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President.

The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop
of Gloucester and Bristol.

Vice-Presidents.

The Right Honourable Earl Ducie.
The Right Honourable Lord Sherborne.
The Honourable and Very Reverend
the Dean of Gloucester.
The Worshipful the Mayor of Gloucester.

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The Worshipful the Mayor of Gloucester.
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The Right Honourable Lord Sherborne.
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the Royal College of Physicians,
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Chaplain.

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Thomas Fulljames, Esquire.

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Mr. William Hill.

Steward and Clerk.

Mr. James Stephens.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Gloucestershire General Lunatic Asylum,
FOR 1851.

THE Visitors of this Asylum are enabled to present to the public a very favourable REPORT of the state of the Institution during the past year. The course of treatment pursued towards the patients, both mentally and bodily, has tended much to their comfort and general amelioration; and has been so far successful, as to cure, that the TABLES shew that while the admissions during the year have been 128, the number discharged as cured have been 66. At the close of the last year there only remained in the House, out of 300 patients, 31 who were deemed to be curable, and there are now 26; so that the cures may be considered as exceeding 50 per cent. on the admissions of the year. The general health of the patients has been most satisfactory, and there has been an entire absence of any epidemic during the year: the mortality, however, has been unusually great for this Institution, amounting to 45, a number considerably exceeding that of last year, and very much larger than that of former years. The Visitors have no means of accounting for this increase, except that owing to the extraordinarily small mortality of the two or three years preceding 1850, a number of shattered constitutions had outlived the previous years to swell the mortality of 1850 and 1851, and also the circumstances referred to specially in their last report, namely, the very aged and feeble

state in which many cases are received into the Asylum. During the past year five patients died within three weeks of admission, one of whom was upwards of eighty years of age, two more upwards of seventy, and others above sixty. The Visitors think it necessary to refer more particularly to one death, which occurred in the Institution in September last, under the following melancholy circumstances. A gentleman who had been an inmate of the Asylum many years, usually of quiet habits, but subject to occasional fits of excitement, who had retired to rest tranquilly and in his ordinary health, appeared to have risen from his bed in the night and made an attack upon his window, which he succeeded in breaking through, and precipitating himself to the ground, a distance of more than forty feet, by which his death was caused. The patient had never shewn any suicidal propensity, and it would seem very doubtful whether he had any idea of the kind in this instance, or was conscious of the act he was committing. These window frames, attached to the bed-rooms of the opulent patients, had been in use since the opening of the Asylum, nearly thirty years ago, and nothing had occurred before to make them appear insecure. An immediate order was made for removing the wooden frames and replacing them by wrought iron of the same pattern. The Visitors have the satisfaction of stating, in support of the system of the absolute abolition of every species of mechanical restraint, which has been adopted now for many years in this Asylum, that before this unhappy occurrence only one case of suicide had occurred here for upwards of five years and a half, and that the unhappy event above mentioned can in no way be connected with such a cause, as under no circumstances would this unfortunate gentleman have been considered a subject for restraint.

The general comfort and cheerfulness of the patients have

been much promoted during the past year by frequent entertainments afforded to the paupers, as well as other inmates of the House, by Dr. and Mrs. WILLIAMS, who have spared no exertions or trouble in making these recreations useful as well as agreeable. The Visitors think they ought to express in this Report how highly creditable they consider it is to the Superintendent that the discipline, cleanliness, and general health and comfort of the establishment, have been maintained in a most satisfactory state during the past year, in spite of many untoward circumstances, which have much increased the ordinary difficulties of management, such as the over-crowded state of the wards, many of which have had nearly double their proper allowance of inmates, who have been accommodated there temporarily, in anticipation of the speedy opening of the new female pauper wing; and secondly, the lamentable want of water under which the Institution laboured for fifteen weeks, when the supply from the Water Company and the wells having failed, they were dependent upon such an allowance of water as could be obtained by hauling from a brook distant half a mile. This evil has been of so very serious a nature, that had not the officers of the Water Company promised to procure from the Severn a full supply by another year, the Visitors would have felt compelled to have pressed upon the Magistrates of the County the necessity of procuring a sufficient independent supply for the Asylum, although such could only be secured, it is believed, at a very great cost.

The injurious effects of mixing criminal with ordinary Lunatics having been felt in this as in other County Asylums, the Visitors addressed a Memorial to the late Government upon the subject, which was forwarded to SIR GEORGE GREY, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, in November last.

They have no means of judging what might have been the course pursued by the late Government, had they remained in office, with respect to this question, which has begun to excite much attention among those interested in the further progress of the improved system of management in County Asylums. They rejoice, however, to find that LORD SHAFTESBURY still perseveres in bringing the subject before Parliament; and they trust that as soon as the Government is in a settled state, it will receive from them the favourable consideration which its importance, with reference to the interests of the Insane, would appear to demand.

