	Thomas Sproat
Date of Admission	12 th October, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 36	Religion	
Occupation	Sailor	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Irish, changeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

23^d July 60 Died

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Number ⁷³⁴
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 Date of Admission 21st October, 1859
 Name None known
 Sex & Age Male 50
 Occupation Labourer
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Parish, chargeable to Annan,
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Alexander Morran

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Number
Date of Admission
Sex & Age
Occupation
Married, single, or widowed
Is chargeable to
any other hospital

22nd October, 1859

Male. 19

Medical Student

Single

Name
Form of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Class or Party
Result

James Williamson

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Number	736 729	Name	Agnes Porteous or Laudlaw
Date of Admission	2 nd November, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex		Education	
Age	Female. 70-	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Thomas Laudlaw, Farmer	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married or single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Wish changeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	737 480	Name	Hugh Stewart
Date of Admission	14 th November, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Grief	Education	
Sex, Age	Male	Religion	
Occupation	Taylor	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Wife, changeable to	Un	Result	
Previous Attacks	One		

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James Milroy

Number	432	Name	James Milroy
Date of Admission	11 th November, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Masturbation	Educational	
Sex & Age	Male 21	Religion	
Occupation	Clerk in Bank	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Wife or Party	
Work chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	739 732	Name	Margaret Bell or Witch
Date of Admission	14 th November, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Age	Female 59	Religion	
Occupation	Outworker	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Widowed	Class or Party	
Parish, chargeable to	Langholm	Result	
Previous Attacks	One		

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Alexander Gilchrist

Number ~~732~~
 Date of Admission 19th November, 1859
 Sex Religion
 Age Male 28
 Occupation Miner
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Discharge, chargeable to Sanguine
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

31 July /60

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Number	741	Name	Helen Steel
Date of Admission	26 th November, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Fever	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 64	Religion	
Occupation	Farm Servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed		Clear or Partly	
British, chargeable to	Canonbie	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

12 Oct /60 Died

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Number	742	Name	Robert Hunter
Date of Admission	2 nd December, 1859	Kind of Mental Disease	
Age	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 20	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married single, widowed	Single	Cham or Dilly	
Irish, changeable to	Penpont	Result	
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Number	743	Name	Mary Douglas
Date of Admission	10 th December, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 44	Religion	
Occupation	Housekeeper	Subsidiary Occupations	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Place, Assignable to	Birmingham	Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

19th Nov 1859 Charles Smith, Surgeon, says: (1) From her actions and conversation (2) Troublesome to her relations and neighbours.

17th Nov 1859 John Pearson, M.D. Newton Stewart: (1) Conversation (2) Habits, complain much of her.

2nd Dec 1859 M.D. is often, excited, confused and incoherent. She in this state she spends all her force in blaspheaming & using abusive language. She is in fair average health but she will not do any work.

2nd February 1873 Mary Douglas frequently excited. swearing during which process she shuts her eyes & remains vociferating for hours together. She is however often well disposed and industrious, being employed in washing floors &c. She enjoys good health.

December 1873 There is no change in the daily routine of her habits. They vary very much almost every day, alternating from fanatic excitement & meaningless gesticulation to a bland manner & a desire to be useful.

24th June 1874 Periods of excitement less frequent - condition otherwise unchanged.

17/3/75 In statu quo.

31/11/75 Periods of excitement have been moderated under treatment of firm discipline: now goes to prayers and chapel and behaves while there. Very useful in the gallery.

25/6/76 Little new change in the condition of M.D. to record: is more use in house work than formerly.

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- 10/12/76 On status quo.
- 20/6/77 Continues a little more amenable to control:
sometimes rather moody. Bodily health fair
- 9/10/80 In fair health; much demented occurred
attacks of excitement.
- June 6^h-81 Is incontinent & bedded: Suffer from epithelioma of
the submaxillary glands: secondary to the same disease in
the lip which was removed formerly
- Oct. 25^h-82 Died of epithelioma - it ulcerated & discharged
profusely.

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Number ~~744~~
 Date of Admission 20th December, 1859
 Cause Improper conduct
 Sex & Age Male 28
 Occupation Ploughman
 Married, single or widowed Married
 Parish, chargeable to Appointedly Glencarrig.
 Previous attacks None

Name
 Kind of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

William Robison

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Number	745	Name	Adam Beck
Date of Admission	30 th December, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Disease	Epilepsy	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 42	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Character & Demeanor	
Parish, chargeable to	Apollgarth	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	746	Name	Ann Heughan
Date of Admission	15 th January, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Family troubles	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 64	Religion	
Occupation	Widow of seaman	Selfish or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Chaste or Debauched	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	Five or Six		

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Number ~~740~~ 747
 Date of Admission 12th January 1860
 Sex Not known
 Age Male 21
 Occupation Labourer
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Parish chargeable to
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Class or Party
 Result

Henry Telfer

21 Sept - 63 Died

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Number ~~744~~ 748
 Date of Admission 13th January, 1860
 Sex & Age Female. 75
 Occupation Hawker
 Married, single, or widowed Widowed
 Is she chargeable to the parish? No
 Serious attacks One

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Jane M^{rs} Whinnie

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Number	749 742	Name	Isabella M. Dewal
Date of Admission	11 th January, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 52	Religion	
Occupation	Small Dealer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
How far chargeable to previous attacks	One	Result	

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Number	750	Name	Agnes Trimer Hastings
Date of Admission	31 st January, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Disease	Paralysis	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 13	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital, single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
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Previous attacks	None		

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Number	751	743 Name	Henry Vaughan
Date of Admission	1 st February, 1860	History of Mental Disease	
Disease	Gastric fever	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 16	Religion	
Occupation	Nothing	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Parish, chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

21st January 1860. J. W. Miller M. D. 707 St. Dundee: (1) His appearance is quite idiotical; seems to have extremely little or no comprehension of what is said to him (2) That he was always in much the same state as when I saw him, and occasionally noisy.

1st January 1860. David Craig M. D. 140 Nethergate. Dundee: (1) He is quite an imbecile. (2) He has been so from birth.

3rd March 1860. 24. His mental condition is as above noted. He frequently screams, very loudly. his only phrase is "how do ye do" & he waves out his hand, at the same time. He has good health, having gained considerably in height & stature in walking.

17th Feb'y 1873. 24. Vaughan died today, from chronic pleurisy & congestion of the lungs, hastened by epilepsy. Died.

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Number	752 747	Name	Mr Geo Blacklock or Clarke
Date of Admission		Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Age	Female 45	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Slater	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Parish of Helton	Result	
Previous attacks	One		

1st February, 1860. Sir George M. D. Surgeon, Buccleuch St. Dumfries: (1) Delusions of a decided character, violence, and incoherency &c. (2) Been informed that she has threatened the lives of her son and daughter.

1st February, 1860. James Gilchrist M. D. Brichton House, Dumfries: (1) Talks incoherently has delusions as to property and persons. (2) Her son affirms that she has exhibited violence several times lately.

31 July, 1861.

Died.

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 Date of Admission 2nd February, 1860
 Cause Mental Anxiety
 Sex & Age Male. 23
 Occupation Farmer
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Parish chargeable to
 Previous attacks None

Name James Colthart
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

10/11/60 Removed to Crichton Institution -

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Number	754	Name	Jane Telfer
Date of Admission	7 th February, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Disappointed in Love	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 35	Religion	
Occupation	House servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Drisk, chargeable to	Mochrum	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

5th January 1860. David Easton M.D. Surgeon, Stranraer: (1) Both in her words and actions she is quite insane. She talks a good deal in a very unconnected strain about matters relating to religion, the superior Being &c. She is sometimes outrageous, and will throw at any one what she may have in her hand at the time of excitement. Sometimes she is melancholic and will talk none and answer no questions &c &c. (2) The above statements are corroborated by Mr Jeffrey, the Superintendent of Poor House.

25th January 1860. John Orzell, Surgeon, Stranraer: (1) She speaks incoherently, and acts as a lunatic but she exhibited no violence in my presence. (2) I am informed by Mr and Mrs Jeffrey Superintendent & Matron of the Poor House that within the last two months she has frequently become outrageous, breaking dishes &c and throwing her food about, and at other times and is dangerous to the rest of the inmates.

7th May 1870.

Died

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Number

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Name

Grace Deans

Date of Admission

11th February, 1860

Form of Mental Disease

Place

Debauchery

Education

Sex & Age

Female. 57

Religion

Occupation

Domestic servant

Suicidal & Dangerous

Married, single, or widowed

Married

Class & Party

Cash chargeable to

Hoddlam

Previous attacks

Result

15 July / 60

Died

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24th Feb
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28th Feb
1st March

24th Feb

27th Feb

27th March

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February 18

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Number	756	Name	Alexander Bell
Date of Admission	9 th March, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 20	Religion	
Occupation	No occupation	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Glaserton	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

24th February 1860 Dunbar White, Whitthorn. Depression of countenance vacant, limited use of speech - great deficiency of intellect observed on attempting to engage him in conversation even on simple matters. (2) By his father - that his idiocy, fatuity, or mental unsoundness is congenital - that till the age of 10 or 12 yrs his speech was more or less articulate sound, and that for some years after this his utterance of words was most indistinct - that he is incapable of education - never could learn a single letter of the alphabet, or be trained to any useful occupation - or even to button his clothes.

29th February 1860 Samuel Shoulen M. D. Wiglocon, N. B. : (1) From conversation with him on various occasions, since his imprisonment in the Gaol of Wiglocon, - Likewise from his habits and actions since he has been under my treatment (2) No other but those I have elicited at his trial.

5th March 1873 The mental condition of Alexander Bell is now as above noted. He suffers from gaitre, He is indolent & enjoys good health.

February 1873 Alex Bell enjoys good health. There is no change in his mental state. The Gaitre is not so large. He works daily in the grounds.

5th February 1873 Alex Bell manifests very little change since last reported. He works steadily eats and sleeps well.

27th June 1874 No change in patient's condition since date of last entry.

10th 31 75 No particular change: in fair bodily health though suffering from chronic bronchitis.

20th 41 75 In statu quo.

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25/6/76

A. B. acts, and his long held the position, of Squire of the body, to Mr Sibbald, another patient whose pedal degeneration makes him peculiarly dependent on the good offices of others: he is intemperate and indolent.

10/12/76

In statu quo.

20/3/77

Died of Gastric Ulcer. There have been of late years no symptoms of the disease which existed, till about ten days before his death, when the patient began to complain of pain in the gastric region and of being "no well, doctor". Soon vomiting came on and proved intractable. Two gastric ulcers were found post mortem, one of which was almost perforating had opposite it an inflamed, ^{and softened} patch of peritonium.

Number	757	Name	James G. Shorburn
Date of Admission	11 th March, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Hereditary	Education	
Age	Male. 65	Religion	
Occupation	Surgeon	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Means of Entry	
Whose chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

10 Nov 60 Removed to Crichton Institution.

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March

17th June 17

Number	758	Name	David Richardson
Date of Admission	21 st March, 1859	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex		Education	
Age	Male 20	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Is subject liable to previous attacks		Result	

21st March 1859. There is at present no alteration in the mental condition of D.R. He never speaks. It is said, she is deaf & dumb. She is very captious & peevish in his temper, & fond of personal neatness. He is in good health & is the most diligent worker in the Institution.

17th July 1859 D.R. Sunk at this date from disease of the Kidney, & general tubercular degeneration.
Died

Number	750	Name	Margaret Leonard & Blair
Date of Admission	23 rd March, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Unknown	Education	
Sex, Age	Female. 45	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer's wife	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
With chargeable to	Missinigaff	Result	
Previous attacks	One		

30 July 1861 Removed

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Number	760	Name	Anthony Shillon
Date of Admission	27 th March, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Unknown	Etiology	
Sex, Age	Male, 46	Religion	
Occupation	Blacksmith	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Character of Delirium	
Was changeable to	Mochrum	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	761	Name	Margaret Bailey Devine
Date of Admission	3 rd April, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Age	Female 18	Religion	
Occupation	Milliner	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Cham & Certify	
Is she capable of	Disrupt	Result	
Violent attacks	None		

19/2/61 Removed

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Number
Date of Admission
Cause
Sex & Age
Occupation
Married, single, or widowed
Cash chargeable to
Previous attacks

~~755~~
7th April, 1860
Injury to head
Males 30
No occupation
Single
One

Name
Form of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clean or Dirty
Result

John Dinwoodie

1 Aug/61 Removed

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763

Christopher Higgins

Number
 Date of Admission
 Disease
 Sex & Age
 Occupation
 Married, single, or widowed
 Rank chargeable to
 Previous Attacks

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 9th April, 1860
 Epileptic
 Male

Name
 Kind of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

7 March /62 Died

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December
1872
1873
1874
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1882

10th April 1872

11th April 1872

12th April 1872

13th April 1872

14th April 1872

Number	764	Name	Elizabeth Gass Ferguson
Date of Admission	764 13 th April, 1860	Kind of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Age	Female 52	Religion	
Occupation	Pauper, wife of a labourer	Medical Opinions	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to	Parish of Urr	Result	
Number of Attacks	One		

10th April 1860. John Paterson Lewis M. D. Dalbeattie: (1) Nervous, excitable expression of countenance. Rambling and incoherent in conversation; frequently losing herself in the middle of a sentence, and then unable to remember what she has previously said. Great tendency to connect or apply Bible quotations in conversation.

