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REPORT

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OF

THE COMMITTEE

OF THE

YORK LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1833.

THE COMMITTEE have much satisfaction in presenting to the Governors at large, the Annual Report of the state of the Asylum. From a comparison of the Accounts of last year, with those of the year preceding, it will appear that there is a balance in favour of the Institution; and in reference to the general state of the funds, the Committee venture to hope that, in accordance with a plan suggested in a former Report, a certain portion of the Annual Surplus may be appropriated to the relief of those indigent patients who are either entirely excluded from partaking of the benefit of Lupton's Fund, or who cannot receive from that fund all the assistance which their circumstances render desirable. It is much to be regretted that the Annual Surplus should be so much diminished as it is by the payment of the Assessed Taxes, (£.142 10s. 4d.) with which the Asylum has lately been charged; and the Committee earnestly recommend that some means should be immediately taken to obtain the concurrence of other charitable Institutions, in an application to the Government for relief from an exaction, which while it is prejudicial to many objects of compassion, is productive of a very trifling increase to the public revenue.

A somewhat larger amount of deaths will be observed upon comparing the present with the preceding Report. The cases have been chiefly those of aged patients, who had been long residents in the Asylum. While the Committee notice this subject, they cannot omit to observe with gratitude, that the patients in the Asylum have been providentially preserved from that afflictive malady, the ravages of which have been so dreadful in some similar Institutions, during the past year.

The drainage of the Asylum has hitherto been very imperfect, and various plans of improving it have from time to time been suggested. A large drain in a new and shorter line to the river Foss has been recently completed, which will, no doubt, be effectual, and remove those evils which have been so long subjects of complaint.

The farm continues to be, in various ways, of great service to the Institution; and the success of what was at first, perhaps, regarded as a dubious experiment, justifies the views, and expectations of those by whom it was recommended.

ASYLUM, York,

July 5th, 1833.

C. WELLBELOVED,
CHAIRMAN.

OFFICERS.

Quarterly Court, September 19, 1832.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Catton, Mr. Allen, Mr. Agar, Mr. Wormald, and Mr. J. Richardson, jun.

Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Hornby, and Mr. Stead.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Priestman, Mrs. Kenrick, Mrs. Allen, and Miss Russell.

Quarterly Court, December 19, 1832.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Wormald, Mr. Catton, Mr. Agar, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Howard.

Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Hornby, Mr. Priestman, and Mr. T. Mason.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Russell, Mrs. Kenrick, Mrs. Allen, and Miss Priestman.

Quarterly Court, March 6, 1833.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Catton, Mr. J. Richardson, jun., Mr. Agar, Mr. Allen, Mr. Samuel Tuke, and Mr. Howard.

Visiting Governors.—Mr. T. Mason, Mr. Stead, Rev. J. Richardson, and Mr. Marshall.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Priestman, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Kenrick, and Miss Bell.

Quarterly Court, June 19, 1833.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. J. Richardson, jun., Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Samuel Tuke, Mr. Marshall, and Mr. Hornby.

Visiting Governors.—Mr. Priestman, Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Oldfield, and Mr. Stead.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Bell, Mrs. Kenrick, Miss Russell, and Mrs. Allen.

TREASURER.—John Brook, Esq.

PHYSICIAN.—Dr. Wake.

CHAPLAIN.—Rev. J. Graham.

APOTHECARY.—Mr. Thomas Ellis.

SECRETARY.—Mr. Wm. Waller Howard.

HOUSE-STEWARD.—Mr. Joseph Horsley.

MATRON.—Mrs. NAYLOR.

STATEMENT OF THE ASYLUM ACCOUNTS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1833.

Balance of former Account.

1832.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in Steward's hands,	32	4	4			
Ditto in Swann & Co.'s Bank,	551	3	8			
Ditto in Wilson & Co.'s Bank,	478	17	1			
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands,	30	0	0			
Debts due from Patients, ...	1596	18	10			
	2689	3	11			
Deduct Payments made in advance by sundry Patients	581	14	8			
				2107	9	3

Income.

1833.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 26. Charge to Patients for 1 Year, for Board, Attendance, &c. ...	4486	2	7			
Ditto for Clothing and other Necessaries,	928	5	1			
One Year's Income from Lupton's Fund,	300	0	0			
1832.						
Oct. 3. One Year's Interest from Garraby Turnpike,	5	16	5			
15. Michaelmas Dividends on £2250, (3½ per Cent. Reduced) ...	39	7	6			
1833.						
Apr. 11. Lady-day Dividends on ditto, ...	39	7	6			
Hodgson's Rent for Cottage and Field on the Stray ...	21	0	0			
Sale of Stock on Farm ...	30	0	6			
Ditto of Old Clothes, &c. ...	8	6	10			
Return from the County Fire Office ...	2	19	0			
Donation from William Oldfield, Esq. ...	20	0	0			
Over Payments in sundry Patients' Accounts	0	1	9			
	7988	16	5			
Deduct bad Debt (allowed for T. Metcalf)	1	17	1			
				£. 7986	19	4

Expenditure.

1833.	HOUSE EXPENSES.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 31.							
Barley, Bran, &c. ...	61	3	11				
Butcher's Meat, 2384st. ...	686	0	4				
Butter, 2699lb. ...	123	9	5				
Cheese, 100st. ...	46	9	5				
Candles and Oil, ...	12	6	5				
Coals and Leading, ...	169	19	11				
Drugs and Leeches, ...	27	2	10				
Escape of Patients, ...	5	11	9				
Fish, ...	16	11	7				
Flour, (Fine,) 1440st. ...	170	2	0				
Flour, (Bread,) 2400st. ...	245	14	0				
Furniture, ...	190	11	7				
Groceries, (small,) ...	45	0	7				
Hops, 194lb. ...	14	3	6				
Incidents, (House-Steward's,) ...	23	16	6				
Ditto, (Contract Patients', &c.) ...	181	19	11				
Malt, 60 qrs. ...	206	5	7				
Oats and Oatmeal, ...	9	2	4				
Peas and other Vegetables, ...	9	16	0				
Poultry and Eggs, ...	28	0	2				
Potatoes, 714½ bushels, ...	43	17	6				
Printing and Stationery, ...	32	11	3				
Repairs and Alterations, ...	462	12	10				
Rice, 64st. ...	17	5	0				
Salaries and Wages, ...	1168	10	6				
Soap, 136st. ...	52	13	7				
Straw, ...	14	1	10				
Sugar, 290st. ...	121	7	9				
Taxes and Insurance, ...	211	4	1				
Tea, 350lb. Coffee, 200lb. ...	112	2	0				
Turves, 180 bags, ...	7	10	0				
Wine and Spirits, (Sick Stock,) ...	38	11	0				
				4555	17	1	
1 Pipe of Wine, ...				76	0	0	
Farm Expenditure, ...				76	18	5½	
Clothing and other Necessaries				681	13	11½	
				5390	9	6	
Balance in favour of the Asylum,				2596	9	10	
Arising as follows, viz.							
Balance in Steward's hands, ...	25	16	11				
Ditto in Swann and Co.'s Bank, ...	959	7	7				
Ditto in Wilson and Co.'s Bank, ...	583	8	6				
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands, ...	30	0	0				
Debts due from Patients, ...	1545	19	10				
	3144	12	10				
Deduct Payments made in ad- vance by sundry Patients, ...	548	3	0				
	£. 2596	9	10				
				£. 7986	19	4	

SAMUEL TUKE, JOHN SWANN, JOSEPH BILTON WILSON, AND WM. PREST, ESQs.

