

# **The thirty-fourth annual report of the visitors of the Staffordshire General Lunatic Asylum : for the year ending December 31, 1852.**

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OF THE

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL

LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31,

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## R E P O R T .

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AFTER the discomfort and confusion which prevailed throughout the whole of the establishment during the three previous years, the past has been one of comparative quiet and order, and little has occurred to interfere with the ordinary routine character of institutions of this description.

The admissions during the year are found to have been 166, and adding to these 349 remaining in the Asylum on the 31st of December, 1851, a total of 515 patients have been under treatment during the year. Of these, 72 have been discharged recovered, 12 relieved or incurable, and 31 have died; leaving 400 patients in the house on the 31st December, 1852.

The average number of patients resident throughout the year was 375.

From the large number of old chronic cases admitted in the year 1851, it was fairly presumed that this class had been nearly exhausted, and that the number of admissions would fall to an ordinary average, and chiefly be composed of recent cases, and that thus the resources of the Asylum as a curative establishment would be called forth. The admissions, however, during the past year, unfortunately present nearly the same features adverted to in the last report, 87 having been insane for periods not exceeding six months, and therefore coming under the class of recent cases, while 37 had been affected from six months to two years, and 42 upwards of two years.

Upon a careful analysis of the 166 cases admitted in 1852, 65 are found to have been in a hopeless and incurable state, either from the length of time they had been insane, or from the mental disorder being associated with evident organic disease, having a known fatal tendency. As in former years, the bodily condition of the patients admitted was most unsatisfactory, and, if not labouring under active disease, many of them were in so exhausted and debilitated a state, as to leave little hope of any favourable termination;

and though, by great care, liberal diet, and the use of stimulants, the lives of many have been prolonged, it is probably only to swell the mortality for the present year.

The only other points which seem more particularly to require comment in reference to the patients admitted during the year, are the large proportion supposed to have had a suicidal disposition, and the increased number in whom the disorder is attributed to intemperance.

The suicidal disposition was stated to exist in no less than 52 patients, many of whom had made one or more attempts at self-destruction previous to admission. It is a subject of much thankfulness that no accident has occurred with this most anxious class of patients, nor has any serious attempt been repeated during the past year.

In seasons of scarcity and privation, and amongst a class of society who can offer no moral resistance to depressing causes of any kind, the impulse which leads them to seek what they suppose to be a lesser evil than the precarious existence they have to endure, is readily accounted for; but the increase of this propensity in times of acknowledged prosperity and plenty, naturally compels us to look for other causes; and whether these may be referable to any atmospheric influence producing that peculiar depression of the nervous energies which leads to suicide, or to the habits of the people themselves, can only be decided by the general observation and experience of those connected with similar institutions. The coincidence, however, of so large a proportion of cases attributed to intemperance, being at the rate of 22.28 per cent., would rather tend to connect the two in the relation of cause and effect.

That intemperance is a much more frequent exciting cause of insanity than is shown in the ordinary returns of Asylums, or, in fact, than is generally known or suspected, is much to be feared. The wish to conceal this habit, so naturally felt by all classes, and amongst the lower orders especially, the difficulty of ascertaining their estimate of intemperance, and fixing upon the standard of sobriety, are almost insuperable obstacles to obtaining any correct statistics on the subject. The *acknowledged* extent, however, of intemperance as an exciting cause of insanity generally, independent of any speculative views on this point, even though closely

approaching to facts, would alone seem to afford a strong reason for the necessity of legislative interference in restricting the temptations and facilities at present offered to the lower classes in this country of indulging in this vice.

The recoveries during the year 1852 amounted to 72, being at the rate of 43.37 per cent. upon the admissions; showing a favourable comparison with that of the previous year, (25.69,) but yet rather under the average for the last ten years. The recoveries of private patients, taken apart from the paupers, is at the rate of nearly 46 per cent. Assuming that of the 166 cases admitted, 101 might be considered as offering some chances of cure, remote though in many instances they be, 47 of these are found to have been discharged recovered during the year, being at the rate of 46.53 per cent. Of these, 41 were stated to have been insane for various periods not exceeding six months, and the remaining 6 from six to twelve months. The average duration of treatment of these patients was eleven weeks and five days.

In the early part of the year, small-pox, which was extensively prevalent and very fatal in the town of Stafford, made its appearance in the Asylum. The first case which occurred was a most severe example of the confluent form, and proved fatal. Although every precaution was taken to prevent the spread of the disease as soon as its nature was ascertained, nine male patients were attacked and one of the attendants, while only two females had the disease, and in a very mild form. At first, the way in which it was introduced into the house was unknown, but subsequently, there was reason to believe that one of the attendants had been affected with it, though in so slight and modified a form that he followed his employment, and at the time did not suspect the nature of the disease. The greater part of the male patients were re-vaccinated, but the spread of the disease seemed to be chiefly arrested by immediately separating the most trifling cases of sickness from the other inmates, and removing those which proved to be small-pox into one of the wards which had been emptied for this purpose. The free ventilation of the whole building was at the same time attended to, and the patients kept as much as possible out of doors.

