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PRESTWICH,

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REPORT
OF THE
COMMITTEE OF VISITORS

OF THE
County Lunatic Asylum at Prestwich,

TO THE
ADJOURNED ANNUAL SESSION HELD AT PRESTON ON
THURSDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1865.

*To Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Lancaster,
in Annual General Session assembled.*

County Lunatic Asylum, Prestwich,
27th December, 1865.

The Committee of Visitors of the County Lunatic Asylum at Prestwich present the following Report to the Quarter Session, in accordance with the provisions of the Act 16th and 17th Vict cap. 97.

During the last year 184 Males and 166 Females have been admitted into the Asylum; 113 Males and 100 Females have been discharged therefrom, of whom 57 Males and 75 Females were cured, and 68 Males and 55 Females have died.

The Asylum is capable of accommodating 1,000 patients, and on this day there are 963 on the books of the Establishment.

The general health of the patients has been good. In the month of April two Attendants were attacked with fever, and four Patients with small pox. One of the Attendants died, the other recovered, and the small pox fortunately passed away without any fatal results. The Committee are strongly impressed with the importance of providing a detached Hospital for contagious and infectious diseases.

During the earlier portion of the year several patients from the Salop and Montgomery Counties Lunatic Asylum were maintained in this Asylum, under contract, at the weekly charge of 12s. 3d. each. The weekly charge for the maintenance of patients belonging to other Unions or Townships not within the County of Lancaster has been 14s., whilst that for patients belonging to Unions or Townships within the County has been 7s. 7d. throughout the year.

Your Committee have arranged, as far as practicable, to discharge all accounts connected with the Asylum monthly, instead of quarterly as heretofore, and the Guardians of most of the Unions within the Hundred, wishful to meet the views of the Visitors on this point, have consented to pay monthly for the maintenance of patients belonging to their respective Unions. This arrangement, it is believed, will enable the Committee to obtain provisions and other necessaries on more favourable terms.

No change has taken place among the superior Officers of the Asylum, excepting Mr. Ley, one of the Assistant Medical

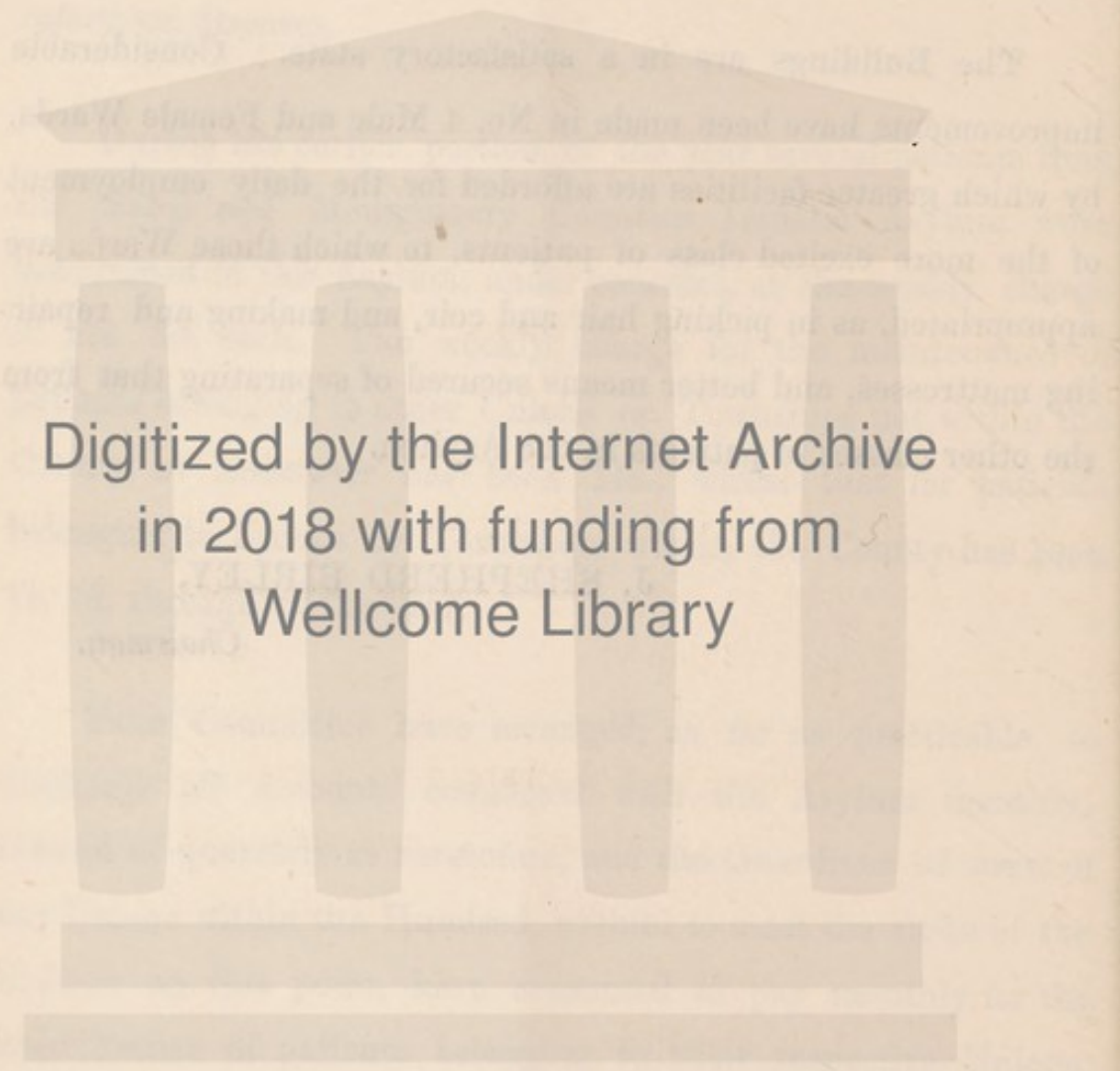
Officers, who has recently been appointed the Superintendent of the Salop and Montgomery Counties Lunatic Asylum. Dr. Edward Robert Barker, the Assistant Medical Officer of the North Wales Counties Lunatic Asylum, has been appointed to supply the vacancy occasioned by Mr. Ley's resignation.

