

Surgeon's Journal of Her Majesty's Female Convict Ship America
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 From 15 November 1830– to 17 May 1831
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Copy of the sick list of the [ShipName] Female Convict Ship

When Put On Sick List	Name	Age	Quality	Disease or Hurt	When Put Off Sick List	How Disposed Of
Decem ^r 6 th	Martha Tagney			Paramen: obstruct:	Decem ^r 12 th	
- 6 th	Jane Walter's Inft			Vaccinia	- 18 th	
- 8 th	Mary Swain			Catarrhus	- 15 th	
- 12 th	Marg ^t Stewart			Ophthalmia	January 7 th	
- 14 th	- Molloy			Catarrhus	Decem ^r 27 th	
- 14 th	Ellen Carter's Chd			Vaccinia	- 26 th	
- 14 th	Hannah Tozer's Chd			Vaccinia	- 26 th	
- 14 th	Ann Marsden's Chd			Vaccinia	- 26 th	
- 15 th	Mary Wheatear			Catarrhus	- 21 st	
- 16 th	Marg ^t Brymer			Paramen: obstruct	- 23 rd	
- 17 th	Bridget Griffith			Partus	Jan ^y 28 th	
- 18 th	Jane Boulter			Catarrhus	Decem ^r 22 nd	
- 18 th	Ellen Frost			Param: superflux	- 23 rd	
- 18 th	Frances Clark			Catarrhus	- 23 rd	
- 18 th	Caroline Bush			Arthrosia acuta	- 30 th	
- 20 th	M..Ann Browning			Vaccinia	- 1 st	
- 20 th	Eliz: Johnson			Diarrhoea biliosa	- 26 th	
- 20 th	Jane Walter's Chd			Enteritis	-	February 12 th
- 22 nd	Bridget Bateman			Leucorrhœa	January 5 th	
- 24 th	M. Ann Oddy			Hysteria	Decem ^r 28 th	
- 25 th	Eliz th Simmons			Hysteria	February 14 th	
- 27 th	Eliz th Harvey			Vaccinia	January 8 th	
- 29 th	Priscilla Chilmick			Catarrhus	- 6 th -	
- 31 st	Martha Crosscomb			Hysteria	- 6 th	
January 4 th	Mary Robert's Dar			Vaccinia et Variola	February 6 th	
- 6 th	Sarah Harrison			Gonorrhœa	January 19 th	
- 10 th	Mary Margetson			Diarrhœa mucosa	- 15 th	
- 12 th	Esther Lyons			Param: obstruct	- 16 th	
- 15 th	Lydia Foxley			Param: obstruct	- 20 th	
- 18 th	Eliz th Walker			Param: obstruct	- 23 rd	
- 18 th	Sarah Barnes			Param: obstruct	Feb ^y 2 nd	
- 21 st	Mary West			Struma vul:	- 18 th	
- 22 nd	Ann Davies			Ophthalmia	- 12 th	
- 24 th	Marg ^t Odell's Chd			Colica biliosa	January 29 th	
- 24 th	Susan Travail's Daur			Colica biliosa	January 28 th	
- 26 th	M. Ann Brathwaite			Param: obstruct	February 1 st	
- 28 th	M. Ann Browning			Leucorrhœa	- 16 th	
- 30 th	Elizabeth Paton			Partus	March 20 th	
February 1	Ann Marsden's Inf ^t			Marasmus		February 3 rd
- 1 st	Elizabeth Harvey			Arthrosia acuta	February 14 th	
- 2 nd	Elizabeth Whare			Param: obstruct	- 10 th	
- 3 rd	Hannah Spurrier			Struma vulgr	- 20 th	
- 4 th	Mary Daniel			Otitis	- 15 th	
- 5 th	Margt Odell			Ephemera	- 9 th	
- 6 th	Susan Sandall			Cholera biliosa	-	February 19 th
- 8 th	Mary Anderson			Cauma biliosa	- 19 th	
- 9 th	Martha Jones			Diarrhœa biliosa	- 17 th	
- 11 th	Mary Davies			Cauma biliosa	- 24 th	

-	13 th	Mary Swain		Catarrh	-	23 rd	
-	17 th	Martha Crosscomb		Diarrhoea biliosa	-	28 th	
-	19 th	Agnes Yates		Param: obstruct	-	26 th	
-	19 th	Han ^h Tozer's Ch ^d		Diarrhoea bila	-	28 th	
-	20 th	Ann Ralph		Param: obstruct	-	26 th	
-	23 rd	Martha Baker		Diarrhoea mucous	-	27 th	
-	25 th	Ellen Howard		Cardialgia		March 10 th	
-	25 th	Jane Boulter		Cholera biliosa	-	12 th	
-	25 th	Mary Bleese		- Biliosa	-	5 th	
-	25 th	Sarah Rennet		- Biliosa	-	12 th	
-	28 th	Mary Jolley		Param: obstruct	-	8 th	
-	28 th	Ellen Frost		Erysips locale		April 9 th	
March	1 st	Ellen Carter's Chd		Diarrhoea biliosa		March 12 th	
-	2 nd	Esther Lyons		Param: obstruct	-	9 th	
-	2 nd	Eliza Monis		Diarrhoea biliosa	-	11 th	
-	2 nd	Elizabeth Franklyn		Hysteria		April 5 th	
-	4 th	S. Harris's Child		Diarrhoea biliosa		March 9 th	
-	5 th	Maria King		Cauma biliosa	-	16 th	
-	6 th	Elizabeth Graham		Dysenteria	-	30 th	
-	6 th	Isabelle Lawrence		Cholera biliosa	-	16 th	
-	9 th	M. Ann Knott		Diarrhoea biliosa	-	17 th	
-	10 th	Hannah Tozer		Diarrhoea biliosa	-	19 th	
-	12 th	Jane Beavens		Param: obstruct	-	18 th	
-	13 th	Mary Whaley		Pleurodynia	-	19 th	
-	13 th	Mary Bleese's Ch ^d		Diarrhoea bilio ^s	-	22 nd	
-	15 th	Ann Marsden		Pneumonitis	-		April 10 th
-	17 th	Henrietta Moody		Diarrhoea biliosa	-	25 th	
-	18 th	Jane Walter's child		- biliosa	-	30 th	
-	19 th	Ann Reynolds		- biliosa	-	26 th	
-	20 th	Ann Relph		Param obsts	-	26 th	
-	22 nd	Ann Kelly		Param obsts	-	27 th	
-	24 th	Eliza Williams		Pleurodynia		April 2 nd	
-	24 th	Cath ^{nc} Grant's child		Marasmus	-		April 3 rd
-	26 th	Eliza Chandler		Diarrhoea biliosa	-	10 th	
-	27 th	- Johnson		Diarrhoea bil ^a	-	9 th	
-	28 th	Mary Hornet		Param difficultis	-	4 th	
-	29 th	Eliza Whare		- obstruc ^s	-	14 th	
April	1 st	Lydia Foxley		- obstruc ^s	-	12 th	
-	3 rd	Ann Boden		- obstruc ^s	-	14 th	
-	8 th	Jane Vallantyne		- cessationis	-	21 st	
-	10 th	Mary Whitehead		Dysenteria	-	28 th	
-	14 th	Marg ^t Fagney		Catarrhus	-	15 th	
-	12 th	Susan Piccup		Catarrhus	-	16 th	
-	13 th	Marg ^t Shaw		Param obsts	-	18 th	
-	13 th	Elizabeth Graham		Partus		May 15 th	
-	14 th	Mary Roberts		Catarrhus		April 20 th	
-	15 th	Ann Murphy		Catarrhus	-	24 th	
-	15 th	Marg ^t Odell		Catarrhus	-	23 rd	
-	17 th	Eliz th Johnson		Diarrhoea muc ^a	-	24 th	
-	19 th	Mary Smith		Diarrhoea muc ^a	-	24 th	
-	19 th	Maria McCabe		Cauma biliosa		May 1 st	
-	19 th	Ann Walters		Dysenteria		April 30 th	
-	21 st	Mary Margetson		Diarrhoea biliosa		May 5 th	
-	23 rd	Harriet Stammers		Param: obstruct	-	3 rd	
-	24 th	Eliza Whare		- obstruc ^s	-	10 th	
-	24 th	Eloise Seddon		Catarrhus	-	3 rd	
-	27 th	Eliz th Franklyn		Param: obstruct	-	16 th	
-	27 th	Mary Hornet		- Difficulis	-	3 rd	

-	28 th	Jane Tinner			Param: obstruct	-	10 th	
-	29 th	M.A. Milligan			Erythema visica	-	6 th	
May	1 st	Ann Murphy			Catarrhus	-	6 th	
-	1 st	Mary Wheatear			Param: obstruct	-	9 th	
-	2 nd	Eliza Hollier			Peritonitis			May 7 th
-	9 th	Ellen Frost			Hysteritis	-	16 th	
-	11 th	Mary Hughes			Scold	-	15 th	
-	13 th	Ann Knott			Catarrh	-	16 th	

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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.
Catarrhus PB050854	1	Mary Wheatear was taken ill the 15 December	<p>She complained of Head- ache, Thirst, Nausea, foul tongue, and tenderness over the whole body; she more particularly complained of pain in the right side extending to the shoulder – The pulse was rather frequent. The skin hot, and without perspiration.</p> <p>She took four grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> and 5 grains of <i>antimonial powder</i>, at 11 in the forenoon and six drams of <i>vitriolated magnesia in infusion of Senna</i> – The pill occasioned vomiting, and the bowels were well relieved by the cathartic medicine.</p> <p>Dec^r 16th The heat of the skin was much diminished, as well as the other febrile symptoms, but the stomach was much disordered, and she has much thirst. – A slight degree of inflammation was visible on the tonsils – A stimulating liniment was applied externally, and she used a mild diet.</p> <p>December 17th There is still uneasiness of the throat, but the febrile symptoms are fast declining.</p> <p>December 19th She is much better in all respects.</p>
Vaccinia	2	Jane Walter's infant aged 4 months vaccinated the 6 th of December.	<p>Having been informed that the small-pox prevailed at Newgate from whence we had already received several prisoners, I enquired in a particular manner of all those who were on board if they had been vaccinated or inoculated – the Child of Jane Walter's was vaccinated, the vesicle rose favourably, and ran its course in the usual manner.</p>
Catarrhus	3	Jane Boulter aged 23 was taken ill December 18 th	<p>The Patient had nearly the same symptoms as those with which Mary Wheatear had been affected; there was the same tenderness of the surface, and the same disturbance of the stomach, but without the sore throat – The same medicines afforded her relief, and on the 21st December she was quite recovered.</p>
Catarrhus	4	Frances Clark Aged 28 was taken ill Dec ^r 18 th	<p>She had nearly the same symptoms as those mentioned in Mary Wheatear's case, but the irritation was more felt in the lung's occasioning troublesome cough – 12 ounces of blood were taken away – <i>Calomel</i> followed by a <i>saline purgative</i> – In the evening the pain in chest was troublesome, and a blister was applied. She took 12 grains of <i>Pulv: Ipecac comp.</i> at bed time.</p> <p>December 19th she felt much easier and the febrile symptoms were diminished; she confined herself to low diet, in the evening the suderific powder was repeated.</p>

