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Report.

In presenting a report relative to the occupation of the Men Patients during the year ending Y^{mo} 23 1867 it may be right to state that careful attention has been given to find employment suitable to those capacities of those under care, the Farm, garden, and Workshop has afforded employment to a considerable number some have been engaged in Flour Work and a many in Reading writing &c. A Table is annexed showing the number in different departments; but it may also to mention that the mental and bodily powers of a large number are so debilitated as to incapacitate them from any regular employment & of those admitted during the year being entirely disqualified.

Out doors employment.	13
Flour work	8
Joiners work & turning	5
Wood cutting	1
Printing	1
Reading writing &c	18
Total employed	46
Unemployed	10
Total under care	56.

Out doors employment 13

Thomas Armstrong, William Sturge Cottrell William Houlding
John P. Lidbetter James Lindsey. Frederic Marten Thomas
Hainly James Potter Daniel Richardson, Alfred Smith.
Stephen Edward Stapleton John P. Stevens, Joseph Stone

House Work. 8

Charles Ellis Thomas Greathead, George Hanson, Thos Hodgson
Alfred Lamb Nathaniel Miles, Henry Pickover and
Nicholas Jones.

Lainers Work &c 5

Ans Harris, Crossfield Harrison, Thomas Jeffrey
Bernard Rickman, John Tracy

Wood cutting. Printing 1

William Hurst - Thomas Rutter.

Reading &c 18

Caleb Abell, Ans J. Appleton Ans Binns, Ans H. Briggs
James J. Cadell, Charles Caldwell George A. Clutton
Francis Coke William Craven Edward Fox. Frederic
Harding, Maurice A. Holtaway William Lamb James
Lee James Morley William Rickman Wycherley Stone and
Thomas H. Theobald.

Unemployed. 10.

Daniel Peck. Henry Binns, John G. Vinodale William
Gregory Hurstley Hall, William Holmes William &
Harsenail Richard H. Keymer William Lloyd
James Anthony Wigham.

Employed in Reading who are reported
in other employment. 16.

William Sturge Butterell Frederic Martens James Potter
Alfred Smith Mrs P. Stevens, Joseph Stone Thomas
Rutter, Thomas Greathead Thomas Anderson Alfred
Lamb Nathaniel Miles, Mrs Harris, Crossfield
Harrison Thomas Jeffery Barnard Rickman and
Mrs Tracy.

Reading &c only. — 18

Reading and other work 16

Total in reading — 34.

Not so engaged — 22

Total under care 56.

Report of the
Employment
of Patients
1866-67 -



Out door work 16
 Mechanical work 8
 Printing 1
 House Work 8
 Reading, Writing &c 11
 Total employed 44
 Unemployed 9
 Total under care 53

13 of those reported as engaged in bodily labour have also devoted considerable time to reading and some have been engaged in various kinds of occupations.

Out door work of heavier kind 10

Henry Pinns, George Hanson, William Hurst, John Lambert, James Potter, Alfred Smith, Stephen Stapleton, Joseph Stone, James Arton and John B Stevens. 10

do of lighter kind 6

John Fisher, James Harrison, Bridger Lidbetter, Thomas Armstrong, Samuel Hall and Thomas Hodgson. 6

Mechanical Work 8

John Harris, William Houlding, Bernard Rickman, John H. Williams, Keith Taylor, John Tracey, Edward Webbfield and William Lamb. 8

~~Out~~
Printing 1

Thomas Rutter

Reading Writing &c 11

Caleb Abell, Joseph C Bate, Edward Fox, William Harrison, James Lees, James Morley, William Rickman, Thomas Theobald, John Browne, John Bragg and Frederic Harding. 11

Reading and other employments. 13

John Pinns, John Harris, William Houlding, John Knight, James Arton, James Potter, Bernard Rickman, Alfred Smith, Stephen Stapleton, Joseph Stone, Keith Taylor, John Tracey and John H. Williams. 13

Unemployed &

Jos Fawcett, Joseph Ransome, Thomas Thorneley, ~~John~~ George Andrew
Kisher, John Dunsdale and Henry Smiles. &

6 mo ~~22~~ 1856

James Mason -

Report respecting the employment of these Men Patients at the Retreat for the year ending
Sixth Month 1856

In giving a report respecting the manner of employment of the Men Patients resident in the institution it may be stated that the system of manual labour and mechanical and other employment has been carried out to a greater extent and with more success than during any previous year, many of those who have been engaged strength and ability have been engaged in some useful employment and others less capable have been induced to a little exercise, but there still a considerable number, who through advanced age or mental and bodily infirmities cannot be expected to take part in any ordinary labour.

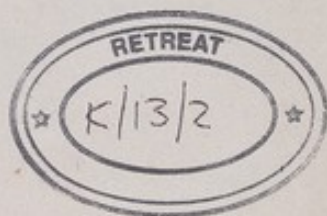
In superintending and directing the patients in their employment the past year has been one of more than ordinary anxiety and discouragement, the exercise of great care and attention as well as equanimity of temper was needed, has been especially needed to be able to bear the keen sarcasm and the provocation and annoyance which several have caused on many occasions but many have shown great willingness and pleasure in taking a part in the various occupations on the premises several pleasing instances might be named.

In addition to the ordinary work on the Farm, Garden, Pleasure Ground and in the house, there has been much extra labour caused by alterations and improvements that have been going forward during the year. One patient assists with the cows. One has been usefully engaged in clipping and dressing the hedges, carting and spreading manure, leading gravel, painting and other labour of the heaviest kind. Wood cutting to supply the whole of the establishment with kindling occupies much of one persons time and in Winter especially the assistance of others is required. and the performance of several in the Joiners Shop is very creditable —

The following Analysis shows the manner in which the whole under care have been engaged.

Westwood's
April 1886.

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In giving a report respecting the employment of the men-patients at the Retreat for the year ending 6th mo 20th 1859 I have prepared the accompanying Table which shows the number engaged in various occupations and after taking into account, the position in society, the previous habits and dispositions, and the mental and bodily capabilities of those under care, I think the results have been as successful as could be reasonably expected.

The industry and perseverance of several deserve especial acknowledgment and the interest manifested by some in the various operations of the farm and garden, the quality and price of cattle &c has been very interesting.

A considerable number have been employed who have required great care and attention and who although unable to perform much profitable labour have nevertheless derived considerable advantage themselves.

Out door work of heavier kind.	13
do of lighter kind	5
House work	5
Fainers work.	3
Wood cutting	1
Printing	1
Reading writing &c	17
Total number employed.	44
Unemployed	6
Total under care	50

The above table gives a pretty correct account of those employed but in many instances the same patients have been engaged at different times in various employments.

Out door work. 17

Thomas Armstrong	Samuel Hall	John Libbeter	Henry Smith
Henry Binns	George Hanson	Frederic Marten	Stephen & Stapleton
Charles Ellis	William Haulding	James Potter	John B Stevens
Geo Fisher	John Lambert	Alfred Smith	Joseph Stone
			Wyckley Stone

House Work. 5

John Binns, Dymond Garrett, Thomas Hadgorn, Jonathan Nicholson
and Banks Harrand.

Joiners Work and wood turning 3

John Harris, Barnard Rickman, John Tracey

Wood cutting 1

William Hart.

Printing 1

Thomas Rutter.

Reading, Writing &c 17

Caleb Abell	William Brown	Charles Knight	William Rickman
Asa Truitt	Edward Fox	William Lamb	Henry Robinson
Joseph C. Bale	Mearns Holtaway	James Lee	Robert Smith
John H. Beazley	Frederic Hastings	James Marley	Thomas Sheobald.
			Alfred C. Penrose

Unemployed 6

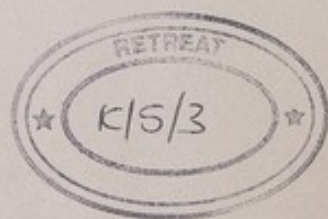
Thomas Dieppe	John Vinsdale
Andrew Fisher	Henry Peckover
William Fowler	Joseph Ransome.

