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WE, _____ Physicians (or Surgeons), in _____
 _____ have carefully examined _____ in the Parish of _____
 _____; and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our know-
 edge and belief _____ is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify
 on soul and conscience.

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

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 insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these
 Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of

*Mr John Armstrong, Black park
 parish of Kirkpatrick Duffus*

Humbly Sheweth,

That

*Margaret Armstrong of Park
 the Petitioner's Sister* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *Mr
 Shreshie, Holywood*, and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, *21 Aug 1841*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

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Shencks Warrant
for

Nichols Park

21 Aug 1841

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Dumfries 16 January 1841

We, Archibald Blacklock, & John Burnside Physicians (or Surgeons), in Dumfries
 have carefully examined Anabella Webster in the Parish of Dumfries
 ; and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our know-
 ledge and belief She is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify
 on soul and conscience.

Arch. Blacklock, Surgeon
John Burnside, Surgeon

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,
 The Petition of Mrs. Robina Somers, Applicant
Crichton Institution Dumfries
 Humbly Sheweth,
 That Mrs. Anabella Webster
 the Petitioner's Cousin is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr. Blacklock
& Burnside and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, 16 January 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John P. Tuttle

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Thompson's warrant
for
John Webster
16 Aug 1841.

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

To the Trustees and Directors of the Christian Royal Institution for Lunatics, Banbridge.

Gentlemen,

Having good cause to believe, from my own observation, and from the Medical certificate
herewith sent, submitted by _____ Physician (or Surgeon), in the Parish of _____
and County of _____ that _____
has been for _____ past _____ in mind, we beg that you be admitted as Patient in the
Christian Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the _____ rate of Board.

Before the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

John Henry M. McIntosh (or Surgeon), in *Annan*
has carefully examined *William M. McIntosh* in the Parish of *Annan*
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is a case of Lunacy, and a proper subject for admission
into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on oath and conscience.

John Henry M. McIntosh
Robt. McIntosh

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Deputies,

The Petition of Mary Roddick wife of the Decd
Mr Roddick Minister of Gt-na

Sheweth, That,

The Decd Mr Roddick

the Petitioner's Husband in a state of Insanity, as appearing from the posthumous Certificate by Me^r Brown
& Johnston and the Petitioner themselves

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

According to Justice, &c.

Mary Roddick
Deponent, 11 Aug 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms aforesaid.

Wm. Allan Clerk

11 Aug 1841

Mr Roddick
for
Wm. Brown

Langholm 4th January 1841

I certify that Mary Delgish has exhibited
symptoms of insanity for several weeks past, and, as
her friends have no convenient accommodation for her,
is a fit subject for a Lunatic Asylum.

Peter Little Surgeon

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Local certificate
the Parish of

Patient in the
ad.

County, Town,
or Ecclesiastical

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for admission

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SIGNED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

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

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GENTLEMEN,

Upon your admitting _____ into the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, as a Patient, I hereby bind and oblige myself to pay the Board fixed by you for the said _____ to remove _____ when required to do so by you; to bury _____ in case of death; to keep up a proper stock of Necessaries, as mentioned in a Printed Card delivered to me, and to renew them when destroyed or worn out; and, generally, to fulfil all the obligations required by the Regulations of the Institution.

RELATIVES



Certificates
hitherto
Preserved.

Dr. Williams
Dr. Williams
Dr. Williams

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by _____ Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of _____ and County of _____ that _____ has been for _____ past disordered in mind, we beg that _____ be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the _____ rate of Board.

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription; insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SIGNED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Upon your admitting _____ into the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, as a Patient, I hereby bind and oblige myself to pay the Board fixed by you for the said _____ to remove _____ when required to depart by you; to bury _____ in case of death; to keep up a proper stock of Necessaries, as mentioned in a Printed Card delivered to me, and to renew them when destroyed or worn out; and, generally, to fulfil all the obligations required by the Regulations of the Institution.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Justices,

The Petition of *John Dalgluish Labourer in Langholm*

Humbly Sheweth,

That *Mary Dalgluish*

the Petitioner's *Daughter* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate of *Mr Peter Little*

Surgeon

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

John Dalgluish

Dumfries, 20 Aug 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms enovd.

Wm Little Clerk

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Warrant
for
Mary Dalgluish
Aug 1841.

LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by J^d Russell Esq Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Morton and County of Dumfries that Rev^d W. Fleming has been for some months past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £40 rate of Board.

Robert Milligan

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, J^d Russell Esq Physicians (or Surgeons), in Morton have carefully examined Rev^d William Fleming in the Parish of Morton and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Thomhill 6th Feb 9 1841

J^d Russell Esq
J^d C. Esq Surgeon

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Robert Sullivan in Thornhill

Humbly Sheweth,

That In Reverend William Manning of Thornhill

the Petitioner's Stepson is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr. Roper & Mr. Egan and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

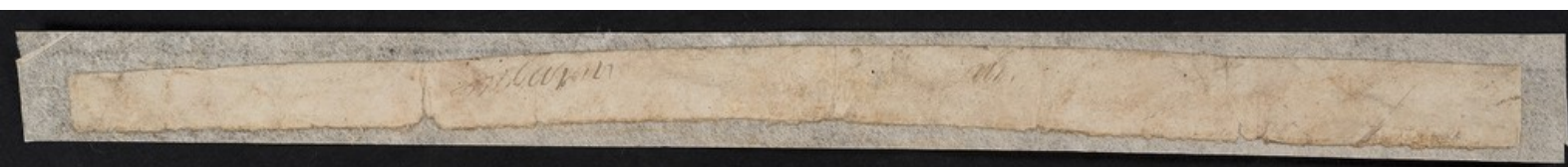
Robert Milligan

DUMFRIES, 8 February 1861.

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

James O. Pattie

for
Mr. Manning
8 Feb - 1861
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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

17th February 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by A. Combe & W. D. Mac Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Edinburgh and County of Edinburgh that William Symington has been for about three weeks past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £20 rate of Board.

Robert Bell Brother in Law
Robert P. Mac & Stephen

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Edinburgh 16 Feb 1841

We, Andrew Combe & W. D. Mac Physicians (or Surgeons), in Edinburgh have carefully examined William Symington in the Parish of West End Edinburgh and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Edinburgh 16 Feb 1841

Andrew Combe M.D.
W. D. Mac F.R.C.S.

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Substitute,

The Petition of Robert Grieve South Bridge
Edinburgh

Humbly Sheweth,

That William Lymington

the Petitioner's Relative is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by D. Angus Cowie
and W. J. Shaw Esq. and the Petitioner therefore

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

According Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, 19 February 1861

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John P. Miller

1781-1861

W. J. Shaw
for
Warrant

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Bath July 20th 1841

I John Houston Surgeon in Bath. have
carefully examined Mr Archibald McCall in the
Parish of Bath & I do hereby certify, that
to the best of my knowledge & belief he is
in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object
for admission into a Lunatic Asylum.