			December 21 st she as much relieved and after this gradually recovered
Arthrosia acuta PB050855	5	Caroline Bush Aged 28 was taken ill 18 th Dec ^r .	<p>She had been several years the subject of acute rheumatism, for the removal of which, (according to her own account) various remedies had been employed, as different preparations of mercury, colchicum etc. – This time the complaint commenced with a chill; the skin afterwards became warm, with frequent pulse – The shoulder was the part affected with pain, which was tender to the touch, red and tumefied. She took 5 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> with 5 of <i>antimonial powder</i> in the evening – and a <i>saline aperient</i> the next morning.</p> <p>Decr 19th The swelling extended along the clavicle, and the least touch gave pain, the feverish heat increased towards the evening – I dissolved 2 gr: of <i>veratrine in one ounce of spirit of wine</i>, and gave of this solution 12 drops – vomiting followed the exhibition of this medicine.</p> <p>Dec^r 20th The night was passed, without any relief from pain – The medicine was repeated this day in doses of 12, 15, and 20 drops – She had several motions towards the evening and perspired freely during the night.</p> <p>Dec^r 21 She is much relieved of feverish heat, and the pain in the shoulder is not so severe – The tincture was repeated three times in doses of 20, 25, and 30 drops.</p> <p>Dec^r 22 She passed another favourable night, and the swelling of the affected parts is scarcely perceptible; tenderness being now only complained of – The symptomatic fever subsides gradually – The tincture was given twice in doses of 20 drops.</p> <p>Dec^r 24 The medicine is continued and very little pain is complained of</p>
Ophthalmia metastatica PB050856	6	Margaret Stewart Aged was taken ill 12 th Dec ^r	<p>She was attacked with a cold chill which was followed by great heat of skin, full pulse and other febrile symptoms, and the conjunctiva of right eye became affected with inflammation – She took 4 grains of <i>Calomel</i>, and a <i>saline aperient</i> draught.-</p> <p>Dec^r 13th She passed the night in great suffering – The inflammation was much increased, and extended to the eye-lids and down the check so that the lids could not be separated – She complained of very acute pain extending into the orbit and over the forehead, the pulse was full, but I could not prevail on her to lose blood – The aperient medicine operated most actively during the whole night – I gave half a grain of <i>tartarised antimony</i> every three hours, and increased the dose gradually to one grain, without producing vomiting; nausea was thus kept up during the whole day.</p> <p>Dec^r 14th She had a little sleep in the night, and the swelling of the eye-lids was much diminished; there was also less fever – The nauseating medicine was continued the whole day.</p> <p>Dec^r 15th A striking alteration for the better showed itself this morning; the swelling of the eye-lids had subsided sufficiently to allow of the eye being examined, which was found much less inflamed, and the general febrile</p>

PB050857			<p>symptoms had subsided in the same proportion; but the patient now complained of aching pains of a distressing kind affecting the hip-joint and extending down the thigh. The Patient has had for some time past disease of the genitals, attended with discharge; and before the eye became affected, she perceived a diminution of the discharge – a warm fomentation was applied to these parts; and 12 grains of <i>Pulvis Ipecac: co.</i> was given at bed-time.</p> <p>Dec^r 16th The inflammation of the eye is quite gone, and she continues to recover rapidly.</p> <p>Dec^r 30th After her complete recovery from this inflam^y attack some enquiry was made concerning the discharge – She said she had never any sores, and there was not any reason to suppose she was affected with syphilis – The discharge proceeded from parts external to the vagina and from its' appearance, and the above attack it was most likely to be gonorrhœal – The bowels were well opened by active purgatives and a wash made use of consisting of a weak solution of chloride of lime</p> <p>Nov^r 4th This remedy had the best effect, and the discharge gradually declined.</p>
Vaccina	7	Ellen Carter's ch ^d . aged 6 months was vaccinated December 14 th	The vesicle formed and passed thro' its stages in a regular and beautiful manner, and on the 21 st of December I armed two tubes from the arm.
Vaccina	8	Hannah Tozer's child aged 10 months was vaccinated 14 Dec ^r	The vesicle went thro' its' stages in a regular manner, and the child recovered without any unfavourable symptom.
Vaccina	9	Ann Marsden's child, aged 6 mo was vaccinated 14 December	The vesicle formed in the usual manner, and went thro' its' stages favourably.
Vaccina	10	Mary Ann Browning Aged 16 was vaccinated on the 20 th of Dec ^r .	The lymph made use of for this Patient was taken from the arm of Ann Marsden's child; but the vesicle did not rise, and on the 26 th I used the lymph taken from Ellen Carter's child, and the vesicle then formed and went thro' its' stages in a favourable manner – It was much to be regretted that altho' the vesicles in each person's arms observed the usual course, yet from the extreme cold weather, little inflammation attended, and very little lymph was produced.
Vaccina	11	Elizabeth Harvey Aged 23 was vaccinated Dec ^r 27 th	The lymph employed was taken from the arm of Ann Marsden's child which succeeded fully, and a tube filled with lymph taken from her arm was used on the 4 th of Jan ^y to vaccinate the daughter of Mary Roberts

<p>Diarrhoea biliosa</p> <p>PB050858</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>Elizabeth Johnson aged 26 was taken ill on the 20th Dec^r</p>	<p>She was affected with nausea and vomiting, pain over the abdomen and frequent motions – She had head-ache and feverish heat over the surface. She took 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i>, at bed-time; and an <i>aperient draught</i> next morning.</p> <p>Dec^r 21 She is still affected with nausea and bad taste in the mouth but vomiting has ceased – She had many loose and lightly coloured motions during the day – <i>Pil hydrarg gr. v. h..s.</i></p> <p>Dec^r 22nd She had many motions during the day, but the febrile excitement had subsided; there was not any griping pain, or tenesmus – She took 10 grains of <i>Pulv: pro Conf: opiate</i></p> <p>Dec^r 23 The looseness as checked for three or four hours, but it was again troublesome towards the morning; there was no heat of skin or pain of the abdomen – In the evening 30 drops of Tinct: catechu with 25 drops of <i>tinct: opii</i> was given her.</p> <p>24th Dec^r She passed the night from disturbance and was but little disturbed the ensuing day - The draught was repeated.</p> <p>Dec^r 25 She continues to recover – She attributes her complaint to suppressed menstruation.</p>
<p>Partus</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>Bridget Griffith was taken in Labour the 17th of December.</p>	<p>I was called to her at 7 P.M. but the uteri was scarcely dilated, the pains were feeble and ineffectual and continued so the whole night. She took 30 drops of Tinct opii towards bed-time. At 8 A.M. the os uteri was fully dilated and the pains succeeded each other fast; the membranes soon burst, and the head advanced speedily – At ¼ past noon, she was safely delivered of a fine female infant.</p> <p>At 4 P.M. I gave to the mother 6 drams of Ol. Ricini.</p> <p>Dec^r 19 She has had no motion, and the after pains were severe during the night – She took ʒfs of <i>Pulv: Jalapa</i> and <i>Potassa supertartict</i> in Infusion of <i>Senna</i></p> <p>Dec^r 20th The bowels were relieved, the patient slept well during the night and is free from pain this morning.</p> <p>Dec^r 30th The mother and child continue quite well.</p>
<p>Variola</p> <p>PB050859</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>Mary Roberts daughter aged 3 years was vaccinated on the 4th of January</p>	<p>On the 7th of January I observed a slight degree of inflammation around the puncture, and a small elevation was perceptible to the touch.</p> <p>Jan^y the 8th the inflamⁿ is increased and shews evident signs that the vesicle is about to form.</p> <p>Jan^y 9th the child was restless during the whole night, and this morning there is considerable heat of skin with quick pulse; and heaviness to sleep. She took 3 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> and 10 grains of <i>scammony</i> – In the evening the febrile heat was much increased with soreness of the whole surface –The medicine not having produced any motion I gave 4 <i>drams of Ol: ricini</i> in emulsion.</p> <p>Jan^y 10th The febrile symptoms were near the same, the child was restless, and very thirsty the whole night – I found it necessary to give <i>Pulv: Scammonii ʒj Hydrarg: submuriate gr ij</i> and to repeat the scammony in the</p>

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evening.
Jan^y 11th a number of pimples appeared on the neck and breast, and the whole surface appeared tumid, red and much inflamed.
During the whole of this time this vaccine daily increased in size and observed the usual progress. This child was received from Newgate a day or two before we sailed; where the small-pox at that time prevailed. When this eruption shewed itself on the patient, she was immediately removed into the Hospital; her bed place was washed with a solution of chloride of Lime; the prison was fumigated with damp gun powder and the solution of Lime sprinkled over the deck. This was continued twice a day during the whole of the child's illness – Precautions were also taken to cut off communication between the Hospital and the other parts of the ship.
Jan^y 12th The child was lively during last evening, and afterwards passed the night very restless. The eruption is this morning very thick and has spread over the whole body – Having had no motion during the last 24 hours she repeated the dose of Scammony and calomel.
Jan^y 13th The whole body is thickly covered with pustules, which are confluent about the face and neck which parts are very tumid and inflamed.
Jan^y 14th The pustules are quite full of yellow opaque matter; the patient had a restless night; the pulse is frequent but the heat of the surface is rather diminished – She has hitherto taken but little nourishment – She this evening took some sago, with about 1 oz of Port wine.
Jan^y 15th She passed the night very uneasy; this morning the pustules are quite full of pus – The aperient powder was repeated – The same kind of food was continued.
Jan^y 16th The eye-lids and nostrils are quite closed, which makes the child very fretful – The heat of the skin, and thirst is much diminished. The same diet was continued; and 5 drops of laudanum was given at bed-time.
Jan^y 17th She has had a little sound sleep towards the morning, and passed this day more tranquil – She felt no pain but was annoyed she said, in not being able to open her eyes. The skin was cool, and pulse not very frequent. She took some meat- tea; and Sago with wine – In the evening she felt easy and was very conversible.
Jan^y 18th The inflammation around the pustules is declining – skin is cool, tongue clean, and appetite for food increased. She took some fresh soup and a little wine, and expressed a wish for some nuts.
Jan^y 19th The child is very lively and conversible – Scabs are forming about the face and neck – her appetite increases, she asks for meat and soup. Bowels rather confined. *Pulv: Scam: ℞j, Hydrarg: submuriate gr iv*
Jan^y 20th The eruption is declining fast and scabbing in every part.
Jan^y 21st The scabs are falling off, about the face, and the patient is in every respect better.
Jan^y 22nd The scabs are falling off from the whole body – The bowels are regular, and appetite good – The same diet is continued.
Feb^y 5th Every remains of eruption having disappeared, the patient was dressed in clean clothes, and was

			discharged from the Hospital with her mother, having each a new set of bedding – The Hospital was then well cleaned and fumigated and the bedding thrown overboard.
Paramenia superflux	15	Ellen Frost aged 21 was taken ill Dec ^r 18 th	<p>She is a young woman of delicate appearance, and is frequently the subject of Hysteria – she was taken ill with profuse and long continued menstruation, the discharge being pale. She had pain in the pit of the stomach passing to the left side. Bowels were regular – <i>Tinct: opii g^{ss} xx Tinct: catechu g^{ss} xxx Acid: nit: dilut g^{ss} xx</i></p> <p>Dec^r 19th The discharge is lessened but the pain in the stomach continues. The draughts were repeated twice.</p> <p>Dec^r 20th The discharge has nearly ceased – The bowels more confined; she took 4 grains of Calomel and 10 grains of succotrine aloes.</p> <p>Dec^r 21st She was much better.</p>
PB050861 Paramenia obstructionis	16	Elizabeth Walker aged 33 was taken ill on the 18 th January	<p>She had her monthly illness on the 15th January – On the 16th her feet became wet in consequence of shipping a heavy sea, and the discharge was suppressed.</p> <p>On the 10th she was affected with cold shivering, with pain on the crown of the head, and pit of the stomach with palpitation – The pulse was not much affected, and there was no remarkable heat of the skin – She took 15 grains of <i>succotrine aloes</i> with 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i>.</p> <p>19th Jan^y She found herself much relieved but an eruption of small pimples made its appearance over the body- The bowels were not fully relieved – she took 1 oz of <i>Infusion of Senna</i> with six drams of <i>sulphate of magnesia</i>.</p> <p>Jan^y 22nd She found herself quite relieved of every unpleasant sensation.</p>
Hysteria	17	Elizabeth Simmons Aged 22 was taken ill the 25 th December	<p>This patient is frequently the subject of hysteria, and is generally affected with convulsive clenching of the hands, the head at the same time being forcibly drawn backward and grinding of the teeth – This going off she was affected with shortness of breath, and violent sobbing. She is of full habit of body and after these attacks she is affected with increased determination of blood to the head – 16 oz of blood was taken from the arm; after which she took 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury with ℞j of cathartic extract</i>.</p> <p>At the next monthly period, she as again affected with hysteria; the fits occurring in the same manner as described before – The aloetic pills were repeated and she had no return for some time –</p> <p>Jan^y 22 She complained of pain in the head with giddiness, and pain at the pit of the stomach – A pain was also felt under the left breast. She has prolapsus uteri, with a little discharge from the vagina. A sponge pessary was made use of and the aloetic pills were repeated.</p> <p>Jan^y 25th She felt much relieved.</p>