The Buildings are in a satisfactory state. Considerable improvements have been made in No. 4 Male and Female Wards, by which greater facilities are afforded for the daily employment of the more excited class of patients, to which those Wards are appropriated, as in picking hair and coir, and making and repairing mattresses, and better means secured of separating that from the other classes of patients in the Asylum.

J. SHEPHERD BIRLEY,

Chairman.

Officers who have recently been appointed the superintendents of
the Asylum and Hospital, Guyton, Esq. and Dr. ...
Edward Colver, Esq. the Assistant Medical Officer of the
North Wales Asylum, has been appointed to
supply the vacancy occasioned by the late ...



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REPORT
OF THE
MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT.

County Asylum, Prestwich,

16th February, 1866.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to submit the following Report, accompanying which are the ordinary Statistical Tables.

On the 1st of January, 1865, the Asylum contained 950 patients—464 Men and 486 Women. The admissions during the year amounted to 353; the total number under care and treatment 1303. Of these—

136 have been discharged, recovered.

12 ditto relieved.

68 ditto unimproved.

2 escaped.

123 have died.

The recoveries have been in the proportion of 38·52 per cent. upon the admissions; the deaths 9·44 on the total number under treatment.

The causes of death have been chiefly general paralysis, epilepsy, and pulmonary consumption.

One of the Male patients committed suicide by suspending himself to a shutter in his bedroom.

The additions to the Male and Female Wards (No. 4) which you sanctioned in the early part of the year, have been proceeded with. Those on the Men's side were completed towards the close of the summer, since which time they have been in use, and have contributed greatly to the comfort of those excited patients who occupy that ward. The large room has enabled us to employ many patients who had previously led a life of idleness. This room has also been appropriated to the use of the Male Attendants for their evening amusements.

The additions on the Women's side, although not quite finished, have for some time been accessible to the Female patients. The rooms are spacious and lofty, and are well adapted to the purposes for which they were designed.

The Airing Grounds attached to these Wards have been re-modelled, broad asphalted walks having been substituted for the narrow gravel footpaths, and a light open paling for the brick walls which previously enclosed them. Pleasant lawns, surrounded by shrubs, have also been formed in front of the rooms.

In the month of April several of the patients and two of the Male Attendants were simultaneously attacked with small pox and typhus fever, and a difficulty arose as to where the former (who were the subjects of small pox) should be placed so as to

isolate them from the rest of the inmates. A workshop under the hayloft was converted into a temporary hospital for the men, and the engineer's cottage made available for the women, the engineer and his family being provided with a residence for the time being in the neighbourhood. Happily the disease did not spread. The warning, however, I respectfully submit, should not be neglected, but some permanent provision made before long for such cases in the event of another visitation, and possibly in a more aggravated form. I think the subject of such importance that I feel it unnecessary to make any apology for again bringing it under your notice.

The Commissioners in Lunacy visited the Asylum in August, when they made the following report:—

“ Prestwich County Asylum,

“ 23rd August, 1865.

“ We have yesterday and this day visited the Asylum, inspected all its Wards, Offices, and Premises, and seen the whole of the patients, excepting two absent on trial.

“ The changes in the patients since the 11th of August, 1864, the date of the last Commissioners' visit, and their present numbers, are shown by the following table:—

	M.	F.	TOT.
Admitted.....	197	192	389
Discharged	103	129	232
„ of whom recovered ...	76	90	166
Died	67	63	130
Present Number on Books	498	498	996
„ of whom absent on trial...	2	—	2

“The assigned causes of death were as follows:—

	M.	F.	TOT.
Phthisis	5	20	25
Exhaustion after Mania	9	6	15
General Paralysis	34	15	49
Cerebral Disease	—	2	2
Epilepsy	8	4	12
Suicide by cutting throat	—	1	1
Other Causes	11	15	26
	—	—	—
Total	67	63	130
	—	—	—

“Inquests have been held, for special reasons, in three cases, besides the suicide. In one, that of a Male Patient, the verdict was “Died from general paralysis and gangrenous inflammation of the leg.” The *post-mortem* examination disclosed the fracture of two ribs and the sternum, which had been partially discovered during life by Mr. Ley, the Assistant Medical Officer. The injuries are believed to have been occasioned by kicks from

another Patient, but the circumstances are about to be specially investigated by Mr. Holland, whom we have requested to communicate to our Board the result of his enquiry.

“The remaining two Inquests were upon the bodies of two old women, who died of senile decay, but both of whom had sustained accidental fracture of the thigh bone.

“The sanitary condition of the Asylum appears, at present, to be good, the Patients last registered as under medical treatment being 11 in the Male Division, and 20 in the Female.

“The average numbers attending the Church in the grounds, a handsome structure now completed, are as follows:—

	M.	F.	TOT.
Sundays	310	280	590

In Recreation Hall and Work Room.

Week Days	200	210	410
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“The Holy Communion is administered monthly, when about six or seven Patients usually partake of it.

