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ON the first of January, 1858, the Number of Patients in the Asylum was 329 (viz: 152 Males and 177 Females.) In the course of the year 100 Patients viz: 50 Males and* 50 Females) were admitted; 48 (viz: 22 Men and 26 Women) were discharged Recovered; 9 (viz: 2 Men and 7 Women) were discharged Relieved; 1 Woman was discharged not improved; and 33 (viz: 15 Men and 18 Women) died.—The number of Patients remaining in the Asylum on the 31st, December, 1858, was consequently 338 [viz: 163 Men and 175 Women].—This shows an aggregate increase on the number of Patients remaining at the end of the previous year of 9,—an actual decrease of 2 in the number of Women, and a consequent increase of 11 on the part of the Men alone.

The daily average number of Patients resident during the year, 1858, was 337 [viz: 156 Men and 180 Women].

* No person was admitted twice in the course of this year, excepting one Woman. This circumstance reduces the number of Females received to 49 individuals, and the aggregate number of individuals of both Sexes admitted during the year 1858 from 100 to 99.

Comparing the number of Recoveries with the average number of Patients resident during the year 1858, the proportion is found to be about 14.273 per Cent., or 14.102 on the Men, and 14.444 on the Women.—The general average per Centage of Recoveries during the preceding 13 years was 19.9 upon both sexes; 16.619 on the Men, and 22.777 on the Women. [See Table A].

With respect to the Mortality during the past year, the general per centage of Deaths on the average number of Patients of both Sexes was 9.79; that of the Men being 9.615, and that of the Women 10.—This per centage of Deaths is below the aggregate average proportion of the 13 preceding years which amounts to 13.67 on the Men, and 8.36 on the Women; or a total per centage of 10.99 on the average number of Patients of both Sexes resident during that period. [See Table B].

TABLE A. exhibiting the average number of Patients in the Asylum during each year from the period of its opening in 1845 with the actual annual numbers of Recoveries, and the per centage of those upon the respective annual average numbers of each sex.

| Year. | Average number of Patients. | | | Actual Number of Recoveries. | | | Per Centage of Recoveries. | | |
|-------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|------------------------------|----|----|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| | M. | F. | T. | M. | F. | T. | M. | F. | T. |
| 1845 | 36.173 | 29.826 | 66. | 4 | 3 | 7 | 11.07 | 10.06 | 10.565 |
| 1846 | 50.44 | 49.56 | 100. | 7 | 14 | 21 | 13.86 | 28.28 | 21. |
| 1847 | 61 | 57. | 118. | 14 | 25 | 39 | 22.9 | 43.8 | 33.005 |
| 1848 | 69.84 | 63.15 | 133. | 11 | 16 | 27 | 15.75 | 25.2 | 20.4 |
| 1849 | 80.44 | 74.59 | 155.03 | 14 | 30 | 44 | 17.03 | 40.02 | 28.5 |
| 1850 | 95.12 | 91.18 | 186.30 | 20 | 26 | 46 | 21.02 | 28.5 | 24.3 |
| 1851 | 103.87 | 108.57 | 212.44 | 16 | 22 | 38 | 15.307 | 20.26 | 17.88 |
| 1852 | 105.11 | 121.42 | 226.53 | 16 | 20 | 36 | 15.22 | 16.47 | 15.83 |
| 1853 | 114.78 | 136.25 | 251.03 | 19 | 32 | 51 | 16.54 | 23.49 | 20.01 |
| 1854 | 131.34 | 162.288 | 293.4 | 26 | 27 | 53 | 19.82 | 16.66 | 18.24 |
| 1855 | 152. | 164. | 316. | 29 | 25 | 54 | 19.08 | 15.24 | 17.16 |
| 1856 | 154. | 166. | 320. | 17 | 20 | 37 | 11.04 | 12.03 | 11.56 |
| 1857 | 154.134 | 174.865 | 329. | 27 | 28 | 55 | 17.419 | 16.091 | 16.717 |
| 1858 | 104.610 | 112.764 | 217.40 | 22 | 26 | 48 | 14.102 | 14.444 | 14.273 |

TABLE B. exhibiting the average number of Patients in the Asylum during each year from the period of its opening in 1845, with the actual annual numbers of Deaths, and the per centage of those to the respective annual average numbers of each sex.

| Years. | Average number of Patients. | | | Actual Number of Deaths. | | | Per Centage of Deaths. | | |
|--------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|--------------------------|----|----|------------------------|-------|-------|
| | M. | F. | T. | M. | F. | T. | M. | F. | T. |
| 1845 | 36.173 | 29.826 | 66 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 13.9 | 0 | 7. |
| 1846 | 50.44 | 49.56 | 100. | 10 | 4 | 14 | 20. | 8. | 14. |
| 1847 | 61. | 57. | 118. | 13 | 3 | 16 | 21.3 | 5.26 | 13.28 |
| 1848 | 69.84 | 63.15 | 133. | 9 | 7 | 16 | 13.8 | 11.1 | 12. |
| 1849 | 80.44 | 74.59 | 155.03 | 8 | 8 | 16 | 9.9 | 10.7 | 10.32 |
| 1850 | 95.12 | 91.18 | 186.30 | 10 | 11 | 21 | 10.5 | 12.06 | 11.28 |
| 1851 | 103.87 | 108.57 | 212.44 | 19 | 11 | 30 | 18.3 | 10.1 | 14.21 |
| 1852 | 105.11 | 121.42 | 226.53 | 16 | 10 | 26 | 15.2 | 8.2 | 11.7 |
| 1853 | 114.78 | 136.25 | 251.03 | 5 | 10 | 15 | 4.3 | 7.3 | 5.8 |
| 1854 | 131.34 | 162.288 | 293.4 | 16 | 10 | 26 | 12.2 | 6.2 | 9.4 |
| 1855 | 152. | 164. | 316. | 17 | 13 | 30 | 11.1 | 7.9 | 9.5 |
| 1856 | 154. | 166. | 320. | 19 | 14 | 33 | 12.3 | 8.7 | 10.5 |
| 1857 | 154.134 | 174.865 | 329. | 23 | 23 | 46 | 14.93 | 13.21 | 13.98 |
| 1858 | 104.610 | 112.764 | 217.40 | 15 | 18 | 33 | 9.615 | 10. | 9.79 |