This I certify on soul and Conscience

John Houston Surgeon

DUMFRIES
FEB
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Kind

Robert Adamson Esq
Crichton Royal Institution
for Lunatics
Dumfries



RELATIVES

LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

13th February 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Mr John Houston Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Beith and County of Dumfries that Mr Archibald McCall has been for some time past disordered in mind we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £60 rate of Board.

Elizabeth B. McCall

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Beith 6. Feby 1841

Mr John Houston Physicians (or Surgeons) in Beith have carefully examined Mr Archibald McCall in the Parish of Beith and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

John Houston Surgeon

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of

Mrs. Elizabeth McCall Glasgow

Humbly Sheweth,

That

Mr. Archibald McCall

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

Wm. Stans

and the

Doctor, Bath

petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Elizabeth B. McCall

DUMFRIES,

22 February 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Archibald McCall

Dumfries 22 February 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant & authority in terms craved

John B. McCall

22 Feb 1841

Dr. John McCall
James Watson

LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

25 February 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *John Shand M.D. & David Blair* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Birkheadbrought* and County of *Birkheadbrought* that *John Boyd resident in the parish of Dalry* has been for *some time* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *fifty pence* rate of Board.

*J. E. Boyd Resident in Liverpool
9 Mansford Place*

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

February 25th 1841

We *John Shand M.D. & David Blair* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Birkheadbrought* have carefully examined *John Boyd* in the Parish of *Birkheadbrought* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*John Shand M.D. Surgeon to the Prison.
David Blair Surgeon.
J. H. Hamilton Surgeon.*

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Substitute,

The Petition of

P. C. Boyd & Rutherford Shaw Campbell

Humbly Sheweth,

That

John Boyd

the Petitioner's

half brother

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

John Shaw Boyd

M. D. and David Shaw Boyd Surgeon

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

P. C. Boyd

DUMFRIES,

25 Feb 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

[Signature]

John P. Trotter

Signed 26 February 1841

[Signature]

26 Feb 1841

John Boyd

for

Shaw's Warrant

LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Annan 5th March 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by William Thom Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Annan and County of Dumfries that John Ritchie has been for 2 Months past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £5 per Annum rate of Board.

Elizabeth Ritchie Wife of John Ritchie

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

March 5th 1841
We William Thom Physicians (or Surgeons), in Annan
have carefully examined John Ritchie in the Parish of Annan
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

William Thom Port Street Annan

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

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Fill up & sign this
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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of *Elizabeth Fitchison residing in Port Street in Annan*
in the Burgh and Parish of Annan & County of Dumfries

Humbly Sheweth,

That *John Fitchison Mariner residing in Port Street aforesaid*
the Petitioner's *Husband* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *William Thom*

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Elizabeth Fitchison

DUMFRIES, *14th March 1841*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

For the Sheriff

13th March 1841
John Thomson
for
Wm Thomson
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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Having good cause to believe, from ^{my} own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Dr John Burns & James Cockin Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Glasgow and County of Lanark that George McLean has been for about four years past disordered in mind, I beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at £80 rate of Board.

William McLean

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, John Burns & James Cockin Physicians (or Surgeons), in Glasgow have carefully examined Mr George McLean in the Parish of Glasgow and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, ^{or imbecility of mind} and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

John Burns M.D.

James Cockin M.D.

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

All these Documents, properly filled up, and a Sealed Confidential Statement of Answers to the Queries on the preceding page, must be addressed and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of William McLean Esq Glasgow. Lanarkshire

Humbly Sheweth,

That George McLean Merchant Glasgow

the Petitioner's Son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr John Burns
and James Cockindale and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

William McLean

DUMFRIES, 16 March 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John R. Potter

Witness 1841.

John McLean

for

Sherriff's Warrant

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Dumfries 17 March 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by _____ Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Dumfries* and County of *Dumfries* that *William Maxwell* has been for _____ past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *Board* rate of Board. *L25*

Alb. Young P.F. Dumfries

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Dumfries 17 March 1841

We, *Alb. Robt* Physicians (or Surgeons), in _____ have carefully examined, *William Maxwell* in the Parish of *Earlston* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Alb. Robt Surgeon

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Mrs Mary Maxwell residing at Glencafe

Humbly Sheweth,

That her Son William Maxwell is

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

and Alexander Robson Surgeon Dumfries and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Ala Young, Mary Maxwell
DUMFRIES, 24 March 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John Trotter.

24 March 1841

Chas. Drummond

for

Ala's Warrant

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Dumfries 22nd March 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Wm. & John Wilson & J. G. G. & Co.* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Dumfries* and County of *Dumfries* that *Phillis Little* has been for *a long time* past disordered in mind, we beg that *she* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *proper* rate of Board.

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Dumfries March 22nd 1841

We, *Thomas Wilson & J. G. G. & Co.* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Dumfries* have carefully examined *Phillis Little* in the Parish of *Dumfries* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Thomas Wilson Surgeon
J. G. G. & Co. Surgeon

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of William Little, Planter in Dumfries

Humbly Sheweth,

That his Sister Phillis Little at present in jail

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

William & Hugh Sargant in Dumfries and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

William Little

DUMFRIES, 22 March 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John P. Trotter

Note. The patient is not in jail on any criminal charge.

W.L.

24 March 1841

William Little
for
Wm & Hugh Sargant

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Recd 24th March 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Wm. Johnston & Robt. Douglas* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Stirling & Dunblane* and County of *Stirling & Perth* that *Ms Daughter of Henry* has been ~~for~~ *from the Birth* past disordered in mind, we beg that *she* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *Small* rate of Board.

A. Stirling

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Stirling 24 March 1841

We, *Wm. Johnston & Robt. Douglas* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Stirling & Dunblane* have carefully examined *Ms Elizabeth Stirling* in the Parish of *Stirling* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Alex. Johnston Surgeon
Robt. Douglas Surgeon

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,
The Petition of A. Stirling Keim

Humbly Sheweth,
That Elizabeth Stirling
the Petitioner's Daughter is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Alfred Johnstone
Robert Douglas and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

A. Stirling
DUMFRIES, 3 April 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. P. Edm.

3 April 1841

Edm. P. Edm.

for
James W. W.

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Manuscript 1st April 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Ala. Munro & Robt. Anderson* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *West Dean Holm* and County of *West Lothian* that *Sarah Mills my wife* has been for *10 years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *she* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *£15.0.0* rate of Board.

James Mills Husband

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Manuscript 1st April 1841

We, *Ala. Munro & Robt. Anderson* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *West Dean Holm* have carefully examined *Mrs Sarah Mills* in the Parish of *West Dean* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Ala. Munro Surgeon
Robt. Anderson, Surgeon

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Mr James Mills

Humbly Sheweth,

That Mrs Sarah Mills

the Petitioner's wife is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr Maxwell & Anderson and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

James Mills

DUMFRIES, 3 April 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. P. Foster

3 March 1841

James Mills

Wm. P. Foster

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4th April 1841

A. Coulthard

Unto the Hon^{ble} The Sheriff of Dumfriesshire
and his Substitute. —

The Petition of John Murray in Kirkcubbin
in the Parish of Ruthwell, Dumfriesshire
Humbly Sheweth

That Robert Coulthard in Parish
of Ruthwell the Petitioner's Father-in-law
is in a state of Lunacy as appears from the
Medical certificates from Mess^{rs} Smith
Sproach Surgeon and the Petitioner there-
fore.

