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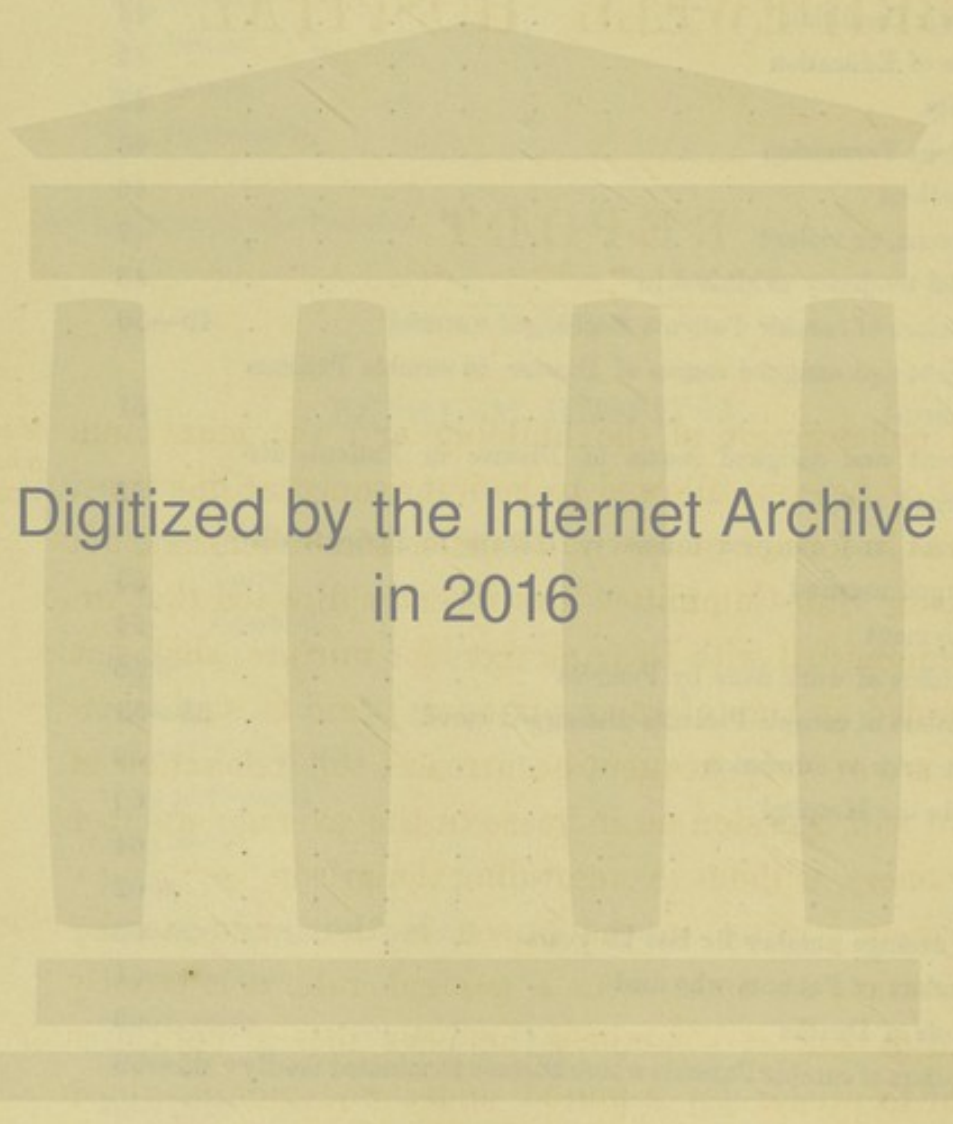
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BRIDEWELL HOSPITAL.

REPORT.

THE construction of the building and the maximum number of persons allowed to be imprisoned at one time, remain as in former years, viz. 70 males and 30 females, but the Prison Sub-Committee has recently directed that infants, committed with their mothers for nurture, shall not be regarded as heretofore as prisoners; and as such committals are of very frequent occurrence, this relaxation of the rule will occasion an increase in the average number of prisoners, without overcrowding the prison.

Maximum
number of
Prisoners.

The dietary in use in the prison is that suggested by the Secretary of State. As a general rule it is strictly adhered to, but it sometimes happens that a person is brought to prison for a period under one month, whose state of health renders a more liberal diet necessary than that to which he is properly entitled; in such cases, and in all cases of sickness, the diet is under the immediate direction of the Surgeon.

Dietary.

The tread-wheel is still in use for male prisoners sentenced to hard labour. Such as are not sentenced to hard labour, and old men, and youths under 14, are em-

Hard La
bour.

ployed in picking cocoa-nut fibre, as well as all female prisoners who are not required for, or are incapable of being more usefully employed in the laundry or at needle-work.

Out-of-door
exercise.

Previously to last year the prisoners had no out-of-door exercise, but the Treasurer and Sub-Committee being of opinion that it was necessary for the health of those not undergoing hard labour, that they should be occasionally taken out of the work-rooms, directed, that whenever the weather permitted, they should be made to walk for an hour every day in the quadrangle; and to enable this highly desirable practice to be carried on with security against escape, iron gates have been placed on the steps leading into the prison and into the rear of it, which during the time of exercise are kept locked and guarded.

Classifica-
tion.

The classification of the prisoners is attended to as well as the nature of the building will admit. The great difficulty is to keep by themselves, youths committed for the first time, who if suffered to have any communication with old and more hardened offenders, would soon become as depraved as they are, and would at the expiration of their imprisonment return to their friends far worse than when they left them. It is much to be wished that the magistrates would, in awarding punishment to juvenile offenders, shorten the duration of the imprisonment, and where the age admits, order it to be accompanied by whipping.

Juvenile
offenders.

The experience of this prison clearly shows that long imprisonment produces no good effect on youthful prisoners, but has a direct tendency the other way. When a boy first comes in, his distress is very great, he weeps bitterly, and will continue to feel acutely for perhaps a week; but

after that time he seems to undergo a perfect change ; he recovers the buoyancy of his spirits, and when the period arrives for his discharge he quits the prison without retaining any of that wholesome fear and dread with which he entered ; whereas had he been discharged before his mind had become familiarized with his situation, he would have carried away with him a vivid recollection of his sufferings, sufficient, it is believed, to deter him from a repetition of the crime for which he was committed.

Juvenile
offenders.

The truth of the opinion here stated is fully confirmed by the long experience in this prison of the present Inspector of Prisons in Scotland, who in his last Report to the Secretary of State, so amply enters into the subject of Juvenile delinquency and the mode by which it may be arrested.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
The number of committals in the year 1848, has been	820	498	1318
Deduct those who have been committed more than once within the year	90	87	177
	<u>730</u>	<u>411</u>	<u>1141</u>
Deduct old offenders common to this, and other prisons	125	95	
Deduct those committed for the first time here, but known to have been in other prisons	43	19	
Deduct infants committed with their mothers	0	32	
	<u>168</u>	<u>146</u>	<u>314</u>
Number of first committals	562	265	827

Of the 177 re-committals within the year, 79 were Re-committals.

Re-committals.

committals of previous years, viz. 31 males and 48 females, leaving 98, viz. 59 males and 39 females, who were committed more than once in 1848, but who had not been previously to that year in this prison.

In the total number of committals during the year is included 28 city apprentices, of whom 2 were re-committals in 1848, and 4 from former years; the remainder had never been in prison previously.

Vagrancy.

The number of persons committed for begging, and for being found destitute about the streets, has been 274, viz., 105 males and 169 females, exclusive of those of the same class, sent to prison in default of payment of the fines inflicted upon them for breaking windows and street lamps.

Greatest number of prisoners at one time.

The greatest number of prisoners at one time has been 102, including those allowed to remain for a few days on sufferance after the period of their imprisonment had expired—the average number has been $92\frac{4}{9}$.

Number of prisoners sent to the House of Occupations, the Magdalen, &c.

During the year, 24 prisoners, viz., 19 boys and 5 girls, were received into the House of Occupations; 1 female has been admitted into the Magdalen, and 35 females have been placed under the care of the Committee of the Ladies' Patronage Society; 6 males and 2 females have been sent to their homes in the country at the expense of the Hospital, and 116 males and 83 females have received on their discharge small gratuities in money chiefly to enable them to support themselves for a day or two, whilst looking for employment, and in many instances donations of clothing have been made to such as stood greatly in need of them.

Sickness.

In the early part of the year typhus fever prevailed for some weeks in the prison, but the persons attacked

were under its influence when brought in, and the infection did not extend further. They had all been for a considerable time suffering great privations and had been exposed for many nights to inclement weather in the streets. When we take into consideration the unusual amount of sickness in London at that season, it is not surprising that the number of sick in this prison was something beyond the average, especially as a very large proportion of the persons committed were vagrants in a miserably destitute condition, and sent here rather from motives of humanity to receive food and shelter, than with a view to punishment or correction.

Sickness.

The number of infirmary cases in the year was 38, and the greatest number of sick at one time was 5. The deaths were 3. The verdict of the Coroner's Jury being in every case "Natural Death."

The conduct of the prisoners during the year has been generally good, and there has been no offence committed requiring severe punishment; but where a number of youths are brought together, and many of them probably for the first time in their lives subjected to any thing like restraint or discipline, it is obvious that slight breaches of prison rules will occur. The offenders were in nearly every case lads from 14 to 18 years of age.

Conduct of prisoners.

The punishments for prison offences have been

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Solitary confinement.....	113	15	128
Stoppages of food	31	0	31

The punishment by solitary confinement has never exceeded three days, and has been rarely more than 24 hours, for it is usual when a prisoner expresses sorrow

Punishment.

for his offence and promises amendment, to permit him to return to his work.

E. ADAMS,
Captain, Superintendent.

HOUSE OF OCCUPATIONS.

REPORT.