11th April 1860. Thomas Macknight M. D. Dalbeattie: (1) That she imagines her husband has committed sodomy with her son and has attempted his life that she thinks he intends taking her own, in consequence she has to sleep on the floor in the same room as her husband and son to protect him from violence. Her conversation is incoherent is incoherent, and rambling. (2) Her husband states that she is unmanageable also the Inspector of Poor that he thinks she is a fit subject for being put in an Asylum.

2nd March 1872. E. Gass or Ferguson is said to suffer from Epilepsy - but I have never observed a fit, nor had one reported to me. She lies in bed & will not consent to get up. Any attempt in this direction is accompanied loud cries of indignation & abuse. She refuses to let herself be seen by any one & she covers up her head when she is approached. She suffers from Pleurisy of the Lungs but this has improved of late. Her health & appetite are very good.

February 1873 Mrs Ferguson confines herself to bed as before she never leaves it unless temporarily to void her excretions. If requested to get up she makes hideous yells & uses very abusive language. In fact it is impossible to cause her to abandon this singular habit.

1st December 1873 E. G. or F. Has worn an entire suit of undergarments from the wool in her matrix. Without being she talks frequently to herself and yells of being touched. General health good.

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7/64

27th June 1874

Habits continue as above noted - Bodily health good.

10/3/75

Habits unimpaired.

20/11/75

In statu quo: it is said she has not had a bath for years: reporter has as the first step to a reform in her habits insisted on her having the usual fortnightly bath - this it requires 5 or 6 attendants to administer

25/6/76

little further progress to report.

10/12/76

Reporter holds track in dread from the Hereditary cantanker getting Mrs F. out of bed: her condition continues much as described in former entries.

20/6/77

In statu quo.

This patient is very peculiar in her ways: she talks freely with her friends when they visit her also with the attendants but will hold no converse with the officials: she swears loudly when they visit her in attempt to see her

She aches by her several sinuses on it connected with increased bone which has probably existed for years. There is now some change perceptible in her and she allows it to be dressed

9th February 82

Mrs Ferguson died today: for some time past there has been a change in her habits: she gave up her swearing habit would even allow the medical officer to examine into her condition. Some time before death there was twitching of the right arm hand also some convulsive jerking of the head this was followed by loss of sensation the right side of reflex actions pointing probably to some effusion in the left side of the brain.

Number	765 752	Name	James Mitchell
Date of Admission	21 st April, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Paralysis	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 60	Religion	
Occupation	Stocking-maker	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Irish chargeable to	Cumpries	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

28/1/60 Died

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Number ~~759~~
 Date of Admission 25th April, 1860
 Cause Intoxication
 Sex & Age Male 30
 Occupation Printer - Artillery man
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Irish, changeable to
 Previous attacks One

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Class of Party
 Result

Joseph Oliver

15 May 61 Removed

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Number ~~760~~ 767
Date of Admission 8th May, 1860
Crank Religion
Sex & Age Male 19
Occupation
Married, single, or widowed Single
Crank chargeable to Swynholm
Previous attacks None

Name Alexander Burnie
Form of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clan & City
Result

15 April /61 Removed

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Number ~~768~~
 Date of Admission 14th May, 1860
 Cause
 Sex & Age Female. 51
 Occupation Farm Steward's wife
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to
 Previous Attacks None

Name Ann Post or Elliot
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
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 Result

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Number 769
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Date of Admission 19th May, 1860
Age Unknown
Sex & Age Male 25
Occupation Labourer
Married, single, or widowed Married
Firm chargeable to Ur
Previous attacks One

Name
Degree Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Class Party
Result

Bernard Campbell

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Number ~~767~~ 770
 Date of Admission 21st May 1860
 Cause Unknown
 Sex & Age Female 19
 Occupation Servant girl
 Married, Single, or Widowed Single
 Parish chargeable to Carrisdeer
 Previous attacks None

Name Agnes McMillan
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

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Number ~~771~~
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 Date of Admission 27th May, 1860
 Cause Drink
 Sex, Age Male 48
 Occupation Labourer
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Irish, chargeable to Troqueur
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Hugh McShie

23/10/60

Discharged

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 Date of Admission 9th June, 1860
 Cause Drink
 Sex & Age Male. 69
 Occupation Saddler
 Married, Single, or Widowed Widowed
 Irish, or Amenable to
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

John Clarke

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 2. 27/11/60 Died

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Number
Date of
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Age
Sex
Color of
Hair
Color of
Eyes
Complexion

Number 773
 764
 Date of Admission 11th June, 1860
 Cause Drunk
 Sex & Age Male
 Occupation Basket maker
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to Dumfries
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Thomas Gordon

~~18 April 63~~
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Number	775 764	Name	Robert Walker
Date of Admission	16 th June, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Gender		Education	
Sex, Age	Male	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, Single, or Widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Crimes chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

15th June 1860. William Richardson M.D. Gatehouse of Fleet: (1) Weak intellect from birth. delusions as to personal appearance and attractions, fancying that all the young ladies are in love with him. delusions as to his ability & mental acquirements and also from his furious and maniacal conduct. (2)

15th June 1860. John S. Maud M.D. & Surgeon, Burgh of Whitecudbright, says: (1) That he is often in a furious state from imagining himself abused, that he forms opinions of his being a person of great consequence, the admiration of every female who sees him. (2) By his father a similar statement was made to me as above on the 9th inst. and the jailer to-day gives a similar statement, & that he breaks the furniture in his cell and at night disturbs the inmates.

1st March 1871. This person is at present in the same condition as above stated. His vanity, lying & filthy discourse are his most prominent characteristics. He is given to improper habits. He enjoys good health & is daily employed in work.

February 1873. R. Walker enjoys good health & works daily. He is sometimes very much excited & has on one occasion used a spade to attack an attendant. He has many delusions about his own importance & his usual style of conversation is grandiose and imaginary in the highest degree. It also tends towards immorality.

1 December 1873. R.W. suffers from no special disease. His general condition is similar to what is noted before.

2th June 1874. R. W.'s condition remains as above described.

of 3/75. Much the same: is impertinent in manner, ^{and language} not checked.

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- 20/11/55 In statu quo.
- 25/0/76 In good bodily health, and less excitable frame of mind than of old.
- 10/12/76 In much the same condition: at work daily on the game.
- 20/6/77 No change to record.
- June 6th 81 occasionally threatens to kick one of the officials: his discourse has the same character as formerly.
- Feb 20th 82 No change to record.
- Oct 19th 82 In statu quo.
- March 30th 83 A man of very coarse disposition which is imprinted on his countenance: he is often rude & insulting to the other patients.
- 8 OCT 1883 Patient has of late been making himself useful in matters relating to the game: his mental characteristics remain unchanged.

See New Case Book Vol I. 135.

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Number

Name

Mary Gordon

Date of Admission

11th June, 1860

Form of Mental Disease

Sex

Religion

Education

Age

Female

Religion

Occupation

Domestic servant

Suicidal or Dangerous

Married, single, or widowed

Single

Clear or Dirty

Is chargeable to

None

Result

18 April 1863 Removed

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Number	7776	Name	Margaret Hunter or Brown
Date of Admission	18 th June, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Age		Education	
Sex	Female. 65	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of a Baker	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Irish, chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

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Number	748	Name	McAlken Ewart
Date of Admission	22 nd June, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Case		Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 50	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of a mill wright	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Irish, chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks	None		

20 Aug/60 Removed

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Number 7798
 Date of Admission 26th June, 1860
 Cause
 Sex & Age Female 67
 Occupation Washerwoman
 Married, single, or widowed Widowed
 Parish chargeable to Dumfries
 Previous Attacks None

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Societal & Dangerous
 Character & Party
 Result

Elizabeth Bell

10/11/60 . Removed

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Number
 Date of Admission 3rd July, 1860
 Cause
 Sex & Age Female 21
 Occupation ~~Troquer~~
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Irish chargeable to Troquer
 Previous attacks None

772 Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

Elizabeth White

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Number	780	Name	Jane M. Kenley
Date of Admission	1772 1/2 July 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 60	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Wash chargeable to	Dunscore	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

- 2^d July 1860. And. Lorimer M. D. Luncheon, Glencairn: (1) Labouring under strange delusions such as being surrounded with devils seeing spirits, people shooing night and day about the house, her will poisoned food &c. and a great law plea going on to turn her out of her house that a cat (her own words) is commissioned to watch all her movements and tell them, at the neighbouring farm, that some person has witched her, and many such delusions.
- 3^d July 1860 Robert Burgess, Surgeon, Locherlee, Dunscore: (1) fully concur in all the facts stated in certificate No 1.

The condition of Jane M. Kenley is that of quiet & industrious demented. She is occasionally excited, but this is only temporary. She often complains of Rheumatic pains & is confined to bed for some days. She is in good health at present.

- 2 February 1873 Jane M. K. suffers from attacks of fainting and indisposition when she engages in bodily labours. These are supposed to have a cardiac origin. She often complains of Rheumatism which is however of a simple nature & confines her to bed for one or two days only. Her mental state makes no progress towards a healthier & sounder relation of the faculties.
- 2 December 1873 There is no difference in this patient's mental & bodily health since last report.
- 2th June 1874

M/3/75 J. M. K. is in fair bodily health - little attention is paid to her complaints of physical illness which have generally but scant foundation: tolerably industrious.

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20/12/75 *insulating*

25/6/76 *Do still - in popular phrase - very mad: her conversation is devoid of all coherence.

10/12/76 The last three entries were made under a misapprehension, and ought to be set down to Ann McHuskey, who is the patient at present spoken of is known in the house as Gene Louise - hence the mistake. J. B. R. has been in failing health for the last twelve months and has had frequent cerebral attacks.

24/3/77 Died - of renal decay.

Number	781	Name	Marion Gordon or Muir
Date of Admission	5 th July, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Want	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 59	Religion	
Occupation	Pauper	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Which chargeable to	Kenwick	Result	
Previous attacks			

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~~775~~
 Name
 Date of Admission 10th July, 1860
 Cause Not known
 Sex & Age Female 49
 Occupation Domestic servant
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Irish, chargeable to Withhorn & Glasserton
 Previous Attacks

Name Margaret M. M'Alister
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Character or Party
 Result

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Number	783 776	Name	George McMillie
Date of Admission	13 th July. 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 28	Religious	
Occupation	Stone breaker for Roads	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Which chargeable to	Hickoudbright	Result	
Previous attacks			

16 March 63 Removed

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Number	784	Name	Robert Wilson
Rate of Admission	774 15 th July, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Drink	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 60	Religion	
Occupation	Blacksmith	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital, single, or widowed	Married	Cham. or Partly	
Irish, Spanish, or Foreign	Hollywood	Result	

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Number
Date of Admission
Cause
Sex & Age
Occupation
Married, single, or widowed
Criminal chargeable to
Previous attacks

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31st July, 1860
Not known
Female. 80
Married

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Name
Form of Mental Disease
Education
Religion
Suicidal or Dangerous
Clean or Dirty
Result

Mary Montgomery

15 April /61 - Died

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Number	76 77	Name	Mary Slack
Date of Admission	21 st July 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religious fears	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 38	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widow	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Whose chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number 787
 Date of Admission 10th August 1860
 Cause Apoplexy
 Sex & Age Female 61
 Occupation
 Married, single or widowed Single
 British, changeable to
 Previous Attacks

Name Elizabeth Scott
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

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Number	788	Name	Anne Kafferty
Date of Admission	10 th August, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 40	Religion	
Occupation		Insidious or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed		Clean or Dirty	
Discharge chargeable to	Dempsey	Result	
Previous attacks			

24th Oct /60 Died

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Number	789	Name	James Scott
Date of Admission	20 th August, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Intemperance	Education	
Sex & Age	Male	Religion	
Occupation	Winekeeper	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Irish, chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

10 Oct/60 Removed

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Number	792 482	Name	Agnes Pinwoodie
Date of Admission	21 st August, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Epilepsy	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 12	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal - Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class of District	
Wish, chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous Attacks			

16th Oct 1870

Dead

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Number	791. 754	Name	Elizabeth M ^c Caig or Gardine
Date of Admission	21 st August, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known.	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 42	Religion	
Occupation		Marital or Domestic	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
British chargeable to	Dumfriesshire	Result	
Previous attacks			

- 19 August 1860. W. Marshall, Buccleuch Street, Dumfriesshire: (1) Imagines she is a person of considerable fortune and standing in society and that she will yet be the wife of some very eminent man &c. &c. (2) Much the same as above.
- 19 August 1860 P. Murray M.D. Dumfriesshire: (1) Countenance expressive of danger, answers some questions correctly, but is continually turning round the room, as if looking for some one, memory defective. (2) Imagines herself a person of independent means, and gives others that she must be wanted at first.
- 30th March 1872 This person continues now in a condition not much removed from what she was on entering. She is very quiet & industrious & is in good health at present.
- 2 February 1873 E. M^cCaig or Gardine enjoys fair average health and is daily employed as a Laundry worker. She is amiable in her disposition. Never is excited, but she is very demented & often her stupid condition is more striking.
- 12 December 1873 E. M^cCaig or Gardine works daily at the Laundry there is no change in her mental state from what is previously reported.
- 10/3/75 No change to record.
- 24/11/75 In statu quo.
- 25/6/76 In fair health and spirits, and daily at the Laundry.
- 10/12/76 In statu quo.
- 20/4/77 No particular change to record: a quiet and industrious domestic.