The mortality during the year 1852 has been lower than that of



the preceding year, being 8.26 per cent. on the mean number resident, and 6.1 on the total number under treatment; that of private patients, taken apart from the paupers, being 1.88 per cent. on the number resident, and 1.35 on the total number under treatment.

Some of the galleries on the male side of the house have been at times rather crowded, and occasionally a difficulty has been felt in providing for the male patients which have been admitted, but still no pauper patient has been refused admission, although it has been necessary to discontinue receiving the lower class of private patients. This inconvenience, however, will only be temporary, as there will be ample accommodation for paupers upon the removal of the private patients to the new Institution. This is expected to be finished in the summer; but whether the building will be sufficiently dry to occupy with safety, cannot yet be determined. Its present progress is quite satisfactory, and little now remains to be done with the exception of plastering and flooring a portion of the building, and the internal fittings. The laying out of the grounds is being proceeded with, and the chapel will shortly be commenced.

Daily experience only tends to confirm the wisdom of the separation of the two establishments, and the great importance of the scheme now being carried out, which meets with the unqualified approbation of those practically acquainted with the subject.

The funds for the completion of the Institution unfortunately still fall short, the amount required for building the chapel and furnishing being yet deficient. If it can be opened without debt, there is no reason to doubt its ultimate success; but if the funds are to be applied to paying off a debt, the *charitable* working of the Asylum *must* be impeded, and probably for many years.

I can do no greater service to the cause of humanity than by urging the importance of a *general* provision being made for the indigent but educated portion of the community in institutions of this description, and also pressing the wealthy, and, indeed, all classes, in this district to unite in making the undertaking now embarked in an example in every way worthy of imitation.

JAS. WILKES.

March, 1853.

## REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS IN LUNACY.

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“ 2nd October, 1852.

“ We have visited this Asylum, and inspected every part of it.

“ We have also seen all the patients, viz., 33 males and 24 females, who are private patients; and 176 males and 162 females, who are paupers; in all, 395.

“ The greatest order and decorum prevailed throughout, and we found no one in seclusion.

“ The patients were clean and neat in their persons and dress. A large proportion of the males are employed, as usual, in the gardens, &c., and at present about thirty of them are regularly engaged in assisting the workmen at the new Asylum.

“ Tailors, shoemakers, &c., are induced to occupy themselves at their trades, and, with the assistance of the females, all the clothes and shoes necessary for the use of the Asylum are made and repaired in the establishment.

“ The whole of the wards were remarkably clean and well ventilated, and the establishment, as usual, in excellent order.

“ Since the last visit of the Commissioners, in September, 1851, 183 patients have been admitted, 79 have been discharged, and 31 have died from various causes.

“ Small-pox prevailed in the house during the month of February, and about ten patients were attacked, but the disease only proved fatal in one case.

“ The Asylum and its inmates continue to show the marks of careful and judicious management, and its present condition is quite satisfactory.

(Signed)

“ W. G. CAMPBELL, } COMMISSIONERS  
“ J. TURNER, } IN LUNACY.”

I.

	PRIVATE.			PAUPER.			TOTAL.		
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
Patients in the Asylum, December 31st, 1851 .....	27	23	50	162	137	299	189	160	349
Admitted during the year 1852.....	13	11	24	76	66	142	89	77	166
Discharged recovered .....	5	6	11	31	30	61	36	36	72
Ditto relieved .....	2	3	5	...	2	2	2	5	7
Ditto as incurable, at request of friends, &c. ....	...	...	...	3	2	5	3	2	5
Died .....	1	...	1	24	6	30	25	6	31
Remaining in the Asylum December 31st, 1852 .....	32	25	57	180	163	343	212	188	400
State as to the probability of recovery { Curable .....	5	3	8	22	29	51	27	32	59
{ Incurable .....	27	22	49	158	134	192	185	156	341
Average number resident throughout the year .....	30	23	53	168	154	322	198	177	375

## II.

RETURN OF PATIENTS ADMITTED ON, OR DISCHARGED  
FROM, THE SECOND CLASS OR CHARITABLE FUND.

Remaining on the books Dec. 31, 1851 .....	26	}	32
Since admitted .....	6		
Discharged recovered .....	2	}	3
Discharged relieved .....	1		
Remaining Dec. 31, 1852 .....			29

## III.

## FORM OF THE DISORDER.

	Males.	Females	Total.		
Mania .....	}	Acute .....	9	7	16
		Chronic .....	17	10	27
		Ordinary .....	14	12	26
		Puerperal .....	...	4	4
Melancholia .....			20	21	41
Imbecility and Dementia .....			22	18	40
Idiocy .....			5	5	10
Delirium Tremens .....			1	...	1
Moral Insanity .....			1	...	1
			89	77	166

## IV.

## DURATION OF THE DISORDER ON ADMISSION.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Not exceeding 1 month .....	26	16	42
"    2 months .....	7	12	19
"    3 months .....	4	10	14
"    6 months .....	6	6	12
"    1 year .....	18	5	23
"    2 years .....	8	6	14
More than 2 years .....	14	17	31
From birth .....	6	5	11
	89	77	166

v.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Cases of first attack .....	39	35	74
Cases of more than one attack.....	23	25	48
Not ascertained .....	27	17	44
	89	77	166

VI.