ON the 31st December, 1848, the number of inmates in the house was 200, of whom 102 were males and 98 females. Since the year 1844, the proceedings of which have already been reported to the Governors, 148 males and 134 females have been admitted, and 153 males and 117 females have been discharged.

In the annexed tables are recorded the number of inmates admitted in every year since the opening of the establishment in 1830; the number discharged during the same period; the manner in which they have been disposed of; their subsequent conduct, so far as it has been ascertained; the places from which they were received; the parties by whom they were recommended, so far as recommendations have been made; and the expenses that have been incurred in the erection and repair of the buildings appropriated to their use, and in their maintenance, education, and industrial training.

In the investigation of the table respecting their conduct after leaving the institution, a large proportion will

be observed to be living reputably, on the earnings of their honest industry ; and it is not unfair to presume that the same may be the case with many of those whose conduct is recorded as unknown, as those amongst them who are doing well may, for obvious reasons, desire that their previous connexion with the establishment should be forgotten.

The same reasons may have induced many to abstain from applying for the rewards allowed by the Hospital for good conduct and continuance in service, as they could not have made the application without exposing their former position, and thereby endangering their future prospects in life.

It will be observed, also, that many of the males who have been in the Institution are now serving her Majesty in the army and navy. The Committee have given their particular attention to these means of providing for their inmates, and they have much satisfaction in stating, that those in the latter service have conducted themselves so well as to induce the officers under whom they have been placed to give a preference to boys from the establishment in filling up other vacancies. The education and the habits of obedience, order, and regularity, a youth will have acquired in the house, cannot fail to have made him a desirable recruit for either service ; and the knowledge of the trade or trades in which he will have been instructed may often tend to his pecuniary advantage, whilst the nature of the service in which he will be engaged diminishes greatly the probability of his ever again associating with his former vicious companions, or returning to his early evil courses.

In order to inculcate and encourage a desire to enter these services, the Committee have directed a model ship

to be erected in the boys' airing-ground, for the purpose of instructing them in the elementary knowledge of seamanship; and they are constantly drilled in marching and military exercises.

Several of the former inmates are now serving in India and other parts of the world—some as non-commissioned officers; and letters are frequently received from them which manifest a grateful remembrance of the benefits they have derived from the house, and which are written in a manner creditable to themselves and to the Establishment.

Many of the former male inmates, who have been provided for in a different manner, are now doing well. The following are a few of the numerous cases which might be adduced:—

A. B.—Admitted, after having absconded with his employer's money. He is now a collecting clerk to ———; receives a salary of 25s. per week, out of which he supports his father and mother.

C. D.—Robbed his master of several sums of money; now a brewer's servant, earning 25s. per week.

E. F.—Admitted from Newgate. He now holds a situation in a public office, and was messenger in a banking-house for some time. He partly supports his parents.

G. H.—A determined pilferer; now a respectable shoemaker. He helped to support his parents while they were in distress; and assisted his brother on his return from abroad.

I. I.—Tried at Newgate; now a respectable tradesman and in partnership with his father.

K. L.—Committed to Bridewell for pledging his master's property, and for a long time one of the most trouble-

some inmates in the house ; now a tailor, earning 30s. per week, well conducted, and married.

M. N.—Committed to Bridewell for selling his master's coat. Is now an engineer in a Government dock-yard.

The conduct of the former female inmates who are in service, is equally satisfactory. There has been no difficulty in obtaining places for them ; and the fact that the same parties make repeated applications to be supplied with other inmates, to replace those who have left them for better situations, may be regarded as a proof of the good which has been done.

The following are descriptions of a few of the cases admitted into the house, and the results.

A. B.—Deprived of her mother in childhood and neglected by her father ; taken care of by some of her relations, whom she robbed by the desire of her father ; she is now an excellent servant, and has received her third reward.

C. D.—This girl came from prison ; her mother was a poor charwoman ; she constantly robbed her mother's employers until taken into custody. She conducted herself well in this house, and kept her situations until she married.

E. F.—An orphan, a determined thief ; the last charge against her was for robbing her employers. Having conducted herself well, she was sent to a situation. She is now married and very respectable.

G. H.—has a poor, but honest, mother ; was a decided thief ; conducted herself well in the house ; now keeps her situations as a respectable servant.

I. J.—This girl came from Newgate ; she had no mother. It was some time before she was broken of her pilfering habits, but is now doing well in a situation.

K. L.—This girl was a determined thief, and otherwise of bad character and temper. She conducted herself well in the house; kept the situation provided for her, and is now married very respectably.

M. N.—This girl had been imprisoned for stealing money; she had also robbed her parents of plate, &c., and was of an obstinate temper; she conducted herself well in the house (except temper); a situation was obtained for her in the same family in which her father was butler; she is now a teacher in an infant school, and receives a good salary.

O. P.—This girl, one of a family of gypsies, rescued from destruction, conducted herself well in the house and keeps her situations; says she will not return to her wandering life, and is most grateful for her education and treatment.

Q. R.—One of five orphans sent to St. Luke's parish with their grandfather and grandmother; was apprenticed to a milliner, and half starved; she fell into bad company, and eventually was sent to Bridewell for pilfering. She conducted herself well in this house; was sent to a situation, in which she remained two years, and is now conducting herself with propriety; while in her situation she petitioned for her sister to be taken into the house, fearing she might not escape the same errors into which she herself had fallen.

S. T.—No mother; a father not careful of his child, suffering her to be dancing in the streets with sweeps and mountebanks, dividing the pence with her; a violent and rebellious temper, subdued a little while in the house; had several situations, but is now a housekeeper in a gentleman's family; after nine years' absence, she petitioned for a cousin, of a character very similar to her

own, to be admitted, and she expressed herself grateful for the advantages she had received.

U. V. — Led a wandering life, either begging or sweeping crossings in the city ; was brought to the house from Bridewell ; conducted herself well, as a hardworking girl, but apparently deficient in intellect ; has had several situations, but always left them with a good character ; is now a cook in a respectable family.

W. X. — An orphan ; fell into bad company ; was received on her own application, which no doubt saved her from destruction ; she conducted herself well, and is now a trustworthy character, doing very well in the world.

Y. Z. — This girl was received from Newgate, having been committed there for theft ; she, at the early age of eleven years, was a wanderer from her home, and altogether a bad character ; she conducted herself well in the house, and has had several situations since : has been married some years to a respectable engineer ; herself and family came to visit the matron about five months ago.

The estimation in which the Institution is held by the girls themselves, may be collected from the circumstance that whenever, by accident, or illness, or other causes, not arising from their own misconduct, they are out of situations, they come almost naturally to this house as their home, and ask for shelter, although they may, in some instances, have friends and relations. In such cases they are received by the matron, under the sanction of the Treasurer, and other situations are soon provided for them. The value of such assistance, in time of need and exposure can scarcely be sufficiently appreciated, excepting by those who witness the great good its effects, and are

aware of the evils it may avert. Many of the girls who are in service come to the matron, when they have a day's holiday, for leave to pass the day with their former companions, and the granting or refusal of this favour is regarded, throughout the house, as a pleasing reward for good conduct, or a serious mark of displeasure for misbehaviour.

The letters written to the matron by those girls who have not the opportunity of seeing her are highly satisfactory, both as to their acquirements and their grateful recollection of the benefits they have received from the Governors.

A Savings' Bank was established among the inmates of the house in July 1847. The deposits have gradually increased, and now amount to the sum of £105 11s. 5d. The sums withdrawn have only been £18 12s. 3d., generally under satisfactory circumstances. The last sum withdrawn was by a young woman for the purpose of purchasing additional clothing on the occasion of her marriage, which was about to take place with the full concurrence of her friends. This bank is, in every sense, a valuable adjunct to the house. The managers are elected half-yearly, from the class of monitors, the electors being the depositors.

The monitorial system, alluded to in former reports, continues to work well, that position having become of more consideration amongst the inmates since it has been made a necessary qualification for the office of Manager of the Savings' Bank.

The boys' and girls' school-rooms have been enlarged, and a floor built over each of them. To the former a class-room has been added. The additional floors were much needed for the accommodation of the inmates in

wet weather, and during the winter evenings. A residence has also been built for an additional schoolmaster, about to be appointed.

A copy of the Return of the State of the House on the 31st December, 1848, is appended.

The occupations of the male inmates have continued upon the same scale as before reported : being,

Engineer's work, Carpenters, Plumbers, Painters, Bricklayers, Masons, and Smiths, under the masters at Bethlem Hospital. Rope-making, Tailoring, Shoemaking, Baking, and Brewing, under the arts-masters.

In the tables (5, 6, 7, 8, 9) are given the quantities of such work executed in the house during the year 1848. All the household work on the male side is done by the boys. The female inmates have been employed, as before reported, in Needle-work, Laundry and Household-work, and Cooking, each in turn according to the proficiency they have acquired.

All the inmates, (boys and girls,) without exception, continue a fixed routine of instructions under the schoolmaster and schoolmistress, while none are exempted from an uninterrupted attendance at school until they have arrived at a sufficient degree of proficiency to admit of their being occupied a part of their time in learning the trade or occupation which is most likely to be useful to them in after life.

No. 1.

FROM OCTOBER, 1830, TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1848.