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June 6th - 81
Sept. 81.

In quiet lamellae: walks in the Laundry.
Died of Pneumonia.

Number	Age	Name
Date of Admission	21 st August, 1860	Robert Crockett
Case	Congenital	Form of Mental Disease
Sex & Age	Male 18	Education
Prostration		Religion
Married, single or widowed	Single	Delusional or Dangerous
District chargeable to	Dumfries	Class or Party
Previous attacks		Result

19th Aug. 1860. P. Murray, 22 Buccleuch St. Dumfries: (1) Countenance vacant and unexpressive, is unable to answer a single question correctly, often gives no answer but smile. (2) Is in the habit of tearing his clothes.

19th Aug. 1860. W. Marshall Buccleuch Street, Dumfries: (1) Talks incoherently, answers questions most irrelevantly. In short he is perfectly vacant in every sense. (2) Much the same as above.

19th March 1872. The condition of this idiot is much improved from the condition given above. He is intelligent, industrious & very good natured. He is given to masturbation. He has good health, & is generally quite happy from the gratification his wants.

2 February 1873. R. Crockett labours daily as a feeder of pigs. He is quite happy in his employment & vain of his position & importance. He enjoys good health.

12 December 1873. R. C. suffers from no special disease. He is industrious & easily pleased by a small toy or present in the way of personal adornment.

10/3/75 No change to record

20/11/75 In statu quo.

35/1/76 Continues harmless and industrious, and given to personal adornment.

10/12/76 In much the same condition, rather more gregarious in appearance on state occasions: bodily health good.

20/6/77 In statu quo.

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- June 6th 81 Is a prodigious, easily pleased imbecile: still feeds the
pigs
- July 10th 82 Has had a rather severe attack of dyspepsia of the head: from
which however he has entirely recovered.
- Oct 9th 82 In good bodily health: nothing to note mentally.
- Apr 14th 83 Patient does not change in his mental composition
from year's end to year's end: he remains the
same amusing imbecile as heretofore & is a well
known general favourite.
- Nov 83 There is no change to record.
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Number	493 786	Name	Isabella Marton
Date of Admission	23 rd August, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Female	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
British chargeable to	Hilton	Result	
Previous Attacks			

14th Aug. 1860. Grigor Shere. M.D.C.S. Edin. Castle Douglas: (1) From the incoherence of her replies to simple questions, the fecklessness of her manners, and the peculiarity of her gait (2) Mrs. Nye says that she takes personal dislikes to some of her neighbours for very trivial reasons, such as for driving a nail with a hammer using very obscene language to people on the street and throws stones at cattle, &c.

15. Aug 1860. James Laidlaw. L.R.C.S. Edin, Castle Douglas: (1) Gives very incoherent and extremely absurd answers to plain easy questions. Labours under the delusion that a "Society of Gentlemen" have been appointed to cure a great many evils, which never existed and that she herself is under the special protection of these imaginary gentlemen. (2) Mrs. Nye informs me that Isabella Marton labours under the delusion that workmen such as masons have no right to make the least noise whatever when building houses and that the sound of a hammer should never be heard.

30th March 1872. J. M. for some period past has been quiet & industrious. About one year ago she lost her arm by placing it in the wheel at the laundry. She is quiet, suffering & incoherent & in good health.

1. March 1873 J. M. enjoys good health, there is no change in her mental condition which is one of great incoherence combined with progressing dementia.

12 December 1873 Isabella Marton suffers from no special disease. She enjoys good health and walks daily in the grounds.

1073/75 Much the same.

24/11/75 Discharged on Probation.

24/5/76 Discharged from Probation "Relieved".

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Number 794
 Date of Admission 25th August, 1860
 Cause Ardent spirits
 Sex & Age Male. 47
 Occupation
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to Alcestrum, Wigtonshire
 Previous attacks

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Intellectual & Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

John Shields

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Number	795	Name	Mrs Armstrong or Ludden
Date of Admission	29 th August, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 59	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Penal Chargeable to	Carlaverock	Result	
Previous Attacks			

25/1/61 Removed

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Number	796	Name	William Cornant
Date of Admission	2 nd September, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Physical constitution	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 29	Religion	
Occupation	Gardener	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Irish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

8/11/60 Removed

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Number	797 700	Name	Elizabeth M. Hudson
Date of Admission	13 th September, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Anxiety for her son's wellbeing	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 42	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital, single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Irish, changeable to	Wigtown	Result	
Previous attacks			

7th Sept. 1860. Samuel Snowden, M. D. Wigtown: (1) Form her conversation at different times which is of a very wandering nature as well as from her actions viz. her rising at night and wandering in a nude state. (2) None.

7th Sept. 1860. Johnewart, M. R. C. S. L. Wigtown. (1) Is under a false impression about the fate of her son but in other points rational. (2) By her daughter and neighbours. That she repeatedly comes down stairs at night fancying she hears her son's voice in the passages.

30th March 1872 This patient is now almost in the condition at once indicated. She has many delusions. She is generally incoherent in discourse. She is often excited & violent. In this state she is very dangerous & requires much attention. She will not do work unless when she is disposed to do so of her own accord.

12 March 1873 Elizabeth Milroy is frequently much excited & dangerous to the patients. She suffers from wens on the head about 8 in number.

3 December 1873 E. Milroy enjoys good health. takes her food well. works daily in the workroom & manifests no change in her mental symptoms.

14/3/75 Usually rarely difficult to manage now: works very industriously.

20/11/75 Insatiable.

33/6/76 No evident change to record.

10/12/76 Daily in the workroom, and on the whole not difficult to manage: good humoured but occasionally

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staying if husked against.

20/6/77 No change to record.

June 6th 81 Is quiet & goodnatured: walks well: demented

July 10th 82 Remains much as noted above

Oct: 9th 82 No change to record.

March 30th 83 An amusing old boy sometimes however inclined to make indelicate remarks: is destructive.

8 Oct 1883 Remains as described above.

Number	798	Name	Agnes Gordon or Patterson
Date of Admission	14 th September, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 61	Religion	
Occupation	Pauper. Once the wife of a farmer	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Wish changeable to	Hells	Result	
Previous attacks			

2-12-62 Removed

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Number	799	Name	Janet Brown
Date of Admission	19 th September, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 40	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
British chargeable to	Lehwall	Result	
Previous attacks			

3/1/62 Died

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Number	800	Name	John Burke
Date of Admission	793 20 th September, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known.	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 40	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
First chargeable to	Wigton	Result	
Previous attacks			

4th Sept. 1860. Samuel Snowdon M. D. Wigton N. B. : (1) At certain times he is greatly excited without any apparent cause, and often talks incoherently. There is a peculiar restlessness of the eyes and at times a very ~~exp~~ savage expression of countenance. (2) He has broken about twenty six panes of glass in the window of his cell, and struck the son of the Governor of the Prison and uses very threatening language. (From Governor of Prison.)

5th Sept. 1860. John Ewart M. R. C. S. L. Wigton: (1) Violent gesticulations, incoherent manner of speaking, extreme irritability of temper - general restlessness. (2) That he has committed sundry acts of violence, such as breaking of his cell windows - striking at the jailor's son - and tearing his clothes.

10th March 1871. The history of this patient as elicited from a series of Cross examinations shows the singular fact that he has been in almost all the prisons in Britain. This has occurred from his proneness to assault person, which he does on the slightest provocation. He has several times assaulted person in the Asylum also & had to be removed from block for this propensity. He is in good health.

27 March 1873. J. D. enjoys good health. He has attacks of excitement which last for some days in which he uses violence & assaults those who approach him. He is however seldom free from a milder degree of this, as he constantly uses insulting language & keeps up chronic irritation to all around him.

12 Dec^r 1873. There is no change in J. D.'s mental condition. general health is good.

10/3/75. Now quiet and busy about the falling work: seldom or never commits the slightest assault.

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30/11/75 In statu quo.

25/6/76 John works industriously in the Galley and rarely suffers from excitement: he, however, recently knocked a considerable hole in the partition of his bed room during the night.

10/12/76 In statu quo.

20/6/77 The patient having for a long time conducted himself well and unscathed now, has been sent out to work, in the expectation that his irritability will be toned down by the open air labours.

June 6th 81 Patient works well in the galley: is rarely excitable
Feb 16th 82 No change to be seen.

Oct: 7th 82 In statu quo
March 30th 83 Burke continues to work well: the old spirit however remains and he struck a patient with a gutta serena CP on the head: not however doing much damage.

SOCT. 1883 This man is distinctly failing from age: he is a good worker: Mentally, he is improved.

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Number	801 797	Name	William Houston
Date of Admission	21 st September, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Kick of a horse 11 years previous	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 27	Religion	
Occupation	Pauper	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Character of Delirium	
Psych. changeable to	Choleric	Result	
Previous attacks			

18th Sept. 1860 W. Marshall. M.D. Buccleuch Street, Dumfries: (1) Will not answer any question but by a vacant stare. May perhaps say aye or No. Was subject to partake of the pigs or kers inclines to live altogether alone. (2) Much the same as above

18th Sept. 1860. P. Murray M.D. Dumfries: (1) Countenance vacant and inexpressive; will not reply to a single question addressed to him. (2) Never speaks to any of the inmates and keeps constantly by himself.

4th April 1874 There is no change in the condition of this person from what is given above, He has good health & is daily engaged in work.

2 April 1873 W.H. suffers from no special disease. He assists daily in the cellar. He seldom speaks & though his intelligence is much impaired, he shows a great deal of alacrity & regularity in the discharge of his daily duties.

12 December 1873 W.H. enjoys good health & is regular in the discharge of his work. There is no alteration in his mental condition.

10/3/75 Works in the kitchen: in statu quo.

20/11/75 No change.

25/6/76 Quiet and absolutely harmless: at work as for years.

10/12/78 Literally no change in mental or bodily health to record.

1/4/77 In statu quo.
 June 6th 81 Remains quiet & demented: works in the kitchen: is very pale & anaemic
 Feb. 1882 No change to record.

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Oct. 9th 82 In statu quo.

March 30th 83 W.H. works regularly & industriously at the bread cutting, takes the food through to the gullet but very rarely uses his tongue: he is harmless & demented.

1st Sept 83 William Houston is today discharged by minute of Dumfries Parochial Board

Relieved

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Number 795
 Date of Admission 25th September, 1860
 Cause Unknown, Masturbation!
 Sex & Age Male 20
 Occupation Medical student
 Married, single, or widowed Single
 Irish chargeable to
 Previous Attacks

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

James Williamson

29/1/62 Remov'd

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Number	803 706	Name	John Jardine
Date of Admission	2 ^d October 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Epilepsy	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 24	Religion	
Occupation	Writer Clerks	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Cham. or Dirty	
Irish chargeable to	Proquac	Result	
Previous attacks			

1st Oct. 1860. J. Dalziel. M. D. Edin. Penpont, by Thornhill: (1) The patient deliberately held out a finger and affirmed that a penholder suddenly emerged "from that finger, about a year ago. (2)

2^d Oct. 1860. James McCulloch M. D. &c. Dumfries: He asserts that a penknife and penholder came out of his finger, that things are constantly coming out of his head, hands & other parts of the body have been & known him have severe epilepsy for a long time past &c. (2) Says that God had told him he would never more fits (epileptic) Wanted to have a sword "that he might see blood &c &c.

