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The Convict Ship St Vincent

Mr *Samuel Donnelly* Surgeon

Between {the 7th December 1849
{and 17th April 1850

(Initialed) *A B 20th Oct*

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*Sick List of the Convict Ship St Vincent*⁸⁴⁵

Entry	Names	Age	Trade or Occupation	Disease	Discharged	How Disposed of
Decem 9 th 1849	Cath Collins	50	None	Hysteria	January 13	Cured
Dec 11	S.A. Leland	20	None	Catarrh	Dec 13	Cured
Dec 12	M. Hawkes	38	Servant	Obstipatis	Dec 15	Cured
Dec 14	M Thorne	34	Laundress	Febris	Dec 17	Cured
14	A. Smith	34	Servant	Diarrhoea	Dec 28	Cured
Dec 15	E. Powell	26	Factory	Catarrh	Dec 19	Cured
15	M. Banyard	50	None	Diarrhoea	Dec 20	Cured
Dec 19	C. Hart	23	None	Catarrh	Dec 27	Cured
19	A. McDonald	26	Servant	Febris	Dec 23	Cured
19	S. Povey	27	Servant	Dyspepsia	Dec 23	Cured
19	C. Pender	28	Servant	Dyspepsia	Dec 23	Cured
19	M. Fitzgerald	28	Servant	Diarrhoea	Jan 17	Cured
Dec 21	A. Lawrence	23	Hawker	Dyspepsia	Dec 30	Cured
21	S. Smith	21	None	Diarrhoea	Dec 24	Cured
21	A. Williams	21	Servant	Hysteria	Dec 22	Cured
Dec 22	C. Harrison	40	None	Dyspepsia	Jan 5	Cured
22	M.A. Jones	27	Servant	Cynnan Ton	Dec 24	Cured
Dec 24	M. Diamond	18	Factory	Febris	Jan 4	Cured
24	M. Bagwell	18	Glover	?????	Dec 29	Cured
24	S. Crosby	18	None	Rheum	Feb 1	Cured
Dec 28	M. Roberts	27	Labourer	Obstipatis	Jan 1	Cured
Dec 29	M.A. Staples	22	Labourer	Heamorrhosis	Jan 10	Cured
Dec 31	C. Pender	28	None	Obstipatis	Jan 4	Cured
January 1	M. A. Johnson	21	Servant	Pleurodysia	Jan 25	Cured
Jan 9	C. Murphy	18	None	Obstipatis	Jan 13	Cured
Jan 13	S. A. Sheming	22	Cook	Diarrhoea	Jan 15	Cured
Jan 15	M. A. Clayton	18	Servant	Cynass. T.	Jan 17	Cured
15	M. A. Smith	18	None	Phlegmosis	Jan 17	Cured
15	I. Evans	23	Servant	Diarrhoea	Jan 22	Cured
Jan 16	M. A. Badland	22	Servant	??????	Jan 29	Cured
Jan 17	A. Thompson	30	Servant	Obstipatis	Jan 19	Cured
17	S. Pemberton	37	Labourer	Diarrhoea	Jan 23	Cured
Jan 18	S. Whitburn (??)	34	None	Diarrhoea	Jan 26	Cured
18	H. Covill	17	Servant	Haemorrhosis	Jan 24	Cured
Jan 19	E. Smith	21	Servant	Catarrh	Jan 20	Cured
Jan 22	H. Tonkinson	31	Screw Maker	Phlegmosis	Jan 29	Cured
22	M.A. Lewis	19	None	Diarrhoea	Jan 28	Cured
Jan 24	S. Povey	27	Servant	Diarrhoea	Feb 12	Cured
Jan 27	S. Hill	24	Shoe Binder	Pleurodysia	Jan 29	Cured
Jan 28	C. Ives	20	Servant	Diarrhoea	Feb 1	Cured