AUDITORS.

Lupton's Fund.

1832.	£.	s.	d.	1832.	£.	s.	d.
June 5. To Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	127	19	3	June 7. Paid the Steward, ...	75	0	0
July 17. Received Midsummer Dividends on £. 12,400 Consols ...	186	0	0	Aug. 9. Paid for the Purchase of £. 100 Consols ...	84	5	0
1833, Jan. 16. Received Christmas Dividends on £. 12,500 Consols ...	187	10	0	Sept. 26. Paid the Steward, ...	75	0	0
				Dec. 26. Paid Ditto, ...	75	0	0
				1833, Mar. 15. Paid Ditto, ...	75	0	0
				May 31. Paid Ditto, ...	75	0	0
				June 5. Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	42	4	3
	£. 501	9	3				
					£. 501	9	3

APPROPRIATION OF LUPTON'S FUND.

1 Patient has been allowed.	s. d.	7 Patients have been allowed	2 0 per week.
3	6 0 per week.	51	1 0
4	5 0		
5	4 0		
	3 0		
		Total 71. And the amount appropriated £. 291 : 19 for one year, ending June 1, 1833.	

STATEMENT OF PATIENTS, June 1, 1833.

Average number of Patients in the house, from June, 1832, to June, 1833 ...	152.
Patients admitted from the first establishment in Nov. 1777, to Oct. 10, 1814	2635
Discharged cured, improved, and removed by their friends (the proportions of each not ascertainable)	2133
Died	599
Remaining in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814	103
	2635

Patients in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814	103
Admitted from Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1832...869.—To June 1, 1833...47.—Total	916
	1019

Discharged:			
	From Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1832.	To June 1, 1833.	Total.
Cured	298	14	312
Improved	165	11	176
Removed by their friends	199	9	208
Died	159	14	173
			869

Remain in the House:

June 1, 1832.		June 1, 1833.	
Men 79 } 151		Men 81 } 150 + 869 =	1019
Women 72 }		Women 69 }	

THOMAS ELLIS, APOTHECARY.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND THEIR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, June 1, 1833.

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
16 Patients from ...	...	1 0 to	...	...	3 3 0 per week		
32 ...	...	0 10	...	...	0 18 0 ditto.		
88 ...	...	0 5	...	...	0 8 6 ditto, including Pauper Patients.		
14 Contract Patients from	...	20 0	...	...	100 0 0 per annum.		
150 Total.							

✂ THE GENERAL ANNUAL COURT of GOVERNORS will be held at the Asylum, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of JULY, 1833, at TWELVE o'clock.

JOHN BROOK,
TREASURER.

APPROPRIATION OF THE FUND.

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REPORT

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THE COMMITTEE

OF THE

YORK LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1835.

THE COMMITTEE have great pleasure in observing that the state of the Asylum, since the publication of the last Annual Report, has been very satisfactory.

The average number of Patients has continued the same. The number of those who have been cured has been increased. There has been no serious illness in the house, and of those who have died, several were old persons, who had been long in the Asylum.

But although the number of Patients has not been diminished, it will appear from the following statement of the Accounts, that the income derived from them has been much less than in the preceding year, and not sufficient, independently of the Funded Property and of Lupton's Fund, to cover the Annual Expenditure. This is to be ascribed to various causes; to the extensive alterations and repairs which were begun, but not completed in the preceding year: to the removal or death of some of the more opulent Patients: and to the reduction of the charge to several of the more indigent. The first cause will now cease to operate, at least to any thing like the same extent, as the Asylum Buildings are now as nearly perfect as they can be made. But there are cases still remaining in which a reduction of payment is very desirable if not necessary. For such an increase of income as shall enable the Institution fully to accomplish its original design, it must look to an increase of opulent Patients. Ten years have elapsed since the apartments in the western Gallery of the Asylum were fitted up, at considerable expense, for the suitable accommodation of Patients of that class, yet they have never been fully occupied. If this has arisen from prejudice, or feelings of mistaken delicacy, on the part of the friends of such Patients, it is much to be regretted; since it is perfectly certain that in a public Establishment conducted as the York Asylum is, the comfort and well-being of the Patients are far more effectually secured, and at much less expense, than they can be in any private receptacle. The Committee, therefore, earnestly request the Governors to make known and recommend whenever they have opportunity, this department of the Institution.

ASYLUM, York,
July 8, 1835.

C. WELLBELOVED,
CHAIRMAN.

OFFICERS.

Quarterly Court, September 17, 1834.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Catton, Mr. Agar, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Stead, Mr. Allen, and Mr. J. Richardson, jun.

Visiting Governors.—Mr. Woodall, Mr. Hornby, Rev. J. Richardson, and Mr. Priestman.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Priestman, Miss Bell, Miss Russell, and Mrs. Kenrick.

Quarterly Court, December 17, 1834.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Catton, Mr. Agar, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Stead, Mr. Allen, and Mr. J. Richardson, jun.

Visiting Governors.—Mr. Woodall, Mr. Hornby, Rev. J. Richardson, and Mr. Priestman.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Priestman, Miss Bell, Miss Russell, and Mrs. Kenrick.

Quarterly Court, April 1, 1835.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Agar, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Stead, Mr. Marshall, and Mr. J. Richardson, jun.

Visiting Governors.—Mr. Priestman, Mr. Jackson, Rev. J. Richardson, and Mr. Catton.

Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Kenrick, Mrs. Allen, Miss Bell, and Miss Priestman.

Quarterly Court, June 17, 1835.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Catton, Mr. Stead, Mr. J. Richardson, jun. Mr. Marshall, Mr. Jona. Gray, and Mr. Allen.

Visiting Governors.—Mr. W. Catton, Mr. Priestman, Mr. Agar, and Rev. J. Richardson.

Visiting Ladies.—Miss Priestman, Miss Agar, Miss Bell, and Mrs. Allen.

TREASURER.—John Brook, Esq.
PHYSICIAN.—Dr. Wake.
CHAPLAIN.—Rev. J. Graham.
APOTHECARY.—Mr. Thomas Ellis.

SECRETARY.—Mr. W. Waller Howard.
HOUSE STEWARD.—Mr. Joseph Horsley.
MATRON.—Mrs. Naylor.

STATEMENT OF THE ASYLUM ACCOUNTS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1835.

Balance of former Account.

1834.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in Steward's hands,	69	14	10			
Ditto in Swann & Co.'s Bank	858	17	11			
Ditto in Wilson & Co.'s Bank	90	5	4			
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands	30	0	0			
Debts due from Patients ...	1802	18	11			
	2851	17	0			
Deduct Payments made in advance by sundry Patients ...	590	19	0			
	2260	18	0			

Income.

1835.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 23. Charge to Patients for 1 Year, for Board, Attendance, &c. ...	4520	7	1			
Ditto for Clothing and other Necessaries	730	0	8			
One Year's Income from Lupton's Fund	340	0	0			
1834.						
Oct. 17. Michaelmas Dividends on £2550, (3½) per Cent. Reduced, ...	44	12	6			
1835.						
Feb. 14. One Year's Interest on Garraby Turnpike	5	16	5			
Apr. 10. Lady-Day Dividends on £2750, (3½) per Cent. Reduced, ...	48	2	6			
Hodgson's Rent for Cottage and Fields on the Stray ...	15	0	0			
Sale of Stock on Farm ...	8	5	0			
Ditto of Bones, Kitchen Drip, &c. ...	2	17	10			
One Year's Interest on £1000, the floating balance in the hands of Messrs. Swann & Co. ...	20	0	0			

Legacies.