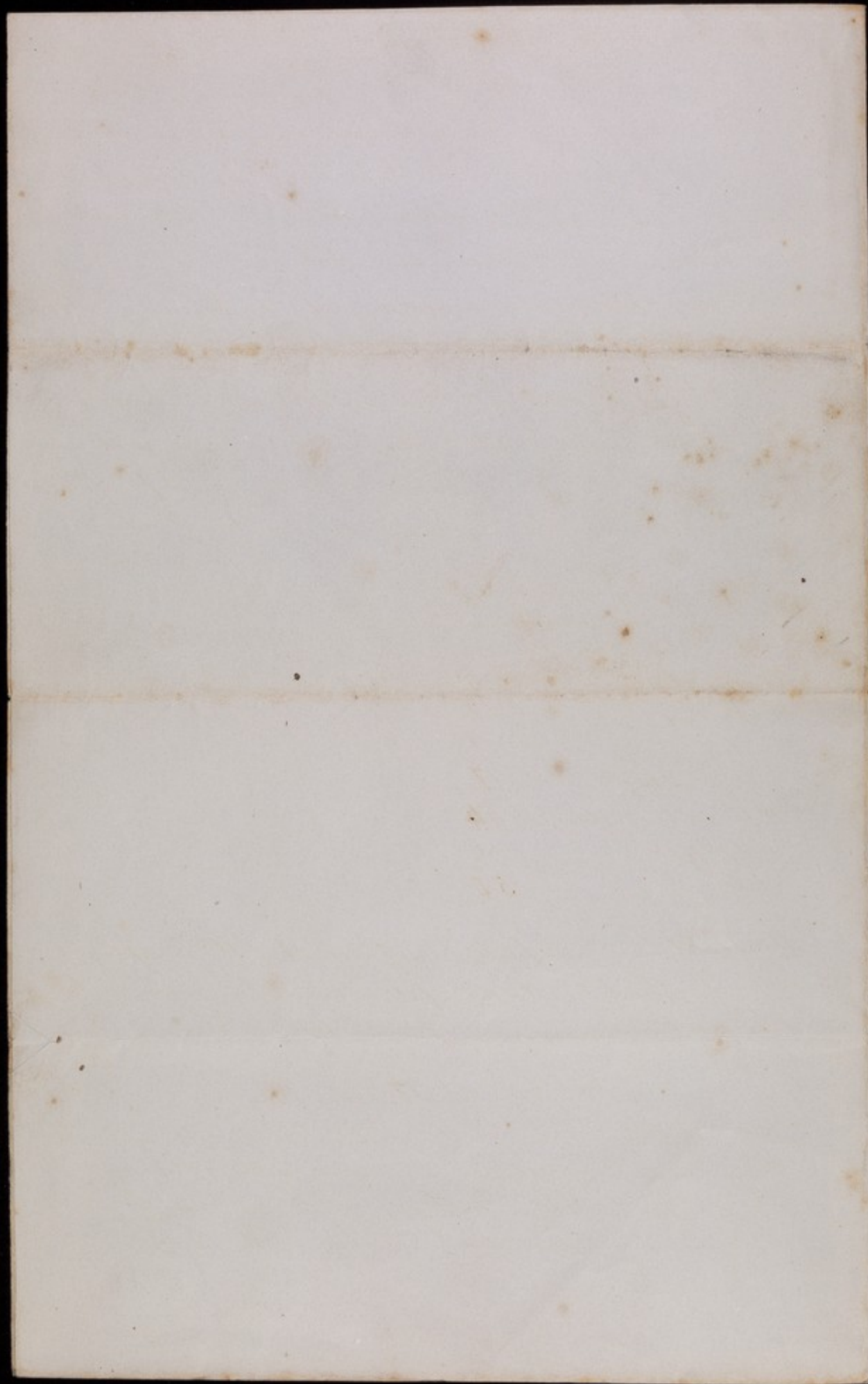
N. B. 16 of those who are reported as being employed in out door
work and other bodily labour also employ themselves more or less in
reading and some are diligent in employing their leisure time to
advantage.

Ret-door Alms

Report.

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Report of the employment of Men Patients at the Retreat
for the year ending 6th Mo 1857.

The termination of each succeeding year, brings with it the duty of taking a retrospect of the past, and furnishes a most suitable opportunity for serious thought and reflection, and in again furnishing an annual report respecting the employment of the Men Patients at the Retreat, I desire to state that in discharging the duties of superintending and directing the various occupations of the patients, it has required not only an unusual amount of forbearance and equanimity of temper but also a very watchful demeanour both in conduct and conversation, there having been numerous circumstances of a painful and irritating character.

Notwithstanding the unpleasant circumstances to which reference has been made, the success of the past year has been on the whole encouraging most of those capable of labour have been induced to do something and the performance and industry of some deserves great praise and special notice, a large amount of labour has been performed. One man has been seriously employed, in clipping hedges, painting gates, doors, ironfencing &c casting bricks, lime, gravel, manure, coals &c and also performed ^{other work} of a laborious kind. One assists in the care of the cattle &c several have been usefully ^{employed} in joiners work, and others have rendered very efficient help in the Laundry and Wash. house, besides these a number have found employment in the Farm, Garden, Pleasure Grounds, wood cutting and various other occupations, the number employed is given in a Table annexed to this report, but amongst those included ⁱⁿ that table a number have been at different times engaged in various occupations:

Out-door employment. 14

Henry Binns, Charles Ellis, John Fisher, William Gregory, Sam^l Hall, George Hanson, Thomas Gladysen, John Lambert, James Astor, James Potter, Alfred Smith, Stephen, Stapleton, John B Stevens and Joseph Stone.

House Work 4

John Binns, Dymond Garrett, Jonathan Nicholson, Wycherley Stone

Joiners Work 5

John Harris, William Haulding, Barnard Rickman, John Tracey

Wood cutting 1

William Hurst

Printing 1

Thomas Rutter.

Reading, Writing &c 19.

Callet Abell Austruther, Joseph C. Bale, John H. Bragg, Joseph
Broad, Duke William Fowler, Edward Fox, Frederic Hardinge
Charles Knight, William Lamb, James Lee, James Morley, Edward
Nesfield, Thomas Lambert, William Rickman, Robert Smith
Thomas Theobald., & Westhead

Unemployed 9

Thomas Armstrong, Joseph Hawcett, Andrew Fisher, John Dimsdale
Henry Peckover, Joseph Ransome, Thomas Salmon, Henry Smiles
Thomas Thorneley

Reading &c who are also engaged in manual labour 15

Thomas Hudson, James Potter, Alfred Smith, Stephen Stapleton
Joseph Stone, William Gregory, James Aston, John Pinner,
Jonathan, Nicholson, Wycherley Stone, John Harris, William
Haulding, Barnard Rickman, John H. Williams, John Tracey

Total number employed more or less in reading 34

Out door work heavier kind	10
do of lighter kind	4
House Work	4
Wood cutting	1
* Joiners Work &c	5
Printing	1
Reading Writing &c	19
Total employed	44
Unemployed	9
Total under care	53.

Total number who employ more or less time in reading 34 -

Wm. L. L. L. L. L.
April 1854

Report respecting the employment of men Patients at the Friend Retreat for the year ending 6th Month 1858

The occupation of the men patients has been regularly attended to and taking into account the previous habits and circumstances and the large number whose age and mental and bodily infirmities preclude the possibility of much physical exertion the success in this department of the Institution's operations has been equal to the average of former years. The number employed ~~is scarcely~~ in manual labour is scarcely so large but the quantity of work performed has equalled almost ~~any~~ any former period, and constant care has been bestowed to induce some whose labour is but of little value to do a little for their own particular benefit. Whilst superintending and directing those employed it has been felt especially needful to exercise particular care and watchfulness, as well as kind forbearance, for at times the sarcastic, bitter and provocative language received has been such ~~and~~ as to put the temper to a most severe test, and wound the feelings. Notwithstanding the occasional occurrence of these unpleasant circumstances many have evinced much kind feeling and willingness, and the voluntary exertion and interest taken by some in the production of the crops, the quality of the cattle, and in the various operations deserves particular mention. In addition to the usual work in the farm, garden, pleasure grounds and in the house, there has been extra labour in the removal of soil, the taking up of trees, fences &c in connexion with the improvements now in progress and some minor alterations, one patient, had been frequently employed with horse and cart, several in joiners work, wood-cutting, &c.

A Table is annexed shewing the ^{approximate} number in each department of labour but some have been employed in various ways.

Out door work of the heavier kind	11
do of lighter kind	3
	5
House Work	14
Joiners Work and Turning	1
Wood cutting	1
Painting	
Reading Writing, &c	17
	42
Unemployed	8
Total under care	50.

Out door work 14

Henry Binns, Charles Ellis, George Hanson, William Houlding, John Lambert,
James Potter, Alfred Smith, Henry Smith, Stephen Stapleton, John B. Stevens
& Joseph Stone, John Fisher, Samuel Hall, and John William Catlin 14

or the 3 last mentioned in light work, the last in fruit gathering.

House Work 5

John Binns, Diamond Garrett, Thomas Hodgson, Jonathan Nicholson and
Wycheley Stone 5

Joiners Work, Turning &c 4

William Gregory, John Harris, John Tracey, John H. Williams

Wood cutting 1

Reading Writing &c 17

Caleb Abell, Joseph C. Bale, Edward Fox, William Fowler, Charles Knight,
William Lamb, James Lees, James Marley, William Rickman, Robert Smith,
Thomas H. Theobald-Austrether, John H. Bragg, William Craven,
Frederic Hardinge, Alfred Pentecost and Henry Robinson 17.

Reading, besides otherwise employed 13

John William Catlin, William Gregory, John Harris, Thomas Hodgson,
James Potter, Alfred Smith, Henry Smith, Stephen Stapleton, Joseph Stone,
Wycheley Stone, John Tracey, John H. Williams and William Houlding

Unemployed 8

Thomas Armstrong, Joseph Broad, John Vinnsdale, Andrew Fisher,
Frederic Marten, Edward Neppfield, Henry Peckover, Joseph Ransome.

