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July 25th, 1910.

Dear Miss Thompson,

Your letter of so long ago as the 15th inst has not been acknowledge. I should not however like it to pass without thanking you for your kind words respecting the staff. It was a pleasure to do anything for your sister, she was a favourite Patient, and although we were not permitted to see her recovery, we could hope and expect that after a time she will be fully restored to health.

I remain,

Yours very truly,

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14. Royal Crescent

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● Herrogate 15. 7. 10.

Dear Doctor,

I enclose my cheque
for £2. 14. 10 which I trust
you will receive safely.

I must thank you and

● all your staff for your

kindness to my sister.

Her illness is a very great

grief and trouble to me.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely,

M. Thompson

22 June 1910.

Dear Madam

The Committee of the Retreat have requested me to write asking you to arrange for the transfer of Miss Hannah Thompson to another institution.

It has become necessary to arrange for the removal of several of our more arduous patients and Miss Thompson's name has been selected because there is reason to think that she would benefit by a change of surroundings.

Miss Thompson has been here

quite a long time without making any material progress and it is quite possible that under our surroundings she will ~~not~~ really improve

I remain

Yours very truly

Asquith

Miss Thompson.

quite a number without order
and several papers and it is
quite possible that under our
arrangement it will be really
improvement

6 January

Wm. Thompson

Wm. Thompson

Wm. Thompson

22 June 1810

Dear Madam

The Government of the District
have requested me to write you
you to arrange for the transfer of
from the Government of the District
to the Government of the District
arrangement.

It has become necessary to
arrange for the removal of several
of our more serious patients and
Wm. Thompson's name has been
selected because this is reason
to think that the worst benefit
in a change of surroundings.
Wm. Thompson has been here

June 13, 1910

Dear Miss Thompson,

I regret that I cannot report any real improvement in your sister. She continues to be very excitable, uneasy and incoherent. She cannot sustain a conversation, but asks innumerable questions, apparently having no connection one with the other. Her general health is about the same. She looks thin, but is certainly better than she was. The warm weather has relieved her cough to some extent.

Yours very truly,

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LIBRARY

14. Royal Crescent-

#arrogatē 12.6.10.

Dear Doctor,

I should so like to know
how my sister is. Last report
of her as noisy so I concluded
she was not so well. And her
last letter was nothing but a

list of names and no sense could
be made out of it; the spelling
was correct tho.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely,

