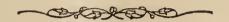
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### TO THE GOVERNORS OF THE

# Pichmond District Punatic Asylum.

### MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,

The returns for the year 1868, which I submit herewith, are similar in form to those of former years, and seldom present such marked differences in detail as to appear to me to call for special remark. I shall, therefore, confine my observations in the Report which I have to present to the Board (in accordance with my prescribed duty) to some matters of general interest.

An increase in the per-centage of discharged recovered, and a decrease in the per-centage of mortality, are amongst the important evidences of the satisfactory working of the Institution during the year 1868. The recoveries have been at the rate of  $40\frac{160}{401}$  on the admissions as compared with  $39\frac{67}{247}$  in the previous year, and the mortality in 1868, was  $7\frac{448}{1136}$  per cent. on the whole number under treatment, having been  $11\frac{43}{987}$  per cent. in 1867.

The case of accidental death, recorded in the first table, was the result of a blow inflicted by one patient on another under a sudden and blind impulse. The nature of the man's insanity, who inflicted the blow, was such as to disarm the suspicion of such an occurrence. Much as such events are to be deplored and guarded against, their occasional occurrence is unavoidable, and a careful examination into the circumstances of this case by the Governors, the Inspectors, and the Coroner's Court, did not result in attaching any blame to the parties in charge of the two lunatics for neglect of duty.

Never since the opening of the Institution have the advantages of the asylum been so largely availed of by the public as in the year 1868; the admissions in the year having been 401, compared with 247, the number of admissions in the previous year, which also had maintained the progressive advance in the number of admissions which has formed a remarkable feature in the history of this as of other Asylums for some years back. However, in no year has the increase in the number of admissions been so large as in

the last year. The two principal causes of this increase were, first, the direct action of the 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 118, and next its indirect effects which led to the admission into this Asylum of all the dangerous lunatics who had been committed to the several prisons of the district by the Acts previously in force in reference to this class of the insane. The 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 118, which has had such extensive results as regards this Asylum, is referred to in the following correspondence with the office of the Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums, which I submit for the information of the Board, as the subject is one of such considerable public importance:—

# Office of Lunatic Asylums, Dublin Castle, 24th December, 1868.

SIR,—I am directed by the Inspectors to request you will transmit to them a return of the number of persons committed to the Asylum as "Dangerous Lunatics" by warrant of justices during the past year, under the provisions of the Act 30 and 31 Vic. c. 118, stating the number of these that were, in your opinion, not dangerous or suitable cases to be so committed.

The number of such cases brought to the Asylum at unseasonable hours and without previous notice, and whether any and what inconvenience arose therefrom, either by reason of want of room, absence of preparation for their reception, or otherwise.

The Inspectors also desire to know if the form of committal issued to Magistrates by Government, a copy of which was transmitted to you by the Under Secretary, on the 10th March, 1868, has been strictly adhered to, and the "statement of particulars," &c., fully supplied in all cases.

I am Sir, your obedient servant, W. J. Corbet, Chief Clerk.

(Signed)

The Resident Physician, Richmond District Lunatic Asylum.

### RICHMOND DISTRICT LUNATIC ASYLUM,

Dublin, 18th January, 1869.

SIR,—In reply to your circular of the 24th ultimo, in reference to Lunatics committed here during the past year, under the 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 118, I am to state as follows:—

One hundred and seventy-eight persons have been committed to this Asylum by warrants of Justices in the year 1868. It appears to me that all persons committed under the proper form of committal, under the 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 118, are, in the eye of the law, dangerous and suitable cases.

The cases in which this form of committal was departed from will be hereafter noticed.

I think that all the cases committed here as dangerous lunatics, under warrants of justices, in the past year, were dangerous and suitable cases in the ordinary sense of the words.

No cases admitted here under warrants of justices in 1868, were brought in at late hours of the night, which is the usual meaning of unseasonable hours. I would not, however, wish it to be in ferred that if some had been brought at late hours of the night, the hour was necessarily unseasonable as circumstances might make such an hour most seasonable in reference to the interests of the party committed and of the public.

In nearly all instances persons committed here under warrants of justices in the past year, were brought in without previous notice, and I am not aware that such a notice is required or expected by the provisions of the law, or any instructions from the executive in my recollection.

I do not know of any inconvenience which has arisen in the past year from lunatics committed under warrants of justices being brought here at unseasonable hours or without previous notice.

The following return will show the compliance with or deviation from the Government form of committal in the 178 cases committed here in 1868, under warrants of justices.

Form of committal according to circular of 10th March,

1868, and statement	t of particu	ılars corı	ect,	-	133
do.	do.		do.,		
but date and signatu	re at foot	omitted,	-	-	8
Form of committal cor	rect, but st	atement	of par	<u>-</u>	
ticulars incomplete,	-	-	-	-	8
Old form of committal	used under	r 1 Vic.,	cap. 27	,	
and 8 & 9 Vic., cap.	107,	-	-	-	29
					178

Of the 29 committals under the old form, 28 occurred before the 22nd of April last, and only one since that period, viz., on the 17th November last.

In conclusion I would remark, that the 30 & 31 Vic., cap. 118,

so far as it has reference to dangerous lunatics, appears to me to have been most beneficent in its principle and most beneficial in its results.—I have the honor to be, sir,

(Signed)

Your most obedient servant,

JOSEPH LALOR, M. D.,

Resident Medical Superintendent.

W. J. Corbet, Esq., Lunatic Asylum Office, Dublin Castle.

The considerable increase in the gross expenditure of the Asylum in the past year, and in the cost per head of those under treatment, are, I believe, the necessary result of the exceptional circumstances of the year. A large increase of gross cost, it is plain, could not be avoided with such a large increase as has occurred in the number of our inmates; and a large increase in the cost per head was also to be expected from the outlay for alterations and furniture, bedding and clothing, &c., rendered necessary to make the auxiliary asylum at Grangegorman suited even to the temporary accommodation of lunatics, and to provide for the wants of our increased numbers. The detached nature of this building, and its architectural peculiarities, also rendered necessary an increase in the staff of officers larger than the proportion sufficient in the original asylum, or which would be so in a building more favourably constructed. A further increase in the staff has been necessitated from the presence of a large number of tradesmen, and the progress of the various buildings and alterations commenced in the past year in all parts of the establishment. It is usual and prudent thus to guard against the increased danger of escapes, irregularities, and other emergencies inseparable from such a condition of things. I anticipate, with the completion of the buildings, that the proportion between the number of the staff and the number of patients will be restored to what it was before the taking of the auxiliary; or perhaps that it may be even reduced to somewhat less. Meanwhile it must be remembered that if taxation has been increased for the support of dangerous lunatics in this asylum, it is to be presumed that it has been proportionately lessened in the gaols of the district, so that there may not have been an actual increase in the taxation of the district for the support of lunatics, but only a transference of the expense from one account to another.

In the latter portion of the year our cattle have been revisited by distemper, from which we had been fortunately free for some years, though I have reason to believe it has been always present some

where or other in our neighbourhood. I have thought it wiser to dispose of our cattle whilst yet saleable, than to run the risk of their entire loss; and at present we have no cow, nor do I propose to replace our stock until all danger of infection may be fairly calculated on as having passed away. The loss to our farm account from distemper directly from the loss of cattle, and indirectly from having to purchase milk, has, of course, been considerable; but our farm balance sheet, nevertheless, shows, I think, a very favourable result.

Our potatoe crop has also suffered a good deal from disease, and the tubers, even when not diseased, have been so inferior in quality, that we had to discontinue their use in the early part of the season, owing to their dampness. They have, however, latterly become sufficiently dry to allow of their being used as a wholesome article of diet.

The daily average attendance at morning and evening prayers has been 567; and 383 Roman Catholics, and 96 Protestants have attended religious service on Sundays and holidays.

So far back as the year 1855, the Board of Governors of this institution had the merit of being the first in Ireland, practically, to recognise the systematic education of the insane, as a valuable means of improving their condition; and from that year up to this your Board have had the honorable distinction of being liberal and persistent supporters of the extended application of this principle, so that it has reached a development here, unequalled in any other Asylum.

