

For with the Year Seasons return, but not to me return Day, or the sweet approach of ev'n or Morn, Or Sight of Vernal Bloom, or Summer's Rose, Or Flocks, or Herds, or Human Face Divine ; But clouds instead, and ever during Dark Surround me, from the cheerful Ways of Men Cut off, and for the Book of Knowledge fair Presented with a universal Blank. Mittow.

REPORT

OF THE STATE OF THE

BRISTOL ASYLUM,

FOR THE

INDIGENT BLIND,

I.N BRISTOL,

From DECEMBER 31st, 1825, to DECEMBER 31st, 1826.

At a Meeting of the Committee of the BRISTOL ASYLUM for the Blind, held there on MONDAY, the 9th of April, pursuant to a Summons, the Accounts for the year 1826, were examined and approved, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. GEORGE THORNE, Treasurer.

COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1826.

Richard Bright, Esq. Robert Bush, Esq. Durbin Brice, Esq. Stephen Cave, Esq. Thomas Daniel, Esq. Henry Davis, Esq. James George, Esq. George Gibbs, Esq. John S. Harford, Esq. John Huythorne, Esq. Philip J. Miles, Esq. M. P. Mr. Charles Morgan

| E. Protheroe, Esq. | Mr. John Ryland | Mr. John Waring

Since the last Annual Report, the Committee have to state, that Four Males and Three Females have been admitted into the house, and Two Males and Two Females left.

Twenty five remain in the House usefully employed.

STATE OF THE ACCOUNT, 1826.

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| eceived for Baskets, Mats,&c. | 075 | 19 | 2 | ByWeekly Wages paid the Blind |
| ends on Government Securities | 010 | | | Cash paid the Blind allowance from |
| ear's Rent of Eye Institution | | 4 | 0 | their Parishes |
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April 9, Audited by us, HENRY DAVIS, JAMES GEORGE,

FORM OF A LEGACY.

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I give and bequeath to A. B. and C. D. the sum of the same to the Treasurer, for the time being, of a certain charitable Institution in Bristol, known by the name of the Asylum (or School of Industry) for the indigent Blind; which sum I charge upon my personal Estate, and desire it may be applied under the direction of the Committee for the time being, of said Institution, to the charitable uses thereof.

N. B. At the Asylum there are for sale, a variety of Cradles, Common and Market Baskets, as well as Table Mats, and a variety of curious flower Baskets, &c. the work of the Blind.



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