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THE NINTH REPORT OF THE COMMIT-TEE OF VISITORS OF THE LUNATIC ASYLUM FOR THE COUNTY OF MID-DLESEX, SITUATE AT HANWELL, BEING THE EIGHTY-SIXTH SINCE THE COM-MENCEMENT OF THE ASYLUM.

## Hanwell, January 19th, 1854.

THERE are comparatively few occurrences out of the ordinary routine of administration in a Lunatic Asylum, of sufficient importance to require the COMMITTEE OF VISITORS in making their ANNUAL REPORT, to bring them prominently before the notice of the Court. A detailed history of the little world comprised within these walls during the past year, will be found recorded under different heads by the Officers of the different Departments, and their Reports, with the tabular Statements annexed, will furnish the Court with the requisite information upon all topics of interest, whether pathological, administrative, or statistical, connected with the Establishment. The COMMITTEE have every reason to be satisfied with the general management, and with the conduct of the Officers and Servants of the Establishment, both as regards each other and the Patients. The arrangements hereafter adverted to, in reference to this point, will, they believe, guarantee a continuance of that satisfactory state of things for the future.

In conformity with the provisions of the 62nd section of the Lunacy Act, passed in the last Session of Parliament, your COMMITTEE have to report, that the Asylum is, as regards the Patients, in a satisfactory condition. There is accommodation for 960 Patients, and two new Wards calculated to provide for 50 additional Patients, will be ready in a few weeks.

It is fortunate, perhaps, that the circumstances requiring specific notice, are not many in number, for it is obvious that such would be more probably matters of regret than of congratulation to the Court and to the COMMITTEE. The statistics of Insanity in the County of Middlesex, hold out as yet no expectation of any material immediate reduction in the number of that afflicted class, to such an extent even as to justify any confident hope that all recent cases may be dealt with in the very earliest stages.

Your COMMITTEE cannot therefore congratulate the Court upon any diminution in the number of Patients, or upon any considerable increase in the number of cures, there being still so many unfortunate beings afflicted with chronic and almost hopeless disease. If, accordingly, from the nature of the case, there is but little to set out on the bright side of the picture, the prominent features will necessarily be of a more sombre character, and serve rather to shew the blots, which no vigilance on the part either of the Officers or the COMMITTEE can altogether remove. The difficulties, indeed, of managing Establishments, such as our County Asylums, are materially increased by the temptations held out to the class of persons from whom the Attendants have heretofore been selected, to seek other more lucrative occupations at home, or in the Colonies. The consequence is, that for two or three years past the resignations of Attendants have been considerably more numerous than in former times, and the Candidates of a less eligible class. It is unnecessary to remind the Court how much the well-being of such Institutions depends upon the conduct of Attendants, over whom it is difficult, from their numbers, and the extent of the Establishments, at all times to exercise supervision and control.

In the month of July last, in consequence of letters addressed by a male Patient to Mr. Perceval, complaining of ill-usage on the part of certain Attendants in the year 1851; complaints which had been fully investigated by the then COMMITTEE — which letters were forwarded by him to the Secretary of State, the Commissioners in Lunacy deputed two of their body to examine into these charges on the spot, who reported upon them to the Home Secretary. The conclusion at which they arrived, namely, that there was reason to believe that the Attendants did sometimes use disgusting language among themselves, and that in some instances they had been guilty of harsh and unfeeling conduct towards the Patients, induced Lord Palmerston to write to your Com-MITTEE, strongly urging the appointment of a Head Attendant, whose duty it should be exclusively to supervise the Attendants in the Wards and Airing Courts. In deference to this suggestion, the Committee of Visitors accordingly appointed to that situation Robert Blencowe, who has been an Attendant in the Asylum for 14 years, and whom Dr. Begley and the Storekeeper strongly recommended as being in every way qualified to fill such a position. His salary is fixed at £45 for the first year, with a promise of an increase to £52 at the end of that time, if his conduct should be satisfactory; and from the Report of the Medical Superintendent, up to the present time, he seems to have discharged his duties in a very able manner. The COMMITTEE OF VISITORS hope and believe, that, with such additional supervision, no complaints either of bad language towards each other, or of harshness towards the Patients on the part of the Attendants, will be repeated.

In the month of March, Mr. Shrubb, the resident Engineer, having resigned his situation, Mr. John Williams was appointed to succeed him, at a Salary of £110 a year, without Board.

In the same month the COMMITTEE, thinking it desirable to have additional supervision in the Wards, previously to any communication from the Commissioners in Lunacy, increased the salary of Mr. Aulsebrook, the Dispenser, from £70 to £85 a year, in consideration of new duties being imposed upon him in the Wards, and in the month of November, his title was altered, at his own request, from that of Dispenser to Apothecary.

In the month of April the salary of the Assistant Storekeeper, Mr. John Clift, was increased from £40 to £50 a year, after a period of ten years' service.

In the month of August, Miss Ireland, having resigned the situation of Superintendent of the Workroom, Miss Mary Humphrey was appointed her successor on probation, but she having been, at the end of a few weeks, seized with a dangerous illness, which incapacitated her from discharging its duties, Miss M. Macfie was appointed in her stead, also upon probation.

On the 17th of the same month, Miss Giddings resigned her situation as Superintendent of the Bazaar, she having been appointed Matron of the Royal Lunatic Asylum at Perth, and on December 29th, Miss L. Holland was appointed to succeed her, on probation.

This is one of the many instances of preference being given to Officers of this Institution, when Candidates for situations of trust and responsibility, which speak favorably as to the estimation in which it is held out of the County of Middlesex.

In the month of October, a circular was received from the Commissioners in Lunacy, making certain suggestions, in contemplation of the probable breaking out of cholera in the Asylum; and on Dr. Begley's recommendation a variation was made in the dietary, by substituting an ordinary meat dinner for the soup dinner on Mondays. The two Medical Superintendents were also empowered, in the event of that disease appearing, to engage such additional assistance as they might deem necessary. Fortunately, however, no such necessity has yet arisen, but, by the advice of these Officers, the additional meat dinner has not been discontinued.

The number of Patients admitted during the year was 126, of whom 64 were males, and 62 females. The number discharged cured was 43, of whom 17 were males, and 26 females. Three males also left the Asylum improved. The number of deaths was 68, of whom 45 were males, and 23 females. The rate of mortality, though somewhat higher than last year, is not above the average.

Various circumstances have combined to retard the completion of the new Chapel, the erection of which was sanctioned by the Court in June, 1852. It is now, however, completed, and will be ready for the performance of Divine Service, in the ensuing month.

Several alterations and improvements have been effected during the year in different parts of the Establishment, under the direction of the Engineer, some of which were mentioned as being in contemplation in the last Annual Report. Other very necessary alterations have been from time to time suggested by the Officers of the Establishment, as well as the Commissioners in Lunacy, on their visits to the Asylum. These have now swelled to an amount which precludes the possibility of their being accomplished within a reasonable time by the ordinary staff of workmen, and without greatly exceeding the amount allowed by the Lunacy Act of last Session to be expended annually upon alterations and improvements without the sanction of the Court. Many of these appear to your COMMITTEE to be of the most pressing necessity, and they accordingly instructed their late Engineer, Mr. Harris, in conjunction with Mr. Williams, to lay before them a Report and Estimate of Works requiring immediate or early attention. Foremost among these, the question arises, whether it would not be desirable to make provision for a larger number of inmates in the Asylum. The present moment appears peculiarly suitable for doing so

before the new Ward is filled with Patients; inasmuch as some displacement must take place during any alteration of the Building, which could be effected without increasing its area  $\rightarrow$ a thing most undesirable in many respects. A Plan has been proposed by Mr. Harris, for raising the Wards in the centre Building an additional story, by which four new Wards, with the necessary Day-rooms, would be obtained, affording accommodation for 200 Patients, which, with the Ward just erected, will, it is hoped, contain all the Pauper Lunatics of the County now in Workhouses or Private Asylums. Such Patients as it would be necessary to remove from their present Wards during the Works, might be accommodated in the new and still unoccupied Ward-a difficulty which could not easily be got over, were it tenanted, otherwise than by limiting the number of admissions during the progress of the Works, and then in but an inadequate degree. The ventilation of the Asylum has been frequently adverted to in the Annual Reports as very defective, and your COMMITTEE are of opinion that some remedy should be applied forthwith. This remark is true both as to the want of cold and warm air, and a better supply of each is very much required. The insufficient quantity of hot water for bathing purposes is an evil of even more serious magnitude, and an entire alteration in the system of supplying it appears necessary at the present moment, and will, of course, become indispensable if an addition be made to the number of inmates. The bathing accommodation in the Asylum is also very far below its requirements, and should be increased without delay. An improvement in the drainage and waterclosets, both within and without the walls, has been repeatedly recommended by the Officers of the Establishment, as well as the Commissioners in Lunacy, and ought not to be overlooked. It seems to your COMMITTEE, that the points here adverted to are so

important, that they trust their successors will lose no time in bringing them in a detailed shape before the notice of the Court. In submitting these recommendations, your Com-MITTEE would remind the Court, that a quarter of a century has elapsed since the Hanwell Asylum was constructed. Erected originally with a view to the accommodation of only 350 Patients, it has grown to its present size by insensible degrees, and it is manifest that many of the arrangements which were only adapted to that small number of inmates, must be wholly inadequate now for an Establishment of three times the original proportions. The improvements which have been made during that period in draining, in ventilation, in warming and lighting these abodes of disease and suffering, contrast unfavorably with the inadequate provision made for these objects, even at that comparatively recent date.

The spirit of humanity which distinguishes the age in which we live, and the generous rivalry exhibited by those upon whom the care of the insane devolves throughout the different public and private Establishments, not only in our own country, but in the two hemispheres, urges upon your COMMITTEE the necessity of keeping pace with other similar Institutions, and of remedying the defects which have accrued by the lapse of time, and the imperfect nature of the original appliances. Some of the existing evils would obviously be increased by the additional accommodation for 50 Patients which will be obtained by the erection of the new Chapel, and the Ward below it. As the state of the Works is so far advanced that this will be ready for the reception of Patients at a very early period, it seems a fitting occasion to consider the question of alterations generally, so as to combine them with the requirements of the enlarged Establishment. It can hardly be necessary at the present day to dwell upon the paramount importance of good drainage and ventilation, of an abundant supply of light, and of hot water for bathing purposes, of which latter, though the Asylum is amply supplied with cold water, there is a very inadequate quantity even for the present number of Patients. Your COMMITTEE are satisfied that when the Court shall be in possession of the details on all these points, it will concur with them that an alteration in the system is indispensable.

It was stated in the last Annual Report, that an additional vote would be asked for, to complete the fittings in the Chapel, in the new Ward, and Entertainment Room, and to defray the Architect's Commission. The sum required for these purposes amounts to £883, and the cost of bedding and furniture for the Ward will be £500; the details of which will be found in the Appendix. Application will accordingly be made to the Court, for a sum not exceeding £1,400, on the next County Day.

We regret that, owing to the great rise in almost all articles of consumption, and the price of labor generally, the rate of maintenance has been considerably increased for the present quarter. This state of things, it is to be hoped, will not be of long duration, and that a return will shortly be made to the ordinary rate.

Many improvements have been introduced into the Lunacy Act of the last Session of Parliament, which will be advantageous to the Patients as well as Parishes, by enabling Justices to remove those who do not belong to the County, and make room for others whose state requires immediate reception in Asylums. Several suggestions, made by the JOINT COMMITTEE of the two Institutions, have been embodied in it, and it is believed that they will operate usefully in the practical working of the Act.

It cannot, however, be too strongly impressed upon Members of the Court, that it is, in their individual capacity as Guardians of the Poor, they can most materially assist in carrying it out. Immediate attention to the first symptoms of Insanity, and strict determination to allow no tendency to harshness or neglect in their different workhouses to go unnoticed, are the means by which the number of cures may be increased, chronic cases become comparatively rare, and the burdens of the ratepayers lightened. Without such cooperation from the Magistrates of the County, Visitors of Asylums can hardly hope to effect much within their walls ; with it, it may be hoped, that the day is not far distant when all the Pauper Lunatics in the County may be provided for in the existing Establishments.

The MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE who retire by rotation are Messrs. Baillie, Brooking, Evans, Kemshead, Turner, and Wilks, and a seventh vacancy is occasioned by the death of Mr. Roe. Your COMMITTEE cannot conclude without expressing their great regret, that, in consequence of continued ill health, they have for some time been deprived of the assistance of their Chairman, Mr. Wilks, who has, during so many years, dedicated his services to the good of the Asylum, and the County generally.

> CHARLES HERBERT COTTRELL, Pro-Chairman.

