## Surgeon's Journal of Her Majesty's Female Convict Ship Waverley Dr Jones, Surgeon & Superintendent Between the 21<sup>st</sup> June 1847 and the 4<sup>th</sup> November 1847 Adm. 101 73/9 Received 25<sup>th</sup> April 1848

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When Put On Sick List	Name	Age	Quality	Disease or Hurt	When Put Off Sick List	How Disposed Of
1847					1847	
Sept <sup>r</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup>	Cath <sup>e</sup> Comerford	29	Convict	Ulcer of the Breast and Dysentery	Oct <sup>r</sup> 6 <sup>th</sup>	Expired at 5 A.m.
" 13	Ellen Convoy	40	Convict	Dyspepsia	" 10 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 15	Marg <sup>t</sup> Purcell	30	Convict	Catarrhus	Sept <sup>r</sup> 18 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
"	Ann McNamara	25	Convict	Catarrhus	" 25 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 17	Mary Walsh	42	Convict	Dysenteria	" 29 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 18	Henry Plunkett	7	Son of Convict	Dysenteria	" 30 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 29	Ellen Sullivan	26	Convict	Erysipelas	Oct <sup>r</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 30	Mary Murry	18	Convict	Dysenteria	" 21 <sup>st</sup>	Expired at 2 PM
Oct <sup>r</sup> 1	Ann Walker	35	Free Settler	Dysenteria	" 4 <sup>th</sup>	Expired at 2 PM
" 4	Cath <sup>e</sup> Shine	30	Convict	Dysenteria	" 12 <sup>th</sup>	Expired at 2 PM
" 5	Mary Smith	28	Convict	Dysenteria	" 17 <sup>th</sup> " 12 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
<i>دد دد</i>	W <sup>m</sup> Perrott	6m.	Son of Convict	Hydro-cephalus	" 12 <sup>th</sup>	Expired at 2 AM
"6	Mary Marshall	22	Convict	Dysenteria	" 19 <sup>th</sup>	Expired at 8:30 AM
ει ει	Madge Gallagher	30	Convict	Dysenteria	26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> Convalescent to Hospital at Hobart Town
" 8	Ann Norris	24	Convict	Dysenteria	" 21 <sup>st</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 12	Ann Mullen	20	Convict	Dysenteria	" 24 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> Convalescent to Hospital at Hobart Town
66 66	Mary Bowels	21	Convict	Dysenteria	" 18 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 13	Eliz <sup>th</sup> Farrell	8	Free Settler	Dysenteria	" 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 15	Cath <sup>e</sup> King	26	Convict	Colica	" 18 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
""	Cath <sup>e</sup> Beecher	21	Convict	Colica	26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 16	Bridget Hayes	22	Convict	Colica	" 24 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 17	Eliz <sup>th</sup> Johnston	23	Convict	Diarrhoea	" 26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> Convalescent to Hospital at Hobart Town
" 20	Ellen Maloney	17	Free Settler	Diarrhoea	" 26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
دد دد	Cath <sup>e</sup> A Farrell	21	Free Settler	Dysenteria	" 26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to hospital at Hobart Town
٠٠ ٠٠	Jane McCoy	50	Free Settler	Dysenteria	" 26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to hospital at Hobart Town

Oct. 21	Susan White	30	Convict	Dysenteria	" 29 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to
						nursery with
						young child
						at Hobart
						Town
"	Ellen Hannon	45	Convict	Scorbutus	" 29 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to
						"Anson"
						Convict Hulk
" "	Bridget Moran	23	Convict	Scorbutus	" 29 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to
						"Anson"
						Convict Hulk
" "	Cath <sup>e</sup> King	26	Convict	Scorbutus	" 29 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to
						"Anson"
						Convict Hulk
" 23	Peggy Tubbs Eliz <sup>th</sup> Murphy	26	Convict	Colica	" 25 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
"	Eliz <sup>th</sup> Murphy	24	Convict	Diarrhoea	" 26 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 24	Marg <sup>t</sup> Murphy	32	Convict	Scorbutus	" 29 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> to
						nursery with
						young child
						at Hobart
						Town
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July 29 <sup>th</sup>	Bridget Clancy	25	Convict	Dysenteria	Sept <sup>r</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 30	Ellen Plunket	27	Convict	Colica	Aug <sup>t</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
Aug <sup>t</sup> 1	Cath <sup>e</sup> Beecher	21	Convict	Pleuritis	" 8 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 4	Cath <sup>e</sup> Doran	54	Convict	Diarrhoea	" 11 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 15	Ellen Finn	40	Free Settler	Diarrhoea	" 30 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 18	Mary Bryan	16	Convict	Colica	" 20 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 25	Cath <sup>e</sup> Breen	19	Convict	Menorrahagia	" 30 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 30	Mary Gamble	21	Convict	Dysenteria	Oct <sup>r</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Expired at
	<u> </u>			-		2.30 PM
""	Eliz <sup>th</sup> Johnson	23	Convict	Pleuritis	Sept <sup>r</sup> 6 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" "	Betty Brooks	55	Convict	Diarrhoea	" 4 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
Septr 5	Julia Pigot	26	Convict	Diarrhoea	" 10 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured
" 6	Mary Clarken	19	Convict	Diarrhoea	" 11 <sup>th</sup>	Disch <sup>d</sup> cured

Philip Jones M.D. Surgeon Superintendent

## Medical and Surgical Journal of Her Majesty's Convict Ship Waverley 1847 between the between the 21<sup>st</sup> June 1847 and the 4th November 1847 during which time the said shop has been employed in a voyage from Kingstown Harbour to Hobart Town, Van Diemen's Land