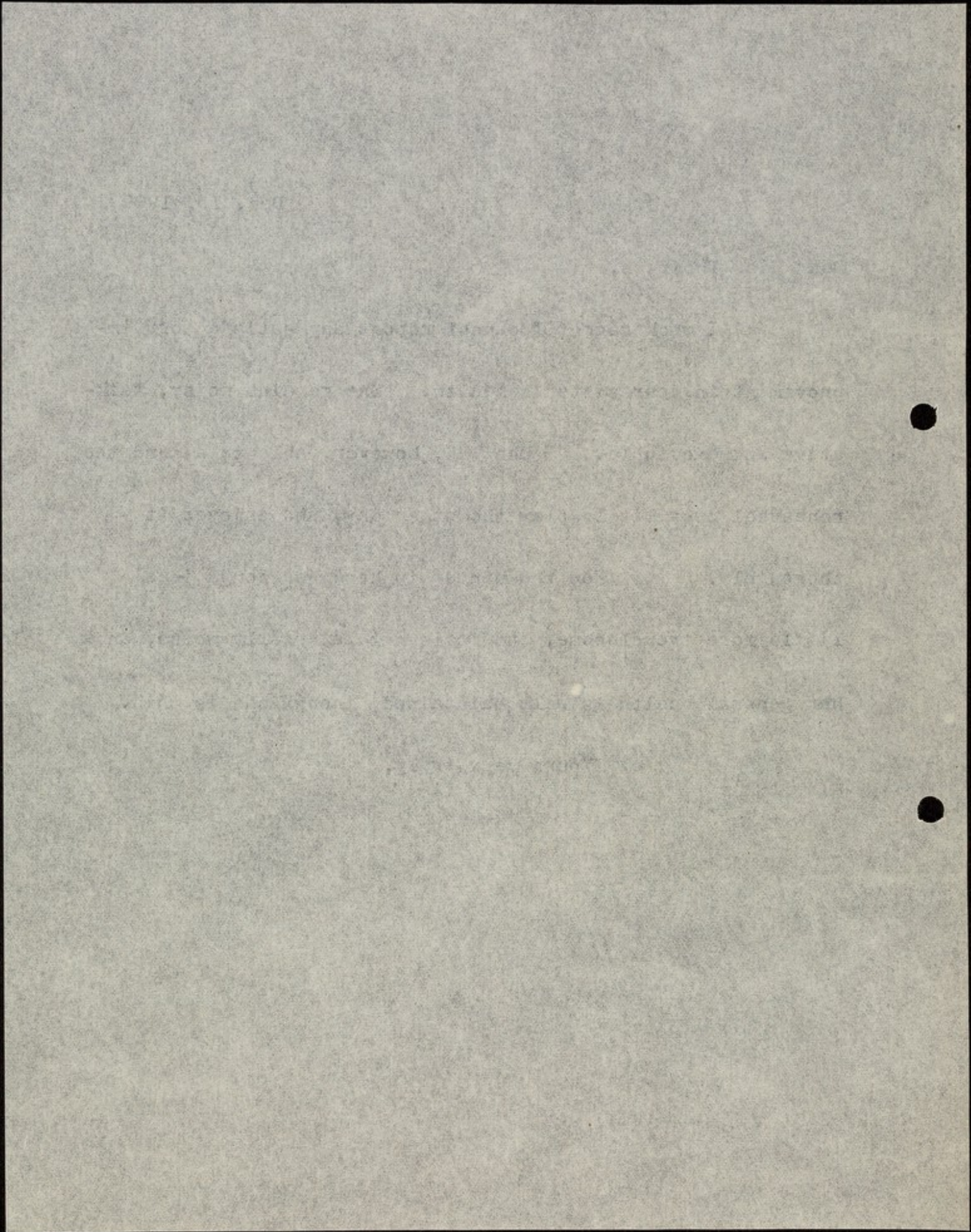
M. Thompson.

Dec. 15, 1909

Dear Miss Thompson,

I much regret I cannot report any satisfactory improvement in your sister's health. She remains noisy, talkative and excitable. She was, however, able to attend the rehearsal of a little play the other day, and enjoyed it thoroughly. Now the winter is here her cough is a little more troublesome, but it is not materially worse, and her general health is well maintained, though she is thin.