## Hanwell Lunatic Asylum.

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Clock Lines and Weights						
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WARD UNDER CHAPEL.						
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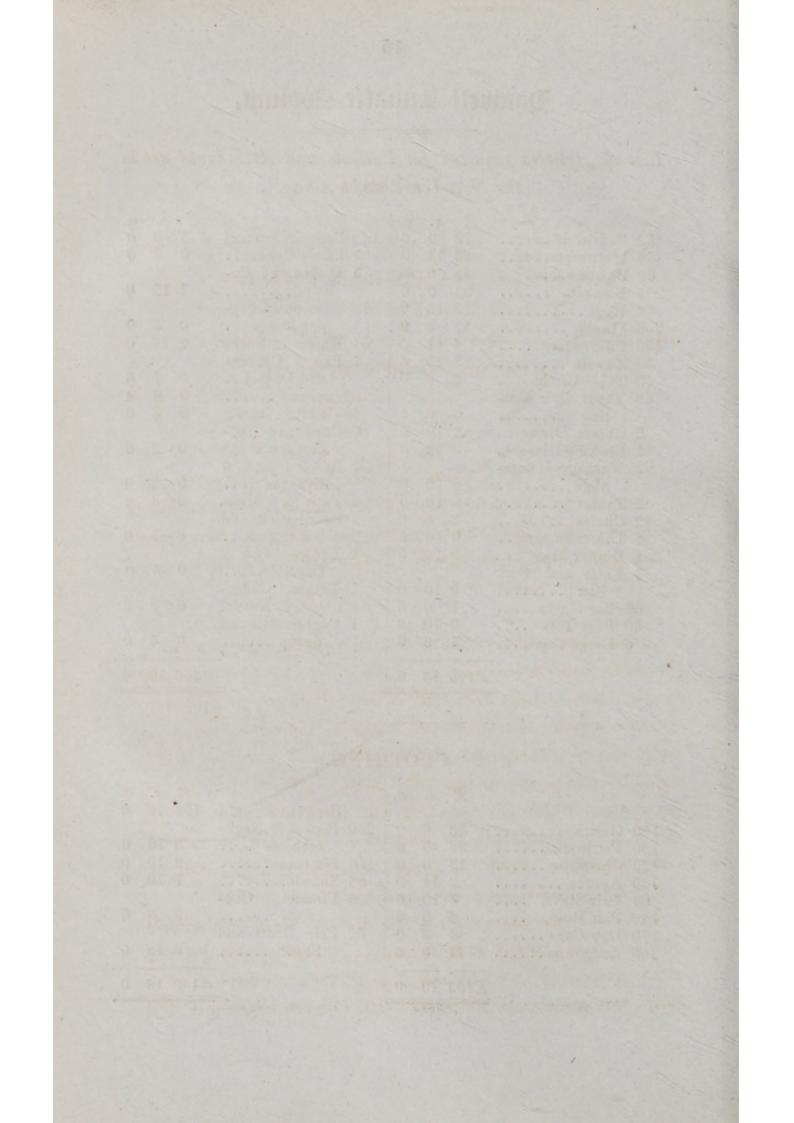
List of Articles required for Patients and Attendants' use in the New Ward under Chapel.

		£	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
52	Bedsteads	78	0	0	Brought forward	348	10	0
	Mattresses	83	14	0	3 Small Cans	0	6	0
	Bolsters	18	0	0	3 Dishes and Co-			
	Blankets	93	0	0	vers	1	10	0
56	Rugs	13	13	0	12 Salts, and 6 Pep-			
	Sheets	37	0	0	per Boxes	0	5	0
	Pillowcases	4	11	0	54 Knives & Forks	2	16	0
	Towels	1	10	0	1 Pair Carvers			
	Table Cloths	3	0	0	and 1 Steel	0	7	6
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	ting	5	0	0	60 White Plates	0	8	0
2	Chests Drawers	2	10	0	6 Cups and Sau-			
4	Looking Glasses	0	12	0	cers & 6 Mugs	0	2	6
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	plete	0	10	0	Brushes	0	18	0
2	Tables	0	10	0	3 Pails, & 3 Mops	0	. 8	0
	Chairs	2	8	0	2 Candlesticks and			
	Thermometers	0	10	0	2 Lanterns	0	5	0
1	Dinner Tray, &c .	0	14	0	4 Ladles and 2			
1	Knife and Fork				Canisters	0	5	0
	Box	0	10	0	1 Teapot, Coffee-			
60	) Porringers	1	0	0	pot, & Kettle.	0	5	0
	) Beer Tots	0	10	0	1 Coal Scuttle and			
	6 Large Cans	1	8	0	Scoop	0	5	0
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120 Chemises	12	0	0	50	Bonnets	2	10	0
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# REPORT

OF

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

THE MALE DEPARTMENT.

OF

THE number of Patients in the Male Division of the Asylum at the commencement of the year was 411; 64 have been admitted since, making together 475; 17 have been discharged cured, 3 as improved, and 45 have died, leaving 410 now under care.

Admissions.—The Patients admitted during the year were generally in so chronic a stage of their disorder, or the malady was so much complicated with General Paralysis or Epilepsy, diseases which usually render Insanity incurable, that hope could not be entertained of the recovery of many of them. Some of those, however, who were received during the early stage of the disease, and who were not affected with either of the complications referred to, have left the Asylum well; others of them are progressing favourably, and are likely to be discharged cured in the ensuing spring.

In 38 of the cases admitted the disease assumed the form of Mania, and in 9 that of Melancholia. Imbecility was the type of the disorder in 15 cases, and Dementia was manifested in 2. Mania was associated in 6 cases with General Paralysis, and in 6 others with Epilepsy. There was a double combination of General Paralysis and Epilepsy in 1 case of Mania. Melancholia was found in union with General Paralysis in 1 case. Imbecility was combined with that affection in 8 cases, and with Epilepsy in 1; in 1 other case of Imbecility there was a combination of both Paralysis and Epilepsy. The 2 cases of Dementia were complicated with General Paralysis.

A tendency to suicide was united with 1 case of Mania, and with Melancholia in 7 cases; 1 of the suicidal cases of Melancholia was affected with General Paralysis.

One of the cases of Mania occurred in a man 28 years of age, who had only been ill a fortnight, but it was his third The second attack came on when he was 14 years attack. of age, and the first at the age of 7 years. Insanity at so early an age, and not attributable to congenital defect, or to Epilepsy, or to any form of Paralysis, though not unprecedented, is yet so rare as to justify its being noticed here. The Patient was pale, feeble, and emaciated when admitted, also very incoherent and violent; he is now well nourished, excitement has subsided, and his mind is much improved, but it is not expected that he can recover permanently, as it has been ascertained that there is a strong hereditary predisposition to the disease in his family. His mother, several aunts and collateral relatives, were insane, and died in that state; one of his sisters is now an inmate of Colney Hatch Asylum, another has been more than once the subject of mental aberration.

Three of the admissions were cases of re-admission. One was that of a man who on his first admission, in March, 1848, was in a feeble state of health, much depressed, and had

a wound in the throat, inflicted by himself for the purpose of suicide. He recovered in a few months. Loss of employment in the early part of this year, the illness of his wife, and dependence of himself and family upon the scanty earnings of his daughter (a needlewoman), again disturbed his mind, not so seriously, however, as on the former occasion. He was lately discharged cured. The second was the case of an agricultural labourer from the neighbourhood of the Asylum, who had been here twice before, and had also been in other Asylums; intemperance is the cause of his malady. He improves rapidly after admission by abstemious habits and regularity of diet. It is to be feared that these frequent attacks may enfeeble his mind and ultimately reduce him to a state of fatuity. The third was the case of a young man who, on his first admission in May, 1850, was pale, emaciated, incoherent, and affected with General Paralysis in its incipient stage. He soon became well nourished, and his mind improyed, he worked steadily in the grounds, and conducted himself so rationally that, after a residence of a year in the Asylum, though still retaining slight symptoms of Paralysis, he was discharged on trial, and permanently at the end of his month of probation. Failing in his efforts to obtain employment, he enlisted. The Medical Officer before whom he appeared for examination as a recruit, not recognising the Paralysis, he was passed, and soon afterwards sent to the depot of his regiment, where also the Paralysis was unnoticed by the Surgeon in charge. He went on well for more than a year, complaining, however, occasionally of the severity of the drill exercise; but at the expiration of that period he became irregular in his habits, appeared late on parade; was negligent of dress, remained out of barracks without leave. For these and other breaches of discipline he was frequently admonished without effect, and at length was placed under

arrest, preparatory to being brought to a Court Martial. In the guard-house incoherent expressions were heard to fall from him, amongst them the word "Hanwell" was frequently repeated. This suggested to the Commandant the idea of the man being of unsound mind, and of his having been at some period an inmate of the Asylum. An inquiry being made on this point, and answered in the affirmative, all proceedings against him were abandoned, and he was in a short time dismissed the regiment as unfit for military duty, was sent to his relatives, and by them to the Workhouse of his Parish, and thence brought here in February last, very imbecile in mind and much Paralysed. He gradually sank into Dementia, and died a few days ago.

This case forcibly illustrates the necessity which exists for all Medical Gentlemen, whether about to attach themselves to the public service or to engage in civil practice, to acquire such a knowledge of the various forms of Insanity as may enable them, if not to treat the disease, at least to discern it when presented to them. To open Hospitals for the Insane in the same unreserved manner as General Hospitals are to Medical Students, for the purpose of imparting to them such information, is certainly a measure not unattended with risk and difficulty. Perhaps the least objectionable, and at the same time sufficiently effectual way of meeting the requirements of the age in this respect, would be the adoption of the plan suggested in 1846 by the writer of this Report, viz., that a limited number of Clinical Pupils (there not being accommodation for them to reside in the Institution) be permitted to visit the Asylum daily, and allowed to spend several hours each day in the Wards, so as to become acquainted with the disease in its various states and stages, observe its changes, learn the histories of the

cases, watch the treatment pursued, and the effects produced. Although recent cases are seldom sent here, yet they are brought sufficiently often to furnish, in connexion with the Chronic, information respecting the malady, the constantly recurring paroxysms of the latter requiring all the care, attention, and treatment which those of later date are erroneously supposed alone to demand; besides which, the opportunities for studying the Paralysis of the Insane afforded by this Institution, are not second to those of any other in the kingdom.

The Patients admitted during the year were, for the most part, brought to the Asylum, as in the former year, in a manner highly creditable to the parochial authorities. There were, however, a few exceptions; these were mentioned at the time to the Committee, who communicated on the subject of them with the authorities of the Parishes from which the Patients were sent, and it appeared that the Medical Officers of the Parishes were not aware of the mode adopted of conveying Patients to the Asylum. If these gentlemen would be so good as to give directions as to the proper mode of performing this duty, the evil complained of, and which is now of rare occurrence, would soon cease altogether. It seems to be desirable also that the arrangements for the reception and care of Lunatics in the Workhouses should be improved and extended, at least until ample Asylum accommodation shall be provided for all the Insane Poor of the County.

Discharges.—The majority of the Patients discharged cured during the year were received in the early stage of the disease; the period of their residence in the Asylum varied from 3 to 10 months; 1 man, however, was discharged cured, who had been here 11 years, and 2 others 4 and 6 years respectively. Recoveries like these 3, after so long a residence in the Institution, are occasionally met with in every Asylum, and tend to show that hope is not to be abandoned in any case however unpromising or protracted. Fourteen of the cures were cases of Mania; 1 of them was associated with a disposition to Suicide; the other 3 were cases of Melancholia, two of them being of a suicidal tendency. One of the latter Patients maintained complete taciturnity for several weeks, and total indifference to all surrounding objects; one of the Patients discharged as improved, was so at the request of his friends; the two others were removed to the asylums of the counties to which they were respectively adjudicated.

It may not be inappropriate here to observe that the two Patients spoken of in last year's Report as having been discharged cured, though still slightly affected with General Paralysis, have been heard of during this year. They continue capable of attending to their occupations.

Deaths.—A large proportion of the Deaths was, as usual, caused by General Paralysis, Apoplexy, Epilepsy, and General Debility; some others resulted from Dropsy, Diseases of the Heart and Lungs, Stomach and Bladder. There was one death from Purpura of a Patient aged nineteen, who had been upwards of a year in the Asylum, and had persisted during the whole of that time in abstaining from animal food, vegetables and fruit, under an impression that such articles were too expensive, that he could not afford them, and did not deserve them, that he must be content with humbler fare; he took, however, a sufficiency of bread and butter, tea, cocoa, coffee, rice, &c. Hæmorrhagic spots appeared

upon his limbs and trunk, the gums became spongy, a sanious discharge issued from them; he gradually sank. After death Petechice were found on the internal surfaces, the Pericardium, and even on the membranes of the Brain. One Patient, very feeble, 77 years of age, died from Constitutional Irritation consequent upon Fracture of the Thigh Bone; having been pushed by a Patient, he fell, and thus the bone was fractured ; he survived the injury 30 days; the fracture was found to extend for six inches obliquely downwards and inwards from the trochanter major to the linea aspera; ossific matter was thrown out, and union partially established along the line of fracture, but the surrounding muscles were lacerated, and sero-sanguineous fluid was effused and insinuated amongst them. Another died from the bursting externally of an Aneurism of the ascending aorta; the Patient had been three years and a half in the Asylum, and suffered from Aneurism for some time previous to admission. The tumour gradually increased in size, and advanced forwards by causing absorption of the sternum; it formed a considerable swelling on the chest, its coats became thin, and the process of ulceration set up in the most prominent part; a scab formed, this sloughed off, immediately purulent matter and blood oozed out; the next day a still larger quantity came away, so on the third and fourth days; in the evening of this latter day a fit of coughing came on, which caused a rupture of the coat, and through it gushed about a quart of fluid blood and several coagulated pieces of fibrin, consolidated and of very close texture. Death was instantaneous.

The duration of life after the invasion of General Paralysis, in those who died of that disease this year, averaged about two years and three quarters; in a few it did not exceed one year, in one it amounted to four years and a half, in another to upwards of six years; one Patient lived ten years after the Paralytic seizure.

The general health of the Patients has not been so good during this year as the previous one. Several suffered from Boils and Carbuncles and Abscesses in the spring; these complaints lingered a long time in the house, but at length disappeared, without leaving behind them any injurious consequences. In the autumn there were a few cases of Diarrhœa without vomiting, and a few of vomiting without Diarrhœa; these were all slight attacks, readily yielded to simple treatment, and were of short duration. Since the beginning of winter Catarrhs have been unusually prevalent, and there have been several cases of Bronchitis.

The dietary, liberal before, has been rendered more so recently, by the substitution of a solid meat dinner in lieu of soup, which was hitherto given once a week for dinner. This change is very agreeable to the Patients, and cannot fail to be beneficial to them.

Several improvements have been made in the house lately; amongst them rounding or bevelling off sharp corners and angles of walls in the galleries, which were dangerous to Paralysed and Epileptic Patients falling against them. Wire guards have been removed from 28 gallery, day-room, and bed-room windows, with the effect of admitting an increased quantity of light and air, and adding to the cheerfulness of the wards. There is not now any window within the male division of the Asylum having a wire guard attached to it; a large number of new bedsteads has been supplied; the bedding has been to a considerable extent renewed, horse-hair mattrasses being substituted for those of coir, formerly in use. The warming of the Asylum, long complained of as defective, would be materially improved by taking down the pipes from their present situation near the ceiling, and placing them under the floors. This would afford an opportunity for removing the present stone floors in the galleries, and substituting boarded ones for them, as has been already extensively done in the Dormitories.