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.
PB010368		Bridget Clancy age 25. Convict at Sea 29 <sup>th</sup> June 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> cured 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 1847	Has been affected with frequent purging and occasional vomiting, for several days, but did not present herself until this morning. – Complains at present of frequent purging, the discharges are feculent but not copious, sense of weight and uneasiness in the abdomen, nausea and sinking at the pit of the stomach, countenance pale, Tongue white, skin dry & rather above the natural temperature, Pulse frequent & weak, complains of thirst. Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č Ol Menth g¹ i statim. Light nutritive diet. Salt provisions stopped.  6 PM. The Castor Oil has acted freely during the day. The discharges are feculent and bilious.  Sig. Conf Aromat zi Mist Cretæ Zvj Rx Catechu Zi P. Opii zi Mft Mist capiat Zi post singulas sedes Liquidas.  30th June. 6 A.M. Has been purged four times during the night, pain in the abdomen diminished. Complains of headache and has vomited twice this morning after taking her medicine. Pulse continues rather quicker than natural, Skin dry, Tongue white. Thirst continues but less urgent. Conf Mist Cretæ Co ut heri Habeat Decoct Hordie pro potu.  6 P.M. Haust Anodyne h.s  31st June 6 A.M. Slept well last night has been purged twice only since last report, pain in the abdomen diminished, no return of vomiting or sickness, skin more moist. Pulse less frequent, slight thirst continues & the Tongue remains white. Conf Medicamenta ut antea August 1st 6 A.M. Disturbed once only in the night by the bowels being relaxed, comp³ still of slight pain in the abdomen before each discharge, evacuations feculent, has vomited once this morning after getting up. Pulse & skin nearly natural, slight thirst.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zfs & R Opii gfs xx statim.  Rep¹ Mist Cretæ Co ut antea.  Cont Decoct Hordie pro potu. Sago etc.  6 P.M. The Castor Oil has acted freely during the day, the evacuations are more nat¹ in appearance, no vomiting since morning, pain of the abdomen gone off.  Cont Medicamenta ut antea.  Rep⁴ Haust Anodyn h.s.  2nd August. 6 A.M. Purged seven times during the night, the discharges continue natural

3<sup>rd</sup> August. 6 A.M. Slept at intervals during the night, Bowels relaxed three times since last evening, discharges nearly similar to last report, little or no pain, no return of vomiting.

Cont<sup>r</sup> Medicamenta ut antea.

6 P.M. Three alvine evacuations during the day, accompanied with slight pain, in other respects nearly similar to last report.

Rep<sup>t</sup> Mist et adde P. Opii gts xxv h.s.

4<sup>th</sup> August 6 A.M. Has been purged twice in the night, without pain, in other respects no comp<sup>t</sup>.

Cont<sup>r M</sup>edicamenta etc.

6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.

5<sup>th</sup> August. 6 AM. Bowels open twice in the night, free from pain, no other comp<sup>t</sup>.

Cont<sup>r</sup> Mist ut antea

- 6 P.M. No so well tonight, has been purged 7 or 8 times during the day, accompanied with pain in the abdomen probably caused by eating some improper food, she was therefore taken into Hospital, to be more under observation. *Capiat Ol Ricini Zi s*.
- 6<sup>th</sup> August 6 A.M. The Bowels have been freely acted on by the Castor Oil. Pain in the abdomen considerably diminished. Discharges very fluid, bilious & slightly feculent. *Habeat Pil Opii g<sup>r</sup> ifs statim*
- 6 P.M. Purging checked by the Pil this morning. *Rep' Pil h.s.*
- 7<sup>th</sup> August 6 A.M. Still complains of purging. Bowels open three times in the night. Discharges scanty, fluid & feculent, no comp<sup>t</sup> of pain Pergat –
- 6 P.M. One alvine discharge during the day and slight return of irritability of stomach, in other respects no material changes. *Rep*<sup>t</sup>. *Pil Opii h.s.*
- 8<sup>th</sup> August 6 A.M. Purging checked by the Pill last night The bowels have not been open since last report, but has been sick & vomited twice, accompanied with pain in the lower part of the Abdomen.

Habeat Haust Effervesc. pro re nata.

- 6 P.M. Stomach continues irritable & has been purged several times since morn<sup>g</sup>. Complains of pain in the lower part of the Abdomen. *Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Opii h.s.*
- 9<sup>th</sup> August. 6 A.M. No permanent improvement in the condition of the Bowels, and latterly the discharges have assumed a dysenteric character. There is frequent inclination to stool accompanied with tenesmus, the discharges now consist of feculent matter mixed with mucus and occasionally streaked with blood, increased frequency of Pulse & heat of skin, loss of appetite, nausea & occasional vomiting, Tongue tolerably clear This Patient it appears, from her own statement, has been

subject to attacks of Dysentery for a long time, particularly whilst in Grange Gorman Gaol, and is only just recovered from a severe attack – *Omit' Mist Cretæ Co: Rx Hyd. Chlorid ə i Opii Purif g' iv Ipecac Pulv g' xv Conf Aromat q.s. Misce & divid in Pil vj capiat i 3tia quaque hora* 

10<sup>th</sup> August. 6 A.M. Vomited several times last evening, and purged twice accompanied with tenesmus – the evacuations are nearly similar to yesterdays report.

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6 P.M. Comp<sup>s</sup> of great debility, has been purged repeatedly during the day, the evacuations are chiefly mucus mixed with blood, irritability of stomach continues and unable to take nourishment except some of the Preserved Soup - Considerable thirst, Pulse quick & weak, slight heat of skin - Omit' Pulv Ipecac: Cont' Pil Hyd Chlorid č Opii. Habeat Haust Effervesc pro re nata 11th August. 6 A.M. Purged twice in the night, the evacuations are free from blood today and consist of mucus with a little feculent matter, Tenesmus diminished. Comp<sup>s</sup> of great debility, heat of skin, Pulse quicker than nat<sup>1</sup> & weak, thirst. The stomach is less irritable since the Ipecac as omitted in the Pills. – Cont<sup>r</sup> ut antea. The Abdomen to be well rubbed with a liniment three times a day, composed of Mercurial Ointment & P. Opii, and afterwards a broad flannel roller to be firmly applied. -

6 P.M. Compl<sup>s</sup> of mouth being sore. Has been purged several times during the day. – the discharges are very offensive and dark coloured. – *Omit*<sup>r</sup> *Pil et Situs Mercurialis* -

Capiat Ol Ricini Z i cras mane. Habeat Pil Anodyn h.s. 12<sup>th</sup> August. 6 A.M. Was purged three times in the night and vomited this morning shortly after tasting the Castor Oil, which was repeated & retained since which the Bowels have been freely moved. The discharges were more copious and feculent accompanied with a quantity of thick mucus of the consistence of Jelly – slight ptyalism, Pulse & skin similar to last report. Comp<sup>s</sup> of thirst. Rept' Ol Ricini Zi R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xv Habeat Garg

Diet to consist of Preserved Meats Rice etc – *Decoct Hordie pro potu*.