The Private Patients' portion of this establishment has continued to improve during the last year; the refittings and alterations which have been recently made in this department have materially increased the comforts of the gentlemen and ladies, and the improved accommodation has led to the reception of a higher class of patients. This has further improved the state of the Charity funds, and enabled them to extend their usefulness. Two patients of good condition in life, but reduced in circumstances, have been admitted gratuitously, one of whom has been discharged as cured, and several others have been assisted by reducing their payments considerably below their cost of maintenance.

The Visitors are anxious that this excellent Charity should be known, so that application may be made at the Asylum, to Dr. WILLIAMS, for the admission of any recent or urgent deserving case; and that any benevolent individual disposed to aid the objects of the Charity may be reminded of the means of doing so. A subscription of £2. 2s. a year, gives a subscriber the right of voting at the election of Visitors.

J. CURTIS HAYWARD, *Chairman.*

TABLES, &c.

TABLE I.

Shewing the General Results of the Year.

	1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.		M.	F.	Total.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
Remaining in the House, Dec 31, 1850	4	4	15	15	111	151	130	170	300
Out on Trial .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3	6	3	6	9
									309
Admitted during the year ..	6	2	4	6	42	44	52	52	104
Re-admitted ditto .. ..	..	..	1	1	7	15	8	16	24
Total under Treatment in the year	10	6	20	22	163	216	193	244	437
Discharged:									
Recovered and gone .. ..	..	..	..	2	22	40	22	42	64
Ditto, out on Trial .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	2
Ditto, Relieved .. .. .	..	1	2	2	1	5	3	8	11
Not Relieved, removed by Friends	..	..	1	2	..	1	1	3	4
Died	1	..	3	1	20	20	24	21	45
Total	1	1	6	7	43	68	50	76	126
Remaining in the House, Dec. 31, 1851	9	5	14	15	120	148	143	168	311

Average number in the House each week in the year, 312.

Ditto attending Chapel (two Services), 170.

Ditto daily employed, 170.

Total number admitted from the opening of the Institution, July, 1823 ..	2607
Discharged ditto ..	2296
Recovered ditto ..	1356
Relieved ditto ..	155
Removed or transferred ditto ..	246
Discharged on trial, harmless, and improper ditto ..	73
Died	466
Remaining	311

TABLE II.

Shewing the Ages of Patients admitted in 1851.

						M.	F.	Total.
Under 20 years	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	4
20 years and under 30	..	..	..	..	..	10	16	26
30	..	40	..	..	..	11	17	28
40	..	50	..	..	..	21	24	45
50	..	60	..	..	..	7	4	11
60	..	70	..	..	..	6	6	12
70	..	80	..	..	..	2		2
						60	68	128

TABLE III.

Shewing the Social Condition of the Patients admitted in the year.

				Married.	Single.	Widowed.	Total.
Males	..	..	..	27	27	6	60
Females	..	..	..	28	36	4	68
				55	63	10	128

TABLE IV.

Shewing the Education of those admitted in the year.

			Can Read.	Read and Write.	Neither Read nor Write.	Total.
Males	..	..	16	36	8	60
Females	..	..	23	42	3	68
			39	78	11	128

TABLE V.

Shewing the Religion of those admitted in 1851.

	Church of England.	Wesleyans.	Baptists.	Independents.	Roman Catholics.	Unknown.	Total.
Males	45	2	1	3	1	8	60
Females	52	3	5	6		2	68
	97	5	6	9	1	10	128

TABLE VI.

Shewing the occupation of Patients admitted in 1851.

MALES.				FEMALES.			
Agricultural Labourers ..	..	18		Agricultural Labourers ..	..	9	
Bricklayers .. ..	..	3		Charwomen .. ..	..	2	
Baker .. ..	..	1		Cook .. ..	..	1	
Coal Merchant .. ..	..	1		Domestic Employment ..	..	32	
Coachman .. ..	..	1		Governess .. ..	..	1	
Dog Fancier .. ..	..	1		Laundresses .. ..	..	6	
Farmers .. ..	..	4		Lodging-house Keeper ..	..	1	
Gardeners .. ..	..	3		Ladies .. ..	..	2	
Gentleman .. ..	..	1		Pinner .. ..	..	1	
Glassblower .. ..	..	1		Sempstresses .. ..	..	7	
Hallier .. ..	..	1		Schoolmistresses .. ..	..	2	
Linen Draper .. ..	..	1		Weaver .. ..	..	1	
Miller .. ..	..	1		Woolpicker .. ..	..	1	
Maltster .. ..	..	1		Unknown .. ..	..	2	
Miner .. ..	..	1					
Porter .. ..	..	1					68
Railway Contractor ..	..	1					—
Sawyers .. ..	..	2					
Surgeon .. ..	..	1					
Shoemakers .. ..	..	2					
Tailor .. ..	..	1					
Weavers .. ..	..	5					
Unknown .. ..	..	8					
		—					
		60					
		—					

TABLE VII.

Shewing the Form of Disorder in those admitted in 1851.

	M.	F.	Total.
Mania :			
Acute	9	6	15
Chronic	2	3	5
Recurrent	6	10	16
Melancholia	17	27	44
Dementia	12	18	30
Epilepsy	9	4	13
General Paralysis	4	..	4
Idiotcy	1		1
	60	68	128

TABLE VIII.