By the Will of the late Wm. Danby, Esq.	200	0	0
..... Lind. Murray, Esq.	25	0	0

Donation.

Mr. William Catton of York ...	20	0	0
Over Payment in a Patient's Accounts ...	0	0	2

£.8241 0 2

Expenditure.

HOUSE EXPENSES.

1835.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 31.						
Barley, Bran, &c. ...	57	5	8			
Butcher's Meat, 2693st. ...	788	12	0			
Butter, 2853lb. ...	134	8	1			
Cheese, 160st. ...	64	1	0			
Candles and Oil ...	48	8	1			
Coals and Leading ...	190	19	3			
Drugs and Leeches ...	25	2	9			
Escape of Patients ...	2	4	0			
Fish ...	26	15	0			
Flour, Fine, 1680st. ...	143	8	0			
Flour, Bread, 2400st. ...	169	16	0			
Furniture ...	195	4	2			
Groceries (small) ...	49	16	10			
Hops, 220lb. ...	15	15	0			
Incidents (House Steward's) ...	35	15	7			
Ditto (Contract Patients', &c.) ...	285	1	11			
Malt, 60 quarters ...	177	10	6			
Oats and Oatmeal ...	6	5	4			
Peas and other Vegetables ...	11	6	3			
Poultry and Eggs ...	37	5	2			
Potatoes, 758 bushels ...	61	14	6			
Printing and Stationary ...	42	16	5			
Repairs and Alterations ...	463	10	10			
Rice, 56st. ...	13	18	0			
Salaries and Wages ...	1239	2	6			
Soap, 133st. ...	47	12	11			
Straw, ...	11	11	5			
Sugar, 294st. ...	124	0	7			
Taxes and Insurance ...	158	10	4			
Tea, 393lb.; Coffee, 240lb. ...	125	13	1			
Turves, 180 bags ...	6	7	6			
Wine and Spirits (sick stock) ...	35	10	0			
	4795	8	8			
1 Pipe of Wine ...	88	0	0			
Farm Expenditure ...	141	15	5			
Clothing and other Necessaries ...	477	3	0			
	5502	7	1			

Paid for the Purchase of £200, 3½ per Cent. Reduced, at 98½ and expenses ...	197	16	6
Paid Mr. Exley on account of his building contract ...	60	0	0
Paid for the Purchase of £100, 3½ per Cent. Reduced, at 98½ and expenses ...	98	14	0
	356	10	6

Balance in favour of the Asylum, ... 2382 2 7

Arising as follows; viz.			
Balance in Steward's hands ...	52	2	4
Ditto in Swann & Co.'s Bank ...	1190	12	10
Ditto in Wilson & Co.'s Bank ...	77	6	3
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands ...	30	0	0
Debts due from Patients ...	1668	10	8
	3018	12	1

Deduct Payments, made in ad- vance by sundry Patients ...	636	9	6
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SAMUEL TUKE, JOHN SWANN, JOSEPH BILTON WILSON, AND THOMAS BARSTOW, ESQs.
AUDITORS.

Lupton's Fund.

1834.	£.	s.	d.	1834.	£.	s.	d.
June 8. To Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	57	17	3	Aug. 7. Paid for the purchase of £.70 Consols ...	63	12	0
July 15. Received Midsummer Dividends on £12,580 Consols ...	188	14	0	Sep. 17. Paid the Steward ...	85	0	0
Sep. 16. Received Donation from the Rev. Thomas Cowper Hincks... ..	21	0	0	1835, Jan. 9. Paid Ditto ...	85	0	0
1835, Jan. 15. Received Christmas Dividends on £12,650 Consols ...	189	15	0	April 2. Paid Ditto ...	85	0	0
	457	6	3	May 28. Paid Ditto ...	85	0	0
				June 5. Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	53	14	3
					457	6	3

APPROPRIATION OF LUPTON'S FUND.

1 Patient has been allowed	...	...	6 0 per week.	6 Patients have been allowed	...	2' 0 per week.
3 ...	...	...	5 0	50 ...	...	1 0
4 ...	...	...	4 0	Total 74. And the amount appropriated £. 288 : 4 for one year, ending June 1, 1835.		
10 ...	...	...	3 0			

STATEMENT OF PATIENTS, June 1, 1835.

Average number of Patients in the house, from June, 1834, to June, 1835 ... 158		
Patients admitted from the first establishment in Nov. 1777, to Oct. 10, 1814 2635		
Discharged cured, improved, and removed by their friends (the proportions of each not ascertainable) ... 2133		
Died ...	...	399
Remaining in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814	...	103
		2635

Patients in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814	...	103
Admitted from Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1834 ... 976.—To June 1, 1835 ... 48.—Total		1024
		1127

Discharged :			
From Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1814.		To June 1, 1835.	Total.
Cured	328	22	350
Improved	188	9	197
Removed by their friends	221	11	232
Died	183	12	195
			974

Remain in the House:

June 1, 1834.		June 1, 1835.	
Men	83	Men	76
Women	76	Women	77
	159		153 + 974 =

1127

THOMAS ELLIS, APOTHECARY.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND THEIR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, June 1, 1835.

		£. s. d.	£. s. d.
18 Patients from	...	1 0 to	3 0 0 per week.
36 ...	...	0 10 ...	0 18 0 ditto.
86 ...	...	0 4 ...	0 8 6 ditto, including Pauper Patients.
13 Contract Patients from	...	20 0 ...	103 0 0 per annum.
153 Total.			

☞ THE GENERAL ANNUAL COURT of GOVERNORS will be held at the ASYLUM, on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of JULY, 1835, at TWELVE o'clock.

JOHN BROOK,
TREASURER.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE YORK LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1836.

In presenting the Annual Report of the York Lunatic Asylum to the Governors at large, the Committee have the pleasure to observe that the general state of this valuable Institution is very satisfactory.

The average number of Patients continues the same; but those of the more opulent class having, in some degree, been lessened, a corresponding decrease in the Annual Income has been experienced; so that the balance in favour of the Asylum is not quite so large, as it has been in some former years. Great expense has also been unavoidably incurred under the head of Furniture, which includes the renewal of a very considerable portion of the household linen, and the supply of various articles necessary for the increased comfort of the Patients. The charge for Repairs and Alterations is also much, larger than usual, in consequence of the additions which it has been advisable to make to the office and house of the steward the payment of some out-standing bills for work begun in the last year, and also the erection of a very extensive and complete piggery; an essential portion of the economical arrangements in so large an establishment.

The number of Patients who have left the Asylum during the year either cured or improved, has been nearly the same as stated in the last Report: but the number of deaths has been considerably less. The Patients have generally been in a healthy condition.

The Asylum has been visited by several intelligent and scientific persons, both natives and foreigners; and it will be gratifying to the Governors to learn that they have uniformly expressed and recorded their perfect satisfaction with the treatment of the Patients, and the order, cleanliness, and general good management of the Institution.

At the late sale of Earl de Grey's property in the neighbourhood of York, some land contiguous to the Asylum has been purchased, which the Committee have no doubt will prove very advantageous to the establishment.

ASYLUM, YORK,
July 5th, 1836.

C. WELLBELOVED,
CHAIRMAN.

OFFICERS.