I have no doubt that the principle will yet be applied to every well regulated Hospital and Asylum for the insane; and I look forward with pleasure to the day when the foremost part which your Board has taken in the establishment of this system will receive its full share of public recognition. In accordance with the liberal views and practice of this Board, in reference to this subject, they have increased the educational staff by the appointment of one male and two female teachers in the past year, so as to meet the wants created by the additional accommodation provided for two hundred patients. In the past year also, the institution has had the advantage of obtaining the services of two male and five female classified teachers as attendants in the school divisions of this house. The principle thus introduced of appointing as attendants of those, not only well instructed themselves, but educated also to teach others, is most im-Our educational portant, and pregnant with obvious advantages. operations as extended in the past year, could not advantageously

be noticed in detail by me at present, or within the due limits of Hereafter when the system has had a fuller an annual report. trial with the superior appliances that will be afforded by the large school rooms which are part of the proposed additions to our Asylum, I hope to be able, in some form or other, to do fuller justice to a system which commands my full confidence and high admiration. But I may be permitted to say, that I feel convinced, no thinking mind can reflect for a moment on the principles on which Education in general is founded, without coming to the logical conclusion that it is only by the application of those principles to the insane that what was formerly called their moral treatment can be fully carried out. In this institution practical evidence is afforded of the soundness of this view, and the applicability of our excellent National system of Education to the improvement of the insane mind receives here an illustration interesting in itself, and not without importance from its bearing on the education of the sane.

The revision of the rules for the government of Lunatic Asylums has been brought under the notice of the Board in the past year, and is still receiving consideration.

The Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums have asked me to report to them on the subject as regards this Asylum, but have kindly given me leave to take due time in the matter. I shall not unnecessarily delay my report, but at the same time I feel that I should not hastily put the work out of my hands, as the rules on which I am to report may affect, for good or evil, for years to come, the metropolitan institution of this kingdom, and an asylum which, from various causes, offers many peculiarities and difficulties to be dealt with.

The increase which has been made to the salaries of several of the staff immediately and constantly in care of the insane, is based, I believe, on a sound principle, and is a recognition of the labours of this class, which I think they merited, and for which, I believe, The steps taken by the Board for providing they are grateful. the necessary increase of accommodation to meet the requirements of the 30 and 31 vic., cap. 118, have been the best practicable as I believe under the circumstances, and have been productive of great public convenience and advantage. In many other ways also the Board have manifested their interest in providing for the public wants in their department, to which the attending members of the Board have given an amount of time and attention which I feel bound to acknowledge, as well as their ready compliance with all such suggestions as I have felt it my duty to make, and which have borne the test of full examination and investigation.

I have also to thank the Board for that personal kindness and consideration which I have received at their hands in the last, as in all previous years since I became connected with the Institution.

The Inspectors have manifested their usual interest in the working of the institution by frequent visits and their good advice, cooperation and assistance in many matters of peculiar importance or difficulty.

To my fellow officers I am indebted for that general zeal and attention without which the satisfactory working of this large institution would be impracticable.

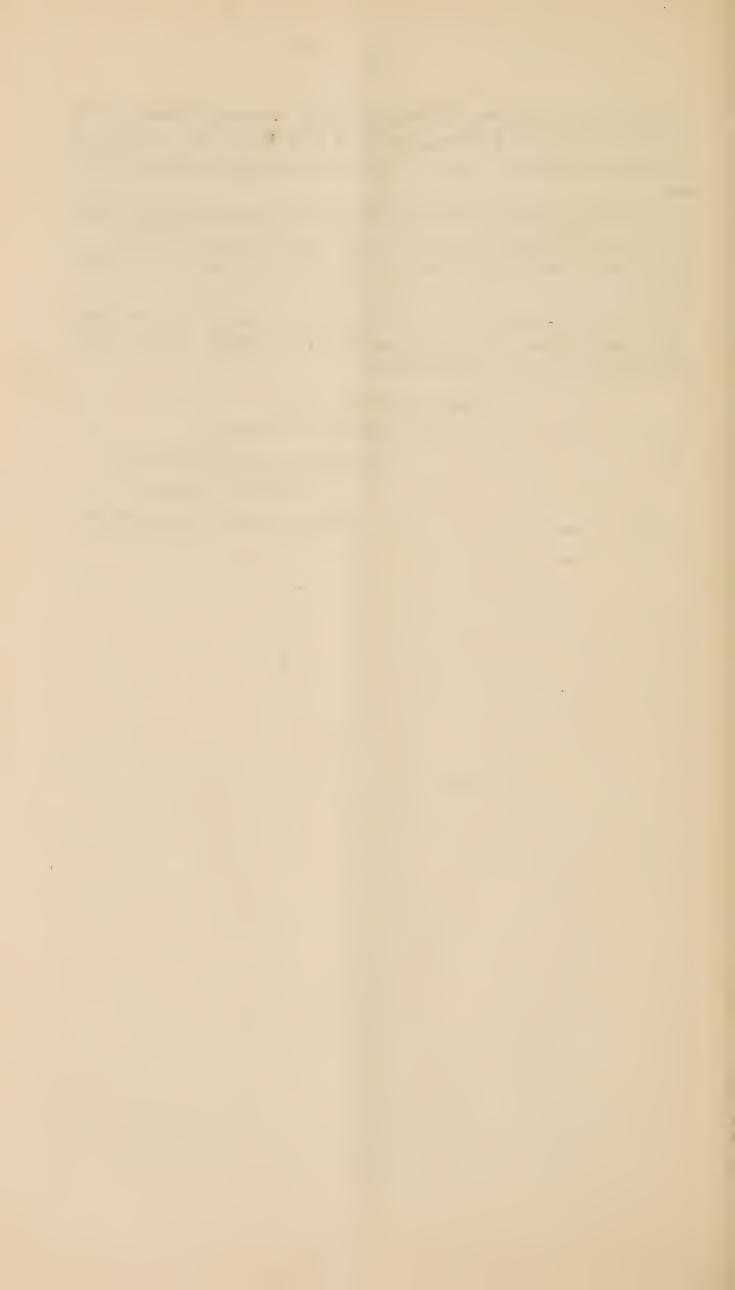
I have the honor to be,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your obedient, humble servant,

JOSEPH LALOR,

Resident Medical Superintendent.



### APPENDIX.

# STATISTICAL RETURNS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1868.

TABLE I.—Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, &c., during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

	Male.	Female.	Total.		Male.	Female.	Total.
In Asylum on 31st December, 1867, A dmitted to 31st December, 1868, .	323 196	412	735 401	Discharged during the year:— Recovered . Improved . Unimproved .	68 4 3 75	$ \begin{array}{c c} 94 \\ 7 \\ 2 \\ \hline 103 \end{array} $	162 11 5
Total	519	617	1136	Total discharged Escaped		103	178
				Deaths from Natural causes Deaths from Accidental causes, Total Deaths	42 1 43	41	83
				Total Discharges, Deaths, and Escapes, during the year.	118	144	262
				Remaining in Asylum on 31st December, 1868	401	473	874

TABLE II.—Authority for Admission of Patients, and Number Admitted, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

Authority for Admission.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Ordinary cases admitted by order of the Board	23	16	39
,, as urgent by the Physicians, .	34	62	96
Dangerous Lunatics, by warrant of the Lord Lieutenant,	34	42	76
30 and 31 Vic., cap. 118, sec. 10,	96 4	82 1	178 5
,, detained in default of security to keep ditto, ditto, the peace,	4	2	6
Transmitted from Central Asylum, by order of Inspectors, under Privy Council Rule XXXVIII.,	1		1
Total,	196	205	401

TABLE III.—Ages of Patients Admitted and Discharged Recovered, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

							Admittei	).	Disch	DISCHARGED CURED.			
						Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
Und	er 10, .	•	,	0	•	2	1	3		1	1		
Fron	a 10 to 20	•	6	•	•	10	16	26	9	9	18		
,,	20 to 30		•		•	71	69	140	26	35	61		
"	30 to 40	٠	٠	•	٠	43	48	91	12	19	31		
,,	40 to 50				٠	35	28	63	9	7	16		
"	50 to 60	٠	•	•	•	21	20	41	8	12	20		
,,	60 to 70		•		•	6	13	19	2	7	9		
,,	70 and up	wards	S .	•	٠	2	5	7		2	2		
Unkı	nown .	•	•	•		6	5	11	2	2	4		
	Total, .	•	b	٠	٠	196	205	401	68	94	162		

TABLE IV.—Duration of Disease previous to Admission of Patients Discharged Recovered, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

			******							SEX.	
									Male.	Female.	Total.
Under 1 Month,		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	24	30	54
,, 3 ,,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	8	25	33
,, 6 ,,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	8	$\frac{12}{2}$	20
,, 9 ,,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	2	3	5
,, 1 Year,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	$egin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$	1	$\frac{2}{3}$
,, 2 ,,	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	2	1	3
,, 3 ,,	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	1	_	1
,, 4 ,,	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	<u> </u>	1	1
,, 8 ,,	•		•		•	•	•	•	$\frac{1}{2}$	_	1
,, 10 ,, and	d upv	vard	s, .	٠		•	•	•	2	2	4
,, 17 ,,	•					•	•	•	<u> </u>	1	1
Unknown,	•	•			•		•	•	19	18	37
Tota	ıl,	•	•	•	•		•	•	68	94	162