4th April 1875 J. S. still suffers from epileptic fits. He has many delusions. but his hallucinations above referred to, have disappeared. He has lost his memory very much & his mental and nervous much impaired. He is stupid & talks of too of his great ability in many things. He pretends to give an account of how many fits he has ever had. but it is principally the result of his megalomania & mathematical delusions.

2 April 1873 John Jardine enjoys good health. He suffers from continued Epileptic fits. There is no special feature however in his mental condition.

2 Dec 1873 John Jardine enjoys good average health. His fits continue as before. There is no change in his mental condition. He is if anything more demented.

10/3/75 Suffers from Chronic Bronchitis: takes fits frequently and is much demented.

20/11/75 In statu quo.

25/6/76 Very demented, but he assists daily in the work of the Gallery.

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10/12/76 On statu quo.

20/6/77 Still takes fits severely: very demented.

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Dead

Number	804 797	Name	Thomas Richardson
Date of Admission	1 st October, 1870	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 24	Religion	
Occupation	A Clerk	Alcohol & Opium	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Chans & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dumfriesshire	Result	
Previous Attacks			

28th May, 1870 Patient discharged, relieved

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Number	805. 477	Name	Eliza Lorenzo Davis
Date of Admission	22 nd October, 1860	Name of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 40	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of a coastguardsman	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class or Party	
Irish, English, or Scotch	Irish	Result	
Previously attacked			

21st Oct. 1860. Alex. Maxwell, Surgeon, Kirkbean Village: (1) Her false perception of things displayed in her supposing persons are watching to do her injury and looking at her through key holes &c. her restlessness and insomnia. (2) Her husband says he discovered her secreting a knife. &c.

21st Oct. 1860. James Menzies M.D. Kirkbean: (1) She imagines that there are people around her who wish to murder her, and talks of people looking in at her through the windows. She is sleepless. (2) She attempted to drown herself, imagines her neighbours are constantly annoying her, rambles up and down in the middle of the night.

4th April 1872. This patient enjoys good health, but she is very impudent, noisy & often dangerous. She has many delusions about the Queen & where she is. She takes much pleasure in taking care of her dog but she will not do any work.

March 1873. Eliza Lorenzo Davis enjoys good average health. Her mental condition shows no improvement. She is noisy & obstinate & difficult to manage from the character of the ideas which are fixed in her mind. She considers she is falsely imprisoned & that the Queen is the only person who is able to relieve her.

2 December 1873. E.L.D. makes no progress in her mental condition. She is even more obstinate and quarrelsome. Her general health is good.

10/3/75 Still noisy and quarrelsome: does no work.

20/11/75 In slaty mood.

25/6/76 In much the same condition: her appearance gives me the impression that she is likely to die suddenly - either

Heart disease or apoplexy in a fit disposition; and consequently no attempt at any ^(which would necessitate a struggle) severe discipline is attempted in her case for fear of some mel. a. prog.

10/12/26 In statu quo.

20/1/77 Except that thro D. has begun to snuff, there seems nothing of change to note in her case.

June 6th 81 She continues to boast of her blue blood: "She is descended from the noble Souds": She is the Queen and the crown belongs to her: has hallucinations of hearing: She is often amusing but is much too grand to do any work.

Feb 10th 82 Patient remains as above: snuffs a deal: tho the same royal personage who proclaims her noble ancestry in her has grammar.

Oct: 9th 82 In statu quo: sometime ago had a severe attack of Bronchitis from which she with difficulty rallied.

March 30th 83 During the winter I.D. had another Bronchitis attack & was confined to her bed for some weeks. She was difficult to manage & was rather rebellious about being poulticed. The Bronchitis has passed off but she is still reduced in strength. Some delusions continue.

POCA 83. Patient is in better health: mentally there is no improvement to be expected.

24 September 84 Mrs Davis has the same delusion about the Queen that she had before. She is just as obstinate & quarrelsome as ever. Today had to be removed from Hall owing to bad language. Afterwards she amused herself in scratching her face & tearing her hair. Her general health is fair: there seems no danger of apoplexy as stated 9 years ago.

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Number 794
 Date of Admission 25th October 1860
 Cause Congenital
 Sex & Age Male 20
 Occupation A pauper
 Married, single or widowed Single
 Irish chargeable to Morten
 Previous attacks

Name James Kirkpatrick
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Clean or Dirty
 Result

3rd Aug. 1862 Died

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Number	807 806	Name	M ^{rs} Mary Longton
Date of Admission	1 st November, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known Drink?	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 50	Religion	
Occupation	Tramp	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Chast or Dirty	
With chargeable to	Dumfriess	Result	
Previous Attacks			

3rd Aug. 1861 Removed

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Number	808	Name	George Given
Date of Admission	3 rd November 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 33	Religion	
Occupation	Divinity Student	Susceptible of Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Dirty	
Which chargeable to	Penningsham	Result	
Previous attacks			

1st Nov. 1860. Charles Smith, Surgeon, Newton Stewart: (1) His general behaviour and actions. (2) Various complaints in regard to his noisy conduct on the streets made to me by the public.

1st Nov. 1860 James Mox. Dr. J. Newton Stewart: Having known him for many years I find his disposition and whole character changed and quite different from that of any person of sound mind. (2) He is considered a nuisance by the general public both on account of his indecent dress and absurd behaviour.

1st April 1872 G. G. Character partakes more of belly than positive Imbecile. He is mischievous & silly & is quite conscious of it. He shows no sign of improvement. He has average health & is daily engaged in work.

2 May 1873 George Given's condition is one in which imbecility & folly are more striking than any other feature. He spends much of his time in laughing at imaginary jokes of his own. In manner he is quiet & regular in his habits. His health is good.

22 December 1873 There is no change in the mental condition of G. G. He never exhibits any desire to get away from here. He is orderly & regular. His mental state of excessive folly.

10/3/75 No change

20/11/75 In state good

25/6/76 There is some reason to conjecture that G. G.'s folly is to some extent assumed, one striking feature in it is that it never leads him to do anything displeasing to himself, and he makes it the reason for doing as little work as possible.

10/12/76 Much the same.

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20/6/77

In good bodily health: mental condition much
the same.

2/1/79

Died

	809 807	Name
Time of Admission	November 7, 1860	John Young
Age	Not known	Kind of Mental Disease
Sex & Age	Male 19	Education
Occupation	A weaver	Religion
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Moral & Pungent
Which chargeable to	Galina	Clean & Dirty
Previous Attacks		Result

7th Nov. 1860. James Carruthers, Surgeon, Kirkpatrick Fleming: (1) Will not speak or answer any questions. Is childish and idiotic. (2) Conceals himself in secret. Wanders away from home evidently not knowing where he is going.

7th November 1860. J. Guinson M.D.C.S. Eng. Southern Counties Asylum of Excessive restlessness & excitability. By no method could I get him to ~~more~~ speak or answer a single question, and was obliged to desist from any questioning owing to the violence of the excitement which it called forth. (3) He was a patient in this Institution for two years. By the Inspector

1st April 1872. J. Y. is at present in a hopeless condition of dementia arising principally from masturbation. He is filthy in his habits. Very nervous & excitable. He never will speak. His health is much impaired & he is so prone to take his food he can scarcely get to rise off his seat.

2nd February 1873. J. Y. is quite demented. He gives no answer to any question. He is filthy & disorderly in his attire & the saliva is constantly streaming down his chin. He takes his food well & exercises daily in the grounds.

10 December 1873. J. Y. exhibits no change in his mental or bodily condition since last report. He is still filthy in his habits especially during the night.

10/3/75 Little or no change.

20/11/75 Saliva flows copiously over his neck and shirt leaving him constantly wet however often changed: sent to the Infirmary for treatment.

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25/6/76 Habits a little improved, but he remains on the whole much the same.

14/12/76 Continues to allow the saliva to dribble, or spit, down the front of his clothes. Occasionally strikes other patients without provocation and suddenly.

20/1/77 An attempt has recently been made - by sending patient to out of door work - to direct his energies into some nobler employment than spitting over himself, with what success remains to be seen. At present he has to wear a waterproof apron, else his clothes would have to be changed two or three times a day to keep him dry.

June 6th 81 J. Young continues to manufacture unlimited supplies of saliva which streams down over his clothes as described above.

July 10th 82 No change to record in this demented patient
Oct: 9th 82 Remains in status quo.

March 30th 83 J. Y. has for sometime been wearing a water-proof coat which was of much service in protecting him during the winter cold. He has been sent out to the barrow party. During the winter he had a cough which has now passed off.

8 Oct 88 3 He, during the summer been working at trenching: he has the same spitting habit: now again he is apt to strike

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Number ⁸¹⁰
~~702~~
 Date of Admission 13th November, 1860
 Cause Not known
 Sex & Age Female 18
 Occupation Domestic servant
 Marital, single, or widowed Widowed
 Irish Charitable to Huddam
 Previous attacks

Name Ann Scott
 Family Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Schicidal or Dangerous
 Character of Duty
 Result

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Number ~~507~~ 811
 Date of Admission 14th November, 1860
 Cause Drink
 Sex & Age Male 48
 Occupation Watchmaker
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to Dumfriesshire
 Previous Attacks

Name John Todd
 Signs of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Suicidal or Dangerous
 Character & History
 Result

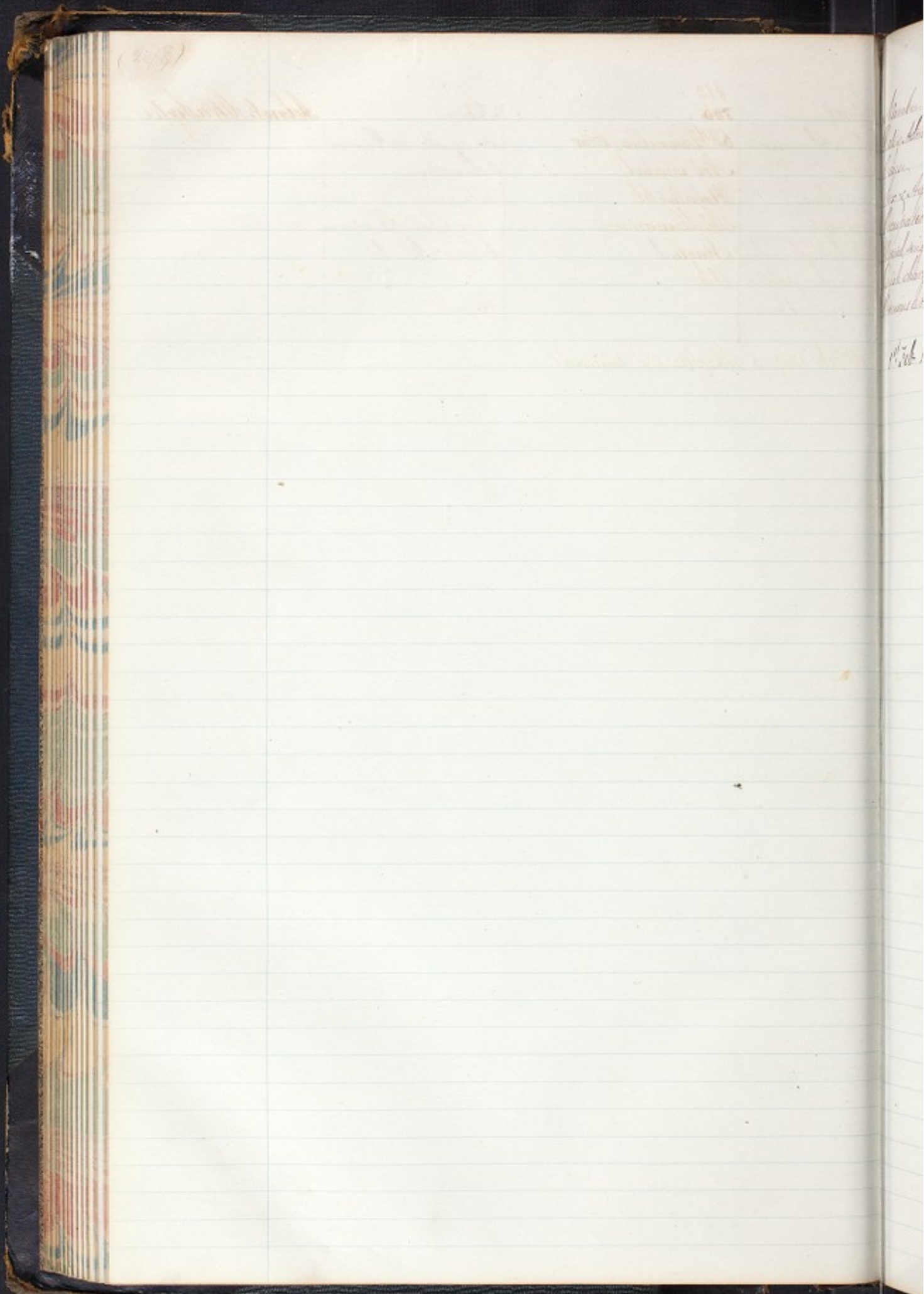
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Number ~~765~~ 812
 Date of Admission 30th November 1860
 Sex Not stated
 Age Male 18
 Occupation Labourer
 Single or married Married
 Parish chargeable to Un
 Previous attacks

Name
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Situation & Occupations
 Character & Disposition
 Result

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Number	813 806	Name	Janet Craig
Date of Admission	6 th December, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	An injury	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 60	Religion	
Occupation	Millwoman	Marital & Domestic	
Married, single, or widow	Single	Character & Conduct	
Is she chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks			

1st Feb. 1869 Discharged relieved.