Quarterly Court, September 16, 1835.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Allen, Mr. Richardson, Mr. Catton, Mr. Stead, Mr. Marshall, and Mr. Agar.
Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Hornby, Mr. Priestman, and Mr. Jackson.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Kenrick, Miss Morley, and Miss Bell.

Quarterly Court, December 16, 1835.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Catton, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Richardson, Mr. Allen, Mr. Gray, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Jackson, Mr. Hornby, Mr. Priestman, and Rev. J. Richardson.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Bell, Miss Morley, Mrs. Allen, and Mrs. Kenrick.

Quarterly Court, March 2, 1836.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Gray, Mr. Allen, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Agar, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Hornby, and Mr. Geo. Swann.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Kenrick, Mrs. Allen, Miss Morley, and Miss Bell.

Quarterly Court, June 15, 1836.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Agar, Mr. Stead, Mr. Catton, Mr. Allen, Mr. Marshall, and Mr. H. Cooper.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Geo. Swann, Mr. Priestman, Mr. Richardson, and Mr. Hornby.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Bell, Miss Priestman, Miss Morley, and Mrs. Allen.

TREASURER.—John Brook, Esq.
PHYSICIAN.—Dr. Wake.
CHAPLAIN.—Rev. J. Graham.
APOTHECARY.—Mr. Thomas Ellis.

SECRETARY.—Mr. W. Waller Howard.
HOUSE STEWARD.—Mr. Joseph Horsley.
MATRON.—Mrs. Skipwith.

STATEMENT OF THE ASYLUM ACCOUNTS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1836.

Balance of former Account.

1835.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in Steward's hands,	52	2	4			
Ditto in Swann & Co's Bank	1190	12	10			
Ditto in Wilson & Co's Bank	77	6	3			
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands	30	0	0			
Debts due from Patients ...	1668	10	8			
	3018	12	1			
Deduct Payments made in advance by sundry Patients ...	636	9	6			
				2382	2	7

Income.

1836,	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 21. Charge to Patients for 1 Year, for Board, Attendance, &c. ...	4416	18	3			
Ditto for Clothing and other Necessaries	675	6	11			
One Year's Income from Lupton's Fund	340	0	0			
1835,						
Oct. 1. Received of the Trustees of the Hutton Charity ...	25	0	0			
26. Michaelmas Dividends on £.2850, (3) per Cent. Reduced) ...	49	17	6			
Dec. 16. One Year's Interest on Garraby Turnpike	5	16	5			
1836,						
Apr. 11. Lady-Day Dividends on £.3000, (3) per Cent. Reduced) ...	52	10	0			
Hodgson's Rent for Cottage and Fields on the Stray ...	26	0	0			
Sale of Stock on Farm ...	26	10	0			
Ditto of Bones, Kitchen Drip, &c. ...	2	4	0			
Interest on £.1000, the floating balance in the hands of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	20	0	0			

Legacy.

Mrs. Ann Thompson's Legacy, deducting the duty ...	23	12	6
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Donations.

Henry Cooper, Esq. of York ...	20	0	0
George Swann, Esq. Ditto ...	20	0	0
Over Payment in Patient's Accounts...	0	0	5

Deduct Bad Debts, &c. allowed by Order of the Committee ...	8085	18	7
	24	13	4
	£.8061	5	3

Expenditure.

HOUSE EXPENSES.

1836,	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 31.						
Barley Bran, &c. ...	54	18	5			
Butcher's Meat, 2720st. 8lb. ...	788	13	10			
Butter, 2876lb. ...	138	16	2			
Cheese, 161st. ...	64	12	9			
Candles and Oil ...	44	7	3			
Coals and Leading ...	194	2	8			
Drugs and Leeches ...	22	3	10			
Escape of Patients ...	2	7	0			
Fish ...	35	7	3			
Flour, Fine, 1440st. ...	124	4	0			
Flour, Bread, 2640st. ...	189	0	0			
Furniture ...	305	3	11			
Groceries (small) ...	42	10	6			
Hops, 366lb. ...	18	19	1			
Incidents (House Steward's) ...	35	12	1			
Ditto (Clothing for Contract Patients, &c.) ...	247	18	3			
Malt, 72 qrs. ...	218	8	0			
Oats and Oatmeal ...	9	13	4			
Peas and other Vegetables ...	8	7	6			
Poultry and Eggs ...	43	2	4			
Potatoes, 793 bushels ...	63	14	7			
Printing and Stationary	29	5	8			
Repairs and Alterations	528	18	3			
Rice, 56st. ...	13	5	6			
Salaries and Wages ...	1224	13	3			
Soup, 120st. ...	36	11	10			
Straw ...	22	11	9			
Sugar, 328st. ...	139	9	6			
Taxes and Insurance ...	150	10	0			
Tea, 380lb.; Coffee, 260lb. ...	112	7	10			
Turves, 120 bags ...	4	10	0			
Wine and Spirits (sick stock)	21	14	0			
Pipe of Wine ...	80	0	0			

Farm Expenditure ...	5016	0	4
Clothing and other Necessaries ...	107	19	9
	467	11	1
	5591	11	2

Paid the Treasurer on Account of Land ...	120	0	0
Paid for the Purchase of £.150, (3) per Cent. Reduced ...	148	8	0
Paid the Auction Duty for Lands of Earl de Grey in Clifton ...	29	15	0
Paid Earl de Grey the deposit of 10 per Cent. on the Purchase Money	102	0	0

Deduct the Sum of £.120 paid by the Steward on account of this as stated above ...	131	15	0
	120	0	0

Paid for Power of Attorney for Sale and Transfer of Stock ...	11	15	0
	1	4	0

Balance in favour of the Asylum, Arising as Follows; viz.	281	7	0
Balance in Steward's hands ...	43	12	7
Ditto in Swann & Co's Bank ...	1270	10	7
Ditto in Wilson & Co's Bank ...	92	15	8
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands ...	30	0	0
Debts due from Patients ...	1502	17	9

Deduct Payments made in advance by sundry Patients ...	2939	16	7
	751	9	6

	£. 2188	7	1
	£.8061	5	3

SAMUEL TUKE, JOHN SWANN, JOSEPH BILTON WILSON, AND THOMAS BARSTOW, Esqrs.

AUDITORS.

Lupton's Fund.

1835, June.	Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	£. s. d. 53 14 3	1835, Aug. 20.	Paid for the purchase of £. 100 Consols ...	£. s. d. 90 3 0
July 15.	Received Midsummer Dividends on £12,656 Consols ...	189 15 0	Sept. 15.	Paid Mr. Howard ...	85 0 0
27.	Received a Donation from Mrs. Grace Thompson ...	20 0 0	Dec. 8.	Paid Ditto ...	85 0 0
1836, Jan. 15.	Received Christmas Dividends on £12,750 Consols ...	191 5 0	1836, Mar. 10.	Paid Ditto ...	85 0 0
March 5.	Received a Donation from J. B. S. Moritt, Esq. ...	20 0 0	May 30.	Paid Ditto ...	85 0 0
		£. 474 14 3	June 1.	Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	44 11 3
					£. 474 14 3

APPROPRIATION OF LUPTON'S FUND.

1 Patient has been allowed ...	£. s. d. 6 0 0 per week.	13 Patients have been allowed ...	2 0 0 per week.
2 ...	5 0	49 ...	1 0
4 ...	4 0	Total 80.	And the amount appropriated £. 342 : 5 : 6 for one year, ending June 1, 1836.
11 ...	3 0		

STATEMENT OF PATIENTS, June 1, 1836.