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Enter	Names	Age	Trade Or Occupation	Disease	Discharged	How disposed of
Feb 4	C. Ives	20	Servant	Pneumonia	March 13	Obiet
Feb 6	A. Thompson	30	Servant	Ovaritis	Feb 18	Cured
Feb 8	M. McDonald	24	Servant	Otitis	Feb 11	Cured
Feb 10	M. Hawkes	37	Servant	Obstipation	Feb 21	Cured
Feb 11	M. A. Bradford	24	Servant	Diarrhoea	Feb 14	Cured
Feb 12	L. Heat	20	Servant	Catarrh	Feb 15	Cured
12	M. Taylor	23	Hawker	Catarrh	Feb 15	Cured
Feb 16	E. Baumont	38	None	Catarrh	March 2	Cured
16	C. Collins	50	None	Haemorrhosis	March 12	Cured
Feb 17	A. Peck	19	Shopkeeper	Diarrhoea	Feb 20	Cured
Feb 20	S. A. Sheming	22	Cook	Diarrhoea	Feb 22	Cured
Feb 21	S. Crosby	18	None	Haemorrhosis	Apr 4	Cured
Feb 22	S. Reavely	16	None	Hysteria	Feb 24	Cured
22	A. Hughes	25	None	Rheum”	Feb 26	Cured
Feb 25	M. Bagwell	18	Glover	????	Mar 27	Cured
Feb 26	A. Thompson	30	Servant	Phlegmosis	Mar 7	Cured
March 3	M. Ford	32	Labourer	Dyspepsia	Mar 7	Cured
Mar 4	M. Edwards	33	Catarrh ¹	Servant	Mar 19	Cured
Mar 7	M. A. Brodie	21	None	Diarrhoea	Mar 14	Cured
Mar 8	M. Burke	33	Hawker	Diarrhoea	Mar 21	Cured
Mar 13	M. A. Badland	18	Servant	Phrenitis	Mar 16	Obeit
Mar 15	E. Powell	25	Factory	Diarrhoea	Mar 25	Cured
Mar 16	M. A. Bradford	18	None	Diarrhoea	Mar 25	Cured
Mar 18	M. Diamond	19	Factory	Diarrhoea	Mar 30	Cured
Mar 21	M. Turner	28	None	Diarrhoea	Apr 4	Cured
Mar 24	A. Buck	49	Shopk.	Diarrhoea	Apr 2	Cured
Mar 27	M. Ford	32	Labourer	Dyspepsia	Apr 1	Cured
Mar 31	M. Ryley	23	Servant	Diarrhoea	Apr 1	Cured
April 3	M. Clarke	26	Servant	Rheum”	Apr 11	Hospital
Apr 6	I. Mathews	40	Servant	Phlegmosis	Apr 17	Hospital
Apr 11	E. Baumont	38	None	Diarrhoea	Apr 11	Hospital
Apr 12 am	A. Buxton	33	Servant	Ulcer	Apr 17	Hospital

1. The entries for two columns for Trade and Disease were entered incorrectly.

(Signed) *Samuell Donnelly*
Surgeon

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APPENDIX No 11, and Art. No. 32 of the Surgeon’s Instructions

MEDICAL and SURGICAL Journal of Her Majesty’s the Convict Ship *St Vincent*
Between the 7th Decr 1849 and the 17th April 1850 during which
Time the said *Ship* has been employed in *the conveyance of Convicts*
From England to Vandeimensland..

Nature of Disease	No. of Case	Men’s Names, Ages, Qualities, Time when and where taken ill, and how disposed of.	The History, Symptoms, Treatment, and Daily Progress of the Disease or Hurt.
Febris	1	Mary Thorn Atatis 31 Servant taken ill 14 th December at Woolwich and discharged 17 th Decr 1849	Complain of lassitude and general debility with loss of appetite & general disinclination to exertion. P(ulse) quick skin hot bowels irregular T(ongue) white feels chilly at times, ascribes attacks to getting her feet wet. [Script]. Perspired freely during the day, skin moist bowels open [Script]. <p style="text-align: right;">15th</p> Passed a good night, skin moist, P(ulse) reduced in frequency T(ongue) still white, bowels have not been freely moved [Script]. <p style="text-align: right;">16th</p> Much better, bowels moved several times during the night [Script]. 17 th No complaints, discharged.
Diarrhoea	2	Mary Banyard Atatis 50 Taken ill 15 th December at Woolwich and discharged 20 th December 1849	Purging of two days standing with much griping evacuations liquid and devoid of bile, no febrile excretion. [Script] Arrow Root for dinner. 16 th Purged repeatedly since yesterday evening less griping , T(ongue) moist [Script] Vesp - Purging has ceased [Script] 17 th Purges twice during the night without griping [Script] 18 th Passed a quiet night evacuations more solid T(ongue) clearing less thirst [Script]. 19 th Improving complains only of debility [Script] 20 th No purging [Script] Discharged to duty.
Febris	3	Ann McDonald Atatis 26 Servant Taken ill at sea 19 th December & discharged 23 rd cured	Was seized last night with rigors followed by headache pains in all her joints accompanied with great heat of skin & thirst & complains this morning of general debility, great thirst with loss of appetite etc. P(ulse) quick skin much above the natural hundred. T(ongue) very foul bowels rather confined. [Script] Bowels freely opened by the medicine, skin still very hot thirst considerable. [Script] <p style="text-align: right;">21st</p> Passed a quiet night, perspired very much, skin moist, P(ulse) reduced, T(ongue) moist thirst less Cont. Script <p style="text-align: right;">22nd</p> Febrile symptoms much abated, bowels open, T(ongue) moist, thirst less. Appetite returning. Cont script <p style="text-align: right;">23rd</p> No complains discharged.