Notwithstanding the intention expressed in the brief Report of last year to complete the description of those extensive improvements which have rendered the Institution so much more efficient for its purpose than it ever was before, the Medical Superintendent has not yet had the opportunity of executing that intention, and must consequently again postpone the proposed statement until he can have such assistance in the discharge of his general duties as will enable him to draw it up without interruption and without embarrassment.

RICHARD OLIVER, M.D.

January 1st, 1859.

The following is a List of the various Articles made and repaired by the Patients during the year 1858.

| NEW. | | CARPENTERS' WORK, | | REPAIRED. | |
|------------------------------|-----|---------------------------|----|-----------|--|
| Water Closets | 3 | Water Closets | 60 | | |
| Picture Frames..... | 152 | Bed Stretchers..... | 61 | | |
| Sets of Shelves..... | 4 | Tables | 20 | | |
| Single ditto | 8 | Doors | 18 | | |
| Knife Boxes..... | 4 | Benches | 23 | | |
| Salt Boxes..... | 3 | Knife Boxes..... | 3 | | |
| Cash Boxes..... | 2 | Salt ditto..... | 4 | | |
| Washhand Tables..... | 4 | Picture Frames..... | 10 | | |
| Lavatory Tables | 3 | Chairs | 30 | | |
| Side-Tables for Sculleries.. | 2 | Sets of Steps..... | 9 | | |
| Bedside Table | 1 | Ladders..... | 5 | | |
| Bed Stretchers..... | 2 | Coal Bunkers | 3 | | |
| Small Stools..... | 2 | Cupboards..... | 4 | | |
| Bench for Shed, 60 ft.... | 1 | Window Shutters..... | 25 | | |
| Roofs of Shed & Tool House | 2 | „ Sashes..... | 5 | | |
| Slop Sinks | 6 | „ Blind Rollers | 14 | | |
| Boards for Spittoons | 14 | Bedsteads..... | 49 | | |
| Nail Boxes for Steward's | | Night Tables..... | 40 | | |
| Office. | 15 | Broom Racks | 7 | | |
| Corner Cupboard for front | | Fire Guards..... | 10 | | |
| Office..... | 1 | Floors | 8 | | |
| Small Doors for Bell-pulls | 4 | Shower Baths, repairing & | | | |
| Bosses for Gas Brackets .. | 6 | ventilating | 8 | | |
| Towel Rails | 10 | Ventilators | 12 | | |
| Hand-rails for Staircases.. | 2 | Locks | 80 | | |
| Window frame and Sash.. | 1 | Hot Air Flues | 7 | | |
| Window Shutter | 1 | Plate Rack | 1 | | |
| Frames for Attic Window | | Baskets and Hod..... | 30 | | |
| Guards | 4 | Fixing Door Panes | 3 | | |
| Rails for Window Vallances | 10 | Wickets..... | 4 | | |
| Rollers for Window Blinds | 2 | Wheelbarrows | 46 | | |
| Frames for Canvass Doors | 2 | Hand Carts..... | 2 | | |
| Locks, fixing..... | 13 | Washing Machine | 1 | | |
| Ventilators, fixing | 6 | | | | |
| Door Pads..... | 2 | | | | |
| Casings for Pipes..... | 7 | | | | |
| Casings for Wall Fruit Trees | 17 | | | | |
| Sets of Steps..... | 2 | | | | |
| Floors | 3 | | | | |
| Strong Oak plank Stages for | | | | | |
| Well | 2 | | | | |

NEW. CARPENTERS' WORK CONTINUED.

| | |
|--|----|
| Garden Wicket..... | 1 |
| Helves for Picks, Mattocks and Hoes | 15 |
| Pig-troughs | 2 |
| Washing Machine | 1 |
| Clothes Horse | 1 |
| Wheelbarrows | 8 |
| Pair of Cart wheels | 3 |

WOMEN'S WORK.*

| | | | |
|------------------------|-----|---------------------------|-----|
| Aprons, Check | 394 | Sheets | 214 |
| „ Wrapper..... | 212 | Shifts, Cotton..... | 277 |
| Blinds | 44 | „ Flannel..... | 92 |
| Bonnets | 125 | Shirts, Linen | 302 |
| Caps..... | 428 | „ Flannel..... | 230 |
| Cotton Drawers..... | 4 | Stockings, Pairs of | 308 |
| Dresses..... | 195 | Tablecloths | 18 |
| Gowns, Night | 100 | Towels | 137 |
| Kerchiefs | 262 | Tippets..... | 8 |
| Petticoats, Upper..... | 84 | | |
| „ Flannel | 110 | | |
| Pillow Cases..... | 131 | | |
| Rugs, Quilted | 23 | | |
| „ Bound | 18 | | |

* This is a list of New Articles only. The time of the Women is occupied as much in mending as in making.