Shewing the Probable Causes of Disorder in those admitted in 1851.

	M.	F.	Total.
Moral Causes :			
Anxiety	5	4	9
Destitution .. .. .	..	2	2
Desertion by Husband .. .. .	..	2	2
Disappointment	2	2	4
Dissipation	8	3	11
Excitement in filling up Census paper .. .. .	..	1	1
Fright .. .. .	..	1	1
Grief	1	4	5
Ill usage by Friends	1	1	2
Jealousy .. .. .	..	1	1
Religious Excitement .. .. .	..	5	5
Physical Cases :			
Apoplectic Attacks	2	..	2
Coup de Soleil	1	..	1
Debility .. .. .	..	3	3
Epilepsy	9	4	13
Hysteria .. .. .	..	2	2
Puerperal Disease .. .. .	..	2	2
Rheumatism	1	..	1
Uterine Disorder .. .. .	..	1	1
Unknown	30	30	60
	60	68	128

TABLE IX.

Shewing the Form in which there were Suicidal Propensities.

	M.	F.	Total.
Melancholia	3	10	13
	3	10	13

TABLE X.

Shewing the Form of Insanity in those who recovered in 1851.

	M.	F.	Total.
Mania	13	21	34
Ditto Recurrent	4	11	15
Ditto Puerperal .. .. .	..	1	1
Ditto Epileptic	1	..	1
Melancholia	4	11	15
	22	44	66

TABLE XI.

Shewing the Duration of Insanity on Admission, compared with the Duration of Treatment.

Duration on Admission.	M.	F.	Residence in Asylum.	M.	F.
Under 1 Month ..	8	28	Under 3 Months..	2	2
Ditto 3 ditto ..	7	8	Ditto 6 ditto ..	7	8
Ditto 6 ditto ..	2	..	Ditto 12 ditto ..	12	23
Ditto 12 ditto ..	..	1	Ditto 18 ditto ..	..	2
Above 12 Months..	..	1	Ditto 2 Years ..	..	3
Unknown	5	6	Ditto 7 ditto ..	1	4
			Ditto 8 ditto ..	..	2
	22	44		22	44

TABLE XII.—MORTALITY.

Shewing the Number in the Registry of Admissions; the Sex, Age, Form of Mental Disorder and Condition; together with the Cause of Death, and period of Residence in the Asylum, of 33 Patients who died in 1851, but admitted prior to that Year.

No.	Age, F. M.	Mental State and Bodily Condition on Admission.	Assigned Cause of Death.	Duration of Mental Disorder prior to Admission.	Period of Residence in Asylum, Yrs. Mths. Days
2302	42	Bodily condition tolerably good	Cerebral Congestion	6 Months	2 7 8
2410	46	Epilepsy, very feeble	Cerebral Congestion and Exhaustion	10 Ditto	.. 9 3
2486	80	Very infirm	Asphyxia, Inflammation of the Larynx, and Closure of the Glottis	6 Weeks	.. 1 7
2405	51	Much enfeebled	Exhaustion	4 Years	.. 10 ..
2399	73	Ditto	Old Age and Exhaustion	6 Weeks	.. 10 17
2473	*	Extremely feeble	Exhaustion	Unknown	.. 3 ..
2273	59	Indifferent health	Chronic Inflammation of the Membranes of the Brain—Cardiac Disease and Dropsy	20 Years	.. 4 2 9
2461	*	Ditto ditto	Congestion of the Brain and Exhaustion	Unknown	.. 5 4
2038	..	Ditto ditto	Chronic Inflammation of the Brain and Membranes	2 Years	.. 3 5 22
1664	42	Ditto ditto	Ditto, ditto, ditto	6 Months	.. 6 5 7
1623	40	Epilepsy Hemiplegia—Bad bodily health	Ditto, ditto, ditto	4 Years	.. 6 8 18
2265	51	Bad bodily health	Cerebral Congestion—General Paralysis	Unknown	.. 3 3 ..
2419	64	Enfeebled	Chronic Inflammation of the Brain and Membranes	4 Years	.. 10 19 ..
1050	61	..	Ditto, ditto—General Dropsy	Unknown	.. 10 10 ..
2361	69	Very feeble	Convulsions—General Paralysis	6 Months	.. 1 5 15
2062	60	Feeble	Chronic Inflammation of the Brain and Membranes	7 Years	.. 3 10 ..
2457	29	Bad bodily health	Cerebral Congestion Convulsions—General Paralysis	4 Months	.. 7 9
34	68	Good	Chronic Inflammation of the Brain and Membranes—Double Pneumonia	Many Years	27 4 ..
1146	45	Tolerably good	Pericarditis—Numerous Cysts in Lateral Ventricles	Unknown	.. 10 1 25
2345	23	Very delicate	Pulmonary Consumption	3 Years	.. 1 7 17
2184	49	Tolerably good	Pneumonia of right Lung—General Paralysis	1 Year	.. 2 11 22
2447	33	Very bad bodily health	Inflammation of the Membranes of the Brain—Hypertrophy of left Ventricle of the Heart	6 Months	.. 9 2
2418	39	Epilepsy	Effused Blood in the Sac of the Arachnoid—Ecchymosis of Membranes	2½ Years	.. 1 2 16
970	56	Indifferent	Cardiac Disease—Dropsy	Several Years	.. 12 ..
1448	59	Tolerably good	Exhaustion—Purpura Hemorrhagica	Unknown	.. 8 4 ..
1081	51	Epilepsy	Injuries sustained in Jumping from a Window—Coroner's Inquest	Several Years	.. 17 11 28
2097	28	Epilepsy—Bad bodily health	Cerebral and Pulmonary Congestion	Unknown	.. 4 ..
2342	28	General Paralysis—Very feeble	Effusion in Cerebral Ventricles—Chronic Meningitis	2 Years	.. 2 1 7
2231	42	Feeble	Convulsions—Chronic Meningitis	Unknown	.. 3 3 ..
2040	56	Bad bodily health	Internal Hemorrhage—Malignant Ulceration of the Pylorus	1 Year	.. 4 7 ..
2289	17	Epilepsy	Cerebral Congestion	Congenital	.. 2 7 19
172	66	Epilepsy	Effused Blood in the Sac of the Arachnoid	Many Years	.. 24 1 17
2389	47	General Paralysis, feeble	Chronic Inflammation of the Brain and Membranes—Fluid in the		