Yours very truly,



14. Royal Crescent-

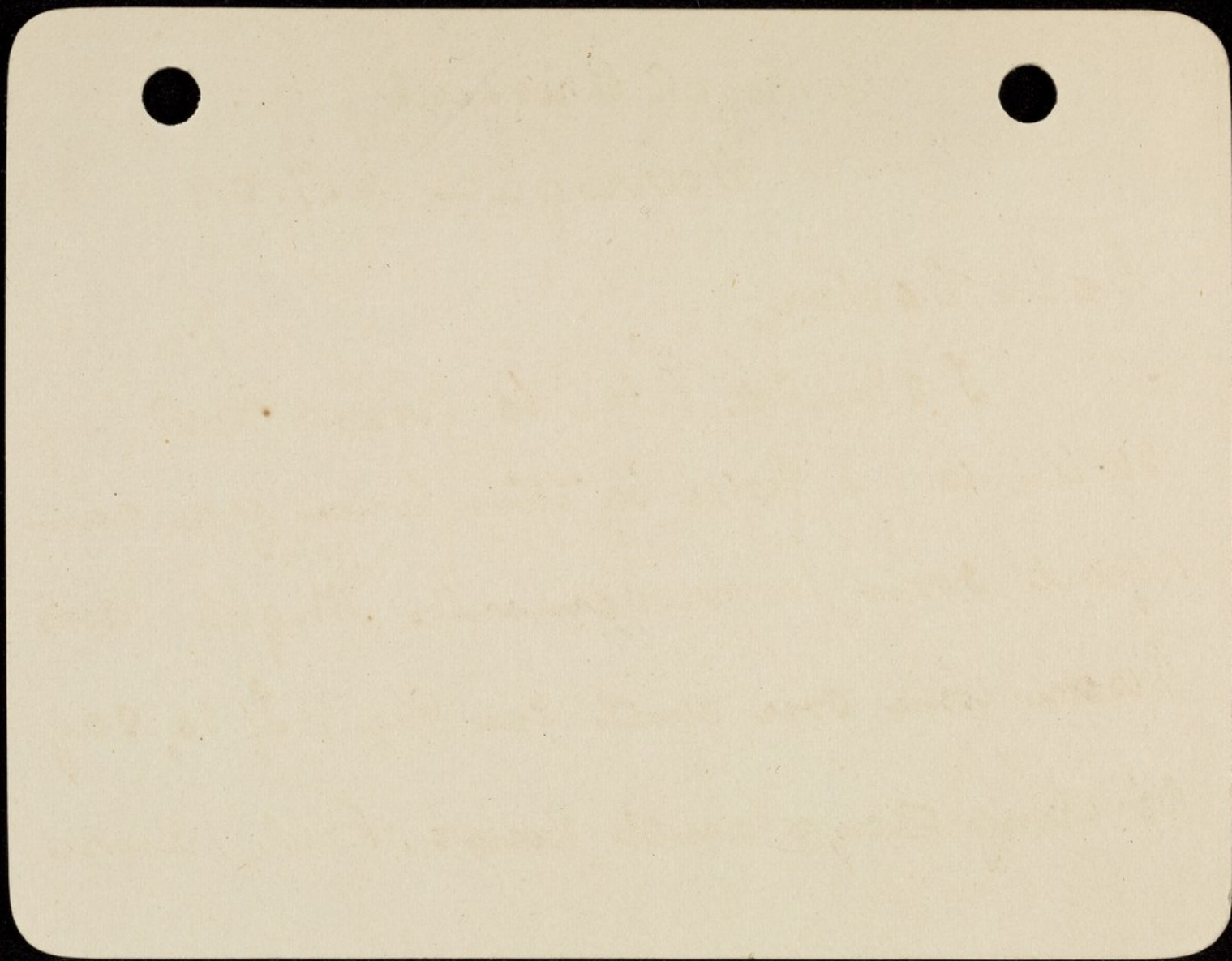
Harrogate 14.12.09

Dear Doctor

I should so like to know
how my sister is and if there is
any improvement-mentally

With kind regards

Yours sincerely
M. Thompson.



14. Royal Crescent

Harrogate 4.7.09

Dear Doctor,

I should like to know how my
sister is. I hope by this time you can
report some improvement. Might Miss
Dixon come over and see her? If so, say
visiting days and hours. But, please

do not hesitate to say no if you think
seeing Miss Dixon would upset, excite
or distress my sister.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

M. Thompson.

HEPWORTH & CHADWICK,
SOLICITORS.
J. HEPWORTH.
R. A. CHADWICK, MA., LL.M.
TELEGRAMS: "HEPWORTH, SOLICITOR, LEEDS"
TELEPHONE 3797.

Friday 11 am -

Saturday am

14, BUTTS COURT,
ALBION STREET,
LEEDS.

June 16th. 1909.

*Will see you at Leeds
2 o'clock tomorrow*

Dear Sir,

I wrote you some time ago regarding my visiting the York Retreat on behalf of Miss Mary Thompson, of 14, Royal Crescent, Harrogate, for whom I act.

I do not appear to have had any reply from you fixing an appointment.

Miss Mary Thompson is wishful for me to see her sister, or at all events to call and see you or the Doctor in charge ^{at} the Retreat, at an early date. I shall be glad if you will kindly drop me a note saying what day and time would be convenient. Tuesday next would not be convenient for me.

Yours faithfully,

R. A. Chadwick

Dr. Bedford Pearce,
The Retreat,
Y O R K.