PB050862			<p>Feb^y 4th She had another attack of Hysteria followed by giddiness and pain in the side I took away 8 oz of blood from the arm and repeated the aloetic pills.</p> <p>Feb^y 5th She felt relieved of pain and uneasiness; but she complained of having considerable discharge from the vagina. – I prepared a weak solution of chloride of Lime for a lotion, and admonished her to be attentive in keeping the bowels in a relaxed state, and careful in the use of the pessary.</p> <p>Feb^y 10th The discharge was checked and her health continues pretty good. She took the <i>tincture ferri muriate</i>, twice a day, but it was continued only a short time.</p>
Paramenia obstructionis	18	Sarah Barnes Was taken ill the 18 th January	<p>She was affected with erythematic inflammation of the foot – She had her monthly illness three days before during the continuance of which she received a chill, and the foot became inflamed immediately afterward - The bowels were opened with 4 grains of calomel and a saline purgative, and then parts were kept wet with saturnine lotion.</p> <p>20th The inflammation is much lessened; she continues the saturnine application.</p> <p>Jan^y 21st The inflamⁿ which was declining in consequence to exposure to cold has again returned – 16 ounces of blood was taken from the arm and the aperient medicines were repeated, and she returned to the use of the saturnine wash.</p> <p>Jan^y 23rd The inflamⁿ subsides but if exercise is taken, it again returns. The Lotion is continued; and she observes constant rest.</p> <p>Jan^y 29th The glands in the Loin enlarged and painful, and the patient complains of acute griping pains in the bowels, which is perhaps owing to the absorption of the oxy^d of lead – She took of <i>Ol ricini ʒifs</i></p> <p>February 1st The pain in the bowels much relieved – She was desired to bathe the foot with salt water which was continued several days, and with great advantage.</p> <p>Feb^y 5 She does not suffer from pain or inflammation – The Ligaments are a little thickened – She uses linimentum volatile mixed with a small portion of <i>Ung: Hyd: fort</i></p>
PB050863 Ophthalmia Iridis	19	Ann Davies Aged 20 was taken ill the 22 nd January	<p>A number of well-defined vessels of a cinnamon colour were seen to run along the sclerotic coat towards the Cornea and appeared to terminate in a crowded zone of vessels which surrounded the cornea – The pupil is irregular the iris immoveable and the aqueous humour clouded - 4 gr: of submuriate of mercury – <i>ʒj of magnes: vit: with infusion of Senna – Emplast cantharid:</i> to the temple 23rd The eye has nearly the same appearance; very little pain is felt and there is no constitutional disturbance. A red vessel is seen running over the surface of the iris – She took 4 grains of blue-pill twice a day.</p> <p>Jan^y 25th The patient suffers but little pain, and opens the eye with [without?] receiving any painful impression from the light. Appearance of the eye the same</p> <p>Jan^y 30th The gums feel the influence of the mercury –</p>

			<p>The eye appears to be not so crowded with vessels. The aqueous humour is still obscure – the pills were continued once a day.</p> <p>Feb^y 2nd The inflammation gradually subsides, and the humorus have partly recovered transparency – One pill every night.</p> <p>Feb^y 4th The eye is much clearer, and the iris has recovered in part its motion. Continue the pills every other night</p> <p>Feb^y 8 Vision is now quite restored but there is still a little irregularity of the pupil.</p>
<p>Partus</p> <p>PB050864</p>	20	<p>Elizth Paton Aged 20 was taken in Labour on the 30th January</p>	<p>I was sent for about 5 o'clock in the morning and found the os uteri dilated to about the size of a shilling. At 7 the membranes were ruptured and the pains became more and more severe – At a little before 8, she was safely delivered of a male infant – The same evening the mother complained of pain in the situation of the descending portion of the colon, attended with a little febrile disturbance - <i>ʒvj of titriolated magnesia in infusion of Senna.</i></p> <p>Jan^y 31st She was easier in the morning but in the evening felt uncomfortable and complained of pain in the abdomen. The nurse attributed this to overfeeding as she sat more than usual during the day – <i>Ol. ricini ʒvj</i></p> <p>Feb^y 1st She was again uneasy towards evening; had frequent inclination to go to stool, with tenesmus – She has a little sickness of stomach with pain in descending colon as before – She took 5 grains of <i>Pil: Hydrarg:</i> and in the morning the castor oil was repeated.</p> <p>Feb^y 3 There is still considerable irritation of the intestines, with head ache and frequent pulse towards the evening – The <i>Pil: Hydrarg:</i> was repeated. The child continues healthy.</p> <p>Feb^y 4th This morning the mother complained of griping pain, which had disturbed her at intervals during the night, she was troubled with tenesmus and liquid motions – She took <i>Pulv: rhei gr xv magnes submuriate gr x Tinct: cinnam ʒij</i> – In the evening she became easier, but was affected with nausea, and unpleasant taste in the mouth – <i>Rep: Pil: hydrarg.</i></p> <p>Feb^y 5 The motions are less frequent, she has but little fever; no pain in the abdomen – still a little nausea <i>Pil Hyd: gr v</i></p> <p>Feb^y 7th Little complaint has been made this morning; the appetite improves and the bowels are nearly in a healthy state.</p> <p>Feb^y 8th She made known to me that she was troubled by a discharge from the vagina, there was no ulceration, but she had warts around the os externum– She used a weak solution of <i>chlorate of Lime</i> as a lotion.</p> <p>March 7th The discharge has gradually diminished; but she complained of head ache and general uneasiness. She took 3 gr: of <i>Calomel</i> with 15 grains of <i>extract of colocynth.</i></p> <p>The child was found to waste, and as there was a good nurse on board, who had more milk than was required by her own child, she desired to give her the breast twice or three times in 24 hours.</p>

			<p>March 8th The mother complained of acute pain in the left side, much increased by a full inspiration with full and frequent pulse – She was bled to 8 oz and experienced immediate relief. She takes but little nourishment – The bowels are in a proper state-</p> <p>March 11th She complained of painful stricture across the chest, which prevented free inspiration – Pulse frequent, a blister was applied to the seat of pain.</p> <p>March 12th She is relieved of pain in the chest, and is in other respects easier.</p> <p>March 15th She is very weak, but her appetite improves – she has no pain bowels are regular – <i>Pulv: cinchona gr x Tinct: ferri muriate g^{ss} v ter die</i></p> <p>March 20 She gradually gains strength.</p>
<p>PB050865</p> <p>Marasmus Atrophia</p>	21	<p>Ann Marsden's Infant aged 7 months was put on the sicklist Feby 1st</p>	<p>I was first made acquainted with this child's illness, only three days before his death – He had been ailing according to the mother's account ever since he had left England – he had been weaned but a day or two before he embarked and the mother finding the food he was supplied with to be unsuitable, again put him to the breast – After this she found him to be occasionally affected with diarrhoea, and when the child was first brought to me, he was very much wasted, and in a state of extreme exhaustion, the whole of the subcutaneous adipose matter was absorbed. The outline of the muscles being clearly visible, which gave an appearance to the infant of being older than it was. There was a remarkable appearance of the skin, it seemed as if semi transparent and had a light blue tint – The abdomen was tumid and painful on pressure – the motions were very frequent and consisted principally of gelatinous matter – I gave 2 gr of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> with 5 gr each of <i>rhubarb</i> and <i>powder of cinnamon</i>.</p> <p>Feby 2nd The motions were nearly of the same description, but more fluid, and had an acid smell – A warm fomentation was applied to the abdomen – The child took the <i>mistura cretacea</i> with powder of Cinnamon at short intervals – The little food he took, was rice and sago to which a small quantity of wine was added and this was given frequently</p> <p>February 3rd Nourishment was given as often as possible, but towards noon a considerable alteration for the worse took place and the child sunk very rapidly, and about 11 o'clock it died.</p>
<p>Arthrosia acuta</p>	22	<p>Elizth Harvey Aged 23 was taken ill February 1st</p>	<p>She complained of pain affecting the joints of the knee and wrist which were very tender to the touch. She had head-ache, heat of surface and other symptoms of fever – She menstruated regularly – 12 oz of blood was taken from the arm – She took 3 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> and 5 grains of <i>antimonial powder</i> at bed-time, and a <i>saline aperient</i> next morning.</p> <p>Feb^y 2nd The pain has kept her awake during the whole of the preceding night. The joints are more swelled, and must not be touched – I dissolved 2 gr of <i>veratrine</i> in 1 oz of spirit and gave 15 drops with 20 drops of <i>Tincture of opium</i> twice in the day</p>

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Jan^y 30th He is easier in the forenoon and is very desirous of food – In the even^g he had a return of fever with increase of pain – A fomentation was applied after which, he had a little sleep;

Jan^y 31st He is easier in the bowels, but in the evening had a return of fever – the fomentation was repeated – His bowels were opened with *Ol: Ricini* formed into an emulsion.

Feb^y 1st He still feels pain when the abdomen is pressed on – In the forenoon he is more at ease, but in the evening he has feverish heat, with small quick pulse, and griping pains in the belly. His appetite is good, but he is much wasted – His motions consist principally of gelatinous matter – I regret that some blood was not taken away at the first attack; but I had no leeches and felt an unwillingness to bleed so young a child – There was also a deceitful intermission of symptoms and he was a pale-faced unhealthy looking child, who had been badly fed, and had lived in workhouses for several months before embarking – These circumstances led me to hope that the disease would decline without this method of depletion. As a morbid seemed now to have established itself, I endeavoured to alter it by using mercurial friction, and the use of counter-stimulants externally avoiding all causes of internal irritation. He rubbed *ʒfs of Liniment Hydrarg: co with 20 drops of tincture of opium* – And in the evening used a Fomentation of chamomile flowers with mustard seed.

Feb^y 2nd He feels but little pain in the fore-noon, and is very desirous of food. He had considerable tenesmus today with scanty motions – *Calomel gr ij, Ol; Ricini ʒiij* produced several gelatinous motions – the Liniment and fomentation was repeated.