TABLE XII.—MORTALITY, *continued*.

Shewing the Number in the Registry of Admissions; the Sex, Age, and Form of Mental Disorder and Condition of 12 Patients received in 1851, and who died in the same Year; together with the cause of Death, and period of Residence in the Asylum.

No.	Age. M. F.	Mental State and Bodily Condition on Admission.	Assigned Cause of Disease.	Duration of Mental Disorder prior to Admission.	Period of Residence in Asylum. Yrs. Mths. Days
2508	40	Exceedingly enfeebled	Exhaustion	Unknown	.. .. 19
2504	17	Very bad bodily health—Syphilis	Ditto	Ditto	.. .. 14
2513	81	Ditto	Old Age	Ditto	.. .. 14
2534	65	Extremely feeble	Effused Blood in the Sac of the Arachnoid	5 Months	.. .. 8
2538	55	Much enfeebled	Meningitis, with Typhoid Exhaustion	1 Week	.. .. 21
2529	67	Ditto	Pneumonia of left Lung—Chronic Meningitis..	Unknown	.. .. 16
2528	30	Tolerably good	Typhus	Several Years	.. .. 13
2586	40	Much enfeebled	Softening of both Optic	3 Weeks (?)	.. .. 4
2565	51	Feeble and emaciated..	Exhaustion from continued Maniacal Excitement	5 Days	.. .. 27
2495	31	Epilepsy, feeble	Chronic Inflammation of Brain and Membrane	Congenital	.. .. 10
2596	64	Much enfeebled—Contraction of Lower Extremities..	Softening of left	2 Years	.. .. 2
2568	38	Enfeebled and emaciated	Chronic Meningitis—Fluid in Cerebral Ventricles	5 Weeks (2nd attack)	.. .. 4

TABLE XIII.

Shewing the probably Curable Cases in the House, December 31st, 1851.

1st & 2nd CLASS.		3rd CLASS.		TOTAL.		BOTH SEXES.
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
3	2	5	11	8	13	21

TABLE XIV.

Shewing the Form of Disease in the Cases of 311 Patients in the House, December 31, 1851.

	M.	F.	Total.
Mania	9	22	31
Ditto, Recurrent	8	18	26
Ditto, with Epilepsy	7	3	10
Melancholia	8	15	23
Incoherence	5	8	13
Imbecility	7	18	25
Dementia	69	73	142
Ditto, with Epilepsy	17	10	27
General Paralysis	9	..	9
Idiotcy	4	1	5
	143	168	311

W. W. WILLIAMS.

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PAYMENTS.

SALARIES AND WAGES.