TABLE V.—Length of Residence in Asylum of those Discharged Recovered and Improved, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

				R	ECOVERE	D.	IMPROVED.			
				Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	
Under 2 Months .	•	٠	•	20 26	26 30	46 56	1	1	2	
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	•	•	•	$\frac{9}{3}$	18 12	27 15	_ _ _	$\frac{\overline{2}}{\overline{2}}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
,, 12 ,, . ,, 18 ,, . ,, 3 Years, .	•		•	8 2 —	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$egin{array}{c} 10 \ 5 \ 1 \end{array}$	<u>-</u> 1	$\left  \begin{array}{c} \frac{2}{2} \end{array} \right $	$\frac{2}{3}$	
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	•	•	•	_	1 1	1 1	1 —	_ _	1	
,, 15 $,$ $.$ Total $.$	•	•	•	68	94	162	4 .	7	11	

TABLE VI.—Form of Disease of Patients admitted during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

		F	ORM O	F Disi	EASE.					Sex.			
										Male.	Female.	Total.	
Dementia Epilepsy Idiocy Mania Melancholia Monomania		•		•	•			•		13 18 1 1 128 30 6	13 4 1 158 23 6	26 22 2 286 53 12	
	Tota	al	•	•	•	•	٠	•	•	196	205	401	

TABLE VII.—FORM OF DISEASE OF THOSE REMAINING IN ASYLUM ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

	FORM OF DISEASE.												
										Male.	Female.	Total.	
Dementia Epilepsy Idiocy Mania Melancholia Monomania	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	38 50 5 210 74 24	40 26 6 295 84 22	78 76 11 505 158 46	
	Tot	al	٠	•	•			•	•	401	473	874	

TABLE VIII.—Educational Condition of Patients in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

					Sex.	
				Male.	Female.	Total.
Well Educated	•	•	 	52 100 25 85 49 90	45 63 101 125 85 54 473	97 163 126 210 134 144

TABLE IX.—Social Condition of Patients in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

										Sex.	
									Male.	Female.	Total.
Married	٠	•			٠	•	•		94	100	194
Single		•					•		271	285	556
Widowers	and	Wido	ws					•	5	28	33
Unknown	•	•					•		31	60	91
	To	tal	•	•		٠	•	٠	401	473	874

# TABLE X.—Classification of Patients in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

CLASSIFICATION	ON.					Male.	Female.	Total.
Convalescent			•		•	9 231	11 292	$\frac{20}{523}$
Moderately Tranquil Noisy and Refractory				•	•	121 40	144 26	265 66
Total	٠	•	•		•	401	473	874
Imbecile and Epileptic . Suicidal				•		50 26	26 29	76 55

# TABLE XI.—State as to Probability of Recovery of those in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

							Male.	Female.	Total.
Lunatics Probably Cura ,,,,,, Incu ,,, Idiots ,,, Epileptics .	able rable	•	•	•	•	•	59 287 5 50	75 366 6 26	134 653 11 76
Total .	,		•	•	•	•	401	473	874

# TABLE XII.—Relapsed Cases Admitted during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

Number	R OF T	IMES I	n Asy	LUM.				Male.	Female.	Total.
In Asylum once befo ,, twice ,, three times ,, ,, four times ,,	re ·		•	•	•	•	•	21 3 2 1	16 6 —	37 9 2 1
Total	•		•	•	•	•	•	27	22	49

TABLE XIII.—Previous Occupation of those in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

	Male.	Female.	Total.		Male.	Female.	Total.
Labouring Class .	105	12	117	Brought forward,	254	198	452
Farming	20	14	34	Victuallers	4		4
Domestic Servants.	16	118	134	Pedlars & Hucksters		7	10
Clerks	18		18	Lawyers.	1	_	1
Shopkeepers	12	5	17	Medical Men	5		5
Tailors and Seam-				Members of Reli-			
stresses	4	42	46	gious Communi-			
Artisans	8		8	ties	1		1
Painters & Glaziers	8	—	8	Students & Teachers	3	9	12
Smiths and Workers				Soldiers and Pen-			
in Metals	13		13	sioners	21		21
Masons and Brick-				Police			
layers	8		8	Sailors	9		9
Carpenters	18		18	Publicans	1	_	1
Weavers	5	3	8	Various Employ-			
Shoemakers	18	2	20	ments	34	11	45
Hatters	1		1	No Occupation, or			
Factory Workers .		2	2	Unknown	65	248	313
Carried forward,	254	198	$\overline{452}$	Total	$\overline{401}$	473	874

TABLE XIV.—Cause of Death during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

CAUSE OF DEATH.					Sex.	
	 			Male.	Female.	Total.
Abdominal Affections	•		•	5 24 4 2 1 6	10 11 16 — 4	15 35 20 2 1 10
Total Deaths,		٠		43	41	84

TABLE XV.—Suicide, or attempt thereat, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

	Na	mes	of t	hose	who	Com	mitte	l or A	ttemp	ted Su	icide.		Male.	Female.	Total.
R.	H.,		•				•			•	٠	•	1	Матентара Минерара д	1
C.	M.,	•	•	•		•	•	•	•		*	•	ī		î
			T	otal,		•			•	•	v	•	3		3

TABLE XVI.—Escape, or Attempts to Escape, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

Names of those who Attempted or Effected their Escape.	Male. Fem	nale. Total.	Names of those who Attempted or Effected their Escape.	Male.	Female.	Total
J. B.,	1 - 1 1 - 1 1 - 1 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1	- 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 9	Brought forward, M. A. P., P. F., M. L., C. B., A. B., M. C., J. H., M. F.,	5	4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	9 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 7

TABLE XVII.—Supposed Cause of Mental Disease of Patients in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

					Male.	Female.	Total.
Moral Causes. Poverty and reverse of fortune .	•	•	4	•	11	11	22
Grief, fear, and anxiety					9	29	38
Love, jealousy, and seduction .		•	•		2	7	9
Domestic quarrels and afflictions.	•	٠	•		1		1
Religious excitement Study and mental excitement	•	•	•	٠	7	12	19
Study and mental excitement.	•	•	•	٠	· 6	3	$\begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$
Ill-treatment	٩	•	•	•	1	$\begin{array}{ c c }\hline & 5 \\ & 2 \end{array}$	2
Auger ,	•	•	•	•			
Total Moral Causes .	•			•	37	67	104
Physical Causes.							
Intemperance and irregularity of life					25	6	31
Cerebral diseases or affections .	•				10	5	15
Congenital idiocy, &c					$\overline{5}$	5	10
Febrile affections	•				1	6	7
Effects of climate and sunstroke .	•		•	•	9		9
Bodily injuries and disorders .				•	22	7	29
Abuse of medicine	•	•	•	•	2	1	3
Sedentary habits	•	٠	٠	•		1	1
Total Physical Causes			٠	•	74	31	105
Hereditary					15	29	44
Hereditary				•	275	$\begin{vmatrix} 29 \\ 346 \end{vmatrix}$	621
THOU ILLION III		•	·	•			
Total Males and Femal	es in	As	ylum	on			
31st December, 1868					401 -	473	874

TABLE XVIII.—RELATIONSHIP OF PATIENTS TO EACH OTHER WHO WERE UNDER TREATMENT DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

Names of Patients in any degree Related.	Degree of Relationship.	Form of Insanity.
J. B.,	Brothers	Mania. Mania. Melancholia. Mania. Mania. Mania. Dementia.

### TABLE XIX.—Paying Patients in Asylum on 31st December, 1868.

Name.	Class of Life.	Yearly Payment.	Observations. Period which Payment occurred
A. L., J. M., C. G.,	Student in Medicine, Civil Engineer Law Clerk Painter None None Dressmaker Farmer Accountant's Wife, .	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Nine months. Three months. One year and two months. One year and a-half. One year. Two months. Three months. One year. Six months. Six months.

TABLE XX.—Patients in Asylum, 31st December, 1868, who are known or supposed to have means, but who do not contribute anything towards their Support.

NAME.	Class of Life.	Known or supposed Means.	Observations.
M. W	Dressmaker .	A child's portion of a sum supposed to amount	Brought under notice of Commissioners for Amendment of Law in Ireland, 30th Ja-
C. C	Post Office Clerk	to £2,000. Pension of about £60 yearly.	nuary, 1862.  This pension is, I believe, paid to, and is necessary for the support of his wife
W. R	Constabulary Pensioner	£50 yearly pension.	and children. Goes to the support of his family.