Average number of Patients in the house, from June, 1835, to June, 1836 ... 158			
Patients admitted from the first establishment in Nov. 1777, to Oct. 10, 1814			2635
Discharged cured, improved, and removed by their friends (the proportions of each not ascertainable) ...			2133
Died ...			399
Remaining in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...			103
			2635
Patients in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...			103
Admitted from Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1835 ... 1024.—To June 1, 1836 ... 50.—Total			1074
			1177
Discharged :			
From Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1835.	To June 1, 1836.		Total.
Cured ... 350	17		367
Improved ... 197	16		213
Removed by their friends 232	3		235
Died ... 195	7		202
			1017
Remain in the House :			
June 1, 1835.	June 1, 1836.		
Men 76 } 153	Men 85 }	160 + 1017 =	1177
Women 77 }	Women 75 }		

THOMAS ELLIS, APOTHECARY.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND THEIR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, June 1, 1836.

16 Patients from ...	£. s. d. 1 0	to ...	£. s. d. 3 0 0 per week.
35 ...	0 10	...	0 18 0 ditto.
95 ...	0 4	...	0 8 6 ditto, including Pauper Patients.
14 Contract Patients from ...	20 0	...	103 0 0 per annum.
160 Total.			

☞ THE GENERAL ANNUAL COURT of GOVERNORS will be held at the ASYLUM, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of JULY, 1836, at TWELVE o'clock.

JOHN BROOK,
TREASURER.

(THOMAS WILSON AND SONS, HIGH-OUSEGATE, YORK.)

REPORT

OF

THE COMMITTEE

OF THE

YORK LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1837.

THE state of the Asylum since the publication of the last Report has been very satisfactory. The number of deaths, indeed, is larger than in the preceding year; but it is to be observed that the number of those who have been discharged cured has also increased. Of those who have died, several were far advanced in life, and had been for a very long period in the Asylum. The health of the Patients has been, generally, good; and very few were sufferers from the late severe epidemic.

The average number of Patients has been greater than that of the preceding year; but those who have been recently admitted, have been chiefly parish paupers, or persons in indigent circumstances; consequently the income of the Asylum has not been increased in proportion to the increase of Patients, or the extended usefulness of the Institution. At the same time many of the articles of daily consumption have advanced in price; and the House expenses have been unavoidably greater than in the last year. Among the House expenses, there appears a considerable charge for Repairs and Alterations: the Committee therefore think it right to state that under this head are included, the lighting of the whole Building with gas, which added greatly to the comfort and enjoyment of the Patients during the winter; and also the restoration of more than six hundred names of Benefactors, on the walls of the Committee room, which had become nearly illegible. A small increase will be observed in the Farm expenses; against which is to be placed a corresponding increase in the sale of Farm Stock. In the general expenditure is included the sum of £921, being the purchase money of the land bought of Earl de Grey, in the year preceding. The value of this purchase has lately been much enhanced by the purchase of land immediately adjoining it, and connecting it with the grounds of the Asylum.

The Committee have great satisfaction in being able to assure the Governors at large that there is no wasteful or needless expenditure in any part of the Establishment. Such an establishment cannot be maintained but at a considerable expense: nor can the surplus of income, as the Committee conceive, be employed in a manner more correspondent with the design of the Institution and the wishes of its friends, than it is; in diminishing the charges, and multiplying and increasing the comforts of its afflicted inmates.

ASYLUM, YORK,
July 4, 1837.

C. WELLBELOVED,
CHAIRMAN.

OFFICERS.

Quarterly Court, September 21, 1836.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Allen, Mr. Marshall, Mr. J. Richardson, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Catton, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Hornby, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Woodall, and Mr. Richardson.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Bell, Miss Priestman, Miss Morley, and Miss Agar.

Quarterly Court, December 21, 1836.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Catton, Mr. J. Richardson, Mr. Allen, Mr. Oldfield, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Richardson, Mr. Woodall, Mr. Jackson, and Mr. Hornby.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Agar, Miss Bell, Mrs. Kenrick, and Miss Morley.

Quarterly Court, March 8, 1837.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Catton, Mr. J. Richardson, Mr. Allen, Mr. Oldfield, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Hornby, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Swann, and Mr. Richardson.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Morley, Miss Agar, Mrs. Kenrick, and Miss Bell.

Quarterly Court, June 21, 1837.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Richardson, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Richardson, Mr. J. Swann, Mr. Cooper, and Mr. Hornby.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Bell, Mrs. Woodall, Miss Morley, and Miss Hodgson.

TEASURER.—John Brook, Esq.
PHYSICIAN.—Dr. Wake.
CHAPLAIN.—Rev. J. Graham.
APOTHECARY.—Mr. Thomas Ellis.

SECRETARY.—Mr. W. Waller Howard.
HOUSE STEWARD.—Mr. Joseph Horsley.
MATRON.—Mrs. Skipwith.

STATEMENT OF THE ASYLUM ACCOUNTS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1837.

Balance of former Account.

1836.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in Steward's hands,	43	12	7			
Ditto in Swann & Co's Bank	1270	10	7			
Ditto in Wilson & Co's Bank	92	15	8			
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands	30	0	0			
Debts due from Patients	1502	17	9			
	2939	16	7			
Deduct Payments made } in advance by sundry } Patients ...	751	9	6			
				2188	7	1

Income.

1837.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 20. Charge to Patients for 1 Year, for Board, } Attendance, &c. ...	4739	0	6			
Ditto for Clothing and other Necessaries	726	12	4			
One Year's Income from Lepton's Fund	340	0	0			
1836.						
June 9. Produce of the Sale of £.1000, (3½ } per Cent. Reduced) ...	1083	10	0			
Aug. 5. Received of the Trustees of the Hutton } Charity ...	25	0	0			
Oct. 15. Michaelmas Dividends on £.1900 (3½ } per Cent. Reduced) ...	33	5	0			
1837.						
Jan. 10. One Year's Interest on Garraby Turnpike	5	16	5			
Apr. 10. Lady-Day Dividends on £.1950, (3½ } per Cents.) ...	33	5	0			
Hodgson's Rent for Cottage and Fields } on the Stray ...	26	0	0			
Fawcett's Rent for two Fields	17	0	0			
Mrs. Strangeway's Rent for half Field	10	10	0			
Sale of Stock on Farm	33	10	0			
Ditto of Bones, Kitchen Drip, &c.	3	15	0			
Seven Months' Interest on £.1000	11	13	4			

Donations.

Edward Day, Esq. of York	20	0	0
Luke Howard, Esq. of Ackworth	10	0	0
Rev. Mark James Pattison	21	0	0
Over Payment in an Account	0	0	6

Deduct a bad Debt, allowed by Order } of the Committee ...	9328	5	2
	3	9	2
	£9324	16	0

Expenditure.

HOUSE EXPENSES.