1.—*Establishment* :—

Officers :—	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
1 Superintendent, with house, coals, candles, &c. .. without board	300	0	0			
1 Chaplain without board	60	0	0			
1 Solicitor ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Surveyor ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Matron, at 100 <i>l.</i> per annum, $\frac{3}{4}$ year, ditto	75	0	0			
1 Assistant Medical Officer, at 50 <i>l.</i> per annum, for 247 days with board	33	18	1			
1 Ditto, at 70 <i>l.</i> per annum, for 112 days, with board	21	10	7			
1 Auditor without board	20	0	0			
1 Steward and Clerk ditto..	140	0	0			
Attendants :—						
1 Male with board	31	10	0			
1 Ditto, ditto..	30	0	0			
2 Ditto, at 28 <i>l.</i> per annum .. ditto..	56	0	0			
2 Ditto, at 27 <i>l.</i> ditto .. ditto..	54	0	0			
1 Ditto, at ditto, for 358 days, ditto..	26	9	8			
2 Ditto, at 26 <i>l.</i> per annum ditto..	52	0	0			
1 Ditto, ditto, for 274 days, ditto..	19	10	0			
1 Ditto, ditto..	24	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 24 <i>l.</i> per annum for 274 days with board	18	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 20 <i>l.</i> ditto, for 356 days ditto..	19	10	0			
1 Female ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 15 <i>l.</i> per annum, for 33 days } with board }	1	7	2			
1 Ditto, ditto..	14	14	0			
1 Ditto, at 14 guineas per annum, for 26 days with board	1	0	10			
1 Ditto, at 14 <i>l.</i> ditto, for 332 days ditto..	12	14	7			
1 Ditto, ditto..	12	12	0			
4 Ditto, at 12 <i>l.</i> per annum .. ditto..	48	0	0			
1 Ditto, at ditto, for 347 days, ditto..	11	8	6			
2 Ditto, at 10 <i>l.</i> per annum .. ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Ditto, at ditto, for 363 days, ditto..	9	19	3			
1 Ditto, ditto..	8	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 7 <i>l.</i> per annum, for 303 days } with board }	5	16	2			
1 Ditto, at 6 <i>l.</i> , for 363 days, ditto..	5	19	4			

Carried forwards 1193 0 2

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forwards	1193	0	2			
Servants.—In-door :						
1 Porter with board	20	0	0			
1 Ditto without ditto	20	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 10s. per week .. ditto..	26	0	0			
1 Messenger at 10l. per annum, for 1 year and 60 days .. with board	11	12	11			
1 Female Store Keeper .. ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Cook, at 18l. per annum, for half a year with board	9	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 20l. per annum, ditto, ditto..	10	0	0			
1 Kitchen Maid ditto..	10	0	0			
1 Ditto ditto..	8	0	0			
1 House Maid, at 10l. per annum, for 1 year and 170 days with board	14	12	10			
1 Laundress ditto..	14	14	0			
1 Ditto, at 10 guineas per annum, for 345 days .. with board	9	18	5			
1 Ditto, at 10l. ditto, for 363 days, ditto..	9	18	10			
1 Ditto, at 9l. ditto, for 309 days, ditto..	7	12	4			
1 Remunerated Patient, at 2s. per week, for 19½ weeks .. with board	1	19	0			
Servants.—Out-door :						
1 Tailor ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Shoemaker ditto..	20	0	0			
1 Ditto, at 12s. per week, for 50½ weeks, } without board }	30	3	0			
1 Brewer, at 1 guinea per week, ditto..	54	12	0			
1 Seamstress with board	10	0	0			
1 Fireman, at 13s. per week, for 20 1-7th weeks without board	13	1	10½			
1 Upholsterer, at 10s. per week, for 28 weeks 4¼ days .. with board	14	7	1			
1 Day Labourer, at 10s. per week, for 21¼ weeks .. without board	10	12	6			
Occasional :						
Female Attendants .. with board	7	16	7			
Laundresses.. .. ditto..	2	3	0			
Assistants in Kitchen ditto..	0	6	0			
Workwoman, for Clothing .. ditto..	16	2	0			
				1585	12	6½

2.—PROVISIONS.

Barley, Scotch, 721 lbs.	4	11	8			
Bread, 133,704 lbs.	600	16	4			
Butter, 6,740 lbs.	339	16	3			
Buns, Biscuits, and Cakes	0	18	2			
Bacon, 460½ lbs.	10	19	2			
Cider	13	6	5			
Cheese, 4 tons 8 cwt. 2 qrs. 17¾ lbs.	161	12	9			
Coffee, 369 lbs. 10 oz.	19	9	11½			
Carried forwards	1151	10	8½	1585	12	6½

				£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
			Brought forwards	1151	10	8½	1585	12	6½
Currants, 195 lbs.	..	..	..	4	2	0			
Cow Heels and Jelly	..	..	..	0	3	10			
Chocolate and Cocoa	..	..	..	0	6	9			
Chicory	..	..	..	0	13	8			
Eggs	..	..	..	35	3	9			
Fish and Poultry	..	..	..	3	3	3			
Flour, 41 sacks	..	..	..	65	3	0			
Hops, 1,272 lbs.	..	..	..	62	6	8			
Lemons and Oranges	..	..	..	0	7	3½			
Lemon Peel and Caraways	..	..	..	1	3	8½			
Lard	..	..	..	0	4	10			
Malt, 1,510 bushels	..	..	..	484	17	0			
Meat, 74,105 lbs.	..	..	..	1446	13	2			
Milk, 4,473 gallons	..	..	..	121	3	7			
Oatmeal, 364 lbs.	..	..	..	2	5	6			
Porter, 2,178 gallons	..	..	..	161	5	0			
Potatoes	..	..	..	16	10	6			
Peas	..	..	..	0	0	2			
Raisins, 73 lbs.	..	..	..	1	10	5			
Rice, 1,386 lbs.	..	..	..	8	13	3			
Ditto, ground, 6 lbs.	..	..	..	0	2	8			
Sugar, Lump, 1,545¾ lbs.	..	..	..	36	11	0½			
Ditto, Moist, 4,475¾ lbs.	..	..	..	74	18	3			
Sweetmeats	..	..	..	0	1	6			
Sauces, &c.	..	..	..	0	2	3			
Tea, 970 lbs. 3 oz.	..	..	..	162	3	4			
Tobacco and Snuff	..	..	..	70	13	2			
Treacle	..	..	..	0	3	6			
Vinegar, Salt, Mustard, Pepper, and Spices	..	..	..	25	6	5			
Miscellaneous, as Sago, Arrow Root, &c.	..	..	..	8	17	2			
							3946	7	4