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Number	874	Name	William Boyle
Date of Admission	10th 12 th December, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Loss of his wife	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 31	Religion	
Occupation	Gardener	Suicidal, Dangerous	
Marital, single, widowed	Widowed	Clean & Dirty	
Irish chargeable to	Kirkbean	Result	
Private affairs			

5th Feb/62

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Number	815 768	Name	Agnes M ^{rs} Minno
Date of Admission	22 nd December, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Sex	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 68	Religion	
Occupation	Housekeeper	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Marital single or married	Single	Clear or Dirty	
Irish Charitable to	Not headbright	Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number	816	Name	Mary Little
Date of Admission	26 th December, 1860	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not stated	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 27	Religion	
Occupation	Vagrant	Suicidal Propensities	
Married, single, widowed	Single	Character & Demeanor	
Place where she was taken	Kirkpatrick, Durham	Result	
Previous attacks			

23rd Dec. 1860. John S. Shand M.D. Kirkcudbright: (1) That she is generally laughing whether spoken to or not. does not know by name the day of the week nor month of the year; says that the sky was made by the Fairy. That if she got to Liverpool she would be employed as a pedlar, that when at New York she was twice sent to an Asylum where were mad people. (2) By James Taylor, Steward Officer, that on arrival of steam boat at Kirkcudbright, was told an insane woman was on board, who had attempted to leap over into the sea, & talked nonsense incessantly.

25th Dec. 1860. John Shand M.D. F.R.C.S.E. Kirkcudbright: (1) That she talks somewhat incoherently. continually laughs after speaking on whatever subject. Proposes going to whale fishing at Australis - refuses to show her tongue, as she says nobody can tell anything from it except in fever and from her conduct generally as well as from her aspect. (2) Conduct at the steamer, as narrated by James Taylor, Steward Officer, and from the observations made by Dr Shand.

4th April 1872 Dr L. Drummond no improvement. She is peevish about & incoherent, Her knowledge is also very imperfect, of familiar things. She is the subject of Addison's Disease, She has good health.

26 March 1873 Mary Little continues in a similar state to what she was in, when she was admitted. Her skin is deeply pigmented all over it gives her a yellowish color. No special disease exists as far as can be diagnosed.

20 December 1873 There is no change in this person's condition. She answers questions. Never asks any. She is quiet. Walks daily in the grounds & takes her food heartily.

10/3/75 De statu quo.

- 20/11/75 M. L. recently suffered from nodular tumours - apparently of a syphilitic character, one of which - on the head, was ulcerating, and her appearance - apart from the pigmentation - was cachectic: under KI and iodine oil the nodules have resolved.
- 31/12/76 M. L. recently in a sudden fit of excitement dashed her hand through a pane of glass inflicting a rather severe incised wound of the wrist dividing the terminal part of the radial artery: the artery was at once tied, and the wound has healed pretty well.
- 25/6/76 In statu quo.
- 10/12/76 No change to record.
- 20/6/77 Recently has suffered from a very intractable ulcer of the leg - now healed.
- June 6th - 81 Patient is ~~not~~ ^{does no work} ~~not~~ ^{at all} ~~well~~ ^{at all}: she is now quiet & is much demoralized.
- July 10th - 82 No change to record.
- Oct: 9th - 82 In statu quo.
- March 30th - 83 M. L. is stout & lazy, she cannot do any work and now again she has fights with the patients. Not infrequently she is troubled with small ulcers of the Cornea.
- 8 Oct 1883 Patient is very stout and insolent.
- 28 July 1884 *Interchanged*
- 3-1-85 For some time M. L. has been at Spitalfield Cottages. She is now undisciplined & very useful in the household work. She speaks more than formerly. To day she & Janet Little went out for a walk & did not return at 12:30. Search was made in the neighbourhood but it was not till late evening that they were discovered at Fairmeads Farm. Mary said she was very hard & needed to get back home. She had evidently simply followed Janet. She has been sent back to the Cottages -

Number 217
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 Date of Admission 28th December, 1860
 Cause
 Sex & Age Male
 Occupation Farm servant
 Married, single, or wid. Single
 Parish chargeable to Kilskeudbright
 Previous attacks

 3rd August 1861 Removed

Name William M^{rs} Kay
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Subsidial or Dangerous
 Class & Party

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Number	58	Name	Robert Cutler Kennedy
Date of Admission	7 th January, 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Sex		Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 58	Religion	
Occupation	Mason	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	819 812	Name	Nancy Conway
Date of Admission	9 th January. 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Female	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Character	
Parish chargeable to	Froquer	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	820 878	Name	Elizabeth Hastings
Date of Admission	21 st January, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Illness	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 44	Religion	
Occupation	Farmer's Daughter	Subsidiary Occupations	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks			

23 July 61 Removed

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Number	821	Name	Agnes M ^o Cold
Date of Admission	21 st January, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 29	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class of Disty	
Parish chargeable to	Leswall	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	822 878	Name	Archibald Ireland
Date of Admission	22 nd January, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Drunk	Education	
Sex & Age	Male - 45	Religion	
Occupation	Serjeant Major, Dumfriesshire Militia	Success of Treatment	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Class of Diet	
Parish chargeable to	Penninghame	Result	
Previous Attacks			

17 July 61 Removed

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22^d Apr

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4th Apr

Number	823 814	Name	William Broadfoot
Date of Admission	25 th January, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 27	Religion	
Occupation	Assistant Teacher	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Other a Duty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks			

22nd Jan. 1861. John C. Maddon M.D. M.C. & Rothsay Route: (1) Restless suspicious of every one entertains the idea that his parents have suddenly become Roman Catholics, that Brown's Commentary of the Bible and Brown's dictionary of the Bible upholds Roman Catholics and such being the case insisted on burning Brown's dictionary, threatens to expose his views with sword and pistol, and says that if any differ from him he ought to use those weapons. (2) Is violent and one evening last week on being reasoned with by his father threatened to burn Brown's dictionary of the Bible on being prevented became very violent wished for a small sword and actually attempted to stab his parents and sister, after which being late at night he left for Rothsay a distance of six or seven miles.

23rd Jan. 1860. Charles J. Macleachlan M.D. Rothsay: (1) Excited suspicious looks - labours under the delusion that his father and the rest of his family have become Roman Catholics, says that the Bible and Brown's Commentaries in the house, must have been changed for there are different expressions in them now than formerly. These expressions supporting Roman Catholic views. (2) Is violent and on Thursday last attempted to burn Brown's Commentaries and threatened to use a dagger, and in a state of great excitement at night left the house and came to Rothsay.

4th April 1842. W. B. manifest no improvement. He is suspicious & speculative in habits & will seldom give a direct answer to a question though he is able to do so. His hands have been much wounded but if asked here he considers it due to the impertinent curiosity of the Enquirer. He has good health but will not do any work.

Sent to a S.B. Glasgow

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Number	824 777	Name	James Graham
Date of Admission	1 st February, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religious impressions	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 45	Religion	
Occupation	Farm Servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Man or Girl	
Parish chargeable to	Annan. ad interim	Result	
Previous attacks			

10 May '61 Removed

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Number	826	Name	Alexander Greenlee
Date of Admission	8 th February, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known.	Education	
Sex & Age	Male, 18	Religion	
Occupation	Student	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clear or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks			

8 Mar '61

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Number	127 77	Name	Elizabeth Stewart
Date of Admission	16 th February, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religion (Revivalism)	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 24	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Marital single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to	Ulster ad interim	Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number	828 778	Name	Janet Dewar
Date of Admission	22 ^d February 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Female 32	Religion	
Occupation		Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Menziegoff	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Cause
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Occupation
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4th April

12th May

Number	828	Name	Alexander Haining
Date of Admission	23 rd February, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Revivalism	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 36	Religion	
Occupation	Teacher	Suicidal Danger	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class	Dirty
Parish chargeable to	Irongray	Result	
Previous Attacks			

23rd Feb. 1861. W. Marshall, Buccleuch Street, Dumfries: (1) Answers questions irrelevantly thinks he would be all right if he was a keeper in the Asylum and if he had only plenty of work states that he is very fond of his prayers in the morning but would rather have his porridge first. (2) His brother states that his whole thoughts are taken up on religious subjects. Made away from his home on yesterday morning at 5. A. M. and did not return till after he had travelled 8 or 10 miles.

23rd Feb. 1861. P. Murray, M. D. Dumfries: (1) Answers questions incoherently. Wonders if the revival meetings have done much good is anxious to know if it is the case that Paul was beheaded, thinks that Dr Wood is more experienced in religious matters than himself, but is not to be compared with Mr Haining (2) His brother states that he rings the Church bell in order to get in at a prayer meeting the other night, he occupied the desk and would not allow the minister to officiate.

4th April 1861. The condition of A. Haining is now similar to what is given above. He ^{ask} answers questions in a very unconnected & silly manner. Spends most of his time not engaged in singing psalms except while he is at work. He suffers from "petit mal" is sometimes very nervous owing to the excitement of the coming on him. He works steadily.

12th March 1863. Alexander Haining became swooning several during last night. He is ~~at present~~ ^{continues} to have a series of epileptic fits, for about 11 hours after which he sunk, & died.

Died - P.M.

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Number	830	Name	Mary Armstrong Glendinning
Date of Admission	6 th March, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Case	Revivalism	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 28	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Sawyer	Miscible Punguous	
Marital single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

21/1/63 Removed

Number	731	Name	Barbara M ^c Cormick
Date of Admission	13 th March, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not stated	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 42	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Subsidiary or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Kilkinner	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	832 824	Name	James Hunter
Date of Admission	16 th March, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Stroke on Head from a Hammer	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 21	Religion	
Occupation	Apprentice to Blacksmith	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Straiton	Result	
Previous attacks			

2^d May 1870 Discharged relieved.