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Diarrhoea	4	<p>M. Fitzgerald Atatis 28 Maltseller Taken ill at sea 19th December and discharged 17th January 1850</p>	<p>Was seized last night with violent purging accompanied with cramps in abdomen and lower extremities, etc The purging is not so violent this morning but the cramps continue, P. quick T. foul [Script] ??? Station, Vomited the medicine as soon as swallowed, much pain in epigastrium [Script] 21st Pain in Epigastrium abated by mustard ??? Purging abated. Cont script 22nd No cramps in abdomen still slight cramps in lower extremities App Liniment ??? bowels rather confined [Script] 23rd Bowels moved several times cramps gone. 24th Complaining no appetite,[Script] 27th Much better app' returning 6.2 1st Jan Gaining strength daily 6.2 17th January no complaints Discharged</p>
Rheum"	5	<p>Sarah Crosbey Actatis 18 Servant Taken ill 24th December at sea, and discharged 1st February 1850</p>	<p>Complains of acute pains in shoulder joints & in muscles of the nape of the neck, both are much swollen and the seat of considerable pain when was in bed. P(ulse) quick, skin hot, bowels confined, T(ongue) white, considerable thirst, appetite bad [Script]. 25th Passed a better night than usual, bowels opened several times by the purgative skin moist but still hot still great thirst [Script]. 26th Much the same Cont Script 27th Symptoms somewhat relieved cont script 28th Bowels confined, skin moist thirst still great [Script] 29th Bowels have not been opened by the Purgative draught Repetition Station (???). cont script 30th Passed a good night T. moist and cleaning Pains abated cont. script 31st Improving gradually Rest(??) less swollen & painful cont. script 1st January Bowels confined, stomach irritable, [Script] 2nd Bowels freely opened by the enema - cont script 3rd Pain in muscles of neck very severe during the night. Bowels confined,[Script] 4th Bowels open. Pain abated Cont - script 8th Improving daily - c ont script</p>

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			<p>12th Vomited some dark coloured blood during the night is subject to Heamatomosis. [Script] 15th No blood brought up since the 14th otherwise better 1st February No complains Discharged</p>
Diarrhoea	6	<p>Sarah Povey Atatis 27 Servant Taken ill 24th January at Sea and discharged February 12th 1850</p>	<p>Was seized this morning with severe purging, accompanied with much griping & tenseness. T(ongue) foul evacuation liquid P(ulse) normal [Script] 25th Purging has ceased, complains of general debility with loss of appetite [Script] 26th No Diarrhoea, improving Cont script 1st February Bowels regular appetite improving Cont script 3rd Continues to gain flesh, bowels regular cont script 12th Quite well, Discharged</p>