## SOCIAL AND RELIGIOUS CONDITION.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Married .....	37	34	71
Single .....	45	32	77
Widowed .....	7	11	18
	89	77	166
Established Church .....	53	46	99
Roman Catholics .....	8	2	10
Dissenters of various denominations .....	13	20	33
Doubtful and unknown.....	15	9	24
	89	77	166

VII.

## AMOUNT OF EDUCATION.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Of good education .....	10	7	17
Able to read and write .....	36	30	66
Able to read only .....	15	22	37
Totally uneducated .....	28	18	46
	89	77	166

## VIII.

## AGE OF PATIENTS ON ADMISSION.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Under 15 years .....	2	3	5
From 15 to 20 years .....	7	5	12
" 20 to 25 " .....	7	6	13
" 25 to 30 " .....	11	7	18
" 30 to 35 " .....	13	7	20
" 35 to 40 " .....	8	9	17
" 40 to 45 " .....	11	11	22
" 45 to 50 " .....	10	11	21
" 50 to 55 " .....	9	4	13
" 55 to 60 " .....	4	6	10
" 60 to 65 " .....	2	3	5
" 65 to 70 " .....	1	1	2
" 75 to 80 " .....	4	4	8
	89	77	166

## IX.

## PROBABLE CAUSES OF THE DISORDER.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Anxiety, domestic and pecuniary .....	5	6	11
Congenital Defect .....	5	6	11
Death of Relations .....	1	5	6
Debility and Bodily Disease .....	5	6	11
Desertion of Husband .....	...	1	1
Disease of the Brain .....	8	3	11
Disease of the Heart .....	2	1	3
Epilepsy .....	8	6	14
Fever .....	1	2	3
Intemperance .....	35	2	37
Injury to the Head .....	2	...	2
Injury to the Spine .....	...	1	1
Matrimonial Disappointment .....	...	2	2
Old Age .....	1	2	3
Poverty and Distress .....	3	5	8
Religious Excitement .....	...	3	3
Uterine and Puerperal Disorders .....	...	11	11
Unknown, or not assigned .....	13	15	28
	89	77	166

## X.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Suicidal disposition ascertained in .....	25	27	52
Hereditary tendency and disposition to the disorder in near relatives ascertained in.....	20	18	38
ASSOCIATION WITH OTHER STATES OR DISEASES.			
Epilepsy .....	9	9	18
Paralysis .....	5	3	8
Other Diseases of the Brain .....	12	6	18
Disease of the Heart.....	2	1	3
Disease of the Lungs .....	3	2	5
Disease of the Uterus .....	...	2	2
Great Debility and Exhaustion .....	13	12	25

## XI.

## CAUSES OF DEATH.

	Males.	Females	Total.
Apoplexy .....	1	1	2
Diarrhœa and Dysentery .....	2	...	2
Disease of the Brain.....	5	...	5
Disease of the Uterus .....	...	1	1
Disease of the Lungs .....	7	...	7
Epilepsy .....	4	2	6
Gastro-Enteritis.....	2	...	2
General Exhaustion .....	1	1	2
Old Age .....	1	1	2
Purpura .....	1	...	1
Small-pox .....	1	...	1
3 died in January, 3 in February, 4 in March } 1 in April, 3 in May, 2 in June, 2 in July, } 3 in August, 1 in September, 2 in October, } 4 in November, 3 in December .....	25	6	31

OCCUPATION OF PATIENTS.

<b>MALES.</b>			
Architect .....	1	Brought forward .....	28
Auctioneer.....	1	Labourers, chiefly agricultural	23
Blacksmith .....	1	Locksmiths .....	4
Butchers .....	2	Millwright .....	1
Bricklayer .....	1	Nailor .....	1
Clerks .....	3	Painter .....	1
Carpenter .....	1	Publican.....	1
Clergyman .....	1	Potters .....	4
Colliers .....	6	Police Officer.....	1
Cotton Carder .....	1	Soldier .....	1
Currier .....	1	Shoemakers .....	4
Dancing Master .....	1	Sawyers .....	2
Farmers .....	2	Solicitors .....	2
Gardener .....	1	Tailors .....	3
Glass Maker .....	1	Traveller .....	1
Groom .....	1	Wheelwrights .....	3
Gamekeeper .....	1	Incapable .....	9
Hawkers.....	2		
Carried forward.....	28	Total.....	89

  

<b>FEMALES.</b>			
Buckle Coverer.....	1	Brought forward ... ..	46
Burnisher .....	1	Potter .....	1
Dress Makers .....	5	Servants .....	11
Governesses .....	2	Shoebinder .....	1
Engaged in domestic and household work.....	33	Spinner .....	1
Innkeeper .....	1	Washerwoman ... ..	1
Ladies .....	3	Incapable or unknown.....	16
Carried forward.....	46	Total.....	77