Number	832	Name	John Herr
Date of Admission	16 th March, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Male 64	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single, widowed	Married	Clean & Dirty	
British chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

9 Aug. 1863 Died

Number	833	Name	Thomas Gordon
Date of Admission	6 th April 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Gender		Education	
Sex & Age	Male 45	Religion	
Occupation	Basket maker	Subsist or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous Attacks			

6 July 1861 Removed

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Date
Name
Place
Occupation
Profession

Number	834	Name	Sarah Grahame
Date of Admission	9 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religious excitement	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 41	Religion	
Occupation	Farm service	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Parish changeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

25 May/61 Recovered

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Number	835 772	Name	William Laurie
Date of Admission	10 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Drink	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 56	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clear or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Chempstead	Result.	
Previous attacks			

20/2/65 Died

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Number
List of
Page
No. 1, 2, 3
Occupation
Special
Birth date
Parents

Number	836 829	Name	Isabella Patterson
Date of Admission	11 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religion	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 19	Religion	
Occupation	Nurse maid	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married single, widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Perish changeable to	Sanguine	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	837 838	Name	Janet Dobie
Date of Admission	16 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religious excitement. Parth. Religion	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 61	Religion	
Occupation	Farm servant	Subj. to Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Character	
Parish chargeable to	Troqueur	Result	
Previous attacks			

30 April /62 Removed

Number	838	Name	Susan Petro. Smith
Date of Admission	16 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Revival Terrorism	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 22	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer's wife	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Chast. & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	St. Michael	Result	
Previous attacks			

5/11/61 Removed

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Number
 Date of Admission 18th April, 1861
 Cause Scarlet Fever
 Sex & Age Female, 24
 Occupation Domestic servant
 Married single or widowed Married
 Parish chargeable to Dumpries maritime
 Previous attacks

Name
 Term of Mental Disease
 Education
 Religion
 Miscellaneous Particulars
 Character & Disposition
 Result

Sarah Reid or Ellis

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Number

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Name

Catherine White

Date of Admission

20th April, 1861

Form of Mental Disease

Cause

Revivalism

Education

Sex & Age

Female 21

Religion

Occupation

Maid servant

Acquired or Dangerous

Married, single or widowed

Single

Clean or Dirty

Parish chargeable to

Previous attacks

Result

8/11/61 Removed

Number	841 834	Name	James Wilson
Date of Admission	20 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religious. Nervous diseases	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 50	Religion	
Occupation	Railway Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or District	
Parish chargeable to	Sanguhar	Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number
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Year
Month
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Place

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Number	842	Name	Isabella Pasley
Date of Admission	20 th April, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 82	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Idiosyncrasy or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Character & Demeanor	
Parish chargeable to	Kirkmahoe	Result	
Previous Attacks			

13 April 62 Died

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Number	843 836	Name	George Richardson
Date of Admission	30 th April, 1861	From what District	
Case	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 33	Religion	
Occupation	Formerly a Draper now Farm worker	Physical & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

9 Aug. 63 Removed

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Number

Date of Admission

14th May 1861

Cause

The mind affected by religious fanaticism

Sex & Age

Female 18

Occupation

Not given

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Parish chargeable to

Previous attacks

Name

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Education

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Suicidal - Dangerous

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Number	845 838	Name	Helen Anderson
Date of Admission	7 th May 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Revivalism	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 23	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

31/1/62 Removed

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Number	846 839	Name	James Currie
Date of Admission	7 th May, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 67	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Selfish & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Crookhaven	Result	
Previous attacks			

6/11/62 Removed

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Number
Date of the
Year
Description
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Number	845	Name	Mary Cooper
Date of Admission	6 th May, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Death of a child	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 36	Religion	
Occupation	Scamstress	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Duty	
Parish chargeable to	Birmingham	Result	
Previous attacks			

25 July 1861 Removed

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Number	848	Name	Mary Campbell Armstrong
Date of Admission	11 th May, 1861	Rank of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 63	Religion	
Occupation	Sailors wife	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Married	Class of Party	
Parish chargeable to	St. Andrew	Result	
Previous attacks			

6/2/62 Removed

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26th December

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Number	849	Name	Eliza Davidson,
Date of Admission	19 th May, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 32	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class	Disby
Racial characteristics			
Previous attacks		Result	

9th May, 1869 Hugh Nisbet M.D. Troon: (1) She has told me the Duke of Athol is a vagabond he causes husbands to leave their wives and cohabit with others &c. (2) She has told her sister I was going to give her chloroform to take away her power of reasoning.

10th May, 1861 Will Hutcheson M.D. F.R.C.S.E. &c. Troon, Ayrshire. (1) Great excitability. Delusions of which the following are specimens. That his Royal Highness the Commander in Chief is determined to plunge the country in war to accomplish his own purposes, among others the seduction of innocent girls and wives, that he has been and is now in Troon for immoral purposes, that her nearest relatives conspire against her and use her brutally and wish to destroy her body and soul &c. &c. (2) General excitement. loud talking and repeating scraps of poetry - rhyming herself - suspicion that poison is being given her and particularly chloroform &c.

3rd March 1871 The condition of E. Davidson is at present the same as alluded to above. She is of late however more instructive & less abstracted in her delusions & also in good health.

20 April 1873 E.D. makes no progress in her recovery. She often suffers attacks of furious excitement which last only for a few hours. She smashes glass & uses violence on any object near her. While she converses with imaginary beings near her. She is fond of drawing birds and other animals which she does by coloured clays.

26 December 1873 There is no alteration in her mental & bodily condition. Her general health is good.

10/3/75 E.D. still holds conversations with beings beyond the ken of ordinary mortals: rarely excited to any particular extent

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20/11/75 In statu juv.

25/6/76 Has recently had a recurrence after greater excitement in which she broke several panes of glass: in good bodily health.

10/12/70 Much the same.

20/6/77 Has been much more excited lately & broken several panes of glass: she is sleepless and noisy at nights.

30/4/78

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Number	830 843	Name	Ann Scott
Date of Admission	17 th May, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 48	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Selfish & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Koddam	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	8774	Name	Samel Geddes - Candlish
Date of Admission	18 th May, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Case		Education	
Sex & Age	Female, 42	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Subsidiary Diseases	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class - Party	
Parish chargeable to	Kirkcounsil	Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number

Name

William McCall

Date of Admission

19th May, 1861

Form of Mental Disease

Cause

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Sex & Age

Male 48

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Sailor in navy

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Number	833 846	Name	Robert McColm
Date of Admission	20th May 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Male 21 1/2	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Blame or Faulty	
Parish chargeable to	Honeykirk, Rankhill	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	854 847	Name	Alexander Burnie
Date of Admission	23 rd May 1861	Family Medical Disease	
Case	Not known.	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 20	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Subsidiary Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Stockholm	Health	
Previous attacks			

22nd May 1861 J. M. Shand M.D. F.R.C.S.E. Kirkcudbright: (1) Nothing except a peculiar shyness observable when I conversed with him and unwillingness to look me in the face. In conversation and in memory he seems decidedly improved since I last visited him. Stated by Mr Watson Inspector that he was taken out of the asylum by his father against the advice of the Medical Officers, and that they considered him a most dangerous lunatic; also the Father and mother are now afraid of him especially at night lest he should do violence. Father says his temper is worse.

22nd May 1861. John Shand M.D. & Surgeon, Borough of Kirkcudbright: (1) He always answers questions readily and for the most part correctly yet it is with a hesitation and evident unwillingness. On being asked if he is well treated by them gives no answer has a quick pulse about 90 in a minute flushed face and countenance indicative of mental disease. (2) By his father and mother that he is of a violent temper, easily provoked and threatens violence, particularly to his mother - by Mr Watson that he was removed from the Asylum at the urgent request of his parents chiefly his Father and contrary to the opinion of the Physicians of the Asylum.

4th April 1871. There is no improvement in A. B.'s mental condition. He is in a state of fatuity & is not considered dangerous. He has good health & works steadily.

2 March 1873 Alexander Burnie enjoys good health. There is in his mental condition no improvement. He never speaks or asks for any favour. He is however cheerful industrious & regular in his habits.

26 December 1873 A. Burnie enjoys good health. Manifests no change in his mental condition. He is employed in feeding pigs.

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- 10/3/75 No change to record.
- 24/11/75 In status quo.
- 25/6/76 Still at work daily with the swine feeders, and in much the same condition.
- 10/12/76 No change to record.
- 28/6/77 In good bodily health: mental conditions unchanged.
- June 6th 81 Is a contented imbecile: one of the pig brigade.
- Feb 10th 82 Remains as above
- Oct: 9th 82 No change to record.
- March 30th 83 A.B. is sometimes very difficult to bathe: on one occasion from last entry he resisted & sustained some slight bruises: he occasionally has fits of dyspnoea of an asthmatic character.
- 8 Oct 1883 A.B. has not of late resisted his ordinary bath: he is entirely stonewall.

See New Year Book Vol I 151.

Number	835 848	Name	John Atchison
Date of Admission	28 th May, 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 29	Religion	
Occupation	Shepherd	Subsidiary Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Moffat	Result	
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Number	556 749	Name	David Ewart
Date of Admission	31 st May, 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Deranged system	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 43	Religion	
Occupation	Agricultural labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Middlebie	Result	
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Number	27	Name	Margaret McAllister
Date of Admission		Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Abrupt intelligence of methodists	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 16	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Individual or Domestic	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to	Glasserton		
Previous attacks		Null	

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Number	858	Name	John Napier Charters
Date of Admission	6 th June, 1761	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known: Drink	Etio. loc. etc.	
Sex & Age	Male. 51	Religion	
Occupation	Coachman	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean & Dirty	
Birth chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks		Result	

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Number	839	Name	Mr Sean Hamilton
Date of Admission	1 st June, 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Concern about the state of her soul	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 45	Religion	
Occupation	Seamstress	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Parrish chargeable to	Sanguhar	Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number	860 772	Name	Robert Johnstone
Date of Admission	14 th June 1861	History Mental Disease	
Case	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 33	Religion	
Occupation	Surgeon	Miscellaneous & Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed	Single	Character & Demeanor	
Parish chargeable to	Dryfesdale	Result	
Previous attacks			

13th June 1861 George C. Wilson, Surgeon, Lockerbie: (1) Insane appearance, confession of being insane and that to night he was quite deranged thinks that he hears spirits speaking to him & and that he is no better at least than when he went to the Asylum last time & (2) He has very much injured two of his sisters and made an upon his brother in law and has done so many foolish things as to satisfy all his relations that he is insane.

14th June 1861 James Gilchrist M.D. Crichton House, Dumfries: (1) nervous and excitable. (2) Has not been able to work for a long period has not taken his food sufficiently for some days and yesterday made an attack on his relation.

17th April 1879 R. Johnston life is that of a monotonous dement he takes his food, reads a book, & takes some outdoor exercise, He will not work & although will consent. He appears contented.

2 May 1873 Dr. R. Johnstone enjoys good health. He is still liable to attacks of dangerous fury in which he threatens. In his ordinary manner he is quiet and well conducted. He refuses to engage in any work & spends most of his time in reading & walking in the grounds.

26 December 1873 R. Johnstone makes no progress. He is quiet & civil if spoken to but resists all argument to making himself more useful by a negative.

10/3/75 No change.

30/11/75 In statu quo.

25/6/76 Continues still a unsuspected patient though he has not during reporter's incumbency committed himself in any way.

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10/14/76 In statu quo

20/6/77 Continues harmless and free from excitement: physical health good.

June 6th-81 It is not possible to get any conversation out of this patient: on one occasion however he stated that drink was the cause of his ailments: He does no work

July 10th-82 Remains much as above.

Oct: 9th-82 Patient is now at work scrubbing: mentally remains the same.

March 30th-83 R. J. works most industriously: he is quiet & demented.

8 Oct 1883 on one occasion since last entry (18th May 83) he made his escape by climbing the wall he wandered about aimlessly for 10 hours and was then brought back to the asylum. He could give no reason for the escapade.

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Discharged

Number	861	Name	Alexander Anderson
Date of Admission	18 th June, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not ascertained	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 72	Religion	
Occupation	Agricultural labourer	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Lingholm	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	862	Name	Ivan Deak
Date of Admission	21 st June, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 17	Religion	
Occupation	Farm servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class or Party	
Parish or Hospital	Kilton	Warrant	
Previous attacks			

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Number	1863	Name	Mary Lavins or Michan
Date of Admission	2 nd July, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Concern for the Pope	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 42	Religion	
Occupation	Field labourer	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean & Decent	
Parish chargeable to	Troquer	Result	
Previous attacks			

2^d July 1861. P. Murray. M.D. Dumfries: (1) Great depression of spirits, states that the Free Church are endeavouring with the aid of Garibaldi to ruin the Pope, goes about the house with a knife threatening to stab people. (2) Abuses her family, her neighbours state that she was running about the street this morning with a knife.

2^d July 1861 Alex. Borthwick M.D. Dumfries: (1) Depression of spirits and various delusions about the injurious influence of the Free Church and Garibaldi against the power of the Pope and the Roman Catholic religion. (2) Mrs. Coltart her next door neighbour states that she becomes at times very violent and noisy and this day flourished a knife in a threatening manner.

4th April 1872 M. L. or M. is in good health at present. She suffers from pendulous belly, & thus somewhat retard the activity of her movements. Her intellectual power is very much impaired. She often indulges in declamatory language. She has many delusions.

2nd March 1873 Mary Lavins or Michan enjoys good health. She is at present very fat & liable to Rheumatic attacks of pain & stiffness in the muscles which does not last for more than a few days. Her abdomen is pendulous. She is very filthy in her conversation & in her habits & does not appreciate in any way her altered condition in this respect.

26 March 1873 There is no change in Mary Michan's mental condition. She is still lazy, filthy & disorderly. Her mental manifestations are those of a vicious ill-trained mind, impaired by vice alone.

10/3/75 M. M. recently met with a fracture of the neck of the femur which has done tolerably well in spite of the restlessness of patient.

6/10/75 Died today of Gangrene arising from congestion of the

liver and retention of bile: on P.M. - the appearance known as ~~fat~~ "Nutmeg liver" was found, that is, large fatty liver much congested. The abdominal protuberance was found to be owing to an large deposit of fat in the omentum and mesentery, these deposits being however produced by an excessive lumbar curvature of the spine.