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Pneumonia	7	<p>Cather Ives Atatis 21 Servant Taken ill on the 4th of February at Sea and died March 13th 1850</p>	<p>Was admitted on the Sick List for an attack of Diarrhoea accompanied by Tormina & Tenesmus, with general debility & loss of appetite this is the second attack of Diarrhoea since embarkation - is of a strenuous Diarrhoea & very much reduced in flesh [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">5th</p> <p>Still very much besieged Cont script</p> <p style="text-align: right;">6th</p> <p>Mouth sore [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">7th</p> <p>Much the same Cont script</p> <p style="text-align: right;">8th</p> <p>Purging continues unabated stools slimy mouth not sore [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">10th</p> <p>Purging has ceased, great debility, little appetite, to have processed soup for dinner. [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">11th</p> <p>Purging returned during the night [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">12th</p> <p>Only one evacuation since yesterday afternoon Cont script</p> <p style="text-align: right;">14th</p> <p>Feels better this morning passed a better night than usual Cont script.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">17th</p> <p>Symptoms of subacute inflammation of he lungs has presented themselves viz - Pain in chest with dyspnea increased ?? using the slightest excretion cough with mucous expectoration, P quick, great debility, countenance pale and anxious. [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">18th</p> <p>Purged several times during the night, Pain in chest and dyspnea relieved by Blister, cough very troublesome with mucous expectoration. Cont script</p> <p style="text-align: right;">19th</p> <p>No purging last night symptoms ??? much the same Cont script</p> <p style="text-align: right;">20th</p> <p>Still complains of ??? pain in chest, with hurried respiration, blistered surface discharging, cough continues with mucous expectoration, little appetite Cont script</p> <p style="text-align: right;">21st</p> <p>Two motions during the night. P quick pain in chest & dyspnea not relieved expectation free. [Script]</p> <p>Vesper - Pain in chest & dyspnea increased [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">22nd</p> <p>Passed a very bad night, P quick & small, great thirst, cough with mucous expectoration, respiration hurried, right ????, absence of respiratory murmur in upper portion of left lung dullness on percussion over upper portion of right lung, febrile respiration in lower portion of both lungs, complains of great debility lies on her back appetite gone, still purges at night [Script]</p> <p style="text-align: right;">23rd</p>
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			<p>Passed a tolerable night less oppression in breathing no purging cont script [Script] 25th</p> <p>Did not rest well last night bowels rather confined [Script] 26th</p> <p>Somewhat better this morning Cont script 27th</p> <p>Pass an indifferent night increasing debility & difficult respiration cont script 28th</p> <p>More cheerful this morning cont script 2nd March</p> <p>Passed a very quiet night mucous expectoration continues with difficult resp'n 3rd</p> <p>Increasing debility cont scrip 4th</p> <p>No change cont script Resp' Bowels rather confined [Script] 6th</p> <p>Cough very troublesome with slight expectoration P quick & small, T moist appetite very bad, lustre flush on cheeks - cont script</p> <p>????? - complains of deep seated pain under pressure [Script] 7th</p> <p>Passed a good night blister not yet risen cont script 8th</p> <p>Pain in chest relieved increasing debility - laboured respiration cont script 9th</p> <p>Was very restless during the night, appetite completely gone bowels regr cont script 10th</p> <p>Much the worse, great oppression about the chest from debility Cont script 11th</p> <p>Passed a very bad night cough troublesome with scanty expectoration , sweats very much at night. 12th</p> <p>Sinking rapidly, P small & quick, lies on her back breathing very much impeded Cont script 13th</p> <p>7.45 PM obiet</p>
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Ovaritis	8	<p>Agnes Thompson Atatis 30 Servant Taken ill 6th February at Sea and discharged 18th February 1850</p>	<p>States that for several days she has experienced a dull pain in the right ovarian region, which is increased by pressure or by walking quickly, feeling at times across loins, descending to the thighs & fundament, voids urine with some difficulty and at times has complete actention, rendering the introduction of the catheter necessary, general health fairly good, Symptoms much aggravated and attended with considerable febrile excretion during menstruation. [Script]</p> <p align="center">7th</p> <p>Somewhat relieved, bowels freely moved, voids urine with less pain [Script]</p> <p align="center">8th</p> <p>Much the same, bowels regr still a dragging pain in fundament [Script]</p> <p align="center">9th</p> <p>Symptoms not much changed [Script]</p> <p align="center">10th</p> <p>Blister rose well, feels much better this morning [Script]</p> <p align="center">11th</p> <p>Improving daily Cont script</p> <p align="center">12th</p> <p>Still some pain over blistered surface on exertion [Script]</p> <p align="center">13th</p> <p>Much better slept well no tenesmus nor difficulty in voiding urine. Cont script</p> <p align="center">14th</p> <p>General health much imp'd Cont script</p> <p align="center">15th</p> <p>Continues to improve Cont script</p> <p align="center">16th</p> <p>Appetite improving little or no pain in right ovarian region [Script]</p> <p align="center">17th</p> <p>Gaining strength rapidly</p> <p align="center">18th</p> <p>No complain discharged</p>
Haematensis	9	<p>Sarah Crosby Atatis 18 Servant Taken ill at Sea 21st February & discharged 4th April 1850</p>	<p>Vomited about a pint of dark coloured blood night without any premoning symptoms leaving her in a very debilitated state, had brought up small quantities of bloody ,ucous, several times since embarkation, is of a melancholy disposition, otherwise appears pretty healthy bowels rather confined T. clear no febrile excretion [Script]</p> <p align="center">22nd</p> <p>Bowels freely moved, brought up about a tablespoonful of clotted blood during the night. Cont script</p> <p align="center">23rd</p> <p>Cont script</p> <p align="center">24th</p> <p>No blood discharged from stomach since yesterday morning feels stronger cont script</p> <p>1st March Continues to gain strength Cont script</p> <p>2nd complains of pain in sternum, with slight dyspenea [Script]</p>