3.—NECESSARIES.—FUEL, LIGHTING, AND WASHING.

Candles, Mould, 288 lbs.	..	..	..	7	1	3			
Ditto, Dip, 408 lbs.	..	..	..	7	15	10			
Coals, 615 tons, 2 cwt. 1 qr.	..	..	..	423	16	0			
Charcoal	..	..	..	0	16	3			
Gas, and Interest on Gas Fittings	..	..	..	100	15	0			
Ironing Cloth	..	..	..	1	11	8			
Lamp Oil, 143 gallons	..	..	..	50	19	7			
Lamp Cotton, Lamp Wicks, and Matches	..	..	..	1	2	10			
Soap, Yellow, 52 cwt. 3 qrs. 5 lbs.	..	..	..	100	6	2			
Ditto, Palm, 43 lbs.	..	..	..	1	9	7			
Ditto, Soft, 7 lbs.	..	..	..	0	4	1			
Soda, 52 cwt.	..	..	..	17	14	3			
Starch and Blue	..	..	..	4	16	10½			
Tapers	..	..	..	0	0	2			
Wood	..	..	..	10	2	6			
							728	12	0½
Carried forwards	..	..	..				6260	11	11

					£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
				Brought forwards	337	14	11	6471	9	7½
Moleskin	..	..	..	..	23	11	10			
Needles, Pins, Hooks and Eyes, Dress Locks, and Thimbles	..	..	..	..	14	15	7			
Print	..	..	..	..	17	2	5½			
Russian Duck	..	..	..	..	11	8	4			
Shoemakers' Bills	..	..	..	..	25	3	6			
Shirting	..	..	..	..	31	2	2			
Shawls	..	..	..	..	3	9	0			
Stays	..	..	..	..	4	17	3			
Silesia	..	..	..	..	0	1	1½			
Sail Cloth	..	..	..	..	6	11	8			
Tailors' Bills	..	..	..	..	58	0	6			
Twill Linen, for Gowns	..	..	..	..	6	16	6			
Wrappers	..	..	..	..	0	19	10			
Worsted Jacket..	..	..	..	..	0	4	10			
Wool, Angola, &c.	..	..	..	..	0	2	4			
								542	1	10

6.—FURNITURE AND BEDDING.

Bed Sackings, Bed Cords, and Twine	..				4	1	10			
Blankets	..	..	..	..	40	16	0			
Bed Casing, Bolster Casing, and Pillow Casing	..	..	..	..	13	10	9			
Baize	..	..	..	..	0	8	4			
Culinary and other Utensils	..	..	..	..	131	10	11			
Counterpanes	..	..	..	..	6	11	8			
Chairs, and Mending ditto	..	..	..	..	2	10	10			
Carpeting	..	..	..	..	42	4	0			
Chintz, &c. cleaned	..	..	..	..	0	15	0			
Chests of Drawers	..	..	..	..	10	10	0			
Communion Cloth and Cushion	..	..	..	..	3	14	0			
Fibre, Cocoa-nut	..	..	..	..	8	6	0			
Flocks	..	..	..	..	20	0	0			
Huckaback	..	..	..	..	5	15	9			
Hydrostatic Cloth	..	..	..	..	2	17	6			
Linen Tick	..	..	..	..	15	10	4			
Mats	..	..	..	..	8	3	10			
Rugs	..	..	..	..	8	8	0			
Sheeting..	..	..	..	..	23	11	10			
Silesia	..	..	..	..	2	11	0			
Table	..	..	..	..	5	10	0			
Table and Tray Cloths	..	..	..	..	6	9	8			
Window Muslin	..	..	..	..	1	16	0			
Window Cord	..	..	..	..	0	1	1			
								365	14	4

7.—FUNERAL EXPENSES.

Coffins and Shrouds	..	..	..	..	35	9	2			
Burial Fees	..	..	..	..	8	18	6			
								44	7	8
Carried forwards								7423	13	5½

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forwards				7423	13	5½

8.—BUILDING AND REPAIRS.