James Mason.

Jan. 1841
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Report respecting the employment of the Men Patients at the Retreat
for the year ending 6th 1860

Regular attention has been paid and endeavours used to keep the men patients employed as much as suitable according to their qualifications, the tabular statement annexed gives the number usually employed in each kind of occupation, which with those unemployed make up the total under care, it must however be mentioned that some have been engaged in different kinds of work and 16 out of 30 reported as engaged in manual labour spend some portion of their leisure in reading making the number of 30 who have been more or less engaged in reading. Besides the usual routine occupation in the fields, gardens, and pleasure grounds, there has been a great amount of labour found in levelling, carting, wheeling and removing of soil, repairing roads, walks &c since the completion of the new wing and other buildings, several have been employed in the workshop, the large amount of wood cutting for kindling, the pumping of water, and assisting in the wash house and laundry occupies much time and one patient has carted, cinders, coal, lime &c from York.

Out door work of heavier kind	16
do of lighter kind	3
House work	6
Joiners work and wood turning	3
Wood cutting	1
Printing	1
Reading writing &c	14
Unemployed	44
Unemployed	5
Total under care	49

Out door work. heavier kind 16

Thomas Armstrong George Hanson James Potter John B Stevens
Henry Binns William Houlding Alfred Smith Wycherley Stone
Charles Ellis John Lambert Stephen & Hopkinton Thomas Dainby
John Fisher John Liddbetter Joseph Stone John W Emmerson

Out door work. lighter kind 3

Banks Farrand Frederic Marten James Lees

House Work 6

Thomas Hodgson John Binns Edmund Garrett
Matrice A Holtway Septimus Fox Samuel Hall

Joiners work and turning 3

John Harris Barnard Rickman John Tracey.

Wood cutting 1

William Hart.

Printing 1

Thomas Rutter.

Reading, writing, &c 14

Caleb Abell William Lamb Thomas H Sheehall Frederic Hardinge
Joseph & Vale James Morley John H. Bragg — — Cooke
Edward Fox William Rickman William Craven
Charles Knight Robert Smith. Joseph Chandler

Unemployed 5.

Henry Peckover Richard Graham Andrew Fisher
Joseph Ransome John Tinsdale

Reading besides being employed in manual labour 16

William Houlding	Alfred Smith	John W Emerson	John Harris
James Lees	Joseph Stone	John Bind	John Tracy
Frederic Marten	Wycheley Stone	Thomas Hodgson	Barnard Rickman
James Potter	Banks Farrand	Maurice A Holtway	Thomas Rutter.

6th mo 20th 1860 James Mason.

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Report of the employment of the Men Patients at the Retreat
for the year ending 6th mo 24th 1861.

The employment of the men patients has been constantly attended to and as in previous years, they have been occupied according to their capacities and inclinations; and during the ~~year~~ favourable weather there has been a constant succession of work requiring to be done in the Farm, Garden and Pleasure Grounds; during the late severe winter there was a great deal of labour performed with the fire engine to raise water to the upper cisterns, and since the breaking up of the storm the engine has had to be used on an average two or three times a week; thus retarding the necessary work in the Farm and Garden, some patients have been employed in house work, joiners work, painting, and also assisting with the horses and cattle and other incidental labours. A summary is given below.

Out door work of heavier kind	14
do of lighter kind	3
Joiners work	3
Wood cutting	1
Reading writing &c	16
Painting	1
House work	5
Total employed	43
Unemployed	9
Total under care	52

Out door work.

Joseph D Beamish, Charles Ellis, John Emmerson, Richard Graham, George Hanson, William Houlding, John Lambert, James Lees, John Littleheller, Frederick Martin, Thomas Nainby, James Potter, Alfred Smith, Stephen E Stapleton, John B Stevens, Joseph Stone and Wycherley Stones, 17.

House work.

John Binns, John Fisher, Edward Fox Thomas Hodgson
and Maurice A. Holtaway. 5

Joiners work & turning

John Harris. Barnard Rickman and John Tracey 3

Wood cutting

William Hurst. 1

Printing

Thomas Rutter

Reading writing &c

Caleb Abell, Jas C. Bale, John H. Bragg, Joseph Candler
John William Craaven, Frederic George Cropley, Joshua
Fox, Frederic Hardinge, Charles Knight, William Lamb
James Morley, William Rickman, Robert Smith, — Septimus
Thomas Halford Theobald. 16

Unemployed

Thomas Armstrong, Henry Binns, George Brigham John Darnall
Andrew Fisher, Septimus Fox Samuel Hall, Henry Peckover
and Joseph Rantome. 9.

The following in addition to being employed in bodily
labour spent some portion of their leisure in reading.

John Binns, Thomas Hodgson Maurice A. Holtaway
James Lees, Frederic Marten, James Potter Alfred Smith
John B. Stevens, Joseph Stone Wycherley Stone Richard
Graham Joseph W. Beamish, John Harris, Barnard
Rickman John Tracey and Thomas Rutter. 16.

Total number employed in reading 32.

6th Mo 24th 1861

James Mason.

James H. H.

Tracy

and the

John

and

St. H.

John

Peter

Long

Tracy

St.

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Peter

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See Memoirs of the
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Report respecting the employment of the Men Patients at
the Retreat for the year ending 6th mo - 1862.

The employment of the Men Patients has been as usual regularly attended to and taking into account their previous habits and position in society as well as their mental and bodily qualifications, the number employed and the amount of labour has been as large as could be expected (Some have been induced to do a little for exercise and their own individual benefit) Work as much as possible suitable to their inclinations having been found for them. Three have been occasionally in the joiners Shop, one in Sailors work, one in Printing, one in painting, one in carting coke, coal, gravel, Manure &c and doing other heavy work, whilst others have been engaged in various kinds of labour in the House, Farm, Gardens &c, the Library has been in constant use and the Books, Periodicals, and Newspapers have been a source of much amusement and instruction altogether 33 may be reported as having spent some portion of their time in reading. A Table containing the numbers variously employed and unemployed is given below.

Out door employment	13
House work	5
Joiners work	3
Wood cutting	1
Painting	1
Sailors work	1
Printing	1
Reading, writing &c	18
Total employed	43
Unemployed	9
Total under care	52

Reading besides other employment 15.

Out-door work. 13

George Hanson, William C. Harsenail, William Houlding, John Lambert—John B. Liddbetter, Frederic Marten, Thomas Mainly, James Potter, Alfred Smith, Stephen E. Stapleton, John B. Stevens, Joseph Stone, Wycherley Stone.

House work 5

John Binns Charles Ellis, John Fisher, Maurice A. Hottaway, Thomas Hodgson.

Joiners work. 3

John Harris, Barnard Rickman, John Tracy.

Wood cutting. 1. William Hunt.

Painting 1. Thomas H. Sherbold.

Printing 1. Thomas Rutter.

Tailors work. 1. William Edmunds.

Reading Writing &c 18.

Caleb Abbott, John H. Bragg, George Brigham, Joseph J. Chandler, Francis Coke, William Cowen, Edward Fox, Josiah Fox, Frederic Hurdington, Charles Knight, William Lamb, James Lees, James Masley, Caleb Richardson, William Rickman, Robert Smith, Augustus Stapleton, Joseph Wetherald.

Unemployed 9.

Thomas Armstrong, Joseph A. Bale, John G. Vinodale, Charles Wyckers, Andrew Fisher, Septimus Fox, Henry Pickover, James A. Wyman.

Reading besides other employment. 15.

William Edmunds, John Harris, Thomas Hodgson, Maurice A. Hottaway, William Harsenail, William Houlding, Frederic Marten, James Potter, Barnard Rickman, Thomas Rutter, Alfred Smith, Joseph Stone, Wycherley Stone, Thomas H. Sherbold, John Tracy.

N. B. The Table gives the kind of work the patients have been chiefly employed in but most of them reported have been engaged in various kinds of work according to the season of the year and other circumstances.

Some of the Patients take considerable interest in the various operations of the Institution, the quality and value of Stock crops &c and many of them pursue their daily avocation with regularity and cheerfulness but there are some who are troublesome and require strict attention and in some instances their language is ~~provocative~~ & tantalizing and abusive.

6th mo 11th 1862

James Mason

Employment of the Men

Atlanta

1861-62

Report:

In presenting a report of the manner in which the Men Patients have been employed during the year ending 6th moth 1864. it must necessarily be very similar to past reports. I may however state that taking into account, the position in life, previous habits, and qualifications they have for the most part been suitably employed either mentally or bodily. A tabular statement is annexed showing their various occupations, it will however be well to mention that besides a large amount of labour in the Farm, Garden, and Pleasure Grounds & considerable amount of employment has been found, in casting gravel, coke fire wood &c and some of have been engaged in joinery, work, wood cutting and Flax work, and many of those reported as engaged in bodily labour also employ some of their time in reading.