Prays your Lordship to grant war-
rant and Authority to the Trustees and
Directors of the Brighton Royal Institution
for Lunatics Dumfriesshire for the reception of
the before named Robert Coulthard as a Pa-
tient in that Institution in the Petition
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is complying with the Rules & Regulations
of the same.

According to justice &c.

+ John Murray

Dumfries 5. April 1841.

The Sheriff grants warrant in terms craved

Wm. P. Potter.

Plans April 3rd 1841

The John Broatch Surgeon in
Manswold and John Smith Surgeon
in Ruthwell have carefully examined
Robert Boulton in Plans in the
Parish of Ruthwell, and we do hereby
certify that to the best of our knowledge
and belief he is in a state of Lunacy
and a proper object for admission into
a Lunatic Asylum

This we certify on Soul and
Conscience

John Broatch Surgeon
John Smith Surgeon

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For

A. C. C. C. C.

4 April 1841.

LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Greenknowe 2 April 1861

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Mr Weir and Mr Graham* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Carnobie Dumfriesshire* and County of *Cumberland* that *Robert Graham Junr* has been for *five months* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *£40* rate of Board.

Robert Graham, Father,

Peter Graham Uncle Bagnaw Camochie

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Greenknowe 2 April 1861

WE *John Weir & Mr Graham* Physicians (or Surgeons), in have carefully examined *Robert Graham Junr* in the Parish of *Carnobie, Dumfriesshire* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

John Weir Surgeon Carnobie Dumfriesshire
William Graham Surgeon Scaitburn Cumberland

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LETTER OF APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Robert Graham, Greatnephew, & Peter Graham, Brother,

Humbly Sheweth,

That Robert Graham Junr

the Petitioner's Son & Nephew is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by John Muir, Surgeon
and Wm Graham, Surgeon and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Robert Graham Father
Robert Graham Junr
DUMFRIES, 6th April 1844

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Muir, Sheriff

Adm. Graham Junr
for
Dumfries Sheriff
12th April 1844

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Sanctifying Name 6th May 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *John Douglas & James Lee* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Hawick* and County of *Roxburgh* that *the Mr Henry S. Riddell* has been for *nearly three weeks* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the _____ rate of Board.

Mr Riddell Farmer Ramsay Cleithren Hawick.

*William Brown Clerk Minister of Hawick.
Brother-in-law to Mr Henry S. Riddell*

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, *John Douglas & James Lee* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Hawick* have carefully examined *Mr Henry S. Riddell* in the Parish of *Fenwick* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*John Douglas Surgeon
James Lee M.D.*

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries and his Substitute,

The Petition of William Riddell Former Paisley Church Green

Humbly Sheweth,

That the Reverend Henry Scott Riddell Preacher of the Gospel

the Petitioner's Brother is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by John Douglas Surgeon
Aquirk, & James Lee Physician Hawick and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Wm Riddell,

DUMFRIES, 11 May 1848.

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Mr. Philpotts

11 May 1848

Wm Riddell

for

Sheriff's Warrant

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

April. May 12th 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Thos Barnes M.D. & J. James M.D.* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *St Mary & St Andrew* and County of *Glenburgh* that *John Matthews of Broom Hills in the Parish of St Mary Carleton* has been for *about two years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *£50* rate of Board.

John Matthews

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

April 12th 1841

WE *Thos Barnes M.D. & J. James M.D.* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Carleton* have carefully examined *John Matthews of Broom Hills* in the Parish of *St Mary Carleton* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

I have seen the Patient this day & think him in the same state as when the above certificate was signed May 14th 1841 *Thos Barnes M.D.*
J. James M.D.

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Robert Matthews of Dumfries, Esq.

Humbly Sheweth,

That Mr. John Matthews

the Petitioner's son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr. James V. Barnes and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Robt Matthews

DUMFRIES, 12 May 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. P. Toddl

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Shewell's warrant
for
Mr. Matthews
12 May 1841

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Edinburgh 15th May 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by George Wyllie & John Brown Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of St Cathberts and County of Edinburgh that Peter Rouston has been for Twenty five years past disordered in mind, we beg that he may be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £40 rate of Board.

William Rouston father
of Peter Rouston

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

15 May 1841

We, George Wyllie & John Brown Physicians (or Surgeons), in Edinburgh have carefully examined Peter Rouston in the Parish of St Cathberts and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

George Wyllie M.D. 14 Clerk, Street
John Brown M.D. 35 Leith Walk
Edinburgh

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of William Rintou Burroughs Place
St Cuthberts parish County of Edinburgh

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Rintou

the Petitioner's son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by James Mylne
and John Brown Physicians and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

William Rintou

DUMFRIES,

27 May 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John P. Hall

27 May 1841

W. Rintou
for

James Mylne
John Brown

1841

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by D^r McWilliam Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Dumfries and County of Dumfries that Margaret Cowan has been for two days past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £15 rate of Board.

James Walker

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, R. D. McWilliam Physicians (or Surgeons), in Dumfries have carefully examined Margaret Cowan in the Parish of Caerlaverock and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

R. D. McWilliam M.D.

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

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GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Whitall & Blacklock Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Dumfries and County of Dumfries that Sarah McRae has been for some time past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the pauper rate of Board.

Wm. Gemmill Secy of Poor
David Corrie

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Dumfries 28 May 1841
We, Whitall & Blacklock Physicians (or Surgeons), in Dumfries have carefully examined Sarah McRae in the Parish of Dumfries and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Whitall & Blacklock, Surgeon

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of

Christopher Maitland Esq. in Dumfries Burgh
the Magistrate Rector and Clerk of the Dumfries

Humbly Sheweth,

That

Sarah M^{rs} Davy a person in Dumfries

the Petitioner's

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

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Dumfries 15th June 1841.

Signed on the 15th June 1841.

24 Aug 1841

dolly Davy

for
James Maitland

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Branthwaite May 28th 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Messrs. Dickinson & Curtis* (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Workington* and County of *Cumberland* that *John Harrison* has been for *several years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *£18* rate of Board.

Sarah ^{her} Harrison, Mother

Mary Harrison, Sister

Sarah Harrison, Sister

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Workington May 29th 1841

We, *Messrs. Dickinson & F. B. Curtis* (Physicians or Surgeons), in *Workington* have carefully examined *John Harrison* in the Parish of *Dean* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Messrs. Dickinson & F. B. Curtis

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Sarah Harrison Widow, of Branthwaite
in the Parish of Dean and County of Cumberland

Humbly Sheweth,

That John Harrison

the Petitioner's Son is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Mrs Dickinson
and Carruthers Curtis and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Sarah ^{her} Harrison
mark
DUMFRIES, 2 Nov 1848

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Johnnie Laidlaw

2 Nov 1848

John Harrison

for
the Sheriff's Warrant

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Castle Douglas 1 June 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Samuel McKew & James Laidlaw Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Kellon and County of West Lothian that Sarah Evans has been for Some Months past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £15 rate of Board.