XIII. GENERAL STATEMENT OF ADMISSIONS, DISCHARGES, AND DEATHS, SINCE THE OPENING OF THE INSTITUTION.

Year.	Mean Number Resident.	Number of Admissions.	Discharged.		Died.	Number remaining 31st Dec.	Per Centage of Recoveries on Admissions.	Per Centage of Deaths on mean Number resident.	Per Centage of Deaths on total No. under treatment.
			Recovered.	Relieved and on Trial.					
1819	57	121	36	16	8	61	29.75	14.3	6.61
1820	80	94	32	22	10	91	34.4	12.50	6.45
1821	83	85	36	39	12	89	42.35	14.45	6.81
1822	94	92	46	22	9	104	50.	9.57	4.97
1823	114	104	45	25	14	124	43.26	12.28	6.73
1824	134	103	41	33	15	138	39.80	11.19	6.60
1825	150	126	55	32	27	150	43.65	18.	10.22
1826	150	111	69	30	19	143	62.16	12.66	7.27
1827	151	108	38	42	17	154	35.18	11.25	6.77
1828	166	153	57	40	23	187	37.25	13.85	7.49
1829	180	123	65	52	29	164	52.84	16.11	9.35
1830	172	135	63	28	34	174	46.66	19.76	11.37
1831	179	121	55	39	24	177	45.45	13.40	8.13
1832	182	128	55	43	18	189	42.96	9.89	5.90
1833	189	12	67	42	18	183	55.37	9.52	5.83
1834	193	133	51	45	19	201	38.34	9.84	6.1
1835	197	128	66	35	31	197	56.25	15.73	9.42
1836	203	113	46	39	25	200	40.70	12.31	8.6
1837	202	116	52	26	38	200	44.82	18.81	12.2
1838	209	112	51	22	26	213	45.53	12.44	8.33
1839	233	133	34	38	35	239	25.56	15.2	10.11
1840	245	118	46	32	34	245	38.98	13.87	9.52
1841	244	107	55	26	33	238	51.59	13.52	9.37
1842	232	139	58	48	36	235	41.72	15.51	9.54
1843	234	121	56	28	25	247	46.28	10.68	7.2
1844	242	128	61	31	33	250	47.65	13.64	8.80
1845	250	122	48	32	34	258	39.34	13.60	9.13
1846	260	53	24	11	18	260	45.28	6.92	5.78
1847	258	59	30	14	17	256	50.84	6.58	5.32
1848	254	68	33	18	21	252	48.52	8.26	6.48
1849	248	49	33	11	11	246	67.35	4.47	3.65
1850	250	57	16	7	19	261	28.7	7.60	6.27
1851	303	179	46	7	38	349	25.69	12.54	8.63
1852	325	166	52	12	31	360	31.33	8.00	6.50

AVERAGE OF ADMISSIONS, DISCHARGES, AND DEATHS, FOR DECENNIAL PERIODS.

Average of Ten Years.	Mean Number resident.	Number of Admissions.	Discharged.		Died.	Per Centage of Recoveries on Admissions.	Per Centage of Deaths on mean Number Resident.	Per Centage of Deaths on total Number under Treatment.
			Recovered.	Relieved, and on Trial.				
1820 } to ..... 1830 }	1394	1140	515	343	199	45.26	14.27	7.7
1830 } to ..... 1840 }	2032	1223	523	361	268	42.76	13.18	8.3
1840 } to ..... 1850 }	2472	903	414	226	247	45.84	9.99	7.1



## ABSTRACT OF THE YEAR'S EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Bread, 10658 stones	767	4	10
Butter, 1157 pounds	63	8	2
Candles, Lamp Oil, and Gas	90	19	3
Cheese, 77 cwt. 3 qrs. 2 lbs.	184	9	1
Coal, 803 tons 18 cwt. 2 lbs	388	3	1
Clothing	255	5	6
Coffee, Currants, and Raisins	12	2	11
Expenses in the Grounds and Gardens, &c.	165	0	0
Fish and Poultry	20	6	9
Flour, 721 stones	62	11	2
Furniture, Linen, and Bedding	652	7	8
Meat, 56,740 pounds	1107	9	9
Medicines, &c.	72	18	8
Malt, Hops, &c.	344	17	6
Milk, Rent of Land, &c.	18	8	5
Mops, Brooms, &c.	15	9	10
Oatmeal, Barley Flour, &c.	37	1	5
Rates, Taxes, Insurance, &c.	58	7	10
Rice, &c.	27	2	4
Salaries, Wages, and occasional Hire	1688	9	6
Soap, Starch, Blue, &c.	72	18	1
Salt, Pepper, &c.	40	17	10
Stationery, Printing, &c.	112	0	11
Sugar, 5464 pounds	110	8	2
Straw and Hay for Cattle	58	12	6
Tea, 914 pounds	163	19	2
Tobacco and Snuff	25	7	11
Wine and Spirits	81	14	0
Workmen's Bills	504	14	5
	£7202	16	8



The present rate for Pauper Lunatics is Seven Shillings per week, including Clothing.