Feb^y 3rd He is rather easier – the Liniment and Fomentation was repeated.

Feb^y 5th He is much emaciated, and constantly craves for food – He passed the forenoon in a comparative state of ease; but in the evening the pain becomes more severe and he passes the night in suffering –the Liniment and fomentation was repeated.

Feb^y 6th He had a motion consisting of mucus, mixed with blood, during the last night; and towards evening he had several more of the same kind – The fomentation was repeated which always gave him ease – he took 6 drops of *tincture of opium* in the evening.

Feb^y 7th He had several mucus and purulent motions during the night. The fomentation was repeated twice and he took 6 drops of *tincture of opium* every six hours.

Feb^y 9th The motions have become more purulent and loose; the appetite fails. In the evening, there was considerable fever, and the night was passed in great pain.

Feb^y 11th The motions are more frequent and he appears to be sinking fast. Nourishment was given him in every form he would take it.

Feb^y 12th Soon after midnight he became very restless. He [had] several motions of the same kind as before – He after this sank very rapidly, refusing all kinds of refreshment that was offered to him, and soon after 4 o'clock he died.

Paramenia Obstructionis PB050869	24	Eloi: Whare aged 23 was taken ill Feb ^y 2 nd	This patient had inflammation of the foot very similar to that of Sarah Barnes – Twelve ounces of blood was taken away, ; 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> was followed by a saline purgative, and used a cooling lotion. Feb ^y 4. There is less appearance of inflamn and she does not feel so much pain but the joint is stiff and the parts surrounding it rather thickened. Liniment: <i>Hydrarg: co 3j</i> twice a day. Feb ^y 8 th All appearance of Inflan ⁿ had subsided, and the application was omitted.
Struma Vulgaris	25	Hannah Spurrier Aged 21, was taken ill 2 nd February	She complained of swelling and inflammation of the absorbent glands of the neck, and was constitutionally disposed to this affection, for marks of former sores were visible – After the bowels had been opened with aperient medicine, I dissolved 24 gtt of the <i>hydrisdate of potash</i> in 1 oz of water, and gave her 10 drops twice a day desiring her to bathe the parts affected every day with sea water. Feb ^y 3 rd The dose was increased to 15 drops of the solution, and each day 5 drops more added. Feb ^y 6 th The dose was increased to 30drops twice a day, without occasioning nausea, or any painful feeling of the stomach – Still there was no favourable change to the tumors visible. Feb ^y 10 th The solution having been increased 5 drops each day, this day amounted to 50, and no unpleasant effects from it; but the medicine was felt by the condition, for the inflammation was evidently on the decline. Feb ^y 20 th The same dose was continued ‘till the present day, when scarcely any pain was felt in the part, and the inflam ⁿ had much declined – As this medicine is considered to preserve its influence in the constitution some time after it is discontinued; it was at this time omitted.
Cholera biliosa PB050870	26	Susan Sandall Aged 60 was taken ill Feb ^y 6 th	This was a very feeble woman, - She complained of violent pain in the bowels with frequent loose motions. She was affected with head-ache and other febrile symptoms – She took 5 grains of <i>Pil: Hydrarg:</i> followed by a draught of 20 grains of <i>Pulv: rheii</i> , 10 grains of magnesia in peppermint water. Feb ^y 7 th The febrile symptoms were diminished; but she had several motions during the night – She applied a fomentation to the abdomen, and used rice food. Feb ^y 8 th The catamenia appeared, which had not shewn itself for many years. She has also had several loose bilious stools – <i>Ol: Ricini ʒvj</i> – And <i>Tinct opii g^{ss} xxx</i> <i>Tinct: catechu g^{ss} xxx</i> at bed-time. Feb ^y 9 The catamenial discharge has ceased but the looseness continues, the motions are of the same kind with griping pain in the abdomen – She took an emulsion of <i>Ol: ricini</i> ; and in the evening a grain of opium. Feb ^y 12 th The looseness continued the whole night; still but little pain was felt, and the febrile symptoms had

			<p>declined. She took 6 gr: of <i>Pil: hydrarg:</i> twice a day, with a grain of opium.</p> <p>Feb^y 13th The looseness was unabated, the stools more bilious- The pills of Hydrarg and opium were given every eight hours and she was supplied with sago and other nourishment of a similar kind –</p> <p>Feb^y 14th During the night she vomited several times bilious matter, and the motions were very frequent The pills were repeated every six hours – She takes but little nourishment. In the evening 20 drops of <i>sulphuric æther</i> was given with x drops of <i>Sp. Ammonia</i>.</p> <p>Feb^y 15th The vomiting was not so frequent in the early part of the night – The pills and draught were continued – The vomiting was distressing during the day and she refused to take more medicine – I then requested the nurse to throw up a starch enema with <i>Tincture of opium</i>, but the patient resisted its introduction –</p> <p>She then expressed a wish for mint-tea and some was made for her, which seemed to tranquilise her stomach for a little time. She had then mint-water prepared for her, to use as she found inclination.</p> <p>Feb^y 16th She vomited several times during the night – she continues drinking the mint-tea; and occasionally takes sago and flour gruel with a little brandy in it (according to her desire) she took also a little chicken broth.</p> <p>Feb: 17th The vomiting of bilious matter continued the whole night unabated. I endeavoured to give support by chicken broth Sago etc.</p> <p>Feb^y 18th The vomiting and purging continued thro’ the night; the patient refused to take nourishment, and she became more and more feeble – The pulse towards the evening became more frequent and small, and the skin was covered with a cold sweat – The vomiting continued and the motions were passed without her being conscious of it. She still had a little chicken broth but became more and more exhausted.</p> <p>Feb^y 19th At midnight the pulse was scarcely perceptible; she was evidently sinking fast. At 2 o’clock she died.</p>
<p>PB050871 Diarrhoea biliosa</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>Martha Crosscomb Aged 48 was taken ill February 17</p>	<p>She complained of nausea, violent griping pains in the belly, and frequent bilious motions, attended with tenesmus. She took 4 grains of submuriate of mercury, which was followed by a saline purgative.</p> <p>Feb: 18th The griping pains still continue, and there is great frequency of dark coloured motions – She complains of pain in right hypochond^m. She has headache, hot skin with very slow pulse. A blister was applied to the side; she took 5 grains of <i>Pil: Hydrarg:</i> twice a day.</p> <p>Feb: 19th The pain in the bowels easier but the purging continues; the pills were repeated twice, and a grain of opium was added in the evening.</p> <p>Feb^y 20th She continues easy all the morning – in the evening she had a little increase of pain – the pills were continued as yesterday – About midnight she complained of violent pain in the bowels, with tenesmus – she took 1 oz of <i>Ol: ricini</i></p> <p>Feb^y 21 She continued easy during the forenoon, but she</p>

			<p>suffered a little pain during the evening – the pills were repeated as before</p> <p>Feb^y 22nd This day she felt very little pain and that only when moving in bed – Then pills were repeated.</p> <p>Feb^y 23rd She was quite easy and walked about the sick berth – Pills were repeated.</p> <p>Feb^y 24th She went on deck of her own accord, and received a chill, and complained much of pain during the whole night.</p> <p>Feb^y 25th She took a saline aperient and towards evening she became easier but the pain in the side came on at intervals lasting about 20 minutes – the pills were repeated.</p> <p>Feb^y 26th She gradually recovered the pills having been continued a week longer.</p>
<p>Limosis Cardialgia</p> <p>PB050872</p>	28	<p>Ellen Howard said to be 42 but is much older taken ill Feby 24th</p>	<p>She complained of violent pain in the crown of the head; vomiting of bilious matter, and griping pain in the bowels – She was thirsty with a furred tongue. She took 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> with 20 grains of <i>cathartic extract</i>.</p> <p>Feb^y 25 She vomited a little during the night but this morning is easier and complains less of head-ache. She took 5 grains of <i>Pil: hydrarg</i> twice.</p> <p>Feb^y 26th She passed the day without pain. The pills were repeated.</p> <p>Feb^y 27th She vomited a little during the forenoon, but only the secretion of the stomach; she complains of burning pain of the stomach, with constant thirst – A blister was applied to the scrobic^s cordis</p> <p>Feb^y 28th She is much easier, but she vomited once this morning – The pills were repeated twice.</p> <p>March 2nd She vomits every morning but principally the secretion of the stomach. She <i>took aether vitriolic g^{tt} xx Sp. Ammon comp g^{tt} x</i>. Her diet is made more nourishing.</p> <p>March 3rd The stomach is much easier. She felt a little nausea, but nothing was thrown up – The drops were repeated twice in <i>Infusion of Quassia</i>.</p> <p>March 6th The medicine has been continued, and she has gradually gained strength.</p>
<p>Cholera bilosia</p>	29	<p>Jane Boulter Aged 23 was taken ill the 25th of February</p>	<p>She complained of acute pain over the crown of the head, nausea and vomiting of bilious matter, pulse very frequent and skin hot – 16 oz of blood were taken away – She took 4 grains of <i>Calomel</i> and a <i>saline purgative</i>.</p> <p>Feb^y 26th She was easier, but became hot, and uneasy during the evening and night. She vomited once.</p> <p>Feb^y 27th She took 5 grains of <i>Pil: hydrarg</i> twice – Considerable fever came on in the evening with pain in the loins, and difficulty of voiding urine. A warm fomentation was applied to the loins and the bowels were opened by a draught of <i>Infus: of Senna with Magnes vitriolata</i>.</p> <p>Feb^y 28th She was easier, but had still pain when passing urine, which is high coloured. 10 gr of <i>Potass: nitrat:</i> three times a day.</p> <p>March 1st Pain in the loins easier, but she has thrown up a quantity of bile from the stomach – <i>Pil Hydrarg gr x</i></p>

PB050873			<p><i>Haust aper: salin.</i></p> <p>March 2nd The pain in the loins is easier, and she makes water with more freedom – The febrile symptoms are much abated – the pills were continued, and she took <i>Sp: aetheris nit: g^{ss} xxx, Tinct: opii g^{ss} xx</i> in the even^g.</p> <p>March 3rd The stomach is quite easy but she feels some pain when voiding urine. <i>Sal: nitr: gr x Tinct: opii g^{ss} x</i> three times a day.</p> <p>March 4th She is much easier in every respect. She complains now of a prinking sensation over different parts of the body. The calomel pill and saline purgative was repeated.</p> <p>March 5th She feels weak, but has very little uneasiness – the appetite improves.</p> <p>March 10th She has gradually gained strength - her appetite is good and she is supplied with food from the Hospital.</p>
Cholera biliosa	30	Mary Bleese aged 27 was taken ill the 25 th of February	<p>She was affected in a manner similar to Boulter – She had violent pain over the vertex, vomiting of bile, cramp in the legs, hot skin, and frequent pulse 12 oz. of blood was taken away, and she took 4 grains of <i>Calomel</i>, which was followed by a <i>saline aperient</i>.</p> <p>Feb^y 26th There was occasion of fever towards evening, and she vomited bilious matter twice during the night. She took 5 grains of <i>Pil: hydrag:</i> twice a day.</p> <p>Feb^y 27th The vomiting has ceased, but the patient complains of griping pains in the bowels, pain in the loins, with frequent inclination to void urine which is of high colour. She took an aperient draught, and continued the pills – An opiate was given in the even^g.</p> <p>Feb^y 28th The head-ache is easier, but she still complains of thirst, pain of the bowels and in the loins; but the irritation of the bladder lessened – She had only one motion yesterday, and repeated her aperient draught.</p> <p>March 3rd She feels much easier, and after this gradually recovered.</p>
Cholera biliosa	31	Sarah Bennett Aged 18 was taken ill on the 25 th Feby.	<p>She was affected with pain in the forehead, nausea, and vomiting of bilious matter – She complained of thirst: her tongue was white in the centre and red at the edges – The pulse not more than 65 – Skin was hot. She took 3 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i>, which was followed by an aperient draught with <i>Pulv: Jalapii</i></p> <p>Feb^y 27th She was so much better as to induce her to take the air; but she there received a chill and the pain of the head returned with uneasiness at the pit of the stomach.</p> <p>Feb^y 28th She described her pain of the stomach as that like burning; she was very thirsty and inclined to vomit – The pulse was very slow and she appeared much depressed. A blister as applied to the seat of pain, and she took 5 grains of the <i>pil: hydrarg:</i> twice.</p> <p>March 1st The blister did not vesicate as much as could be wished, and it was suffered to remain on the part affected the whole day without much advantage. The pills were repeated twice a day.</p> <p>March 2nd The pain was felt severely during the night. Pulse very slow; the tongue was furred. The pills were</p>