Years.	Average daily Numbers.	In the House on the 1st January.			Admitted.			Outfitted and sent to Situations.			Emigrated.			Expelled.			Absconded.			By request, or concurrence of Friends.			Ill, Pregnant, or Imbecile.			Died.			Total.		
		M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.			
		..	15	12	27	15	12	27	..	1	2	3	4	6	5	11	12	10	22
1830	50	43	27	40	26	66	1	1	6	7	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	4	5	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	12	24
1831	95	59	51	27	37	64	3	2	14	17	..	9	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	2	3	5	2	4	6	..	..	..	17	30	47
1832	108	46	45	7	24	31	13	16	18	..	..	..	..	5	7	12	..	2	..	7	7	10	2	10	12	2	..	..	11	42	53
1833	88	52	32	15	26	41	6	11	17	..	..	..	..	4	4	8	..	7	..	7	1	2	1	2	3	..	..	..	25	18	43
1834	96	46	55	18	43	61	13	19	32	..	..	..	..	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	3	6	..	1	1	..	..	..	21	26	47
1835	119	68	66	45	36	81	11	20	31	..	..	..	..	1	4	5	..	1	..	9	5	14	2	6	8	..	..	..	24	35	59
1836	129	67	65	17	30	55	7	16	23	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	..	2	..	2	3	5	14	2	4	4	..	..	11	23	34
1837	131	67	60	8	14	22	5	10	15	..	..	..	..	2	5	7	..	2	..	4	5	9	2	..	2	..	..	..	15	20	35
1838	123	60	53	53	47	100	10	11	21	..	..	..	..	1	3	3	..	3	..	5	7	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	23	39
1839	185	95	74	27	24	51	7	14	21	..	..	..	..	2	6	8	..	5	..	6	12	18	1	1	2	..	..	..	24	30	54
1840	200	100	96	27	24	51	6	14	20	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	11	..	9	5	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	19	52
1841	198	93	102	28	13	41	4	21	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	5	12	4	1	5	..	..	..	17	20	37
1842	194	102	95	17	27	44	4	21	25	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	2	..	9	9	18	2	..	2	..	..	..	17	31	48
1843	188	102	91	36	39	75	17	28	45	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	7	..	9	8	17	2	2	4	..	..	..	37	38	75
1844	194	102	92	46	38	84	18	17	35	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	19	12	31	4	..	4	..	..	..	47	29	76
1845	198	99	101	35	33	68	14	21	35	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	4	..	12	9	21	3	3	6	..	..	..	33	36	69
1846	195	102	98	31	24	55	15	13	28	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	14	16	5	21	2	1	3	..	..	..	47	20	67
1847	..	86	102	188	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1848	..	512	564	1076	7	..	7	147	269	416	..	9	9	39	37	76	75	2	77	129	106	235	27	36	63	2	3	5	419	462	881
Remained only a few days in the House . }		7	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1848	..	505	564	1069	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
31st Dec. in the House .	..	86	102	188	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total number discharged.		419	462	881	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

NATHANIEL NICHOLLS, Steward.
House of Occupations,
23rd Jan. 1849.

NATHANIEL NICHOLLS, *Steward*,
House of Occupations,
23rd Jan. 1849.

No. 2.

FROM OCTOBER, 1830, TO 31 DECEMBER, 1848.

Numbers, and how Discharged.			Their subsequent conduct as collected from information received from time to time by the Officers of the Establishment.												Remarks.				
M.	F.	T.	Good.			Bad			Unknown.			Died.			Married.			Soldiers.	Sailors.
			M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.		
147	269	416	116	206	322														
	9	9		9	9														
39	37	76	9	12	21														
75	2	77	22	1	23														
129	106	235	81	61	142														42
27	36	63	6	14	20													26	42
417	459	876	234	303	537														
2	3	5	17	9	26														
419	462	881	151	137	288														
			15	10	25														
			417	459	876														
			43	60	103														
			11	13	24														
			Rewarded for twelve months' good conduct and continuance in one service,																
			And for the second and third years good conduct and continuance in the same service.																

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No. 3.

ADMISSIONS.

Years.	Bridewell Hospital.		From Prisons or been in Prison.		Hospitals.		Home.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	T.
1830	11	11	4	..	..	1	..	..	15	12	27
1831	12	8	17	9	..	..	11	9	40	26	66
1832	11	9	12	5	..	14	4	9	27	37	64
1833	5	3	1	2	..	11	1	8	7	24	31
1834	6	2	2	1	..	12	7	11	15	26	41
1835	1	1	6	6	..	13	11	23	18	43	61
1836	9	6	16	4	1	8	19	18	45	36	81
1837	10	4	5	12	..	6	6	12	21	34	55
1838	4	5	5	5	..	1	4	6	13	17	30
1839	4	6	1	2	..	1	3	5	8	14	22
1840	15	1	9	6	..	2	29	38	53	47	100
1841	9	7	8	8	..	2	13	33	30	50	80
1842	8	5	1	4	..	4	18	11	27	24	51
1843	12	2	5	..	..	..	11	11	28	13	41
1844	14	5	3	4	..	1	..	17	17	27	44
1845	16	4	2	6	..	..	18	29	36	39	75
1846	23	6	4	3	2	..	17	29	46	38	84
1847	21	4	2	1	..	1	12	27	35	33	68
1848	15	5	2	2	..	..	14	17	31	24	55
	206	94	105	80	3	77	198	313	512	519	1076*
									7*		7*
									512		1083

ADMITTED WITH RECOMMENDATIONS.

From the Lord Mayor.....	5	11	..	4	20
From Aldermen	6	39	..	27	72
From Recorder ..	..	9	..	..	9
From Common Serjeant. ....	..	6	..	..	6
From Governors	1	26	1	121	199
	12	91	51	152	306

* Temporary admissions.

No. 4.

A STATEMENT OF THE ANNUAL EXPENSES.

	Meat.	Bread and Flour.	Potatoes, Oatmeal, &c.	Milk.	Cheese-mongery and Groceries.	Beer.	Total Cost of Provisions.	Clothing and Bedding.	Soap, Oil, Candles, &c.	F
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£
1830 ^a							277 5 10	247 0 3	16 2 0	1
1831	219 8 0	noseparate account.	95 14 5	45 8 0	127 9 0	93 4 0	581 3 5	210 4 4	67 2 0	1
1832	356 8 0	181 18 8	143 3 7	87 15 0	202 0 0	{ 12 4 1	959 1 2	254 2 9	97 1 0	1
1833 ^b	384 0 0	231 15 9	115 8 6	102 6 0	240 18 0	{ plus. 16 7 6	1090 15 9	146 11 9	88 13 0	1
1834	304 4 0	171 10 11	112 18 6	80 16 0	220 3 0	15 1 6	904 13 11	93 1 2	85 16 0	1
1835	159 8 0	79 9 9	108 6 2	62 14 0	141 18 0	{ 239 1 6	312 14 5	96 19 9	60 16 0	1
1836 ^c	437 8 0	196 16 8	125 19 5	99 10 0	259 8 0	{ plus. 61 2 0	1180 4 1	171 17 11	101 19 0	2
1837	370 12 0	306 8 2	61 4 6	122 0 0	338 0 0	40 18 0	1239 2 8	181 16 9	121 15 0	2
1838	405 16 0	237 17 9	43 16 5	120 10 0	319 18 0	14 7 6	1142 5 8	181 1 10	75 8 0	2
1839	384 19 0	275 7 1	22 16 8	120 3 0	278 16 0	{ 33 17 10	1048 3 11	72 15 1	161 15 0	2
1840	409 5 0	339 16 1	55 0 3	115 19 0	298 6 0	{ plus. 31 10 8	1249 17 0	207 15 5	174 13 0	2
1841	579 7 0	515 18 10	57 15 9	136 3 0	379 15 0	39 9 3	1708 8 10	295 9 0	164 9 0	2
1842	573 17 0	429 13 11	96 12 1	152 12 0	443 5 0	112 9 2	1808 9 2	262 7 7	171 6 0	2
1843	447 6 0	461 5 8	94 9 1	159 8 0	428 4 1	69 12 10	1660 5 8	406 3 5	129 2 0	2
1844	394 8 0	468 14 1	70 0 10	161 11 0	419 11 3	89 2 5	1603 7 7	362 2 7	150 14 0	
1845	434 17 0	403 2 10	68 10 1	161 4 0	408 0 2	38 16 1	1514 10 2	282 5 6	178 14 0	3
1846	512 11 0	481 9 9	101 0 4	149 16 0	424 0 11	82 7 9	1751 5 9	410 15 6	91 2 0	4
1847	545 10 0	408 14 3	126 13 7	145 13 0	445 1 5	286 17 7	1958 9 10	327 7 8	174 15 0	2

^a The Inmates in Refuge for Destitute and Palmer's School.

^b From this time the Baker's and Brewer's Wages are charged to the cost of Bread and Beer.

^c From this time the Wages of Baker, Brewer, Shoemaker, Tailor, and Ropemaker, are charged to Bread &c., and included in the cost of the respective articles.

^d Books.

^e New Buildings and Furniture.

^f General Repairs and Alterations.

No. 4.

THE HOUSE OF OCCUPATIONS.