TABLE XXI.—Daily Average Number of Patients Employed during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

Male Employment.	Number Employed. Female Employment.	Number Employed.
Gardening	93   Needlework Attending School	75
Total	244 Total	. 343

TABLE XXII.—Number of Patients Placed under Mechanical Restraint or in Seclusion, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

Form of Restraint or Seclusion.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Observations.
Secluded in single rooms .	753	126	879	The specified instances of seclusion occurred in 65 males and 47 females—519 males and 617 females being treated in the year. Out of the 753 instances of seclusion amongst the males, 497 were on account of violence after epileptic fits; and out of 126 amongst the females, 56 were from a like cause.
Under Mechanical Restraint.	1		1	To prevent self-injury.
Total, .	754	126	880	

TABLE XXIII.—Amusements, Games, Books, &c.

Description of Amusements	Class of Books and Periodicals	Numbers usually tak part in Gaines and Reading			
and Games.	Supplied to Patients.	Male.	Female.	Total.	
Archery, Aunt Sally, Bagatelle, Backgammon, Cards, Chess, Dancing, Cricket, Draughts, Football, Handball, Music, Ninepins, Singing, Walking in Garden, Walks to the Phænix Park, to the Zoological and Botanical Gardens, Weekly Dances; Out-door Games, and Tea-party 17th September.	Bible and other Religious Works, National School Books, Works in Natural History, Voyages and Travels, Biography, Chambers' Serial Works, Works of Fiction, Chambers' Journal, Cassell's Magazine, Bow Bells, Young Ladies' Journal, Cornhill Magazine, Belgravia Magazine, All the Year Round, Broadway Magazine, Tinsley's Magazine, St. Paul's Magazine, Aunt Judy, Nature and Art, Naturalists' Note Book, Once a Week.	230	240	470	

TABLE XXIV.—Salaries and Allowance of Officers.

Estimated Annual Value thereof.	£ s. d. 100 14 5 100 14 5 84 15 5 87 6 5 114 19 5 74 10 5 59 9 5 54 17 11 61 6 5 61 6 5 61 6 5 74 19 2 43 19 2 43 19 2
ALLOWANCES.*	Unfurnished Apartments, Fuel, Light, Bread, Milk, Vegetables, and Washing.  Do.  Furnished Apartments, Fuel, Light, Bread, Milk, Vegetables, and Washing, Furnished Apartments, Ruel, Light, Bread, Milk, Vegetables, and Washing, Furnished Apartments, Rations, Fuel, Light, and Washing, Do.  Furnished Apartments, Rations, Fuel, Light, Washing, and Clothing, Furnished Apartments, Rations, Fuel, Light, and Washing, Do.
Salary.	£ s. d.  550 0 0  168 9 4  150 0 0  150 0 0  100 0 0  200 0 0  200 0 0  45 0 0  20 0 0  42 10 0  20 0
Resident or Non-Resident.	Resident  Non-Resident Do.  Do.  Do.  Do.  Do.  Do.  Do.  Do.
OFFICE.	Resident Medical Super- intendent.  Consulting & Visit. Physiclan Do., Do., Do., Surgeon Apothecary.  Assistant-Matron.  Choputy Assistant-Matron Schoolmaster.  Assistant do. Do., do. Do., do. Chaplain. Chaplain  Chaplain  Chaplain  R. C. Chaplain  Chaplain  R. C. Chaplain
NAME.	J. Lalor

\* Note. - Every item in the shape of allowances should be minutely described, both as to quantity and kind, and the actual value accurately given.

Annual Value Estimated thereof. 43 43 43 43 43 43 43 43 044444444444 Fuel, Light, Washing, and Residence None. Clothing, Rations, Fuel, Light, Washing, and Residence, Light, Washing, Clothing, Rations, Fuel, and Residence, Fuel, Light, Washing, and Residence, Clothing, Rations, Fuel, Light, Washing, and Residence, ditto TABLE XXV. - WAGES AND ALLOWANCES OF ATTENDANTS AND SERVANTS. ALLOWANCES. Ditto, Rations, Rations, Amount Wages. 18 18 18 Non-Resident. Non-Resident Resident Resident Resident Do. Do. Do. Do. Do. Do. Do. Head Male Attendant First-class Attendants Assistant in Kitchen do. OFFICE. Laundry Maid Store Maids Refectory do. Engine Man Bandmaster Hall Porter Do. do. Kitchen do. Shoemaker Messenger Messenger First-class Laundress do. Gardener Gate do. Plumber 15 First-cla 20 Second 12 First-cla 12 Second Tailor Third Third Do. Cook Do. Hall

TABLE XXVI.—RETURN OF SUPERANNUATION ALLOWANCES AT PRESENT ENJOYED BY OFFICERS AND SERVANTS OF DISTRICT LUNATIC ASYLUMS, IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT 19 & 20 VIC., CAP. 99, AND SUBSEQUENT ACTS.

1		
Date of Retirement.	6 Nov. 1857  4 "" ""  10 Dec. ""  26 April 1858  28 "" ""  27 July ""  28 April 1869  7 Nov. 1860  25 May 1861  3 Sept. ""  6 Feb. 1862  1 April 1865  24 "" 1866  9 Mar. 1866  9 War. 1865	
Amount of Superannuation Granted.	86 6 8 112 0 0 0 0 120 16 8 8 10 0 0 0 0 170 8 10 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0
Period of Service.	26 yrs. 22 yrs. 23 yrs. 25 yrs. 25 yrs. 26 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 29 yrs. 20 yrs. 21 yrs. 21 yrs. 22 yrs. 23 yrs. 24 yrs. 25 yrs. 26 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 29 yrs. 20 yrs. 20 yrs. 21 yrs. 22 yrs. 23 yrs. 24 yrs. 25 yrs. 26 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 28 yrs. 29 yrs. 20 yrs. 20 yrs. 20 yrs. 21 yrs. 22 yrs. 23 yrs. 24 yrs. 25 yrs. 27 yrs. 28 yrs. 28 yrs. 29 yrs. 20 yrs. 20 yrs. 20 yrs. 20 yrs. 21 yrs. 22 yrs. 23 yrs. 24 yrs. 25 yrs. 27 yrs. 28	
Age on Retire- ment.	1	
Estimated Value of Emoluments.	\$\pi\$ 8. \$\pi\$ 9. \$\pi\$ 8. \$\pi\$ 9. \$\p	
Salary.	£ S. d. 80 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	
Nature of Offices held by them.	Matron Nurse  Housemaid Nurse  Gate Porter  Nurse  Physician Deputy Nurse  Jo. Do.  Croom  Infirmary Matron Deputy Nurse  Attendant	
Name of Person Superannuated.	Catherine Wregley Bridget Briscoe Bridget Tighe Catherine Timmons John Reilly Mary Hoey Lynch Pakenham Beatty Catherine Doyle Mary Short Jane Carr Eliza Williams James Brabazon Eliza Worton Catherine Byrne Peter Nolan Catherine Byrne Peter Nolan Catherine Byrne Catherine Catherin	
ASYLUM.	Richmond	

Joseph Lalor, Resident Medical Superintendant.

TABLE XXVII.—RETURN OF SUPERANNUATION ALLOWANCES GRANTED TO OFFICERS AND SERVANTS OF DISTRICT LUNATIC ASYLUMS, IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT 19 & 20 VIC., CAP. 99, AND SUBSEQUENT ACT, TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1868, WHICH HAVE LAPSED.

emise.	1864 1859 1858 1866 1864 1864	
Date of Demise.	22 Mar. 9 April 20 May 10 May 22 Aug. 19 Mar.	
of lent.	1857 1858 1860 1864 1866	_
Date of Retirement.	25 Aug. 6 Nov. 26 April 25 ,, 3 Mar. 25 June	
Amount of Superannuation Granted.	£ s. d. 24 0 0 24 0 0 8 24 0 0 8 10 0 13 6 8 9 9 6 9	286 5 1
of:	YTS	
Period	30 26 30 10 10	
Age on .tmeriter	70   10	6_
Estimated Value of Emoluments.	£ s. d. 28 0 0 28 0 0 0 28 0 0 0 38 0 0	
·	rj 000000	
Salary.	£ s. 8 0 250 0 8 0 6 0 80 0 18 0	
Nature of Office.	Nurse	
Name of Persons Superannuated.	Richmond Grace Kirwan.  Samuel Wrigley Rose Halpin. Teresa Knowles Jas. Fitzsimons John Murray.	
ASYLUM.	Richmond "" ""	

JOSEPH LALOR, Resident Medical Superintendent.