## GENERAL CASH ACCOUNT.

### RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
To Balance in Treasurers' hands January 1, 1852 ...	659	4	4
To Receipts for Care, Maintenance, Reimbursements for Clothing, and other Expenses of Patients ...	8623	18	7
To Receipts from Subscription Fund ...	166	15	0
To Receipts for Sale of Calves, Barn, &c. ...	15	13	6
To Receipts from County Rate for Repairs ...	282	17	4
To ditto ditto for Furniture and Fittings for new Buildings ...	222	19	8
	£9971	8	5

### EXPENDITURE.

By the Year's Expenditure, as specified on page 19 ...  
 By Clothing and extra Expenses of Patients charged in their respective accounts, and reimbursed, or to be reimbursed, to the Institution ...  
 By Transfer to Subscription Fund ...  
 By Balance in Treasurers' hands January 1, 1853 ...

	£	s.	d.
	7202	16	8
	258	2	8
	1650	0	0
	860	9	1
	£9971	8	5

## CASH ACCOUNT OF THE SUBSCRIPTION FUND.

	£	s.	d.
To Balance in Treasurers' hands 1st January, 1852 ...	810	2	5
To Half Year's Dividend on £1876 2s. 6d. ...	27	6	6
To Donations received during the year ...	1613	2	9
To Subscriptions received during the year ...	168	19	0
To Transfer from General Account ...	1650	0	0
To Sale of Potatoes ...	25	0	0
To Sale of Hay and Straw ...	45	15	10
To Sale of Oats ...	17	6	6
To Sale of £1876 2s. 6d. Three per Cent. Consols ...	1871	8	10
Paid by County, as per agreement, for Land adjoining the County Asylum, belonging to the Subscribers, and for their interest in the Building ...	7880	10	5
	£14109	12	3

	£	s.	d.
By Transfer to the General Cash Account, for part Maintenance of Patients on <i>this</i> Fund ...	166	15	10
By Expenses in connection with building new Asylum	10601	18	4
By Balance in Treasurers' hands January 1st, 1853 ...	3340	18	1

*Examined and found correct,*

THOS. HARTSHORNE, }  
 W. WEBB, } AUDITORS.

£14109	12	3
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## BENEFACTIONS BY DONATIONS.

	£	s.	d.
Anglesey the Marquis of	100	0	0
Anson the Viscount, deceased	100	0	0
Addison Samuel, Esq.	50	0	0
Addison John, Esq., deceased	50	0	0
Bagot Lord	100	0	0
Bagot Lady	5	0	0
Bagot Lady Harriet	5	0	0
Buller Sir John Buller Yarde	10	10	0
Buller Edward, Esq.	10	10	0
Baker the Rev. R. B.	5	0	0
Booth Hugh, Esq., Clayton, deceased	21	0	0
Brutton Thomas, Esq., deceased	10	10	0
Clarke Sir C. M., Bart.	10	10	0
Curzon the Viscount	100	0	0
Chetwynd Sir George, Bart., deceased	100	0	0
Chetwynd Sir George, Bart., deceased	21	0	0
Clarke Mrs., Wiggington Lodge, deceased	20	0	0
Cornwallis the Right Hon. and Rev. Earl, deceased, then Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry	100	0	0
Collins John, Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Cooper the Rev. E., trust money of Skynner Woodroffe, Esq., deceased	125	0	0
Devonshire the Duke of	100	0	0
Dartmouth the Earl of	100	0	0
Dudley and Ward the Viscount, deceased	105	0	0
Evans W., Esq., Derby	5	0	0
Granville the Viscount	100	0	0
Giffard Thomas William, Esq.	21	0	0
Grove Edward, Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Harrowby the Earl of, deceased	100	0	0
Hatherton Lord	105	0	0
Horton the Right Hon. Robert Wilmot	50	0	0
Horton Eusebius, Esq., deceased	52	10	0
Inge W. P., Esq., deceased	30	0	0
Inge the Rev. Charles, deceased	5	5	0
Jones John, Esq., Highgate, deceased	10	0	0
Lawley Sir F., Bart., deceased	42	0	0
Lawley Miss, Ashfurlong, near Sutton Coldfield	10	0	0
Lane John, Esq., deceased	52	10	0
Lane T., Esq.	50	0	0
Lane Mrs.	5	0	0
Levett the Rev. Richard, deceased	21	0	0
Levett the Rev. Thomas	10	10	0
Leigh the Rev. Clement	5	0	0
Lister Thomas, Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Mosley Sir Oswald, Bart.	50	0	0
Monckton the Hon. Edward, deceased	52	10	0
Monckton Edward, Esq., deceased	10	10	0
Manley Admiral, deceased	21	0	0
Manley John Shaw, Esq.	10	0	0
Mills Thomas, Esq.	25	0	0
Mottershaw Thomas, Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Oxford the Hon. and Right Rev. the Bishop of	21	0	0
<i>Carried forward</i>	£2197	15	0