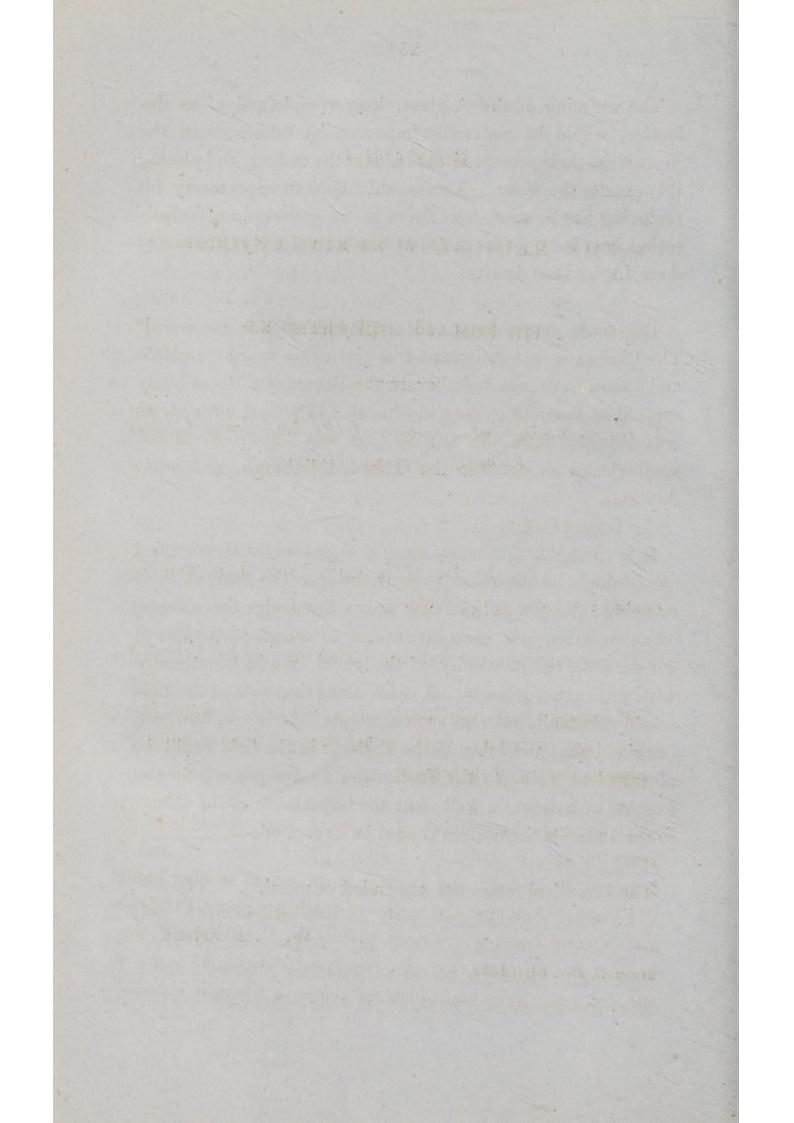
The usual amusements and employments are continued The Christmas entertainment was given this year to the Male and Female Patients together, in the Recreation Room lately erected on the site of the old Chapel. It passed off well, as was expected from the success that was known to attend similar entertainments in the Oxford, Edinburgh, and other Asylums.

It is thought that many more Patients might be occupied out of doors than are at present, but for the fear of their escaping; the new field having only a low hedge for a fence, offers facilities, and even invitations to escape; attempts at which, from the proximity of the canal, might be attended with fatal consequences. A wall along that side of the field would effectually prevent such attempts. It is not, however, imagined that the labor of the Patients in the field could be of sufficient value to the Institution to compensate for the expense of building a wall; but the importance of the labour to the Patients themselves cannot be overrated.

The statistical tables are appended as usual.

W. C. BEGLEY.

Hanwell, Dec. 31st, 1853.



## REPORT

OF

### THE MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

OF

### THE FEMALE DEPARTMENT.

To the Committee of Visitors of the Middlesex County Lunatic Asylum, Hanwell.

GENTLEMEN,

On the 1st of January, 1853, there were 552 Female Patients in the Asylum.

The average number resident during the year has been 557.

63 Patients have been admitted; about half of whom, from either age, infirmity, or advanced stage of disease, must be added to the list of incurables.

23 Patients have died; of whom 2 were upwards of 90 years of age, 5 above 80, 2 above 70, 8 above 60, and 6 between 20 and 50, the average of the whole number being  $61\frac{1}{2}$  years. Amongst the causes of death Apoplexy, Paralysis and General Debility are most prominent. An inquest was holden on one case, that of a Paralysed Patient, 67 years of age, who had been bedridden for years, in whom it was discovered, whilst changing her linen, that the right arm was fractured. This sudden shock to the system was sustained with apparent indifference for five days, when her existence was terminated by an apoplectic seizure.

During the year, 26 Patients have been discharged cured, and 8 transferred to other Counties. In many of the former, satisfactory reports have been received as to their continued recovery, and it is gratifying to state, that not one has returned to the Asylum.

The health of the Patients generally has been good; a few cases of Diarrhœa were recorded weekly during the autumnal months, and notwithstanding the prevalence of Cholera within two miles of the Institution, no symptoms approaching those of that disease have appeared.

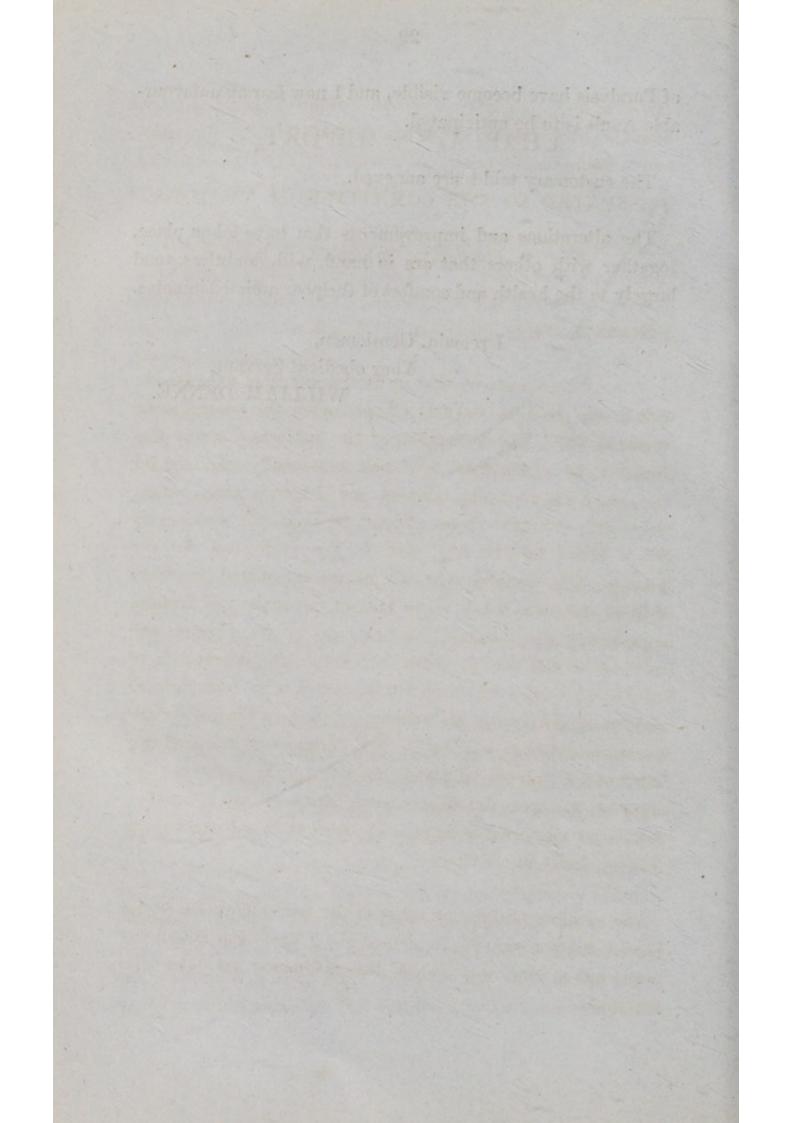
19 of the Patients admitted during the year were reported suicidal; yet all the attempts that have been made at selfdestruction were happily averted by the vigilance and promptitude of the Nurses.

In the month of September a Patient was admitted from one of the Metropolitan Prisons in an advanced stage of pregnancy, who, about a week afterwards, was safely delivered of a full born male child. During the month she took not the slightest notice of her infant; but, as she recovered her strength, so did the attachment for her offspring appear, and the propensity to thieve, which had formerly existed, gradually decline. At that time she was sent for employment to the Bakehouse, where she remained well conducted and cheerful (making daily visits to her child in the Infirmary) until within the last few days, when some symptoms of Paralysis have become visible, and I now fear an unfavourable result is to be anticipated.

The customary tables are annexed.

The alterations and improvements that have taken place, together with others that are in hand, will, doubtless, tend largely to the health and comfort of the poor afflicted inmates.

> I remain, Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant, WILLIAM DENNE.



## CHAPLAIN'S REPORT,

## PRESENTED TO THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS,

DECEMBER 29, 1853.

#### GENTLEMEN,

I beg to report that up to the month of July Divine service was held in the Old Chapel, when the congregation averaged 280. The demeanour of the patients, (as was also remarked by a gentleman who has occasionally officiated for me,) had been even more devout and attentive than before. Since July we have been obliged to hold our services in No. 3 Ward for the men, and in the work-room for the females. The number who can be accommodated in either of these places is much below that of the males and females respectively who attended the services of the Chapel, and only one service can be given to each. The deprivation of the second service has been felt by many, who look forward with much pleasure to the opening of the new Chapel for the restoration of that privilege. The progress of the building has been a subject of great interest to the patients, and many of the more intelligent have expressed much satisfaction with its internal arrangement; more than one exclaiming that "it looks like a Church."

The number of communicants at the last celebration of the Lord's Supper was 55, but since the Chapel was closed the more public administration of this ordinance has been discontinued.

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My winter Bible classes have been attended by about 120 patients: almost all of the discharged patients have availed themselves of these secondary means of grace.

Among the patients deceased were some whose cases were peculiarly interesting : one of these, G. P., illustrates in some measure an observation I have made on a former occasion, that any subject of great public excitement has usually some representatives among the insane. The malady of G. P. was attributable to over exertion both of mind and body in the preparation of a lock to be exhibited at the Industrial Exhibition of 1851. He completed his self-imposed task by working over hours, but his mental and bodily health both sank under the extreme pressure. While with us the news arrived that his work had been crowned with success, and that a medal had been awarded to him by the Council: he received the tidings with full appreciation; but he subsequently said to me, that he had a still higher prize in view, meaning a heavenly one. He told me that although an industrious and sober man, he had lived in forgetfulness of God, and that had he not been afflicted, he might have passed into eternity entirely unprepared to give in his account, and he thanked God for calling him to consideration. Although he had several relapses into a state of despondency, he seemed at last to have obtained a peaceful dependence on his Saviour's merits.

We have had other cases in the Asylum more or less connected with that Exhibition; and the same result has followed questions connected with religious topics; but as it would be absurd to blame the Great Exhibition as driving men to insanity, so it is equally unreasonable to charge religion as the cause of that of others: as for instance that of C. H.; this person on her arrival at the Asylum occupied herself in studying the baptismal service of the Church, in order as she alleged, to be prepared to administer the sacrament of baptism to Cardinal Wolsey, who, she imagined, had risen from the dead. In this we may trace a strange combination in her weakened intellect of the public excitement produced by the Gorham controversy and that which followed on the appointment of Cardinal Wiseman to the see of Westminster.

Omitting several interesting cases which have gladdened my heart in the performance of my duties, I proceed to notice the case of M. R., who may be regarded as the type of a large class of our more aged patients. These persons often talk to themselves, but are seldom excited: they employ themselves in the wards or work-rooms : when addressed, they listen as if they understood, but seem unable to give utterance to a correct reply when a question is put to them : in the Chapel they join in the prayers, or listen in silence. Such was the condition of M. R. until seized with paralysis; she was dying when I visited her, but quite sensible, and on my taking leave, she drew me close to her, and with much difficulty whispered, "I am not afraid to die, I know in whom I put my trust." Her countenance though distorted by her malady, was placid and smiling: she afterwards alluded to many things which had been said in Chapel. Had this patient been seen at our services, sitting obliquely on the form, her back bent, her arms folded, her body slightly oscillating, it might have been supposed that to her at least the Word would have been spoken in vain; yet this poor woman understood and profited by the discourses which she heard. Nor is hers an isolated instance: few indeed of our patients, as we find also with sane persons of a similar rank of life and education, are able to comprehend an argument,

or follow connectedly an exposition of Holy Scripture; but many imbibe instruction from parts of a discourse; the beneficial effect of preaching arising from the repeated good impressions accompanied with the Divine blessing, rather than from exact knowledge of the arguments by which it is produced.

While speaking of the effect of preaching, I will mention an instance in which a discourse seems to have been greatly blessed to a very intelligent patient, who has since been discharged. On entering the wards after the evening service this patient came to meet me, and said, "I thank you, sir, very much for your sermon to-day, it has taken a load, as it were, from my mind, for I feared I should not be able to resist the dreadful thoughts I have lately had; but now I believe, through God's help, that I shall be able to get rid of them." On my remarking, "but you were not at Chapel, N," he replied, "No, I was too ill to sit so long, but I stood outside the door and listened." Surely in this we have an example of the Word being blessed, " to strengthen the weak hands and confirm the feeble knees."

Among the patients admitted during the last year, or already in the Asylum at the commencement of that period, were more than the usual number of those afflicted with Melancholia: to some of them my ministrations afforded comfort, whether the insanity was connected with remorse for a vicious course, as in the case of T. B., discharged, J. Z. and I. J., still in the Asylum; or the result of depression arising from physical causes or imaginary fears, as in the instance of W. N., discharged. At the same time I will mention that in other cases my efforts have been unsuccessful: I allude more particularly to A. N. and A. L. In both these cases there are delusions distinct from the melancholy symptoms, and I have observed that so long as such delusions remain, advice can seldom be successfully administered to a melancholic patient.