*Samuel Kirkpatrick Green Merchant. Castle Douglas
Jas Houston Brewer Castle Douglas*

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Castle Douglas 1 June 1841

We, Samuel McKew & James Laidlaw Physicians (or Surgeons), in Castle Douglas have carefully examined Sarah Evans in the Parish of Kellon and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

*Sam McKew Surgeon
James Laidlaw Surgeon*

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Substitute,

The Petition of Saml H Green Treasurer to the Poor Board of the parish of Kellon in the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright

Humbly Sheweth,
That Sarah Evans, residing in Castridunglas

the Petitioner's mother is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Samuel M'Kerr
and James Laidlaw Surgeon Castridunglas and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Dumfries 5 June 1841.

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Per Sheweth

James Laidlaw

James Laidlaw

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for
James Laidlaw
Dumfries
5 June 1841
Dumfries - Dumfries

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

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GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by James Gunn & Co. J. M. and James M. Lamberton Physicians (or Surgeons) in the Parish of Dumfries and County of Dumfries that James M. Lamberton has been for a short time past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the pauper rate of Board.

John Gunn M.D. & Co.
David Crockett

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, James M. Lamberton Physicians (or Surgeons), in Dumfries have carefully examined James M. Lamberton in the Parish of Dumfries and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

James M. Lamberton Surgeon
James Gunn M.D.

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

The Petition of

James Mc Lachlan, Writer & Notary Public of Dumfries
James D. Munn, of Dumfries
 Humbly Sheweth,

That

James Mc Lachlan, Writer & Notary Public of Dumfries

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

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES,

7 June 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John A. Foster.

S. Munn 1841

James Mc Lachlan
for
James Mc Lachlan

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*Christopher
 Herriot, M.D.
 Dumfries*

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by D. Mills & J. Stewart Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Old Cumnock and County of Ayr that my brother Gavin Mylie has been for Two months past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the higher rate of Board.

Wm Mylie, Shoemaker
Chas Mylie, Labourer

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, D. Mills & J. Stewart Physicians (or Surgeons), in Cumnock have carefully examined Gavin Mylie in the Parish of Cumnock and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

D. Mills Surgeon
J. Stewart Surgeon

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire and his Substitute,

The Petition of

*Mr. Mylie, Shoemaker in Cumnock, &c. &c. Mylie,
Labourer in Ochiltree, in the County of Dyr.*

Humbly Sheweth,

That

David Mylie, Shoemaker, in Cumnock.

the Petitioner's *Brother* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *J. Mills, D. Stewart,*

Surgeons in Cumnock

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Mr. Mylie.

DUMFRIES, 12 June 1861

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. C. Trotter.

12 June 1861

David Mylie

David Mylie

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Borques June 14th 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by William Baird M.D. Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Gatton and County of Herkshire that Jane Dalzell has been for a fortnight past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the lowest rate of Board.

Wm. Dalzell Father

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, Wm. Baird Physicians (or Surgeons), in Gatton have carefully examined Jane Dalzell in the Parish of Borques and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Wm. Baird Surgeon Gatton

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESECTABLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of

J^m Dalzell

Humbly Sheweth,

That

Jane Dalzell

the Petitioner's

Daughter

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

William Baird

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

W^m Dalzell

DUMFRIES,

15 June 1841. 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

W^m P. Trotter

15 June 1841

Jane Dalzell

for

Dumfries House

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Dumfries 24 June 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Doctors William & Fyfe Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Dumfries and County of Dumfries that Jas Madden has been for a considerable time past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the Payper rate of Board.

John Madden
James Smith

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, Thos. McKinn & J. Fyfe Physicians (or Surgeons), in Dumfries have carefully examined Jas Madden in the Parish of Dumfries and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Thos. McKinn Surgeon
J. Fyfe Surgeon

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of John Madden Artist in Dumfries

Humbly Sheweth,

That Jep Madden

the Petitioner's wife is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Doctors Millin
and Fyfe and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

John Madden

DUMFRIES, 28th June 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Wilson

28 June 1841
for
John Madden
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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, the undersigned Physicians (or Surgeons), in Kilmarnock May 19th 1841,
in the County of Ayr have carefully examined Andrew Hamitta Barnes in the Parish of
Riccarton; and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our know-
 ledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify
 on soul and conscience.

Alex. Hood Surgeon

James Reid M.D.

The Medical Practitioners granting this certificate will, after prefixing the name of the Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own
 Names, Designation, and Place of Residence, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.
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 and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to
 insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these
 Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Wm Barnes Brother to the above And^r H-
Barnes

Humbly Sheweth,

That

the Petitioner's Brother is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr Hood
and Reid and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

William Barnes

DUMFRIES, 25 May 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Trotter

[illegible]

Thompson, Lewis and
for
R. Brown
25 May 1841

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

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GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Thos Barnes M.D. & Wm Reece Surgeon Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of St Mary Parish and County of Dumfries that John Weddell has been for 2 1/2 years past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the L 18 rate of Board.

Thos Barnes M.D. & Wm Reece Surgeon

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We, Thos Barnes M.D. Physicians (or Surgeons), in William Reece, Surgeon,
have carefully examined John Weddell in the Parish of Dumfries
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Thos Barnes M.D.
Wm Reece Surgeon

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

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LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of _____

Humbly Sheweth,

That _____

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

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, _____

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

CRICHTON ROYAL INSTITUTION FOR LUNATICS, DUMFRIES.

RATES OF BOARD.

	PAYMENT PER AN.	NUMBER OF ROOMS.	DIET.	LUXURIES.	ATTENDANTS.	REMARKS.
I.	£10.*					Accommodation, Diet, &c., is given to this class, which consists of impoverished gentlefolks, according to what they have been accustomed to.
II.	£15.	A public Room for 10; a private Sleeping-Room for each person.	Animal soup every day; animal food thrice a week.	Tea to the females; tobacco	One Attendant.	Paupers admitted at this rate must be from the counties of Dumfries and Wigton.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Carlisle July 10th 1841

We, Thos. Barnes M.D. & Wm. Reeves Physicians (or Surgeons) in Carlisle Cumberland have carefully examined John Tweedale, Mechanic in the Parish of St. Andrew, Carlisle Cumberland; and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Thos. Barnes, M.D.
William Reeves, Surgeon.

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,
The Petition of Thos. Tweedale, Surgeon, Dalston in the County of Cumberland
Humbly Sheweth,
That John Tweedale of Dalston Cumberland, Mechanic
the Petitioner's Brother is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Thos. Barnes M.D. Carlisle & Wm. Reeves, Surgeon, Carlisle and the Petitioner therefore
Prays your Lordship to grant warrant and authority, to the Trustees of the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics at Dumfries, for the reception of the before-named John Tweedale as a Patient in that Institution, on the Petitioner's complying with the Rules and Regulations of the same.

According to Justice, &c.

Thos. Tweedale, Surgeon

DUMFRIES, 12 July 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. D. Miller

CRICHTON ROYAL INSTITUTION FOR LUNATICS, DUMFRIES.

RATES OF BOARD.