Out door employment (heavier kind)	9
do (lighter kind)	5
House work	7
Joiners work & turning	4
Wood cutting	1
Printing	1
Reading, writing &c	18
Total employed	45
Unemployed	7
Total under care	52

* 16 others employ some part of their time in reading, writing &c -

Out door Work. (Heavier kind).

Thomas Armstrong, George Hanson, William Claverly, Horsemall, John
Bridger Liddbetter, Thomas Naimby, Alfred Smith, Stephen Edward
Stapleton, John Bamford Stevens and Joseph Storer. 8

Out door work (lighter kind)

Charles Ellis, Bro Lambert Frederick Marten, James Potter and
Joseph Stephens F.

House Work

John Birns, John Fisher Edward Fox Thomas Hodgson Maurice Ansell-
Holbourn, William Houlding and Nathaniel Miles.

Joiners Work & turning

John Harris, Barnard Rickman, Henry Reed Sharp and
John Tracy. 4.

Wood cutting

William Hurst.

Printing

Thomas Rutter.

Reading, Writing &c

Caleb Akell, John Hadwen Bragg, James G. S. Cadell, Joseph Chandler
Francis Cooke, William Craven, George Valentine Clutton, George Brigham
Josiah Fox, Frederic Hardinge, Charles Knight, William Lamb, James
Lees, James Marley, William Rickman Wycherley, Stone, Thomas
Holford Sheobald, Suffin West. 18

Unemployed

Henry Binns, John Gurney, Vinsdale, Andrew Fisher, Thomas Groathead
Joseph Gregory, Henry Peckover, James Anthony Wigham &c.

Employed in reading who are also reported in other ways.

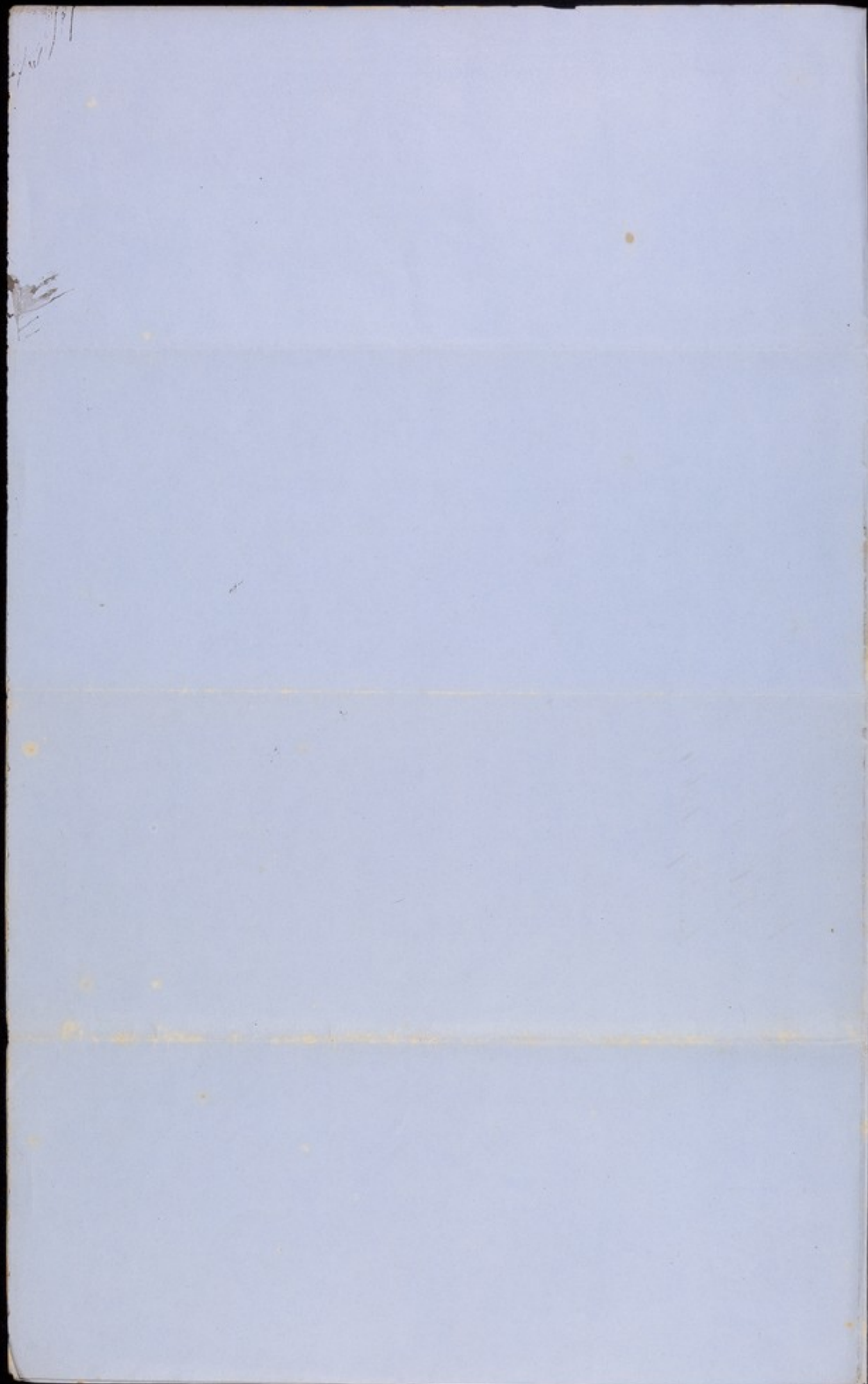
John Bridger, Lidbetter, Frederic, Marten, James Patter, Alfred Smith
John Bamford, Stevens, Joseph Stone, John Binns, Edward Fox,
Thomas Hodgson, Maurice Anhalt, Holtaway, Nathaniel Miles
Thomas Rutter, John Harris, Barnard Rickman, Henry Reed
Sharp, and John Tracy. 16.

Total engaged in reading	34.
Not engaged	18.
	52.

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Employment of
Men Patients

Nov 27. 1864



Report respecting the Occupation of the Men Patients at the Retreat for the year ending 7^{mo} 27. 1869.

In again presenting an account of the way in which the Men Patients has been employed, it may be stated that constant care has been taken to find employment suited to the circumstances and capacities of those who have been in the Institution.

The Farm, Garden and workshop have been resorted to by some others have assisted in house work, wood cutting, pumping of water and in other useful ways and a many have devoted much time in reading, but there are still a considerable number who are entirely incapable of any regular occupation or employment. A Table is annexed shewing the number in different departments, but some are engaged in many ways.

Out door employment	114
House work -	7
Fairers work.	2
Wood cutting	1
Printing	1
Reading, writing &c	21
Total employed —	146
Unemployed	11
Total under care	57.

Number reported in reading as above	21
Others who employ some of their leisure in reading who are reported as employed in other ways	12
whole number thus engaged —	33
Number who do not read or write	24
Total under care —	57

Out-door work. 14

Armstrong Thomas Houlding William Nairney Thomas Stapleton Stephen
Burgess Jonathan Liddell John Pz Payne James Stevens John Pz
Clothier Henry Lindsey James Richardson Daniel
Hammond John Martin Frederic Smith Alfred

House work 4.

Dawes James H. Gresham Thomas Hunt William Miles Nathaniel
Ellis Charles Hanson George Lamb Alfred

Joiners work 2

Woodcutting 1

Printing

Harris John

Rickman Bernard

Thomas H. Theobald

Thomas Rutter

Reading writing &c only. 25

Abell Caleb. Coke Francis Hollaway Maurice A Rickman William
Appleton Dr J Craven William Lamb William Stone Wycherley
Bragg John H. Fox Edward Lees James Taylor Robert
Cadell James J S Hardinge Frederic Marley James Tracy John
Clutton George B Hodgson Thomas Potter James Woodward John W
Caldwell Charles

Reading besides other employment 12

Burgess Jonathan Hammond John Miles Nathaniel Smith Alfred
Clothier Henry Harris John Rickman Bernard Stevens John B
Gresham Thomas Martin Frederic Rutter Thomas Thomas Theobald

Unemployed 11

Buckley Daniel Binns John Collett Ruckledge Nicholson John
Bennell John Cotterell William S Florsnaill William Wigham James A.
Binns Henry Dimsdale John Keymer Richard H.

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Jan 24. 1869.

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Report respecting the occupation of the Men Patients at the Retreat for the year ending 7mo 27. 1870.

In again presenting the Annual Report of the occupation of the Men Patients I have to state that constant attention has been given to find employment and induce such as are qualified to do something suitable to their various capacities; but there have ^{been} a large number under care whose physical and mental infirmities almost and in many cases altogether unfit them for any kind of employment.

The Farm and Garden has afforded regular work for some except in unsuitable weather, some have been engaged in joiners work, wood turning, painting, sawing and splitting wood for kindling fires, house work of various kinds, pumping &c and a large number ~~of~~ have spent a portion of their time in reading, writing or some other literary occupation and one patient has occasionally done a little printing, and ~~it~~ though much care and forbearance is needed in some cases yet it is pleasant to notice the cheerful manner in which many have applied themselves to their occupations.