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Number	884	Name	Sarah McRorie
Date of Admission	6 th July, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Supposed to be from a fright at first	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 62	Religion	
Occupation	Scamstress	Sollicital & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Birth chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	865 772	858	Name	David Hartness
Date of Admission	8 th July, 1861		Form of Mental Disease	
Rank	Not known - ^{including speech & intellect} attended some ^{received}		Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 21		Religion	
Occupation	Blacksmith.		Mild or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single		Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to				
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Number	866 877	Name	Michael McCaul
Date of Admission	5 th July, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Anxiety about the future	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 60	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Sollicitud & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Kirkmaiden	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	867	Name	John Stubbs
Date of Admission	11 th July, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Supposed to be from a quarrel with ^{his employer}	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 26	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, Single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Canobie	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	868	Name	Agnes Robertson or Paul
867		Form of Mental Disease	
Date of Admission	11 th July, 1861	Education	
Cause	Not known	Religion	
Sex & ^{Age} Admission	Female	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Occupation	Pauper	Clean & Orderly	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Result	
Parish chargeable to	Thornhill		
Previous attacks			

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Number ~~869~~
 Date of Admission 2nd August, 1861
 Cause
 Sex & Age Male 25
 Occupation Farmer
 Married, Single, or Widowed Single
 Parish chargeable to
 Previous attacks

Name James Collier
 Form of Mental Disease
 Education
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 Clean & Dirty
 Result

10/4/65 Died

Number	870 72	Name	Grace Smith or McNeil
Date of Admission	2 nd August, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not stated	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 63	Religion	
Occupation	House servant	Silicidal or Pangenus	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Other Party	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	891	Name	Isabella Ferguson
Date of Admission	3 rd August 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	At large plus long age	Education	
Sex & Age	Female	Religion	
Occupation	Scampstress Coffee house keeper	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clear or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Morton	Result	
Previous attacks			

6th Aug 1861 William Scott M.D. Dumphries: Declared that the angel Gabriel is constantly present with her, conversed with her and said she was answered by him &c. &c. Dr Grierson says she holds intercourse with angels and spirits.

6th August 1861 J. Grewson, Surgeon, Southern Counties Asylum: (1) She is very restless and excited - labours under many delusions - holds hourly communion with angels, archangels &c. &c. (2) Mr Hervey, Inspector of Poor mentioned that there was a report that she had threatened to administer poison to some neighbour, and has assaulted a lady in the lady's own house.

4th April 1871. This patient is at present in good health. She sits most of the day talking to herself with her eyes shut. She is often irritable & impulsive at all times. Her general demeanour however is very pleasant though her conversation gradually imperceptibly towards the impudent.

2nd February 1873 Isabella Ferguson is at present in good health. She spends her time in conversation with imaginary beings near. She is gentle in temper and orderly in her habits.

12th December 1873 There is no change in the mental condition of I.F. She suffers from no special disease and is on the whole orderly & contented.

10/3/75 No change

20/11/75 In statu quo.

31/2/76 Died July after a couple of days illness of Heart Disease and congestion of the Lungs: her friends refused a P.M.

Number	872	Name	John Kirkpatrick
Date of Admission	3 rd August, 1861.	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 47	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Solitary or Dangerous	
Married, single, widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Kirkcubright	Result	
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Number	875	Name	George Jackson
Date of Admission	8 th August, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Religion	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 19	Religion	
Occupation	Farm servant	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Westerkirk	Result	
Previous attacks			

27th July, 1861. William Hay, Surgeon, Hartmanon: (a) The eyes are unfixed and incapable of assuming a steady look. His answers to questions are given sometimes in a rapid - sometimes in a hesitating manner. His appearance indicates mental dejection and there is a possibility that his melancholy may pass into mania. (b) His father stated to me that on one occasion when he said he was going to bathe in the river he was afraid that he meant to drown himself.

3rd Aug 1861. W. J. Carlyle M.D. & Surgeon, Lingholm: (a) Much depression and delusions: vacant stare and idiotic look. (b) His father and mother state that he suffers much from delusions sleep badly and has frequent fits of depression and excitement; and that they are afraid he may injure himself.

15th April 1871. The condition of this person at present is similar to that is given above. He is very depressed & can scarcely be made to answer questions, he is a very industrious worker.

3 April 1873 G. J. suffers from no special disease. He has very good health. There is no change in his mental condition.

12 December 1873 G. J. continues to enjoy good health. He works daily in the garden. There is no improvement in his mental condition.

14/3/75 No change.

20/11/75 In statu quo.

25/6/76 Harsh and industriously engaged in the garden daily; appears very depressed and speaks little or none.

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12/12/76 No change to record.

20/6/77 Daily at work in the garden: never suffers from any ailment calling for particular medical attention.

11/2/79 Died

Number	874 87	Name	Agnes Spiers
Date of Admission	14 th August, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female, 26	Religion	
Occupation	Waper & knitter	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Leswalt	Result	
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Number	875	Name	William Clark
Date of Admission	14 th August 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Jealousy and false imaginations	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 30	Religion	
Occupation	General Labourer	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class & Party	
British & chargeable to	Proquor		
Previous attacks		Result	

14th Aug 1861. P. Murray. M. D. Dumfries: (1) States that his wife cohabits with other men (which is false) that Dr Scott, Lochmaben destroyed his penis with a hot wire, thinks his friends wish to kill him. (2) Has threatened once or twice to commit suicide.

14th Aug 1861 Alex. Northwick M. D. Dumfries: (1) Depression of spirits and many very absurd delusions. (2) His wife states that he has been flighty for years, that he has become very jealous of her, and threatens to take away his own life.

4th April 1872. W. C. is a very industrious patient & is in good health at present. He is occasionally attacked of depression in these he is irritable & complains much of mere imaginary grievances, these however soon pass away & he is again well for a limited time.

2 February 1873. W. C. is in good health at present. He works steadily. His mental condition is one of considerable irritability & obstinacy. Often conjoined with offensive & irritating language.

20 December 1873. W. C. continues in good health. He complains excessively of the least thing which causes him annoyance. He regards a few pimples of Exzema as a sufficient cause for whole courses of medical treatment.

{vide Casebook IX, 154. for two entries made under a wrong heading.

25/6/76 The best work about the place: rather irritable and with delusions - some fleeting - others fixed, as that parties are filling him with horridness, are pulling things out of his skin, &c. Recently had a slight attack of pleurisy.

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- 10/12/76 Much the same.
- 20/6/77 W.C. is less troublesome and exacting than formerly but is still rather querulous: his delusions are unchanged, and on a recent visit of his wife he threatened to choke her with a spade.
- June 6th 81 W. Clark is much the same as previous entries: in-
-dustrious, exacting & deluded
- Feb. 10th 82 Remains as above noted.
- Oct: 9th 82 No change to record.
- March 30th 83 W.C. continues to walk well. He is rather fond
of Complaining & very hypochondriacal
- 8 Oct: 1883 W.C. has of late been able to keep his delusions
under more successfully than formerly. He still
remains fond of Complaining.
- See New Case Book. Vol. I. 155.

Number	876	Name	Margaret Bell, Witch
Date of Admission	19 th August, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not stated.	Education	
Sex & Age	Female, 60	Religion	
Occupation	Formerly a domestic servant	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Class or Party	
Parish chargeable to	Langholm	Result	
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Number	877	Name	John Hay
Date of Admission	24 th August, 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Revivalism	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 70	Religion	
Occupation	Shil maker - lately Hawking	Hereditary or Acquired	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class of Morbidity	
Parish, Hospital, or Asylum	Troqueur	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	878	Name	Thomas Johnstone
Date of Admission	14 th September, 1761	Rank of Medal Recd.	
Cause	Fell from horse,	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 30	Religion	
Occupation	Soldier	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single or widowed		Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks			

10/3/63 Died

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Number	879	Name	Andrew Thompson,
Date of Admission	6 th September, 1861	Kind of Mental Disease	
Course	Not stated	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 29	Religion	
Occupation	Coach builder,	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Cham or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous attacks			

6th Sept 1861 James Griev M.D. Surgeon, Dumfries: (1) Great excitement and violence, dangerous to himself and others. (2) Former attacks of a similar character - once or twice in the C. H. Institution.

7th Sept 1861 James Gilchrist M.D. Crichton House, Dumfries: (1) Is restless and excited. (2) Occasionally violent and dangerous.

4th April 1874 A.T. is at present in a condition very similar to that stated above. He is often excited & is very restless & irritable. He works steadily in the garden & is in good health.

2 February 1873 A. Thomson is in good health. He works daily in the garden. His mental state is one of irritability & often conjoined with extensive delusions such as that the Asylum is his property & that he must not be refused any thing. He is very degraded in many of his habits.

20 Dec 1873 A.T. suffers from no special disease. Mental state as noted above. Bodily health good.

17/3/75 Is moody and excitable apparently; bodily health good.

30/11/75 In statu quo.

25/6/76 Daily industrially employed and pretty easily managed: fond of sweets and tobacco.

10/12/76 - On much the same conditions.

20/6/77 Weak minded and childish; presuming, if unchecked.
June 6th 81 Is milder & milder: works daily in the garden & is a good specimen.

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No Change to record

Patent remains mostly healthy.

Patent died today of a Cancerous
Tumour involving the Spine and causing
Paraplegia and Exhaustion.

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Number	876 878	Name	John Macbigging
Date of Admission	11 th September, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause		Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 20	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Medical Opinions	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class of Deliry	
Parish chargeable to	Minneapolis - ad interim,	Result	
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Number	877 77	Name	How Murdock & Co. are
Date of Admission	12 th September, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Strong Drink	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 16	Religion	
Occupation	Housekeeper	Lucid & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clear & Quiet	
Birth chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	872	Name	Nathaniel Burby
Date of Admission	14 th August, 1761	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 59	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Subsidiary & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Hilton		
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Number	883 878	Name	Thomas Douglas
Date of Admission	19 th September, 1861	Family	Marshall Dinore
Cause	Fall from a horse	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 21	Religion	
Occupation	Koorn servant	Morbid & Dangerous	
Marital, single or widowed	Single	Character	Dirty
Parish chargeable to	Irongray	Result	
Previous attacks			

18th Sept 1861. W. Marshall M.D. Buccleuch Street, Bumpries: (1) Laughs immoderately within himself says he would rather hear a song than a Psalm on Sunday gets up in the night and rambles away from home &c. (2) His Father states that his life has often been threatened by his son and that he considers it in danger. He gets up out of bed and imagines he hears sounds as of singing and dancing.

18th Sept 1861. P. Murray M.D. Bumpries, says: (1) Answers questions incoherently and indirectly, often not at all, states that he is troubled at night by people singing to him during his sleep, that he prefers walking about during the night to the day. (2) Will not work any strikes his parents if they speak to him and persists in singing songs on the Lord's day.

30th March 1871. There is not much improvement in the mental condition of T. Douglas. He has still delusions & attacks of excitement. He is a steady worker & is in good health at present.

19 March 1873 Thomas Douglas enjoys good health. He works daily in the garden. His mental condition is one of depression with considerable loss of attention.

26 December 1873 T. D. remains in the condition as at last report. The general health is good.

10/3/75 in much the same condition.

30/11/75 In statu quo.

28/6/76 Very quiet and harmless, and daily at work in the garden.

10/12/76 In statu quo.

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28/6/77 Free from excitement - entirely, demented, silent,
and industrious.

June 6th 81 In condition described above: work with the
Engineer

Feb 7th 82 Patients of Mrs called to see him states that he
used to run away at night and not return till the
next morning & he also ran away from his employers
& refused to work. It is said that the shaft of a
cart once fell on his head.

Oct: 9th 82 Continues industrious, quiet & demented.

March 30th 83 J.P. continues to lead a quiet industrious life:
he is reticent: lecture work as a stoker

8 Oct 83 Patient remains as described above.

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Number
 Date of Admission 21st September, 1861
 Cause "none"
 Sex & Age Female 17
 Occupation Servant
 Married, single, or widowed Single
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Number	875 874	Name	John Drummond
Date of Admission	3 rd October, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	None known (masturbation)	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 25	Religion	
Occupation	Blacksmith	Mucidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed		Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number	886 746 779	Name	Agnes Gordon
Date of Admission	5 th October, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not stated	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 55	Religion	
Occupation	Cutworker	Susceptible & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widow	Single	Class & Dists	
Parish chargeable to	Hilton	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number		Name	William Campbell
Date of Admission	23 rd October	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	"Religion"	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 26	Religion	
Occupation	Shoemaker	Subsist ^l & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Kirkcounald	Result	
Previous Attacks			

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Number		Name	Henry Murphy
Date of Admission	25 th October, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	"none"	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 68	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, & widowed	Single	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Lockmaben	Result	
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Number	587	Name	Sarah Shannon,
Date of Admission	29 th October, 1861	Family Medical Disease	
Case	Not stated	Education,	
Sex & Age	Female 30	Religion,	
Occupation	Picker of rags in a store	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Troqueur	Result	
Previous attacks			

28th Oct. 1861 P. Murray M.D. Dumfries: (1) Imagines that the Messrs Mungie are owing a large sum of money, and that they wish to kill her also that they destroyed her child, thinks that her head is open, and that this is one cause of her illness. (2) Throws almost everything in the house out of the windows, walks about the whole night, says her neighbours annoy her.