	PAYMENT PER AN.	NUMBER OF ROOMS.	DIET.	LUXURIES.	ATTENDANTS.	REMARKS.
I.	£10.*					Accommodation, Diet, &c., is given to this class, which consists of impoverished gentlefolks, according to what they have been accustomed to.
II.	£15.	A public Room for 10; a private Sleeping-Room for each; iron bed; no curtains, no carpets, &c.	Animal soup every day; animal food three a-week; bread, vegetables, &c.	Tea to the females; tobacco and beer to the industrious males.	One Attendant to 10.	Paupers admitted at this rate must be from the counties of Dumfries and Wigtown, or the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright; £ is charged in addition for bed and body clothes.
III.	£13.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Paupers who are not from the counties of Dumfries or Wigtown, or Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, are admitted at this rate; £ is charged in addition for bed and body clothes.
IV.	£20 to £100.	Two public Rooms for 10; a private Sleeping-Room for each, with curtained bed, carpet, toilet, basin stand, &c.	Animal food every day; tea night and morning; no dessert, or wine; 10 dine together.	Wine to the industrious; piano, billiards, and society to the well-behaved.	One Attendant to 10.	In this class a difference will be made in the situation of the Rooms, the articles of furniture, &c., according to the Rate of Board. Light in every Room. Baths; hot and cold water in every Gallery of 11 Rooms.
V.	£100.	A Parlour and Bed-Room for each, furnished in American style.	A separate table, with wine, dessert, &c., three times a-week.	Use of a carriage as an indulgence, a piano, &c., as a right.	One Attendant to 4.	Light in every Room, &c. &c.
VI.	£200.	A Parlour and Bed-Room of large dimensions, and furnished in mahogany.	A separate table, wine, dessert, &c., every day.	Use of a carriage three times a-week, or use of a horse.	One Attendant to 2.	Do.
VII.	£350.	A Parlour and Bed-Room, Bath-Room, &c., elegantly furnished.	A separate table, wine, dessert every day; game in season; plate given.	Use of a carriage or horse every day.	One Attendant to each Patient.	Do.

* The individuals who are to constitute this class are to be nominated by Mrs. Crichton.

Patients will be received on the presentation of a written application from the nearest of kin, the guardians, or local authorities, to the Resident Medical Officer, Dr. Browne; a certificate of lunacy signed by two Medical men; a warrant from the Sheriff, and an obligation from some respectable parties to pay such rate of board as may be determined upon, according to the Rules of the Institution, and to comply with all rules and regulations as to the clothing, removal, and burial of Patients, being transmitted at the time of, or previous to, their admission. These documents are annexed.

All applications for admission should be forwarded at least three days before the arrival of the Patient, that time may be given for correspondence as to whether a vacancy exists, the rate of board, &c., and that due preparation may be made for his or her reception. In cases of great urgency, Patients will be admitted, if there is a vacancy, on any day and at any hour, on presenting the necessary application from friends, guardians, or local authorities. Patients who are pregnant, moribund, or affected with fever or contagious disease, cannot be received; and such as do not appear to be proper objects may be discharged on the recommendation of the Medical Officers, being approved of by the Trustees, timely notice being given to the friends, guardians, or authorities.

The admissibility of Patients will be determined upon by the Medical Officers; and in the first instance the rate of board will be fixed by them, subject, however, to be confirmed or modified by the Trustees. It must, in all cases, be paid to the Treasurer in advance, half-yearly; but, in case of recovery, removal, or death, will only be exacted up to the period at which the Patient is discharged or dies. It shall include charges of all kinds; no fees being exigible by the Medical or any other Officers on admission or discharge, or at any other time, or upon any pretext whatever. It will be observed, from the Table prefixed, that a difference will be made in the following particulars, according to the rate of board and the circumstances and conditions under which the individual is admitted, viz., in the situation, size, furniture, and number of apartments; in the diet; in the proportion of the attendants; and in the various luxuries which rank, sex, habit, or the state of disease, may render necessary. At the same time, whenever the nature of the case may demand greater accommodation, the special services of an attendant, or a more expensive style of living, than the Patient is entitled to, they will be granted.

Visitors will be permitted to see all parts of the House on Wednesday and Saturday, between the hours of 12 and 3 afternoon, on presenting an order, signed by a Trustee or Medical Officer; but they are strictly prohibited from seeing or mingling with Patients of any class, without the express sanction of the Resident Medical Officer. The friends or guardians of Patients will be permitted to have free and private communication with them, if convalescent; and, in all cases, to see and converse with them in the presence of the Resident Medical Officer or Matron, should such intercourse be considered safe or salutary; but no visitor, friend, or guardian, can be allowed to convey to the Patients any article of food or dress, books, newspapers, &c., without the knowledge and approbation of the Resident Medical Officer.

Patients are allowed to have a right to a certain amount of remuneration for their labour; but the mode in which their gains are appropriated will be left exclusively to the determination of the Resident Medical Officer; in the case of paupers, a

portion shall go to the formation of a fund to be applied to support such individuals as may recover, for a short time after their discharge.

Pauper Patients when admitted will receive a dress, and be provided with all articles of clothing belonging to the Institution; their own clothes being retained until dismissal or death, when they are returned to the friends or authorities. Patients of the higher ranks must be supplied with clothes by their friends or guardians. Patients when recovered are discharged on the representation of the Resident Medical Officer to the Trustees, but he is required to communicate with the persons by whom the obligation for board, &c., is signed, before the dismissal of any Patient; should they neglect or refuse to comply with the request, for a week after the time fixed for removal in the notice, the rate of board for which they are responsible will be doubled, or the Patient sent to his or her home or parish at their expense.

A fortnight's notice of the intention of friends or guardians to remove a Patient must be forwarded to the Resident Medical Officer.

In place of the Patients being visited by the Resident Medical Officer or Matron once or twice a-day, as is often the case, they will be inspected almost every hour, under every variety of circumstances and under every aspect of the malady. The grand principles of moral treatment upon which the Institution will be conducted are justice, kindness, and occupation; and, by the application of these, the Patients, in so far as is consistent with their condition, are induced to regard the Asylum as a home, and those to whose care they are intrusted as friends and companions.

Answers to the following queries are solicited in all cases:—

QUERIES.	ANSWERS.
1. Name, age, condition, occupation, disposition, and general deportment of the Patient.	<i>Answered before</i>
2. What is the cause, predisposing and exciting, moral or physical; and characteristic symptoms of the complaint?	
3. Before the incursion of the disease, were there observed any unusual depression or elevation of spirits, or any marked alteration in the functions of the body?	
4. What have been, and are, the prominent symptoms of the malady? has any obvious change in its form occurred; and does it appear to be increasing, declining, or stationary?	
5. Is this the first attack, or a relapse? by what peculiarity of constitution or manner was it ushered in—if a relapse, of what duration was the lucid interval? and what has been the number of previous attacks?	
6. Does the Patient manifest any disposition to commit suicide? has he made any attempt to do so, and by what means?	
7. Does the Patient manifest any disposition to injure other persons or property—to cherish any malevolent design—or is the morbid train of thought excited by any particular subject or event?	
8. Is the Patient or his relatives subject to any hereditary, nervous, or periodical disease, and what?	
9. What treatment has been resorted to, for what length of time, and with what success?	
10. How long has the Patient been insane? or has he ever been in any public asylum or private mad-house?	