TABLE XXVIII.—NUMBER OF DORMITORIES, AND OF BEDS IN EACH; ALSO NUMBER OF SINGLE APARTMENTS.

Total Number of Beds in the Asylum.	Total.	940	940
	Male. Female.	510	510
Total I	Male.	430	430
ents.	Total.	117	117
Single Apartments.	Male. Female. Total.	56	56
	Male.	61	61
No. of Beds	in each.	2 th 4 th 8 th 11	
	Female Side.	100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100	143
No. of Beds	in each.	22 4 4 5 9 6 11 12 13 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15	
	Male Side.	o # o ro ro 4 o co ∞ 07 L	63

TABLE XXIX.—Number of Meetings held, and Attendance of Governors, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

Nu	Number of Meetings Held.							Observations.
January	•	•	,	6	•	2	9	
February						2	9	
March	•	•	•	•	•	3	8	1st, no quorum
April	•				4	1	3	
May	•	,	•	•	•	2	11	
June	•		•		•	3	15	
July			•	•	•	2	9	
August	•		•			2	10	
September	•	•	•	•	•	3	10	1st, no quorum
October	•	•	•	٠	•	2	7	
November		•		•	•	2	10	
December		•	•	•		2	8	
	Total				•	26	109	
Averag	e Atte	endan	.ce at eac	ch Mee	ting		$4rac{5}{26}$	

TABLE XXX.—Names of Governors and Dates of Appointment, with Number of Meetings attended during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

RESIDENCE.
Kilruddery Castle, Bray; Eaton Court, Hereford; Travel-
Killeen Castle, Tara, County Meath,
merrion-square, Dublin; Ballinanone Court, Abillone; 12, Eaton-street, Reform Club, London,
Glenaveena, Howth, County Dublin, Hollybrooke House. Bray, and Green Park. Mullingar.
County Westmeath,
don S.W.
Club, Dublin,
Dublin, Gormanstown Castle, Balbriggan, and Whitworth House,
S, Rutland-square, W.; Ballybrack, Dalkey, County Dublin: Helennark Killenaule Thurles County Tinne-
rary; Reform Club, Stafford Club, London, S.W.,
House, Dublin,
Sackville-street, and 27, Mountjoy-square,
7, Merrion-square, South,
34, Stephen's-green, North,
1, Wilton-place, Dublin; Mount Merrion, Stillorgan; and
St. Doulough's Park,

೧ 2638 14 1168 14 813 15 71 13 178 19 122 4 97 6 544 2 124 8 194 8 Amount. 22677 9 406 15 8675 6 2728 10 252 3 1809 10 27 13 1041 319 1273 23084 820 Average Cost of each Patient per head per Rent, Rentcharge, Taxes, and Insurance Stationery and Printing. Balance on hand, 31st December, 1868, Wine, Beer, and Whiskey Daily average number of Patients £209 2 1\ 110 1 1\ annum, on the entire outlay Provisions, including Groceries Clothing of Patients EXPENDITURE, Medical Diet Total Outlay Superannuation Pensions Repairs and Alterations Bedding and Furniture Medicines Servants Incidental Expenses Washing .
Water Supply .
Salaries of Officers Wages of Servants Tobacco and Snuff Farm and Garden Fuel and Light Comforts, Medical Amount. 324 1570 21682 17 129 23084Balance on hand, 31st December, 1867 Sale of Garden Produce Fines on Servants. Old Stores RECEIPTS. FarmTotal Receipts Received for Pay Patients Treasury Advances 9.9 99

TABLE XXXI.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

TABLE XXXII.—OUTLAY AND PRODUCE ON FARM AND GARDEN FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

	Amount.		Amount.
Outlay	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Quantity of Land under Spade Cultivation	$\begin{array}{cccc} 18 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 2 & 10 \end{array}$
hands,	80 6 8 475 19 8½	Total	40 0 10

TABLE XXXIII.—ARTICLES OF CLOTHING, BEDDING, &c., MADE BY THE PATIENTS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

ARTICLES.	Number.	Articles.	Number.
Jackets Vests Frieze Trowsers Shirts Coats Flannel Vests Sloes, pairs Slippers, pairs Lock Suits Lock Boots Sleeved Vests Tweed Suits Barragon Suits Tweed Vests Boots, pairs Socks, pairs Female Patients' Cloth Shifts Linsey Petticoats Flannel Petticoats Blue Gowns	. 1309	Refractory Gowns Night Wrappers School Jackets Cloaks Pairs Shoes Pairs Slippers Soft Boots Day Caps Aprons Black Calico Aprons Pairs Boots Flannel Shifts Refractory Quilts Bed Ticks Bolster Cases Pairs of Sheets Mattress Covers Bolsters Bolster Covers Table Cloths Rellers Canvas Bags Flannel Drawers	1213 11 6 11 19 356 1086 900½ 60 239 132 159 594

TABLE XXXIV.—RETURN OF THE QUANTITY OF FOOD CONSUMED IN THE ASYLUM DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

		 ,				 
ARTICLES	•	Quantity.	Aı	RTICLES	3.	Quantity.
Bread Milk,		483105 lbs. 6 oz. 32685 gals. 2 qts. 682 gals. 9091 lbs. 3 oz. 4292 lbs. 6 oz. 68 lbs. 27983 lbs. 7 oz. 4014 lbs. 13 oz. 272 lbs. 4 oz 125430 lbs. 14 oz	Eggs . Chickens Pork . Oatmeal Rice . Potatoes Beer and Po Wine . Whiskey Brandy	rter		2469 doz. 3 59 4977 lbs. 14696 lbs. 8 oz. 5120 lbs 6 oz. 72367½ lbs. 428¾ brls. 1993 pints 6 oz. 107 pints 10 oz. 257 pints 16 oz.

### VEGETABLES.

Leeks, 461 bunches; Scallions, 148 bunches; Thyme, 333 bunches; Celery top, 137 bunches; Celery, 154\frac{3}{4} doz.; Parsley, 387 bunches; Parsnips, 594 stones; Brocoli, 162\frac{1}{4} doz.; Cabbages, 3964\frac{1}{3} doz.; Turnips, white, 292\frac{1}{3} doz.; Turnips, Sweedes, 24\frac{1}{3} stones; Ouions, 537 stones 8 lbs.; Lettuce, 104 doz.; Cauliflowers, 61\frac{3}{4} doz.

TABLE XXXV.—DIETARY.

OBSERVATIONS.			7 oz. Oatmeal and l oz. Rice to each quart of Stirabout.  1 oz. Tea and 3½ oz. Sugar to 7 Patients.  The Soup is the liquid in which the Meat is boiled, seasoned with Salt, Spices, and Celery. Potatoes are given one day in the week for dinner, 2 lbs. being allowed to each Patient, without Bread. Other vegetables, 1 lb. to each Patient, are given once a-week; ½ oz. Soluble Cocoa, ⅓ oz. Sugar, and ⅓ naggin Milk allowed to each British pint of Cocoa. Lenten and other Fast Days—Dinner to Roman Catholics: Milk, 1 British pint, 10 oz. Bread to males; 8 oz. Bread to females.	4 lbs. Beef allowed to 6 pints Beef Tea.	1 oz. Tea and 2 oz. Sugar to 4 Patients.	
,	Number on each Description of Diet.	Total.	684	120	70 874	
		Female.	368	62	473	
	Numb	Male.	316	7.7.5 &	27	
DIETARY.			DRDINARY.  Bread ½ lb., Tea l British pint, Stirabout l qt. Sweetmilk l B. pint, Meat: Males, ½ lb.; Females, 7 oz. Soup, l British pint, Bread: Males, 10 oz.; Females, 8 oz. Sweetmilk l British pint Bread: Males, 10 oz.; Females, 8 oz. Cocoa, l British pint Bread, ½ lb.	Extra, Ordered by Medical Officers.  1 Egg Beer or Porter, 1 British pint. Chops: ½ 1b. to Males, 7 oz. to Fermales Chicken, Half-one Beef Tea, 1 British pint Tea, 1 British pint	HOSPITAL DIET.  Beef Tea, Chops, Eggs, Porter, Wine, Whisky, Brandy, Rice, Tea, extra Milk, Arrowroot, &c., as ordered by Medical Officers	TOOT
	MEALS.		Breakfast  Dinner: for Five Days  Wednesdays and Fridays Supper	Breakfast.  Dinner  Supper		

TABLE XXXVI.—RETURN OF CONTRACT PRICES PAID FOR THE UNDER-MENTIONED ARTICLES OF PROVISIONS, &c., DURING THE YEAR ENDING 31st December, 1868.