New Work done in Tailors' Room for Year ending

December 31st, 1858.—

| | | |
|----------------|------------------|---------------------|
| 65 Jackets | 84 Stocks | 17 Sofa Cushions |
| 112 Trousers | 144 Pillow Ticks | 14 Coir Carpets |
| 100 Vests | 12 Drawers | 9 Epileptic Pillows |
| 292 Mattresses | | |

1858.—Repairing for same Year.—

| | | |
|---------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1522 Jackets | 327 Mattresses | 71 Tunics |
| 1514 Trousers | 120 Bedside Carpets | 881 Smock Frocks |
| 1114 Vests | | |

TABLE 1: showing the number of Patients in the Asylum, with the numbers of Admissions,

Discharges, and Deaths, during the year ended December 31st, 1858.

| | Remaining January 1st, 1858. | Admitted | Discharged Recovered. | Discharged Believed. | Discharged Not improved. | Died. | Remaining Jan. 1st, 1859. |
|------------|---------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|------------------------------|
| MALES..... | 152 | 50 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 163 |
| FEMALES | 177 | 50 | 26 | 7 | 1 | 18 | 175 |
| TOTALS ... | 329 | 100 | 48 | 9 | 1 | 33 | 338 |

TABLE 2: exhibiting the numbers of Patients with respect to the conditions of Celibacy, Marriage, and Widowhood, admitted during the Year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Totals. |
|---------------|--------|----------|---------|
| Single | 25 | 21 | 46 |
| Married | 21 | 22 | 43 |
| Widowed | 4 | 6 | 10 |
| Unknown | | 1 | 1 |

TABLE 3: showing the Ages of the Patients admitted during the Year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Totals. |
|-----------------|--------|----------|---------|
| Under 15, | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Between 15 & 20 | 6 | 3 | 9 |
| „ 20 & 25 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| „ 25 & 30 | 8 | 6 | 14 |
| „ 30 & 35 | 2 | 9 | 11 |
| „ 35 & 40 | 6 | 3 | 9 |
| „ 40 & 45 | 7 | 6 | 13 |
| „ 45 & 50 | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| „ 50 & 55 | 1 | 4 | 5 |
| „ 55 & 60 | 6 | 5 | 11 |
| „ 60 & 65 | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| „ 65 & 70 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| „ 70 & 75 | 1 | | 1 |
| „ 75 & 80 | 1 | | 1 |
| „ 80 & 85 | | 2 | 2 |

TABLE 4: exhibiting the supposed duration of the Malady at the time of Admission in the whole of the Cases admitted during the Year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Totals. |
|----------------------|--------|----------|---------|
| Less than 1 month .. | 13 | 14 | 27 |
| „ 2 months .. | 8 | 5 | 13 |
| „ 3 „ .. | 5 | 8 | 13 |
| „ 4 „ .. | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| „ 5 „ .. | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| „ 6 „ .. | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| „ 9 „ .. | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| More than 1 year .. | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| „ 2 years .. | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| „ 3 „ .. | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| „ 4 „ .. | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| „ 5 „ .. | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| „ 8 „ .. | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| „ 25 „ .. | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| During Life .. | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| Uncertain .. | 0 | 1 | 1 |

TABLE 5: exhibiting the supposed duration of the Disease at the time of Admission in the Cases discharged Recovered in the Year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Totals. |
|----------------------|--------|----------|---------|
| Less than 1 week .. | 5 | 7 | 12 |
| „ 2 weeks .. | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| „ 3 „ .. | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| „ 4 „ .. | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| More than 1 month .. | 8 | 3 | 11 |
| „ 2 months .. | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| „ 3 „ .. | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| „ 5 „ .. | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| „ 6 „ .. | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| „ 1 year .. | 1 | 0 | 1 |

TABLE 6: showing the Occupations, or Stations in life of the
Patients admitted during the Year 1858.

| MALES. | | FEMALES. | |
|----------------------------|----|------------------------------|----|
| Bargeman's Child | 1 | Beadle's Widow..... | 1 |
| Butchers' Labourers | 2 | Bricklayer's Wife | 1 |
| Carpenter | 1 | Butcher's Wife | 1 |
| Cabinet Maker | 1 | Bricklayer's Widow | 1 |
| Chemist's Assistant | 1 | Carpenter's Daughter | 1 |
| Farmers | 2 | Char Women | 2 |
| Farmers' Sons | 3 | Convict | 1 |
| Farmer's Servant | 1 | Dissenting Minister's Daugh- | |
| Gamekeeper | 1 | ter | 1 |
| Gardener..... | 1 | Farmer's Widow..... | 1 |
| Grocer's Assistant | 1 | Farmer's Niece | 1 |
| Hawker | 1 | Fireman's Wife..... | 1 |
| Herbalist | 1 | Gatekeeper's Wife | 1 |
| Hostler | 1 | Housekeeper in a Gentleman's | |
| Labourers | 14 | Family | 1 |
| Miller | 1 | Labouring Woman | 1 |
| Miners | 3 | Labourer's Wives | 12 |
| Pig Dealer | 1 | Labourer's Widow..... | 1 |
| Printer | 1 | Painters' Wives | 2 |
| Printer's Apprentice | 1 | Porter's Wife | 1 |
| Puddlers..... | 2 | Publican's Widow..... | 1 |
| Relieving Officer | 1 | Saddler's Wife | 1 |
| Sawyer..... | 1 | Servants, (Domestic) .. | 15 |
| Schoolmaster | 1 | Shoemaker's Wife..... | 1 |
| Shoemaker | 1 | Steward's Daughter | 1 |
| Spirit Merchant..... | 1 | | |
| Stonemason | 1 | | |
| Wheelwright | 1 | | |