Our male wards contain numerous instances of general paralysis, which, as respects my intercourse with them, present two distinct classes. Some are quite incoherent, all things whether for time or eternity being, they imagine, in the most prosperous condition : these rapidly sink under their fatal malady, and little good can be effected. But there are others in whose insanity the paralysis appears to have a secondary place ; for though not entirely devoid of the same peculiarly bright prospects, they are not absorbed by them, and have very commonly some other distinct delusion : they can be diverted from their peculiar notions, and will converse coherently. These patients will be found regularly at our Chapel services, and many of them communicate till within a short time of their death.

I have to thank the Committee for a grant of Prayer-books, Bibles, &c., for the Institution. The small supply of Bibles from the Adelaide Fund for discharged patients, has enabled me to furnish those who were not in possession of the Holy Scriptures, with a suitable copy.

In conclusion, allow me to remark that my duties in this Establishment are necessarily of a two-fold character—being first those of a clergyman having the charge of immortal souls, and secondly those of one called to minister to "the mind diseased." In the former capacity I humbly rely on the promises of God "that His word shall not return void :" while in the latter I readily take my part in promoting the one general system of treatment, of which the medical superintendents, who have the responsibility, are justly entitled to the praise: sufficient for me if, by giving spiritual counsel and religious instruction, I may be instrumental in opening the way for those remedies which it is the physicians privilege, derived from study and experience to apply.

JOHN MAY, Chaplain.

### MATRON'S REPORT.

#### TO THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS OF THE HANWELL ASYLUM.

#### GENTLEMEN,

Ar the close of another year, I beg leave to lay before you a brief outline of occurrences chiefly connected with the Domestic Management of the Female Department of the Asylum during its progress.

The Patients have been generally healthy, although the past summer and autumn were unusually sickly elsewhere, and the weather was most unfavourable for out of doors exercise and recreation. Every endeavour has been faithfully made to render their residence comfortable and their time pass cheerfully, and, within reasonable but imperceptible and unfelt limits, each has been encouraged to choose her own occupation and her own amusement.

The first out-door entertainment took place on the 1st of June: the sunshine was bright and clear, but a keen east wind threatened to chill the elderly Patients, as well as to mar the comfort of those who could move about more briskly, when it was suggested to assemble the party in the shelter of one of the Garden Airing Courts, which has a south-western aspect, and which had been recently extended to twice its original dimensions, by the Committee having ordered a division wall to be removed. This plan combined many

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advantages, and the fête was eminently successful. The lilac and laburnum trees were in full and unusually profuse blossom, as were also many smaller shrubs and plants, not one of which was injured, nor even a flower gathered, except by permission; indeed, the only trace remaining, after the retirement of the holiday-makers, was the partial treading down of the grass by the dancers' feet.

The season permitted only one other entertainment to be held in the open air, and that took place in the Front Field, with the usual satisfactory results.

The employments of the Patients have been steadily and cheerfully pursued, and, in numerical amount, variety and value, will be found to be equal to those of any former year. The proceeds, in a monetary point of view, of the industry of many of the Patients, is small indeed; but the importance of occupation to the individual herself, and the influence of her example upon her associates, is of unspeakable moral value, and tends to great results. Happily, a woman who is habitually and really idle is an exception in the Wards.

The Attendants have, as a body, discharged their duties faithfully and well. One of the number unhappily committed a wilful breach of the rules, and was dismissed by the Committee. Considerable inconvenience has arisen in this department, owing to the secession of several experienced Attendants, who were tempted to enter the service of other institutions by the offer of higher salaries than have been hitherto given at Hanwell. It must be obvious, that, upon the resignation of an experienced and valuable Attendant, it may often occur, that several candidates must be taken on trial before one, who is really suitable, can be obtained for

the vacant charge. None but persons possessing unexceptionable moral character, a respectable appearance, fair education, good address, and good health (from 24 to 35 years of age) are eligible as Candidates for the situation of Ward-Attendant; and all are engaged on probation for six months. The class of Applicants is chiefly composed of respectable Domestic Servants, often from the country. The duties of an Attendant in a Lunatic Asylum are, however, very different from those required of a Domestic Servant in a private family; and the first year of her engagement must necessarily prove most trying to her temper, nervous system, and constitution generally. It is during the first year that voluntary resignations, and, on the other hand, intimations of unsuitableness and incompatibility, usually occur. The service of the Insane is at all times a very arduous and onerous one, and peculiar qualifications are required in Candidates for successful engagement in it. Amongst these firmness, combined with kindness, patience and forbearance under provocation, a good temper and cheerful disposition, are essentials which cannot be dispensed with; whilst readiness to sympathise with her Patients in their troubles, facility in engaging their attention and promoting their amusements, with the power of winning their confidence and affection, and leading these to healthful objects, are endowments which cannot be too highly valued in an Attendant.

The Asylum has sustained considerable inconvenience by the resignation of Miss M. Giddings, late Superintendent of Bazaar, who has been elected Matron of the Royal Lunatic Asylum at Perth. The musical talents of this lady were particularly valuable at Divine Service in the Chapel, where she presided at the organ; and her skill in needlework, and zeal in promoting the lighter employments and amusements of the Female Patients were most praiseworthy.

The gift by Hartwell J. Maude, Esq., one of the Magistrates for the county of Middlesex, of a handsome Piano-Forte, for the use of the Female Patients, deserves most grateful acknowledgments.

The Nightly Visits to the Wards by Mr. Denne and the Matron have been, as usual, frequently made at unexpected hours, and with beneficial and satisfactory results.

There have taken place during the year a greater number than usual of most interesting and satisfactory recoveries. Amongst these no less than five young mothers have been happily restored to their homes, cheered and assisted on their discharge, in every case, by the discriminating bounty of the Committee, from the Adelaide Fund. The larger proportion of cures, however, have occurred in that important class, respectable Domestic Servants.

S. G., aged 21, was taken into Mr. Denne's household almost immediately upon her admission: she was discharged in the beginning of February, supplied with suitable apparel from the Adelaide Fund, and engaged as Housemaid in a family in the West End, where she still remains, well and happy, and highly esteemed by her mistress.

E. H., aged 26, was discharged on the same day with S. G., was immediately engaged as a Laundrymaid, and continues to be a contented and useful member of society.

S. E., aged 26, also discharged at the same time, had

been a Lady's-maid, and was a most respectable and intelligent person. In her case her wardrobe was replenished from the Adelaide Fund, to enable her again to enter the family of a gentleman, and a weekly allowance was kindly granted to her by the Committee from the same source, which had not long ceased when she obtained an engagement.

M. J., a fine, frank, healthy Irishwoman, aged 25, had come to London to seek service, but the stern realities of the Metropolis disappointed her sanguine expectations, her money was soon exhausted, and she became despondent. Her residence at Hanwell did not extend to three months, when she was discharged perfectly restored, furnished from the Adelaide Fund with comfortable clothing, and placed (with her passage paid) on board the Cork steamer, her father and mother being resident, in easy, though humble circumstances, in the City of Limerick.

The cases of S. W., M. H., C. W., C. L., and several others, also present satisfactory details.

M. W., aged 58, emigrated many years since with her family to Canada. Her husband had been a Builder, in good circumstances, but was reduced to poverty before he left England. The children were young and numerous, and the family were almost in a state of destitution. M. W. had a brother who resided in one of the eastern counties in England, unmarried, and possessed of considerable property. She resolved to recross the Atlantic, to make a personal appeal to his affection and benevolence—letters had been found unavailing. The brother received her coldly, did not offer her shelter for a single day, but, placing *five shillings* 

in her hand, advised her to return to London, the port at which she had disembarked. She did so. Her mind, already weakened by trial and privation, gave way, and she was brought to Hanwell. Her case appeared at first almost hopeless, but by degress she began to seek employment, and at length became one of the best Helpers in the Wards. She was naturally loquacious and meddling, and at times extremely troublesome. She had been nearly five years at Hanwell when, early last spring, one of her sons, now approaching manhood, wrote from Canada to a distant relative to inquire for his mother, giving at the same time a very cheering account of the growing prosperity, consequent upon industry, of himself, father and brothers. Renewed hope completed M. W.'s cure. She was discharged, and the magistrates kindly and earnestly interested themselves in her Most opportunely, a servant of the Asylum was behalf. about to emigrate with her husband to New York, and M. W. was sent thither under her care, it being arranged that J. W. should come from Canada to meet his mother when she landed, and conduct her home. Since her arrival in Canada two most cheering and grateful letters have been received at the Asylum, one from herself and the other from her son, who states that it shall be only from her own choice if his mother works any more-want she can never experience again.

Although the Deaths have not been numerous during the year, many of the *very old* Patients have been called away, several of these having exceeded by a score of years and upwards the prescribed period of man's sojourn upon the earth, according to the statement of the Psalmist.

It has been hitherto arranged that the Male and Female

Patients should, at the close of the year, have a special Entertainment in their respective Departments, neither party mingling with the other. Perhaps the most imperative reason for such a prohibitory arrangement was to be found in the circumstance, that the Asylum did not possess an apartment sufficiently spacious to accommodate so large an assemblage as the united parties would have formed. This impediment exists no longer ; a new Chapel, so long craved by the crowded and increasing Congregation, having been erected by the Committee, the old Chapel has been altered and formed, by an inconsiderable addition, into a handsome and lofty room, in which it was resolved to celebrate the Patients' Christmas Entertainment this year, by the union of Patients of both sexes, and the experiment succeeded admirably. The Female Patients first entered the room and were served with coffee and cake; afterwards the Male Patients entered and took up their position in an orderly and correct manner, under the superintendence of their Attendants, and the amusements of the evening commenced. Partners were selected by those who chose to dance, and different parties were formed. Some preferred to look on, or to walk about and chat with others. The courtesies which were exchanged were characterised by kindness and real good feeling, and would not have been out of place in a more pretentious assembly. At 8 o'clock the Male Patients retired to supper, and the Females were supplied with cake and spiced beer. After supper the party was again united, and dancing resumed for a time. The Queen's Anthem was then sung by the whole assemblage standing, and immediately afterwards the Patients retired quietly to their respective sides of the House.

The party was visited by several of the Committee during

the evening, who were also present at its close. About 400 Female Patients came into the dancing-room; at all times nearly 300 were present. The Male Patients present numbered perhaps 200.

The Musical part of the Entertainment was chiefly supplied by Male Patients, by whom also the room was decorated with evergreens, of which the tasteful grouping evinced considerable artistic skill.

At 20 minutes before 10 three of the Magistrates on Committee, attended by the Matron, walked through the greater number of the Female Wards, the Patients having all retired, and the Department, with two slight exceptions, being profoundly still.

I have the honour to be,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient and faithful Servant,

CATHERINE M. E. MACFIE,

Matron.

12th Jannary, 1854.

RETURN of the Number of ADMISSIONS, DISCHARGES, and DEATHS of Patients during the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

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#### HANWELL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Return of Patients Annually Admitted into the Asylum, from its opening on 16th May, 1831, to the 31st December, 1853, distinguishing the Admissions, Discharges, Deaths, and those now remaining in the Asylum.

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1850	74	50	124	17	16	33	11	4	15	23	8	31	23	22	45
1851	88	102	190	12	20	32	6	14	20	23	11	34	47	57	104
1852	57	63	10000	10	20	30	7	5	12	17	9	26	23	29	52
1853	64	63	127	8	12	20	1	5	6	10	- 3	13	45	43	88
	1941	1875	3816	469	492	961	177	154	331	885	671	1556	410	558	968

18th January, 1854.

J. MORRISON, Clerk of the Asylum.

#### Hanwell Lunatic Asylum. EMPLOYMENT. 1853.

MALES.