13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> Complains of great debility and appears much exhausted, the Bowels have been open three times in the night accompanied with slight tenesmus – The discharges are more feculent and natural of a dark greenish colour without any blood. – considerable ptyalism, less heat of skin, Pulse continues quick and weak, still comp<sup>s</sup> of thirst.

Rx Accasiæ Pulv Zfs. Decoct Hordie Oifs, pro potu Utat (utor?) Garg Astringent ut antea

6 P.M. Report nearly similar to morning.

Habeat Haust Anodyn h.s.

15<sup>th</sup> August. 6 A.M. Passed rather a restless night &comp<sup>s</sup> much of debility. The bowels have been moved several times since last report, the discharges are more natural & free from blood. Ptyalism continues – Pulse diminished in frequency but still very weak, skin moist & cool, less thirst, altogether appears much better.-

Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Garg Astring ut antea.

6 P.M. Rept<sup>r</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.

16<sup>th</sup> August. 6 AM. Slept well during the night and feels much better this morning, the bowels have been moved once only since yesterday afternoon, free from pain, Ptyalism continues to improve –

Rept<sup>r</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.

17<sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. The Bowels have again been relaxed two or three times in the night, the discharges are thin & watery and seem to depend on a weakened state of the bowels,

			rather than on any remains of malignancy. Ptyalism is
PB010370			still considerable. Pulse & skin nearly natural, comp <sup>s</sup> of great debility, and fainted this morning on being taken out of bed.  Habeat Nutrientia et Vin. Rub: Z vj Capiat Inf Gent Co Zifs ter in die Cont <sup>r</sup> Garg Astringent ut antea 6 P.M. Rept <sup>r</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s. 18 <sup>th</sup> Considerable improved. Bowels open once in the night, evacuation nearly natural – appetite improving. Ptyalism diminished. – Found great benefit from the Port Wine yesterday. Cont <sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Vin. Rub. etc 19 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup> Similar to last report. 21 <sup>st</sup> Progressing favourably, no return of purging, Bowels regular & natural- Mouth still continues sore. Takes nourishment etc well, appetite improving – Cont <sup>r</sup> ut antea 24 <sup>th</sup> Similar to last report 25 <sup>th</sup> – Convalescing favourably and gaining strength – Ptyalism nearly gone, appetite good – Bowels regular. Cont <sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Stimuli ut antea 30 <sup>th</sup> Not so well today, complains of pain in the abdomen and has been purged several times in the night accompanied with pain in the abdomen. Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii gi <sup>st</sup> xv. s. Omit <sup>r</sup> Inf Gent Co. 6 P.M. The castor Oil this morn <sup>g</sup> acted freely on the Bowels and removed the pain in the abdomen, in other respects appears to be going on well. Rept <sup>r</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s. 31 <sup>st</sup> No return of pain, Bowels regular. Contr Inf Gent Co. et Nutrientia etc 1 <sup>st</sup> September. Going on well and gaining strength, appetite good, Bowels regular. Cont <sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Stimuli etc 2 <sup>nd</sup> No complaint Discharged cured.
Pleuritis	2	Cathe Beecher Age 21. Convict At Sea 1st August 1847  Dischd cure 8th August 1847	Presented herself at 11 AM complaining of acute pain in the chest, chiefly on the right side & behind the Sternum, extending at times towards the Scapula. The breathing is hurried and pain increased on inspiration and on lying on the affected side. Pulse hard and somewhat contracted – Tongue furred white, Bowels not suff <sup>ly</sup> free – Vene: Sec: ad Z xx pleno rivo  Rx: Hyd Chlorid g <sup>r</sup> v Pulv Jalap əi misce statim sumendus  Low diet, Barfly Water etc  Noon. Habeat Haust Inf Sennæ Co Z iij  6 P.M. The bleeding produced syncope and immediate relief of the pain in the Chest, the breathing also became more free and the Pulse more soft. Bowels not suff <sup>ly</sup> free Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Inf Sennæ č Mag Sulph.  2nd August. 6A.M. Slept several hours during the early part of the night. Complains this morning of slight return of pain in the chest, but not sufficient to impeded respiration. Pulse soft & regular. Bowels acted on three times since last report, but not yet suff <sup>ly</sup> free. – Slight thirst