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			<p align="right">3rd</p> <p>Pain in chest relieved by blister Cont script</p> <p align="right">6th</p> <p>Brought up several ounces of clotted blood last night [Script]</p> <p align="right">7th</p> <p>No blood since yesterday morning Cont script</p> <p align="right">8th</p> <p>Improving - cont script</p> <p align="right">9th</p> <p>Pain in chest all but gone no blood discharged Cont script</p> <p align="right">10th</p> <p>Improving daily but her state very much debilitated</p> <p align="right">20th</p> <p>[Script]</p> <p align="right">1st April</p> <p>Very much improved Cont script</p> <p>4th April quite well discharged</p>
Diarrhoea	10	Mary Burke Atatis 33 Hawker Taken ill at sea, 8 th March and discharged 21 March 1850	<p>Was seized this morning with severe purging accompanied by much nausea & vomiting at times. T. foul, P quick, great thirst [Script]</p> <p align="right">9th</p> <p>Purged very much during the night, nausea & vomiting abated, evacuations slimy [Script]</p> <p align="right">11th</p> <p>Still very much purged Cont script</p> <p align="right">12th</p> <p>Purging abated, mouth sore, [Script].</p> <p align="right">15th</p> <p>Purging has ceased is very weak, [Script]</p> <p align="right">21st</p> <p>Quite well Discharged</p>
Phrenitis	11	M. A. Badland Atatis 18 Servant Taken ill 13 th March at sea and died 16 th March 1850	<p>Was placed on the Sick List this morning complaining only of general debility, with pains in both groins although on examination, there was neither swelling of the glands nor discoloration of in ligaments, appeared confused on being interrogated as is apparently of weak intellect, has suffered very much from syphilis, appetite bad, eyes dull and heavy, P quick, bowels confined. [Script]</p> <p align="right">14th</p> <p>Passed a restless night, talking incoherently at times, bowels well opened by the purgative, P quick but small, only complains of pain in groin [Script]</p> <p align="right">15th</p> <p>Had no sleep last night constantly attempting to get out of bed and making use of the most blasphemous language. P quick but not hard, bowels open [Script] Blister rose well Delirious during the day without intermission, Pupils rather dilated & insensible to the stimulus of light - bowels confined [Script] 3A M Total insensibility has set in followed by frothing at the mouth grinding of the teeth, great dilation of the pupils after which she became comatose and expired 3.30 am on the 16th March</p>
Diarrhoea	12	M't Drummond Atatis 19	<p>Purging of two days standing attended with Tormina and Tenesmus, evacuations slimy, T. white & foul, P.</p>