Mar. June Sept. Dec. 31st. 30th. 30th. 31st. 21 M 10

In Front Grounds			14	19	21	6
Garden, Orchard, Farm Group	nds; &		58	74	76	38
Cow House and Piggery .			5	5	5	5
As Coal Porters and Stablemen			3	3	3	3
Bricklayers, Whitewashers, &			1	1	2	3
In preparing Fire Wood		· .	2	2	2	3
Tinman's Shop			2	1	2	1
Carpenter's Shop			3	3	3	3
Painter's and Plumber's Shop			233	3	2	2
Smith's Shop				-	-	-
Smith's Shop	nd Bo	ilers	2	2	2	2
Store Room			1	1	1	2
Tailor's Shop			11	11	10	28
Shoemaker's Shop			8	9	9	7
			3	1	2	i
Upholsterer's Shop and Picki			21	26	25	26
Kitchen, Brewhouse, and Bak	ahone		6	6	6	5
		sc .	4	4	4	3
Foul Linen House	• •	• •	46	45	48	44
As Helpers in the Wards	• •	• •	2	2	2	1
In preparing Cocoa	• •		2	4	4	1
Employed			197	218	225	163
Employed Unemployed		• •	and the second second second	157	159	210
Sick			33	37	26	37
Total in A		n.	413	412	410	410
I Otal III A	isyiui		110	412	110	410
FEMALES.					1.00	1.00
At Needlework in the Wards .			124	135	123	139
Ditto in the Bazaar &	worl	roor		34	31	14
In Kitchen and Dairy		• •	14		14	14
Bakehouse		•. •	7	7	6	7
			51	52	52	52
As Helpers in the Wards		• •			12	13
As Helpers in the Wards At Officers' Apartments	: :	: :	10	12	CONTRACTOR DO	
As Helpers in the Wards	 Room			12 87	84	82
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	Medical Officer and Super-			1 Assistant Storekeeper	£50	
	intendent, Male Depart-	£200	0	1+ Engineer	110	
T	ment Ditto, Female Department	200	.0	1 Matron 1 Assistant ditto	200	
î	Apothecary	. 85	0.	1 Housekeeper	40	
1*	Chaplain	250	0	1 Superintendent of Bazaar .	60	0
ĵ,	Clerk to Committee of Vi-	400	-	1 Ditto of Workroom		
-	sitors	100	0	1 Ditto of Laundry	25 28	0
14	Clerk of the Asylum	. 300	0	- Ditto of Laundry	40	0
24		145	õ	17	£1,968	0
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	SER	VAN	ITS	MALES.		
1	Head Attendant	£4:	5 (		45	0
1	Attendant	36		ditto, each	36	0
	Ditto			ditto, each.   And a Suit of	124	0
2		30		ditto, each > Uniform	60	0
4	Ditto	27		ditto, each every 8 months	108	0
2	Ditto	26		ditto, each	52	0
14	Ditto (Conden)	21	0	ditto each	294	0
2*		1	2	per week, each	114	8
24	Tailors	{ 1	1	} per week	124	16
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21	Upholsterers	1 1	0	} per week	122	4
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2"	Shoemakers	11	0	per week	122	4
14	Tipman	(1	8			130
1*	Brewer	1	4	ditto	72	16
1*	Stoker	î	õ		62	8
1*		0			52	0
24		0	100	ditto each	46	
11		· · i	6	ditto	85 67	4 12
1*	Cowman and Pigman	î	ĩ	ditto		12
1.	Assistant to ditto	Õ	14	ditto	36	8
1*	Carter	0	16	ditto	41	12
39	Farmand Garden Labourers	0	16	ditto each	124	16
1+	Porter at Lodge	1	1	ditto		12
1	House Porter	35	0	per annum	35	õ
14	House Labourer	0	18	per week	46	
2*	Foul Linen Washers	0	18	ditto each	93	
54	FLOOTS WEST GATA					
-	SER	VAN	TS-	-FEMALES.	£2,074	16
1	Head Attendant	£21	0	per annum	£21	0
7	Attendants	20	0	ditto each	140	0
2	Ditto	18	0	ditto each	36	0
1	Ditto	17	0	ditto	17	0
6	Ditto	16	0	ditto each	96	Ő
3	Ditto	15	0	ditto each	45	0
19	Ditto	14	0	ditto each	266	0
1	Housemaid	-18	10	ditto	18	10
1	Ditto	14	. 0	ditto	14	0
2	Ditto	10	10	ditto each	21	0
2	Laundry-maids	20	0	ditto each	40	0
2	Ditto	16	0	ditto each	32	0
2	Ditto	14	0	ditto each	28	0
12	Ditto Foul Linen	14	0	ditto each	28	0
2	Cooks	17	0	ditto each	. 34	0
1	Bakeress	.20	. 0	ditto	20	0
1	Kitchen-maid	14		ditto	14	0
i		12		ditto	12	0
1	Dairy-maid	.15	. 0	ditto	15	0
57	Females				897	10
54	Males			A HA DALOT	-	16
111	Servants					-
	Officers				2,972	6
-	and the second second second second	1200			1,968	0
128	Total				£4,940	6
1.36	Neither boarded no	or lodg	ged.	+ Lodged only.		-
	18th January, 1854.			J. MORRISON, Clerk of the As	ylum.	

RETURN of the average number of OFFICERS, &c., boarded at the Expense of the Establishment,

during the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

		QUARTER	QUARTERS ENDING		YEAR ENDING
DESCRIPTION.	31st March.	30th June.	30th September. 31st December.	31st December.	31st December.
Officers	11	11	11	11	11
Families of ditto	41	47	41-	41	41
Attendants { Male	26 38	26 37	27 38	28 39	27 38
Servants { Male	13:	 14		 13	
Patients } Male	412 553	412 554	411 559	411 558	412 556
Total	1,064	1,065	1,071	1,071	1,068
	-		J.	J. MORRISON,	

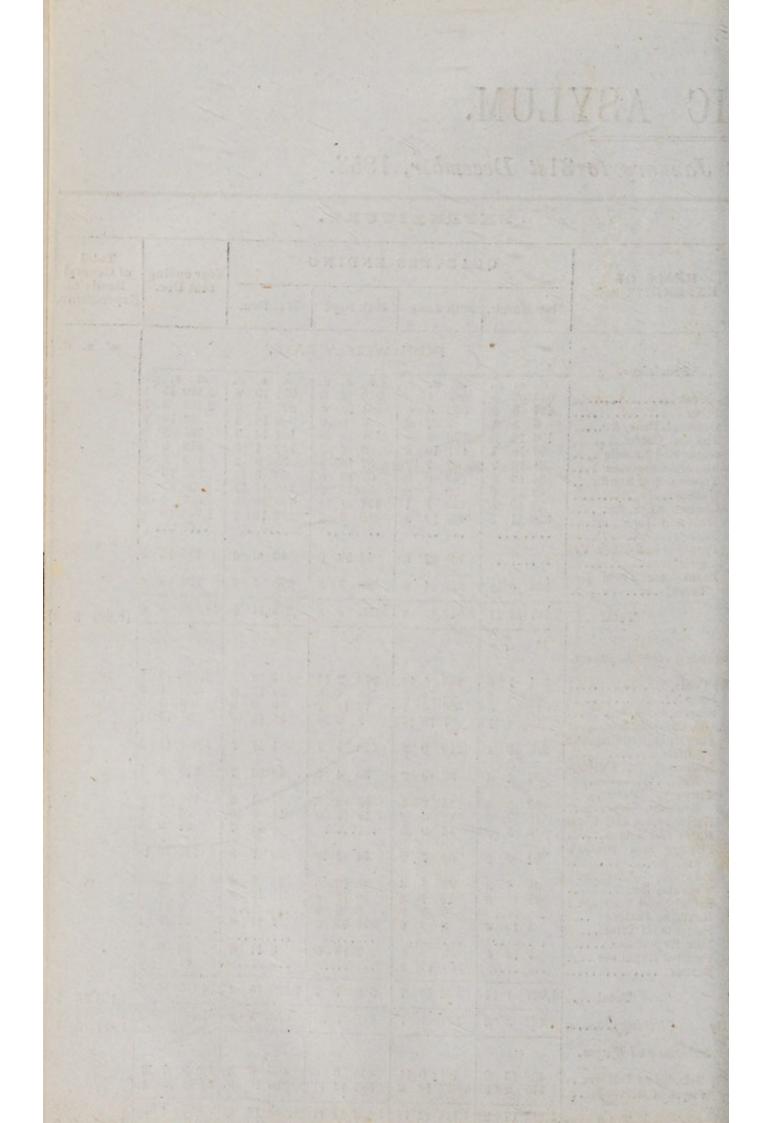
18th January, 1854.

Clerk of the Asylum.

The ACCOUNT CURRENT for the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

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BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1853.

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, 1835, to 31st December, 1853.	By sundry purchases of Stock, from the establishment of the Fund to this date, amounting to £5,808 182 Consols	ent. £3 per cent. s. Reduced. 2 :£ s. d. 2 2,136 5 2 0	NCE, Esqrs., JOHN ADAMS, Serjeant at Law, and JOHN WILKS, Esq. Bramined by the Committee of Accounts, 14th January, 1854. J. S. BROOKING, Chairman.
al Statement of the Accounts of the Charity, fre	Lists. To amount of Subscriptions, and Benefactions from $\frac{x}{5}$ s. d. 1852. Dec. 31. To amount of Subscriptions, and Benefactions from 5,183 8 7 To ditto of Dividends on amounts of Stock invested 2,693 2 9 To ditto Fines for neglect of duty	FOCK ACCOUNT.£3 per cerconsols.£3 per cerconsols.£ sconsols.£ sformer, & sabove5,808 18ps, transferred by the Accountant5,644_17y£50) by Mrs. Harriet Dunlop;450 0	The said Stock is invested in the names of H. POWNALL, E. HALSWELL, W. B. FRANCE, Esqrs., JOHN ADAMS, Serjeant at Law, and JOHN WILKS, Esq.         Submitted to the Committee of Visitors, 19th January, 1854.         CHARLES HERBERT COTTRELL,         CHARLES HERBERT COTTRELL,         Chairman of the Meeting.

CONTRACT PRICES of the Principal Articles of Consumption for the Four Quarters of the Year, ending 31st December, 1853.-The Articles are delivered at the Asylum free of Carriage.

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The Quantity of Land connected with the Hanwell Asylum, and its appropriation.

	А.	R. P.	А.	Ŕ. 1	Р.
Site of the Asylum and Buildings	- 3	2 17			
Shrubberies	3	3 30			
West Front Airing Grounds, Females	5	3 20			
East do. do. Males .	6	0 0			
' Airing Courts, Female Side	3	0 0			
Do. Male Side	3	0 20			
Burial Grounds	0	1 24			
			25	3 3	1
Cowhouse, Piggeries, } Stables, and Sheds }	0	3 4			
	-		0	3	4
UNDER CULTIVATION.					
Garden	4	0 4			
Orchard	2	1 17			
Field by the Brent Side	20	1 3			
New Field	24	0 0			
Brent Meadow	6	0 0			
		<u> </u>	56	2 2	4
Tota	al		83	1 1	9
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EDWARD CLIFT, Steward.

January, 1854.

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FARM AND GARDEN ACCOUNTS,

From the 1st January, 1853 to the 31st December, 1853.

Abstract of Receipts and Payments on Farm Accounts.

RECEIPTS:	EXPENDITURE.
Fo sale of £ s. d. £ s. d.	
To sale of $\pounds$ $\pounds$ s. d. $\pounds$ s. d. 2 Cows 26 0 0	By Purchase of $\pounds$ s. d. 1 Pig $\dots$ $1 0 0$
1 do. carcase 2 11 0	Hay, Corn, and Provender 371 16 9
2 Heifers 13 4 0	Meal and Toppings 117 15 6
10 Calves 20 10 0	Potatoes and other Seeds 64 0 9
8 Small Pigs 14 4 0	Straw 115 15 9
2 Bushels Beans 1 0 0	Sundry Expenses 25 14 4
Anna and a second	Wages to Servants as per book 321 11 2
77 9 0	
*Balance 940 5 3	
£1,017 14 3	£1,017 14 3
BURGETTURE INSTALLED AND A DESCRIPTION	MORRISON, Clerk of the Asylum.
and the second s	of Stock on Farm.
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4 Horses 110 0 0 16 Cows	16 Cows 300 0
	1 Bull 19 0
T Duno	6 Heifers 56 0
Theners	2 Calves 3 10
4 Calves	88 Pigs 160 0
Sundry Fowls 7 10 0	Sundry Fowls 10 10
Implements and Dead Stock 110 0 0	Implements and Dead Stock. 100 0
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TOTAL OF EXPENDITURE.	PRODUCE AND VALUE.
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N.B.—The vegetables are measured after having been trimmed. The Grass and Mangel-wurzel produced for the Cows is not included in this Account, value £104 10s.; also 1 Horse constantly employed in carting Coals, Linen to and from Laundry, &c., and a 1 Horse for sundry works of the Establishment not connected with the Farm yet charged in the Farm Expenditure. EDWARD CLIFT, Steward.

Employment of the Male Patients, and its Estimated Value, for the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

Average Number of Patients.	Employment.	£	s.	d.
31	Garden and Farm	304	0	0
16	Spade Husbandry	60	0	0
24 {	Gathering and preparing } Vegetables	80	0	0
14	Front grounds	67	0	0
5	Cowhouse and Piggery	46	0	0
5	Tailors		0	0
10	Shoemakers		0	0
2	Tinmen		0	0
4	Upholstery	34	0	0
30	Coir Room	16	0	0
2	Printing Office	25	0	0
2	Kitchen			
1	Bakehouse			
2	Brewhouse	64	0	0
2	Cocoa Room			
2	Store Room	14.10		
3	Coal Porters	30	0	0
2 {	Bricklayers and White-			
6	Carpenters	175	0	0
5	Engine house and Boilers			
2	Painters			
6	Foul Linen House	30	0	0
66	Helpers in Wards	156	0	0
, 242		£1,269	0	0

EDWARD CLIFT, Steward.

### Employment of the Female Patients, and its Estimated Value, for the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

Average Number of Patients.	Employment.	L	s.	d.
132	Needlework	390	0	0
34	Bazaar and Workroom	57	0	0
14	Kitchen and Dairy	60	0	0
7	Bakehouse	35	0	0
78	Laundries	310	10	0
56	Helpers in Wards	130	0	0
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C. M. E. MACFIE, Matron.

#### A RETURN

Of Clothing, &c., manufactured or made up by the Patients, &c., from the 1st January, 1853, to the 31st December, 1853.

#### MALES.

#### FEMALES.

Black Velvet Stocks Braces, Pairs Bolsters Boots and Shoes, Cloth Do. and do., Leather Boot and Shoe Uppers Coats and Jackets Coir Mats, Bound Flannel Jackets Mattresses, Hair Men's Caps Sacking Bottoms for Iron Bedsteads Strong Rugs Ticking Frocks Waistcoats	$\begin{array}{c} 25\\ 787\\ 394\\ 1446\\ 150\\ 829\\ 318\\ 204\\ 60\\ 173\\ 933\\ 108\\ 138\\ 158\\ 621\\ 298\\ \end{array}$	Petticoats Pillow Cases Shawls Sheets Shifts Shifts Shrouds and Caps Stays Table Cloths Ticking Frocks Towels Women's Gowns Women's Gowns	$1146 \\70 \\767 \\658 \\125 \\2144 \\581 \\819 \\125 \\752 \\614 \\717 \\97 \\78 \\130 \\316 \\478 \\1306 \\1889$
	6642		2812

The fancy work made and sold in the Bazaar is not included in the above statement.

The whole of the repairs of clothing, &c., are done by the Patients, with the exception of the repairs of the leather shoes.

The washing of the Establishment, consisting, on the 31st December, 1853, of 1068 persons, is also performed by the Patients, with the superintendence and assistance of nine laundresses; the whole of the cooking, baking, and dairy department, with the superintendence of the Housekeeper and assistance of five servants.

Eighty-eight Patients are generally employed in the Farm, Gardens, and Front Grounds.

### A RETURN

Of Clothing delivered out from the 1st January, 1853, to the 31st December, 1853.