			<p>repeated.</p> <p>March 3rd.The symptoms were nearly the same as yesterday – The aperient draught was repeated with <i>Pulv: Jalapii</i>.</p> <p>March 4th The night was passed more easy, the pain not so urgent – There is still considerable heat of skin – She took 4 grains of the <i>nitrate of Potash</i> three times a day. The menses appeared.</p> <p>March 5th She is much easier and the feverish heat is diminished – The same medicine was continued.</p> <p>March 8th She is much relieved and her appetite returns - Her recovery after this time was uninterrupted.</p>
<p>Hysteria</p> <p>PB050875</p>	32	<p>Elizth Franklyn Aged 23 was taken ill the 2nd March</p>	<p>She complained of pain at the pit of the stomach, with white tongue, and urgent thirst – Pulse frequent – A blister was applied to the stomach, and she took 4 grains of submuriate of mercury with an <i>aperient draught</i> of <i>Pulv: Jalapii in Infus: of Senna</i>.</p> <p>March 3rd The pain in the stomach is relieved, but she now complains of general uneasiness, with aching pain in the limbs – She took 5 grains of <i>Pulv: antimonialis</i> in the evening, and repeated it at 10 o'clock.</p> <p>March 4th She again complains of pain in the stomach, and also in the right side, which is increased by a deep inspiration – Pulse is frequent and skin very hot – 16 oz of blood was taken away, and the Pill and aperient draught repeated.</p> <p>March 5th There is still considerable febrile excitement, and the stomach is very irritable. She has twice vomited bilious matter. She took 5 grams of the <i>Pil: hydrarg</i> twice a day.</p> <p>March 6th She vomited during the night. The pills were repeated.</p> <p>March 7th The pills were repeated and in the evening she had much less fever than yesterday.</p> <p>March 8th She has not any febrile symptoms, or pain in any part. Her diet is made more nourishing.</p> <p>Mar: 10th She gets better daily, wine and soup is allowed her.</p> <p>March 22nd She continued until now daily gaining strength, but this day she suffered a relapse, and was affected with acute pains in the loins a Fomentation was applied from which she experienced some ease – Her aperient medicine was repeated</p> <p>March 23rd She felt pain when voiding urine, which was mixed with mucus, the fomentation was repeated – She had only one motion with her medicine, and the aperient draught was again taken.</p> <p>March 24th The pain is now mostly felt over the pubis – She rubbed over the part some tartar-emetic ointment, and drank lintseed (<i>linseed</i>) tea several times in the day.</p> <p>March 28th She feels easier – The medicine is repeated.</p> <p>April 3rd She complains of a griping pain in her bowels, but was not afterwards inconvenienced.</p> <p>April 5th She gradually got better.</p>

<p>Erysipelas locale</p> <p>PB050876</p>	<p>33</p>	<p>Ellen Frost aged 20 was taken ill 28th of Feb^y.</p>	<p>She was affected with an eruption of vesicles between the shoulders. There was scarcely any preceding disposition but on the appearance of the eruption, the patient complained of head-ache and other symptoms of fever – She took first a pill compose of submuriate of mercury 4 grains and a draught of <i>sulphate of magnesia in infusions of Senna</i>.</p> <p>March 2nd The inflammation is of a pink colour and the vesicles are full of serum. Pulse frequent and small, tongue white. She has considerable thirst. She menstruates very profusely; so often, sometimes as one a fortnight – 25 drops of <i>Tinct: opii</i> was taken at bed-time.</p> <p>3rd march She passed the night very restless; the vesicles are extending under the left breast; the vesicles on the back have burst, and discharged an acrid serum – The part was dressed with simple ointment, in which was rubbed a small quantity of extract of lead.</p> <p>March 5th She complained of nausea and pain at the pit of the stomach. The pulse a little increased in frequency. She took 15 grains of <i>Pulvis rhei</i> and 3 grains of <i>Calomel</i>.</p> <p>March 6. The medicine did not operate and she complained still of nausea and pain in the bowels Æj of cathartic extract was given which produced two motions. She afterwards took some light food with an appetite.</p> <p>March 7 She still complained of pain in the bowels; she was thirsty and a little feverish – 1 oz of <i>Ol: ricini</i> was given, and she was afterwards easier and her back, tho' sore, lost its burning sensation.</p> <p>March 8th She is much easier; the inflammation surrounding the vesicles is declining – she was this day over fed and in the evening complained of head-ache, nausea, and other symptoms of indigestion. The <i>Ol: ricini</i> was repeated.</p> <p>March 9th She still complains of nausea with pain in the bowels – she took 20 gr of <i>Pulv: rhei</i> with 4 gr: of <i>Calomel</i>.</p> <p>March 10th She is easier, but very weak – The inflamⁿ in the back is declining but the sores under the arm appear irritable and the glands in the axilla are painful – she took some sago with wine.</p> <p>March 13th The sore is easier, and the same dressing is continued to it; but she complains of acute pain in the loins; in the afternoon she had a convulsion fit, which she had before been subject to – she used a fomentation of warm water, which eased the pain considerably.</p> <p>March 14th She this day complained of griping pain in the bowels, and took an ounce of <i>Ol: ricini</i> – In the evening the fomentation was used as before.</p> <p>March 16th The patient is easier but the sore is slow healing – She took 4 grains of <i>Extract: cicuta</i> twice a day.</p> <p>March 18th The sore is easier and more inclined to heal; the medicine was continued.</p> <p>March 24th She complained of acute pain over the pubis, and scalding of urine; she took an aperient draught and the fomentation was repeated.</p> <p>March 25th She is much easier and the sore is nearly healed – She this day began to take powder of bark with</p>
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PB050877			<p>sulphuric acid.</p> <p>April 4th She has daily acquired strength, and felt so well today as to induce her to go on deck; and there received a chill, and had a slight attack of fever in the evening – She took 4 grains of calomel, with 5 grains of <i>antimonial powder</i>.</p> <p>April 5 She was much relieved and returned to her medicine.</p> <p>April 7th The menses returned, with considerable disturbance of health. She had a fit of Hysteria, and suffered acute pain in the loins – The fomentation was repeated, and the bowels were opened with cathartic extract.</p> <p>April 8th She is much easier and suffers but little inconvenience.</p> <p>April 9th She took the bark with <i>Tinctura Ferri muriate</i>, and was soon afterwards restored to good health.</p>
Paramenia difficilis	34	Mary Hornet Aged 31 was taken ill Mar 28	<p>She was affected with painful menstruation, the discharge was mixed with coagula, and the patient complained of violent pain in the loins – She also complained of head-ache and other febrile symptoms. She took 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> followed by <i>magnesia vitriolata in Infus of Senna</i>.</p> <p>Mar 30 The discharge continues, but the febrile symptoms are much abated. She took 20 drops of <i>tincture of opium</i> with 30 of <i>Tincture catechu</i>.</p> <p>April 1st The pain in the loins was scarcely felt, and she was better in every other respect – The draught of last evening was repeated.</p> <p>April 3rd She is quite recovered.</p> <p>April 27th Menstruation came on with the same painful feelings as the last period – the same medicines were employed, and she recovered in a few days.</p>
Marasmus Atrophia PB050878	35	Catherine Grant's child aged 9 months was taken ill March 24	<p>This child was weaned just before he was embarked, and milk until that time formed a part of his diet – Unfortunately there is no article of provision supplied us that can become a suitable substitute for this bland and nutritious food. I apprehend that it was from this cause the child's digestive organs fell into a diseased state. I was not made acquainted with the child's indisposition until chance brought him in my way; when it was very evident from his emaciated form, that disease had existed for a considerable time, and perhaps had affected some organic alteration. When I first noticed him, he was pale and inanimate, his figure shrunk, and his head drooping on his mother's shoulder – On enquiring I found that his bowels were disordered, his motions being loose and very light coloured but his appetite had always been good, and this encouraged the mother to hope that time would effect a beneficial change. I recommended to her to try the effect of some medicine, and after clearing the child's bowels with a dose of <i>calomel and rhubarb</i> I gave him 1½ grains of the <i>Pil: Hydrarg</i> twice a day. After continuing it two or three days, it was found to nauseate his stomach and the secretion of the bowels was not improved by its use. It was therefore discontinued,</p>

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and 2 drops of *Tinct: ferri muriate* given twice a day. The stomach was disturbed by the use of this medicine. I could perceive at the time a want of confidence in the mother with regard to the efficacy of medicine, altho she expressed a perfect willingness to submit her child to any mode of treatment I would recommend – the child's appetite was good, but it was evident that nutrition was interrupted, and that disease had most likely injured the structure of the mesenteric glands, and perhaps other parts of the digestive apparatus. Observing this feeling in the mother's mind, I did not persist in recommending the continuance of medicine; since the child's appetite was good, the unfortunate issue of the disease might be attributed to the mode of treatment employed – the child was given up to the mother's care, and he partook of every thing that was offered, feeding most voraciously, but becoming more and more emaciated until the date I have mentioned viz March 24 when his appetite failed him, and he became extremely fretful. His motions were light coloured and mixed with mucus and were very offensive and the food was not perfectly digested – After the operation of an aperient powder I gave 1 gr of *Pil hydrarg*, and in the evening he was affected with alarming syncope from which he was recovered by gradually giving him warm wine with gruel and wrapping him in warm flannels.

March 25th He is sufficiently recovered to take his food as usual and he is supplied with the most nourishing kind we are provide with, and prepared in the lightest form. The circulation is extremely weak, the pulse being scarcely perceptible at the wrist – His motions are of the same appearance, and only half digested. He is very fretful. Two drams of *Ol: ricini* was given him.

March 26th He is in the same state as yesterday – The following liniment was this day rubbed over the abdomen. *Ung: Hyd: f grv [Oxien...?] ʒj Camphoræ gr v, Tinct: opii g^{ss} xx-* In the morning he seemed more tranquil.

March 27th He eats with great eagerness but his food passes off undigested – Some spices were mixed with his food and a little wine given him – he took 2 drops of tincture of opium at bed-time-

March 28th He passed a quiet night and his motions are mended in appearance and the food better digested. The same diet was continued. The Liniment was repeated, and the anodyne drops were given at bed-time.

March 29th His appetite continues good, and his motions are more healthy, but his outward appearance is the same. The same diet was continued, and the liniment and anodyne drops were repeated.