“In reference to the subject of Religious Services we suggest, for the consideration of the Committee of Visitors, the propriety of affording facilities, and making some special arrangement, for the performance by Roman Catholic Priests of the services of their Church, to which a large number of the Patients belong.

“The Ward Returns relative to employment show the following results:—

MALES.

Farm and Grounds	90
Trades	75
Others.....	75
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Total	240

FEMALES.

Needlework, &c.....	140
Laundry, &c.	45
Others.....	115
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Total	300

“According to the Medical Journal the numbers of Patients secluded, and instances of seclusion, continue substantially the same as last reported. At the time of our first visit five men and three women were in seclusion for ordinary reasons, and two men and one woman suffering from itch were locked into their rooms for isolation.

“We have to report most favourably of the general cleanliness and good order of the several Day-rooms, Dormitories, and Corridors, and the Beds and Bedding throughout the Asylum.

“The Wards are rendered cheerful and comfortable in aspect

by an ample supply of flowering and other plants, various decorations and furniture of a domestic kind.

“ The Patients, with a few exceptions on the Female side, were quiet and orderly, and their personal condition, as to dress and otherwise, was generally very satisfactory.

“ The principal improvements since the last visit have been as follows :—

“ 1.—The formation of two cheerful Corridors, or Ambulatories, between Wards Nos. 1 and 5 in the respective Divisions opening into the adjoining Airing Courts.

“ 2.—The means of access for the Superintendent to No. 1 Ward on each side by a light corridor of communication with a glazed roof.

“ 3.—The construction of new external Bath-rooms, Lavatories, and Water Closets in connection with Wards 1, 2, and 3 in both Divisions.

“ 4.—The addition, at the extremities of Wards 4, Male and Female respectively, of two large Day-rooms, that in the Male Division being complete and nearly ready for occupation and that in the Female Division in course of erection.

“ 5.—The completion of the Church and surrounding grounds, which are admirably laid out and well kept.

“ 6.—The paths in No. 6 Female Airing Ground asphalted.

“ 7.—The substitution for the boundary walls of the Airing Court, No. 4, on each side, of a neat open wooden paling.

“ 8.—The asphaltting of the Drying Ground.

“The weekly charges for Lancashire and out-county Patients, respectively, are as before, 7s. 7d. and 12s. 3d.

“The Asylum will not accommodate more than 500 Patients of each sex. Consequently, the two Male Patients absent on leave being deemed as in the Asylum, there are at present only two vacant beds on each side. However, pursuant to mutual notices, by the end of the present month, the Shropshire Patients, 44 in number—36 Males and 8 Females—will be removed.

“The general condition and management of the Asylum continue to be very creditable to the Medical and other Officers.

(Signed)

“ R. W. S. LUTWIDGE,

“ ROBERT NAIRNE,

“ *Commissioners in Lunacy.*”

The average weekly cost per patient during the year has been 7s. 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ d.

I have the honour to remain,

Gentlemen,

Your faithful servant,

J. HOLLAND, F.R.C.S.,

Superintendent.

*To the Committee of Visitors of the
County Asylum, Prestwich.*

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I.

*Admissions, Deaths, and Discharges, from 1st January
to 31st December, 1865.*

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Remaining in the Asylum on the 1st January, 1865..	464	486	950
Admitted during the year	185	168	353
Discharged cured	58	78	136
" relieved	1	11	12
" unimproved	53	15	68
Died	68	55	123
Escaped	2	0	2
Total Discharged	182	159	341
Per-centage of cures on admissions during the year. .. .. .	..	..	38.52
" " the numbers under treat- .. .. .	..	..	10.43
" of deaths .. .. .	..	..	9.44
Daily average number of Patients during the year ..	479	493	972
Numbers remaining in the Asylum on the 1st of	467	495	962
January, 1866 .. .. .	..	..	..

(For Tables II. and V. see Annexed Folded Sheet.)

TABLE III.

Admissions 1865.—With respect to Social State.

			M.	F.	TOTAL.
Single .. ..	..	..	74	66	140
Married .. ..	..	..	88	69	157
Widowed.. ..	..	..	11	26	37
Unknown .. ..	..	..	12	7	19
Total			185	168	353

TABLE IV.

Admissions 1865.—With respect to Form of Insanity.

			Combined with Epilepsy.		Combined with General Paralysis.		Disposed to commit Suicide.		Total.		General Total.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Mania	61	59	7	5	7	2	15	14	90	80	170
Maniaperperal..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	3
Melancholia ..	15	19	..	..	..	..	12	17	27	36	63
Dementia	22	27	5	6	30	9	8	6	65	48	113
Not Insane ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
Idiotcy	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2
Total	101	107	12	11	37	11	35	39	185	168	353

TABLE VI.

Duration of Treatment of Patients Discharged Cured 1865.

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Under 3 months ..	18	14	32
" 6 "	17	28	45
" 9 "	9	20	29
" 12 "	6	5	11
" 18 "	3	4	7
" 2 years ..	2	3	5
" 3 "	1	2	3
" 4 "	2	1	3
" 13 "	..	1	1
Total ..	58	78	136

TABLE VII.

Cures with respect to the Form of Insanity, 1865.

	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Mania	38	52	90
Melancholia	13	20	33
Dementia	5	6	11
Not Insane	2	..	2
Total	58	78	136

TABLE VIII.

Admissions with Respect to Previous Occupation, 1865.