ARTICLES OF PROVISIONS, ETC.								For First			For Last Three Months.	
1. Bread,	White, per			•	•	£ 0	0	$6\frac{3}{4}$	£ 0	s. 0	d. 7	
2. Beef, pe	r lb.		•	•	•	0	0	$6\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	$6\frac{1}{2}$	
4. Milk, pe	er gallon	•			•	0	0	10	0	0	10	
5. Oatmeal	, per cwt.	•	•	•	•	0	18	6	0	17	6	
6. Rice, pe	r cwt.		•	•	٠	0	18	5	0	15	11	
7. Butter,	per lb.	;	•	•		0	1	1	0	1	3	
8. Tea, per	· Ib	•	•	•		0	1	$7\frac{3}{8}$	0	1	$10\frac{3}{4}$	
9. Sugar, p	er cwt.	•	•	•		1	16	9	1	17	9	
10. Cocoa, p	er cwt.	•			•	2	8	0	2	7	10	
11. Coals, p	er ton	•		•		0	15	5	0	15	5	
12. Straw, 1	per cwt.	•		no cont	ract					_		

TABLE XXXVII.—DISTRIBUTION BY COUNTIES OF PATIENTS IN ASYLUM ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

	DIS	TRIBUT	TION.				Male.	Female.	Total.
From	a City of Dublin	•		*		•	204	283	487
,,	County Dublin				•	•	98	99	197
,,	County Wicklow	•	•		•		48	49	97
"	County Louth	•		•	•		44	29	73
"	County of the To	wn of I	Oroghed	la	•	•	7	13	20
	Total	•	•	•	•		401	473	874

TABLE XXXVIII.—ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1868.

	Donoing	and Alterations.	1168 14 4	1 8 6.52			
	Badding	and Furniture.	8 4 2638 14 5	3 4 4255	Total Outlay.	623 10 9 22677 9 8	0 15 $2\frac{409}{820}$ 27 13 $1\frac{256}{820}$
	Wagnes	Servants.		$4 \ 1\frac{504}{820} \ 1 \ 11 \ 0\frac{580}{820}$	Superannua- tion Allowances.	1	
	Salarios	of Officers.	3 2 1809 10 4 1273	67	Incidental Expenses.	194 8 3	$0  4  8739 \\ 820$
	Washing	and Water Supply.	319 3 2	0 7 93 5 8	Tobacco and Snuff.	124 8 9	$0  3  05  45 \\ \hline 0  8  20 \\ \hline 0  10  10 \\ \hline 0  10  $
	Fuel	and Light.	1041 11 0 319	1 5 4692	Medical Comforts.	763 12 11	0 18 7415 820
	CLOTHING.	For Servants.	252 3 2	$3  6  6\frac{481}{820}  0  6  1658 \over 820$	Printing, Stationery, and Books.	178 19 1	$0  1  \frac{8806}{820}  0  4  \frac{4509}{820}$
		For Patients.	8675 66 3 2728 10 1 252 3 2		Rent, Taxes, and Insurance.	71 13 10	$0  1  \frac{8806}{820}$
	RICHMOND ASYLUM, Provisions, including Groceries.		8675 66 3	$10 \ 11 \ 7 \frac{95}{820}$	Farm and Garden.	813 15 0	$\begin{array}{c} 0 & 19 & 10 \\ 0 & 8 & 2 \\ \end{array}$
			Gross Cost .	Cost per Patient $10  11  7_{\frac{95}{820}}$	RICHMOND ASYLUM, 1868.	Gross Cost .	Cost per Patient 0 19 $10\frac{140}{820}$
-							

TABLE XXXIX.—Analysis of Expenditure for the Five Years ended 31st December, 1867.

1			4/01		
Ronaire	and Alterations.	5120 2 0	1 8 95584		
Rodding	and Furniture.	4950 4 5	1 7 101685	Total Outlay.	88210 9 4 2416 8 5 9 2
Wares	Servants.	5710 7 0 4950 4 5	$282_{\overline{5552}}^{889} 1121_{\overline{5552}}^{12964} 1710_{\overline{5552}}^{685}$	Superannua- tion Allowances.	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Solomos	officers.	8558 2 1		Incidental Expenses.	933 0 7 0 5 3 1 5 1
Washing	and Water Supply.	1100 16 5	$12  \frac{42815}{3552} 0  6  \frac{21349}{3552}$	Tobacco and Snuff.	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Клој	and Light.	5754 2 7	$1 12 4\frac{2815}{5552}$	Medical Comforts.	2767 2 5 0 15 63 437
HING.	For Servants.	2061 6 8	$2\ 2\ 6\frac{1274}{3552}0\ 11\ 7\frac{992}{5552}$	Printing, Stationery, and Books.	539 3 6 0 3 01520 0 3 5552
CLGTHING.	For Patients.	7553 6 2	2 2 61274	Rent, Taxes, and Insurance.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Provisions.	Provisions, including Groceries.		10 4 8 <u>2383</u>	Farm and Garden.	$3109  0  10 \\ 0  17  6 \frac{250}{5552}$
BICHMOND ASYLUM.	1868.	Gross Cost 36358 14 7	Cost per Patient 10 4 82383	RICHMOND ASTLUM. 1868.	Gross Cost 3109 0 10 Cost per Patient 0 17 $6\frac{250}{5552}$

TABLE XL.—Summary of Hospital Register of Cases treated in Hospital in 1868.

	Male.	Female.	Total		Male.	Female.	Total.
Abscess	7	${2}$	9	Brought forward	128	126	254
Amenorrhœa .		ĩ	i i	Lepra	120	120	1
Anthrax	2	$\hat{5}$	7	Liver, disease of .	1	_	î
Anasarca	$\overline{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{5} \end{bmatrix}$	Lip, injury of	_	1	$ \bar{i} $
Aukle, Sprain of .	$\frac{1}{2}$		$ $ $ $ $ $	Nursing Infant .	-	ī	li
Asthma	ī	1	$\overline{2}$	Œdema of Feet .	12	10	22
Amaurosis	$-\frac{1}{2}$		$\overline{2}$	Ophthalmia	2	6	8
Anæmia		1	1	Opthalmia Tarsi .	3		3
Apoplexy	1		1	Mennorrhagia .	-	1	1
Bronchitis	17	15	32	Morbus Coxæ.	1		1
Catarrh	2	3	5	Paralysis	20	6	26
Cut Arm	1	1	2	Paronychia	4	$\frac{5}{2}$	9
,, Face	1	1	2	Psoriasis		2	2
,, Hand	2	3	5	Prolapsus Uteri .	-	1	1
Head	1		1	Purpura	<b> </b> —	$\frac{2}{3}$	2
Colic	2	1	3	Phlegmon, over knee			3
Contusion round Eyes		1	1	Pleurodynia	1	1	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$
Delicacy	6	6	12	Phthisis	3	4	
Debility	9	8	17	Psora		8	8
Diarrhea	31	35	66	Penis, injury of .	1		1
Disease of Knee .	2	$\mid 6 \mid$	8	Porrigo decalvans .	1		1
,, of Liver .	1	_	1	Rheumatism	-	3	3
Dysentery	4	3	7	Sore arm	-	1	1
Epilepsy	3		3	,, eyes	2		$\begin{vmatrix} 2 \end{vmatrix}$
Erysipelas	5	8	13	,, throat	_	$egin{array}{c} 1 \\ 2 \end{array}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
Exostosis		$\begin{array}{c c} 1 \\ 2 \end{array}$	1	,, heel		$\begin{array}{c c} 2 \\ 2 \end{array}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
Febris	1	Z	$\begin{vmatrix} 2\\1 \end{vmatrix}$	Swelling of face .	1	2	$\left \begin{array}{c}z\\1\end{array}\right $
Fracture of fibula . skull .	1	1	1	Scalded foot	1 1	1	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$
tibia.	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	Scrofula	$\frac{1}{2}$	8	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$
Furuncle.	8	1	$\frac{2}{9}$	0		$\begin{array}{c c} & o \\ 1 & \end{array}$	$\begin{vmatrix} 10 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}$
Gastric Irritation .	3	4	7	Suffocative catarrh.	2	3	$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{5} \end{vmatrix}$
01 1 .		i	í	Ctomototic		i	$\mid \stackrel{\circ}{1} \mid$
Tr 'i'	1		î	Spasms		î	î
Hemiplegia	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	3	Synhilia	1		i
Hysteria.		$\frac{1}{2}$	$\begin{vmatrix} b \\ 2 \end{vmatrix}$	Tubercle of Lungs .		1	î
Hemorrhoids	1		l ī	Tussis	1		î
Hypochondriasis .	i		î	Throat, injury of .	î		î
Icterus		2	$\frac{1}{2}$	Ulcers	27	13	40
Influenza	3	$\begin{bmatrix} 2\\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$	11	Weak Heart		i	$\tilde{1}$
Impetigo	li		1	Wound of Scrotum.	1		ī
Carried forward	128	126	254	Total	215	217	432
		(	1				