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		<p>Factory Taken ill 18th March and disch’d 30th March 1850</p>	<p>quick, great thirst [Script] Bowels moved several times during the day attended with much gripping [Script] 19th Less purging during the night cont script 20th Three evacuations during the night ??? with blood. Cont script 22nd Purging continues matched stools bloody & slimy and of a dark colour, mouth sore [Script] 23rd Only one evacuation through the night Cont script 24th Purging diminishing Cont script 26th Much the same Cont script 27th Improving rapidly evacuations more natural Cont script 28th Evacuations natural, appetite bad feels very weak [Script] 30th No complaints Discharged</p>
Diarrhoea	13	<p>Ann Buck Atatis 49 Shopkeeper Taken ill at Sea 24th March and discharged April 2 1850</p>	<p>Diarrhoea of four days standing which has reduced her very much, evacuations light coloured and passed with much pain, P small appetite bad [Script] 25th Four evacuations during the night with Tormina & Tenesmus Cont [Script] 26th Purged frequently during the night & vomited repeatedly [Script] 27th Only one evacuation last night. Vomiting has ceased [Script] 28th Purging has ceased [Script] 29th Gaining strength rapidly Cont script 1st April No purging appetite improving Cont script 4th No complaint Discharged</p>
Rheumatismus	14	<p>Mary Clarke Atatis 25 Servant Taken ill at sea Apr 3rd and discharged to Hospital at Hobart Town April 11th 1850</p>	<p>Complains of acute pains in all her large joints and attended with considerable febrile excitement, Pacts?? Are much swollen & tender – P quick, T white & coated, bowels confined, ascribes attack to getting her feet wet. [Script] 4th Perspired freely during the night, bowels open, pains somewhat abated, considerable thirst. [Script] 5th Passed an indifferent night, bowels open, T white Pacts much swollen & painful more particularly at night [Scrip] 6th Passed a better night script 7th</p>

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			<p>No change. [Script] 8th</p> <p>Improving Cont script 9th</p> <p>Swelling has disappeared</p> <p>11th Does not improve</p> <p>Discharge to Hospital</p>
Phlegmosis	15	<p>Jane Mathews Atatis 40 Servant Taken ill April 6th and discharged to Hobart Town Hospital 17th April 1850</p>	<p>There is an abscess forming on the nape of neck, very painful and accompanied with considerable Pyrexia T white bowels confined P quick, some thirst [Script] 7th</p> <p>Bowels freely moved Pyrexia subsiding, matter forming Cont script. 8th</p> <p>Abscess opened, several ounces of Pus discharged feels better Cont script</p> <p>17th Dis'd to Hospital</p>
Diarrhoea	16	<p>Emma Baumont Atatis 38 Servant taken ill 11th April and discharged to Hospital 17 April 1850</p>	<p>Was seized last night with a very severe attack of diarrhoea attended with much disability & under these circumstances I deemed it advisable to send her to Hospital</p>
Ulcer	17	<p>Ann Buston Atatis 33 Servant Taken ill 17 April & discharged same day to hospital</p>	<p>There is an ill conditioned ulcer about the size of a crown piece on right Tibia, surface covered with a duck though it is the seat of much fever, general health bad. Discharged to Hospital</p>

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**A NOSOLOGICAL RETURN of the Sick Book kept during the Period
Of this Journal, in conformity with the 30th Article of the Surgeons’
Instructions**

Diseases Nosologically arranged	Total	Discharged to Duty	Sent to Hospital	Died on Board	Invalided	Remaining	No of such cases as are detailed in the Journal
Pyrexiaë							
Ord. I. Febres.							
Internulleates Quotutiana Tertiana							
Continua Synochus	3	3					2
Typhus							
Ord. II. Phlegmasiæ.							
Otitis	1	1					
Phlogosis	4	3	1				1
Pneumonia	1			1			1
Rheumatismus	3	2	1				1
Phrenitis	1			1			1
Cogn Tonsil	2	2					
Cosyuctoritis??	3	3					
Pleurodysia	2	2					
Ovaritis	1	1					1
Ord. III. Exanthemata.							
Variola							
Rubeola							
Erysipelas							
Vaccina							
Ord. IV. Hæmorrhagiæ							
Hæmoptysis							
Phthisis incipiens							
Phthisis cosfirmata							
Hemorrhoids	3	3					
Heamatenosis	1	1					1
Ord. V. Profluvia.							
Catarrhus	8	8					
Dysenteria							
Neuroses.							
Ord. I. Comata.							
Apoplexia							
Ord. II. Adynamiaë.							
Dyspepsia	6	6					
Ord. III. Spasmi.							
Asthma							
Diarrhoea	23	22	1				7
Colica							