General Repairs:—

Asphalte Work	1	13	0
Blacksmiths	58	12	3
Bricklayers	75	16	3
Bricks	14	8	3
Carpenters	195	13	5
Carpenters' Tools	0	13	10
Cement	4	4	0
Cartage	3	16	0
Carriage of Glass and Felt	0	3	10
Felt	2	14	7
Glazing	10	8	1
Galvanized Sheet Iron	14	0	4
Glass	4	7	9
Ironmonger	41	18	8
Iron Founder	5	2	6
Lime	8	2	10
Lead	10	11	11
Labour in making Two Day Rooms for Pauper Females, and a Water Closet in Crescent	48	14	0
Painter	45	12	9
Paint	54	10	3
Painters' Tools	1	3	7
Plumber	70	0	10
Paper Hangings	5	15	4
Plasterer	4	6	5
Plaster of Paris	0	15	0
Slater	11	14	5
Slates	8	0	5
Sand and Gravel	6	7	6
Stone	2	10	4
Sundry Materials	1	9	10
Timber	107	8	0
Thatcher	3	1	6
Whitewashing	0	12	9
	824	10	5

New Building, viz.:—

Chapel	45	0	0
Ditto, extra Work not included in Contract	80	17	1
Female Pauper Wing	1950	0	0
Clerk of the Works	87	13	6
Surveyor	103	15	6
	2267	6	1
			3091 16 6
Carried forwards			10515 9 11½

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forwards				10515	9	11½

9.—GARDEN AND LAND EXPENSES.

Gunpowder, Shot, and Percussion Caps ..	0	4	9			
Implements of Husbandry	3	9	1			
Labour	23	1	8			
Manure	25	2	2			
Pigs	53	2	6			
Seed	7	4	3			
				112	4	5

10.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements and Printing	32	16	6			
Blacking and Blacklead	4	11	0			
Books, and Binding ditto	15	8	10½			
Budding's Mowing Machine	5	10	0			
Cap Paper	3	0	0			
Cutting Hair	3	15	0			
Combs and Brushes	0	14	8			
Cash given to Pauper Patients	1	2	6			
Coach Road Stone	21	0	6			
Court Plaster	0	0	6			
Evergreens for Christmas	0	2	0			
Entertainment for Pauper Patients	0	5	0			
Fuller's Earth, Pipe Clay, Whiting, Knife Bricks, Sand Paper, Turpentine, and Bees Wax	1	3	6			
Food for Birds	0	1	0			
Grinding Wheat	0	1	6			
Hire of Flies for Private Patients	14	15	1			
Hire of Horse	0	4	6			
Hire of Piano	9	0	0			
Insurance, Rates, Tithes, and Taxes	27	6	8¾			
Killing Pigs	3	18	0			
Law Charges	84	7	9			
Maintenance of Pauper Patients in a Private Asylum	950	8	3			
Medical Certificate	1	1	0			
Newspapers	2	4	6			
Pocket Money for Private Patients	16	8	0			
Parcels, Carriage of	2	18	4			
Postage and Stationery	53	5	1½			
Patients out on Trial	4	10	0			
Privies emptied	3	0	0			
Perfumes and Tooth Powder	0	3	5			
Pomatum	0	1	6			
Pic Nic, Expenses of	0	3	7½			
Purse	0	0	6			
Removals, Expenses of	2	4	11			
Carried forwards	1265	13	9½	10627	14	4½

PATIENTS' ACCOUNT.

(B)

DR.				CR.			
To Arrears due from Parishes and Patients, as per Report of 1850, viz. :—				By Cash received during the year, viz. :—			
		£.	s. d.			£.	s. d.
Pauper Patients	..	2111	7 2	1st Quarter	..	1699	7 10
Private ditto	..	1101	0 8	2nd ditto	..	1762	9 2
				3rd ditto..	..	1272	4 10
				4th ditto..	..	2206	17 5
			3212 7 10				
				Private Patients	..	2351	7 11
				Pauper ditto ..		6940	19 3
1st Qr.	Maintenance	1607	6 2				
	Sundries ..	11	10 0				
2nd Qr.	Maintenance	1626	1 8				
	Sundries ..	11	6 2				
3rd Qr.	Maintenance	1666	0 9				
	Sundries ..	5	1 9				
4th Qr.	Maintenance	1680	3 11				
	Sundries ..	7	4 6				
Private Patients		..	..	Pauper Patients	..	93	11 7
Pauper ditto ..		..	..	Private ditto	..	216	7 3
			2244 6 3				
			6614 14 11				
				Balance due from Pauper Patients	..	309	18 10
				Ditto	..	1691	11 3
				Private ditto	..	736	10 7

(E) THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER IN ACCOUNT WITH THE ASYLUM IN RESPECT OF BUILDING AND OTHER EXPENSES.