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PB010371 Diarrhoea	3	Cath <sup>e</sup> Doran age 54 Convict	Rep' Haust Inf Sennæ č Mag Sulph bis die. Emp' Lyttæ parti dolente appt'. Half diet. Rice, Sago etc 6 P.M. The Blister rose well and relieved the pain of Chest. Respiration natural, no complaint of pain except slight headache. Bowels open twice since morning. Rep' Haust Inf Sennæ č Mag Sulph. 3rd August. 6 A.M. Passed a good night, no return of pain in the chest or difficulty of breathing. Bowels free. Tongue clean. Pulse natural. – slight headache continues and has a disposition to reach occasionally. Habeat Haust Effervesc. pro re nata Rep' Haust Inf Sennæ Co si opus sit. 6 AM. [PM?] Complains of slight pain in the head and giddiness. No return of pain in the chest. Sickness of Stomach gone off. Bowels open once only during the day. Rep' Haust Inf Sennæ č Mag Sulph 4th August. 6 A.M. Still comps of swimming of the head but has no pain or return of the affections of the chest. Bowels not suffsy free. Habeat Pil Cal Comp no ij 6 P.M. Feels better this evening, pain and swimming of the head diminished. Bowels still inclined to be constipated. Rep' Pil Cal Comp no ij 5th August. 6 A.M. Pain & giddiness of head gone off. Bowels free  Quiescat 6 P.M. Complains this evening of alight pain in the left breast, in other respects continues to improve. Bowels free. Capiat Haust Anodyn h.s. 6th August 6 A.M. Complains severely of pain in the left breast, which has prevented sleep during the night. Has no return of former affection of the chest. Respiration free. Bowels regular. Sinapismata parti affect: appl': 7th August 6 A.M. Pain of the breast quite relieved by the Mustard Poultice. Bowels free. Rep' Haust Anodyn h.s. 6 P.M. Feels much better. Pain of breast entirely gone off. Quiescat 8th No comp¹. Discharged cured.
BD0400=4			free. Bowels regular. <i>Sinapismata parti affect: appli</i> : 7 <sup>th</sup> August 6 A.M. Pain of the breast quite relieved by the Mustard Poultice. Bowels free. <i>Rept Haust Anodyn h.s.</i> 6 P.M. Feels much better. Pain of breast entirely gone off <i>Quiescat</i>
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			perspirations. Pulse weak and quick. Tongue white. Thirst. No vomiting sine last night.  Habeat Ol Ricini Zi statim Low diet. Sago, Arrowroot etc. 6 P.M. The Ol Ricini has acted freely during the day and relieved the pain considerably.  Cont' Mist Cretæ Co ut antea. 6th August 6A.M. Feels better this morning has only been purged twice since last report. Pain diminished. Discharges from the bowels are fluid, bilious and feculent – Cont' Medicamenta 6 P.M. Purging checked  Capiat Pil Opii g' i h.s. 7th August. 6 A.M. Bowels open twice in the night. –  Cont' Medicamenta 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Opii h.s. 8th August 6 A.M. Purging ceased, free from pain & feels much better. Habeat Nutrientia. Preserved meats etc 6 P.M. Continues to improve, Bowels open once during the day, evacuations natural, no return of pain, appetite improving. Rep' Pil Opii hora somni. 9th August 6 A.M. Continues to improve. – Omit' Mist Cretæ Co. Capiat Inf. Gent: Co: Zifs ter die 10th August. 6 A.M. Feels much better and appears to gain strength. Bowels regular. Cont' Nutrientia et Mist Tonic ut antea 11th August. 6 A.M. Bowels regular. No compt. Disch' cured.
Diarrhoea	4	Ellen Finn age 40 Free Settler at Sea 15 <sup>th</sup> August 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> cured. 30 <sup>th</sup> August 1847	Has been weak and unable to make use of her provisions for some days past from want of appetite.  Complains at present of general debility, loss of appetite, flatulence and a sense of sinking at the pit of the Stomach. The Bowels have been constipated for some time previous to the present attack but for the last two days have been much relaxed. Pulse slow & weak, countenance pale. Tongue white; heat of surface nearly natural.  Habeat Haust Inf Sennæ Z iij č Mag Sulph ziv statim  Diet. Sago Rice & a little Preserved Soup. Salt Provisions to be stopped.  16 <sup>th</sup> . The laxative acted freely during yesterday. Comps of increased pain in the abdomen & frequent purging during the night, appears extremely weak & feeble. Taken into Hospital this morning in order that the state of the case might be more clearly known, the Patient being of a very weak intellect little can be relied on from her statement  6 P.M. Has been purged twice during the day. – Evacuations scanty, complains of considerable pain in the bowels on going to stool accompanied with tenesmus Capiat Pil Opii g <sup>rs</sup> ifs h.s.  17 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Passed a better night and slept for some hours towards morning – has been purged two or three times since last evening. The discharges are scanty and consist chiefly of mucus. Compls still of pain in the abdomen & tenesmus on going to stool. Pulse very weak & rather quicker than natural, heat of skin – slight thirst – Tongue furred white. No appetite.

			Rx. Conf Aromat z i Mist Cretæ Zvj
PB010372			Rx Zingib z iij R Opii zij Mft Mist Capiat Z i post singulas sedes liquidas. Diet to consist of Sago, Arrowroot, Rice and a little Preserved Soup. 6 P.M. No material change since morning report.  Cont' Medicamenta 18th 6 A.M. Appears better this morning, has not been purged during the night, complains still of slight pain in the abdomen. Pulse less frequent, skin cool & moist. Thirst diminished. Cont' Medicamenta ut antea. Habeat Nutrientia. 6 P.M. Nearly similar to morning report. Cont' Mist Cretæ Co. et Habeat Pil Opii h.s. 19th 6 A.M. No return of Purging, pain of abdomen gone off. Comp's only of debility.  Rept' Mist si opus sit Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli etc 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s. 20th 6 A.M. Similar to yesterdays report.  Pergat 21st Complains only of debility and appears extremely weak and low, appetite slightly improved – Bowels regular. Habeat Inf. Gent Co Zij č Quinin Sulph g' ifs bis die.  Cont' Mist Nutrientia et Stimuli etc 22nd & 23rd. Improving and gaining strength slowly – Bowels regular –Cont' Mist Tonic et Nutrientia etc 24th & 25th. Continues to improve  Pergat 29th. Has continued gradually to improve and gain strength since last report. – 30th no Comp'. Discharged cured.
Dysenteria	5	Mary Gamble age 21 Convict at Sea 30 <sup>th</sup> August 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> dead 4 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Sept <sup>r</sup> 1 <sup>st</sup> . Has been affected with a bowel comp <sup>t</sup> for several days past, for which she has been taking medicine with only temporary relief. – At present complains of severe pain in the lower part of the Abdomen especially on going to stool, frequent purging and tenesmus, loss of appetite, nausea, heat of surface, Pulse quicker than nat. Tongue lightly furred white, Thirst. The discharges from the bowel consist chiefly of mucus having much the appearance of thick transparent Jelly, without any feculent matter and no appearance of blood.  Descendat in Balneum Calidum et postea capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxv Low diet. Sago, Arrowroot etc 6 P.M. Haust Anodyn h.s.  2 <sup>nd</sup> . 6 AM. Has been purged 4 or 5 times in the night accompanied with considerable straining when at stool. The discharges are nearly similar to yesterdays report (consisting of mucus only). Comp <sup>s</sup> of irritability of Stomach and has vomited once or twice in the night. Pulse continues quick. Tongue lightly furred white in the centre and red around the edges. Thirst.  Rx. Hyd Chlorid əi Opii Purif g <sup>r</sup> iv Pulv Ipec g <sup>r</sup> x Conf Aromat q.s. Misce et divid in Pil no vj. Capiat i 2 <sup>da</sup> quaque hora  Decoct Hordie pro potu. Diet. Sago etc