	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i> ... ..	2197	15	0
Peel Sir Robert, Bart., deceased	500	0	0
Parker Thomas Hawe, Esq.	50	0	0
Petit the Rev. John Hayes	21	0	0
Petit Louis Hayes, Esq.	21	0	0
Philips J. B., Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Price Theodore, Esq.	15	4	6
Boyds the Rev. C. S., Haughton	10	10	0
Russell Jesse Watts, Esq.	105	0	0
Sutherland the Duke of, deceased	100	0	0
Sutherland the Duke of	105	0	0
Stamford and Warrington the Earl of, deceased	105	0	0
Scott Sir E. D., Bart., deceased	25	0	0
Salt J. S., Esq., deceased	52	10	0
Smith —, Esq., Lapley Wood	10	0	0
Sneyd Edward, Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Sparrow John, Esq., deceased	100	0	0
Spode Josiah, Esq., deceased	100	0	0
St. Vincent the Viscount	21	0	0
Talbot the Earl, deceased	100	0	0
Talbot the Hon. and Rev. J. C., deceased	52	10	0
Waldo Mrs., Worthing, Hants	8	1	0
Walhouse Moreton, Esq., deceased	25	0	0
Webb Henry, Esq., deceased	50	0	0
Webb James, Esq., deceased	21	0	0
Whitby the Rev. Thomas, deceased	21	0	0
Williams Philip, Esq.	21	0	0
Wodehouse the Very Rev. Dr., Dean of Lichfield	5	0	0
	<u>£3884</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>6</u>

### BENEFACTIONS BY LEGACIES.

	£	s.	d.
Brown Isaac Hawkins, Esq., by the Trustees of the Stafford General Infirmary	1000	0	0
Bourne John, Esq.	200	0	0
Bourne Ralph, Esq.	200	0	0
Charlewood the Rev. C. B.	10	10	0
Collins John, Esq.	100	0	0
Clarke John, Esq.	25	0	0
Daubrie Mrs.	50	0	0
Eggington John, Esq.	10	0	0
Higgins the Rev. Sambrook	100	0	0
Harding Mrs.	50	0	0
Jones John, Esq., Highgate	50	0	0
Kemsey the Rev. M.	5	0	0
Salt J. S., Esq.	100	0	0
Sheppard Sir T. C., Bart.	100	0	0
Sparrow John, Esq.	200	0	0
Sparrow Mrs.	100	0	0
Sneyd Edward, Esq.	100	0	0
Watkins the Rev. J.	50	0	0
	<u>£2450</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>

## BENEFACTIONS BY ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.

(SUBSCRIPTIONS DUE IN JANUARY.)

*Those marked thus \* are New Subscribers.*

	£	s.	d.
Allen B. H., Esq., Longcroft Hall	1	1	0
Bagot Lord, Blithfield	5	5	0
Bamford Mr. T., Stafford	1	1	0
Bradford the Earl of	5	5	0
Boughy Sir T. F. F., Bart.	3	3	0
Bateman John, Esq., Knypersley	2	2	0
Bennett Captain, Stourton, near Stourbridge	1	1	0
Black Mrs., London	1	1	0
Bott John, Esq., Coton Hall, near Burton	2	2	0
Buller Edward, Esq., Dilhorne	1	1	0
Buchanan the Rev. Alexander, Hales Hall	2	2	0
Caldwell J. S., Esq., Linley Wood	1	1	0
Cavendish the Hon. Eliz. M. M.	1	1	0
Chetwynd Sir George, Bart., Grendon	1	1	0
Chetwynd Lady H. M., Longdon	1	1	0
Chetwynd Major, Brocton Hall	2	2	0
Chinn Sinkler, Esq., Lichfield	1	1	0
Curzon the Hon. R., Hagley	2	2	0
Crosbie Mr. John, Stafford	1	1	0
Cruso John, Esq., Leek	1	1	0
Dartmouth the Earl of	5	5	0
Davenport John, Esq., Westwood	1	1	0
Dickenson the Rev. J. H., Blymhill	1	1	0
Dudley Mr. Charles, Stafford	1	0	0
Dyott Richard, Esq., Freeford	1	1	0
Fitzherbert Thomas, Esq., Swinnerton Park	2	2	0
Floyer W. H. C., Esq., Hints	1	1	0
Flint Charles, Esq., Leek	1	1	0
Fowke Mr., Stafford	1	1	0
Giffard Thomas W., Esq., Chillington	1	1	0
Greene R., Esq., Stowe, Lichfield	2	2	0
Grove Mrs., Shenstone Park	1	1	0
Harrowby the Earl of	5	5	0
Hatherton Lord	2	2	0
Hanbury Robert, Esq., Milford	1	1	0
Hand R. W., Esq., Stafford	1	1	0
Hall T. K., Esq., Hollybush	1	1	0
Heywood Thomas Perceval, Esq., Dove Leys, Ashbourn	2	2	0
Hincks Miss, Tettenhall Wood	2	2	0
Hill Henry, Esq., Tettenhall	1	1	0
<i>Carried forward</i>	£71	7	0