Medicine.	Furniture and Repairs.	Salaries of Chaplain, Surgeon, Steward, Superintendent, and Matron.	Wages of School-master and Servants.	Rent and Taxes.	Printing and Stationery.	Workmen's Bills for Repairs of the Premises, &c.	Casual payments and Sundries.	Working Materials and Wages after crediting the amounts received.	Outfitting of Inmates.	Total.
s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
0 0	108 19 7	157 10 0	38 6 6	203 15 0	18 13 0	4637 8 e	51 5 2	19 15 0	noseparate account.	5,926 0 4
2 0	35 13 0	380 0 0	238 9 9	274 16 3	d 4 14 0	8329 8 e	108 18 10	0 0 0	noseparate account.	10,437 0 4
5 0	38 16 0	380 0 0	328 10 9	272 18 9	36 17 9	3234 18 e	110 17 0	34 7 2	0 0 0	5,914 15 5
6 0	64 16 0	380 0 0	240 3 7	274 12 8	29 12 0	379 0 1	83 14 10	28 11 6	117 4 9	3,095 6 11
19 0	32 0 0	380 0 0	238 13 0	269 2 5	23 5 0	218 7 0	37 3 7	34 1 1	0 0 0	2,501 3 2
0 0	26 14 0	380 0 0	240 2 7	277 5 2	1 18 0	119 13 11	16 1 5	20 12 10	29 11 0	1,758 6 1
11 6	88 7 3	380 0 0	95 2 3	300 17 3	27 17 0	708 16 9	53 5 6	46 14 11	41 0 0	3,524 3 5
18 0	74 9 0	380 0 0	98 8 11	239 3 1	d 48 7 6	484 18 3	40 12 2	197 18 7	34 1 0	3,412 5 11
7 6	57 4 0	380 0 0	129 16 8	230 19 2	d 36 0 6	295 15 1	17 10 0	191 4 3	93 12 6	3,168 11 2
2 0	55 13 6	380 0 0	126 11 4	245 19 2	d 48 19 6	214 2 7	42 8 1	194 1 9	27 13 6	2,904 9 11
16 0	64 4 6	380 0 0	128 19 0	231 12 11	d 7 5 0	1157 13/8	77 6 3	207 11 7	26 19 4	4,181 4 8
6 0	133 13 0	425 0 0	129 15 0	234 6 2	d 13 7 0	1383 8/8	138 12 3	91 14 11	37 9 2	5,072 2 3
8 0	87 17 10	482 10 0	145 14 11	243 17 1	d 51 5 3	467 10 10	100 6 3	274 9 8	37 9 0	4,457 5 4
15 0	137 17 0	520 0 0	155 0 0	245 12 1	d 38 19 0	344 4 4	111 14 5	245 18 9	38 10 9	4,386 4 6
8 0	82 13 8	520 0 0	165 10 0	258 10 6	d 42 7 0	490 12 2	150 9 8	231 13 4	37 8 1	4,387 12 3
7 0	111 9 0	535 0 0	169 11 2	285 11 10	d 95 7 0	270 14 6	169 8 5	158 11 10	61 19 0	4,214 8 3
10 0	106 9 6	540 0 0	161 10 0	278 3 7	d 105 2 0	424 10 5	176 14 7	90 12 9	68 5 1	4,594 14 8
14 6	122 19 0	540 0 0	160 0 0	252 16 1	18 8 0	508 4 10	255 17 3	173 0 6	88 2 9	4,815 9 11

Average number of Inmates for 18 years—1830—1847—both inclusive, 146

Cost of provisions	per annum	£ 8 7 4	each
Ditto	per week	0 3 2½	—
Cost of Clothing and Bedding	per annum	2 9 1	—
Ditto Ditto	per week	0 0 11½	—
Total cost, including Buildings, Maintenance, Clothing, Bedding, Salaries, Rent, Taxes, and every charge			
Deduct for Cost of Buildings, about	.	£78,751 4 6	
		18,000 0 0	
		60,751 4 6	
Total Cost of each Inmate, per annum	£23 2 4		
Ditto Ditto per week	0 8 10½		

No. 5.

WEEKLY REPORT 31ST DECEMBER, 1848.

	M.	F.	Total.
Number of Inmates remained last Report	86	102	188
Admitted since . . . . .	..	..	..
	86	102	188
Discharged { To situations . . . . .	..	..	..
{ By request of friends . . . . .	..	..	..
Remaining	86	102	188
Occupied in trades, needlework, domestic and other services, and attending school daily or periodically	57	100	157
Attending school only	26	..	26
Absent, sick	2	2	4
Gatekeepers	1	..	1
	86	102	188

Monitors.

M . F .

OCCUPATIONS.

2	..	Tailors	17	..	17
4	..	Shoemakers	10	..	10
1	..	Bakers	3	..	3
1	..	Brewers	5	..	5
1	..	Ropemakers	9	..	9
..	..	Bethlem Hospital. {	3	..	3
1	..		3	..	3
..	..		1	..	1
..
..	..		1	..	1
..	..		1	..	1
..
..	..		1	..	1
..	..	Office	1	..	1
..	3	Needlework . . . . .	..	58	58
..	1	Kitchen . . . . .	..	6	6
..	6	Laundry and washing . . . . .	..	26	26
..	..	Household	2	6	8
..	1	Officers' service {	..	1	1
..	..		..	1	1
..	..		..	1	1
..	..	Attending school	26	..	26
..	..	Gatekeepers	1	1	2
..	..	Incapable, being sick	2	2	4
10	11		86	102	188

No. 5.—Continued.

STATE OF SCHOOL.

Number of Classes.	1			2			3			4			5			6			Total.		
	Education satisfactory ; chiefly employed in trade, &c.			Approaching proficiency in Reading, Writing, Arithmetic,&c. in the first degrees.			In the second degrees.			Beginners in the first degrees.			In the second degrees.								
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Number of Teachers in each Class	2	2	4				2	2	4				8	8	16
DISTRIBUTION OF INMATES.																					
Under 12 years of age .	..	..	..	..	2	2		1	1	1	1	1		..	1	..	..	2	3	6
12 to 14 .	17	..	17	6	7	13	10	3	13	1	3	4	..	3	3	..	..	34	16	50
14 to 16 .	21	1	22	4	20	24	5	8	13	1	14	15	1	5	6	..	..	32	48	80
Upwards .	17	2	19	1	3	14	..	13	13	..	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	18	35	53
	55	3	58	11	42	53	15	25	40	3	24	27	2	8	10	..	..	86	102	188

No. 5.—Continued.

DEGREES OF ACQUIREMENTS.

Of dull Intellect.	M.	F.	READING.								WRITING.				ARITHMETIC.				Learning English History.		Learning Geography.		CHURCH CATECHISM.				Learning Singing for Church Service.							
			Fluently.		Indifferently.		Learning.		Untaught.		Large and Short Hand.		Large Hand only.		Learning.		Untaught.		The Four First Rules.		Learning.		Untaught.		Perfect.		Learning.		Untaught.		M.	F.		
1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2			
..	9	7	22	6	3	3	..	..	..	11	3	22	6	1	7	..	..	..	..	5	7	29	9	..	..	29	10	7	24	9	..	7	
4	9	21	21	13	2	14	..	..	..	12	12	18	19	2	17	..	..	..	..	10	21	22	27	..	..	25	30	11	21	21	27	..	5
6	9	15	9	15	..	5	..	..	..	9	12	9	11	..	12	..	..	..	..	7	15	11	20	..	..	11	28	9	15	9	20	..	2
1	27	45	52	35	7	22	32	27	49	37	5	38	22	45	64	57	65	71	65	45	30	45	56	57	14

No. 6.

WORK DONE IN THE ROPEMAKERS' DEPARTMENT.

641 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. Rope.	2110 lbs. Laid cord.
17 lbs. Sash line.	290 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Fine twine.
15 lbs. Clothes line.	158 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Sealing thread.
53 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Jack line.	1514 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Mop cord.
27 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Garden line.	19 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Spun yarn.
3917 lbs. Box cord.	134 Mats.
26 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. Bed cord.	

No. 7.

THE BREWER'S DEPARTMENT.

Brewed 1,878 $\frac{1}{2}$ Barrels of Beer.—324 $\frac{1}{2}$ quarters of malt ground.

No. 8.

THE BAKER'S DEPARTMENT.

	Wh.	Brown.	Total.
For Bridewell Hospital . . .	3,316	63,087	66,403
For House of Occupations . . .	6,845	72,054	78,899
For Bethlem Hospital . . .	162,913	—	162,913
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	173,074	135,141	308,215

No. 9.

THE TAILOR'S DEPARTMENT.

	Made.	Repaired.
Coats	153	386
Jackets	243	1,014
Waistcoats	257	1,068
Pairs of trowsers	496	1,809
Canvass frocks	39	2
Great coats	5	—
Pairs of braces	284	—

No. 10.

THE SHOEMAKER'S DEPARTMENT.

			Made.	Repaired.
Pairs of boots	.	.	42	17
Pairs of shoes	.	.	147	1,657

No. 11.

WORK DONE BY THE FEMALES.

Shirts made	.	.	384	Pairs of stays made	.	103
Handkerchiefs	.	.	600	Sheets	.	144
Caps	.	.	432	Table clothes	.	1
Flannel waistcoats	.	.	160	Towels and dusters	.	152
Flannel drawers	.	.	180	Pairs of shoes bound	.	408
Chemises	.	.	157	Pairs of stockings, marked		
Gowns	.	.	420	and run	.	457
Aprons	.	.	420	Outfits of inmates made	.	17
Petticoats	.	.	286			

And all the repairs of such articles, and the work and repairs for the officers and servants of the house.

The washing and cooking for the whole establishment, form part of the daily occupation of the female inmates.

BETHLEM HOSPITAL.

REPORT.

To the Right Worshipful the PRESIDENT,
the Worshipful the TREASURER, and the
GOVERNORS of the Royal Hospital of
Bethlem.

MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,

WE have the honour of presenting to you our Report respecting the proceedings in Bethlem Hospital, during 1848, and we have every reason to believe it will be considered satisfactory, as it exhibits an average amount of success.

The number of Curable Patients admitted during the year, was 306, being 118 males, and 188 females. The number of Patients of this class remaining in the Hospital at the close of the year, including 12 out on leave, was 213, being 12 more than the number on the books at the commencement of the year.

CURED.

The number of Patients of this class, discharged cured during the year, has been 156, consisting of 74 males, and 82 females, which may be considered a satisfactory

number, when it is borne in mind that 26 cases admitted as curable have been discharged, being paralytic, and otherwise improper objects for the curable department, and 14 were removed by their friends before their cure was effected.

UNCURED.

The number of Patients of this class discharged uncured during the year has been 85, consisting of 34 males and 51 females.

DEATHS.

The number of curable Patients who have died during the year is 11, consisting of 2 males, and 9 females.

The table opposite contains a more particular account of their deaths, as well as of those which have occurred amongst the Incurables and Criminals, amounting in all to 23.

HEALTH.

The health of the Patients has been generally good ; some instances of Diarrhœa have occurred, but none of importance, and certainly in no instance accompanied by the characteristics of Cholera, from which fatal disease the Hospital has been again mercifully preserved.

This must be attributed, under the Divine blessing, to the great cleanliness and efficient ventilation of the Establishment, and the many precautionary measures adopted for the preservation of health.