6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s. 3<sup>rd</sup> September. 6 AM. Has been purged twice only during the night with griping and considerable tenesmus. Cont<sup>r</sup>. Medicamenta etc ut heri 6 P.M. No material change since morning. Rep<sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s. 4<sup>th</sup>. Has passed a restless night and been purged 5 or 6 times, the discharges consist of mucus mixed with a little blood but no feculent matter. Comp<sup>s</sup> of considerable pain in the abdomen on going to stool & tenesmus. Slight irritability of Stomach at times but takes her medicine well. No effect as yet from the Pills. Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xxv statim Cont<sup>r</sup> Pil ut antea 6 P.M. Felt considerable relief from the effect of the Castor Oil, which produced several feculent discharges during the day free from blood. Rep<sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s. Cont<sup>r</sup> Pil ut antea 5<sup>th</sup>. 6 A.M. Complains of mouth being sore. Bowels have been moved three times since last evening, the discharges are entirely changed, being more copious, feculent & free from blood. Pain & tenesmus diminished. Omit<sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd Chlorid. Rep<sup>t</sup> Ol Ricini Zfs č R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xv 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Opii h.s. 6<sup>th</sup> 6A.M. Complains much of mouth being sore, slight ptyalism – in other respects improving. Utat Garg Astring. Habeat Nutrientia. Preserved Soup etc 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s. 7<sup>th</sup>. 6 AM. Evidently improving, but still comp<sup>s</sup> of mouth being sore, ptyalism diminished. Bowels have been open twice in the night, evacuations nat<sup>1</sup>. Tenesmus gone off. Utat<sup>r</sup> Garg Astringent Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Stimuli etc 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Haust Anody h.s. 8<sup>th</sup>. Continues to improve, mouth better, no return of purging. Cont' ut antea 9<sup>th</sup>. Similar to last report. – Supp<sup>d</sup>. Farinaceous Food to this patient in consequence of sore mouth. Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Vin Rub Zvj in die PB010373 10<sup>th</sup>. Sept<sup>r</sup> Progressing favourably but slowly. Mouth getting better, - appetite improving. Bowels regular.-Pergat 13<sup>th</sup>. Continues to improve & gain strength. Mouth still a little sore. Bowels rather confined. Habeat Ol Ricini Zfs Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Stimuli etc. 17<sup>th</sup>. Nearly similar to last report. Bowels regular. Capiat Inf Gent Co Zij ter die Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia etc ut antea. 19<sup>th</sup>. Convalescing favourably but slowly. 21<sup>st</sup>. Has no complaint except weakness & slight soreness of the mouth. Cont<sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic et Nutrientia etc. 25<sup>th</sup>. Complains this morning of having been purged 4 or

5 times in the night accompanied with straining when at stool and pain in the lower part of the abdomen. The

discharges are watery & quite free from blood.

			Capiat Mist Cretæ Co ut antea post singulas sedes
			liquidas Omit' Vin Rub et Nutrientia. Habeat Sago, Arrowroot
			<i>etc.</i> 26 <sup>th</sup> . Diarrhoea still continues troublesome pain &
			tenesmus diminished.  Cont' Mist Cretæ Co ut antea
			6 P.M. Pil Opii h.s.
			27 <sup>th</sup> . Diarrhoea less troublesome. Comp <sup>s</sup> of irritability of Stomach and occasional vomiting.
			Habeat Haust Effervesc pro re nata
			Cont <sup>r</sup> Mist Cretæ ut antea 28 <sup>th</sup> . No material change since last report. Pergat
			29 <sup>th</sup> . Complains of great debility, the purging continues very distressing & cannot be checked by the medicines
			employed. The discharges consist of thin mucus quite free from blood or feculent matter and seems to proceed
			from a weakness & relaxed state of the bowels rather
			than from any remains of malignancy.  Rx. Conf Aromat zi R Catechu Zi R Opii zij Mft Mist
			Capiat coch due vel tria post singulas sedes liquidas Diet to consist of Arrowroot, Sago, Rice etc with a little
			Port Wine occasionally
			6 P.M. <i>Pil Opii h.s.</i> 30 <sup>th</sup> . Somewhat better today, purging less frequent, but
			appears very weak and exhausted. The discharges are
			improved since taking the astringent Mixture prescribed yesterday. <i>Pergat</i>
			6 P.M. <i>Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.</i> October 1 <sup>st</sup> . 6 A.M. Purging less frequent & pain nearly
			gone off. Complains only of great debility & exhaustion  – Takes nourishment with great difficulty but has no irritability of Stomach since yesterday Morn <sup>g</sup> – Cont <sup>r</sup>
			Med. etc 6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.
			2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct <sup>r</sup> . Appears greatly exhausted and has been much harassed by the continuance of a heavy Gale of Wind during the past two or three days.
			The purging is very distressing and most of the discharges are involuntary.
			Contr. Med et Haust Anodyn h.s. 4 <sup>th</sup> October. 6 A.M. No improvement whatever – The
			patient is nearly worn out by the distressing effects of the Gale, which still continues with great violence, and
			almost prevents assistance being rendered to the sick in
			an efficient manner.  Cont <sup>r</sup> Medicamenta et Nutrientia etc
			2.30 P.M. Expired.
Pleuritis	6	Eliz <sup>th</sup> Johnston	Presented herself yesterday morning complaining of
		age 23 Convict at Sea	severe pain in the left side, and stated that it was preceded by chills & rigors. At present there is
		30 <sup>th</sup> August 1847	considerable heat of skin and a quick pulse, sense of
		Disch <sup>d</sup> cured 6 <sup>th</sup> Sept <sup>r</sup> 1847	weight in the chest, and acute pain in the left side about the 6 or 7 Rib. Respiration is considerably impeded & the pain increased on inspiration. Tongue white. Bowels
			very much constipated, but the [they] have been acted on by repeated Purgatives given during yesterday.  Vene: Sec: ad Z xx
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PB010374			Rx. Hyd Chlorid g <sup>r</sup> v Pulv Jalap g <sup>r</sup> xv Mft Pulv statim sumend.  Rx. Mag Sulph Zfs Inf Sennæ Ziij R Zingib zi Mft Haust ter die sumend.  September 1 <sup>st</sup> 6 A.M. Felt great relief from the bleeding, but still complains of pain in the side. Respiration more free – Bowels have been well purged by the medicine yesterday. Heat of skin diminished, less thirst and altogether appears considerably better.  Sinapism parti affecti appl <sup>r</sup> Rept <sup>r</sup> Haust Cath pro re nata.  2 <sup>nd</sup> September 6 A.M. Much better, pain in the side gone off since the application of the Mustard Poultice. Bowels open twice since yesterday morn <sup>g</sup> but not sufficiently free. – Rept <sup>r</sup> Haust Cath ter die  3 <sup>rd</sup> . Feels nearly free from complaint. Bowels free.  Habeat Inf Gent Co Zij ter die  4 <sup>th</sup> Convalescent. Appetite improving. Bowels regular – no return of pain in the side.  Cont <sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic ut antea  5 <sup>th</sup> Similar to last report.  6 <sup>th</sup> No complaint. Disch <sup>d</sup> cured.
Ulcer of the left Breast accompanied by Dysentery	7	Cathe Comerford age 29, Convict at Sea 8th September 1847  Dischd dead 6th October 1847	Presented herself about a week ago, complaining of pain & swelling of the left breast. On examination it proved to be a hard tumour about the size of a large Egg & painful to the touch, especially in one part which looked red and threatened suppuration. Stated that she felt a hardness in the breast several months since and that the swelling had gradually increased to its present size. This Patient is of a delicate habit of body and impaired health.  Fomentations were employed and afterwards Poultices were applied for a day or two with considerable relief of the pain. The part threatening suppuration gave way yesterday and now pr4sents a dirty looking superficial ulcer about 1½ Inches long and 1 in breadth of an irregular shape with ragged edges. The general hardness of the tumour has considerably diminished and at present is chiefly confined to the immediate neighbourhood of the ulcer.  Bowels regular. Appetite very indifferent.  Cont' Cataplasm  Habeat Mist Tonic ter in die  9th Sept' The ulcer looks sloughy and disposed to spread. Little or no discharge from the sore.  Cont' Cataplasm ut antea  Habeat Nutrientia – Vin Rub Zvj. Capiat Mist Tonic Zij ter die.  10th Sept' The ulcer looks foul & sloughy, very slight discharge, hardness of the surrounding parts diminished. Bowels regular.  Utatur Solut Argent Nit et Lint etc  Contr Nutrientia et Mist Tonic.  Habeat Cerevicia [Cerevesia?] Oj in die  11th Sept' The edges of the ulcer look better today & the large slough in the centre begins to separate. Complains of debility & loss of appetite. Bowels regular.  Utat' Solut Argent Nit ut antea  Habeat Nutrientia. Preserved Meats etc