TABLE 7 : exhibiting the degrees of Education of the Patients admitted during the year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Totals. |
|-------------------------|--------|----------|---------|
| Well educated | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| Moderately educated ... | 6 | 4 | 10 |
| Can read and write ... | 21 | 16 | 37 |
| Can read only | 14 | 22 | 36 |
| Cannot read | 6 | 6 | 12 |

TABLE 8 : showing the Forms of the Malady in the Cases admitted during the year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Totals. |
|--|--------|----------|---------|
| Mania | 10 | 15 | 25 |
| Monomania, (including Melancholia) | 21 | 23 | 44 |
| Dementia | 15 | 11 | 26 |
| Moral Insanity | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Transient Delirium ... | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Idiocy | 1 | 0 | 1 |

TABLE 9 : showing the number of Attacks of the Malady sustained by the Patients admitted during the year 1858.

| | 1st. | 2nd. | 3rd. | 4th. | 5th. | 7th. | 12th | 16th | Un- ascertained. |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---------------------|
| Males ... | 32 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | | |
| Females | 32 | 9 | 2 | 4 | | 1 | | 1 | 1 |
| Total ... | 64 | 19 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

TABLE 10: exhibiting the conjectured principal Causes of the Malady in the Cases admitted in the Year 1858.

| | Males. | Females. | Total. |
|---|--------|----------|--------|
| Age and Poverty... .. | | 2 | 2 |
| Anxiety from loss of Employment | 1 | | 1 |
| " " embarrassment in Service | 1 | | 1 |
| Anxiety from domestic troubles and disease | | 1 | 1 |
| " from Grief for the death of his Wife | 1 | | 1 |
| " scruples of Conscience... | | 1 | 1 |
| Cancer of the Uterus | | 1 | 1 |
| Climacteric Debility | 2 | | 2 |
| " " and previous Attacks | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| " " and Poverty | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Constitutional Debility | | 1 | 1 |
| " " and previous Attacks | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Critical Period of Life... .. | | 1 | 1 |
| Developement (physical) precocious | 1 | | 1 |
| " " (") defective | 1 | | 1 |
| Epilepsy | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| Habit of Intemperance | 7 | | 7 |
| " " and previous Attacks | 3 | | 3 |
| " Solitude | | 1 | 1 |
| " " and previous Attacks | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| " Self-abuse | 1 | | 1 |
| Hysteria | | 2 | 2 |
| Inheritance (Constitutional) | 10 | 5 | 15 |
| " and previous Attacks | 3 | 5 | 8 |
| " and dissolute habits | | 1 | 1 |
| " and Fright | | 1 | 1 |
| Poverty | 6 | 9 | 15 |
| " and previous Attacks | 2 | 7 | 9 |
| Unascertainable | 4 | 7 | 11 |

TABLE 11: showing the Causes of Death, Durations of the Mental Malady, Durations of the time of Residence in the Asylum, and Ages at the period of Death in the cases which terminated fatally in the year 1858.

| Number of Case. | | CAUSES OF DEATH. | Form of Disease. | Duration of Insanity. | Duration of Residence. | Age at Death. |
|-----------------|-----------|---|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| | | MALES. | | | | |
| 1252 J.B. | Head. | Encephalitis acute | Dementia .. | 25 Days .. | 18 Days .. | 31 |
| 902 T.W. | " | Epilepsy with Valvular Disease of Heart and Marasmus. | " | Many Years | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ Years .. | 80 |
| 869 W.B. | " | " " Hydrothorax and Anasarca. | Melancholia | 4 Years .. | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " .. | 36 |
| 524 T.T. | " | " resulting in Adynamic Fever | Idiocy | Life | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ " .. | 36 |
| 1127 S.C. | " | " " Asphyxia during a Fit | Dementia .. | 2 Years .. | 11 Months .. | 20 |
| 40 E.E. | " | " " Pneumonia | " | 20 " .. | 13 Years .. | 34 |
| 972 J.T. | " | Paralysis General resulting in Asthenia | " | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " .. | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ " .. | 47 |
| 967 E.F.H. | " | " " " | " | 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ " .. | 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ " .. | 55 |
| 1236 E.C. | " | " " " | " | 3 Weeks .. | 1 Week .. | 22 |
| 977 J.W.H. | Thorax. | Maniacal Pervigilium | Mania | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ Years .. | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Years .. | 67 |
| 424 C.H. | " | Heart, Rupture of | Monomania. | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " .. | 8 " .. | 86 |
| 96 S.S. | " | Bronchitis | Dementia .. | 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ " .. | 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ " .. | 42 |
| 1262 P.W. | Blood, | Pleuripneumonia Hydrothorax | " | 2 " .. | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ Months.. | 75 |
| 1296 J.G. | " | Anemia resulting in Asthenia | " | 9 Months.. | 3 " .. | 38 |
| 1235 W.K. | Accident. | Fracture of Cervix Femoris | Melancholia | 5 " .. | 3 " .. | 66 |