0187 December, 1000.	Males.	Females.
Aprons	63	1634
Bedgowns		187
Black Velvet Stocks	25	**
Bonnets		508
Boots $\left\{ \begin{array}{c} \text{Leather} \dots (\text{Pairs}) & \dots \\ \text{Cloth} \dots (\text{Pairs}) & \dots \end{array} \right.$	203	526
Cloth (Pairs)	1189	568
Braces(Pairs)	955	
Caps	1542	1889
Coats and Jackets	338	
Flannel Jackets	624	89
Flannel Drawers (Pairs)	153	17
Frocks	206	317
Gloves(Pairs)	65	73
Handkerchiefs	1149	1159
Hats	147	
Night Caps	33	
Pattens and Clogs (Pairs)		72
Petticoats		559
Shawls	11	131
Shifts		495
Shirts	793	
Stays(Pairs)		403
Leather (Pairs)	340	444
Shoes ${ Leather (Pairs) Cloth (Pairs)$	6	462
Stockings (Pairs)	1169	1402
Trousers (Pairs)	643	
Waistcoats	321	
Women's Gowns		1306
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#### A RETURN of Clothing in Store on the 1st January, 1853, and the 1st January, 1854.

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Average Number of Patients 1852 .. Males. Females. Total. , 1853 .. 410 .. 552 .. 962 , 1853 .. 412 .. 556 .. 968

EDWARD CLIFT, Storekeeper.

Jan. 2nd, 1854.

Articles of Bedding delivered during the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

Blankets	974 Nos.
Bolsters and Pillows	358 Nos.
Mattresses, Hair	224 Nos.
Hair	168 lbs.
Feathers	60 lbs.
Rugs	407 Nos.
Sheets	746 Nos.
Pillowcases	642 Nos.
Towels	572 Nos.
Table Cloths	148 Nos.
Carpeting	$448\frac{3}{4}$ yds.
Canvas	$990\frac{1}{2}$ yds.
Coir Matting	731 yds.
Diaper	588 yds:
Sheeting	3091 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> yds.
Ticken	4777 yds.
Harden	1879 yds.
House Flannel	3389 yds.

Quantities of Clothing Materials delivered during the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

Cloth (Mens)	1129 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> yds.
Calico	7081 yds.
Check Linen	1262 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> yds.
Flannel	2360 yds.
Irish Linen	296 yds.
Lawn	327 yds.
Leather	2605 lbs.
Linsey	1491 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> yds.
Merino	158½ yds.
Prints, Cotton	8185½ yds.
Shoe Cloth	159 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> yds.
Shirting	4384 yds.
Velvet	28 yds.
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Articles of Store delivered during the Year ending 31st December, 1853.

Coals	1520	tons.
Soap	17200	lbs.
Candles	1491	lbs.
Starch	800	lbs.
Stone Blue	156	lbs.
Combs	507	Nos.
Brooms	396	Nos.
Brushes	716	Nos.
Chamber Utensils	2015	Nos.
Cups and Saucers	388	Nos.
Knives and Forks	413	Nos.
Jugs and Basins	250	Nos.
Mats	56	Nos.
Plates	895	Nos.
Scissors	. 5	pairs.
Spectacles	68	pairs.
Spoons	482	Nos.
Snuff and Tobacco	1376	lbs.
Tins (various)	1658	Nos.

Provisions consumed during the Year ending 31st Dec., 1853.

Number of Officers and Servants .... 100DittoMale Patients ...... 412DittoFemale Patients ..... 556

TOTAL ..... 1068

	Meat $\begin{cases} Bacon \dots 5681 \\ Beef and Mutton \dots 134347 \\ Pork \dots 14829 \end{cases}$ 154	1857	lbs.
	Beer 50	3436	gals.
	Porter		gals.
	Bread		lbs.
	Butter	660	lbs.
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		2800	lbs.
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	Potatoes	712	lbs.
	Other Vegetables 7	503	bush.
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		Days of the Week.		Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	Total	<ul> <li>N.BThe Meat for each Platient, weekly, weighs 39 oz. before Cooking; the Beef free from Bone.</li> <li>Cocoa in the following proportions for One Pint, viz ::-4 oz. Cocoa, 1 oz. Treacle, 4 pint of Milk.</li> <li>4 pint Tea, and 2 oz. Bread, for each Male Patient, at 4 past 5 p. m.</li> <li>Stewfor 900 Patients, (the liquor of the meat cooked the previous day,) 112 lbs. meat, 560 lbs. Potatoes, 120 lbs.</li> <li>Fruit Pies are given in lieu of Meat Pies in the Season.</li> <li>Currant Dumplings are occasionally given in lieu of Stew, 12 oz. to the Males, and 11 oz. to the Females.</li> <li>ExtraOut-door Workers and Artisaus, 4 pint Beer at 11 o'clock, a.m., and at 4 o'clock, p.m.,</li> <li>Kitchen and Bakchouse Women 1 pint Beer extra daily.</li> <li>To hacco and Suff viven as inducencies to the Workers. &amp;c.</li> </ul>

(For Extras see Sick List.)

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W. C. BEGLEY, Medical Superintendent of the Male Side.

Panwell Aunatic Asplum.

SUMMARY OF SICK AND EXTRA DIET LISTS.

Male Side, 31st December, 1853.

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LISTS. Hanwell Aunatic Asplum. SUMMARY OF SICK AND EXTRA DIET

Female Side, 31st December, 1853.

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Extra Beer.		1 12
Biscuits.		-
Oranges.		:
Sugar.		:
Coffee.		:
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Cheese.	19-9- :- :: 5- : 000- :	23
Sago & Brandy.	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	:
Barley Water.	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	30
Apple Pie.	: : : : : : : : : : <sup>-</sup> : : : : : : :	-
Batter Pudding.	1::: - ::: - ::: - :::	5
Rice Pudding.	:	8
Arrow Root.		-
Milk.	1	32
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### LIST OF WORKS COMPLETED FROM THE YEAR ENDING Dec. 31st, 1852, to Dec. 31st, 1853.

ALL D AN INC. IN DECK LINE	£	s.	
Jan. 6-Fixing Boiler for boiling the refuse			d.
Vegetables at the Piggery	9	15	0
* · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	24	8	0
May 29—Forming an Air Drain for the purpose of removing dampness from Sleeping			
Room at No. 1, Male Ward	1	0	0
June 14—Placing a hot Water Vessel at the West Tower	4	.0	0
July 15—Building Chimney at the Kitchen and providing Range, also fixing ditto			•
	74	10	0
26-Removing and rebuilding Cistern over			
	15	16	0
Aug. 3-Completing a receptacle for the Dead previous to their being removed to the Dead House attached to the			
the Dead House attached to the Burial Ground	4	16	0
5-Laying Board Floor in three-bedded	T	10	0
Room at No. 8, Male Ward	5	10	0
12-Placing Board Floor in Sleeping Room			
at the Female Infirmary	2	15	0
19-Constructing Water Closets and Sinks, laying on Hot and Cold Water Ser-			
vice to Sinks at Male Wards, Nos. 1,			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	33	10	0

Wh comple	1 ant at 14 and a and mand		Cost	
-		£	s.	d.
Sept.	9-Forming an Air Flue for the purpos	e		
	of removing dampness from Sleepin			
	Room at the Centre Tower Base	7		
	ment		0	0
	12-Removing Brick Floors and substitut	-		
	ing Board ditto in three twelve	-		
	bedded Rooms at No. 8, Male War	d 92	10	0
	27-Excavating and underpinning a portion	1		
	of No. 4, Female Ward, for th	е		
	purpose of forming Water Close			
	Sink and Lavatory	. 52	10	0
	29-Building Closets at East and Wes	st		
	Laundries	. 9	10	0
Oct.	12-Laying Floors with Suffolk Tiles i	n		
	five Sleeping Rooms at No. 5, Fe	-		
	male Ward		. 5	0
Nov.	27-Placing three Windows and Door i	n		
	Room, and Graining same through	1-		
	out at Storekeeper's Apartments .	. 24	10	0
Dec.	5-Constructing Water Closet, alterin	g		
	Bath, Painting and Papering Bat	h		
	Room at Matron's Apartments	. 27	0	0
	15-Placing six Windows at the Bloc	k		
	End of West Tower	. 20	13	0
	17-Altering two Rooms at the East Town	er		
	Basement, by removing Party Wal	ls		
	and substituting Iron Girders, als	0		
	by removing Brick Floors and lay	7-		
	Board ditto		0	Ø
	30-Building Coke Ovens ond setting si	x		
	Retorts	, 65	0	0

When List of Works continued.		Cost.	
Completed. Dec. 31-Constructing Padded Room at 3 B	£	s.	d
Female Ward	28	19	0
Making 38 Birch Bedsteads	158		0
Making 26 Iron ditto	36	8	0
Works in Hand.	Es	timat Cost	
Laying Floors with Suffolk Tiles in Sleeping			
Rooms at No. 5, Female Ward Appropriating a twelve-bedded Room as a Day	48	0	0
Room for No. 1, Male Ward	10	0	0
Appropriating former Day Room of No. 1, Male Ward, as a twelve-bedded Room, laying			
Board Floor in ditto and altering Door, &c.	32	0	0
Making additional Louvers for the Laundry	54	0	0
Constructing a Hot Closet for the Kitchen	20	0	0
Works Ordered not yet Commenced.			
That Iron Rails be substituted for the present Walls of Nos. 3, 4 and 5 F Airing Courts, and that the Railing in Front of the Building			
be used as a portion of such Alteration That Sun Blinds be placed at the Windows of	95	0	0
the Female Infirmary; each estimated at That the present Day Rooms of Nos. 6 and 7, Female Wards, be altered into Sleeping	2	0	0
Rooms That a portion of the Closet in No. 11, Male Ward, be added to the four-bedded Room	24	0	0
adjoining such Closet	6	0	0

## TABLE I.

Form of the Disease in the Cases of the 127 Patients admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

Form of Disease.	М.	F.	TOTAL
Mania	25	17	42
	1	/ 3	4
with Epilepsy	6	_	6
———— Paralysis	-	-	-
Incipient Gene- ral Paralysis	1	-	1
General Paralysis .	4		4
Epilepsy . }	1	-	1
Hysteria	_	1	1
Puerperal	-	-	-
with Delusions	-	4	4
Suicidal .	-	1	1
MELANCHOLIA	2	12	14
, Suicidal	$\frac{2}{6}$	9	15
with Epilepsy .	-	-	-
General Pa- ralysis	. —	-	-
General Paralysis, Suicidal	1	-	1
——— Hysteria	-	1	1
MBECILITY	5	7	12
	-	-	-
with Epilepsy	2	-	2
and }	1	-	1
General Paralysis 5	-		0
	7	1	8
Paralysis .	-	1	1
Dementia	-	1	1
	2	-	2 4
Senile Insanity	-	4	4
diocy	-	1	1
Total	64	63	127

# TABLE II.

Combination of Mental Disease with Epilepsy in 14 Epileptic Cases admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

and the strend the second	M.	F.	Total
With Mania	6	-	6
Suicidal		1	1
and General Paralysis .	1	-	1
and Hysteria		. 1	1
With Imbecility	2	2	4
and General Paralysis	1	1	1
Total	10	4	14

TABLE III.

Duration of the Disorder in the 127 Cases admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

	DURATION.				М.	F.	Total
Not exceeding	1 Week				_	4	4
"	1 Fortnight				1	3	4
"	1 Month				3	8	11
,,	2 ,,				7	2	9
"	3 "			:	23	$\frac{4}{2}$	6
	11				3	2	6 5
"	5 ,, _		•		-		-
"	6 ,, 7 ,,				10	3	13
"	11						
	8 "				-	-	-
"	9 ,,						-
"	1 Year				5	1	6
"	2 "				8	6	14
"	3 ,,				4	1	5
	4 ,,				-	1	1
	5 ,,		•		2		2
	6 ,,	•	•		1	-	1
	7 "						-
11	8 ,,				-		-
11	9 ,,					-	-
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	3 ,,			•	-	-	-
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	6 ,,	•		•	-	1000	-
From Birth .	7 "			•	1		1
	, : . :					1	1
Not Ascertaine	d.	•	•	•	15	27	42
	Total				64	63	127

#### TABLE IV.

## Causes of the Disorder in the 127 Patients admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

#### MALES. MORAL.

#### FEMALES.

#### MORAL.

		DEC ACTE LIS
Grief	14	Over-Study
Alarm of Conscience	1	Fright
Domestic Unhappiness	1	Anxiety and Poverty
Disappointed Affection	2	Reverses
Poverty	3	Remorse
Losses in Business	2	Fride
Anxiety on Religious Subjects .	2	Fanatical Excitement
Jealousy	1	Poverty
Fright	1	Death of Husband and Povert
Anxiety	2	Desertion by her Lover
and a state second to be	-	Dissipation
	00	

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#### PHYSICAL.

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29
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13
-
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Over-Study	2
Fright	2
Anxiety and Poverty	1
Reverses	1
Remorse	1
TIDE	1
Fanatical Excitement	1
Poverty	2
Death of Husband and Poverty	1
Desertion by her Lover	1
Dissipation	1
oner	1
	-

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#### PHYSICAL. Epilepsy ..... 4 Period of Life ..... 1 Intemperance..... 3 Advanced Age ...... Incontinence of Urine ..... 1 Age . .... 4 Fever ..... 1 Paralysis..... Excessive Lactation ..... 1 2 18

Hereditary	1
Deduct repetitions from com- bined causes}	34 2
Not ascertained	32 31
Total	53

## TABLE V.

Station or Occupation of the 127 Patients admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

#### FEMALES.

MALES.	
Hawker of Ironmongery	1
Porter at a Wine Merchant's	1
Solicitors' Clerks	2
Baker	ĩ
Labourers	5
A Clark	
A Clerk	1
Coachmaker	1
Butlers	3
Footman	1
Clerk to a Wine Merchant	1
Soldiers	3
House Painter	1
Under - Steward in a Steam	1
Vessel	-
Vessel.	1
Clerk in the Inland Revenue	
Office	1
Shoemakers	4
Managing Ostler at a Horse	
Repository	1
Grooms	2
Greengrocer and Waiter	ĩ
Waiter	1
Writer for Periodicals	-
Tailors	1
Tailors	2
Coachman	1
Omnibus Conductor	1
Greengrocer	1
Servant	1
Gardener	1
Publican	1
Boomtakers	2
Carpenter	ĩ
Newsyandar	
Newsvender	1
Carman	1
Policemen	2
Hawker of Fish and Fruit	1
Apprentice to an Undertaker	
and Upholsterer	1
Rope Maker	1
Stoker at a Gas Factory	i
	-
	2
No occupation	
No occupation	1
	-
	3
Not ascertained 1	1
	-
Total 6	4

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Servants	19
Laundress	1
Tradesmen's Wives	6
Needlewomen	2
Cook and Housekeeper	ī
Schoolmistress	i
Wives of Farriers	2
Dress Makers	2
Labourers' Wives	2
Champoman	
Charwomen	4
Shoolmaster's Wife	1
Widow of a Labourer	1
Lady's Maid	1
Field Labourer	1
Hawker	î
TIGWACI	1000
Widows of Tradesmen	3
Wife of a Butcher's Assistant .	1
Journeyman Baker's Wife	1

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No occupation	 1
Not ascertained	 51 12
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#### TABLE VI.