MEN.					
Factory Operatives	..	13	Medical Student	..	1
Weavers	..	9	Policeman	..	1
Labourers	..	26	Engraver	..	1
Warehousemen	..	4	Currier	..	1
Clerks	..	10	Brewer	..	1
Porters	..	5	Hatters	..	4
Tailors	..	2	Tinplate worker	..	1
Hawkers	..	4	Glass cutter	..	1
Carpenters	..	8	Designers	..	2
Mechanics	..	8	Stonemasons	..	2
Ironmoulder	..	1	Bricklayer	..	1
Engineers	..	2	Cigar maker	..	1
Painters	..	4	Shop keepers	..	10
Dyers	..	3	Colliers	..	2
Shoemakers	..	5	Soldier	..	1
Farmer	..	1	Sailor	..	1
Fustian Cutters	..	2	Criminal	..	1
Carters	..	3	Leather Japanner	..	1
Fisherman	..	1	Servants	..	11
Cutler	..	1	Printers	..	2
Wool sorter	..	1	Unknown	..	16
Plasterer	..	1	None	..	9
			Total	..	185
WOMEN.					
Household	..	69	Hawkers	..	2
Weavers, Factory	..	32	Charwomen	..	7
Domestic Servants	..	25	Vagrant	..	1
Dressmakers	..	14	None	..	8
Boot Binders	..	3	Unknown	..	7
			Total	..	168

TABLE IX.

Admissions with Respect to Age, 1865.

				M.	F.	TOTAL.
Under 15	years	..		4	..	4
From 15 to 20	"	..		6	16	22
"	20 to 30	"	..	38	39	77
"	30 to 40	"	..	50	47	97
"	40 to 50	"	..	29	34	63
"	50 to 60	"	..	29	11	40
"	60 to 70	"	..	16	9	25
"	70 to 80	"	..	3	6	9
"	80 to 90	"	..	1	..	1
Unknown	..	..		9	6	15
Total				185	168	353

TABLE X.

Causes of Death during the year 1865.

				M.	F.	TOTAL.
Disease of the Brain and Membranes	..	..		2	2	4
Ditto	with General Paralysis	..		39	12	51
Ditto	terminating in Apoplexy	..		1	1	2
Ditto	terminating in Maniacal Exhaustion	..		2	1	3
Ditto	with Disease of the Lungs	..		2	2	4
Ditto	with Pulmonary Consumption	..		..	1	1
Epilepsy	..	..		5	4	9
Pulmonary Consumption	..	..		7	19	26
Pneumonia	..	..		1	..	1
Exhaustion from Debility	..	..		2	..	2
Exhaustion from Melancholia	..	..		..	1	1
Disease of Heart and Aorta	..	..		1	2	3
Disease of Stomach and Bowels	..	..		2	2	4
Senile Decay	..	..		3	3	6
Senile Decay with fracture of Cervix Femoris	..	..		..	1	1
Bronchitis	..	..		..	2	2
Bright's disease	..	..		..	1	1
Tubercular Pneumonia	..	..		..	1	1
Suicide by Strangulation	..	..		1	..	1
Total				68	55	123

TABLE XI.

Extract from the Daily Account of the State of the Patients.

MEN.

Employed.	Thursday, July 27.		Friday, July 28.		Sunday, July 30.	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Working in Land and Gardens	90	94	93	99	..	..
Assisting Joiner ..	10	10	10	10	..	..
„ Engineer ..	8	8	8	8	2	2
„ Plumber and Painter	14	14	14	14	..	..
„ Upholsterer ..	12	7	13	6	..	..
„ Shoemaker ..	10	10	11	11	..	..
„ Tailor ..	9	9	9	9	..	..
„ In Kitchen ..	8	8	8	8	8	8
„ Baker ..	3	3	3	3	..	..
„ Stonemason ..	1	1	1	1	..	..
„ Bricksetter ..	1	1	1	1	..	..
„ Brewer..	2	2	2	2	..	..
„ Laundry ..	11	11	11	11	..	..
„ Office ..	1	1	1	1	..	..
„ Carrying Coals ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ Cleaning Wards ..	63	43	63	43	63	43
Total Employed ..	243	222	248	227	73	53
Unemployed.						
Excitement with Restraint ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„ with Seclusion ..	4	1	4	3	4	2
„ without Seclusion.	11	14	13	14	11	13
Sick ..	12	12	12	12	12	12
Quiet ..	222	245	217	238	394	414
Total Unemployed ..	249	272	246	267	421	442
Admissions ..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Deaths and Discharges ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	492	494	494	494	494	494
At Prayers ..	200	..	186	..	..	..
At Church ..	..	..	..	..	312	314

TABLE XII.

Extract from the Daily Account of the State of the Patients.

WOMEN.

Employed.	Thursday, July 27.		Friday, July 28.		Sunday, July 30.	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Cleaning Wards ..	96	80	96	80	50	15
Assisting in Kitchen ..	20	16	18	18	11	5
" in Laundry ..	42	41	43	43	..	..
Making Men's Clothing ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Binding Boots and Shoes ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Making Hats and Bonnets ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mending Stockings ..	18	..	18	12	..	..
Knitting and Netting ..	10	..	9	10	..	..
Sewing and Quilting ..	100	60	100	108	..	..
Picking Flocks ..	18	18	18	18	..	..
Total Employed ..	304	215	302	289	61	20
Unemployed.						
Excitement with Restraint ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
" with Seclusion ..	2	2	3	3	3	3
" without Seclusion ..	30	30	30	30	29	29
Sick ..	29	29	29	29	30	30
Quiet ..	130	219	131	147	375	415
Total Unemployed ..	191	280	193	209	437	477
Admissions ..	..	1	3	..	..	..
Deaths and Discharges ..	..	1	..	..	1	..
Total ..	495	495	498	498	497	497
At Prayers ..	206	..	207	..	..	..
At Church ..	..	..	..	..	277	281

LIST of ARTICLES of CLOTHING, &c., Made and Repaired
by the Patients during the year 1865.