Cont<sup>r</sup> Cerevicia et Stimuli. Rept<sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic ter die. 12<sup>th</sup> The edges of the ulcer look cleaner & the slough is separating more freely. Pergat 13<sup>th</sup> Ulcer decidedly looking better & slough separating favourably. Cont<sup>r</sup>. 14<sup>th</sup>. The ulcer continues to improve in appearance & the disposition to spread entirely arrested. Bowels rather conf<sup>d</sup>. Capiat Pil Cal Comp no ij statim. Cont<sup>r</sup> Curatii et Mist Tonic ut antea. Habeat Nutrientia & Stimuli 15<sup>th</sup>. Nearly similar to vesterdays report. – Bowels free. 16<sup>th</sup>. The ulcer appears disposed to contract around the edges, where there are healthy granulations. The slough has separated & the discharge from the sore increased in quantity and improved in character. Bowels not suff<sup>y</sup> free. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Cal Co. Cont<sup>r</sup> Med et Nutrient ut antea etc 17<sup>th</sup>. Ulcer continues to improve, hardness around the sore nearly gone off except immediately at its base. Bowels free. Appetite somewhat improved. Cont<sup>r</sup> Curatio et Mist Tonic Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli. 18<sup>th</sup>. Nearly similar to yesterdays report. 19<sup>th</sup>. The ulcer looks clean and begins to granulate favourably. Pergat 20<sup>th</sup>. Ulcer contracting around the edges and gradually improving in appearance, the discharge is more purulent & healthy. Bowels regular. Pergat. 21st and 22nd. Ulcer continues to improve. Complains this morning of diarrhoea which came on in the night, has been purged 4 or 5 times and complains of griping pain in the abdomen. Omit' Mist Tonic et Stimuli Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xx 6 P.M. The Castor Oil acted freely during the day, pain of the abdomen diminished. Capiat Pil Opii g<sup>r</sup> ifs h.s. 23<sup>rd</sup>. The condition of the ulcer nearly similar to last report. – The purging continues very troublesome. Capiat Mist Cretæ Co Z i post sing. sedes liquid. 23<sup>rd</sup>. Sept<sup>r</sup> 6 P.M. A deep slough has come away from PB010375 the centre of the ulcer, with the dressings this evening, and allowed the escape of a small quantity of matter from the hard part of the tumour, before referred to – The whole of the ulcer now looks perfectly clean and healthy, and the edges of the sore are disposed to contract and heal. Cont' Curatio: The purging continues very troublesome and has much reduced the patient. Pain diminished – the discharges are chiefly mucus. Rx. Conf Aromat zi R Catechu Zi Mist Cretæ Ziv R Opii zij Misce capiat Zi post singulas sedes liquidas. 24<sup>th</sup>. Ulcer granulating favourably but slowly. The diarrhoea complained of yesterday continues & has disturbed the patient 4 or 5 times during the night. Complains also of irritability of Stomach and occasional vomiting. Cont<sup>r</sup> medicamenta Supplied this patient with farinaceous Food as the Stomach rejected all other nourishment. 25<sup>th</sup>. Nearly similar to yesterdays report. 26<sup>th</sup>. The purging has been very troublesome during the

night accompanied with tenesmus. Has vomited twice only, since last report. – *Cont*<sup>r</sup> *Medicamenta* 

Rx. Mucilag Gum Acac zfs R Opii gts xxxx Liq Plumb Acet g<sup>ts</sup> xxx Mft Injectio bis die utenda.