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Hysteria	3	3					
Ord. IV. Vesaniæ.							
Amentia							
Mania							
Cachexiæ.							
Ord. I. Marcores.							
Tabes							
Ord. II. Intumescentiæ.							
Anasarca							
Ascites							
Hydrothorax							
Ord. III. Impetigines.							
Syphilis							
Scrophula							
Icterus							
Locales.							
Ord. I. Dysaesthesiæ.							
Amaurosis							
Ord. II. Dysorexias.							
Ord. III. Dyscinesiæ.							
Ord. IV. Apocnoses.							
Gonorrhœa							
Ord. V. Epischeses							
Ischuria							
Obstipatio	6	6					
Ord. VI. Tumores.							
Aneurisma							
Ord VII Ectopias							
Hernia							
Prolapsus							
Ord. VIII. Dialyses.							
Vulnus							
Ulcus	1		1				1
GENERAL TOTAL	72	66	4	2	“	“	17
No. 10 Appendix and Article 31] of the Surgeon’s Instructions]	N.B. – The Margins are to be left clear for binding, and particular attention is to be paid to filling up the Blanks in the Heading with the Names, Dates and Station.						

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General Remarks

On the 7th, 8th, and 13th December 1849, 207 Female Convicts and 26 Children of Convicts, were embarked on board the Ship St Vincent at Woolwich from Millbank Penitentiary. The whole of the Prisoners appeared to be in a healthy condition with the exception of two viz Margaret Haynes at 45, and Catherine Collins at 50. The former complained of pain and stiffness in right knee the latter was carried on board from the Steamer, being unable to walk according to her own statement from weakness of lower extremities. In a note received from the resident Surgeon of Milbank Prison, he stated that both these women were malingerers and that it was his opinion as well as Dr Baly's that neither of them labored under any disease. The Prisoner Collins suffered from Hysteric fits for a few weeks after embarkation, but during the remainder of the voyage she enjoyed good health. The Prisoner Haynes soon recovered the use of right knee joint by the use of stimulating liniments &c.

On the 19th December the Ship sailed from the Downs for Vandiemans Land and anchored off Hobart Town on the 4th of April 1850, without touching at any intermediate Port on the Passage. On arrival there were only one person on the Sick List and that one convalescent after an attack of Rheumatism. The Prisoners enjoyed excellent health during the whole voyage with the exception of the two that died.

The measures adopted and to which I consider may be attributed their continuing healthy during so long a voyage were great attention to cleanliness, ventilation, and Fumigation. With respect to Fumigation I cannot speak too favourably of the solution of Chloride of Zinc I had daily opportunities of testing its effects as a Deodorizing agent. There were only two water closets for 207 women and 26 children (and these of ... dimensions) consequently the odour emanating from them at times was extremely offensive. Soon after they were thoroughly washed down every morning, so much so that the Prisoners occupying the Berths on each side of the Ladder leading to the Water Closets were constantly affected with headaches until this offensive odour arising from them was removed by the solution of the Chloride of Zinc poured down them. The effluvium arising from so many women & children while in bed in warm weather was at times very disagreeable but it was soon dispersed by sprinkling the dilute solution of Chloride of Zinc outside the ... Berths on both sides of the Lower deck.

The prevailing affliction during the Passage was Diarrhoea induced I consider by salt Provisions. On putting the Patients afflicted with this complaint on Hospital diet and administering the The Purging was soon checked. In a few of the old people it assumed a Dystention type but on bringing the system under the influence of mercury, the evacuations soon put on a healthy character. Two deaths occurred during the voyage, one from Pneumonia, the other from Inflammation of the Brain. The subject of Pneumonia was of a .l... and while recovering from a second severe attack of Diarrhoea, inflammation of the Lungs set in the disease was soon brought under control by means of counter irritation and the Sol T.... but extreme prostration super she was soon carried off in spite of [the treatment] The Prisoner who died of Inflammation of the Brain had suffered very much from syphilis and appeared of

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weak intellect on admission into Hospital. She only complained of pain in both groins, although on examination there was neither swelling nor discoloration of li... Hair was cut short cold Lotions applied to head, a blister to the nape of neck and a cath...draught administered. She passed a restless night, talking incoherently, and trying to get out of bed, a feverous delirium set in next day accompanied with po... at the mouth grinding of the Teeth, Pupils ... soon followed by from which she never rallied.

Forty of the Prisoners laboured under the on embarkation, in 35 out of the 40 the returned under the influence of the Compound combined with the Salt water Hip Bath, Two births occurred during the voyage both favourable. 2 Children died, one 7 months old of Sates Mesenteur following an attack of Cholera while in Millbanks Prison - The other aged 7 months & 2 weeks of Infantile ... Fever after a few days illness.