	M.	M.   F.	Total.
Well Educated	1	6	7
Plainly Educated	18	-	18
Can Read & Write	27	27	54
Can Read	6	8	14
Cannot Read nor Write}	1	2	3
Not ascertained	11	20	31
Total	64	63	127

#### TABLE VIII.

Religion of the 127 Patients admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

	м.	F.	Total.
Church of England	41	35	76
Roman Catholic	6	4	10
Wesleyan	2	2	4
Baptist	2	1	3
Lutheran	-	1	1
Independent	1	3	4
Jewish	1	-	1
Not ascertained	11	17	28
 Total	64	63	127

#### TABLE VII.

Proportion of the Married and Single, and Widows and Widowers, of the 127 Patients admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

	м.	F.	Total
Single	20	27	47
Married	28	18	46
Widows	-	14	14
Widowers	5	-	5
Not ascertained	11	4	15
Total	64	63	127

### TABLES IX and X.

Age at the Time of the First Attack of Insanity, and of Admission into the Asylum, of the 127 Patients admitted during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

Age.			Firs	st At	tack.	Admission.		
			М.	F.	Tot.	М.	F.	Tot.
From 5 to 10 Y	ears		a li	100	-	E	-	-
" 10 to 15	"	•	1	8	1		-	-
" 15 to 20	"	•	4	2	6	4	3	7
,, 20 to 25	,,		. 6	3	9	5	11	16
" 25 to 30	,,		. 5	6	11	6	9	15
" 30 to 35	"		9	-	9	6	5	11
", 35 to 40	"		2	5	7	6	8	14
" 40 to 45	"		3	2	5	6	2	8
" 45 to 50	"		7	3	10	7	7	14
" 50 to 55	,,		4	1	. 5	6	3	9
" 55 to 60	"		1	3	4	2	5	7
" 60 to 65	"		 2	-	2	1	1	2
" 65 to 70	,,	•	_	1	1	- 1	1	2
" 70 to 75	"		-		100	-	5	5
" 75 to 80	"		-			-	1	1
" 80 to 85	,,		 -	1	1	-	1	1
From Birth .			-	1	1	-	-	-
Not ascertained		•	20	35	55	14	1	15
Total .	•	•	64	63	127	64	63	127

## TABLE XI.

## Causes of the Disorder in the 43 Cases Discharged Cured during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

MALES.				FI	EMALE	S.		
- Moral.					Moral.			
Remorse			1	Fright				1
Grief:			7	Over Study	1:			1
Anxiety on Religious	Subje	ects	1	•				
			9				-	2
		-					-	
Physical.					Physical			
Intemperance	4.		6	Parturition				-
Fever		••	1	Intemperanc	e			2
Headaches	•••		2	Excessive La	actation			-
Erysipelas			1	Epilepsy				1
Hot Climates	••		1	Fever				
Insufficient Food			.1					
Too sedentary occupati	on		1	Sanal Start.				2
		-	5					-
			13					
		-	+					
Hereditary			7	Hereditary				:
		-					•	
De l'at minister of			29					1:
Deduct repetitions from bined causes	• • •	-}	13	Deduct repeti combined c	tions froi auses	n con	1 }	1
			16					1
Not ascertained			1	Not ascertair	ned			18
Total			17	Tota	,			2

### TABLES XII., XIII., XIV., and XV.

Form of the Disease,-Duration of the Disease,-Age,-and Length of Time under Treatment in the Asylum, in the Cases of the 43 Patients discharged Cured, during the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

TABLE XII.

#### TABLE XIV.

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F Total

Form of Disease.	М.	F.	Total.
Mania	13	7	20
Suicidal	1	4	5
with Epilepsy	-	1	1
with occasional violence, suici- dal	-	*1	1
Puerperal	-	1	1
	-	1	1
Melancholia	1	5	6
Suicidal	2	5	7
Imbecility with Epi- lepsy, Suicidal}	112	1	1
Total	17	26	43

	Age.	M.	F.	Total.
From	15 to 20 years	2	-	2
. ,,	20 to 25	2	7	9
"	25 to 30	2	5	7
,,	30 to 35	1	2	3
,,	35 to 40	2	4	6
,,	40 to 45	1	1	2
,,	45 to 50	1	2	3
,,	50 to 55	4	-	4
,,	55 to 60	1	4	5
.,,	60 to 65	1	1	2
	Total	17	26	43

#### TABLE XIII.

Duration of	Μ.	F.	Total.		
Not exceeding	g 3	Months	1	4	5
;,	6	,,	2	7	9
,,	9	,,	2	1	3
,,	1	Year	5	3	8
,,	2	,,	3	1	4
,,	3	,,	-	1	1
,,	4	,,	1	-	1
	5	,,	-	-	-
"	6	,,	-	1	1
,,	7	,,	-	1	1
,,	8	,,	-	-	-
,,	9	,,	-	-	-
,,	10	,,	-	1	1
,,	11	,,	-	-	-
"	12	,,	1	-	1
,,	13	,,	1	-	1
F10	om	Birth	-	1	1
Not ascertaine	d.		1	5	6
Total			17	26	43

#### TABLE XV.

Т	'ime of Tre	м.	F.	Total.		
Not	exceeding	<u>,</u> 1	Month	-	-	-
	"	2	Months	2	3	5
	,,	3	"	-	3	3
	"	6	,,	6	9	15
	,,	9	,,	2	4	6
	,,	1	Year	4	3	7
	37	2	,11	-	2	2
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		10	,,	-	-	
	,,	11	"	-	-	-
	,,	12	,,	1	-	1
	Total			17	26	43

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## TABLES XVI., XVII., XVIII., and XIX.

### Similar Tables in the Cases of the 68 Patients who have Died in the Year ending December 31st, 1853.

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#### TABLE XVI.

#### TABLE XVIII.

FORM OF DISEASE.	м.	F.	Total.
MANIA. Suicidal with Epilepsy with General Paralysis MELANCHOLIA Suicidal	11 	4	
JNCOHERENCE	1	2	31
IMBECILITY       with General Paralysis	9 11 1 1		19 12 1 1 2
DEMENTIA with General Paralysis	1 5	2	35
IDIOCY	1	-	1
Not ascertained	-	1	1
Total	45	23	68

11	AGE	М.	F.	Total.		
From	15 to 20	year	s	2	-	2
	20 to 25	,,		-		
	25 to 30			15	1	2
,,	30 to 35			5	2	7
33	35 to 40	33		4	-	4
.,	40 to 45	,,		6	-	6
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	65 to 70	,,		3	4	7
"	70 to 75	"			1	i
"	75 to 80	>7		1	$     \begin{array}{c}       1 \\       1 \\       2     \end{array} $	1
"	80 to 85	"		1	1	2
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"	85 to 90	.,,			21	2
	95 to 100				1	1
Not a	ascertaine	d	•••••	7	4	11
	Total .			45	23	68

## TABLE XVII.

#### TABLE XIX.

	DURATI	ON.			M.	F.	Total.
Not excee	ding 3 M	font	hs		-	-	_
25	6	,,			1	1	2
	9	,,			1		1
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,,					4	-	4
23	5				3		3
,,	6 7	,,			1		1
,,	7				2		2
,,	8	,,			1	_	1
,,	9	,,			-		
.,,	10	39			1	_	1
**	11	39			1	-	1
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,,	14	.,			-		
	15	,,			2		2
"	16	"			_	_	_
33	17				_		-
"	18	>>			_	1	1
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33	20	33			-		1
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"	22	"			-	1	1
"	23	"				T	1
"	24	"				-	-
"	27	,,			-	-	-
"	28	,,				1	1
		,,			-	1	1
>>	32	,,			1	-	1
33	34	,,			1	-	1
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	42	,,			1	-	1
Not ascer	tained.			•••••	12	14	26
To	tal				45	23	68

Time unde	N	Ι.	F.	Total.		
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	Total		. 4	5	23	68

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1 77	n r	111	127	7.4

Time of Treatment.	M:	F.	TOTAL
Not exceeding 1 Week.	3	1000	3
,, 1 Fortnight:	30	13	43
,, 1 Month.	46	20	66
,, 3 ,,	95	49	144
,, 6 ,,	95	55	150
,, 9 ,,	74	50	124
	59	25	84
,, 2 ,,	131	88	219
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	67	41	108
,, 5 ,,	36	33	69
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	18	27	45
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,, 12 ,,	7	20	27
,, 13 ,,	9	12	21
,, 14 ,,	13	9	22
,, 15 ,,	8	7	15
,, 16 ,,	5	10	15
,, 17 ,,	4	8	12
,, 18 ,,	5	8	13
,, 19 ,,	3	2	5
,, 20 ,,	-	8	8
" 21 "	1	1	2
», <u>22</u> »,		4	4
" 23 " Total	1.1.1		1

Length of Time that the 1556 Patients who have Died, from the opening of the Institu-

 TABLE XXI.

 Annual per cent. of Cures and Deaths, from the opening of the Institution, 16th May, 1831, to the 31st December, 1853.

Years ending 31st December.	ng Average Number of Per Centag of Cures.			Number of Deaths.	Pr.Centage of Deaths
1831 from May16	200	20	10.00	21	10.50
1832	427	64	14.99	99	23.18
1833	537	59	10.99	77	14.34
1834	564	48	8.51	58	10.28
1835	580	28	4.83	71	12.24
1836	611	37	6.06	65	10.64
1837	608	27	4.44	48	7.89
1838	662	33	4.98	89	13.44
1839	803	88	10.96	78	9.71
1840	849	52	6.12	66	7.77
1841	899	47	. 5.23	86	9.57
1842	949	63	6.64	90	9.48
1843	980	47	4.79	61	6.22
1844	983	38	3.87	68	6.92
1845	984	27	2.75	65	6.68
1846	977	21	2.15	73	7.47
1847	973	40	4.11	59	6.06
1848-	967	29	3.00	77	7.96
1849	961	33	3.43	69	7.18
1850	962	47	4.88	64	6.65
1851	959	27	2.82	53	5.53
1852	962	43	4.47	51	5.30
1853	968	43	4.44	68	7.0
Tota	al	961	5.85	1556	9.22

## TABLE XXII.

# Causes of the 68 Deaths during the Year ending December

31st, 1853.

	M.	F.	Total
	-	4	4
erous Apoplexy.		1	1
erous Apoplexy	1		1
eneral Paralysis	18	2	20
eneral Paralysis	1	-	1
aralysis	-	1	1
pilepsy	2		2
bscess in the Brain		-	1
xhaustion from Mania	1	-	1
Disease of the Heart		-	2
he Bursting of an Aneurism of the Aorta	1		1
Propsy consequent upon Disease of the Heart	1		1
neumonia	1	1	2
ulmonary Consumption	3	-	3
urpura Hæmorrhagica	. 1	-	1
liarrhœa		1	1
nflammation of the Joints		1	1
ever		1	1
cirrhus of the Pylorus	1	-	1
gulated Hernia	1	-	1
eneral Dropsy	. 3	-	3
Id Age		2	2
eneral Debility	4	7	11
eneral Debility		i	1
ungoid Disease of Bladder	1	-	i

Verdicts of Coroners' Juries.

"Fracture of the Femur, caused by a Fall"	1.	-	1
dentally occasioned"	-	1	1
Total	45	23	68

FORM OF DISEASE.	M.	F.	Total
MANIA	128	163	
, Suicidal	8	5	
with Epilepsy, Suicidal	23	8	
, Suicidal	1	1	1
with Epileptiform Fits	-	1	1
, and Epilepsy	-	Î	
with General Paralysis	8	-	
, and Epilepsy	1	-	
with Incipient General Paralysis	3	4	1
——————————————————————————————————————	- 1	2	1
with Hysteria	-	4	1
, Suicidal		-	1
, and Epilepsy	-	11	
and Paralysis	-	1	1.00
, with occasional violence, sweethar	174	192	990
NELINGHOLI	a construction of the second	-	366
MELANCHOLIA	$     \begin{array}{c}       14 \\       21     \end{array} $	64 22	122 12
, with Epilepsy		2	Sec. 3
Suicidal		2	1.0
, with Incipient General Paralysis, Suicidal	-	-	1
with Delusions, Suicidal	1	1	125
with Defusions	1	3	1
, Suicidal	1	1	
, Suicidal	1	2	0.33
, Suicidal		1	378
	37	97	134
INCOHERENCE	35	88	
, Suicidal	-	-	1
with Epilepsy	2	3	1. 2
, Suicidal	-	-	120
with General Paralysis	2		1 million
with occasional Violence	2	11	1
	42	102	144
IMBECILITY	61	62	1200
, Suicidal'	-	1	100.550
with Epilepsy	21	15	
, Suicidal		-	115
with Paralysis, Congenital	2	5	
, Congenital	2	5	1-000
with General Paralysis	9	-	1000
	-		1000
with Paralysis and Epilepsy, Suicidal.	1	1	PR COL
with General Paralysis and Epilepsy		-	
with occasional Violence	23	4	
, Senile	1	6	1
, Suicidal	1	1	
with General Paralysis	-	-	1.50
, Suicidal		-	
DEMENTIA	103	100	203
DEMENTIA	29	41	1000
with Paralysis	3	5	
with General Paralysis	1	1	
	-	-	1 18
with occasional Violence	-	6	
the second s	33	53	86
IDIOCY	8	7	
	i		
Congenital	The second second	1	
with Epilepsy			
with Epilepsy		8	17
	9 12	-	17 18

TABLE XXIII. FORM of DISEASE in the Cases of the 968 Patients remaining in the

#### TABLE XXIV.

Duration of the Insanity in the Cases of the 968 Patients remaining in the Asylum on the 31st December, 1853.