1837.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 31.						
Barley, Bran, &c.	82	11	11			
Butcher's Meat, 2706st. 2lb.	809	14	5			
Butter, 2973lb.	171	0	9			
Cheese, 160st.	64	6	3			
Candles, Oil, and Gas	65	4	1			
Coals and Lending	207	13	7			
Drugs and Leeches	26	9	10			
Escape of Patients						
Fish	36	11	6			
Flour, Fine, 1360st.	166	4	0			
Flour, Bread, 2520st.	234	18	0			
Furniture	204	2	1			
Groceries (small)	67	15	2			
Hops, 189lb.	9	4	2			
Incidents (House Steward's)	35	13	1			
Ditto (Clothing for Contract Pa- } tients, &c.	269	8	3			
Malt, 60 qrs.	187	4	0			
Oats and Oatmeal	12	2	4			
Peas and other Vegetables	3	18	11			
Poultry and Eggs	38	11	8			
Potatoes, 573½ bushels	48	12	6			
Printing and Stationary	36	12	6			
Repairs and Alterations	482	9	10			
Rice, 44st.	9	9	0			
Salaries and Wages	1229	2	0			
Soap, 140st.	45	10	10			
Straw	24	1	4			
Sugar, 336st.	143	16	4			
Taxes and Insurance	146	12	2			
Tea, 393lb.; Coffee, 260lb.	112	16	3			
Turves, 150 bags	6	7	6			
Wine and Spirits (sick stock)	34	3	9			
Pipe of Wine	84	0	0			
				5006	8	0
Farm Expenditure				129	14	3
Clothing and other Necessaries				482	4	9
				5708	7	0
June 18, 1836.						
Paid Earl de Grey the Balance of } the Purchase Money for the Land } in Clifton, bought of him ...	921	0	0			
Paid Ditto for Interest	10	18	9			
May 1, 1837.						
Paid for Purchase of £.1400 Con- } sols, at 90½, and Expenses ...	1273	15	4			
Paid for Power of Attorney for } Receipt of Dividends ...	1	4	0			
				2206	18	1
Balance in favour of the Asylum, ...				1409	10	11
Arising as Follows; viz.						
Balance in Steward's hands	46	9	2			
Ditto in Swann & Co's Bank	142	8	5			
Ditto in Wilson & Co's Bank	387	14	0			
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands	30	0	0			
Debts due from Patients	1538	3	4			
	2144	14	11			
Deduct Payments made in ad- } vance by sundry Patients ...	735	4	0			
	£. 1409	10	11			
				£9324	16	0

SAMUEL TUKE, JOHN SWANN, JOSEPH BILTON WILSON, AND THOMAS BARSTOW, Esqrs.

AUDITORS.

Lupton's Fund.

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
1836, June 1. Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	44	11	3	1836, Aug. 11. Paid for the purchase of £.70 } Consols ...	64	8	0
July 15. Received Midsummer Dividends on £12,750 Consols ...	191	5	0	Sept. 15. Paid Mr. Howard ...	85	0	0
1837, Jan. 17. Received Christmas Dividends on £12,820 Consols ...	192	6	0	Dec. 14. Ditto ...	85	0	0
				1837, Mar. 7. Ditto ...	85	0	0
				May 25. Ditto ...	85	0	0
				Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	23	14	3
	£.428	2	3		£.428	2	3

APPROPRIATION OF LUPTON'S FUND.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
1 Patient has been allowed ...	6	0	48 Patients have been allowed ...	1	0
2 ...	5	0			
4 ...	4	0	82 Total. And the amount appropriated £.370 : 4 : 0 for one year, ending June, 1837.		
11 ...	3	0			
16 ...	2	0			

STATEMENT OF PATIENTS, June 1, 1837.

Average number of Patients in the house, from June, 1836, to June, 1837 ... 164			
Patients admitted from the first establishment in Nov. 1777, to Oct. 10, 1814	2635		
Discharged cured, improved, and removed by their friends (the proportions of each not ascertainable) ...	2133		
Died ...	399		
Remaining in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...	103		
	2635		
Patients in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...	103		
Admitted from Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1836 ... 1074.—To June 1, 1837 ... 57.—Total	1131		
	1234		
Discharged :			
From Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1836.		To June 1, 1837.	Total
Cured ...	367	20	387
Improved ...	213	11	224
Removed by their friends ...	235	12	247
Died ...	202	15	217
			1075
Remain in the House :			
June 1, 1836	June 1, 1837.		
Men 85 } 160	Men 83 }	159 + 1075 = ...	1234
Women 75 }	Women 76 }		

THOMAS ELLIS, APOTHECARY.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND THEIR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, June 1, 1837.

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
15 Patients from ...	1	0	0	to	3	0	0 per week.
32 ...	0	10	0		0	18	0 ditto.
98 ...	0	4	0		0	8	6 ditto, including Pauper Patients.
14 Contract Patients from ...	20	0	0		103	0	0 per annum.
159 Total.							

☞ THE GENERAL ANNUAL COURT of GOVERNORS will be held at the ASYLUM, on
WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of JULY, 1837, at TWELVE o'clock.

JOHN BROOK,
TREASURER.

THOMAS WILSON AND SONS, HIGH-CHURCH, YORK.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE YORK LUNATIC ASYLUM, FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1838.

From a comparison of the annexed statement of the Asylum accounts, it will appear that the financial affairs of the Institution are nearly in the same state, as at the publication of the last Report: and the Committee have much pleasure in assuring the Governors that the general state of the Asylum continues to be satisfactory. The number of Patients has increased from 159 to 179; and a proportionable increase in some of the items of expenditure has, of course, been unavoidable. This enlarged number has been occasioned, chiefly, by an accession of Patients, sent by the Guardians of the Poor; and in consequence of this, the appropriation of Lupton's Fund has greatly exceeded the grant from the Trustees; which excess must be supplied from the general funds of the Asylum.

Since the publication of the last Report, the purchase of buildings and lands of Mrs. Strangways has been completed; a purchase which from its proximity to the Asylum, and to the land lately bought of Earl De Grey, cannot fail to be of essential advantage to the Establishment. Some considerable expense in underdraining the land, and in altering the buildings so as to make them suitable to the purposes of the Asylum has been unavoidably incurred, and thus swelled the charge for "Repairs and Alterations," in the list of House Expenses. The farm in Stockton lane has been advantageously let.

The number of deaths has been less, than in the preceding year; and of those who have died, some had been long in the Asylum; one upwards of thirty years.

The Committee recollecting the valuable services formerly rendered to the Asylum by the zeal and activity of Visiting Governors and Ladies, and convinced that the welfare of this and similar Institutions depends essentially upon frequent and vigilant inspection, cannot conclude their report without expressing their deep regret at the present neglected state of the Asylum, in this respect. Visitors are regularly appointed, according to the Rules; but with one or two exceptions, the appointment is ineffectual. The desertion of Visitors is perhaps, intimately connected with the greatly decreased attendance at the Quarterly Courts. So greatly indeed has the attendance on those occasions fallen off, that it has more than once happened that no Court could be formed. This is much to be lamented, especially, since, as a late zealous and judicious friend of the Institution has observed, "the Asylum being immediately in the vicinity of York, might at all times be attended by a considerable body of Governors, without any thing like effort on their part." To their consideration the Committee beg leave to submit, what the late Mr. Nicoll, has further observed, "If the Asylum be at present, well conducted, both with respect to the comfort and well-being of the Patients, and the stability of the funds necessary for its support, it is not to be concealed, but ought to be most openly stated, that a deserted house cannot long flourish."

ASYLUM, YORK,
July 2, 1838.

C. WELLBELOVED,
CHAIRMAN.

OFFICERS.

Quarterly Court, September 20, 1837.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Richardson, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. J. Swann, Mr. Cooper, and Mr. Hornby.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Blyth, Mrs. Woodall, Miss Morley, and Miss Hodgson.