It must not be forgotten also that several patients die, small as is the proportion of deaths, of diseases or infirmities which they bring with them into the hospital, and

PARTICULARS OF PATIENTS who have DIED during the year 1848, as
Reported by the Physicians to the Bethlem Sub-Committee.

	Sex.	Age	Condition.	Admitted.	Died.	Cause of Death.
1	Female .	33	Curable .	10th Dec. 1847	2nd Jan. 1848	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
2	Male .	34	Criminal .	20th Aug. 1840	17th Jan. . .	Epilepsy with disease of the brain.
3	Male .	63	Criminal .	4th Dec. 1816	16th Feb. . .	Apoplexy.
4	Female .	59	Curable .	17th Jan. 1848	21st Feb. .	Disease of the lungs and gradual exhaustion.
5	Male .	36	Criminal .	12th Sept. 1846	22nd Feb. .	Apoplexy.
6	Female .	81	Incurable .	16th Feb. 1820	11th March .	Cancer and general dropsy.
7	Male .	26	Criminal .	12th Sept. 1846	19th March .	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
8	Male .	85	Criminal .	9th Dec. 1816	27th March .	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
9	Male .	48	Curable .	31st Dec. 1847	1st April .	Paralysis from disease of the brain.
10	Female .	19	Curable .	24th March 1848	19th April .	Gangrenous abscess of the lungs.
11	Male .	47	Criminal .	1st July, 1828	2nd May .	Disease of the lungs.
12	Female .	69	Curable .	12th May, 1848	28th May .	Gradual exhaustion.
13	Male .	24	Criminal .	17th Aug. 1843	3rd June .	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
14	Female .	81	Incurable .	16th Aug. 1794	3rd July .	Syncope.
15	Female .	42	Curable .	30th June, 1848	6th July .	Exhaustion with con- vulsions.
16	Female .	36	Curable .	30th June, 1848	15th July .	Pulmonary consump- tion.
17	Female .	21	Curable .	11th Aug. 1848	15th Aug. .	Pulmonary consump- tion.
18	Male .	76	Curable .	26th July, 1848	27th Sept. .	Bronchitis and general dropsy.
19	Female .	67	Incurable .	14th Oct. 1819	30th Oct. .	Disease of the heart.
20	Male .	71	Incurable .	6th May, 1824	3rd Dec. . .	Gradual exhaustion.
21	Female .	42	Incurable .	3rd April, 1828	5th Dec. . .	Pulmonary consump- tion.
22	Female .	28	Curable .	20th Oct. 1848	17th Dec. .	Disease of the brain.
23	Female .	44	Curable .	21st July, 1848	24th Dec. .	Disease of the heart.

which from benevolent motives, have not been permitted to operate as hindrances to their admission.

GENERAL TREATMENT.

The usual combination of kindness and firmness has been exhibited throughout the year, by the Officers and Servants of the Institution, a qualification difficult to be obtained, but most essential in promoting the process of cure.

CLASS OF PATIENTS.

The variety of classes admitted will be found in detail in the accompanying statistical tables, which have been prepared with great care, and which indeed constitute the essential part of this Report.

ATTENDANTS.

The greatest care has been exercised in the selection of such additional attendants and nurses as have been engaged. Many of the servants of these classes have passed many years in the Hospital, and have become long habituated to their duties.

The amount of regular and steady attention required of them is very considerable, and they have succeeded by their uniform kindness in securing the esteem of a large class of patients.

PUPILS.

There has been a considerable increase of attendance and much intelligence displayed on the part of the Pupils. The proposed formation of a more regular School at

Bethlem, will accomplish all that can reasonably be expected ; and it is now distinctly understood that the Physicians will deliver a course of Lectures during the spring season of each year, commencing as shall be most agreeable to the wish of the Governors ; and they will have great pleasure in exerting their best endeavours to render the Lectures effective.

AMUSEMENT AND OCCUPATION.

A large proportion of patients have been engaged as usual in useful works or entertaining occupations which beguile many tedious hours, and by drawing off the attention from besetting delusions, contribute in no small degree to the restoration of mental health.

The average number of Patients employed has been 243, being 135 males and 108 females. The men in the garden, the workshops, and galleries ; the women in the laundry and work-room. One of the Criminal Patients is engaged in the execution of a picture, which displays considerable talent.

DIVINE SERVICE.

The average number attending chapel has been 137, being 72 males and 65 females, which is as great a proportion as is reported in former years. There are some Patients who derive considerable consolation from the service, and all behave with becoming decorum.

CLASSIFICATION.

Every endeavour is made to classify the Patients according to their immediate condition, whatever it may be,

and the gradations observed are sufficiently marked to promote the improvement of Patients under treatment, and present a considerable range, from the excited to the tranquil patients in the work and reading-rooms.

The Department appropriated to the excited Patients is occasionally noisy. This prevails much more among the females than the males.

A greater sub-division of Patients of this class is desirable, and measures are in progress for carrying out such an arrangement.

RESTRAINT.

The degree of restraint as recorded in the weekly statement presented to the Committee during 1848, has been very small. The average number constantly under restraint

In 1843	was	$3 \frac{1}{13}$
„ 1844	„	1
„ 1845	„	$1 \frac{5}{13}$
„ 1846	„	$\frac{2}{3}$ of 1
„ 1847	„	$\frac{90}{365}$
„ 1848	„	$\frac{73}{366}$

So that the last year presents the smallest amount of restraint ever employed.

Much has recently been said on this subject; the report above answers in brief and undeniable terms any misapprehensions which may have arisen. It needs no rhetoric to enforce a plain arithmetical calculation.

The decrease of restraint has been gradual, and can scarcely, from the nature of things, decline much further.

That it is sometimes necessary is too evident, but it should always be avoided if possible, and its only legiti-

mate use is protection ; its use is recognized by acts of Parliament, which have directed that every resort to it should be accurately recorded ; its abuse lies at the door of those who are so wanton or negligent as to abuse it.

INCURABLES.

On the 31st of December, the number of Patients of this class was 79, consisting of 42 males and 37 females.

During the year there have been admitted 3 males and 1 female, and 1 male and 4 females have died. The latter, includes an aged female Patient who had resided 54 years in Bethlem, and was one of the few who had been an Inmate of the old Hospital in Moorfields ; she was of decorous manners and universally respected.

CRIMINALS.

The number of Criminal Patients admitted during the year have been 20, viz.—19 males and 1 female.

There have died 7 males.

Ten males and one female have been discharged by order of the Secretary of State, having recovered.

There remained at the close of the year 93 males and 18 females, making 111 of this class. They are generally healthy, and many of them active and industrious.

We have the honour to remain,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your very faithful Servants,

EDWARD THOS. MONRO, M.D.

ALEX. MORISON, M.D.

*Cavendish Square,
27 Jan. 1849.*

into the hospital. It was at this time that the first case of typhoid fever was reported. The patient was a young man who had been in the hospital for some time. He was found to have a high temperature and a rash. He died a few days later.

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No. 1.

PATIENTS ADMITTED AND DISCHARGED.

Between the Years 1820 and 1847 inclusive.																											During 1848.																				
Curables.						Incurables.						Criminals.						Total.						Curables.						Incurables.						Criminals.						Total.					
M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.															
Remained in Hospital, 1st Jan. 1820, including those out on leave of absence																																86	115	201	40	40	80	91	18	109	217	173	390				
Admitted during the years																																118	188	306	3	1	4	19	1	20	140	190	330				
																																204	303	507	43	41	84	110	19	129	357	363	720				
Discharged :—																																74	82	156	0	0	0	10	1	11	84	83	167				
{ Cured																																34	51	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	51	85				
{ Uncured																																4	10	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	10	14				
{ By request of friends																																13	13	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	26				
{ Improper objects.																																															
{ Having been sent out on leave of absence and no account subsequently received of their state of mind																																0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2				
{ Escaped																																0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
{ Died																																2	9	11	1	4	5	7	0	7	10	13	23				
Remaining, 31st December, 1847 :—																																5	7	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	12				
{ Out on leave																																72	129	201	42	37	79	93	18	111	207	184	391				
{ In Hospital																																204	303	507	43	41	84	110	19	129	357	362	720				

No. 2.

AVERAGE NUMBER of PATIENTS in the HOSPITAL, attending Chapel, and under restraint, during the last ten years.

During the Year.	Number of Patients.	Sunday Chapel Attendance.	Weekly Average of Patients under restraint.
1839	311	85, or 27·33 per cent.	11, or 3·53 per cent.
1840	354	88½, or 25 per cent.	13, or 3·67 per cent.
1841	341	80½, or 23·60 per cent.	9, or 2·64 per cent.
1842	369	139, or 37·66 per cent.	3, or 0·81 per cent.
1843	367	181, or 49·31 per cent.	3, or 0·81 per cent.
1844	359	164,* or 46·45 per cent.	1½, or 0·40 per cent.†
1845	403	. . . . .	1½, or 0·33 per cent.
1846	395		
1847	392	147, or 37½ per cent.	0¼, or 0·6 per cent.
1848	399	138, or 34·58 per cent.	73 368, or 0·5 per cent.

AVERAGE DAILY NUMBER of PERSONS EMPLOYED.

Males . . . 136

Females . . . 109

245

No. 3.

TOTAL NUMBER of CURABLE PATIENTS admitted into BETHLEM HOSPITAL during One Hundred Years, ending the 31st December, 1848, with the Amount of Cures and Deaths.

Total Patients admitted . . 18,602

Discharged cured . . . 7,660, or 41·17 per cent.

Died . . . 1,697, or 9·12 per cent.

* To 30th June, when the enlargement of the Chapel was begun.

† For the whole year.

‡ Partially suspended during enlargement of the Chapel.

No. 4.

ANNUAL ADMISSIONS, CURES, and DEATHS OF CURABLE PATIENTS, during
the last twenty-nine Years.]