| Number of Case. | | CAUSES OF DEATH. | | Form of Disease. | Duration of Insanity. | Duration of Residence. | Age at Death |
|-----------------|----------|---|---|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------|
| | | FEMALE. | | | | | |
| 128 M.P. | Head. | Apoplexy | supervening on Heart Disease .. | Dementia .. | 42 Years | 12½ Years .. | 67 |
| 781 J.R. | " | " | Brain, Chronic Disease of resulting in Marasmus | " | 4½ " | 4½ " | 84 |
| 1033 R.E. | " | " | " | " | 2½ " | 2 " | 50 |
| 448 E.R. | " | " | " | " | 21 " | 7½ " | 74 |
| 979 A.H. | " | " | Epilepsy resulting in Arachnitis | " | 21 " | 3½ " | 24 |
| 480 M.U. | " | " | Pneumonia | " | 8½ " | 7½ " | 35 |
| 913 A.J. | " | " | Paralysis General resulting in Asthenia and Bedsores .. | " | 3 " | 2½ " | 41 |
| 1047 M.M. | " | " | " | " | 2 " | 1½ " | 32 |
| 1188 M.H. | Thorax. | Heart, Atrophy with Dilatation of | Fatty Degeneration of | Idiocy .. | Life | 5 Months .. | 27 |
| 1107 E.R. | " | " | Disorder Chronic of Digestive Organs, with Obstinate Constipation | Melancholia .. | 1½ Year .. | 1½ Year .. | 56 |
| 924 H.D. | Abdomen. | " | " | Monomania. | 3½ " | 3 " and 5 Months. | 58 |
| 285 M.E. | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| 1283 M.L. | " | " | in Asthenia and Bedsores | Dementia .. | 9½ " | 9½ Years .. | 79 |
| 1167 A.A. | " | " | Dysentery, resulting in Asthenia | Monomania. | 1½ " | 5 Months .. | 65 |
| 104 M.P. | " | " | " and Bedsores | Dementia | 11 Months .. | 10½ " | 59 |
| 282 A.M. | " | " | " | Monomania. | Many Years | 12 Years .. | 82 |
| 1249 H.T. | Blood. | " | Hernia Crural Strangulated | Dementia .. | 14 Years | 9½ " | 54 |
| 1237 S.P. | " | " | Cancer Uteri | " | 4 Months .. | 3 Months .. | 35 |
| | | " | " | Mania | 1½ Year .. | 9 " | 49 |

AN ACCOUNT
OF ALL MONEYS RECEIVED AND PAID
BY THE TREASURER,
OR OTHERWISE, ON ACCOUNT
OF THE
SALOP AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES
LUNATIC ASYLUM.

An account of all moneys received or paid by the Treasurer or other-
Asylum, in respect of Maintenance, Building, and

| Balance in the Treasurer's hands, Jan. 1st, 1858 | £. s. d. | £ s. d. |
|--|----------|-------------|
| | | 2117 8 1 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Received in respect of Maintenance— | | |
| From Unions and Parishes for the Care and Maintenance of Patients | 8197 5 3 | |
| Salop County Treasurer, for Patients chargeable to the County of Salop... | 140 1 11 | |
| Montgomery County Treasurer, for Pa- tients chargeable to the County of Montgomery | 24 15 6 | |
| Shrewsbury Borough Treasurer, for Pa- tients chargeable to the Borough of Shrewsbury | 62 0 10 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total Received in respect of Maintenance | | 8424 3 6 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Received in respect of Building— | | |
| From Salop County Treasurer, (see page 12.) | 997 0 0 | |
| „ Montgomery ditto, (see page 14.)... | 399 11 3 | |
| „ Wenlock Borough Treasurer, (see page 14.) | 131 0 5 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total Received in respect of Buildings... | | 1527 11 8 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Received in respect of Repairs— | | |
| From Salop County Treasurer, (see page 12.) | 161 3 8 | |
| „ Montgomery ditto, (see page 14.) | 61 5 2 | |
| „ Wenlock Borough Treasurer, [see page 14.] | 19 14 2 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total Received in respect of Repairs ... | | 242 3 00 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Received in respect of Rent— | | |
| From Shrewsbury Borough Treasurer, | 100 0 0 | |
| „ Oswestry ditto ditto | 20 10 0 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | | 120 10 00 |
| | <hr/> | |
| Carried forward | | 12431 16 30 |

Account.

wise, on account of the Salop and Montgomery Counties Lunatic Repairs, for the year ending December 31st, 1858.