Quarterly Court, December 20, 1837.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Richardson, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. J. Swann, Mr. Cooper, and Mr. Hornby.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Blyth, Mrs. Woodall, Miss Morley, and Miss Hodgson.

Quarterly Court, March 7, 1838.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Catton, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Stead, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Priestman.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Cooper, Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Hornby, and Mr. J. Swann.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Blyth, Mrs. Kenrick, and Miss Morley.

Quarterly Court, June 20, 1838.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Priestman, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Catton, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Stead.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. J. Swann, Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. J. Richardson, Jun., and Mr. Woodall.
Visiting Ladies.—Miss Morley, Mrs. R. Jennings, Mrs. Priestman, and Mrs. S. Cooper.

TREASURER.—John Brook, Esq.
PHYSICIAN.—DR. WAKE.
CHAPLAIN.—Rev. J. Graham.
APOTHECARY.—Mr. Thomas Ellis.

SECRETARY.—Mr. Wm. Waller Howard.
HOUSE STEWARD.—Mr. Joseph Horsley.
MATRON.—Mrs. Skipwith.

STATEMENT OF THE ASYLUM ACCOUNTS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1838.

Balance of former Account.

1837,	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in Steward's hands	46	9	2			
Ditto in Swann & Co's Bank	142	8	5			
Ditto in Wilson & Co's Bank	387	14	0			
Ditto in Mr. Horsley's hands	30	0	0			
Debts due from Patients ...	1538	3	4			
	2144	14	11			
Deduct Payments made in advance by sundry Patients ...	735	4	0			
				1409	10	11

Income.

1838,	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 19. Charge to Patients for 1 Year, for Board, Attendance, &c. ...	4809	8	10			
Ditto for Clothing and other Necessaries	616	1	3			
One Year's Income from Lupton's Fund	340	0	0			
1837,						
June 15. Produce of the Sale of £.1400, three and a half per Cent. Reduced	1363	5	0			
July 10. Received of Mrs. Strangways, the sum agreed to be allowed by her	100	0	0			
July 10. Midsummer Dividends on £.1400 Con- sols ...	21	0	0			
Aug. 4. Received of the Trustees of the Hutton Charity ...	25	0	0			
Sept. 13. One Year's Interest on Garraby Turn- pike ...	5	16	5			
Oct. 16. Michaelmas Dividends on £.500 three and a half per Cent. Reduced	8	15	0			
1838,						
Jan. 10. Christmas Dividends on £.1400 Con- sols ...	21	0	0			
Apr. 18. Lady-day Dividends on £.500, three and a half per Cent. Reduced	8	15	0			
Hodgson's Rent for Cottage and Fields on the Stray ...	26	0	0			
Fawcett's Rent for two Fields	17	0	0			
Received for Eutage and Manure on the Farm ...	21	10	0			
Sale of Stock on the Farm ...	28	3	0			
Ditto of Bones, Rags, &c. &c. ...	7	5	6			

Donation.

Miss M. Elaley ...	5	0	0
Over Payment in an Account	0	0	4

Deduct a bad debt allowed by order of the Committee ...	8833	11	3
	7	3	6
	£.8826	7	9

Expenditure.

HOUSE EXPENSES.

1838,	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
May 31.						
Barley, Bran, &c. ...	31	8	3			
Butcher's Meat, 2667st. 5lb. ...	810	7	6			
Butter, 3045lb. ...	168	14	11			
Cheese, 148st. ...	44	15	1			
Candles, Oil, and Gas ...	49	4	4			
Coals and Lending ...	188	1	6			
Drugs and Leeches ...	22	8	3			
Escape of Patients ...	0	13	6			
Fish ...	34	17	8			
Flour, Fine, 1560st. ...	179	8	0			
Flour, Bread, 2760st. ...	276	12	0			
Furniture ...	218	19	8			
Groceries (small) ...	57	0	1			
Hops, 234lb. ...	11	0	9			
Incidents (House Steward's) ...	38	4	8			
Ditto (Clothing for Contract Patients, &c.) ...	299	7	11			
Malt, 60 qrs. ...	179	9	4			
Oats and Oatmeal ...	19	5	8			
Peas and other Vegetables ...	13	9	0			
Poultry and Eggs ...	39	15	6			
Potatoes, 793 bushels ...	60	15	6			
Printing and Stationary ...	39	9	7			
Repairs and Alterations ...	363	19	2			
Rice, 64st. ...	12	7	9			
Salaries and Wages ...	1233	18	0			
Soap, 128st. ...	42	10	9			
Straw ...	25	16	6			
Sugar, 332st. ...	142	15	1			
Taxes and Insurance ...	162	6	11			
Tea, 388lb., and Coffee, 240lb. ...	105	1	8			
Turves, 150 bags ...	6	2	6			
Wine and Spirits (sick stock) ...	27	10	0			
				4905	17	0
Farm Expenditure ...				105	16	1
Clothing and other Necessaries ...				446	18	7
				5458	11	8

1837,			
June 5. Paid for Power of Attorney for Receipt of Dividends	1	4	0
19. Paid Mrs. Strangways the Purchase Money for the Buildings and Land bought of her	1700	0	0

1838,			
May 10. Paid Mr. Brook's Bills ...	103	19	8
Balance in favour of the Asylum, ...	1805	3	8
	1562	12	5

Arising as follows, viz.

Balance in Steward's hands	44	5	2
Ditto in Swann and Co's Bank	283	3	3
Ditto in Wilson and Co's Bank	243	1	5
Cash in Mr. Horsley's hands	30	0	0
Debts due from Patients ...	1722	14	7
	2325	4	5
Deduct Payments made in advance by Sundry Patients ...	762	12	0
	£.1562	12	5
	£.8826	7	9

SAMUEL TUKE, JOHN SWANN, JOSEPH BILTON WILSON, AND THOMAS BARSTOW, ESQs.
AUDITORS.

Lupton's Fund.

1837.		£.	s.	d.	1837.		£.	s.	d.
June 1.	Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	23	14	3	Sept. 19.	Paid Mr. Howard ...	85	0	0
July 18.	Received Midsummer Dividends on £12,820 Consols ...	192	6	0	Dec. 18.	Ditto ...	85	0	0
1838.					1838.				
Jan. 16.	Received Christmas Dividends on Ditto ...	192	6	0	Mar. 12.	Ditto ...	85	0	0
					May 23.	Ditto ...	85	0	0
					June 1.	Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	68	6	3
		£.408	6	3			£.408	6	3

APPROPRIATION OF LUPTON'S FUND.

1 Patient has been allowed ...	s.	d.	Brought forward 29	s.	d.
1 ...	6	0	70 Patients have been allowed 1	0	per week.
4 ...	5	0			
9 ...	4	0	Total 99		
14 ...	3	0	And the amount appropriated £.394: 11: 0 for one year, ending June, 1838.		
29 carried forward.	2	0			

STATEMENT OF PATIENTS, June 1, 1838.

Average number of Patients in the House, from June, 1837, to June, 1838 ...	170
Patients admitted from the first establishment in Nov. 1777, to Oct. 10, 1814	2635
Discharged cured, improved, and removed by their friends (the proportions of each not ascertainable) ...	2133
Died ...	399
Remaining in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...	103
	2635

Patients in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...	103
Admitted from Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1837 .. 1131.—To June 1, 1838 .. 62.—Total	1193
	1296

Discharged:		To June 1, 1838.		Total.
From Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1837.				
Cured ...	387	16	...	403
Improved ...	224	7	...	231
Removed by their friends	247	9	...	256
Died ...	217	10	...	227
				1117

Remain in the House:		
June 1, 1837.	June 1, 1838.	
Men 83 } 159	Men 94 }	1296
Women 76 }	Women 85 }	179 + 1117 =

THOMAS ELLIS, APOTHECARY.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND THEIR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, June 1, 1838.