Year.	Admitted.			Cured.			Died.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1820	56	68	124	26	34	60	2	2	4
1821	58	77	135	22	21	43	1	5	6
1822	55	110	165	22	44	66	5	6	11
1823	57	88	145	21	51	72	4	1	5
1824	65	90	155	23	36	59	1	5	6
1825	72	98	178	30	40	70	6	6	12
1826	67	95	162	24	46	70	1	5	6
1827	64	85	149	26	38	64	6	3	9
1828	87	117	204	43	68	111	5	1	6
1829	78	117	195	56	70	126	6	4	10
1830	83	118	201	36	74	110	2	4	6
1831	81	131	212	35	63	98	5	1	6
1832	62	101	163	23	69	92	2	3	5
1833	61	123	184	25	55	80	1	4	5
1834	102	116	218	49	65	114	8	2	10
1835	111	145	256	36	74	110	5	8	13
1836	109	144	253	50	85	135	9	11	20
1837	119	177	296	61	94	155	9	8	17
1838	107	163	270	58	120	178	6	9	15
1839	104	181	285	54	83	137	9	8	17
1840	127	181	308	72	108	180	4	8	12
1841	101	165	266	58	99	157	13	11	24
1842	127	195	322	57	105	162	8	7	15
1843	109	175	284	56	103	159	8	11	19
1844	118	168	286	58	70	128	6	13	19
1845	110	205	315	62	118	180	8	7	15
1846	125	168	293	66	95	161	2	4	6
1847	124	190	314	68	107	175	3	9	12
1848	118	188	306	74	82	156	2	9	11
	2,657	3,979	6,636	1,291	2,117	3,408	147	175	322
	Excess of Females over Males, 49·75 per cent.			or 48·58 per cent.	or 53·20 per cent.	or 51·35 per cent.	or 5·53 per cent.	or 4·39 per cent.	or 4·85 per cent.

No. 5.

MONTHLY ADMISSIONS, CURES, and DEATHS of CURABLE PATIENTS
during 1848.

Month.	Admitted.			Cured.			Died.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
January .	5	9	14	3	2	5	—	1	1
February .	7	17	24	4	6	10	—	1	1
March .	14	21	35	9	8	17	—	—	—
April .	13	16	29	6	7	13	1	1	2
May .	16	19	35	5	8	13	—	1	1
June .	7	19	26	9	11	20	—	—	—
July .	11	8	19	2	4	6	—	2	2
August .	10	12	22	7	8	15	—	1	1
September .	8	16	24	12	7	19	1	—	1
October .	11	19	30	7	6	13	—	—	—
November .	6	12	18	4	6	10	—	—	—
December .	10	20	30	6	9	15	—	2	2
	118	188	306	74	82	156	2	9	11

No. 6.

AGES of the CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

	M.	F.	Total.
Under 15	1	1	2
From 15 to 20	10	14	24
— 20 to 25	14	24	38
— 25 to 30	8	21	29
— 30 to 35	16	35	51
— 35 to 40	18	21	39
— 40 to 45	14	23	37
— 45 to 50	10	17	27
— 50 to 55	12	11	23
— 55 to 60	5	12	17
— 60 to 65	5	4	9
— 65 to 70	4	5	9
— 70 to 76	1	—	1
	118	188	306

No. 7.

DURATION of DISEASE in the CURABLE PATIENTS at the Time of their Admission during 1848.

		Males.	Females.	Total.
Under a week	. . .	4	9	13
1 Week	. . .	11	9	20
2 —	. . .	20	27	47
3 —	. . .	10	18	28
4 —	. . .	15	22	37
5 —	. . .	3	4	7
6 —	. . .	5	7	12
2 Months.	. . .	10	23	33
3 —	. . .	10	24	34
4 —	. . .	9	8	17
5 —	. . .	2	8	10
6 —	. . .	5	8	13
7 —	. . .	2	3	5
8 —	. . .	3	7	10
9 —	. . .	2	4	6
10 —	. . .	1	1	2
11 —	. . .	2	1	3
Upwards	. . .	1	2	3
Not stated	. . .	3	3	6
		118	188	306

No. 8.

NUMBER of ATTACKS in the CURABLE PATIENTS at the time of their Admission during 1848.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
First	68	134	202
Second	24	31	55
Third	11	13	24
Fourth	6	4	10
Fifth	4	2	6
Sixth	—	1	1
Seventh	1	—	1
Several	4	3	7
	118	188	306

No. 9.

DOMESTIC CONDITION of the CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Married . . .	75	94	169
Single . . .	41	84	125
Widowed . . .	2	10	12
	118	188	306

No. 10.

DEGREE of EDUCATION of the CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Superior . . .	7	1	8
Good . . .	43	42	85
Moderate . . .	58	108	166
Imperfect . . .	5	31	36
None . . .	5	6	11
	118	188	306

No. 11.

NATIVITY of the CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Metropolis . . .	44	52	96
Provinces . . .	63	116	179
Ireland . . .	2	8	10
Scotland . . .	3	4	7
Wales . . .	—	3	3
France . . .	1	—	1
Portugal . . .	1	—	1
Calcutta . . .	—	1	1
Not stated . . .	4	4	8
	118	188	306

No. 12.

RELIGIOUS PERSUASION of the CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Church of England .	88	143	231
Wesleyans . . .	6	7	13
Baptists . . .	5	9	14
Independents . . .	5	9	14
Scotch Church . . .	1	2	3
Calvinists . . .	1	1	2
Plymouth Brethren .	—	1	1
Roman Catholics . .	5	11	16
Hebrews . . .	2	2	4
Not stated . . .	5	3	8
	118	188	306

No. 13.

OCCUPATIONS of CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

MALES.

Clerks	8	Officer in the Army	1
Labourers	7	Sailor	1
Shoemakers	5	General dealer	1
Tailors	4	Milkman	1
Grocers	4	Gardener	1
Farmers	4	Cornchandler	1
Bakers	4	Chair maker	1
Carpenters	4	Hatter	1
Curriers	3	Medical Student	1
Musicians	3	Warehouseman	1
Painters	3	Clergyman	1
Publicans	3	Cellarman	1
Blacksmiths	3	Whitesmith	1
Bricklayers	2	Engraver	1
Coach makers	2	Upholsterer	1
Compositors	2	Draper	1
Commercial Travellers	2	Carver	1
Hawkers	2	Carrier	1
Weavers	2	Slater	1
Servants	2	Piano maker	1
Schoolmasters	2	Hair dresser	1
Mathematical Tutors	2	Provision broker	1
Waiter	1	Surveyor	1
Engraver	1	Artist	1
Cork Cutter	1	Law Stationer	1
Scripture reader	1	Wood cutter	1
Agent	1	Surgeon	1
Brush maker	1	Coachman	1
Butcher	1	Law writer	1
Mariner	1	None	6
Mast maker	1		
Newspaper Editor	1		

FEMALES.

Wives, widows, and daughters of professional men	12	Eating-house-keeper	1
Wives, widows, and daughters of clerks and tradesmen	35	Publican	1
Wives, widows, and daughters of servants, mechanics, and labourers	33	Nurserymaid	1
Servants	44	Platter	1
Dressmakers	8	Writing-mistress	1
Needlewomen	7	Stay-maker	1
Governesses	4	Shop-keeper	1
Lace-makers	2	Charwoman	1
Shoe-binders	2	Hawker	1
Laundresses	2	Lodging-house keeper	1
Greengrocer	1	Shopwoman	1
		Housekeeper	1
		None	2
		Not stated	2
			188

No. 14.

PROPORTION of CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848, classified as dangerous or violent:

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Dangerous patients (either to self or others)	71	92	16
Violent patients	23	36	59
No indications of being dangerous or violent	94	128	222
	24	60	84
	118	188	306

No. 15.

SUICIDAL TENDENCY exhibited in the CURABLE PATIENTS admitted during 1848.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Have meditated suicide .	34	60	94
Attempted suicide previous } to admission . }	9	15	24
	43	75	118
Intentions not manifested } or unknown. }	75	113	188
	118	183	306

No. 16.

PARTICULARS OF PATIENTS admitted as CURABLE, but discharged UNCURED during 1848.

Ages.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 20	1	1	2
From 20 to 25 . .	8	5	13
— 25 to 30 . .	8	13	21
— 30 to 35 . .	8	10	18
— 35 to 40 . .	3	10	13
— 40 to 45 . .	2	4	6
— 45 to 50 . .	1	5	6
— 50 to 55 . .	—	3	3
— 55 to 60 . .	2	—	2
— 60 to 65 . .	1	—	1
	34	51	85

State of Bodily Health on Admission.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good . . .	30	43	73
Bad . . .	4	8	12
	34	51	85

Disposition and Temper.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good . . .	19	29	48
Irritable . . .	4	8	12
Hasty . . .	1	6	7
Reserved . . .	1	3	4
Morose . . .	3	—	3
Sullen . . .	2	1	3
Fretful . . .	1	1	2
Obstinate . . .	—	1	1
Eccentric . . .	1	—	1
Bad . . .	1	1	2
Not known . . .	1	1	2
	34	51	85

Domestic Condition.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Married . . .	8	24	32
Single . . .	25	25	50
Widowed . . .	1	2	3
	34	51	85

Number of Attacks.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
First . . .	22	36	58
Second . . .	7	11	18
Third . . .	3	2	5
Fourth . . .	1	1	2
Seventh . . .	1	—	1
Several . . .	—	1	1
	34	51	85

Conduct.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Dangerous . . .	14	21	35
Inert . . .	7	6	13
Quiet . . .	5	1	6
Mischievous . . .	—	6	6
Restless . . .	4	8	12
Violent . . .	3	3	6
Noisy . . .	1	4	5
Flighty . . .	—	2	2
	34	51	85

Notions.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Depressed . . .	18	32	50
Incoherent . . .	6	15	21
Exalted . . .	4	2	6
Confused . . .	6	2	8
	34	51	85

No. 17.