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Dr. Barry & Dr. James Crichton Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of St. Mary and County of Dumfries that John Smith has been for the last 24 years past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the 15 rate of Board.

John Smith, Surgeon
Wm. James Smith, Merchant, Glasgow

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

Nicholas

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

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate
herewith sent, subscribed by *Robt. Anderson & Alex. Macnair* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of
Southwick and County of *East Ayrshire* that *Nicholas Watson*
has been for *two years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *she* be admitted a Patient in the
Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *sum of £15* rate of Board.

John Macnair

James Watson

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We *Robt. Anderson* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Southwick*
have carefully examined *Nicholas Watson* in the Parish of *Southwick*
and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission
into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Robt. Anderson, Surgeon
Alex. Macnair, Surgeon

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TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPECTABLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

The Petition of

*Robert Maxwell Junior, Mason in the Parish
of Colvend and Parsonry of Kirkcubright*

Humbly Sheweth,

That

Nicholas Watson

the Petitioner's

Wife

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

Robert Anderson

and the Petitioner therefore

Surgeon Southwick

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

According to Justice, &c.

John Maxwell

DUMFRIES, *19 July 1841*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

John Maxwell

19 July 1841

John Maxwell

for
Robert Maxwell

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Whitehorn July 20th 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Robert & John Stanley* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *Whitehorn* and County of *Cumberland* that *John Tracy* has been for *many months* past disordered in mind, we beg that *he* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *fifty* rate of Board.

John Tracy

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Whitehorn July 20 1841

We, *Robert & John Stanley* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Whitehorn* have carefully examined *John Tracy* in the Parish of *Whitehorn* County of *Cumberland* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *he* is in a state of *insipient* Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Robert Stanley M.D.
John Stanley M.D.

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

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SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

The Petition of

Arthur Tracy, Commissioner R.N.

Humbly Sheweth

That

John Tracy

the Petitioner's

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

Robt Forbes M.D.

and John Stanley M.D.

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

John Tracy

DUMFRIES, 3 Aug 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm Geddie Subst.

1401 Aug 4
John Tracy
for
Arthur Tracy
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Essex Durham 23rd July
1841

Sir,

I send Nicholas Pondfoot a pa-
per under charge of Gilbert Campbell
in the hope that the Sheriff will grant
warrant to entitle you to receive him
as a lunatic into the Crillon Asylum

The Sepion wish him to remain there
on the lowest scale for three months
as a trial & I will thank you to re-
ceive him; the board & charges will be
paid by me when due -

Y^{rs}

Hoping that the necessary steps to
this end have all been satisfactory
I have the honor to be

Sir Yours faithfully,

J. J. Duncan

Chm'g Philadelphia Pa.

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Kirkp: Graham 27th July 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate therewith sent, subscribed by Wm. Mearns Esq. Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of St. Mary, Durham and County of Yorkshire, that Nicholas Pyndroft has been for some time past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the second rate of Board.

Geo. J. J. Vance

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

WE, Will-Houston Esq have carefully ex

Physicians (or Surgeons), in Exp. Dubou
las Prandfort in the Parish of
we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our know-
admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify

by Surgeon Richard K. Durham

Place and the date of their Subscription, insert their own
the County, Town, or Parish in which he or she resides.
affirmation adopted by that Society.

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Parliament:—

Substitute.

of Kirk: Durham acting
as Durham

after dependent on
the prefixed Certificate by W. Howatson

and the Petitioner therefore

thority, to the Trustees of the Crichton Royal
Hospitals, for the reception of the before-named
_____ as a Patient in that Institution,
under the Rules and Regulations of the same.

J. Duncan

DUMFRIES, 27 July 1841.

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according to the rules of the Association, and of being free from any other engagements. These documents are annexed.

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Patients are allowed to have a right to a certain amount of remuneration for their labour; but the mode in which their gains are appropriated will be left exclusively to the determination of the Resident Medical Officer; in the case of paupers, a

Hoping that the necessary steps to
this end have

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Sir Yours
J. H. G.

Kirkpatrick 27 July 1841

We, Wm. Houston Esq. Physicians (or Surgeons), in Kirkpatrick Durham
 have carefully examined Nicholas Proudfoot in the Parish of
Kirkpatrick Durham; and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our know-
 ledge and belief He is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify
 on soul and conscience.

Wm. Houston Surgeon Kirkpatrick Durham

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,
 The Petition of Gro J Duncan Minst of Kirkpatrick Durham acting
for the Guardian & Relation of Kirkpatrick Durham
 Humbly Sheweth,
 That Nicholas Proudfoot a pauper dependent on
 the Petitioner's parish is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by W Houston Esq.
 and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Gro J Duncan
 DUMFRIES, 27 July 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. C. Cotton

27 July 1841

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Sherry Warrant

for

Nicholas Prondoff

27 July 1871





Kirkby Durham, Leams

23rd July 1841

Sir,

This note is delivered to you by
Gilbert Campbell Stewart, Officer
who has under his charge a pauper
dependent on this parish who has lately
shown symptoms of mental derange-
ment. I enclose a medical certi-
ficate which I hope will be satisfactory,
to you & I have to request ~~that~~ you will
grant to the said Officer such a bear-
ant as may be necessary for allowing
of his reception at the Crickton Asy-

him to which he has orders to
convey her I am in with much respect

Yours faithfully

W. J. Duncan

Min^r of Public Dispensary

Dumfries 27 July 1841. Having considered the fore
going letter and Medical certificate therein
referred to, Appoints the Reverend George John
Duncan to apply for ~~the~~ a Warrant in
terms of the Regulations of the Trichstone
Institution; But, in respect the pauper
Nicholas Proudfoot, named in the Certificate
aforesaid, is at present in Dumfries, and
Edw^d Miller

as it would be attended with inconvenience again
to remove her to Kirkpatrick Durham, Grant
Warrant and authority to the Keeper of the
foresaid Institution, to receive the person
of the said Nicholas Proudfit, and to
retain her therein for treatment as a
Lunatic until to-morrow at noon.

Wm. P. Tuttle.

Walter Gay
Shippahole
N. H.