	£.	s.	d.	to	£.	s.	d.
13 Patients from ...	1	0	0	to	4	4	0 per week.
32 ...	0	10	0	...	0	18	0 ditto,
120 ...	0	4	0	...	0	8	6 ditto, including Pauper Patients.
14 Contract Patients from	20	0	0	...	130	0	0 per annum.
179 Total.							

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JOHN BROOK,
TREASURER.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE YORK LUNATIC ASYLUM, FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1839.

THE Committee have great pleasure in announcing to the Governors at large, that the general state of the Asylum during the last year has been satisfactory. The average number of Patients has been larger than in any former year; much larger, indeed, than has been desirable; it has been occasioned by peculiar circumstances; and is gradually decreasing.

The balance in favour of the Asylum, it will be observed, is less than in the preceding year. This is owing partly to the increased price of flour, meat, and other articles of necessary consumption, and partly to an expensive but unavoidable alteration of a day-room in the older part of the building, and of the adjoining airing court.

The amount of deaths has been rather below the usual number; and the cases of Patients cured and improved, in proportion to the admissions, have been somewhat larger than in several preceding years.

It has been the anxious desire of successive Committees, to whom the management of the affairs of the Asylum have been entrusted during the last five and twenty years, to provide for the Patients, as extensively as possible, the means of active employment and amusement, suitable to their previous station and habits of life; under the full conviction that no mode of treatment can be devised more likely to diminish the necessity of personal restraint, to effect a cure, or, where that is not possible, to afford relief. Various plans have from time to time been formed and adopted, which have worked well for a short period, and then have been unavoidably abandoned. To a certain extent a system of employment has always been pursued. Some of the Patients belonging to the lower classes have been uniformly engaged in the daily work of the house; some have been occupied in gardening; and the needle-work has been regularly done by some of the better class of female Patients; while others have been induced to amuse themselves occasionally with music; and several with reading. Still, for by far the largest portion of the afflicted inmates of the establishment, it has been found so difficult to organize a course of occupation, or to carry it into effect, that the attempt was nearly abandoned as hopeless. The attention of the Committee has been recently again directed to this important object. Other institutions, in which a system of employing Patients in field and other labour was said to be fully and successfully pursued, were pointed out to them. They thought it right, therefore, to ascertain how far this most desirable object was attained in those institutions, and by what means; and for this purpose they resolved to send Mr. Horsley, the house-steward, (it not being convenient for Mr. Ellis to leave the Patients for so long a period,) on a visit to the principal Asylums in Scotland and England. This active and intelligent officer of the Institution executed his mission in a manner highly creditable to himself, and most satisfactory to those by whom he was employed. The managers of the various establishments he visited readily communicated to him all the information he desired; and he returned well satisfied with the general character, and conduct of that with which he is so usefully connected—yet prepared by the results of his observation to aid in its improvement. Under his judicious and zealous superintendence, a system of field labour is now in operation; preparations for a course of in-door occupation are in progress; and the Committee indulge the hope that the object so long desired, will be accomplished; and its natural advantages experienced in their fullest extent.

ASYLUM, YORK, 4th July, 1839.

C. WELLBELOVED,
CHAIRMAN.

OFFICERS.

Quarterly Court, September 19, 1838.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Agar, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Catton, Mr. Allen, Mr. Stead, and Mr. Woodall.
Visiting Governors.—Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. Priestman, Mr. J. Richardson, jun., and Mr. Tuke.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. Cooper, Miss Morley, Mrs. Woodall, and Mrs. J. Richardson.

Quarterly Court, December 19, 1838.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Tuke, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Stead, Mr. G. Swann, and Mr. Priestman.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Woodall, Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. J. Richardson, jun., and Mr. Mason.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. J. Richardson, Mrs. Crosby, Miss Morley, and Mrs. Cooper.

Quarterly Court, March 13, 1839.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Tuke, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Stead, Mr. G. Swann, and Mr. Priestman.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Woodall, Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. J. Richardson, jun., and Mr. Mason.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. J. Richardson, Mrs. Crosby, Miss Morley, and Mrs. Cooper.

Quarterly Court, June 19, 1839.

Committee.—Rev. C. Wellbeloved, Mr. Tuke, Mr. Allen, Mr. Catton, Mr. Stead, Mr. G. Swann, and Mr. Priestman.
Visiting Governors.—Mr. Woodall, Rev. J. Richardson, Mr. J. Richardson, jun., and Mr. Mason.
Visiting Ladies.—Mrs. J. Richardson, Mrs. Crosby, Miss Morley, and Mrs. Cooper.

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MATRON.—Mrs. Skipwith.

Lupton's Fund.

1838,		£.	s.	d.	1838,		£.	s.	d.
May 25.	Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	68	6	3	Aug. 16.	Paid for purchase of £80 Consols ...	75	18	0
July 17.	Received Midsummer Dividends on £12,820 Consols ...	192	6	0	Sept. 17.	Paid the Steward ...	85	0	0
1839,					Dec. 29.	Ditto ..	85	0	0
Jan. 16.	Received Christmas Dividends on £12,900 Consols ...	193	10	0	1839,				
					Mar. 8.	Ditto ...	85	0	0
					May 22.	Ditto ...	85	0	0
					May 25.	Balance in the Bank of Messrs. Swann and Co. ...	38	4	3
		£.454	2	3			£.454	2	3

APPROPRIATION OF LUPTON'S FUND.

1 Patient has been allowed ...	6	0	per week.	Brought forward 27	65 Patients have been allowed 1	0	per week.
1 ...	5	0					
3 ...	4	0		Total 92			
8 ...	3	0					
14 ...	2	0					
27 carried forward.							

STATEMENT OF PATIENTS, June 1, 1838.

Average number of Patients in the House, from June 1838, to June, 1839 ...	174
Patients admitted from the first establishment in Nov. 1777, to Oct. 10, 1814	2635
Discharged cured, improved, and removed by their friends (the proportion of each not ascertainable) ...	2133
Died ...	399
Remaining in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...	103
	2635

Patients in the Asylum, Oct. 10, 1814 ...	103
Admitted from Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1838 .. 1193.—To June 1, 1839 .. 24.—Total	1217
	1320

From Oct. 10, 1814, to June 1, 1838.	Discharged:	To June 1, 1839.	Total.
Cured ...	403	14	417
Improved ...	231	2	233
Removed by their friends	256	8	264
Died ...	227	9	236
			1150

Remain in the House:

June 1, 1838.	June 1, 1839.
Men 94 } 179	Men 89 } 170 + 1150 =
Women 85 }	Women 81 }

1320

THOMAS ELLIS, APOTHECARY.

NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND THEIR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, June 1, 1839.

	£.	s.	d.	to	£.	s.	d.
15 Patients from ...	1	0	0		4	4	0 per week.
35 ...	0	10	0		0	18	0 ditto.
105 ...	0	4	0		0	8	6 ditto, including Pauper Patients.
15 Contract Patients from	20	0	0		130	0	0 per annum.
170 Total.							

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