14. Royal Crescent -

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Harrogate 10.5.09.

Dear Doctor,

It is some weeks since I
heard anything about my sister.
I do hope that Dr. Horah Kemp
can report some improvement -

in her mental state. Is she still
losing weight? and does she rest
any better at nights?

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

M. Thompson.

14. Royal Crescent

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Harrogate 22.3.09

Dear Doctor,

It is just a month since
I heard from Dr. Norah Kemp.
Can you give me any better news
of my Sister's ~~and~~ mental
condition? And how has she

born these last few bitterly cold
weeks? With kind regards

Yours sincerely,

M. Thompson.

14. Royal Crescent-

Herroqati 14.4.09.

Dear Doctor,

Enclosed is my cheque.
I was very grieved to have
such a poor account of my
sister's mental state last
month. But I hope Dr. Norah
Thompson will have better news for
me when next she writes.
Next week my sister will
have been with you & we

months and not any better.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

Mary Thompson

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2.14.

14. Royal Crescent-

Harrogate 22.2.09.

Dear Doctor,

I do hope and trust - you
can give me a better report of
my Sister. It is just a month
since I heard anything of her,

and four months since I left
home.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

M. Thompson

14. Royal Crescent -

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Harrogate 12.1.09

Dear Doctor

I enclose my cheque which
I hope you will receive safely.
I was very pleased to hear that
my Sister was a much better body
and I hope you can now report -

an improvement - mentally. Are
you still nursing her in bed?

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

M. Thompson

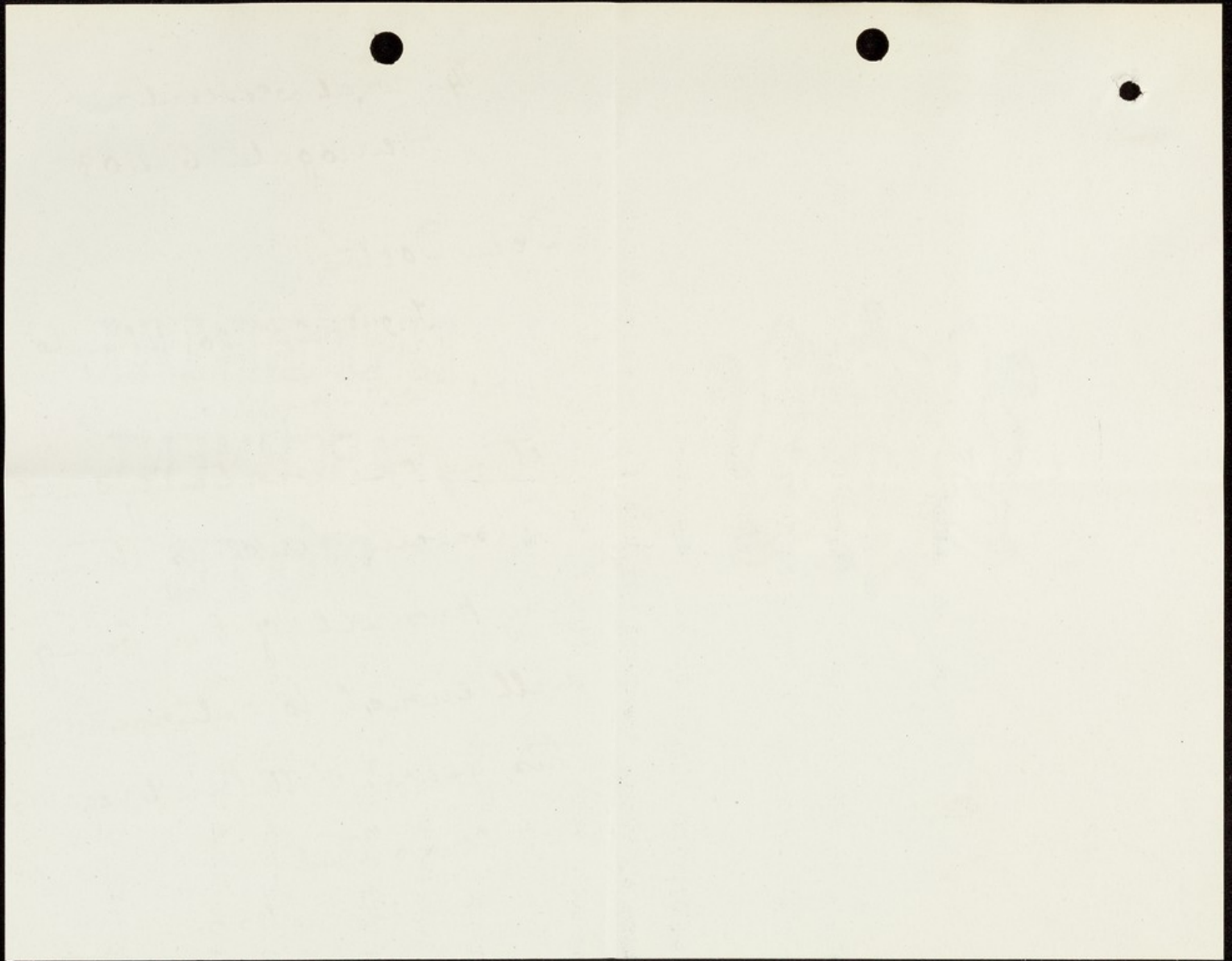
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14. Royal Crescent - (671)
Herrogate 6.12.08