27<sup>th</sup>. The purging continues but is less troublesome since the use of the Injections. Comp<sup>s</sup> of irritability of Stomach which has been relieved by effervescing draughts and a little Brandy & water. The ulcer looks clean but has not diminished in size for some days.

Cont<sup>r</sup> Med et Inject ut antea

Habeat Nutrientia ut heri

28<sup>th</sup>. Nearly similar to yesterdays report. *Pergat*.

29<sup>th</sup>. Feels extremely weak and exhausted from the constant purging, which cannot be restrained by medicines or any other means employed. The discharges are nothing but mucus, tenesmus relieved by the Injections, no complaints of pain. Irritability of Stomach relieved by the Effervescent draughts & Brandy & Water Cont<sup>r</sup> Medicamenta etc

6 P.M. No change since mornings report

Capiat Pil Opii g<sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.

30<sup>th</sup> September. 6 A.M. No improvement whatever, the purging is most distressing and the discharges are now more of a dysenteric character & mixed with blood.

Omit<sup>r</sup> Mist Cretæ Co.

Rx. Hyd Chlorid Zfs Opii Purif g<sup>r</sup> vj

Pulv Ipecac  $g^r x$  Conf Aromat q.s. Misce et divid in Pil no vj Capiat i 3 tis quaque hora.

Cont<sup>r</sup> Injectio ut antea.

Decoct Hordie pro potu. Sago Rice etc

Oct<sup>r</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>. No improvement in condition of the bowels, the purging continues very frequent – The discharges are mucus mixed with blood, but no feculent matter. Has taken the Pills regularly. No irritability of Stomach since last report. *Habeat Ol Ricini Zfs č R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xv et postea Cont<sup>r</sup> Pil ut heri*.

Rept Injectio ut antea

2<sup>nd</sup>. Similar to yesterdays report. The sick have been much distressed by the effect of a heavy gale of wind during the night which still continues with great violence, the sea frequently breaking in over the vessel in such a way as almost prevents the possibility of rendering the sick the assistance they require.

3<sup>rd</sup>. Much the same as last report, the patient is greatly exhausted by the effects of the gale. *Pergat* 

4<sup>th</sup>. Continues without any improvement in the condition of the bowels and appears nearly worn out by the harassing effects of the Gale which still continues.

Cont<sup>r</sup> Med et Nutrientia etc

5 P.M. Capiat Pil Opii g<sup>rs</sup> ifs h.s.

5<sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. States that her mouth is a little sore this morn<sup>g</sup>. The Dysenteric symptoms are less severe & the discharges more natural in appearance, but comp<sup>s</sup> of great exhaustion. *Omit<sup>r</sup> Pil Habeat Nutrientia et Vin Rub Z vi in die.* 

6 P.M. Purging considerably diminished & the discharges are much improved in appearance, being quite free from blood and feculent.

On dressing the ulcer this evening a deep slough at the bottom of the wound came away, causing an opening

PB010376			into the cavity of the Thorax suff <sup>y</sup> large to admit two fingers. During respiration the air passed freely through this opening, causing a peculiar noise. Simple dressing with lint and a Roller etc applied.  6 <sup>th</sup> October. A.M. Slept tolerably well in the early part of the night, quite free from pain, and all the unfavourable dysenteric symptoms subsided. – shortly after midnight the respiration became embarrassed apparently from the atmospheric air passing thro the wound of the Breast into the Thorax – a compress & bandages as again applied but the patient gradually got weaker and expired tranquilly about 5 o'clock AM.
Dysenteria	8	Mary Walsh age 42 Convict at Sea 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept <sup>r</sup> 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> cured 20 <sup>th</sup> Sept <sup>r</sup> 1847	Has been ill for many days with a bowel complaint for which she has been taking medicine without any permanent benefit. The disease having assumed the character of Dysentery the patient was taken into Hospital this morning. Complains at present of frequent purging with pain in the abdomen & tenesmus. The discharges are scanty and consist of mucus streaked with blood with very little feculent matter. Thirst. Pulse quick & hard, slight heat of skin.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zi & R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxx. Diet to consist of Sago, Arrowroot etc  18 <sup>th</sup> . 6 A.M. Took an anodyne last night at bedtime. Has been purged five times in the night, complains much of tenesmus, the discharges are similar to yesterdays report. Rx. Hyd Chlorid oi Opii Purif g' iv  Pulv Ipec. g' xv Conf Aromat q.s. Misce et divid in Pil no vj. Capiat i 3 <sup>tha</sup> quaque hora  Decoct Hordie pro potu  Low diet. Sago, Arrowroot etc.  6 P.M. Pil Opii g' ifs h.s.  19 <sup>th</sup> . A.M. The purging continues much the same as yesterday, the discharges are more bloody and no appearance of any feculent matter in the stools. Comp <sup>s</sup> of increased pain & tenesmus. Has vomited several times since last evening.  Omit Pulv. Ipec:  Conf Pil Hyd Chlorid & Opii ut antea  6 P.M. Rep <sup>5</sup> Pil Opii h.s.  20 <sup>th</sup> . 6 A.M. Purged twice only in the night, no improvement in the condition of the discharges which are still mucus & bloody without any feculent matter. Pain in the abdomen diminished. Tenesmus less troublesome no effect as yet from the Pills.  Cont Pil ut antea  6 P.M. Similar to mornings report.  Rep <sup>6</sup> Pil Opii h.s.  21 <sup>st</sup> Sept <sup>6</sup> 6 A.M. Has had a good night, the bowels have been moved once only, considerable improvement in the character of the discharges this morning, which are become more feculent & nearly free from blood. Pain & tenesmus gone off.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zi R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xv s.  Rep <sup>6</sup> Pil Opii h.s.  2nd. The Castor Oil had a good effect yesterday and produced several copious evacuations. Mouth slightly sore. Cont Pil bis die