28th Oct. 1861 Alex. Northwick M.D. Dumfries: (1) Various delusions, regarding herself and her child having suffered from witchcraft, and about her expectations of receiving large sums of money to make up for her losses. (2) William Malone, a neighbour, says that she is constantly talking about these delusions.

3rd March 1871 There is no improvement in the condition of S. S. She has many delusions. She will seldom speak. She spends most of her time laughing to herself, & is often excited & dangerous. She is in good health at present.

2 February 1873 There is no change in the mental or bodily condition of Sarah Sherman. She continues to take her food well but never engages in any work.

12 December 1873 There is no alteration in Sarah Sherman's condition since last report. She spends her time in a very listless & apathetic manner. Never entering on any occupation & only walking outside for exercise.

10/3/75 Reporter has not yet seen excited or dangerous.

30/11/75 Lethargic, apathetic, demented: in good bodily health.

25/6/76 In statu quo.

10/12/76 No change to record.

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- 20/6/77 Demented in the extreme: seems unable to carry on any industrial occupation.
- June 6th 81 Patient has suffered recently from acute inflammation of the lung: such, it was feared, might end in phthisis: the lung has however closed up. Is demented, incontinent but quiet.
- Feb 16th 82 Patient has now become stupor & is stout: she is occasionally violent but is not dangerous.
- Oct: 9th 82 No change to record.
- Jan 31st 83 Has scolding fits in which she talks volubly & her face becomes congested but she is not dangerous.
- March 20th 83 Remains as above.
- Oct 1883 S.M. has of late been working quite industriously in the Laundry: she still is much demented.

Number	890 777	Name	Janie Heims
Date of Admission	20th November, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Ill usage	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 40	Religion	
Occupation		Subsidiary Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Lehwall	Result	
Previous attacks			

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Number	891	Name	Aene Lockhart or Punter,
Date of Admission	1 st December, 1761	Source of Mental Disease	
Cause	Disease of Brain, probably softening	Education	
Sex & Age	Female, 65	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Farm Overseer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Worthing	Warrant	
Previous attacks			

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Number	892	Name	John Pinwarder
Date of Admission	16 th December, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Congenital	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 31	Religion	
Occupation	No occupation	Miscellaneous Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class "Party"	
Penish chargeable to		Result	
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Number	776 893	Name	Thomas McHenna
Date of Admission	17 th December, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Masturbation	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 24	Religion	
Occupation	Labourer	Suicidal Propensities	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Moneyhirk	Result	
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Number	894 874	Name	Robert Beets
Date of Admission	11 th December, 1861	Fami of Mental Disease	
Cause	Hereditary	Education	
Sex & Age	Male. 21	Religion	
Occupation	Shoemaker	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Morbid, or, as understood	Single	Class & Party	
Parish chargeable to	Kilburn	Result	
Previous Attacks			
18 th Dec 1861	James M. McCulloch M. D. & 38, Castle Street, Dumfries, says: 1/1 Sulky, refuses to speak, starts wildly and seems incapable or unwilling to indicate comprehension, hangs his head down below his knees, then jumps up, gesticulates wildly; face vacant and then wild looking.		
19 th Dec. 1861.	James Gilchrist M. D. Brighton House, Dumfries: (1) Is taciturn depressed and obstinate, refuses to move or do anything for himself. (2) Refuses food assisted by his attendant.		
30 th March 1872	There is very little alteration in the condition of R.B. he is very depressed, silent & of the phlegmatic. He is duly engaged in work & is in fair average health at present.		
2 March 1873	R.B. is very thin in his habit of body. He frequently exhibits a propensity to strike & though he is able to be at work, he requires special attention from this cause.		
20 December 1873	R.B. remains in the same mental & bodily condition. He takes his food well and is regular in his habits.		
10/3/75	Much the same: irritable and dangerous.		
20/11/75	In statu quo.		
25/6/76	R.B. continues apt to strike and kick, and has been withdrawn from work from that reason.		
10/12/76	Continues much the same.		
20/8/77	Little change: same tendencies as above reported, is again at work.		

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June 6th 81 R. Beed is an irritable demon: he strikes occasionally:
des. little - no wall.

Feb'y 16th 82 No change to read.

Oct: 9th 82 Beed is now working with the Barron party.

March 30th 83 R.B. has not of late been violent: he has a
irascible forbidding appearance.

8 Oct 83 R.B. is at present engaged in trenching: he has
the same uninviting appearance and ways
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Number	875 78	Name	Margaret Adamson
Date of Admission	20 th December, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Derangement of menstruation	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 15	Religion	
Occupation	Milliner's apprentice.	Morality & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dryfesdale		
Previous Attacks		Result	

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Number	896 889	Name	Mary Templeton,
Date of Admission	23 rd December, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known,	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 52	Religion	
Occupation	Housekeeper	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Class & Dirts	
Parish chargeable to		Result	
Previous Attacks	10/7/62	Removed	

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Number	897	Name	Elizabeth Davidson,
Date of Admission	21 st December 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 51	Religion	
Occupation	Domestic servant	Social & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class & District	
Parish chargeable to	Edinburgh	Result	
Previous attacks			

19th Dec. 1861 A. Macaulay, Esq. Banks: (1) Labours under delusions and occasionally great excitement. Wanders about in a very unsettled state, threatening destruction to her neighbours. (2) The above facts have been communicated to me. Inspector of Poor.

23rd Dec. 1861 W. A. Carlyle M.D. Surgeon, Langholm: (1) Fits of excitement, occasionally very restless, excessive watchfulness and irritability, with various morbid delusions, such as her nephew and neighbours conspiring to plunder her and threatens to be revenged and is at times with great difficulty restrained from putting her threats into execution. (2) The facts under No 1 were also brought to my notice by her nephew who resides with her and also by Mr. Crichton, Inspector of Poor.

30th March 1861 This patient is very depressed & is full of many delusions about herself & property. She is suicidal & very prone to weep. She often has periods in which she is taciturn, & prone to strikes.

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Number	898	Name	Thomas Harkness
Date of Admission	26 th December, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Drunk	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 40	Religion	
Occupation	Banker's Clerk	Schizoid or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Mother or Troquer	Insult	
Previous attacks	Several		

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Number	899	Name	Margaret Craig or Sinclair
Date of Admission	27 th December, 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 47	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Grocer and Weaver	Suicidal Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Chast & Virt	
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Number	900	Name	Alexander M. Zukac
Date of Admission	1 st January 1862	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 15	Religion	
Occupation	Woolorter	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Clean or Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

1st Jan. 1862. W. Marshall M. D. Buccleuch Street, Dumfries: (1) Talks incoherently, has most extraordinary delusions. Imagines he is possessed of influences by which, at his will, other persons are bound to be attracted &c. &c. (2) Much the same as above.

1st Jan. 1862. William Scott, Dumfries: (1) Delusions in regard to people in Australia having the power of preventing him working, and also that he can cure disease in any person by looking at them. &c. (2) Dr. Marshall communicates similar delusions.

3rd March 1862. The mental condition of A. M. D. has not improved very much. He has delusions but they are difficult to elicit. He has also attacks of excitement in which he walks quickly & sings filthy songs. He is partially incontinent at this period. For the most of his time he is in good humour & works steadily. He is in good health.

13 March 1873. A. M. D. Zukac. He is very thin & always refuses soups or flesh meat. He has many delusions about electricity operating on him and is incoherent in his conversation in that respect. His ordinary temper is quiet & gentle & he is very industrious.

20 December 1873. A. M. D. W. suffers much from the suspicions he entertains of other persons causing him pain in different ways, but principally by means of electricity. He is thin in body & very useful as an assistant to the upholsterer.

10/3/75. Much the same: still spare of flesh.

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- 25/6/76 Continues space of flesh: apparently suffers from the old electrical delusions, as he frequently acts himself shaking as if under the influence of an interrupted current: very industrious, useful, and intelligent on most points.
- 10/12/76 Is a little stouter and stronger: otherwise his condition remains the same.
- 20/1/77 In statu quo.
- June 6th 81 Talks a deal of nonsense about some having lumps at 3 shillings a pair and some at two a pair: has purged sensations which he thinks are caused by the influence of stars.
- July 15th 82 Remains much the same
- Oct. 9th 82 Is a very useful man: makes mattresses: has the same delusions
- March 30th 83 A.M.D.: still have delusions about the people influencing him in peculiar ways: he has peculiar attributivizing ways.
- 8 OCT-83 A.M.D.: remains unchanged as to his mental condition: is showing some signs of declining strength

Number	901	Name	Allen Coupland McEwan
Date of Admission	6 th January 1861	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Female 83	Religion	
Occupation	No occupation	Subsidiary Dangerous	
Married single or widowed	Widowed	Class of Distsy	
Parish chargeable to	Dumfries	Result	
Previous Attacks	None		

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Number	902	Name	John Beck
Date of Admission	8 th January, 1862	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not known	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 32	Religion	
Occupation	Shoemaker	Subsidiary & Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Clean & Dirty	
Parish chargeable to	Redhwell		
Previous attacks	None	Result	

Number	903	Name	Mary M ^c Intosh or McMillan
Date of Admission,	8 th January 1862	Kind of Mental Disease	
Cause	Not stated	Education	
Sex & Age	Female. 25	Religion	
Occupation	Wife of Gamekeeper	Suicidal Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Married	Clean & Dirty	
Property chargeable to	Miss Patrick Fleming	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

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Number	904	Name	Mary Milligan McHie
894		From Mental Disease	
Date of Admission	9 th January, 1862	Education	
Cause		Religion	
Sex & Age	Female 42	Suicidal & Dangerous	
Occupation		Clean & Dirty	
Married, single, or widowed	Widowed	Result	
Parish chargeable to			
Previous attacks			
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27th March 1872

John Lubbock

J. G. has just now recovered from one of those severe attacks of excitement which he is subject to. It lasted about one month.

During this period, he was vain, sensitive & incoherent, he had all the symptoms of acute mania. During this period blood-lettings were performed & during the time of febrile excitement from this he was in perfect mental health, though somewhat exhausted, after the fever subsided. There was slight remission of the febrile mental symptoms.

He is now in good health & works steadily.

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30/1/74 Discharged

Number	905	Name	John Gibson
Date of Admission	22 nd January 1862	Form of Mental Disease	
Cause	Cause unknown	Education	
Sex & Age	Male 25	Religion	
Occupation	Farm labourer	Suicidal or Dangerous	
Married, single, or widowed	Single	Class	Dirty
Parish chargeable to	Whithorn	Result	
Previous attacks	None		

19 January 1862. Robert Broadfoot, Surgeon, Whithorn: (1) On my first visit in Sept. ult. I found that instead of being, as always formerly, a cheerful, industrious, and conversable lad, he had suddenly become dull, grave, averse to labour, taciturn, and strongly impressed with the delusion that he and his father's family were in the "City of Destruction", and ought instantly to flee to the "City of Refuge" at a Mill hard by. To day I did not find John better, but quite down cast, very reticent, and so unsettled that he could not remain a minute, at once either in sitting or walking. He had taken very little food for the last 36 hours, he refused it from me, and his parents are afraid of his starvation. (2) His mother informed me that in Sept. ult. he complained for a day or two of sounds in the head, and that on or about the third day thereafter he rose out of bed very early in the morning, and scampered away almost naked to apologise to his employer living two miles off, for some unreal fault. Next day he imagined he was in the City of Destruction &c. She informs me that he now sleeps little, and can only be prevented with great difficulty, from roaming in the fields by night or by day clothed or naked, and whether the weather is cold or warm, wet or fair.

20th Jan. 1862. Alex. M. Millan Surgeon, Whithorn. When I went to day to visit him found him out in the bitter cold since 8 o'clock in the morning against his parents' will when urged to come in would not speak a word. Besides in the morning (about four o'clock) of 16th Sept. he came from home half naked about two miles to the Dale to a house I was in attending a woman in labour and wanted admittance to excuse himself of some imaginary ill he committed against, an inmate although he had never given any cause of offence the inmate thought him mad but hoped it was the effects of drink. (2) His mother told me that he refuses to take any food and is afraid he may die of hunger & likewise of starvation from cold as he cannot be controlled.