Dear Doctor,

I should so like to know how my Sister is getting on mentally and physically. And is there any prospect of her being well enough to return home this year? With kind regards

Yours truly

M. Thompson.



Dec. 28, 1908

Dear Madam,

I am very sorry your letter has been overlooked. It came in my absence and I do not understand how it has not been dealt with.

I am sorry we cannot report any decided improvement in Miss Thompson's health. Her bodily condition has somewhat improved, but she has not entirely lost her cough, and now and then there is an evening temperature. Both of these are not as marked as they were. She also looks distinctly better. Mentally, however, there is very little change to report, and she remains noisy, excitable and uncertain in her behaviour.

Please do not hesitate to write for particulars as to her health: we are always glad to reply to letters of enquiry.

Yours very truly,

COMMUNITY OF AFRICA

COMMUNITY OF AFRICA

14. Royal Crescent (897)
Harrogate 27.10.08

Dear Doctor,

I was very sorry to
receive such a poor report
of my sister, and only hope
the med. will report some
progress. At no time would
she take liquid food

Yours truly

M. Thompson

1881

Harvard College

Dear Mother

I have just received

your kind letter of the 10th

and was glad to hear from you

and all the family. I am well

and hope these few lines will

find you all the same.

I am very affectionately

Yours truly

Wm. Brewster

14. Royal Crescent - 847

Harrogate 26.10.08

Dear Doctor,

The magistrate who signed the paper is from home for this week, I will see him on his return and at once forward the forms to you. I should very much like to know how my sister is. Our house has been damp lately, and now we

find water from the soil
pipe has been leaking into
the basement. On Monday
the kitchen floor collapsed
from dry rot. My sister
has constantly been having
heavy colds. May not the
house have been the pri-
mary cause of this break-
down.