A table is annexed shewing the way in which they have been mainly employed; but some have engaged in different ways, ~~but~~ and a large number of those reported and under the various heads of manual labour employ some of their time in reading.

Out door employment of heavier kind. — 10

do of lighter kind — 4

House work of various kinds. — 7.

Joiners work, wood turning, &c — 3

Reading writing &c — 22

Total employed — 46

Unemployed — 11

Total under care — 57.

Out door of heavier kind.

Thomas Armstrong. Henry Clothier John Hammond Henry
Clothier William Houlding, John B Liddbetter James Lindsey,
Alfred Smith, Stephen E Stapleton John B Stevens and
Joseph Unthauk. 10

Out door of lighter kind.

Jonathan Birge, Frederic Marten, Thomas Nantley and
James Paine. 4.

Joiners Work.

James Edward Dawes, John Harris, Barnard Robman
3

House Work.

Charles Ellis, Thomas Gresthead, George Hanson, William Hart
Alfred Lamb Nathaniel Miles, Thomas Rutter.
7.

Reading writing &c

Caleb Abell, John G Appleton, John H Bragg, James G S Cadel
Charles Caldwell, George V. Clutton Francis Cook William Craven
Edward Fox Frederic Hardinge, Thomas Hodgson, William
Lamb James Marley, James Potter. William Rickman
Wycherley Stiles, Robert Taylor, Thomas Halford Theobald
John Treacy John W. Woodward Edwin Cadman
James Newby. 22.

Unemployed

Daniel Beeby. Henry Binns William S Cotterell, John G
Winsdale Ruckledge, Follett, William & Harpersall
Richard H. Keymer, James A Wigham, Frederic Knight
Thomas H. Allis, W. H. Horniman. 11.

Employment in Reading, besides being engaged
in other ways.

Jonathan Burges, Henry Clothier, John Hammonds
James Lindsay, Frederic Marten Alfred Smith, John B
Stevens, Joseph Wuthank, John Harris, Bernard Rickman
Thomas Greathead Nathaniel Miles Thomas Rutten

13.

Reading, writing & wholly	22
Reading in addition to other things	13
Total engaged in reading &	35
Those who do not engage	22
Total under care	57

James Maorn



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Report respecting the occupation of the Men Patients at the Retreat for the year ending 7 mo 27. 1870.

In again presenting the Annual Report of the occupation of the Men Patients I have to state that constant attention has been given to find employment and induce such as are qualified to do something suitable to their various capacities; but there have a large number under care whose physical and mental infirmities almost and in many cases altogether unfit them for any kind of employment.

The farm and garden has afforded regular work for some except in unsuitable weather, and some have been engaged in joiners work, wood turning, painting, sawing and splitting wood for kindling fires, house work of various kinds, pumping water &c and a large number have spent a portion of their times in reading, writing or some other literary occupation and one patient has occasionally done a little printing and though much care and great forbearance has sometimes been needed yet it is pleasant to notice the cheerful manner in which many have applied themselves to their occupations.

A table is annexed shewing the way in which they have been mainly employed; some have been engaged in various kinds of work, and 13 of them reported in various kinds of manual labour employ some of their leisure in reading &c

Out door work of heavier kind	10
do of lighter kind	4
House work of various kinds	7
Joiners work and turning	3
Reading, writing &c	22
Total employed	46
Unemployed	11
Total employed under care	57

Out-door work (heavier kind) 10

Thomas Armstrong	William Houlding	Alfred Smith
Henry Clothier	John B. Liddell	Stephen E. Stapleton
John Hammond	James Lindsey	John B. Stevens
		Joseph. Unthank.

Out-door (lighter kind) 14

Jonathan Burgess, Frederic Marten, Thomas Kainby, James Parne

Joiners work & turning 3

James Edward Davies, John Harris, Barnard Rickman

House work 7.

Charles Ellis	William Hunt	Nathaniel Miles
Thomas Greathead	Alfred Lamb.	Thomas Rutter.
George Hansen		

Reading &c 22.

Calab. Abell	Francis Cooke	James Morley	Thomas H. Thobald
John G. Appleton	William Brown	James Potter	John Tracy
John H. Brazz	Edward Fox	William Rickman	John W. Woodward
James G. & Co. Bell	Frederic Hartman	Wycherley Stone	Edwin Cadman
Charles Caldwell	Thomas Hodgson	Robert Taylor	James Dewby
George & Collett	William Lamb.	W. H. Horniman.	Clay, Isd
	J. West.		G. J.

Unemployed

Daniel Beeby	Archibald Collett	Frederic Knight
Henry Pinns	William & Horsenail	Thomas H. Allis
William Scottrell	Richard H. Keymer	W. H. Horniman.
John G. Dimsdale	James A. Wigham	Sittewood, G. J.

Reading besides other employment. 13

Jonathan Burgess	Thomas Greathead	Nathaniel Miles
Henry Clothier	Frederic Marten	Thomas Rutter
John Hammonds	Alfred Smith	Barnard Rickman
John Harris	John B. Stevens	Joseph Unthank.
James Lindsey		

Total number who engage in reading &c 35.

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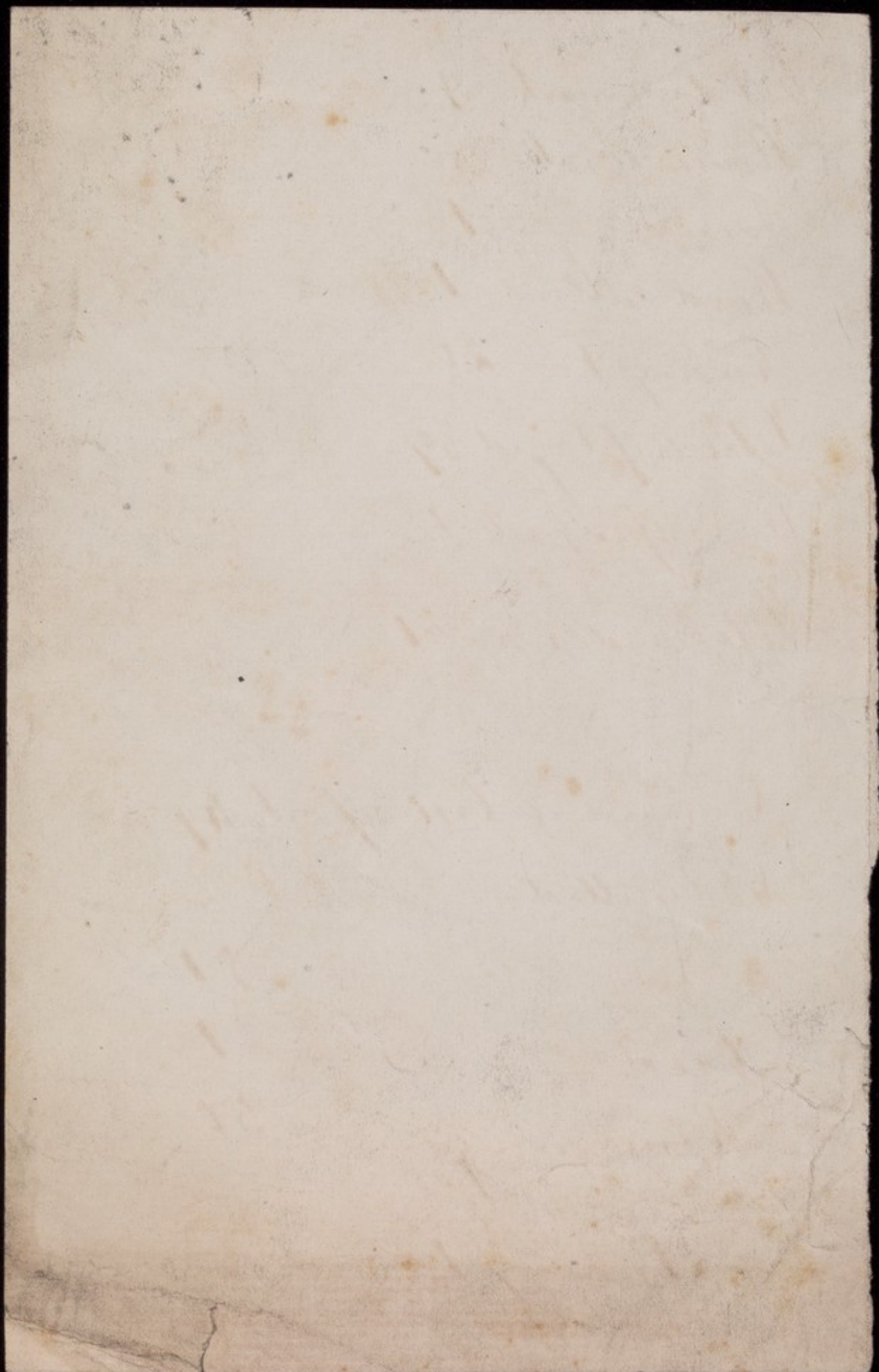
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Out door work. 9
 House work. 8
 Joiners — 1
 Wood cutting 1
 Reading &c 20
 Total employed 39
 Unemployed 12
 Total under care 51

Remaining last report 49
 Admitted — 2
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Died — 1
 Remaining — 50

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Men Patients Employment

June 20. 1871.