ARTICLES.		MADE.		REPAIRED.	
Leather Shoes	574	...	1854
Clogs	91	...	186
Jackets	607	...	770
Waistcoats	607	...	454
Trousers	1143	...	11071
Men's Caps	795	...	224
Flannel Drawers	50	...	270
Flannel Shirts	461	...	984
Shirts	1209	...	3645
Neckerchiefs	880	...	20
Handkerchiefs	547	...	—
Linen Slops	506	...	101
Dresses for Female Attendants	47	...	32
Flannel Petticoats	105	...	1044
Linsey Petticoats	81	...	—
Linsey Bedgowns	905	...	1755
Linsey Dresses	—	...	—
Aprons	1961	...	3156
Night Gowns	—	...	—
Shawls	—	...	78
Stockings (Pairs)	77	...	23432
Women's Day Caps	297	...	437
Chemises	1101	...	1694
Stays	—	...	433

Articles Made and Repaired.—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Strong Dresses	2	76
Strong Drawers	—	34
Table Cloths	130	267
Towels	2017	363
Mattrass Cases	570	795
Bolster Cases	—	77
Pillow Cases	91	88
Bolster Slips	10	60
Pillow Slips	44	89
Sheets	1147	831
Bed Rugs	—	110
Blankets (Overcast)	296	232
Bonnets (Trimmed)	86	530
Garden Bonnets	—	—
Gloves	21	—
Window Blinds	8	31
Couch Covers	16	83
Carpets	433 yds.	73
Curtains	92	266
Surplices	2	4
Tray Cloths	—	—
Toilet Covers	18	—
Strong Rugs	38	—
Bags	9	—
Chair and Box Covers	6	—

Articles Made and Repaired.—Continued.

ARTICLES.	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Cloth Cloaks ..	.. —	.. 53
Cushions —	.. —
Velvet Stocks ..	.. 338	.. 18
Letters Marked ..	.. 2136	.. —

LIST OF WORK done by the Attendants and Patients as
 Mechanics, Joiners, Plumbers, Painters, Stonemasons, and
 Smiths, during the year ending December 31st, 1865.

Making and fixing wood work for new work rooms, No. 4, Male
 and Female, consisting of principals, rafters,
 beams, windows, doors, also framing for
 water closets, baths, and wash bowls, also
 shelving for store rooms.

„ wood work for twelve-stalled shippon.

„ 200 feet wood casing for steam pipes.

Making 8 bookcases for Male and Female Ward No. 6.

„ 6 oak chairs.

„ 23 tables.

„ 7 clothes boxes for attendants.

„ 2 boxes for musical instruments.

„ 1 chest of drawers.

„ 2 cupboards.

„ 24 stretchers for bed bottoms.

„ 8 packing cases.

„ 1 wood potatoe shovel.

„ 1 step ladder.

„ Alterations in Chaplain's house.

„ Ditto Superintendent's house.

„ 5 wrought iron grids for cellar areas.

„ 505 „ plates, cramps, clips, holdfasts, &c.

„ 444 „ screw bolts, and nuts, various sizes.

Making 3 wrought iron hoops and arms for washing machines.

„	4	„	dung forks.
„	1	„	turf cutter.
„	5	„	pickaxes.
„	2	„	window frames.
„	2	„	gas keys.
„	1	„	rake.
„	4	„	brick dressers.
„	1	„	hammer head.
„	140	„	shoes for horses.
„	4 prs.	„	gate bands and gudgeons.

Fixing and fitting copper tube, stop tap to kitchen boiler.

„	copper tube, elbows, &c., to cooking boiler.
„	new brass spindle to valve, laundry boiler.
„	new brass valve, laundry boiler.
„	180ft. 2in. iron steam tube to brew pan, and also stop taps, valves, condense box, &c.
„	steam pipe to drying stove.
„	water injector to cook house boiler, also ball tap, cistern, steam pipes, &c.
„	627 feet of gas tubing, various sizes, also 79 elbows and tees, 34 stop taps.
„	and making new valve motion to laundry engine.

ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS.

Pumps, mowing machines, washing machines, mangles, baths water closets, gas fixtures, doors, locks, keys, window shutters, bedsteads, stretchers, chairs, sofas, forms, benches tables, fire guards, wire fenders, wheelbarrows, tin ware &c., &c.

Plumbing and glazing.

Repairing and binding books.

ORDINARY DUES TABLE

ORDINARY DIET TABLE.

M.A.L.E.S.			
	<i>Breakfast.</i>	<i>Dinner.</i>	<i>Supper.</i>
Monday ..	1½ pint Milk Porridge, 6 oz. Bread.	Pease Soup 1½ pint, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient, 6 oz. Bread.	1 pint Tea or Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, ½ oz. Butter.
Tuesday ..	Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Wednesday ..	Ditto.	Roast Meat, (7 oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 6 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Thursday ..	Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Friday ..	Ditto.	Boiled Meat, (7 oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 6 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Saturday ..	Ditto.	Irish Stew, 1½ pint, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient, 6 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Sunday ..	Ditto.	Boiled Meat, (7 oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 6 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
F.E.M.A.L.E.S.			
	<i>Breakfast.</i>	<i>Dinner.</i>	<i>Supper.</i>
Monday ..	1½ pint Milk Porridge, 6 oz. Bread.	Pease Soup 1½ pint, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient, 4 oz. Bread,	1 pint Tea or Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, ½ oz. Butter.
Tuesday ..	Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Wednesday ..	Ditto.	Roast Meat, (5½ oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 4 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Thursday ..	Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Friday ..	Ditto.	Boiled Meat, 5½ oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 4 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Saturday ..	Ditto.	Irish Stew, 1½ pint, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient, 4 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto
Sunday ..	Ditto.	Boiled Meat, (5½ oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 4 oz. Bread, ½ pint Beer.	Ditto

EXTRA DIET TABLE FOR PATIENTS EMPLOYED.