Yours truly

M. Thompson

Nov. 30, 1908

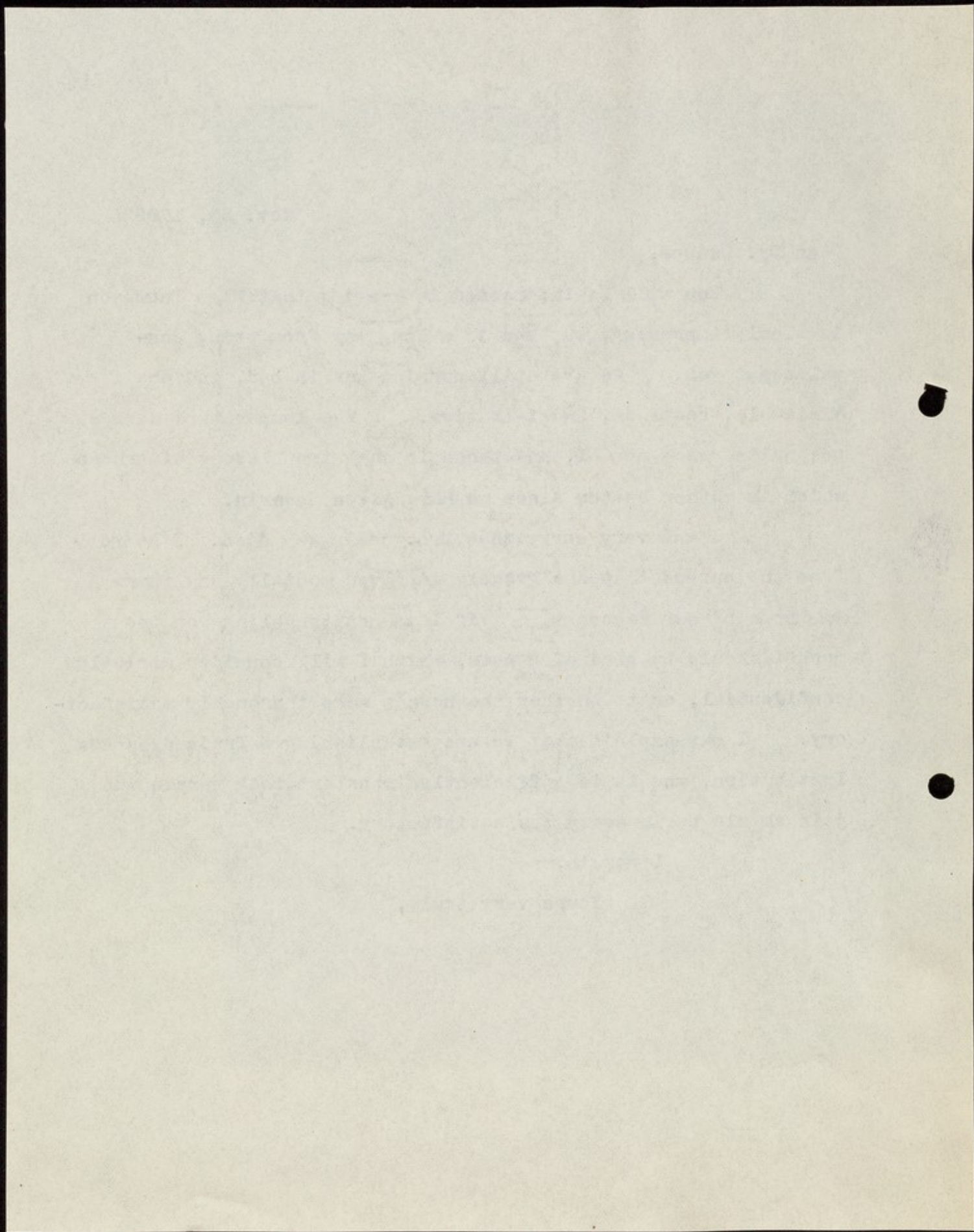
Dear Dr. Ozanne,

You will be interested in hearing that Miss Thompson is slowly improving, but she is a long way from being convalescent yet. We are still nursing her in bed, and she is excitable, restless, and talkative. The temperature does not quite reach normal, and there is some troublesome diarrhoea which is rather better since we have given Sauerin.

I was very sorry that Mrs. Hemingway died. I heard from the nurses that she greatly improved mentally and there was hope of her recovery. If I am not troubling you too much I should be glad of a note, which I will consider strictly confidential, as to whether the nurses were thoroughly satisfactory. I may explain that we are establishing a Trained Nurses Institution, and it is sufficiently important that nurses who join should be in every way satisfactory.

I remain,

Yours very truly,



AT HOME
FROM 3 TO 6 P.M.
TELEPHONE 11.

Miss Thompson

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SHEEN HOUSE,
HARROGATE.