Out-door employment.	10
House work - - - -	7
Joiners work - - - -	1
Wood cutting - - - -	1
Reading &c - - - -	16
Total employed -	35
Unemployed - - - -	16
Total under care -	<u>51</u>

Remaining last month -	49
Admitted - - - -	<u>2</u>
Now under care -	<u>51</u>



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Report respecting the occupation of the Men Patients
at the Retreat for the year ending 7 mo 25th 1841.

In presenting another annual report respecting the occupation of the Men Patients I may again repeat that regular and unremitting care has been bestowed to provide work or encourage such as are able to pursue some occupation suitable to their particular qualifications; but as the number capable of manual labour or much physical exertion has been decreasing for a number of years, the amount of work performed has consequently decreased. There are however ~~some~~ ^{many} who have been usefully employed, some of whom have shown an amount of industry which has been not only creditable, but I believe may be of service to themselves.

One patient who had for some years been usefully employed in Mechanical work was out on trial at the time of the last report and he subsequently received his discharge and there is only one other who can be similarly reported. The farm, garden and pleasure ground have as usual afforded a large amount of employment; some have been frequently engaged in cutting and splitting up fire wood and others render considerable help in assisting in the house.

A Table is annexed and lists given which show pretty nearly how they have ^{been} engaged; but some whose names are down on one list are frequently engaged in other kinds of employment.

Out door work of heavier kind	9
do of lighter kind	14
House work	6
Joiners work	1
Wood splitting	1
Reading, writing &c	<u>26</u>
Total employed	<u>47</u>
Unemployed	<u>13</u>
Out on trial	<u>1</u>
Total under care	61

Out door work 13

Thomas Armstrong	William Houlding	James Payne
Jonathan Burgess	John B. Lidbetter	Alfred Smith
Henry Clothier -	James Lindsey	Stephen C. Stepleton
John Hammond	Thomas Naimby	John B. Stevens
	Joseph Unthank	

House work - 6

Charles Ellis	George Handon	Alfred Lamb.
Thomas Greathead	William Hurst.	Nathaniel Miles.

Joiners work -	1 -	John Harris
Wood splitting	1	Thomas Rutter

Reading, writing &c 26

Calob Abell	William Lamb	Clay
John H. Bragg	James Marley	Sedgewick
John J. Appleton	James Potter	George J. Littlewood
Charles Caldwell	William Rickman	Juffin West
George B. Clutton	Wycherley Stone	Henry Doubleday
Francis Coke	Robert Taylor.	John Mills
William Crocker	Thomas H. Sheekel	Samuel Reynolds
Edward Fox	John Tracy	James Coss.
Frederic Harding	W. H. Harminan	

~~Out on trial + Bernard Rickman~~

Employed in reading besides other work. 11

Jonathan Burgess	John B. Stevens	Nathaniel Miles
Henry Clothier	Joseph Unthank	John Harris
John Hammond	Thomas Greathead	Thomas Rutter.
Alfred Smith	Alfred Lamb	

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Special Notice

Henry Clothier, has been engaged in Out door work, sawing and cutting wood,
house work, carving, Netting, drawing, reading &c

John Appleton, Reading, writing, collecting Wild flowers, plants,

Thomas H. Theobald, Reading, cultivating flowers &c

John Harris, Joiners work, cabinet work, Turning, Out door work
reading, &c.

John B. Stevens, Out door work, wood cutting & supplying wood to house
house work &c

Thomas Rutter Splitting wood, House work, printing and many little jobs.

Joseph Unthants, Out door work, Wood cutting, house work & reading.

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James Mason

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Report 1871.

Report respecting the Occupation of the Men-Patients
for the year ending 7th mo 29th 1873

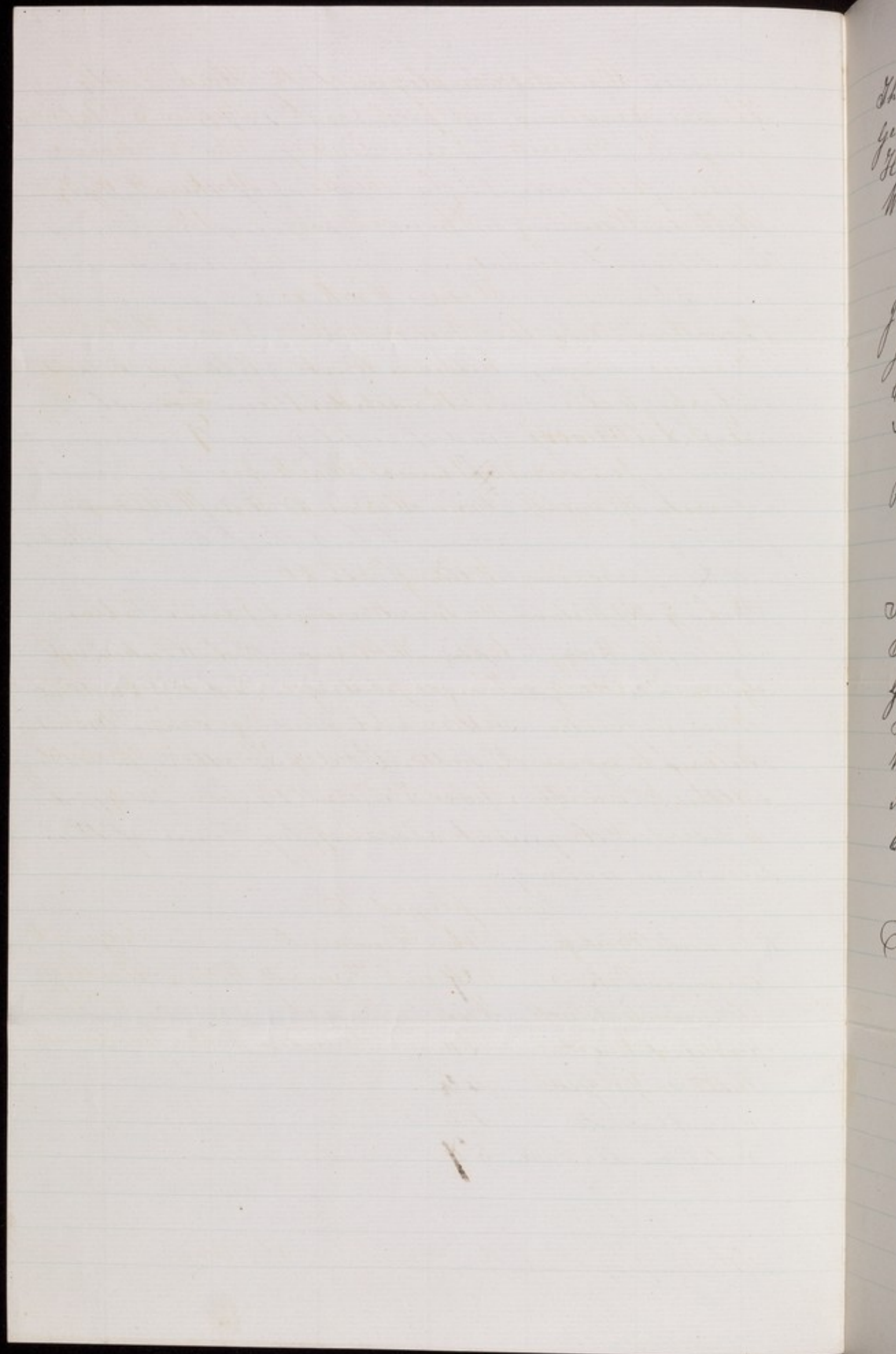
In again presenting an account of the manner in which the Men-Patients have been employed and their different occupations. I may state that there have been 56 under care one of whom had died and four have left the Institution.

There have ^{been} a large number whose great age or mental and physical infirmities render them almost incapable of any kind of employment; and among the remainder some ~~of~~ have been engaged in such a variety of occupations as to make it difficult to give a particular account but the following Table will be approximate the Truth.

Besides the Farm and Garden work some have been engaged in Pumping water and other House work some in cutting, sawing & splitting wood for kindling some in joiners work or book-binding, one in painting one in fancy work, netting &c and others in reading botany and other pursuits. and 13 who are reported in other employment also employ some of their leisure in reading.

Out door work.	12
House work.	9
Joiners & Mechanical work	3
Reading writing &c	<u>20</u>
Total employed	44
Unemployed	<u>13</u>
Total under care	<u>57</u>

Others employed in reading 13



Out-door employment - 12 Alfred Smith
 Thomas Armstrong Alfred Lamb Stephen E Stapleton
 George R. Barrett James Lindsey John B Stevens
 Henry Clothier John Mills Mackeson W. Wyllie
 William Houlding Thomas Kinby 12.