March 30th He had a cold chill last night, which lasted until midnight. The faecal discharge is not changed – His appetite continues good, and he was fed with the most nourishing food. The friction was not employed; and by the mother's request the anodyne drops were omitted.

March 31. The child passed the night in a restless state – The motions are dark coloured – *Ol: Ricini ʒifs – Tinct opii g^{ss} iij h.s.*

April 1st The child passed the night quietly – The stools appear more unhealthy. The Liniment was repeated, and

PB050880			<p>the anodyne was given in the evening.</p> <p>April 2nd The motions have a more healthy appearance; the child is not so fretful; from which it seems he feels less pain – His appetite continues good. The Liniment and anodyne drops were repeated.</p> <p>April 3rd. At 2 A.M. I was called to the child, and found him suffering acute pain in the bowels, having frequent and offensive motions. The skin was cold, warm flannels were wrapped around him and some cordials were given him. He became more and more weak, until his pulse was not perceptible at the wrist – Soon after his breathing became irregular, and at 5 o'clock the child died.</p>
Pneumonitis	36	Ann Marsden Aged 26 was taken ill 15 th of March	<p>She complained of cough, tightness of the chest, with oppressed respiration; frequent pulse, and other symptoms of febrile excitement – 16 oz of blood was taken from the arm, and she took 4 grains of <i>Calomel</i> with a <i>saline purgative</i>.</p> <p>March 16th In the evening there was still considerable oppression of breathing with pain when coughing – A blister as applied opposite the part where the greatest pain was felt.</p> <p>March 17th She breathes with more freedom and has scarcely any pain to complain of. She takes 10 grains of the <i>nitrate of Potash</i> three times a day –She is confined to low diet.</p> <p>March 18th She says she had no pain of the chest, but she suffered an increase of fever towards evening, and passed a restless night.</p> <p>March 20th The breathing this day became much more oppressed; but she did not complain of any pain of the chest – The pulse was quick and obstructed. She has cough, but expectorates very little. She was bled to 16 oz. And the aper^t draught was repeated.</p> <p>March 21st She says she is entirely free from pain; and she breathes with freedom. The pulse is frequent; but not so oppressed. She took 10 drops of <i>tinct of digitalis</i> three times a day.</p> <p>March 22nd She continues free from pain but the pulse increases in frequency, and the skin becomes warm towards the evening. The digitalis was taken three times in doses of 15, 20 & 25 drops.</p> <p>March 23. She breathes with freedom, but has still febrile symptoms coming on towards the close of the day – She took the <i>tinct: of digitalis</i> three times in doses of 30, 35 & 40 drops.</p> <p>March 25th She is a woman of good spirits, and when she finds herself easier she is much inclined to take liberties which injure her health – She is very craving of food; she this day took a full meal of soup, and afterwards the breathing became much oppressed. 4 grains of <i>calomel</i> were given, with a scruple of <i>cathartic extract</i>.</p> <p>March 26th The medicine produced several motions – She does not complain of any pain in the chest, and she breathes with more freedom, but the pulse is still frequent. She takes 40 drops of <i>Tinct: digitalis</i> three times a day.</p> <p>March 27th She had a shivering fit this day, and was</p>
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afterwards taken violently ill with an acute pain under the right breast which interrupted her breathing – 12 oz: of blood as taken away – The pain was instantly relieved but it was felt at intervals during the evening, and a blister was applied which gave her ease.

March 28th She has no pain in the chest but a troublesome cough with viscid expectoration – Pulse rather frequent. She takes *Vin: antim: tart: g^{tt} xxx Tinct digitalis g^{tt} xx* three times a day; and uses an acid Linctus with a little *Tinct opii*.

March 29th She vomited after the last dose of her medicine – Her cough is troublesome, with much expectoration- Still she complains of no pain. *Tinct: Scillæ g^{tt} xxv Vin: antim: g^{tt} xxx Tinct opii g^{tt} x* three times a day.

March 30th She is affected nearly in the same way – The medicine and Linctus were continued.

March 31. The cough is easier but the expectoration appears purulent- Her strength has not much failed, and her appetite is good.

April 1st Her cough is near the same with the same kind of expectoration. Pulse not so frequent. The medicine was repeated. In the evening she spit up a considerable quantity of offensive pus. – She takes 10 grains of *nitrate of Potash* every six hours with half an ounce of Lemon juice.

April 2nd Her appetite continues good and her strength is but little impaired but the expectoration continues purulent. The medicine was continued.

April 3rd She is kept as quiet and easy as possible and fed with nourishing food of easy digestion – She expectorates a considerable quantity of pus – the medicine is continued.

April 4th She passed a restless night without sleep, and expectorates much offensive matter. She is also troubled with diarrhoea which exhausts her very much – *Tincture opii g^{tt} xv with Tinct: catechu g^{tt} xx* every six hours.

April 5th She has expectorated very little during the last 24 hours, and she breathes very easy. The looseness is much better – *Tinct: opii g^{tt} xv with Tinct: scillæ gtt xx* every six hours. She takes nourishment well –

April 6th She expectorated very much during the last [night], and sweated profusely,- still her sleep was little disturbed. The medicine was repeated.

April 7th She vomited a little bile during the forenoon. In the evening she felt easy – The expectoration is considerable and of a darker colour – The medicines were repeated.

April 8th She sleeps well, but the expectoration continues as before – she sweated very much last night – 10 drops of diluted *vitriolic acid* was added to each dose of her medicine.

April 9th She was troubled with diarrhoea during the night. Her strength is now much reduced – She coughs but seldom and each time brings up a considerable quantity of dark coloured pus. The acid was omitted, and the draught continued. She takes nourishment well.

April 10th She rested quietly thru' the night, and vomited a little bilious matter in the forenoon – She appeared very much exhausted during the day and refused her food

			– the pulse soon after became very frequent and feeble; the breathing soon became difficult and irregular and at ½ past 4 she died.
Dysentery	37	Eliz th Graham aged 24 as taken ill the 6 th March	<p>She complained of a griping pain in the bowels, with pain on pressure of the abdomen; frequent motions, with tenesmus. The circulation was increased. The skin hot and other febrile symptoms attended – She took 4 grains of <i>submuriate of mercury</i> followed by an <i>aperient draught</i>.</p> <p>7th In the evening the griping pains were very severe, and the tenesmus was distressing; 12 grains of <i>Pulv: Ipecac co</i> was given at bed-time.</p> <p>8th She felt herself more easy the early part of the night, but in the morning the griping pains returned, & the motions were very frequent – she had considerable thirst – <i>3iij Ol: ricini</i> in emulsion every 4 hours- She had several loose motions during the day, and suffered much griping pain in the evening. The abdomen was very painful. A warm fomentation was applied and 15 grains of <i>Pulv: Ipecac: co</i> were given.</p> <p>9th The skin became relaxed, and there followed a temporary relief from pain but during the day she had six motions and in the evening the griping and tenesmus were very troublesome- She repeated the fomentation.</p> <p>10th She took 1 oz of <i>Ol: ricini</i> and passed the day easier, but in the even^g the pain came on equally severe as last night.</p> <p>11th The motions were very frequent during the night; this morning the pulse was frequent, with great tenderness on pressing the abdomen; She had severe griping pains with frequent motions of a watery fluid, with small shreds floating in it. The tenesmus was distressing with pain along the course of the rectum – A Blister was applied to the abdomen, and she took 10 grains of nitrate of Potash every six hours – At 10 o'clock in the evening she fell asleep and continued easy the whole night.</p> <p>March 12th She was easier, and had less fever; the griping pains had ceased, and she had one motion perfectly natural – The <i>nitrate of Potash</i> was continued – In the afternoon she vomited – Violent & painful tenesmus came on, in ineffec^l attempts to relieve the bowels – This was soon followed by a copious and natural motion, which gave relief and she soon afterwards fell asleep.</p> <p>March 13th She had no griping pains during the night. The motions in the morning were natural; but towards evening they became watery with small shreds floating in it as before.</p> <p>March 14 She passed a sleepless night having had many painful motions of the same description – The pain is now mostly felt along the course of the rectum, and at the os coccygis. She took 4 grains of <i>Pil: Hydrarg:</i> twice a day, and an opiate enema was used.</p> <p>March 15th She passed an easier night, several natural motions were passed with less tenesmus – She takes sago with wine and barley water – The Pills were continued.</p> <p>March 17th She had several natural motions and passed</p>
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			<p>the night in less pain than before – The pills were continued.</p> <p>March 19th She passed an easy night, the motions not being so frequent, and unattended with tenesmus – she has still a motion consisting of coloured fluid with floating shreads, occasionally.</p> <p>Mar 20th She passed the night easy and also the forenoon – Not any pain was felt 'till the afternoon, when a natural motion afforded ease – the pills were repeated</p> <p>21st She was very easy during the night but felt chilly in the morning, and several motions like bloody water were passed during the day – She took 3 grains of <i>Calomel</i> with 4 grains of <i>sulphate of magnesia</i>.</p> <p>22nd She was much disturbed in the night, but her motions are become more natural – She returned to the use of the <i>Pil: hydrarg.</i>-</p> <p>23rd She was easy the greater part of the day, but in the evening had an unhealthy motion, with considerable tenesmus – the pills were repeated.</p> <p>25th She passed the night in tolerable ease, but motions are still very frequent. The pills were repeated, and she took 20 drops of <i>tinct: opii</i> with <i>3ij of Tinct: of cinnamon</i> in the evening.</p> <p>26 Two natural motions only were passed during the day, without Pain or tenesmus – The pills were repeated and also the opiate at bed-time.</p> <p>28 She passed an easy night without any motion. She is much better in every respect – her appetite improves and her diet is made as nourishing as possible – her medicine was repeated.</p> <p>30th She continues to improve in health and no unfavourable symptoms occurred after this time – the patient is pregnant and draws very near the time of her reckoning – She was allowed to remain in the Hospital until her confinement took place.</p>
<p>PB0508835</p> <p>Cauma biliosa</p>	<p>38</p>	<p>Maria MacCabe aged 24 was taken ill 19th April</p>	<p>The patient complained of head-ache, nausea, unpleasant taste in the mouth. The tongue was white, pulse frequent. <i>Antim: tart: gr ij Pulv: Ipecac gr xij.</i> After the operation of the emetic was given 4 grains of calomel with an aperient draught.</p> <p>April 20th She is relieved of sickness of stomach, and the head-ache was easier during the forenoon; but towards evening the febrile symptoms increased and she complained of violent pulsating pain of the forehead; the eyes were much infected, and there was a dry heat of the skin.- <i>V.S. 16 oz - Potassæ nit: gr x</i> every 4 hours.</p> <p>April 21st The pain in the head is not so oppressive, and a little moisture has shewn itself on the surface – The <i>nitrate of Potash</i> was continued, & the thirst relieved by a Tisane of [<i>?lost in margin</i>]</p> <p>April 22nd The head-ache and febrile symptoms are much relieved, but the throat is a little affected with inflamⁿ. The calomel pill was repeated, and the saline aperient followed.</p> <p>April 23rd Pain of the throat is still complained of when swallowing; there is a little redness of the tonsils, but the alteration is but just perceived – She used the <i>Liniment ammonia</i> with a little <i>tincture of opium</i> added – The</p>