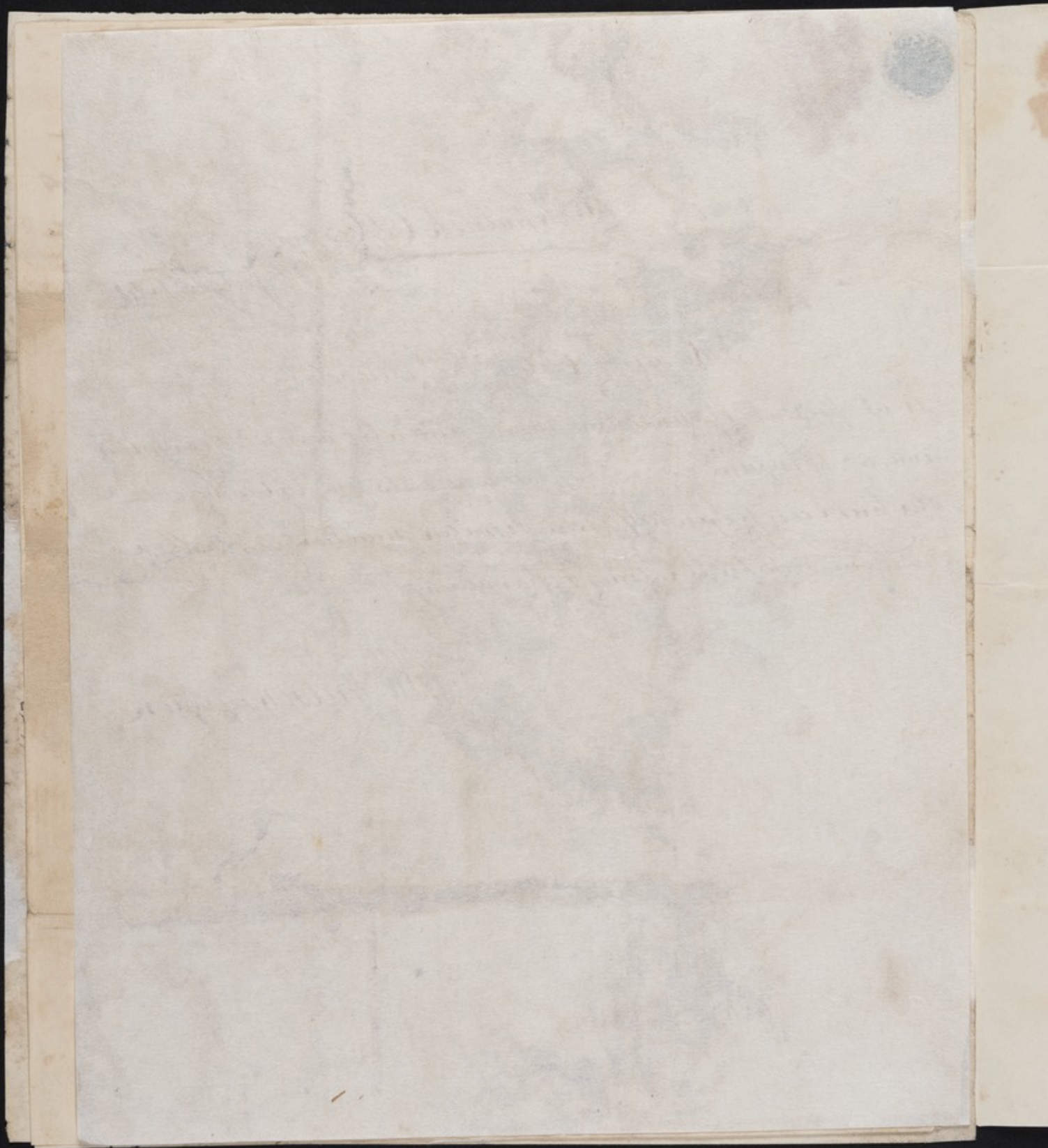
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Kirkpatrick Dierham

23 July 1841

I do hereby Certify that Nicholas Proudfoot
is at present of unsound mind and a fit person to be admitted
into an Asylum or proper place where she may be looked after
she has been frequently in a similar situation but with a
mild and gentle treatment has always recovered

Wm Wilson Surgeon





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Dr. Brown
Nichols & Key
Lumpkin



LETTER OF APPLICATION
BY THE
RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Edin 28 July 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Wm Mac G. McDonald Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Greyfriars and County of Edinburgh that Mr Christ Kidd has been for eight days past disordered in mind, we beg that he be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the third rate of Board.

John Kidd
Matthew Howden

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Edin 27 July 1841

We, Wm Mac G. McDonald Physicians (or Surgeons), in Edinburgh have carefully examined Mr Christ K. Kidd in the Parish of Greyfriars and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Wm Mac G. McDonald
J. G. McDonald M.D.

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

All these Documents, properly filled up, and a Sealed Confidential Statement of Answers to the Queries on the preceding page, must be addressed and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of *John Kidd Merchant Dundee*
Nº 6 Arnislon Place Edinburgh

Humbly Sheweth,

That *Christian Kidd or Howden*

the Petitioner's *wife* is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by *Mr David Mac*
Surgeon & J Bell Ronald M.D. and the Petitioner therefore

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

Edinburgh *July 1841* According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, *7 August 1841*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm. Whitpetrick

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Thence forward
for
John Kidd
7 Aug 1841

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

GENTLEMEN,

Perby August 23rd 1841

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by *Richard James & Robert Lightfoot* Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of *St. Catharine's, Newcastle* and County of *County of Cumberland & Westmorland* that *Ann Raitton of Perby in the Parish of Wetheral* has been for *four years* past disordered in mind, we beg that *she* be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the *£10* rate of Board.

Ann Raitton, Daughter of Perby in the Parish of Wetheral

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Carlisle Aug 23rd 1841

We, *Richard James & Robert Lightfoot* Physicians (or Surgeons), in *Carlisle & Newcastle* have carefully examined *Ann Raitton of Perby* in the Parish of *Wetheral* and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief *she* is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Rich^d James & Robert Lightfoot
Carlisle Surgeon Newcastle

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

All these Documents, properly filled up, and a Sealed Confidential Statement of Answers to the Queries on the preceding page, must be addressed and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

TO BE SUBSCRIBED BY ONE OR TWO RESPONSIBLE PERSONS.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Abraham Railton of Scotby in the Parish of
Wetherah in the County of Cumberland

Humbly Sheweth,

That Ann Railton of Scotby in the Parish of Wetherah
the Petitioner's daughter is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr James L
Mc N. S. Highfoot and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

DUMFRIES, 28 August 1861

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

James P. Miller

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for
Ann Railton
26 Aug 1861

LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

September 21st 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Thos Crawford & H. Brown Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Wilbarrow and County of Dumfries that Eliza Rebecca Simpson has been for three years past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £10 rate of Board.

Thomas Simpson { Parents }
Elizabeth Simpson }

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

21st Sept 1841

We, Thos Crawford & H. Brown Physicians (or Surgeons), in Bathphannan have carefully examined Eliza Rebecca Simpson in the Parish of Wilbarrow County of Dumfries and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Thos Crawford Surgeon H. B. D. J. J.
H. Brown Surgeon D. C.

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

All these Documents, properly filled up, and a Sealed Confidential Statement of Answers to the Queries on the preceding page, must be addressed and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of

Thomas Simpson, Officer of Police of Bally-
Shannon Parish of Wickareen County of Donegal, Ireland

Humbly Sheweth,

That

Eliza Rebecca Simpson

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

W Crauford and C H Bain

and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Thomas Simpson

DUMFRIES, *30 Sept 1841*

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

Wm A Miller

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E. O. Simpson

Wm A Miller

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LETTER OF APPLICATION

BY THE

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

Longtown 25th Sep^r 18 41

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by Mr. W. Graham & Dr. John Earl Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of Arthuret and County of Cumberland that Ann Harriner has been for Six years past disordered in mind, we beg that she be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £18 rate of Board. per An.