Oct. 1908

Dear Dr. Bradford White

I have seen my
the patient this evening
& they would be glad if
you have a £3.3. soon
Perhaps you will kindly
send any papers which
may be necessary &
will file them in a
set and the man to

WITEN HOUSE
HARRISBURG

to S. I will wire a
telegram if any further
change -

J. Quinn
Quinn - S. D. D. D.

Oct. 27, 1908

Dear Madam,

Miss Thompson remains in a very uncertain mental state. At one time she is restless and uncontrolled, altogether incoherent and beside herself. At others she is fairly quiet and able to converse fairly reasonably. She does not realise her position in the slightest. Her bodily health seems to be improved. We are giving her some open air treatment during the day time. She has a little temperature every evening, but a careful examination of the chest does not disclose any serious signs of disease.

Your account of the insanitary condition of the house is very interesting, and it is quite possible that the bronchitis may have been produced by the damp. We, however, know so little as to the causation of bronchitis that it is difficult to speak with certainty, although there is good reason to think that disease is frequently produced a lowered power of resistance arising from unhealthy conditions of life.

I remain,

Yours very truly,

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LIBRARY

Nov. 20. 1908

Dear Madam,

At the recent meeting
of the Retreat Committee the terms
for Miss Margaret Hannah Thompson
were fixed at \$37. a week - please
return to me the usual agreement
form when completed -

Yours faithfully

W. A. Wadler

Secy.

Miss Mary Thompson

Nov. 2. 1908

Dear Madam,

At the recent meeting
of the Public Committee the terms
for this proposed loan of \$1,000,000
were fixed at 3 1/2% - please
return over the enclosed agreement
from their committee -

Yours faithfully

W. E. Johnson
Secy.

Miss Mary Thompson

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N.B.—The Secretary is instructed to obtain the necessary signatures to the accompanying form of guarantee before the care of any patient is undertaken by the Retreat.



YORK RETREAT HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

In consideration of the Directors of the York Retreat Hospital for the Insane agreeing to receive Hannah Thompson of _____ as a patient in the said Hospital, I HEREBY UNDERTAKE AND AGREE with Richard Thompson of Dringcliffe, The Mount, York the Treasurer of the said Hospital, to pay or cause to be paid, to the said Richard Thompson as such Treasurer, or to the Treasurer for the time being of the said Hospital, all such Sum or Sums of Money as shall from time to time be or become due and payable for the Lodging, Maintenance, and care of the said patient in the said Hospital, or whilst under the charge of the Authorities of the said Hospital, and all such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be paid or disbursed by or on behalf of the said Institution for any articles of Wearing Apparel, or other necessaries, or extras supplied to, or provided for the said Patient, or the repairing or mending and washing of the articles of Wearing Apparel of the said Patient, so long as the said Patient shall continue in the said Hospital, or be under the charge of the Authorities of the said Hospital, and also to pay or cause to be paid the expenses in respect of the Funeral of the said Patient, in case the said Patient shall die in the said Hospital, or whilst under the charge of the Authorities of the said Hospital. AND I FURTHER AGREE to pay Interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on any accounts due from me as above, which shall not have been discharged within Twenty-eight days from the receipt of such account from the Treasurer, Secretary, or Clerk of the said Hospital. AND I ALSO UNDERTAKE AND AGREE, at my own expense, to remove the said Patient from the said Hospital within Fourteen days after receiving Notice in writing from the Treasurer, Secretary or Clerk for the time being of the said Hospital, requiring such removal.

WITNESS my hand the 23rd day of November 1908

Name Mary Thompson
 Residence 14, Royal Crescent, Harrogate
 Occupation _____

SIGNED by the said Mary Thompson
 in the presence of

Witness's Signature	} <u>RA Chadwick</u>
Address, and	
Profession.	

Solicitor
Leeds

N.B.—The charge for Board, Lodging and Medical care is payable quarterly, in advance. Disbursements by the Institution on behalf of patients, and other exceptional expenses, are charged in the following quarter's account. A residence of less than a month is charged as a month.

In the event of the death, removal, or discharge of a patient before the expiry of the quarter covered by the last payment, the surplus amount is returned by the Retreat.

