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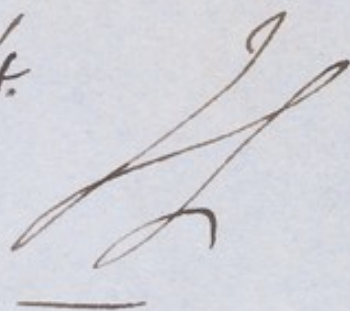
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Nov. 26-1864



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GENERAL
NOTES

RETREAT

2/17/12

The Prescription

Prepared by

Picton & Hatton.

Dispensing Chemists.

Market Gate, Warrington.

Date

No

555

Mr Caldwell has taken
one pile every night
for some time -

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To the Masters in Lunacy.

Gentlemen;

You are aware that we have a Patient in this Establishment named Charles Caldwell, in whose case a Commission of Lunacy was taken out previous to his coming to the Retreat, namely, on the 19th of March, 1863.

At the period of his admission, he was stated to have a considerable amount of property, and his sister, Sarah Caldwell, ~~formerly~~ formerly of Whitley, Northwich, Cheshire, stated that a large sum of money was lodged in the Chancellor's Court, on his behalf, and that she herself had also property to a very considerable amount.

The charge for Charles Caldwell's

maintenance &c in the Retreat was fixed at three guineas per week. His Sister now states, that in some unintelligible way, the property, both of herself & her Brother has been dissipated, & that she is informed by her Trustees, that the remnant saved from the general wreck, is so small as to deprive her of the means of supporting her Brother as he has been^{*} hitherto supported, & that she is reduced to absolute poverty. I requested her permission to state these facts to you, several months since, but failed to obtain it. She has now written her consent that I should apprise you of these facts, & ask if you would kindly state to me whether you have funds in your possession adequate to the maintenance of her Brother.

If you will oblige me by

a reply, it will be a relief to her
and a guide to us in regard to the
course which must be taken in the
case of our Patient.

I am

Yours respectfully.

J. W. Kitching

Medical Superintendent of the Friends
Retreat New York

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The Retreat, New York

Nov: 5th 1868.