William " Harriner, Husband
John Wilkinson Greer Longtown

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Longtown 25th Sep^r 18 41

We, W. Graham & John Earl Physicians (or Surgeons), in Longtown, Cumberland have carefully examined Ann Harriner in the Parish of Arthuret & County Cumberland and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief she is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

W. Graham, Surgeon - Longtown
John Earl, Surgeon. Longtown

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

All these Documents, properly filled up, and a Sealed Confidential Statement of Answers to the Queries on the preceding page, must be addressed and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

LETTER OF OBLIGATION FOR PAYMENT OF BOARD.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

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

The Petition of Mr H Marnier

Humbly Sheweth,

That Ann Marnier

the Petitioner's wife is in a state of Lunacy, as appears from the prefixed Certificate by Dr Graham
Clark and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

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~~The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.~~

William Marnier

Dumfries 2. October 1848

The Sheriff grants warrant in terms craved

Wm. Marnier



2. Oct 1848

Ann Marnier

for
Wm. Marnier

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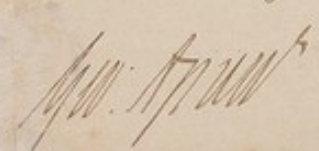

Wm. Marnier
Dumfries

Wiglow 3^d October 1841. Having resumed
consideration of the Petition with the
evidence adduced by the Petitioner
yesterday, and having also examined
the said John Hannay Junior him-
self in open Court, Finds that
the said John Hannay Junior is fur-
ious, and lunatic and dangerous; and
therefore in respect that there is no
Asylum for Lunatics in this County
grants Warrant for committing him
to the Brighton Royal Institution
for.

W. W. W.

for Lunatics at Dumfries to be there-
in detained, until his cure, or until
caution shall be found for his safe
Custody in terms of the Statute
quoted in the Petition; And author-
ises the Petitioner to contract with
the Trustees and Directors of said
Institution for the expence of his
keeping and Maintenance therein,
all as provided for by the Act.

Grants Warrant to John Clelland
Officer of Court to take the said
John Hannay Junior from the Jail
of Wigtown to the said Institution
accordingly. Appoints the Petitioner,
as soon thereafter as possible, to report
the terms on which he has contracted
with the said Institution for keep-
ing the said John Hannay Junior,
and all other expences attending
the present application that Decree
may be given therefor in terms of
the



the Statute founded on.
(signed) Amacdonell

Wigtown 6 Oct. 1841. A true Copy
Certified By

[Signature] Sheriff Clerk.

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Sheriffs Warrant
For
John Hannay Junr
9. Octob 1841

Admitted 9th Oct. 1841.

J. H. P.

Certified Copy
of
Interlocutor
in
Black P. F.
vs
Hannay
1841

RELATIVES OR GUARDIANS OF THE PATIENT.

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

November 26th 1841

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING good cause to believe, from our own observation, and from the Medical certificate herewith sent, subscribed by _____ Physicians (or Surgeons), in the Parish of _____ and County of _____ that Arthur Alexander our brother has been for nearly 20 yrs past disordered in mind, we beg that _____ be admitted a Patient in the Crichton Royal Institution for Lunatics, according to the Regulations of that Institution, at the £40 rate of Board at present } Thos Alexander and to be put into the £30 rate of } John Alexander Board when a vacancy occurs

Prefix the name of the Place and the date of Subscription. Insert, in their proper places, the Name of the Patient, and that of the County, Town, or Parish, in which he or she has resided. Each Subscriber of this Letter must state his or her proper address, and, if a relative, the denomination of his or her relationship.

SHERIFFS' WARRANT.

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

Unto the Honourable the Sheriff of Dumfries-shire and his Substitute,
The Petition of Thos & John Alexander of North Shield Northumb.

Humbly Sheweth,

That Arthur Alexander

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

of Newcastle & James Stott Gateshead and the Petitioner therefore

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

According to Justice, &c.

Thos Alexander
John Alexander

DUMFRIES, 2 Decemb 1841

The Sheriff grants warrant and authority in terms craved.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

We,

Physicians (or Surgeons), in Dumfries & Galloway

have carefully examined Arthur Alexander in the Parish of Dumfries; and we do hereby certify, that, to the best of our knowledge and belief he is in a state of Lunacy, and a proper object for admission into a Lunatic Asylum. This we certify on soul and conscience.

Paul Glenton Surgeon
George Stott Surgeon

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

All these Documents, properly filled up, and a Scaled Confidential Statement of Answers to the Queries on the preceding page, must be addressed and transmitted to the Resident Medical Officer or Treasurer, with the Patient, or within three days after his or her admission. But to insure the immediate admission and suitable treatment and classification of any Patient from a distance, it is earnestly requested that these Documents may, if possible, be transmitted in due time for correspondence before the Patient is sent to the Asylum.

the necessary application from friends, guardians, or local authorities. Patients who are pregnant, moribund, or affected with fever or contagious disease, cannot be received; and such as do not appear to be proper objects may be discharged on the recommendation of the Medical Officers, being approved of by the Trustees, timely notice being given to the friends, guardians, or authorities.

The admissibility of Patients will be determined upon by the Medical Officers; and in the first instance the rate of board will be fixed by them, subject, however, to be confirmed or modified by the Trustees. It must, in all cases, be paid to the Treasurer in advance, half-yearly; but, in case of recovery, removal, or death, will only be exacted up to the period at which the Patient is discharged or dies. It shall include charges of all kinds; no fees being exigible by the Medical or any other Officers on admission or discharge, or at any other time, or upon any pretext whatever. It will be observed, from the Table prefixed, that a difference will be made in the following particulars, according to the rate of board and the circumstances and conditions under which the individual is admitted, viz., in the situation, size, furniture, and number of apartments; in the diet; in the proportion of the attendants; and in the various luxuries which rank, sex, habit, or the state of disease, may render necessary. At the same time, whenever the nature of the case may demand greater accommodation, the special services of an attendant, or a more expensive style of living, than the Patient is entitled to, they will be granted.

Visitors will be permitted to see all parts of the House on Wednesday and Saturday, between the hours of 12 and 3 afternoon, on presenting an order, signed by a Trustee or Medical Officer; but they are strictly prohibited from seeing or mingling with Patients of any class, without the express sanction of the Resident Medical Officer. The friends or guardians of Patients will be permitted to have free and private communication with them, if convalescent; and, in all cases, to see and converse with them in the presence of the Resident Medical Officer or Matron, should such intercourse be considered safe or salutary; but no visitor, friend, or guardian, can be allowed to convey to the Patients any article of food or dress, books, newspapers, &c., without the knowledge and approbation of the Resident Medical Officer.

Patients are allowed to have a right to a certain amount of remuneration for their labour; but the mode in which their gains are appropriated will be left exclusively to the determination of the Resident Medical Officer; in the case of paupers, a

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Wm. W. W. W. W.

For

Arthur W. W. W.

2 December 1841