	£	s.	d.
<i>Brought forward</i>	71	7	0
Hiern J. G., Esq., Stafford	1	1	0
Hinckley Mrs. Richard, Lichfield	1	1	0
Holland, C., Esq., M.D.	2	2	0
Hordern Alexander, Esq.	1	1	0
Inge Captain W., Thorpe	1	1	0
Jervis Swynfen, Esq., Darlaston	1	1	0
Jesson Henry, Esq., Trysull (deceased)	1	1	0
Kynnersley Mrs. C. S., Highfields	1	1	0
Kynnersley T. C. S., Esq., Uttoxeter	1	1	0
Lane John Newton, Esq., King's Bromley	1	1	0
Lane Mrs., ditto	1	1	0
Lichfield the Lord Bishop of	3	3	0
Littleton the Hon. E. R.	1	1	0
Law the Rev. Chancellor, Lichfield	1	1	0
Levett R. B., Esq., Milford, near Stafford	1	1	0
Lloyd Mr. Henry, Stafford	2	2	0
Manley John Shawe, Esq., Manley Hall, Lichfield	1	1	0
Minton Herbert, Esq., Stoke	1	1	0
Mosley Sir Oswald, Bart., Rolleston Hall	1	1	0
Morgan Mr. C. E., Stafford	1	1	0
Mott John, Esq., Lichfield	1	1	0
Oldham J. O., Esq., Bellamour Hall	3	3	0
Parker Sir W., Shenstone Lodge	1	1	0
Parker T. H., Esq., Park Hall	1	1	0
Phillips Robert, Esq.	1	1	0
Piercy J. E., Esq., Warley Hall, Shropshire	1	1	0
Russell Jesse Watts, Esq., Ilam Hall	2	2	0
Sutherland the Duke of	5	5	0
Stamford and Warrington the Earl of	5	5	0
Salt Thomas, Esq., Weeping Cross, Stafford	1	1	0
Salt the Rev. Joseph, Standon, Stone	1	1	0
Salt John, Esq., London	1	1	0
Salt William, Esq., ditto	1	1	0
Salt George, Esq., ditto	1	1	0
Salt Miss, ditto	1	1	0
Salt Miss Elizabeth, ditto	1	1	0
Salt Miss Emma, ditto	1	1	0
Shaw Mr. J. K., Weeping Cross, Stafford	1	1	0
Sleigh Mrs., Leek	2	2	0
Sleigh John, Esq., ditto	1	1	0
Smith C., Esq., Elmhurst Hall, Lichfield	1	1	0
Sneyd Ralph, Esq., Keele Hall	5	5	0
Sneyd the Rev. J., Ashcombe	2	2	0
Sparrow Miss, Bishton	1	1	0
St. Vincent the Viscount	1	1	0
St. Vincent the Viscountess	1	1	0
Talbot the Earl	5	5	0
Talbot Mr. John, Stafford	1	1	0
Taylor W. B., Esq., The Brooms	1	1	0
Till Mr. T., Stafford	2	2	0
Tomlinson F. W., Esq., Cliffe Ville	1	1	0
Twemlow Francis, Esq., Betley Court	1	1	0
Twemlow Thomas, Esq., Peats Wood	1	1	0
Vernon General, Hilton, Wolverhampton	2	2	0
<i>Carried forward</i>	£156	8	0

				£	s.	d.
	<i>Brought forward</i>	...	...	156	8	0
Wrottesley Lord	...	...	...	2	2	0
Whieldon George, Esq.	...	...	...	1	1	0
Whitby the Rev. E., Cresswell (deceased)	...	...	...	1	1	0
Williams Mr. Thomas, Stafford	...	...	...	1	1	0
Williamson H. H., Esq., Longport	...	...	...	1	1	0
Wise J. Ayshford, Esq., Clayton Hall	...	...	...	1	1	0
Wolferstan Stanley Pipe, Esq., Statfold	...	...	...	1	1	0
Woolley Mr. Thomas, Stafford	...	...	...	1	1	0
Wright Messrs. R. and W., Stafford	...	...	...	1	1	0
Yates Francis, Esq., Blymhill	...	...	...	1	1	0
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				£167	19	0

## FORM OF LEGACY.

*To those who are so charitably disposed as to become Benefactors by Will to this Institution, the following form of a Legacy is recommended:—*

“ I give and bequeath unto [*here name one or two persons as Trustees*]  
 “ the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ upon trust, that he [*she or they, as the case may be*]  
 “ do pay the same to the Treasurer, for the time being, of the Staffordshire  
 “ General Lunatic Asylum, which sum I charge upon my personal Estate,  
 “ and not upon any part of my Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, and  
 “ direct that it be applied towards carrying on the Charitable designs of  
 “ the said Asylum.”

Persons desirous of obtaining information respecting the admission of the different classes of Patients, are requested to apply personally, or by letter, to the Superintendent of the Staffordshire General Lunatic Asylum, Stafford.