			<p><i>nitrate of Potash</i> was continued.</p> <p>April 24th She complains of pain in the pit of the stomach, but unattended by sickness, and without any bad taste in the mouth – The bowels were open but the stools are light coloured – She took 5 grains of <i>Pil: hydrarg:</i> twice a day</p> <p>April 25th Pain in the stomach easier; during the day she feels tolerably well, but towards evening there is a little feverish heat with thirst. <i>Rept' Pil: cerul:</i></p> <p>April 26th A little uneasiness of bowels was complained of this morning – she repeated the opening draught.</p> <p>April 27th She feels much relieved but is languid and weak – <i>Infus Quassiaē ℥j Tinct: cinnam ℥j ter die</i></p> <p>April 30th She gradually acquires strength.</p>
Partus PB050886	39	Eliz: Graham Aged 24 was taken in labour the 13 th day of April.	<p>She was a little affected with pain the evening before; but they were ineffectual and an opiate was given her – About 9 o'clock this morning the os uteri was fully dilated, and the membranes protruded; they were soon afterwards ruptured and the expelling pains increased in force, and about 11:30 she was delivered of a fine male infant.</p> <p>She felt a little uneasiness about the region of the uterus, and the after-pains were rather troublesome – xxx drops of <i>Tinct: opii</i> was given her in the evening.</p> <p>10th She complains of pain in the bowels but the night was passed as easy could be expected – <i>Ol: ricini ℥j</i></p> <p>15th Still a little tenderness of uterine region which occasions considerable restlessness – The opiate was repeated in the evening.</p> <p>16th The child is effected with gripes and thin watery motions – Powder of Cinnamon and Nutmeg was given in a little syrup.</p> <p>17th Child is easier – The mother complains of a little heat of skin, with uneasiness of bowels. <i>Magnes: nit: ℥vj</i> in <i>Infus of Senna</i></p> <p>18th Mother and child pretty well.</p> <p>23rd The child has taken a slight chill; he is affected with cough, & is very fretful; he has uneasiness in the bowels with dark coloured motions. <i>Ol: ricini ℥fs Syr: [Lemif?] ℥ij</i></p> <p>24th The child is easier; and after this time there as no ailment to speak of-</p>
Dysentaria	40	Mary Whitehead aged 26 was taken ill the 10 th April	<p>She was affected with a severe and fixed pain a little below the navel. Pulse about 90 with no perceptible fullness, no thirst – She had frequent inclination to go to stool – She took 4 grains of <i>Calomel</i> with <i>℞j of Pulv: rhei.</i></p> <p>April 11 The abdomen more painful on pressure; the motions are very frequent and attended with severe griping and tenesmus. <i>Ol: ricini ℥j</i> – In the evening she took xxx <i>Tinct: opii</i> and used a warm fomentation to the abdomen.</p> <p>April 12th Abdomen very tender when pressed on; the motions are very frequent and consist almost entirely of a thick glary mucus – They are attended with severe</p>

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PB050888 Dysentery	41	Ann Walters aged 36 was taken ill the 19 th April	<p>She is a woman of weak habit of body. She was affected with severe gripping pains with frequent motions, consisting of gelatinous matter streaked with blood. – <i>Ol: ricini ℥j</i> – In the evening 30 drops of <i>tincture of opium.</i></p> <p>April 20th She has had several motions during the night of the same kind with gripping and tenesmus; and there is</p>

			<p>pain on pressure just below the umbilicus – <i>Pil: hydrarg: gr iv with 1/2 a grain of opium</i> every six hours. She used a fomentation in the evening –</p> <p>April 21st The pain still continues with very frequent motions – The pills were repeated and also the fomentation.</p> <p>April 22nd The mouth is rather tender, the motions are not so frequent – The pills were continued three times a day.</p> <p>April 23rd The motions no longer contain any blood, and they appear more healthy – The griping and tenesmus is much relieved. The pills were continued twice a day.</p> <p>April 25th She is much better, the griping pains are very scarcely felt; the motions are more healthy, and much less frequent. The pills were continued one every night.</p> <p>28th She is gradually recovering.</p>
<p>Paramenia Obstructionis</p> <p>PB050889</p>	42	<p>Eliza Whare aged 23 was taken ill March 29th</p>	<p>She was affected with inflammation of the ligaments surrounding the ankle joint. She felt considerable pain when it was moved; the integuments were puffed up and shewed an erysipelatous redness. I took away 12 oz: of blood, gave five grains of calomel; and an aperient. The saturnine wash was applied to the inflamed part – she attributed this affection to suppressed menstruation.</p> <p>March 31 The swelling is not much diminished but there is so much relief from aching pain as to encourage the continuance of the cold application.</p> <p>April 2nd The swelling subsides, and her health is not at all disordered – Bowels are regular – the Lotion was continued.</p> <p>April 8th The swelling is now nearly subsided; she is able to walk with tolerable ease, but suffers a little aching pain at night – She use <i>Liniment^m Saponis c opii</i>, and took 12 grains of <i>Pulv: Ipecac: co</i> at bed-time.</p> <p>April 12th The Liniment has been used until now and the joint is quite restored.</p> <p>At the next monthly period a similar occurrence took place. The discharge became suppressed, and the ligaments of the knee-joint became affected, but the skin was not so much affected as in the former instance. I enquired if there had been any late disease occasioning purulent discharge from the genitals, but could not find that there had been any – There was a little febrile indisposition, and I took away about 12 oz: of blood – She afterwards took 4 grains of calomel and a saline aperient – A warm fomentation was then applied to the joint.</p> <p>April 25th There was considerable pain thro'out the night; the knee is much swelled and very painful – The fomentation was repeated, and she took 12 grains of <i>Pulv: Ipecac: co</i> in the evening.</p> <p>April 26th The knee is in the same state, the pain increases towards evening and continues 'till after midnight – Having a tincture composed of 2 grains of <i>veratrine</i> to the ounce of fluid I gave 10 drops in the evening which must have contained about 1/30th of a grain – She vomited after taking it, but she passed an easier night.</p>

			<p>Ap^l 27th The knee is still much swelled. The fomentation was repeated , and 8 drops of the <i>tincture of veratrine</i> was taken in the evening – It occasioned a little vomiting, but perspiration followed, and the pain was easier.</p> <p>April 28th The knee is still swelled and gives some p[ain when moved. <i>Calomel gr iij</i> with a saline purgative. The drops were given in the evening and the night as passed with much less pain.</p> <p>April 29th The tincture was given twice in the day; the fomentation was continued and she passed an easy night.</p> <p>April 30th There is a little thickening of the joint but the external redness has quite disappeared; she walks a little tho' not without a little pain. She takes 10 drops of the tincture three times. She uses the <i>Liniment: hydrarg</i> with a little <i>Tincture of opium</i> added. The aperient medicines were repeated.</p> <p>May 2nd Knee is considerably better but there is still a little pain felt, as night approaches – The tincture was continued; and the Liniment</p>
<p>PB050890</p> <p>Paramenia Cessationis</p>	43	<p>Jane Ballantine aged 55 was taken ill April 8th</p>	<p>She suffered great uneasiness from a return of menstrual discharge, which she said had also made its appearance about six weeks before. Until then she had not been so affected for several years. At the commencement of her present illness she felt chilly and afterwards suffered severely from bearing down pain and pain about the loins. The discharge was mixed with coagula – <i>Tinct: opii g^{ss} xx Tinct: catechu g^{ss} 40 Tinct: cinnamon ℥ij h.s.</i></p> <p>April 9th She was uneasy during great part of the night; this morning she complains of nausea, with unpleasant taste in the mouth; tongue white; pulse small, but rather frequent – <i>Calomel gr iv cathartic extract gr xx</i> – Two motions followed.</p> <p>April 10th The discharge has ceased. She complains still of nausea, and in the course of the forenoon suffered from severe griping pains <i>gave ℥vj Magnes vit: in Infus: Sennæ</i> – The opiate draught was given in the evening.</p> <p>April 11th She as easy during the night, but in the morning felt severe pains in the loins, passing down the thighs, and she suffered at intervals griping pains in the bowels. The urine was high coloured and offensive, and was passed with pain – She took ℥j of <i>Infus: of Sennæ with ℥ij of vitriolated magnesia</i> every 4 hours.</p> <p>April 12th I as called at 2 A.M. the patient feeling a little pain and inconvenience from having had two motions which were dark coloured and offensive. – The medicine was continued, and she had several of the same kind during the morning – She was much relieved of pain, but felt weak and exhausted – <i>Tinct: opii g^{ss} xx Tinct: cinnam ℥ij</i> at bed-time</p> <p>April 13th She has not any pain in the loins, and feels altogether much better but complains of a feeling of exhaustion at the pit of the stomach, which she calls heart sickness. I gave her drops of <i>Sp: æth: sulphuric: with 10 drops of liq: ammon:.</i></p> <p>April 14th She is easier but feels no inclination to take food; tongue is clean. I prevailed on her to take some sago flavoured with a little brandy; wine not being at any</p>
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			<p>time agreeable to her palate – The draught was repeated in the evening.</p> <p>April 15th She passé an easy night, and feels more comfortable this morning – The evening draught was repeated.</p> <p>April 16th She continues getting better and her appetite improves. The diet conten^d</p> <p>April 17th Bowels rather confined, she has a little sickness of stomach with thirst. The Calomel pill and aperient draught were repeated.</p> <p>April 18</p> <p>She is easier, but had only two motions. The aperient draught was repeated.</p> <p>April 20th She is much better, she eats her food with an appetite, and has no uneasy sensation.</p>
Paramenia Obstructionis	44	Harriet Stammers Aged 20 was taken ill the 23 rd April	<p>She received a chill and was affected with severe pain across the forehead & pain in the limbs – She complained of thirst and ill taste in the mouth; the tongue was white – She had not menstruated for several [terms?] <i>V.S. 16 oz: Calomel gr iv</i> followed by <i>a saline aperient</i>.</p> <p>April 24th She is still very feverish with distressing pain in the head, and constant thirst – She took 5 grains of antimonial powder every six hours.</p> <p>April 25th She passed an uneasy night = but the skin became moist towards the morning, which relieved the feverish heat – the antimonial powder was continued every six hours.</p> <p>April 26th She was easier during the forenoon but the head-ache became very painful towards the evening – The calomel and saline aperient were repeated-</p> <p>April 27th She passed a very uneasy night having had no operation from the medicine – <i>Calomel gr v Pil: coloc: co. ℞j</i> This medicine did not operate by the evening, and she then took <i>℞j of Infus of Senna</i> every three hours, and the bowels were relieved after two doses, occasioning several dark-coloured motions.</p> <p>May 1st She is much relieved of uneasiness, and has very little fever.</p> <p>May 2nd She has had no return of head-ache or unpleasant sensation.</p>
PB050892 Erythema vesiculosa	45	M.A. Milligan was taken ill on the 29 th April	<p>She was affected with violent head-ache and other febrile symptoms, and an erythematic inflammation soon shewed itself, which extended over the whole surface; the tongue was white and much loaded – She is affected with nausea and has bitter taste in the mouth – She took 2 grains of <i>antim: tartariat</i> : with 12 grains of <i>Pulv: Ipecac</i> – A considerable quantity of bilious matter was thrown from the stomach - After the stomach was easy she took 5 grains of <i>Calomel</i> which was followed by a <i>solution of magnes: vit: in infuse: Sennæ</i>.</p> <p>April 30th Considerable effusion has taken place within the subcutaneous cellular membrane – particularly about the face; altering the expression of the countenance in a most remarkable manner – she lived on spare diet and made use of diluent drinks.</p>