*Apparent and Assigned Causes of Disease in the Curable Patients
admitted during 1848.*

MALES.		FEMALES.	
(MORAL.)		(MORAL.)	
Anxiety . . .	17	Anxiety . . .	27
Losses in business . . .	6	Religion . . .	16
Over study . . .	6	Grief at death of relatives . . .	12
Religion . . .	7	Fright . . .	8
Embarrassment . . .	4	Reduced circumstances . . .	6
Loss of situations . . .	3	Love . . .	5
Love . . .	3	Loss of place . . .	1
Death of relatives . . .	2	Leaving home for service . . .	1
Disgrace of daughter . . .	2	Want of employment . . .	1
Want of employment . . .	2	Close sedentary occupation . . .	1
Reduced circumstances . . .	2	Disappointment . . .	1
Fright . . .	2	Mental distress . . .	1
Political excitement . . .	1	Quarrel with sister . . .	1
Misconduct of his wife . . .	1		81
Family troubles . . .	1		
False accusation . . .	1		
Constantly thinking of a person who had com- mitted suicide . . .	1		
	61		
(PHYSICAL.)		(PHYSICAL.)	
Intemperance . . .	17	Puerperal . . .	11
Bodily illness . . .	3	Intemperance . . .	9
Influenza . . .	2	Bodily illness . . .	9
Coup de soleil . . .	1	Lactation . . .	6
Sensual excess . . .	1	Uterine disturbance . . .	3
	24	Change of life . . .	3
		Erysipelas of the head . . .	2
		Nervous fever . . .	1
		Severe Neuralgia . . .	1
		Disappearance of an eruption . . .	1
			46
Hereditary tendency to insani- ty was traced in 39 cases, of which 11 appeared to be without any other obvious cause . . .	11	Hereditary tendency to insani- ty was traced in 66 cases, of which 16 appeared to be without any other obvious cause . . .	16
Cause not ascertained . . .	22	Cause not ascertained . . .	45
Total	118	Total	188

No. 18.

Apparent and assigned Causes of Disease in Patients Discharged Cured during 1848.

MALES.		FEMALES.	
(MORAL.)		(MORAL.)	
Anxiety	9	Religion	7
Religion	5	Love	5
Embarrassment	4	Anxiety	5
Disappointment in business	4	Fright	4
Over study	4	Reduced circumstances	3
Domestic affliction	1	Death of friends	3
Loss of situation	1	Disappointment	1
Death of relative	1	Poverty	1
Want of employment	1	Grief	1
Illness of relative	1	Deserted by her husband	1
Political excitement	1	Loss of situation	1
Persecution by fellow work- men	1		32
Misconduct of his wife	1		
Disgrace of his daughter	1		
	35		
(PHYSICAL.)		(PHYSICAL.)	
Intemperance	12	Puerperal	9
Nervous affections	2	Bodily illness	4
Exposure to the Sun	1	Intemperance	2
Sensual excess	1	Influenza	2
Influenza	1	Scarlet fever	2
Bodily illness	1	Heat of the weather	1
	18	Change of life	1
		Erysipelas of the head	1
		Severe neuralgia	1
			23
(HEREDITARY.)		(HEREDITARY.)	
Hereditary tendency to insani- ty was traced in 25 cases, of which 12 appeared to be without any other obvious cause	12	Hereditary tendency to insa- nity was traced in 19 cases of which 8 appeared to be without any other obvious cause	8
Cause not ascertained	9	Cause not ascertained	19
Total	74	Total	82

No. 19.

*Apparent and Assigned Causes of Disease in Patients Discharged
Uncured in 1848.*

MALES.		FEMALES.	
(MORAL.)		(MORAL.)	
Love . . .	3	Anxiety . . .	7
Anxiety . . .	2	Religion . . .	7
Religion . . .	2	Love . . .	5
Loss of relations . . .	2	Death of friends . . .	4
Too close study . . .	2	Family troubles . . .	1
Loss in business . . .	1	Having been robbed . . .	1
Family misfortunes. . .	1	Ill treatment by her husband. . .	1
	<hr/> 13	Change of residence . . .	1
		Fright . . .	1
			<hr/> 28
(PHYSICAL.)		(PHYSICAL.)	
Intemperance . . .	5	Puerperal . . .	5
Bodily illness . . .	1	Bodily illness . . .	2
Injury of the head . . .	1	Prolonged lactation . . .	1
Sensual excess. . .	1	Heat of weather . . .	1
	<hr/> 8		<hr/> 9
(HEREDITARY.)		(HEREDITARY.)	
Hereditary tendency to in- sanity was traced in 10 cases, of which 4 appear- ed to be without any other obvious cause . . .	4	Hereditary tendency to in- sanity was traced in 15 cases, of which 4 appeared to be without any other obvious cause . . .	4
Cause not ascertained . . .	9	Cause not ascertained . . .	10
	<hr/> 34		<hr/> 51

No. 21.

Return of Work done by FEMALE PATIENTS during 1848.

Men's Shirts . . .	568	Table cloths . . .	34
Women's caps . . .	397	Pillow cases . . .	6
— gowns . . .	97	Pinafores . . .	3
— shifts . . .	101	Frocks . . .	16
Pairs of sheets . . .	82	Pelisses . . .	4
Aprons . . .	153	Sets of Bed furniture . . .	2
Bed-ticks . . .	66	Fancy articles . . .	43
Night-gowns . . .	28	Canvas Dresses . . .	17
Shawls . . .	27	Pairs of knitted shoes . . .	10
Pocket-handkerchiefs . . .	58	Crochet Lace (yards) . . .	6
Petticoats . . .	28	Pillow Lace (yards) . . .	6
Flannel-waistcoats . . .	44		
Towels . . .	50	Pieces of work. . .	1,846

No. 22.

PARTICULARS of CURABLE PATIENTS discharged CURED during 1848.

Ages.		Males.	Females.	Total.
From 15 to 20 . . .		6	9	15
— 20 to 25 . . .		10	16	26
— 25 to 30 . . .		3	8	11
— 30 to 35 . . .		8	12	20
— 35 to 40 . . .		17	4	21
— 40 to 45 . . .		8	7	15
— 45 to 50 . . .		6	9	15
— 50 to 55 . . .		5	5	10
— 55 to 60 . . .		6	7	13
— 60 to 65 . . .		3	2	5
— 65 to 70 . . .		2	3	5
		74	82	156

State of Bodily Health prior to Attack.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good . . .	62	71	133
Bad . . .	12	11	23
	74	82	156

Disposition and Temper.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good . . .	41	59	100
Irritable . . .	13	5	18
Hasty . . .	9	8	17
Sullen . . .	3	3	6
Violent . . .	1	2	3
Obstinate . . .	1	2	3
Reserved . . .	1	2	3
Proud . . .	1	1	2
Morose . . .	1	—	1
Bad . . .	1	—	1
Excitable . . .	2	—	2
	74	82	156

Number of Attacks.

			Males.	Females.	Total.
First	.	.	35	42	77
Second	.	.	19	24	43
Third	.	.	9	5	14
Fourth	.	.	5	5	10
Fifth	.	.	1	2	3
Sixth	.	.	1	1	2
Seventh	.	.	1	—	1
Eighth	.	.	—	1	1
Several	.	.	3	2	5
			74	82	156

Domestic Condition.

			Males.	Females.	Total.
Married	.	.	50	37	87
Single	.	.	19	41	60
Widowed	.	.	5	4	9
			74	82	156

Notions.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Depressed . . .	34	39	73
Exalted . . .	18	6	24
Confused . . .	13	5	18
Incoherent . . .	9	27	36
Not remarkable . . .	—	5	5
	74	82	156

Conduct.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Dangerous . . .	35	22	57
Mischievous . . .	10	6	16
Quiet . . .	9	6	
Restless . . .	5	13	18
Violent . . .	6	5	11
Noisy . . .	4	10	14
Flighty . . .	2	12	14
Inert . . .	1	4	5
Obstinate . . .	1	4	5
Silent . . .	1	—	1
	74	82	156
Suicidal tendency was exhibited in	23	21	44

No. 23.

INSANE PRIOR TO ADMISSION.

DISCHARGED.		MONTHS.																																				Total.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																												
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No. 26.

PATIENTS CURED.

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46	43	89	2	—	2	7	4	11	6	11	17	8	6	14	6	6	12	6	4	10	1	3	4	5	1	6	2	1	3	1	2	3	—	1	1	2	4	6
6	17	23	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	3	5	—	4	4	—	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
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74	82	156	2	—	2	8	9	17	13	19	32	10	11	21	8	11	19	10	6	16	4	4	8	6	1	7	5	4	9	3	4	7	—	2	2	5	11	16

No. 27.

DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER of PATIENTS in the Hospital during the last
Twenty-nine Years.

Years.	Curables.	Incurables.	Criminals.	Total.
1820	66	66	52	184
1821	77	68	54	199
1822	83	69	54	206
1823	88	66	55	209
1824	88	61	57	206
1825	93	65	60	218
1826	94	64	60	218
1827	79	64	57	200
1828	95	66	56	217
1829	102	65	58	225
1830	110	64	54	228
1831	114	64	54	232
1832	98	65	52	215
1833	102	65	51	218
1834	125	63	52	240
1835	137	63	53	253
1836	142	64	52	258
1837	140	65	53	258
1838	153	62	64	279
1839	160	63	76	299
1840	176	78	78	332
1841	157	85	81	323
1842	184	84	87	355
1843	195	84	87	366
1844	182	86	91	359
1845	222	87	94	403
1846	207	85	103	395
1847	203	80	109	392
1848	206	82	111	399
29	3,878	2,043	1,965	7,886
	133.72	70.44	67.75	271.93
Number of Daily Rations during 1848.				
Curables.		Incurables.		Criminals.
75,430		29,966		40,614
146,010.				

No. 28.

PARTICULARS OF PATIENTS who have DIED during the year 1848, as
Reported by the Physicians to the Bethlem Sub-Committee.