M.A.L.E.S.	
<i>Breakfast.</i>	<i>Dinner.</i>
Monday 1½ pint Milk Porridge, 8 oz. Bread.	Pease Soup 1½ pint, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 8 oz. Bread, 2 oz. Cheese, ½ pint Beer.
Tuesday .. Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 2 oz. Bread, 2 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Wednesday .. Ditto.	Roast Meat, (7 oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 8 oz. Bread, 2 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Thursday .. Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 2 oz. Bread, 2 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Friday	Boiled Meat, (7 oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 8 oz. Bread, 2 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Saturday .. Ditto.	Irish Stew, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 8 oz. Bread, 2 oz. Cheese, ½ pint Beer.
Sunday	Boiled Meat, (7 oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 6 oz. Bread, 1 pint Beer.
	<i>Supper.</i>
	1 pint Tea or Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, ½ oz. Butter. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.
F.E.M.A.L.E.S.	
<i>Breakfast.</i>	<i>Dinner.</i>
Monday 1½ pint Milk Porridge, 6 oz. Bread.	Pease Soup 1½ pint, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. 6 oz. Bread, 1 oz. Cheese, ½ pint Beer.
Tuesday .. Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 2 oz. Bread, 1 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Wednesday .. Ditto.	Roast Meat, (5½ oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 6 oz. Bread, 1 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Thursday .. Ditto.	Meat Pies, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 2 oz. Bread, 1 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Friday	Boiled Meat, (5½ oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 6 oz. Bread, 1 oz. Cheese, 1 pint Beer.
Saturday .. Ditto.	Irish Stew, (containing 4 oz. meat for each patient,) 6 oz. Bread, 1 oz. Cheese, ½ pint Beer.
Sunday	Boiled Meat, (5½ oz. uncooked and free from bone,) 1 lb. Vegetables, 4 oz. Bread, 1 pint Beer.
	<i>Supper.</i>
	1 pint Tea or Coffee, 6 oz. Bread, ½ oz. Butter. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF TREASURER,

From 1st January to 31st December, 1865.

RECEIPTS by the Treasurer of the County Lunatic Asylum at
Prestwich from 1st January to 31st December, 1865.

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
From Unions in the County contributing to the Rates	17715	7	4			
From <i>Ex</i> -Unions in other Counties not contributing to the Rates	201	8	7			
From Bicton Asylum (Salop)	1229	11	9			
From the County Treasurer for Patients	2284	6	9			
				21430	14	5
From Sale of Farm Produce	129	0	5			
From Sale of Sundries	173	9	6			
				302	9	11
				£21733	4	4

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

From the County Treasurer	£2307	1	5
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£ s. d.
Brought Forward 3822 19 2

MEN SERVANTS.

		£	s.		
*	1 Chief Attendant	at	70	0	per annum.
*	3 Attendants	„	32	12	„
*	2 Attendants (tailors) . .	„	32	12	„
*	5 Ditto	„	30	0	„
*	1 Ditto (shoemaker) . .	„	30	0	„
*	1 Ditto do. . . .	„	0	18	per week.
*	1 Ditto (brewer)	„	35	0	per annum.
*	1 Ditto (baker)	„	37	10	„
*	15 Ditto	„	27	10	„
*	8 Ditto	„	25	0	„
*	1 Ditto	„	20	0	„
*	1 Ditto	„	15	0	„
*	1 Porter	„	30	0	„
*	1 Assistant Porter	„	6	0	„
*	1 Joiner	„	40	0	„
*	1 Plumber	„	40	0	„
†	1 Joiner	„	78	0	„
+	1 Engineer	„	72	16	„
†	1 Blacksmith	„	78	0	„
†	1 Gardener	„	54	12	„

WOMEN SERVANTS.

*	1 Attendant	at	20	0	per annum.
*	1 Ditto	„	18	10	„
*	1 Ditto (night)	„	18	0	„
*	2 Ditto	„	17	0	„
*	2 Ditto	„	16	10	„
*	2 Ditto	„	15	10	„
*	23 Ditto	„	14	0	„
*	1 Ditto	„	12	0	„
*	1 Cook	at	25	0	per annum.

Carried Forward 3822 19 2

£ s. d.

Brought Forward

.... 3822 19 2

WOMEN SERVANTS—CONTINUED.

£ s.

* 1 Laundrymaid	....	„	30	0	„
* 1 Kitchenmaid	....	„	12	0	„
* 1 Ditto	....	„	10	0	„
* 2 Housemaids	....	„	10	0	„
+ 1 Gatekeeper	....	„	0	0	6 per day.

Average Cost per head per week, 1s. 6½d.

* Boarded and Lodged.

+ House, Gas, and Coal.

‡ Neither Boarded nor Lodged.

PROVISIONS (NOT INCLUDING FARM PRODUCE).