			<p>May 1st The febrile symptoms have declined; the face is not so puffed up. The head-ache is easier; tongue much clearer – The bowels not having been relieved yesterday or today, the aper^t draught was repeated.</p> <p>May 2nd The inflamⁿ subsides astonishingly fast, and she is much relieved of all febrile symptoms – Vesicles contain^g purulent serum have arisen at the ends of the fingers.</p> <p>May 4th The vesicles were opened and the cutis has hardened, without shewing any disposition to ulcerate, and she has now scarcely any remains of her complaint.</p>
Paramenia Obstructionis PB050893	46	Jane Tinner Aged 22 years taken ill the 28 th of April	<p>The patient is a robust young woman. She complains of pain at the pit of the stomach with general uneasiness; skin was hot and dry – she had considerable thirst, white tongue. The bowels were costive – She had not menstruated for two periods – she took 6 grains of <i>Calomel</i>, followed by a <i>saline aperient</i> – In the even^g <i>pulv: antim</i>; grains 6 at bed-time.</p> <p>April 29th The pain at the pit of the stomach continues; she breathes with difficulty; and when she makes a full inspiration she feels an acute pain in the right side – When pressure was made below the false ribs, the pain was very much increased – she said she also felt a pain in the right shoulder. The surface was hot, and dry, and the pulse frequent- <i>V.S. 16 oz: Calomel gr j Pulv: Ipecac: co gr iv</i> every 4 hours.</p> <p>April 30th The pain continues; the bowels are rather confined- The aperient draught was repeated,.</p> <p>May 1st She had less fever, and she thinks her side easier – the pills were continued.</p> <p>May 2nd Pain in side much easier and she breathes with more freedom. The mouth is a little tender – The pills were continued twice a day.</p> <p>May 3rd The side is much easier and the pulse nearly natural – She says she still felt pain in the right shoulder. The pills were continued.</p> <p>May 4th She has much less pain in the side and pain at the pit of the stomach is quite relieved – She had occasion to repeat the opening draught.</p> <p>May 5th She is much better in every respect.</p>
Paramenia Obstructionis	47	Eliz: Franklyn aged 23 was taken ill 27 th Ap:	<p>She was affected with febrile symptoms and pain in the loins with frequent calls to make water – She had not menstruated at the usual period – Pulse was frequent and full <i>V.S. 12 oz</i>: Warm fomentations were applied to the seat of pain – She took 3 grains of <i>Calomel</i> with a <i>saline aperient</i>.</p> <p>April 28th The pain in the loins much relieved; the febrile symptoms have declined. The irritation of the bladder is much diminished – She now complains of acute pain under the left breast. The <i>Liniment Saponis c opii</i> was rubbed on the side, and; and (sic) the fomentation was continued to the loins and above the pubis – <i>Tinct: opii g^{ss}</i> 25 at bed-time.</p> <p>April 29th pain in the side continues which is increased by making a deep inspiration – The pain is more acute</p>

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PB050895	48	Eliz: Hollier aged 20 was taken ill 2 nd May	<p>The patient was approaching near the time of her delivery; and was affected with chilliness followed by acute pain a little below the umbilicus, which gradually extended over the whole over the whole abdomen – It was increased by coughing and painful to the slightest touch. Pulse full, and frequent, countenance much flushed with a dry heat over the skin. – <i>V.S. ad Syncope 18 oz:</i> of blood was taken away – 5 grains of <i>calomel</i> was then given with a draught of Senna and Salts – In the evening, the pain was increased, and the abdomen felt tense, and tender to the slightest touch; the action of the diaphragm was interrupted; the pulse was frequent and resisting; I proposed to the patient the loss of more blood, but she did not submit, being fearful that it would hurt her child - A warm fomentation was applied to the abdomen which was repeated during the night – During the evening she had several loose motions with tenesmus – 30 drops of <i>tincture of opium</i> was given</p> <p>May 4th The pain was unabated and widely extended over the abdomen, pulse full and resisting; I prevailed on her to lose more blood, and 18 oz: as taken away; after which an opiate was given and she slept for about 3 hours, and awoke a little easier, with the pulse not quite so frequent or the skin so hot. The fomentation was repeated in the evening, and a grain of calomel with half a grain of opium given every four hours.</p> <p>May 5th The abdomen was rather easier during the night; and at 4 A.M. she had some symptoms of approaching labour – At 9 A.M. she had a considerable shew, but the expelling pains were feeble and ineffectual, and troubled the patient very much. 40 drops of <i>tincture of opium</i> was given and the patient slept several hours – At 7 P.M. labour pins came on severe; and at short intervals and at 8 o'clock she was delivered of a female infant, that did not live 5 minutes – It appeared very small altho' the patient said her reckoning was out, it was not larger than a foetus of 8 months – The patient slept several hours during the first part of the night, but in the morning much pain was felt over the whole abdomen, which was much increased by pressure or coughing – The pulse was increased in frequency. The fomentation was repeated, and she took 2 grains of calomel, with 1 grain of opium every 4 hours – In the evening the was no mitigation of the symptoms; the lochia was entirely suppressed; the</p>

PB050896			<p>pulse frequent and small; patient was very restless – the fomentation and pills were continued.</p> <p>May 5th She passed the early part of the last very restless. From 2 'till daylight she slept at intervals. The pulse is this morning very quick. She has extreme thirst and the pain is unabated; the abdomen was tense. The same treatment was continued.</p> <p>May 7th The night was passed in a very restless manner; the pulse very quick and small – the patient's strength has much declined – the abdomen is not so tense or painful – Every attempt was now made to support the patient. She took a little soup, and some wine and water in small quantities during the day. – Towards the evening the strength declined very fast; the pulse became extremely frequent & small. She breathed laboriously during the whole afternoon. At 8 o'clock she became almost insensible; she after this gradually sank and died at ½ past 11.</p>
Paramenia Obstructionis	49	Mary Wheatear Aged 31 was taken ill May 1 st	<p>This patient is a young woman of full habit of body, who received a chill during menstruation. The discharge was suddenly suppressed and she felt acute pain in the loins and over the Pubis, with frequent inclination to void urine; attended with symptoms of febrile irritation – She was bled to 16 oz.: A Fomentation was applied to the parts affected and in the evening she took 4 gr. of Calomel with 5 grains of antimonial powder.</p> <p>2nd May The pill occasioned vomiting and a little moisture afterwards appeared on the skin – The pain in the loins is somewhat easier, and the symptoms of irritation of the bladder are relieved. An aperient draught of <i>magnes: vit; in Infus: Sennæ</i> was given this morning, and the fomentation was repeated. – In the evening she took 25 drops of tincture of opium.</p> <p>May 3rd. She had still pains in the loins and abdomen, and the irritation of the bladder had not quite subsided. She has a little feverish heat of surface. She took 6 grains of <i>Pulv; Ipecac co</i> every 4 hours, and the fomentation was repeated</p> <p>May 4th She had a restless night but is easier this morning – There is not so much irritation of the bladder – The medicine was repeated.</p> <p>May 5^t She is more free from pain and has much less fever – There was occasion to give the opening draught after which the <i>Pulv: Ipecac:</i> was repeated.</p> <p>May 6th She feels but little inconvenience, the febrile symptoms have subsided. She took 20 drops of <i>Tinct: opii</i> at bed-time.</p> <p>May 7th She continues to get better.</p>
PB050897 Hysteritis	50	Ellen Frost Aged 21 was taken ill the 9 th May	<p>She was affected with acute pain and tension above the pubis, and tenderness on pressure, pulse frequent, and full; she felt also pain in the loins. Her menses appeared two days before and became suppressed in the evening of the same day, at which time she felt a cold chill – she has frequent inclinations to make water. – She was bled to 12 oz: - a draught of <i>Ol: ricini</i> was given, and a warm fomentation applied to the pubis and loins.</p>

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9th She passed a restless night, but felt a slight remission of pain this morning – The bowels were not fully relieved – 4 grains of Calomel were given followed by a saline aperient. In the evening, she had another cold chill followed by acute darting pain, the pulse became frequent and the skin hot – *V.S. to 12 oz:* The fomentation was repeated, after which an anodyne was given with 25 drops of *Tinct: opii*.

May 10th I was called at 5 o'clock in the morning, and found the patient in great suffering; the fomentation was renewed, and 30 drops of *tincture of opium* were given – She was easier all the forenoon, but in the evening, she became very uneasy, and complained of lancinating and burning pains above the pubis, pulse full tongue white, thirst distressing – *V.S. 16 oz:*. The fomentation was repeated and 30 drops of *tincture of opium* given.

May 11th Some menstrual discharge appeared, pains above the pubis were not so severe – She had less fever. The fomentation was continued.

May 12th Less tension over the pubis, less pain and fever. The menses continue – The fomentation was repeated.

May 13th The menses ceased; the patient suffered a little increase of fever towards the evening – *Calomel gr iij* and aperient draught. – Fomentation

May 14th She had some sleep towards the morning; she has less fever, and the pain is not so violent. – The fomentation was repeated and a draught given with 25 drops of *Tinct: opii* and 30 drops of *Sp: Nitron*.

May 15th She passed an easy night and makes but little complaint of pain this morning – the same medicines were repeated.

May 16th She is much better; she has but very little uneasiness, the fomentation was discontinued; and the opiate repeated.

May 17th She is still mending – This day she went on shore with the other prisoners.

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GENERAL REMARKS

In laying before the Medical Commissioners the Journal of my third voyage to New South Wales, I beg leave first to call their attention to a case of small-pox which occurred on board immediately after the ship sailed from England – The subject of it was received from Newgate, a few days before we left Norwich. Having before heard that the disease prevailed to a considerable extent in the Prison, I vaccinated the child directly she was brought on board, the vesicle formed in the usual way and ran thro' its accustomed stages, and I have reason to believe that it kept the small-pox in check, and retarded its appearance. – Considering the great number of cases of mild small-pox, which now occur after Vaccination, I think myself fortunate that the disease did not extend to others of the Prisoners, the greater number of whom had been only vaccinated; and this I think I may attribute principally to the disinfecting property of the chloride of Lime; and to the complete state of quarantine in which the sick-berth was preserved – The infection having been received prior to vaccination, the disease occurred in its original form, the skin was much inflamed, and almost completely covered by pustules, which were confluent about the face and neck and the contained matter was thick, yellow and opaque, and it observed its regular stages, so as to shew a well-marked difference between it and the mild degree of the small-pox the “varioid” which so frequently occurs after vaccination.

I have now for the first time, the misfortune to make mention of several fatal cases of disease; but I hope when the circumstances in which I was placed are considered, the number of individuals crowded together; the inclement season of the year in which they were embarked; the new, and unusual habits of life to which they were subjected; the dampness of the ship, and other inconveniences of a sea voyage it will remove from the mind all indisposition to censure - The two cases of marasmus I must attribute to the sudden change from a natural and nourishing diet to one one (sic) very unsuitable to their age; and also to the depressing influence of cold that prevailed at the severe season they were sent on board. One of these children, in common with its mother possessed that delicate appearance, and those particular features, that mark the scrophulous constitution. – In the fatal case of cholera, the time of life of the patient must have much increased her danger; and I believe my ill-success was in part owing to the extremely untractable(sic) disposition of the patient which shewed itself thro'out her illness; but at the time, when much might have been expected from the free use of opium, she refused medicine in every shape.- The fatal case of Pneumonia was the mother of the weak and delicate child I have spoken of above; she had the general appearance which indicated the scrophulous habit, and had several times before been the subject of pulmonic disease.

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