House Work 8
 Jonathan Burges Thomas Greathead James H. Parne
 James Capps William Hart Thomas Rutter
 Charles Ellis Nathaniel Miles
 G. I. Littlewood 9.

Joiners & Mechanical Work 3
 Pearson Albright John Harris William H. Thompson

Reading Writing &c 20
 John G Appleton Frederic Hardinge James Poller
 John H. Brazz William H. Harman John Pickering
 George D Clutton Thomas Jennings Samuel Reynolds
 Francis Coke William Lamb Wycherley Store
 William Brown James Marley Thomas H. Theobald
 Arthur W Cropley Michael J Morrell John Tracy
 Edward Fox James Newby.

Unemployed. 13
 Daniel Beeby John Hammond Sedgwick
 Henry Brins William C Horrenail William Wheatley
 Charles Caldwell Frederic Knight James A Wigham
 John G Dinsdale Thomas Saunders Walker Woodward
 William Fieldsend

See over

Patients engaged in reading who are also reported
as engaged in other employment. 13.

Pearson Albright John Harris Alfred Smith
George R Barrett Nathaniel Miles John B Stevens
Jonathan Burgess John Mills W^m H. Thompson
James Leaf Thomas Rutter Meekins W Wyllie
Henry Clothier

Employment of

Men Patients

Jan 29. 1873

A Report respecting the way in which the Men-Patients at the Retreat have been employed during the year ending 7th and 28. 1874.

In again presenting an annual report of the employment of the Men Patients, I have to state that constant attention has been given to find work and induce such as are qualified to do something which may be suitable to their capacities and inclinations, but there have been in the Institution a considerable number whose mental and physical infirmities, almost and in some cases altogether unfit them for any sort of employment.

The Farm, Garden, and extensive Pleasure Grounds, afford constant employment for some when the weather is suitable; some have been engaged in joiners work, wood-turning, bookbinding, painting, sawing and splitting wood for kindling fires, House work of various kinds and a many have spent some portion of their time in reading and other literary pursuits. The cultivation of Plants and Flowers is a favourite occupation with several of the Men Patients.

Whilst much tact and forbearance is needed in ~~order~~ the care of some it is pleasant to notice the cheerful and willing manner in which others have applied themselves to their occupation.

A Table is annexed giving an approximation in the aggregate to the way in which they have been usually employed, and many of those employed in manual labour, spend some of their leisure in reading of various kinds.

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Table

Out-door work of heavier kind	10
Do of lighter kind.	4
House work.	8
Joiners work &c	2
Wood splitting	1
Reading writing &c	<u>20.</u>
Total employed	<u>45</u>
Unemployed	<u>13</u>
Total under care	<u>58</u>

Out-door work of all kinds 14
 Armstrong Mills Stapleton
 Barrett Nainby Stevens
 Clothier Payne Theobald
 Houlding Penrose Wyllys.
 Lindsey Smith

House work. 8
 Burgess Greathead Newby
 Ellis Lamb A. Reynolds
 Fox Miles

Joiners work, bookbinding, wood splitting 3

Harris, Thompson. Rutter.

Reading writing &c ~~20~~ 20
 Abbott Coke Jennings Richardson
 Appleton Craven Lamb W. Stone
 Bragg Fieldsend Morley Smiles
 Coss Hardinge Pickering Tracy
 Clutton Hornum Potter Wright

Abbott	Armstrong	Beby	Burgess	Clothier
Appleton	Haulding	Burns	Ellis	Harris
Bragg	Lindsey	Caldwell	Greathead	<u>Thompson</u>
Craven	Mills	Cass.	Lamb	3
Fieldsend	Kainby	Clutton	Miles	
Fox	Rutter	Dimsdale	<u>Stevens</u>	
Hardinge	Smith	Harsenault	6	
Heald	Stapleton	Knight		
Harrison	Wells	Payne		
Lamb	Barrett	Saunders		
Masby	Brown	Sedgwick		
Newby	Robinson	Wigham	13	
Penrose	<u>Hall</u>	Woodward	6	
Pickering	13	Roborn	3	
Potter			<u>24</u>	
			46	
			<u>14</u>	
			60	
Reynolds		14		
Richardson		2		
Stone	Discharged		Died	
Theobald	Penrose		Metcalf	
Tracy	Richardson		Cass	
Leather	Wright			
Metcalf	Clothier			
Wright	Mills			
Oglesby	Harrison			
24.				

Unemployed 13

Beeby	Horsenaill	Wheatley
Benns	Heald	Wigham
Caldwell	Knight	Woodward.
Quinsdale	Saunders	
Hammond	Sedgewick	

Reading besides engaging in other employments

Barrett	Lindsey	Rotter	Thompson
Burgess	Miles	Smith	
Clothier	Mills	Stevens	
Fox	Newby	Penrose	
Harris	Reynolds	Theobald	

Total who have engaged in reading writing &c 36

Died during the year 3

Francis Coke, John Hammond William Wheatley

Discharged during the year 2

Thomas Jennings J. C. Smiles.

Report of the Employment
of
New District 1893-4.
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A Report respecting the way in which the Men Patients at the Retreat have been employed during the year ending 7mo 28. 1874

In again presenting an Annual Report of the employment of the Men Patients, I have to state that constant attention has been given to find work and induce such as are qualified to do something suitable to their capacities and inclinations, but there have been in the Institution a considerable number whose mental and physical infirmities, almost and in some cases altogether unfit them for any sort of employment.

The Farm, Garden and Pleasure Grounds furnish constant employment for some whenever the weather is suitable, others have been engaged in various ways such as, Wood-turning, joiners work, book binding, painting, sawing and splitting wood for kindling fires, house work, pumping water &c and the largest proportion have spent some portion of their time in reading and other literary pursuits, the cultivation of Plants and Flowers is in several cases a favourite occupation.

Whilst considerable tact and forbearance is needful in the care of some it is pleasant to notice the cheerful and willing manner in which others have applied to their occupation.

A Table is annexed giving an approximation to the manner in which their time is spent, but some are engaged in a variety of ways.

Over.

Table

Out door work, heavier kind	10
Do of lighter kind	4
House Work -	8
Joiners & mechanical work -	2
Wood splitting -	1
Reading, writing &c -	20
Total employed -	45
Unemployed	13
Total under care -	58.

Out-door employment of all kinds. 14

Armstrong	Mills	Stapleton.
Barrett	Nainby	Stevens
Clothier	Payne	Theobald
Haulding	Penrose	Wyllys.
Lindsey	Smith.	-

House work of various kinds 8.

Burgess	Greathead	Newby
Ellis	Lamb. A	Reynolds.
Fox	Miles.	Waight

Joiners, work. Book binding, wood splitting 3
John Harris. Thompson Rutter.

Reading writing &c 20 x 4 -

Abbatt	Cotter	Jennings	Richardson
Appleton	Craven	Lamb. W	Stone
Boag	Fieldsend	Marley	Smiles
Coff	Hardinge	Pickering	Gracy.
Clutton	Horniman	Potter	

Unemployed 13.

Beeby	Horsenail	Wheatley
Binns	Heald	Wigham
Caldwell	Knight	Woodward
Dimsdale	Saunders	
Hammond	Sedgwick	

Reading besides other employments - 16.

Barrett	Lindsay	Rutter	Thompson
Burgess	Miles	Smith	
Clothier	Mills	Stevens	
Fox	Newby	Pearson	
Harris	Reynolds	Sherbald	

Total who engage in reading writing &c 35.

Died during the year - 3.

Francis Coker, John Hammond, William Wheatley

Discharged during the year 2.