## TABLE XLI.—FARM AND GARDEN.—Dr.

1868					Sales in Year.	Purchased	Gross Debit.
Jan. 1	To Stock on hands as per last	year's	accoun	nt	£ s. d. 571 16 8	£ s. d.	£ s. d
Dec. 31	To 13 Cows purchased.		•			264 0 0	
	To Graius for Cows .		•		_	117 19 4	
	To Hay purchased .				_	172 11 5	
	To 42 Pigs " .	•	•			58 18 3	
	To Oil Cake		• +			9 15 0	
	To Garden and Farm Seeds	•	•			43 11 9	
	To Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers		•		_	12 4 4	
	To Turnips for Cows .	•				<b>3</b> 8 0 11	
	To Gravel for Walks •		•		_	17 15 1	
	To Wood and Wire Fencing	•	•		-	10 11 0	
	To Ploughing		•		_	13 6 8	
	To Shoeing Horses .		•		_	2 19 0	
	To repairing Carts .		•			6 16 0	
	To 24 Wheelbarrows .	•			_	17 8 0	
	To Handcart	•			_	4 3 0	
	To Materials for repairing Har	rness .	,		_	2 0 6	
	To Mowing	•				0 19 8	
	To Bran . ,	•			_	0 8 0	
	To Garden and Farm Tools	•			_	20 7 1	
							813 15 0
				-			1385 11 8
	Net profit in year		•	1	-	_	475 19 8
	•						
,		•					
	-						
							1861 11 41

TABLE XLI.—continued.—Cr.

1868		Sales in Year.	Used in Year.	Stock on hands.	Gross Credit.
Dec. 31	By 12 Cows sold By 21 Pigs sold By Potatoes sold By Vegetables sold By Lard sold By Milk sold	£ s. d. 186 8 6 100 10 6 20 13 0 7 1 0 6 18 6 3 4 4	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	By 27 tons 3 cwt. 3qrs. 14 lbs. Potatoes used by Patients and Attendants, at £4 per ton.  By other Vegetables, used by	_	109 15 6		324 15 10
	Patients and Attendants .  By 5 tons 9 cwt. 2 qrs. Potatoes used by Officers, at £4 per		109 16 11½		
	ton	_	21 18 0		
	By 12621 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> gals. of Milk, at 1s. per gallon By 4978 lbs. of Pork, at 6d.	_	631 1 9		
	per lb	_	124 9 0		1045 5 61
	By 11 Cows, at £12 each · ·	_		$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
	By 30 Pigs, at £2 each  By 400 tons of Manure at 4s.  per ton			80 <b>0</b> 0	
	By 12 tons Hay, at £4 10s. per ton,		_	54 0 0	
	By Vegetables on Farm	_	_	35 0 0	
	By 2 Horses and 1 Donkey .		_	10 0 0	
	By 4 Carts and 1 Water Cart  By Turnip Slicer and Chaff Cut-			20 0 0	
	ter		_	8 0 0	
	Grubber		d-manual	12 0 0	
	Plough Harness By other Farm and Garden Im-			5 10 0	
	By 10 tons of Potatoes, at £4			35 0 0 40 0 0	
	per ton				491 10 0
					$\begin{vmatrix} 1861 & 11 & 4\frac{1}{2} \\ 1861 & 11 & 4\frac{1}{2} \end{vmatrix}$

TABLE XLII.—TIME TABLE OF RICHMOND ASYLUM MALE NATIONAL SCHOOL, 1868.

JUNIOR DIVISION.  MIEDLE DIVISION (Third Class).  Senior Division (4th and 5th Classes).	INSPECTION AS TO CLEANLINESS.	Reading and Spelling: Tuesday and Thursday.  Dictation: Wednesday and Friday.  Mental Arithmetic: Saturday.  Mental Arithmetic: Saturday.  Principles of Reading: Thursday.	Object Lessons: Reading, Writing, and Writing; Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.  Spelling, taught by using black- boards.	SINGING OR SCHOOL DRILL,	OUT-DOOR GAMES OR IN-DOOR AMUSEMENTS.	Arithmetic, using ball frame for 1st class, and map of world for 2nd day.  Class, and map of world for 2nd day.  Class: Tucsday and Saturday.  Geography: Thursday.  Mental Arithmetic, for both classes: Saturday.	Forming Letters and Writing.  Parts of Speech, using black board and third books:  Tuesday and Saturday.  Geography: Thursday.  Object Lessons: Thursday.	SINGING AND SCHOOL DRILL.	Object Lessons for 1st Class.  Arithmetic: Monday, Tucsday, and Thursday.  Thursday, for 2nd Class.	Nore—Separate Religious Instruction on Wednesdays and Fridays from 12 o'clock until 1 o'clock. Mixed Concert Class on same days, from 3 o'clock until 4 o'clock; and Country Walk on Mondays, weather permitting.
JUNIOR DIVIS	o pur puro deri	Drill and Physical	Object Lessons: Readin Spelling, taught b			Arithmetic, using ball class, and map of class: Tucsday and Mental Arithmetic, for b turday.	Forming Letters and		Object Lessons for 1st Arithmetic: Monday, Thursday, for 2nd C	5.—Separate Religious Inst
Morning	91 to 91 to	9½ to 10	10 to 10½	10½ to	11 to 12	$12 \text{ to} \\ 12\frac{1}{2}$	12½ to	Evening. $\frac{3}{2}$	31 to 4	Norr 4 o'clocl

TABLE XLIII.—TIME TABLE OF RICHMOND LUNATIC ASYLUM FEMALE NATIONAL SCHOOL.

SENIOR DIVISIONTHIRD AND FOURTH CLASSES.	Inspection as to Cleanliness.	Writing from Head Lines: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Writing from Dictation: Wednesday and Friday.	SINGING AND SCHOOL DRILL, MARCHING.	Reading and Spelling: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.  Reciting Poetry: Wednesday and Friday.	OUT-DOOR GAMES OR IN-DOOR AMUSEMENTS.	Arithmetic: Monday and Tuesday. Mental do.: Thursday.	Geography: Monday and Thursday. Grammar: Tuesday.	Fancy Work, Vocal Music.	places of worship on every Wednesday and Friday; Mixed Concert Class on same days,
JUNIOR DIVISION.—FIRST AND SECOND CLASSES.	Inspection as	Reading and Spelling: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday.  Object Lesson: Saturday.  Reciting Poetry: Wednesday and Friday.	SINGING AND SCHO	Writing: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Object Lesson: Wednesday and Friday.	OUT-DOOR GAMES OR	Arithmetic: Monday and Tuesday. Mental do.: Thursday.	Map of the World: Monday and Thursday. Parts of Speech: Tuesday.	Needlework. Vocal Music,	Note.—Separate Religious Instruction is given in the respective places of worship on every from 3 to 4 o'clock; Country Walk on Tuesdays, weather permitting.
Morning Time.	$9\frac{1}{4}$ to $9\frac{1}{2}$	9½ to 10	$10  ext{ to } 10rac{1}{2}$	10½ to 11	11 to 12	12 to 12½	$12\frac{1}{2}$ to 1	EVENING. 3 to 3½ 3½ to 4	Note.—Separate Religious I from 3 to 4 o'clock; Country Wa

TABLE XLIV.—Return showing the Number of Male Pupils who attended under each of the subjoined heads during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