## DONATIONS RECEIVED TOWARDS THE ERECTION OF THE NEW ASYLUM.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Amount received			<i>Brought forward</i> ...	5510 12 0
as per Report			Mr. James Male... ..	1 1 0
for 1849 .....	620 10 0		Mr. Fletcher ... ..	1 1 0
„ 1850 .....	335 5 0		Mr. Thos. Silvester ... ..	1 1 0
„ 1851 .....	3049 15 0	4005 10 0	Mr. Jonas Barter ... ..	1 1 0
Donations published in last			Mr. James Leese ... ..	1 1 0
Report, but not received			Mr. Henry Haines ... ..	1 1 0
until 1852.....		1132 15 0	Mr. Henry Dawes ... ..	1 1 0
<b>Additional Donations</b>			Mr. George Parker ... ..	1 1 0
<b>received in 1852.</b>			Mr. William Cooksey ... ..	1 1 0
A Thank-offering per Messrs.			Mr. Wm. F. Gordon ... ..	1 1 0
Alcock and Co., Settle,			Mr. Wm. Salter ... ..	1 1 0
Yorkshire ... ..	100 0 0		Rev. W. A. Frith ... ..	1 1 0
Sir O. Mosley, Bart. ...	50 0 0		Rev. John Rawlins ... ..	1 1 0
W. H. Sparrow, Esq. (addl.)	5 5 0		Rev. C. T. Male ... ..	1 1 0
Lady W. Horton ... ..	25 0 0		Rev. E. Harston ... ..	1 1 0
Henry Williams, Esq. ...	10 10 0		Wm. Knight, Esq., Mayor	
J. Ayshford Wise, Esq., M.P.	10 10 0		of Tamworth ... ..	1 1 0
Samuel Ratcliffe, Esq. ...	10 0 0		A Friend by Rev. W. E.	
John Gretton, Esq. ... ..	10 0 0		Coldwell ... ..	1 0 0
T. O. B. Floyer, Esq. ...	10 0 0		Mr. George Silvester ... ..	1 0 0
Rev. G. W. Murray ... ..	5 5 0		Mr. Benjamin Haynes ...	1 0 0
Mr. W. H. Dawes ... ..	5 5 0		Rev. F. B. Sockett ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. J. Murdock ... ..	5 5 0		Mr. George Adams ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Samuel Hunt ... ..	5 5 0		Mrs. Nock ... ..	1 0 0
Messrs. F. & R. Pratt & Co.	5 5 0		Mrs. Hood ... ..	1 0 0
Rev. James Spry ... ..	5 0 0		Miss Bullock ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Samuel Dawes ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. James Bullock ... ..	1 0 0
Messrs. Kenrick ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. Richard Miller ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Thomas Jesson ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. Wakelam ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Levi Parker ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. Edward Maude ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. John Tildesley ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. Josh. Parker ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Benjamin Whitehouse	5 0 0		Mr. Roger Hardware ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. W. Williams ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. Robt. S. Hudson ...	1 0 0
Mr. Sharp ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. J. M. Knight ... ..	1 0 0
Edwin Bostock, Esq. ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. John Hartland ... ..	1 0 0
Miss Wolferstan ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. T. H. Wathew ... ..	1 0 0
A Friend by Mr. Wilkes ...	5 0 0		Mr. Edward Beddoe ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Harris ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. Isaac Mousley ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Thos. F. Salt ... ..	5 0 0		Mr. John Brookes ... ..	1 0 0
The Mayor of Lichfield ...	5 0 0		Mr. Isaac Bunn ... ..	1 0 0
Mrs. Bousquet ... ..	5 0 0		Rev. John Hudson ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. John Stubbs ... ..	3 3 0		Mrs. E. Barrs ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Wm. Shelley ... ..	3 3 0		Miss Cope ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Wm. Izon ... ..	3 0 0		Mr. Hunt ... ..	1 0 0
The Ladies Legge ... ..	2 2 0		Mr. W. Tolley ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Thos. Underhill ... ..	2 2 0		Mr. Edward Page ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Thos. Page ... ..	2 2 0		Heath Colliery Company ...	1 0 0
A Friend by Mr. Wilkes ...	2 2 0		Mr. John Roberts ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. John Alsop ... ..	2 2 0		Mr. John Danks ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Stephen Dorsett ... ..	2 0 0		Mr. John Beddoe ... ..	1 0 0
Miss Dorsett ... ..	2 0 0		Mr. J. Lea ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Wm. Willson ... ..	2 0 0		Mr. J. Cliff ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. John Salter ... ..	2 0 0		Mr. J. Goode ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. John Spittler ... ..	2 0 0		Miss G. Tollett ... ..	1 0 0
Mr. Josh. Hall ... ..	2 0 0		Sums under £1 ... ..	40 12 6
Mr. Thomas Bramall ... ..	2 0 0		Offertory at Berkswich Church	10 15 2
Rev. James Bradshaw ... ..	1 1 0			
<i>Carried forward</i> ...		5510 12 0		£5614 15 8