Butcher's Meat	186702½ lbs.	..at	0	6·38	4968	2	10	
Flour	.. 1330 lds., 50 lbs.	..at	29	9·16	1979	10	6	
Meal	.. 2 lds., 228 lbs.	..at	24	1·48	3	11	2	
Beer	.. 32396 gals.	..at	0	9·24	1247	14	2	
Potatoes	.. 672½ lds.	..at	8	8·63	293	4	3	
Butter	.. 15332 lbs.	..at	1	0·07	771	8	6	
Cheese	.. 15341¼ lbs.	..at	0	6·57	420	3	9	
Sugar (moist).	29670 lbs.	..at	0	4·02	497	3	6	
Sugar (lump).	216 lbs.	..at	0	6·86	6	3	6	
Tea	.. 4664 lbs., 12 oz.	..at	2	0·54	477	2	0	
Coffee	.. 3386 lbs.	..at	1	3·02	212	0	8	
Chicory	.. 560 lbs.	..at	0	6·72	15	13	10	
Tobacco	.. 743 lbs., 7 oz.	..at	3	3·34	121	17	4	
Snuff	.. 4 lbs.	..at	4	3	0	17	0	
Peas	.. .. ..	..	..	..	89	12	9
Rice, Sago, &c.	.. .. ..	..	..	..	76	11	0
Groceries	64	1	1	
Miscellaneous	67	6	2	
							—————	11312 4 0

Average Cost per head per week, 4s. 5·56d.

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Carried Forward

.... 15135 3 2

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought Forward</i>			15135	3	2

FUEL, LIGHTING, AND WASHING.

Coal	..	..	..	..	958	6	5
Cannel for Gas	..	..	..	..	207	4	2
Soap	..	..	..	..	255	17	3
Water	..	..	..	..	183	13	0
Sundries	..	..	..	..	99	18	2
								1704 19 0

Average Cost per head per week, 8·08d.

SURGERY.

Drugs	..	..	..	..	80	1	0
Sundries	..	..	..	..	37	2	3
								117 3 3

Average Cost per head per week, 0·55d.

WINES, SPIRITS, AND PORTER.

Wine and Spirits	..	..	..	..	85	16	0
Porter	62	0	0	
								147 16 0

Average Cost per head per week, 0·71d.

FUNERALS.

Funerals	82	13	0
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FARMING EXPENSES.

Farming Expenses (Less Produce Sold)	696	10	6
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Average Cost per head per week, 3·29d.

<i>Carried Forward</i>	£17884	4	11
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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought Forward</i>	1788	4	11		

OFFICES.

Offices	46	7	6
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Average cost per head per week, 0·22d.

CLOTHING.

Clothing	2529	12	2
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Average Cost per head per week, 11·98d.

FURNISHING.

Furniture and Bedding	853	10	4
Crockery Ware	104	6	6
Brushes	45	2	10
	<hr style="width: 100%;"/>	1002	19 8

Average Cost per head per week, 4·75d.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Newspapers and Periodicals	40	13	8
Travelling Expenses	31	10	0½
Taxes	9	15	0
Music	57	11	6
Sundries	258	5	2½
	<hr style="width: 100%;"/>	397	15 5

Average Cost per head per week, 1·89d.

Building and Repair Fund, additions to No. 4 Ward ..	1163	19	10
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Total....	£23024	19 6
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RECAPITULATION OF AVERAGES.

				s.	d.
Salaries and Wages..	1	6.1
Provisions	4	5.56
Fuel, Lighting, and Washing	0	8.08
Surgery	..	..	..	0	0.55
Wine, Spirits, and Porter	..	..	..	0	0.71
Farming Expenses	0	3.29
Offices	0	0.22
Clothing	0	11.98
Furnishing	0	4.75
Miscellaneous	0	1.89
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				8	7.13

For 972 patients, average Cost per head per week, 8s. 7.13d.

N.B.—The amount shown above as the average cost, viz., 8s. 7.13d., is caused by the adoption, by the Committee, of the system of paying the Tradesmen's Accounts and Servants' Wages monthly instead of quarterly, which has caused, so far as regards these payments, fourteen months' expenses to be included in the year's accounts. The actual cost during the above period has been 7s. 10.72d. per head per week.

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

			£	s.	d.
Rent of Land ..	..	..	146	17	6
Fire Insurance	..	..	48	0	1
Ordinary Repairs	..	..	1512	18	9
Extraordinary Repairs	..	..	14	13	6
Ordinary Miscellaneous	..	..	14	8	8
Extraordinary Miscellaneous	..	..	34	4	8
Asphalting Airing Grounds	100	15	0
Additions and Alterations	227	14	3
New Buildings	120	1	3
Church	90	7	0
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				2310	0 8
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				£2310	0 8
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BALANCE SHEET,
GENERAL STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS on
Between the 1st day of January

Dr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance as per last statement				517	3	9
RECEIPTS.						
From Unions and Parishes in the County ..	17715	7	4			
" " " in other Counties ..	201	8	7			
" Bicton Asylum (Salop) ..	1229	11	9			
" County Treasurer for Patients..	2284	6	9			
				21430	14	5
" Sale of Farm Produce ..	129	0	5			
" " Sundries ..	173	9	6			
				302	9	11
Balance due to the Bank..	979	6	2			
Cheques outstanding ..	189	3	2			
				1168	9	4
Less Cash in Treasurer's hands ..	91	8	0			
				1077	1	4
				£23327	9	5

Feb. 14th, 1866.—Examined and found correct,

H. W. JOHNSTON, County Auditor.

STATEMENT of the FINANCIAL MAINTENANCE AFFAIRS of

	£	s.	d.
To Amount due for Maintenance of Patients ..	3323	2	11
" " due for Sundry Articles Sold ..	75	3	5
			£3398
			6
			4

SAML. RIDLEY SMITH,
Treasurer and Clerk.
J. SHEPHERD BIRLEY, Chairman.

SAMUEL ASHTON, }
JOHN KAY, } Auditors.

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

ACCOUNT of the COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM at PRESTWICH,
on the 31st day of December, 1865.