DURA	TION	•	М.	F.	Total.
Not exceedi	ing 3	Months	-	2	2
	6	,,	3	1	4
**	9	33	9	3	12
,,	1	Year	1	4	-5
23	2	"	10	9	19
,,,	3	>>	9	13	22
,,	4	,,	11	11	22
23	5	33	7	14	21
33	6	"	12	17 10	29 19
"	78	>>	9 3	11	14
.,,	9	33	10	11	21
33	10	53	8	17	25
33	11	,,	10	21	31
"	12	33	8	13	21
"	13	"	5	25	30
"	14	35	9	16	25
"	15	>> >>	11	18	29
33	16	>>	6	7	13
	17		13	15	28
12	18		10	12	22
33	19	,,	8	15	23
29	20	"	13	16	29
33	21	,,	4	14	18
	22	,,	9	13	22
.,	23	,,	3	6	9
,,	24		8	12	20
,,	25	> >	10	9	19
17	26 27	,,	7	3	10
.,	28	,,	36	14 5	11
,,	29	"	2	3	5
>>	30	,,	5	8	13
33	31	"	4	4	8
,,	32	,,	2	2	4
,,	33	,,	ĩ	4	5
**	34	"	î	5	6
93 37	35	,,	2	3	5
22	36	,,	4	4	8
1,	37	33	1.	2	4
,,,	38	33		21	26
.,,	39	53	1	5	6
,,	40	,,	-	-	-
,,	41	33	-	1	1
33	42	,,,	-	-	-
,,	43	•,	1		1
,,	44	,;	1		1
,,	48	,,	-	1	1
Pages Disth	53	33	15	2 15	2 30
From Birth Not ascerta			15 133	141	274
Total			410	558	968

## TABLE XXV.

Ages of the 968 Patients remaining in the Asylum on the 31st December, 1853.

Ages.	м.	F.	Total.
From 5 to 10 Years , 10 to 15 ,, , 15 to 20 ,, , 20 to 25 ,, , 25 to 30 ,, , 30 to 35 ,, , 30 to 40 ,, , 40 to 45 ,, , 50 to 55 ,, , 55 to 60 ,, , 66 to 65 ,, , 70 to 75 ,,	$ \begin{array}{c}    $	$ \begin{array}{c} - & 7 \\ 22 \\ 25 \\ 39 \\ 54 \\ 74 \\ 75 \\ 50 \\ 53 \\ 28 \\ 22 \\ 7 \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} - \\ 3 \\ 10 \\ 35 \\ 44 \\ 78 \\ 106 \\ 113 \\ 124 \\ 105 \\ 86 \\ 75 \\ 39 \\ 32 \\ 12 \end{array}$
,, 75 to 80 ,, ,, 80 to 85 ,, ,, 85 to 90 ,, ,, 90 to 95 ,, ,, 95 to 100 ,, Not ascertained	5 1 	$51 \\ 1 \\ 13 \\ 558$	12 6 1 

#### TABLE XXVI.

Length of Time that the 968 Patients remaining on the 31st December, 1853, have been in the Asylum.

TIME.		м.	F.	Total.
Not exceeding 3	Months	18	13	31
6	; ,,	14	12	26
0	,,	8	9	17
1	Year	5	9	14
		23	29	52
5	3 ,,	47	57	104
"	į "	23	22	45
·, 4		14	16	30
		13	14	27
" 2	, ,,	9	14	23
"		97	10	17
" 9		15	17	32
10	1	17	21	38
., 11		13	21	37
12		15	28	43
		17	31	48
,, 13		15	15	30
,, 14		10	01	38
,, 15		14	21	
,, 16	,,	30	70	100
,, 17	37	5	8	13
,, 18		16	11	27
,, 19	"	10	10	20
,, 20	""	5	6	11
,, 21		13	20	33
., 22		25	38	63
,, 23	,,	19	30	49
Total		410	558	968



AN ABSIRACT of the Annual Returns of Pauper Lunatics (made pursuant to the 64th Section of the 16th & 17th Vict., cap. 97,) chargeable to Parishes and places in Middlesex.

UNIONS AND PARISHES.	In County Asvlum.	Hanwell.	In County Asylum,	Colney Hatch.	In Asylums in	other Counties.	In	Private Asylums.	To Workhouse	*SOSTOTIVITO IL III	The build	WILL FILEIUS.	E	TOTAL.
BARNET UNION-	M.	F.	M .	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Finchley Fryern Barnet	1	3	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-	-	6
Hadley	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-			-	23	1
South Mimms BRENTFORD UNION-		-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	1
Acton Brentford, New	2	1	2	1	-	-	1	=	-	=	1-	-	5	
Chiswick	2	2	-	22	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	4	243
Ealing	4	1	2	2	-	-		-	-	-	1=	=	6	3
Hanwell	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	=	-	1	1
Heston	3	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	ī
Isleworth Perrivale	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	3
Twickenham	2	4	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	8
Edmonton Union-	1 march	1	2	0			1		17.19	1		1.3		46
Enfield	-	i	2	94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		22	10
Hornsey	-	1	1	i		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	528
Tottenham	5	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	8
Hackney	4	13	13	16	=	-	-	2	11 1	13	=	-	28	44.
HENDON UNION- Edgware	1	_	_	1	-	-		_	_	-	-	-	1	
Harrow	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	3
Hendon Kingsbury	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	
Pinner	1	2	-	_	-	-	_	_	-	1	-	-	1	1 3
Stanmore, Great						1.00	1.15					1999	1	
Ditto Little Willesden	1	1	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	I	-
Union or Common Fund	-	1	-	Ξ		-	-	_	1	_	-	I	1	1
HOLBORN UNION-	1	-								-			-	
Holborn	1	5	$\frac{15}{2}$	19 8	-	-	2	4	2	2		-	19 4	30
St. Sepulchre	-	-	-	4	-	-	i	-	_	_	-	1	1	9 4
Union or Common Fund FULHAM UNION-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	2	3
Fulham	2	2	3	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	5	6
Hammersmith	5	3	1	2	-	1	1	7	-	-	-	-	7	13
Hampton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	-	-	2	4
Hampton Wick Teddington	1	1	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-1	1
EAST LONDON UNION-	-	1	4.0				1.4		1	196		-	1	1
Glasshouse Yard POPLAR UNION-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Bromley Poplar		1 3	14	$\frac{3}{15}$	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	6
Stratford-le-Bow		-	2	3	-	-	1	=	-	-	-	-	15 2	18 3
Common Fund	-	-	4	6	-	-	-	1	-		-	_	4	7
STAINES UNION- Ashford											di la	1		
Bedfont, East, with Hatton	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	_	-		-	2	
Cranford							1.55	100	2.0	3723		1.160	~	
Feltham	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Harlington	~	1		-		1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Harmondsworth	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Laleham Littleton	-	1	121	14	223	-	10.1	2120	10.00	1	1 1 1	200		
Shepperton		1	10.201	C	1000	1000		1	1000	and a		1	-	1
Staines	2	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Stanwell	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	_		1	1
Carried forward	51	68	78	106	-	-	- 9	24	20	24	_	-	158	223
And and the second s			-			-		-	-	-	-	-	200	

UNIONS AND PARISHES.	ounty Asvlum	NB NT				Colney Hatch.		other Counties.	In	Private Asylums	Worl-house	W ULK HOUSES.	With Friends	CONTRACT A MARK	TOTAL.	
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STEPNEY UNION-	M.	F.	M.	F.	м.	F.	М.	F.	м.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
Brought forward Limehouse	51	68	78 10	106 24	-	1	9	24	20 3	24 1	-	-	158 14	$223 \\ 25$		
Mile End Old Town	î	2	16	34	2	1	-	4	8	4		-	27	45		
Ratcliff Shadwell	-		8	12 4	-	-	Ξ	23	42		1	-	13	14 11*		
Wapping.	-	-	3	6	-	=	-	-	1	-	-	-	0 4	6		
Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-		
St. Anne, Westminster	9	6	10	11	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	21	18		
St. Clement Danes	10	8	7	7	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	21	17		
Covent Garden Rolls	2	2	3 2	1 3	-	-	1	=	-	-	-	Ξ	53	3 3		
Savoy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-		
Strand Common Fund	9	_	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	-	-	-	-	=	-	-	-	3	12		
UXBRIDGE UNION-		12 2	-	~		Tas		1.5			-		-	~		
Cowley Drayton, West	1	2		1		_			-			_	1	9		
Harefield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	1	-	î	-		
Hayes Hillingdon	2	-		-	-	-	-	-		$\frac{-}{1}$	-	1	21			
Ickenham	1	-	=	-	E	-	=	=	-	-	-	-	1	_		
Northolt	1	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$			
Norwood, Ruislip	$\begin{vmatrix} 1\\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$	2	2	-	=	Ξ	-	-	-	-	-	-1	3	22		
Uxbridge Common Fund	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	3		
WHITECHAPEL UNION.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	T	-	1	-		
St. Katharine Christ Church	17	-	-	1		-	1	-	1	-			$\frac{3}{16}$	1		
Mile End New Town	i	5	1 3	8 6	_	-	_	3	7	7	1	2	10 5	23 11		
Norton Folgate	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1		
Whitechapel +Tower	8	14	14	15	-	-	-	3	5	9	-	3	27	44		
Aldgate, St. Botolph, Without +Trinity, Minories	1	1	-	3	-	-		1	-	-	-	-	I	5		
+Old Artillery Ground	-	-	=	-	_	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Common Fund	-	-	2	• 1	-	-	1.	1	-	-	-	-	3	2		
Bethnal Green	11	14	29	29	_	-	1	6	7	8	-	-	48	57		
Chelsea Clerkenwell	8	19	8	26	-	-		13	1	6	-	-	17	64		
George, St., East	$\frac{12}{2}$	12 2	15	28 39	1	2	6	4	777	11 5	. 1	2	85 33	57 63		
Giles, St., and Bloomsbury	15	19	16	13	1	-	2	2		-	-	-	34	34		
Hampstead Hanover Square	7 22	11 31	25	$\frac{2}{14}$	-	-		6	24	10	-	1	11 31	18 61		
James, Westminster, St	23	29	6	2	-	-	5	12	4	-	-	-	38	43		
Islington Kensington	12 16	19 16	20	13	2	-	4	7	4	4	÷.	Ξ	38 29	39 32		
‡Luke, St	10	13	9	10	-	1	4	3	7	13	-	-	30	40		
Margaret, St., and St. John ‡Martin, St., Westminster	25	32	11	19	1 3	1	53	2	-64	5	-	-	48 29	59 59		
Marylebone, St	32	46	40	63	-	-	6	22		-	-	=		131		
Paddington Pancras, St	6 25	11 54	1 36	7 58	-	-	2	3	5	4	-	-	14 95	25		
Shoreditch	21	16	44	60	=	1	32	13	31 9	45	-1	2		170 106		
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1 Female, custody not stated.
+ These Places do not contribute to the County Rate.
‡ These two Parishes not having made the required Return for the present year, the information in respect to them is supplied from former Returns.

CHARLES WRIGHT, Clerk to the Committee of Visitors of the Hanwell Asylum. TO HER MAJESTY'S JUSTICES OF THE PEACE FOR THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX IN QUARTER SES-SIONS ASSEMBLED.

## THE FORTIETH REPORT OF MESSRS. ALLEN, OF CARLISLE STREET, SOHO SQUARE, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

MESSRS. ALLEN have to report, that during the year 1853 the settlements of four Criminal Lunatics who were confined in the County Asylums, under warrants from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been discovered and adjudicated; that a Criminal Lunatic, whose settlement had been discovered and adjudicated on the 28th December, 1852, died pending an appeal against the adjudication; that the settlement of another Criminal Lunatic was also discovered, and was about to be adjudicated when the Lunatic died; and that the settlements of two Lunatics who had been respectively adjudged on the 23rd of October, 1850, and the 3rd of March, 1853, to be chargeable to the County, have been likewise discovered and adjudicated.

Messrs. Allen have also, during the year, attended at the Metropolitan Police Courts, at Petty Sessions, and on Parish Officers, and have made inquiries relative to 91 other Lunatics, in consequence of notices given (under the 59th section of the Act 8th and 9th Vict., cap. 126, and the 98th section of the 16th and 17th Vict., cap. 97) to the Clerk of the Peace, by Parish Officers, of their intention to apply for Orders charging the County with the Lunatics' maintenance. In 15 of those cases the applications were abandoned by the Parish Officers, or Orders upon the County Treasurer were refused to be made by the Magistrates, in consequence of information obtained by Messrs. Allen; and in two other cases the Lunatics died before the investigations were completed. In the remaining 74 cases the Paupers were deemed chargeable to the County, 67 of them being natives of Ireland or Scotland, or foreigners.

The expenses incurred relative to the 6 Criminal Lunatics (the settlements of 4 of whom were discovered and adjudicated, as before mentioned), and in discovering and adjudicating the settlements of the 2 County Patients before referred to, and in investigating the 91 cases, and for correspondence, attendances, and inquiries in 8 other cases, with the view of protecting the interests of the County, including the expense of defending appeals relative to the settlements of 2 of the Criminal Lunatics, and also including payments to country agents, amount to the sum of £280. 8s. 7d.

Messrs. Allen beg to observe, that if the making of Orders on the County Treasurer in the 15 cases had not been successfully contested and opposed, the County Rate would have been called on, not only to repay the expense of the maintenance of those Lunatics incurred within the previous twelve months, but also would have been liable to the payment of £341 5s. a year for their future maintenance, so long as they remained in private or the County Asylums; and that the expense of maintaining the four Criminal Lunatics whose settlements have been discovered and adjudged, would have amounted to £91 a year.

All which Messrs. Allen submit, &c.

C. & J. ALLEN.

January, 1854.