| Paid in respect of Maintenance, for— | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|--|------|----|----|------|----|----|
| SALARIES AND WAGES, | | | | | | |
| Medical Superintendent, £360, [less } Maintenance of Family and } Private Patient £48 14s. 6d..... } | 311 | 5 | 6 | | | |
| Assistant Medical Officer, [$\frac{1}{2}$ year.] | 40 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Clerk..... | 50 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Chaplain | 40 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Treasurer | 20 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Steward and Semstress | 60 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Engineer | 52 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Dispenser, [$\frac{1}{4}$ year] | 14 | 7 | 0 | | | |
| 17 Male Attendants | 473 | 4 | 2 | | | |
| 16 Female ditto..... | 195 | 13 | 4 | | | |
| Cook and Laundress, at £15 | 30 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Laundry, Kitchen, and Scullery Maids | 23 | 15 | 0 | | | |
| Gate Keeper | 6 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| Assistants | 1 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| Total for Salaries..... | | | | 1318 | 4 | 6 |
| PROVISIONS, | | | | | | |
| Beef, Roasting Pieces, 438lbs. at 7d. 252lbs. at 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d | 19 | 11 | 11 | | | |
| „ Boiling, 18739lbs. at 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. 17872lbs. at 5d..... | 801 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| Mutton, 3704lbs. at 7d. 3107 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. at 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. | 192 | 4 | 7 | | | |
| Other Meat | 8 | 8 | 9 | | | |
| Suet, 190lbs. 7d. 150lbs. at 6d..... | 9 | 5 | 10 | | | |
| Cheese, 7265lbs. at 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. to 6d. 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. at 8d. | 176 | 17 | 3 | | | |
| Butter, Salt, 3848lbs. at 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ d, 4790lbs at 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ d | 466 | 14 | 1 | | | |
| „ Fresh, 209lbs. at 14d. to 17d..... | 13 | 17 | 10 | | | |
| Milk, New, 1098qts, at 2d..... | 9 | 3 | 0 | | | |
| „ Skimmed, 26294qts. at 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ d | 93 | 18 | 1 | | | |
| Bread, 130761lbs. at 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ d. to 1 $\frac{7}{8}$ d..... | 804 | 14 | 0 | | | |
| Flour, 44 sacks, at 38s. to 55s | 90 | 14 | 3 | | | |
| Oatmeal, 13 sacks, at 38s. 2 ditto, at 40s. | 28 | 14 | 0 | | | |
| Tea, 423lbs. at 3s. 3d. and 402lbs. at 3s. 2d..... | 133 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| Coffee, 1456lbs. at 1s. 3d. and 1120lbs. at 14d. | 156 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Carried forward | 3005 | 12 | 4 | 1318 | 4 | 6 |

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Account CONTINUED.

| | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|--|------|----|----|------|----|----|
| Amounts brought forward..... | 3005 | 12 | 4 | 1318 | 4 | 6 |
| Sugar, Loaf, 366lbs. at 7d. to 8d..... | 11 | 3 | 0 | | | |
| „ Moist, 8900lbs. at 45s. to 56s... | 195 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| Rice, 12cwt. at 14s. 6d. and 12cwt. at 18s. 3d..... | 19 | 13 | 0 | | | |
| Mustard, 108lbs. at 1s. 8d..... | 9 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Pepper, 110lbs. at 1s. 4d..... | 7 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Vinegar, 27gals. 2s. 6d. to 3s. 4d..... | 3 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| Chicory, Treacle, and other Grocery.. | 11 | 15 | 3 | | | |
| Tobacco, 232lbs. at 4s..... | 46 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| Snuff 44lbs. at 5s. 4d..... | 11 | 14 | 8 | | | |
| Salt, 44cwt. at 2s. 4d..... | 5 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| Potatoes, 538 bus. at 4s. 4d. to 5s. 4d... | 130 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| Herrings, and other Fish..... | 15 | 4 | 5 | | | |
| Geese | 1 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| Beer, 14634 gals. at 8d. to 9d. and 288 gals. at 10d..... | 541 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| Ale, 4356 gals. at 14d. to 16d. and 252 gals. at 22d. | 308 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 4323 | 19 | 3 |
| NECESSARIES. | | | | | | |
| Coals, House, 339½ tons. at 12s. 6d. to 14s. 6d. | 220 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| „ Furnace, 635 tons, at 13s..... | 407 | 9 | 9 | | | |
| „ Canal and carriage of ditto..... | 62 | 6 | 10 | | | |
| Charcoal, 424 bus..... | 23 | 6 | 0 | | | |
| Lime, 2 tons, 2 cwt... .. | 1 | 7 | 11 | | | |
| Wood, 2 cords | 1 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| Matches, Firelights. and Blacking, &c... | 19 | 7 | 7 | | | |
| Engine Oil, and Tallow..... | 9 | 19 | 10 | | | |
| Soap, Hard, 34 cwt. at 32s. to 34s. 6d. | 56 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| „ Soft 9 firkins, at 20s..... | 9 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Soda, 11 cwt. at 10s. to 13s..... | 5 | 17 | 1 | | | |
| Starch, 231½lbs. at 6d. Blue, 1lb, 1s. 8d. | 5 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| Candles, 246lbs. at 6½d. to 14d..... | 7 | 10 | 9 | | | |
| Lamp Oil. 18 gals, at 4s. 9d. to 5s. 4d. | 4 | 15 | 2 | | | |
| Linseed Oil, 16 gals. at 4s. to 4s. 4d... | 3 | 6 | 0 | | | |
| Total for Necessaries | | | | 838 | 17 | 5 |
| Carried forward | | | | 6481 | 1 | 2 |

Account CONTINUED.

| | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|--|-----|----|----|------|----|----|
| Amount brought forward.. | | | | 6481 | 1 | 2 |
| DISPENSARY. | | | | | | |
| Drugs | 216 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| Wine, 122 gals. at 17s. 4d. to 22s..... | 118 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| Brandy, 18 gals. at 32s. to 34s..... | 30 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| Rum, 47 gals. at 18s..... | 42 | 6 | 0 | | | |
| Gin, 50 gals. 12s..... | 30 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Total for Dispensary ... | | | | 437 | 17 | 4 |
| CLOTHING AND BEDDING. | | | | | | |
| Draper and Mercer for Materials..... | 700 | 11 | 5 | | | |
| Leather | 122 | 17 | 3 | | | |
| Shoemaker's Wages | 45 | 1 | 5 | | | |
| Straw for Beds | 13 | 2 | 7 | | | |
| Tailor and Upholsterer's Wages | 20 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| Semstress | 3 | 18 | 0 | | | |
| Waterproof Goods..... | 8 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Small payments by Steward..... | 5 | 5 | 0 | | | |
| Total for Clothing and Bedding.. | | | | 919 | 7 | 8 |
| KITCHEN, SCULLERY, AND DOMESTIC ARTICLES. | | | | | | |
| Tin Goods | 17 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| Earthenware | 34 | 9 | 9 | | | |
| Brooms, Brushes, Mats, Matting, &c..... | 41 | 16 | 5 | | | |
| Baskets | 4 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 98 | 12 | 9 |
| MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. | | | | | | |
| Printing, Account Books, Bibles, Common Prayers, &c..... | 91 | 17 | 7 | | | |
| Newspapers | 6 | 11 | 11 | | | |
| Glass, and Glazier's Wages..... | 28 | 15 | 9 | | | |
| Funerals..... | 45 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| Ironmongery Goods | 24 | 11 | 4 | | | |
| | 197 | 5 | 7 | | | |
| Carried forward..... | | | | 7936 | 18 | 11 |

Account CONTINUED.

| | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|----|-------|----|----|
| Amount brought forward | | | | 7936 | 18 | 11 |
| Excursions with Patients..... | 7 | 13 | 9 | | | |
| Removals, Escapes, and Payments to Patients on Trial | 5 | 11 | 4 | | | |
| Postage and Stamps | 11 | 18 | 6 | | | |
| Cartage | 2 | 11 | 4 | | | |
| Tithes | 12 | 18 | 1 | | | |
| Drain Pipes | 8 | 11 | 6 | | | |
| Picture-frame Moulding | 3 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| Thermometers and Spectacles | 6 | 6 | 3 | | | |
| Well Rope | 2 | 15 | 10 | | | |
| Sundries | 10 | 5 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | 269 | 0 | 0 |
| Total paid in respect of Maintenance.. | | | | 8205 | 18 | 11 |
| Paid in respect of Garden and Piggery, [page 8.]..... | | | | 107 | 12 | 4 |
| Paid in respect of Building, [page 11.] .. | | | | 2336 | 10 | 9 |
| " " Repairs, [page 13.].. | | | | 376 | 13 | 6 |
| | | | | 11026 | 15 | 6 |
| Balance in Treasurer's hands.... | | | | 1405 | 0 | 9 |
| Examined and found correct, C. M. CAMPBELL, JOHN LOXDALE. | | | | 12431 | 16 | 3 |

Account.

| | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|--|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Barley Sold, 100 bus. at 5s. 6d...: | 27 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| Hay..... | 4 | 17 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | 32 | 7 | 6 |
| ARTICLES CONSUMED. | | | | | | |
| Pork, 1239lbs. at 5d. to 6d..... | 28 | 12 | 1 | | | |
| Bacon, 1994lbs. at 8d..... | 65 | 9 | 4 | | | |
| Potatoes, 445 bus, at 5s. average | 111 | 5 | 0 | | | |
| Onions, 14½ cwt. at 9s. 4d..... | 6 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| Cabbages, 93 cwt. at 4s..... | 18 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| Carrots and other Vegetables..... | 46 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | 276 | 15 | 3 |
| | | | | 309 | 2 | 9 |

| | | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|--|-----------------------------|-----|----|----|------|----|----|
| Balance from last year.. | | | | | 514 | 1 | 2 |
| Proportions charged to and payable from— | | | | | | | |
| SALOP COUNTY. | | | | | | | |
| Feb. 15th. | As per Report | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Mar. 15th. | „ | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Aug. 16th. | „ | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Page 13. | | | | | 997 | 0 | 0 |
| MONTGOMERY COUNTY. | | | | | | | |
| Feb. 15th. | As per Report | 133 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| Mar. 15th. | „ | 133 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| Aug. 16th. | „ | 133 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| Page 15. | | | | | 399 | 11 | 3 |
| WENLOCK BOROUGH. | | | | | | | |
| Feb. 15th. | As per Report | 34 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| Mar. 15th. | „ | 34 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| Aug. 16th. | „ | 34 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| Page 15. | | | | | 103 | 8 | 9 |
| Dec. 31st. | Balance due to Treasurer .. | | | | 322 | 9 | 7 |
| | | | | | 2336 | 10 | 9 |

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A Statement of all moneys paid in respect of Repairs, together with thereof and also of the amount charged to the Counties of Year ending December 31st, 1858.

| | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|----------------------------------|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Received for Rent— | | | | | | |
| From Shrewsbury Borough | 50 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " " | 50 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| From Oswestry Borough | 10 | 5 | 0 | | | |
| " " | 10 | 5 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 20 | 10 | 0 |
| Proportion charged to— | | | | | | |
| Salop County, [Page 13.] | 166 | 3 | 4 | | | |
| Montgomery ditto [Page 15] | 66 | 11 | 10 | | | |
| Wenlock Borough, [Page 15] | 17 | 4 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| Balance | | | | 6 | 3 | 6 |
| | | | | 376 | 13 | 6 |

Salop

An account of receipts from the County of Salop, in respect of charges thereon as shewn in the Buildings and Repairs

| | | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|------------|--------------------------|-----|----|----|------|----|----|
| Feb. 15th. | From County Treasurer .. | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Mar. 30th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Aug. 16th. | Ditto Ditto.. | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | 997 | 0 | 00 |
| May. 1st. | Ditto Page 1.. | | | | 161 | 3 | 88 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1158 | 3 | 88 |
| Dec. 31st. | Balance | | | | 166 | 3 | 41 |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1324 | 7 | 00 |

Account.

the Rents received from Boroughs and appropriated to the payment of Salop and Montgomery and the Borough of Wenlock, for the

| | £. | s. | d. |
|--|-----|----|----|
| Balance of last Account | 0 | 9 | 3 |
| Paid for Timber | 40 | 1 | 9 |
| Carpenter's Wages | 4 | 8 | 4 |
| Plumber's Work | 92 | 10 | 8 |
| Ironmonger and Founder | 55 | 3 | 5 |
| Paint | 20 | 0 | 8 |
| Painter's Wages | 14 | 12 | 0 |
| Bricks, Stone, and Cement | 53 | 0 | 3 |
| Bricklayer's Wages | 41 | 14 | 8 |
| Sundry small payments | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| Salaries, [Surveyor, Engineer, and Treasurer] | 35 | 5 | 0 |
| Cartage | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Insurance | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Page 9 | 376 | 13 | 6 |

County.

Building and Repairs as shewn in the General Account and of Accounts for the year ending December 31st, 1858.

| | | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|------------|---|-----|----|----|------|----|----|
| Jan. 1st. | Balance [payable May 1st].. | | | | 161 | 3 | 8 |
| Feb. 15th. | Charge for Buildings.... | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Mar. 15th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Aug. 16th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 332 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| | Page 10... | | | | 997 | 0 | 0 |
| Dec. 31st. | Charge for Repairs (payable Mar. 1st, 1859,) Page 12 | | | | 166 | 3 | 4 |
| | | | | | 1324 | 7 | 0 |

Montgomery

An account of receipts from the County of Montgomery, in respect of charges thereon as shewn in the Building and Repairs

| | | £. | d. | s. | £. | s. | d. |
|------------|--------------------------|-------|----|----|-------|----|-----|
| Mar. 18th. | From County Treasurer .. | 133 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| April 5th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 133 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| Oct. 6th.. | Ditto Ditto.... | 133 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| | | <hr/> | | | | | |
| | | | | | 399 | 11 | 3 |
| May. 10th. | Ditto Page 1 .. | | | | 61 | 5 | 2 |
| | | | | | <hr/> | | |
| | | | | | 460 | 16 | 5 |
| Dec. 31st. | Balance | | | | 66 | 11 | 10½ |
| | | | | | <hr/> | | |
| | | | | | 527 | 8 | 3½ |

Wenlock

An account of Receipts from the Borough of Wenlock, in respect of charges thereon as shewn in the Building and Repairs

| | | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
|------------|--------------------------|-------|----|----|-------|----|-----|
| Jan. 16th. | From Borough Treasurer.. | 27 | 11 | 8 | | | |
| Feb. 15th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 34 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| April 3rd. | Ditto Ditto.... | 34 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| Dec. 24th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 34 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| | | <hr/> | | | | | |
| | | | | | 131 | 0 | 5 |
| June 8th. | Ditto Page 1.. | | | | 19 | 14 | 2 |
| | | | | | <hr/> | | |
| | | | | | 150 | 14 | 7 |
| Dec. 31st. | Balance | | | | 17 | 4 | 10½ |
| | | | | | <hr/> | | |
| | | | | | 167 | 19 | 5½ |

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Borough.

| | | | |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|
| Jan- 1st. | By Balance | £. s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Feb. 15th. | Charge for Building | 34 9 7 | 47 5 10½ |
| Mar. 15th. | Ditto Ditto.... | 34 9 7 | |
| Aug. 16th. | Ditto Ditto ... | 34 9 7 | |
| | Page 10.. | | 103 8 9 |
| Dec. 31st. | Charge for Repairs. [payable Mar. 1st, 1859.] Page 12 | | 17 4 10 |
| | | | 167 19 5½ |

Average weekly cost per head for Maintenance.

| | | | s. | d. | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------|----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Salaries | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | | |
| Provisions | .. | .. | 4 | 11 | | |
| Necessaries | .. | .. | | 11½ | | |
| Dispensary | .. | .. | | 5¾ | | |
| Clothing and Bedding | .. | .. | 1 | 0½ | | |
| Kitchen and Domestic Articles | | .. | | 1½ | | |
| Miscellaneous Items | .. | .. | | 3¾ | | |
| Garden and Piggery | .. | .. | | 1½ | | |
| | | | | | 9 | 5½ |