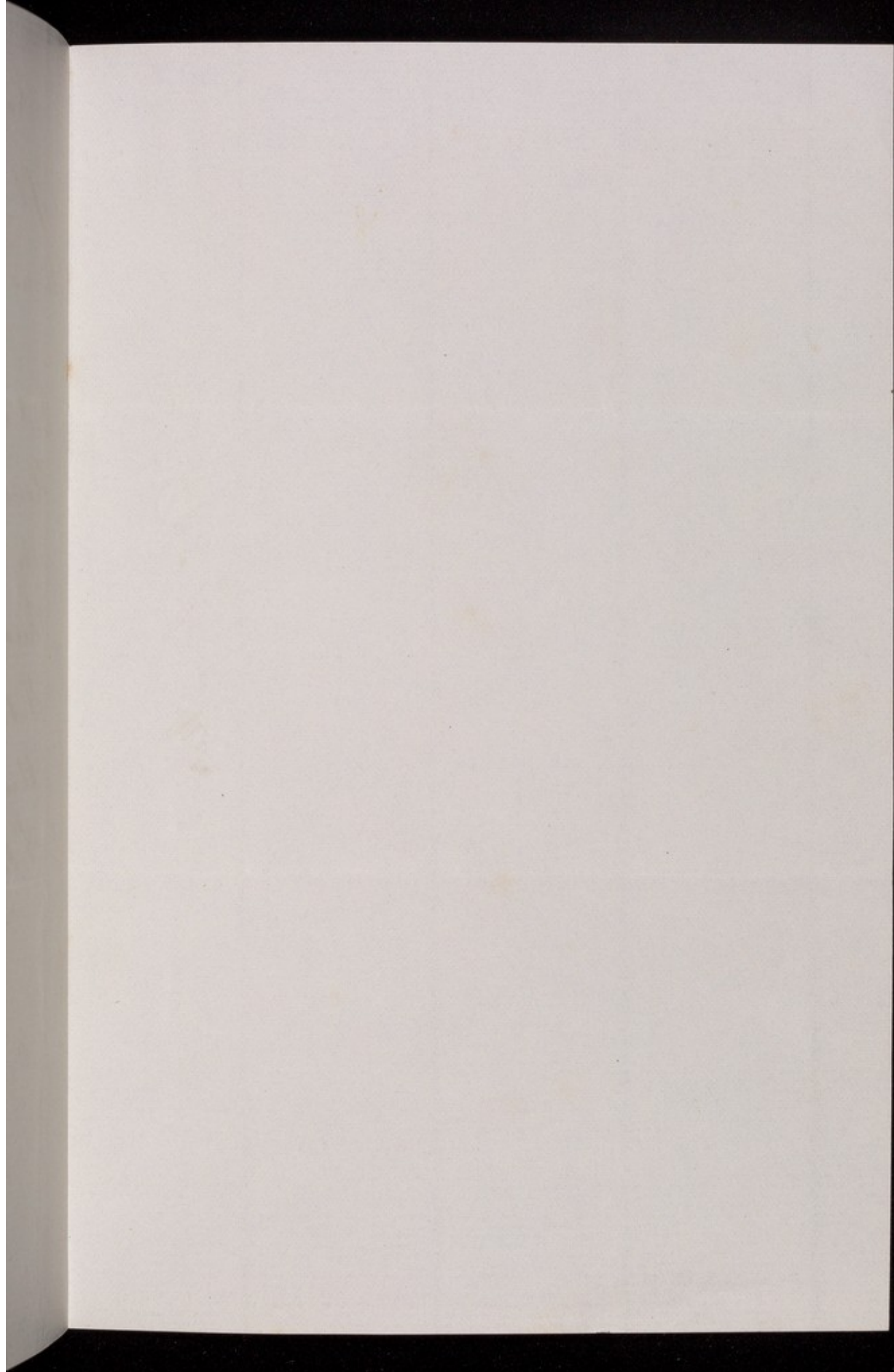
Thomas Jennings. J. C. Somers

Report respecting the
Employment of Men -
Students 1823-4.

Report relative to the
employment of Men Patients
4 mo 27. 1895

Out door employment.	12
House work - - -	7
Mechanical Work -	2
Reading writing &c -	17
Total employed -	38
Unemployed -	16
Total under care	54

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Report respecting the Employment of the Men Patients
at the Retreat for the year ending 7^{mo} 27. 1845.

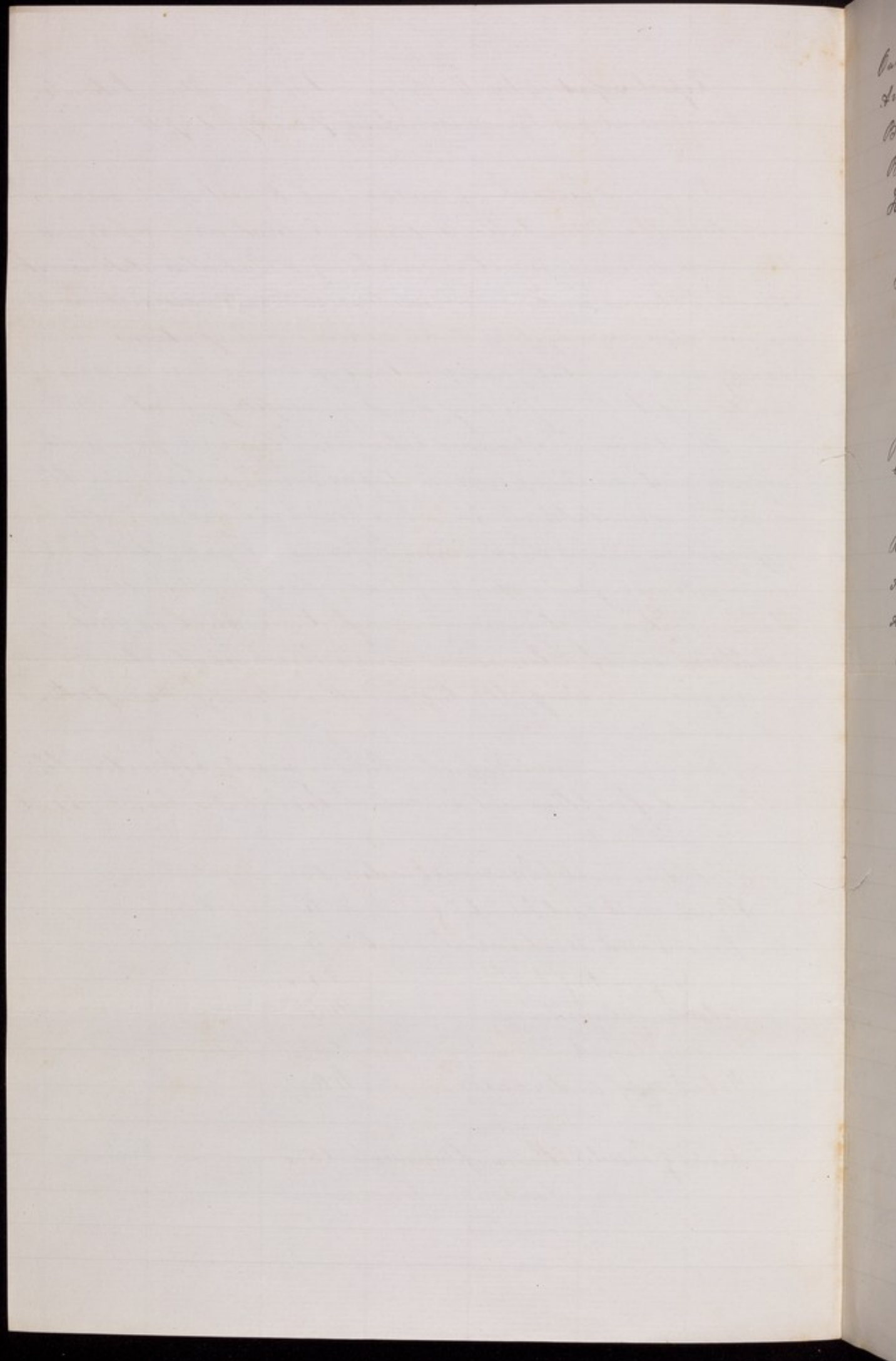
In again furnishing an Annual Report of the manner in which the Men Patients at the Retreat are employed the usual difficulty is felt in making a Tabular statement. Some patients making themselves generally useful and a number are employed in various occupations, the bodily and mental qualifications of some are so small as to unfit them for any kind of employment.

The Farm, Garden and extensive Pleasure Grounds afford continued employment for some, whenever the weather is suitable to be out, a few have occasionally been engaged in Joiners Work, Turning, painting gates, doors and fences, sawing and splitting wood for fire kindling, house work and other minor occupations, such as Potting cultivation of Flowers &c and a large proportion engage in Reading, Writing and other literary & ~~recreative~~ pursuits.

A Table is annexed which shews as nearly as practicable the kind of employment in which each have been engaged

Out door work of various kinds.	13
House work and pumping —	6
Joiners and Mechanical work.	3
Reading writing &c	<u>24</u> x
Total employed —	46
Unemployed —	<u>14</u>
Total of under care —	<u>60</u>

Reading besides other employments 15 x



Out door work of all kinds 13

Armstrong	Shoulding	Robinson	Wylllys.
Barrett	Lindsey	Rutter	
Brown	Mills	Smith	
Hall	Hainby	Stapleton	

House work. 4

Burgess	Gnathead	Miles
Ellis	Lamb. Alfred	Stevens.

Joiners and Mechanical work. 3

Cluthrie	Harris	Thompson
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Reading writing &c 24

Abbott	Hardinge	Marley	Reynolds
Appleton	Heald	Newby	Richardson
Bragg	Horniman	Oglesby	Stone
Craven	Lamb Wm	Penrose	Therbold
Fieldsend	Leather	Pickering	Tracy
Fox	Metcalf	Potter	Wright

Unemployed 14

Bechys.	Clutton	Payne	Wigham
Binns	Winsdale	Robson	Woodward.
Caldwell	Horsnail	Saunders	
Cop	Knight	Sedgewick.	

Engaged in reading and otherwise reported. 15

Barrett	Mills	Wylllys	Cluthrie
Brown	Robinson	Burgess	Harris
Hall	Rutter	Miles	Thompson.
Lindsey	Smith	Stevens	

Left during the year.	6	Died	3
Clotter	Penrose	Cass	
Harrison	Richardson	Knight	
Mills	Wright.	Metcalf	

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