Dr.		Cr.	
1851.	£. s. d.	1851.	£. s. d.
To Balance, as per Report of 1850	428 5 8	May 31, By Cash ..	.. ..
One-Twelfth of 3154 <i>l.</i> 15 <i>s.</i> for Building and other		Sep. 25, ditto ..	.. ..
Expenses specially incurred for Pauper Patients,	262 17 10	Nov. 1, ditto ..	.. ..
as per Schedule C		" 15, ditto ..	.. ..
One-Sixteenth of 609 <i>l.</i> 15 <i>s.</i> 3½ <i>d.</i> for Building and	38 1 8		
other Expenses for general use, as per Schedul C		June 28, By One-Twelfth of 19 <i>l.</i> 11 <i>s.</i> 6 <i>d.</i> for Wheat sold	640 9 10
		July 28, One-Twelfth of 2 <i>l.</i> for Hay sold ..	1 12 7
		Aug. 5, One-Twelfth of 3 <i>l.</i> for Rent of Land } ..	0 3 4
		received	0 5 0
		Balance due to the Asylum ..	86 14 5
			<u>£729 5 2</u>
			<u>£729 5 2</u>

THE SUBSCRIBERS IN ACCOUNT WITH THE ASYLUM.

(F)

DR.		CR.	
	£. s. d.		£. s. d.
1851.		1851.	
To Balance on Account of Building, and other Ex-		By Balance, as per Report of 1850	446 0 0
penses, as per Schedule C. as per Report of	93 10 8	Cash paid by Private Patients during the year, as	
1850		per Schedule B.	2351 7 11
Building and other Expenses incurred specially	110 2 6½	Dividends paid in the year	81 5 2
for Private Patients, as per Schedule C.		Rent of those parts of the Building belonging to	
Four-Sixteenths of £609. 15s. 3½d. for Building	152 8 9½	the Subscribers, but occupied by the Pauper	196 0 0
and other Expenses for general use, as per		Patients	
Schedule C.	1906 12 7¾	Share of 42l. 5s. 2d. allowed by the Treasurer as	7 17 2
Cost of Private Patients during the Year	819 15 7¼	Interest	
Balance due to Subscribers			
	<u>£3082 10 3</u>		<u>£3082 10 3</u>

(G)

BALANCE SHEET OF THE SUBSCRIBERS.

1851. Dec. 31.—To Balance ..	DR.		1851. Dec. 31.—By Balance due from Treasurer on the Subscribers' separate Account ..		CR.
	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	
.. ..	1613	14 6½			57 8 4
					819 15 7½
					736 10 7
					£1613 14 6½

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR, VIZ.:—

	£.	s.	d.
Jan. 8, From John Terrett, Esq.	2	2	0
" 11, Nathaniel Hartland, Esq.	2	2	0
" 29, The Rev. J. Davies	2	2	0
May 21, Miss Pratt	1	1	0
June 30, T. B. L. Baker, Esq.	3	3	0
July 9, Ditto	1	17	0

DIVIDENDS RECEIVED IN THE YEAR, VIZ.:—

	£.	s.	d.
Jan. 9, On 2789 <i>l.</i> 16 <i>s.</i> 9 <i>d.</i> Consols	40	12	7
July 10, Ditto	40	12	7

(H) BALANCE SHEET OF THE ASYLUM.

Dr.		Cr.	
1851.	£. s. d.	1851.	£. s. d.
Dec. 31, To Amount of outstanding Bills for Maintenance	1929 9 3½	Dec. 31, By Sums due from Pauper Patients, as per Schedule B	1691 11 3
Ditto for Building and other Expenses	841 2 1½	Sum due from County, as per Schedule D	953 18 11
Salaries due	172 10 0	Ditto due from City, as per Schedule E	86 14 5
Wages due	227 19 10	Balance in Treasurer's hands	4407 15 5
		Ditto in Steward's ditto	3 5 6
Balance due to Subscribers, as per Schedule F	3171 1 3	Ditto in Matron's ditto	4 2 4½
Balance	819 15 7½		
	3156 11 0½		
	<u>£7147 7 10½</u>		<u>£7147 7 10½</u>

CASH ACCOUNT.

(1)

DR.		CR.	
1851.		1851.	
To Balance in Treasurer's hands, as per Report of 1850	£. s. d. 2907 11 0	By payment of Bills, &c. for Maintenance and for Building and other Expenses, as per Schedule A	£. s. d. 11940 16 8½
Ditto in Steward's ditto	.. ..	Balance in Treasurer's hands..	4407 15 5
Ditto in Matron's ditto	.. ..	Ditto, in Steward's ditto	3 5 6
Dividends on Stock	.. ..	Ditto, in Matron's ditto	4 2 4½
Interest allowed by Treasurer	.. ..	
Cash from County for Building, &c., as per } Schedule C .. ..	.. ..	
Ditto from City for ditto, as per ditto	.. ..	
Ditto from Parishes and Patients, as per Schedule B	.. ..	
Ditto for Dripping, Barm, Bones, &c. sold ..	.. ..	
Ditto for Wheat ditto ..	.. ..	
Ditto for Hay ditto ..	.. ..	
Ditto for Rent of Land received ..	.. ..	
	£16356 0 0½		£16356 0 0½

March 27, 1852, allowed and passed at a Meeting this day,

Examined,

J. CURTIS HAYWARD,

*Chairman.*WILLIAM HILL,
Auditor.