No.	Heads of Report.	Totals.
1	Panding and Spalling	56
	Reading and Spelling,	55
$\frac{2}{3}$	To on Copies	22
4	Do. on Copies,	30
5	School Drill, including marching to music, extension motions,	
9	marking time with hands and feet, and extra morning	
	m 422 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	86
6	Object Lossons oither from prints or netural objects	37
7	Vocal and Instrumental Music (daily)	48
8	Grammar—Parts of Speech	17
9	Vocal and Instrumental Music (daily), Grammar—Parts of Speech, Do. Parsing and Derivations, Geography—Maps only, Do. Local and Descriptive, Do. Physical and Mathematical,	54
10	Geography—Mang only	26
11	Do Local and Descriptive	18
$\frac{11}{12}$	Do Physical and Mathematical	21
13	Arithmetic—Use of arithmeticon for idiots and imbeciles,	10
14	Do Notation and numeration	22
$\tilde{1}\tilde{5}$	Do. Notation and numeration,	20
16	Do Compound Rules	20
17	Do. Compound Rules,	24
18	Mental Arithmetic,	30
	,	
	EXTRA EMPLOYMENTS.	
19	Applied Managemetics	14
20	Applied Mensuration,	14
$\frac{20}{21}$	Geometry, Algebra, and Book-keeping,	2
$\frac{21}{22}$	Elementary Mechanics from diagram (taught by a Patient), .	18
23	Drawing—Elementary Class, Do. Advanced Class,	27
$\frac{23}{24}$	Pointing in Challe and Water Colours	14
	Painting in Chalk and Water Colours,	1
$25 \\ 26$	Mixed Concert Class (bi-weekly),	42
27	Assist in teaching,	3
		70
$\begin{array}{c} 28 \\ 29 \end{array}$	In-door amusements on wet days,	74
$\frac{29}{30}$	Country Walk (weekly),	95
$\frac{30}{31}$	Visited Botanic Gardens,	43
$\frac{31}{32}$	Visited Zoological Gardens,	67
52	Attended Religious Instruction (bi-weekly) in the respective	
	places of worship,	55

TABLE XLV.—Return showing the Number of Female Pupils who attended under the subjoined heads, during the Year ended 31st December, 1868.

No.	Heads of Reports.	Totals.
1	Reading and Spelling,	73
2	Writing on Slates and Blackboard,	51
3	Do. on Copies,	30
4	Do. from Dictation,	24
5	School Drill, marching to music, extension motions, marking time with hands and feet,	75
6	Object lessons, from prints,	60
7	Vocal and Instrumental Music, daily,	38
8	Grammar and Parts of Speech,	52
9	Do. Parsing,	26
10	Geography, Maps only,	50
11	Do. Local and Descriptive,	26
12		
13	Arithmetic—Use of arithmeticon,	45
14	Do. Notation and Enumeration,	30
15	Do. Simple Rules,	26
16	Do. Compound Rules,	26
17	Do. Proportion,	7
18	Do. Mental Arithmetic,	29
	Mixed Concert Class,	40
	Assist in Teaching,	4
	Drawing in Chalk,	3
	House Needlework,	65
	Making Artificial Flowers,	7
	Crochet, Lace, Knitting, &c.,	5

TABLE XLVI.—RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MALE PUPILS UNDER EACH OF THE SUBJOINED HEADS, INCLUDING REPLIES TO QUERIES OF BOARD OF EDUCATION, FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

No.	Heads of Reports.	Totals.
1	Total number of Pupils on rolls of school at any time within the year, not reckoning the same Pupil twice,	198
2	Return of same Pupils, arranged according to their Religious Denominations, . (E. C., . 46) R. C., . 147 Pres 3 Others, 2	198
3 4 5 6 7	Average number of Pupils on rolls of school during the year, Average daily attendance during the year, Number of individual Pupils admitted during the year, Number of re-admissions during the year,	95 73 122 8
7 8	Number of Pupils promoted from a lower to a higher class during the year,  Pupils whose names were transferred to the new class rolls, from 1st January, 1868, and failed to make even one attendance within the year,	54
9	Return of total number of Pupils on the rolls, for quarter ended 31st December, 1868, according to their classification in the various lessons books,	151

TABLE XLVII.—RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF FEMALE PUPILS UNDER THE SUBJOINED HEADS, INCLUDING REPLIES TO QUERIES OF BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR YEAR ENDED 31st December, 1868.

No.	Heads of Report.	Totals.
1	Total number of Pupils on Rolls of School at any time within the year, not counting the same Pupil twice,	176
2	Return of same Pupils, arranged according { E. C., to their religious denominations,	38 138
3	Average number of Pupils on Rolls of School during the year,	90.8
4	Average daily attendance during the year,	75.7
5	Number of individual Pupils admitted during the year,	83
6	Number of re-admissions during the year,	4
7	Number of Pupils promoted from a lower to a higher class during the year,	20
8	Pupils whose names were transferred to the new class rolls from 1st January, 1868, and failed to make even one attendance during the year,	_
9	Return of total number of Pupils on the rolls for quarter ended 31st December, 1868, according to their classification in the various lesson books,	55 33 26 24

TABLE LXVIII.—RETURN SHOWING THE ORIGINAL AND PRESENT ASYLUM ACCOMMODATION, ARRANGEMENT OF DISTRICTS, &c.

Asylum—Richmond District Lunatic.

Year opened—29th May, 1830.

				Males.	Females	Total.
Original accommodation as a Districting to a return made by Boa 7th July, 1833, in which the sexes is not mentioned,  Present accommodation,	rd of propor	Govern tion of	ors,	430	<b>—</b> 510	257 940

Counties comprised in original District—County and City of Dublin, Counties of Meath, Louth, and Wicklow, and County of Town of Drogheda.

Counties comprised in present District—Above, unless Meath.

Date of Order in Council under which separation took place—4th July, 1855.

Date of separation, i.e., Removal of Patients belonging to detached Counties—23rd and 25th August, 1855.

## List of Reports of Lunatic Asylums and Monographs received in 1868.

- 1.—Aberdeen Royal Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1867. By Robert Jameisson, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 2.—Armagh District Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1867. By Robert M'Kinstry, M.D., Resident Physician.
- 3.—Argyll District Asylum for the Insane, Report for 1866. By John Sibbald, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 4.—Belfast District Hospital for the Insane, Report for 1867-8. By Robert Stewart, M.D., Resident Physician Superintendent.
- 5.—Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic, Report for 1866. By John Meyer, Super-intendent.
- 6.—Cork District Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1866. By Thomas Power, M.D., Resident Medical Superintendent.
- 7.—Crichton Royal Institution and Southern Counties Asylum, Report for 1866. By James Gilchrist, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 8.—Dorset County Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1866. By L. Gustavus Symes, Medical Superintendent.
- 9.—Dundee Royal Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1867-8. By James Rory, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 10.—Dublin City Prisons, Report for 1867. By Board of Superintendence.
- 11.—Earlswood Idiot Asylum, Redhill, Surrey, Report for 1866-7. By J. Langdon H. Down, M.D., Resident Physician and Superintendent.
- 12.—Eastern Lunatic Asylum, Williamsburg, Va., Report for 1868. By A. E. Petticolas, Superintendent.
- 13.—Farnham House, Private Asylum, Report for 1868. By J. F. Duncan, M.D.
- 14.—Formularies of the House of Industry Hospitals.
- 15.—King's County Lunatic Asylum, State of New York, Report for 1868. By Edward R. Chapin, Resident Physician.
- 16.—Longview Asylum, State of Ohio, Report for 1866. By O. M. Langdon, M.D., Superintendent and Physician.
- 17.—Lunacy Commissioners in England, Twenty-second Report.
- 18.—Lunatic Asylums, Inspectors of, Ireland, Seventeenth Report.
- 19.—Middlesex County Lunatic Asylum, at Colney Hatch, Report for 1866. By Edgar Sheppard, M.D., and W. G. Marshall, Medical Superintendent.
- 20.—Montrose Royal Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1867-8. By James C. Howden, Medical Superintendent.
- 21.—Mullingar District Asylum for Insane Poor, Report for 1866. By Henry Berkely, M.D., Resident Medical Superintendent.
- 22.—New Hampshire, United States, Asylum for the Insane, Report for 1867-8. By J. B. Bancroft. M.D., Superintendent and Physician.
- 23.—Nottingham Lunatic Hospital, Report for 1866. By W. B. Tate, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 24.—Perth Royal Asylum for the Triennial Period, from 1865 to 1868. By W. Lauder Lindsay, Esq., M.D., F.R.S., Edinburgh, Physician.

- 25.—Sligo and Leitrim Hospital for the Insane, Report for 1866-7. By John M'Munn, M.D., Resident Medical Superintendent.
- 26.—Stirlingshire, Lambert, Scottish National Institution for the Education of Imbecile Children, Report for 1867. By David Broody, M.D., L.R.C.S.I.
- 27.—Somerset County Pauper Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1866. By R. Boyde, M.D., F.R.C.P., Physician and Superintendent.
- 28.—Toronto Provincial Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1866-7. By Joseph Workman, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 29.—Wilts County Asylum, Report for 1867. By John Thurnam, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 30.—Worcester Pauper Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1867. By James Sherlock, M.D., Medical Superintendent.
- 31.—York Friends' Retreat, Report for 1867-8. By J. Ketching, M,D., Medical Superintendent.
- 32.—York Lunatic Asylum, Report for 1867. By F. Needham, M.D., Medical Superintendent.