				Cr.					
PAYMENTS.									
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries	..	..	..	1825	9	6			
Wages	..	..	..	1967	9	8			
Provisions	..	..	..	11312	4	0			
Fuel, Lighting, Washing, &c.			..	1704	19	0			
Surgery	..	..	..	117	3	3			
Wines, Spirits, and Porter			..	147	16	0			
Funerals	..	..	..	82	13	0			
Farming Expenses	..	..	..	696	10	6			
Offices	..	..	..	46	7	6			
Clothing	..	..	..	2529	12	2			
Furnishing	..	..	..	1002	19	8			
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	397	15	5			
Building and Repair Fund			..	1163	19	10			
							23024	19	6
Farm Produce and Sundry Articles sold, <i>as per contra</i>			..				302	9	11
							£23327	9	5

COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM at LANCASTER, 31st Dec. 1865.

				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Balance brought down	..	..	..	1077	1	4			
„ Salaries and Wages due	..	..	..	593	18	7			
„ Amounts to Sundry Tradesmen	..	..	..	1478	13	8			
							3149	13	7
Balance in favour of the Asylum	..	..	..				248	12	9
							£3399	6	4

BALANCE SHEET,
 GENERAL STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS
 ASYLUM, PRESTWICH, from the

Dr.

To Balance as per last statement 5 0 9

RECEIPTS.

From the County Treasurer 2307 1 5

£2312 2 2

Feb. 14th, 1866.—Examined and found correct,
 H. W. JOHNSTON, County Auditor.

SAML. RIDLEY SMITH,
 Treasurer and Clerk.

SAMUEL ASHTON, } Auditors.
 JOHN KAY, }

J. SHEPHERD BIRLEY, Chairman.

BUILDING AND
 GENERAL STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS on
 from the 1st January, 1865, to the 31st December, 1865.

To Amount received from Counties, Boroughs, and Unions
 which have not contributed towards the erection of the
 Asylum, being the excess over the ordinary weekly
 charge £1407 15 6

Feb. 14th, 1866.—Examined and found correct,
 H. W. JOHNSTON, County Auditor.

SAML. RIDLEY SMITH,
 Treasurer and Clerk.

SAMUEL ASHTON, } Auditors.
 JOHN KAY, }

J. SHEPHERD BIRLEY, Chairman.

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

CHARGED TO THE COUNTY on ACCOUNT of the LUNATIC
1st January, 1865, to the 31st December, 1865.

		PAYMENTS.			Cr.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Rent of Land..	..	146	17	6			
Fire Insurance	..	48	0	1			
Ordinary Repairs	..	1512	18	9			
Extraordinary Repairs	..	14	13	6			
Ordinary Miscellaneous	..	14	8	8			
Extraordinary Miscellaneous	..	34	4	8			
Asphalting Airing Grounds	..	100	15	0			
Additions and Alterations	..	227	14	3			
New Buildings	..	120	1	3			
Church	..	90	7	0			
					2310	0	8
Balance	..				2	1	6
					<u>£2312</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

REPAIR FUND.

ACCOUNT of the COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM, PRESTWICH,
(25th and 26th Vict., cap. 111, sec. 6.)

By Erection of additional day-rooms to No. 4 Male and Female						
Wards	..	..	..	1163	19	10
Balance unexpended	..	..	..	243	15	8
				<u>£1407</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>

GARDEN AND

From the 1st January to

Dr.

1864.

Dec. 31.—To value of Stock on hand, viz. :—

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
17 Cows	266	0	0			
14 Pigs	90	0	0			
Hay	57	12	0			
Turnips	10	0	0			
Oats	30	0	0			
Straw	26	13	4			
1865,				480	5	4
Sundry Purchases, viz. :—						
18 Cows	279	1	0			
36 Pigs	59	1	6			
1 Horse	30	0	0			
				368	2	6
Provender	195	1	6			
Hay	22	15	1			
Straw	24	13	3			
Seeds and Plants	32	9	1			
Manure	32	4	9			
Implements	5	14	0			
Veterinary Surgeon	24	19	6			
Cowman and Labourer's Wages	81	12	0			
Sundries	37	19	3			
				457	8	5
Gardener's Wages				54	12	0
Rent of Land, 54 acres	146	17	6			
" 35 " (estimated)	87	10	0			
Property Tax	3	8	0			
				237	15	6
Grains and Pig-wash from the Asylum, valued at				101	10	0
Gain				221	8	0
				£1021	1	9

FARM ACCOUNT.

31st December, 1865.

Cr.

1865.

Dec. 31.—By Sundries supplied to the Asylum:—

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Milk ..45771 quarts, valued at 0s. 2½d. ..	476	15	7			
Butter .. 1119½ lbs. ,, 1s. 4d. ..	74	12	8			
Meat ..13152 lbs. ,, 0s. 6½d. ..	356	4	0			
Potatoes.. 395 lds. ,, 6s. 0d. ..	118	10	0			
Ditto(chats) 53 lds. ,, 3s. 6d. ..	9	5	6			
Vegetables, as per Gardener's book ..	50	13	7			
				1086	1	4
By Produce Sold				129	0	5

STOCK ON HAND.

1 Horse	40	0	0
24 Cows and 2 Calves	376	0	0
21 Pigs	98	0	0
10 Loads Wheat, 30s.	15	0	0
2000 Stone of Hay, 6d.	50	0	0
800 Stone of Straw, 4½d.,	5	12	6
380 Loads of Potatoes, 6s.	114	0	0
25 Loads of do. (chats), 3s. 6d.	4	7	6
3 Tons of Turnips, 20s.	3	0	0
	706	0	0

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