	Sex.	Age	Condition	Admitted.	Died.	Cause of Death.
1	Female .	33	Curable .	10th Dec. 1847	2nd Jan. 1848	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
2	Male .	34	Criminal .	20th Aug. 1840	17th Jan. . .	Epilepsy with disease of the brain.
3	Male .	63	Criminal .	4th Dec. 1816	16th Feb. . .	Apoplexy.
4	Female .	59	Curable .	17th Jan. 1848	21st Feb. .	Disease of the lungs and gradual exhaustion.
5	Male .	36	Criminal .	12th Sept. 1846	22nd Feb. .	Apoplexy.
6	Female .	81	Incurable .	16th Feb. 1820	11th March .	Cancer and general dropsy.
7	Male .	26	Criminal .	12th Sept. 1846	19th March .	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
8	Male .	85	Criminal .	9th Dec. 1816	27th March .	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
9	Male .	48	Curable .	31st Dec. 1847	1st April .	Paralysis from disease of the brain.
10	Female .	19	Curable .	24th March 1848	19th April .	Gangrenous abscess of the lungs.
11	Male .	47	Criminal .	1st July, 1828	2nd May .	Disease of the lungs.
12	Female .	69	Curable .	12th May, 1848	28th May .	Gradual exhaustion.
13	Male .	24	Criminal .	17th Aug. 1843	3rd June .	Pulmonary Consump- tion.
14	Female .	81	Incurable .	16th Aug. 1794	3rd July .	Syncope.
15	Female .	42	Curable .	30th June, 1848	6th July . .	Exhaustion with con- vulsions.
16	Female .	36	Curable .	30th June, 1848	15th July .	Pulmonary consump- tion.
17	Female .	21	Curable .	11th Aug. 1843	15th Aug. .	Pulmonary consump- tion.
18	Male .	76	Curable .	26th July, 1848	27th Sept. .	Bronchitis and general dropsy.
19	Female .	67	Incurable .	14th Oct. 1819	30th Oct. .	Disease of the heart.
20	Male .	71	Incurable .	6th May, 1824	3rd Dec. . .	Gradual exhaustion.
21	Female .	42	Incurable .	3rd April, 1828	5th Dec. . .	Pulmonary consump- tion.
22	Female .	28	Curable .	20th Oct. 1848	17th Dec. .	Disease of the brain.
23	Female .	44	Curable .	21st July, 1848	24th Dec. .	Disease of the heart.

No. 29.

Synopsis of Deaths during 1848.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Curables . . .	2	9	11
Incurables . . .	1	4	5
Criminals . . .	7	—	7
	10	11	23

No. 30.

PARTICULARS of the CURABLE PATIENTS whose DISEASE TERMINATED
FATALLY during 1848.*Duration of Disease at the time of Admission.*

	Males.	Females.	Total.
One week . . .	—	1	1
Two weeks . . .	—	3	3
Three weeks . . .	1	—	1
One month . . .	—	3	3
Two months . . .	—	1	1
Three months . . .	—	1	1
Not stated . . .	1	—	1
	2	9	11

Domestic Condition.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Married . . .	2	6	8
Single . . .	—	3	3
Widowed . . .	—	—	—
	2	9	11

State of Bodily Health prior to Attack.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good . . .	—	3	3
Bad . . .	2	6	8
	2	9	11

Number of Attacks.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
First . . .	2	6	8
Second . . .	—	2	2
Third . . .	—	1	1
	2	9	11

Disposition and Temper.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good . . .	2	6	8
Reserved . . .	—	1	1
Irritable . . .	—	1	1
Bad . . .	—	1	1
	2	9	11

Notions.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Depressed . . .	1	5	6
Incoherent . . .	—	4	4
Exalted . . .	—	—	1
	2	9	11

Conduct.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Dangerous . . .	—	7	7
Restless . . .	—	2	2
Inert . . .	1	—	1
Imbecile . . .	1	—	1
	2	9	11

APPARENT AND ASSIGNED CAUSES OF DISEASE.

MALES.		FEMALES.	
(MORAL.)		(MORAL.)	
Embarrassment	1	Anxiety	4
		Religion	1
(PHYSICAL.)		(PHYSICAL.)	
Paralysis	1	Puerperal	1
		Uterine disturbance	1
(HEREDITARY.)		(HEREDITARY.)	
No hereditary tendency to insanity could be traced in either of the Male Curable Patients whose disease terminated fatally.		Hereditary tendency to insanity was traced in four cases of the Curable Patients whose disease terminated fatally, of which 1 appeared to be without other obvious cause.	
		Not ascertained	1

No. 31.

RETURN of the INCURABLE PATIENTS now in BETHLEM HOSPITAL.

No.	Sex.	Age when admitted.	Date of Admission.
1	Male	- 19	11th October 1800.
2	Male	- 24	13th July 1805.
3	Female	- 33	30th May 1807.
4	Female	- 26	25th December 1816.
5	Male	- 32	10th June 1820.
6	Female	- 19	20th July 1820.
7	Male	- 28	24th May 1821.
8	Female	- 37	16th August 1821.
9	Female	- 34	30th December 1824.
10	Female	- 31	10th March 1825.
11	Female	- 28	8th September 1825.
12	Female	- 29	3rd August 1826.
13	Male	- 48	26th January 1827.
14	Female	- 41	2nd August 1827.
15	Female	- 41	16th February 1828.
16	Female	- 32	29th July 1831.
17	Male	- 20	10th September 1831.
18	Male	- 30	12th July 1833.
19	Male	- 45	21st March 1834.
20	Female	- 25	28th March 1834.
21	Female	- 48	23rd May 1834.
22	Female	- 28	20th Nov. 1835.
23	Male	- 26	5th February 1836.
24	Female	- 20	4th March 1836.
25	Female	- 48	29th July 1836.

PARTICULARS OF INCURABLE PATIENTS—*continued.*

Males.	Sex.	Age when Admitted.	Date of Admission.
26	Male. .	18	18th November 1836.
27	Male. .	40	25th November 1836.
28	Female. .	30	13th January 1837.
29	Male .	34	20th July 1838.
30	Female .	41	3rd August 1838.
31	Male .	26	21st September 1838.
32	Male .	45	11th January 1839.
33	Female .	42	2nd August 1839.
34	Female .	39	15th November 1839.
35	Female .	28	17th January 1840.
36	Male .	37	29th February 1840.
37	Male .	26	20th March 1840.
38	Male .	26	27th March 1840.
39	Male .	38	17th April 1840.
40	Male .	24	1st May 1840.
41	Female .	41	15th May 1840.
42	Female .	26	22nd May 1840.
43	Female .	32	5th June 1840.
44	Male .	40	12th June 1840.
45	Male .	27	24th July 1840.
46	Female .	40	20th November 1840.
47	Male .	28	15th January 1841.
48	Male .	31	30th April 1841.
49	Female .	34	25th June 1841.
50	Female .	45	7th August 1841.

PARTICULARS OF INCURABLE PATIENTS—*continued.*

No.	Sex.	Age when admitted.	Date of Admission.
51	Female .	—	29th October 1841.
52	Female .	25	10th March 1842
53	Male .	30	27th May 1842.
54	Female .	35	22nd June 1842.
55	Male .	30	9th September 1842.
56	Male .	27	14th October 1842.
57	Female .	41	29th December 1842.
58	Female .	38	3rd March 1843.
59	Male .	58	3rd March 1843.
60	Female .	31	22nd March 1844.
61	Male .	28	19th July 1844.
62	Male .	21	20th September 1844.
63	Female .	34	13th December 1844.
64	Male .	29	20th December 1844.
65	Female .	38	28th February 1845.
66	Male .	46	7th March 1845.
67	Female .	29	13th June 1845.
68	Male .	26	10th October 1845.
69	Male .	50	7th November 1845.
70	Male .	23	21st November 1845.
71	Male .	47	23rd January 1846.
72	Male .	38	13th March 1846.
73	Male .	36	9th October 1846.
74	Male .	30	16th April 1847.
75	Male .	32	2nd July 1847.
76	Male .	28	14th February 1848.
77	Male .	28	14th February 1848.
78	Male .	21	14th February 1848.
79	Female .	24	14th February 1848.

No. 32.

TIME the INCURABLE PATIENTS have been in the Hospital.

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Upwards of 45 years .	1	—	1
Ditto 40 years .	1	1	2
Ditto 35 years .	—	—	—
Ditto 30 years .	—	1	1
Ditto 25 years .	2	4	6
Ditto 20 years .	2	5	7
Ditto 15 years .	5	6	11
Ditto 10 years .	15	14	29
Ditto 5 years .	4	3	7
Ditto 3 years .	4	2	6
Ditto 2 years .	3	—	3
Ditto 1 year .	2	—	2
Admitted during 1848 .	3	1	4
	42	37	79

No. 33.

DEGREE of EDUCATION of INCURABLE PATIENTS in the Hospital.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Well educated . .	18	11	29
Read and write . .	17	19	36
Read only . .	3	5	8
Neither read nor write .	2	—	2
Not ascertained . .	2	2	4
	42	37	79

No. 34.

SYNOPSIS of OFFENCES of the CRIMINAL LUNATICS confined in Bethlem Hospital, 31st December, 1848.

Nature of Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1. Against the State.			
(1) High Treason . 1			
(2) Sedition . 1	2	—	2
2. Against the Person .	46	11	57
3. Against Property .	42	7	49
4. Other offences . .	3	—	3
	93	18	111

No. 35.

TIME the CRIMINAL PATIENTS have been in Bethlem Hospital.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Upwards of 30 years .	4	1	5
Ditto 25 years .	3	4	7
Ditto 20 years .	2	1	3
Ditto 15 years .	2	1	3
Ditto 10 years .	6	1	9
Ditto 5 years .	26	3	27
Ditto 3 years .	11	1	12
Ditto 1 year .	23	5	28
Admitted during 1848 .	16	1	17
	93	18	111

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