			6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Opii h.s.  23 <sup>rd</sup> . 6 A.M. Appears better, the bowels have been moved several times since yesterdays report, free from pain and the discharges are more natural. Comp <sup>s</sup> chiefly of debility & loss of appetite. Omit <sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd Chlorid Capiat Ol Ricini Zi statim 6 P.M. Rept <sup>r</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s. 24 <sup>th</sup> . 6 A.M. The bowels have been open once only in the night, the discharges have assumed nearly a nat <sup>l</sup> appearance. No return of pain in the abdomen or tenesmus. Complains of mouth being rather sore, but no ptyalism.  Capiat Inf Gent Co Zij ter die Habeat Nutrientia 6 P.M. Rept <sup>r</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s. 25 <sup>th</sup> . Nearly similar to yesterdays report. Pergat. 26 <sup>th</sup> . No return of purging, free from pain. Appetite improving .Cont <sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic ter die. 27 <sup>th</sup> . Much better. One alvine evacuation during the night, the discharges quite nat <sup>l</sup> .  Cont <sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic et habeat Stimuli 28 <sup>th</sup> . Similar to last report. 29 <sup>th</sup> . No complaint. Bowels regular. Disch <sup>d</sup> cured.
Erysipelas	9	Ellen Sullivan age 26, Convict 29 <sup>th</sup> Septr 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> cured 5 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Presented herself this morning with considerable swelling of the face on both sides, extending down the neck & throat. States that she had rigors about two days ago, succeeded by considerable heat of surface.  At present there is considerable tumour of the face & neck. Skin hot and of a bright red colour having defined edges of an irregular form. Pulse quick & hard, Bowels constipated – Thirst.  Rx. Pulv Jalapa = Hyd Chlorid g <sup>rs</sup> x Misce statim
PB010377			Habeat Lotio Liq Plumb Acet parti affect app <sup>r</sup> .  10 A.M. Inf Sennæ Ziij Sulph Mag Zfs Ol Menth P gts i Mft Haust stat sumend et rept si opus sit.  6 P.M. Bowels not suff <sup>y</sup> free. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Inf Sennæ Co ut mane 30 <sup>th</sup> September 6 A.M. Face less painful and swelling diminished, the edges of the inflamed skin are more distinctly defined and is now confined to the lower part of the face and upper part of the neck, extending across to both sides as far back as the Ears. Bowels not suff <sup>y</sup> free Rep <sup>t</sup> Pulv Jalap Co et postea Haust Inf Sennæ Cont <sup>r</sup> . Lotio Liq Plumb ut heri.  1 <sup>st</sup> October 6 A.M. Still considerable inflammation of the face, but there is no disposition to extend beyond the part already affected. The Bowels were freely acted on during the day & last even <sup>g</sup> . Feels great benefit from the cold lotion. Cont <sup>r</sup> Lotio frigid et rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Inf Sennæ Co.  2 <sup>nd</sup> . Nearly similar to yesterdays report. Cont <sup>r</sup> ut antea. 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Much better, swelling of the face and neck subsiding, inflammation considerably diminished, free from pain. Bowels free. Cont <sup>r</sup> . Lotio Liq Plumb ut antea 4 <sup>th</sup> . Similar to yesterdays report.

			5 <sup>th</sup> . No complaint. Disch <sup>d</sup> cured.
Dysenteria	10	Mary Murry age 18,Convict at Sea 30 <sup>th</sup> September 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> dead 21 <sup>st</sup> October 1847	Has been affected for some days with a bowel complaint and irritability of Stomach. This morning she presented herself complaining of being worse and that the purging was more troublesome. She as therefore admitted into Hospital. On examination of the stools they appeared fluid & slightly bilious – complains of considerable pain in the lower part of the abdomen previous to going to stool, has been purged 5 or 6 times during the night. Pulse quick, heat of skin. Thirst.  Habeat Ol Ricini Zi & R Opii gth xxx  Decoct Hordie pro potu  Low diet. Arrowroot etc 6 P.M. The Ol Ricini acted freely, and gave considerable relief.  Capiat Pil Opii gths.s. 1st October. 6 A.M. Purging less troublesome during the night, pain diminished – less thirst.  Rx. Conf Aromat zi Mist Crete Ziv R Zingib zi post singulas sedes liquidas 6 P.M. nearly similar to mornings report.  Rep! Pil Anodyn h.s. 2st. October. 6 A.M. No material change since yesterdays report. Pergat. 3st. Purging less frequent and altogether appears a little better. Pergat. 4st. Comp still of slight pain in the abdomen on going to stool. Bowels have been open three times during the night. The discharges are watery, free from blood and only slightly feculent.  Habeat Ol Ricini Zi & R Opii gths xx.  Conf Mist Crete Co ut antea 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s.  5sth & 6th Nearly similar to last report.  7sth. 6 A.M. The purging continues much the same, the discharges are slightly streaked with blood – Comps much of tenesmus & straining on going to stool. No irritability of stomach for some days.  Pulse continues rather quick & there is slight febrile heat of skin. Omit Mist Crete Co.  Rx. Hyd Chlorid et Opii purify g' iv  Conf Aromat q.s. Pulv Ipec g' x  Misce et divid in Pil vj  Capiat i 3sta quaque hora  Conf Decoct Hordie pro potu 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s.  8th. 6 A.M. Passed a tolerable night, purged one only; feels much better, and has little or no pain – stomach tranquil. Conf Pil et Rep! Pil Anodyn h.s.  9th. Nearly similar to yesterdays report – no effect as yet fro

much from pain. Cont<sup>r</sup> Med: 6 P.M. Mucilag Gum Acac Zfs utenda PB010378 several times freely. Rep<sup>t</sup>. Pil ut antea ptyalism. Habeat Haust Effervesc pro re nata Cont<sup>r</sup> Pil ter die Descendat in Balneum Calidum Habeat Nutrientia, Sago Arrowroot etc 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Injectio h.s. nearly natural. Comp<sup>s</sup> much of debility. Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xx 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Balneum Calidum et Injectio h.s. feels very low & exhausted. Omit<sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd Chlorid quaque hora 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup>. Injectio h.s. 17<sup>th</sup> Nearly similar to yesterdays report Cont<sup>r</sup> Situs Mercurialis et Nutrientia antea

changes, the medicine has not yet effected the system altho' carefully & regularly administered. The discharges are still a little bloody but chiefly consist of mucus. The patient complains of great debility, but does not suffer

Liq Plumb Acet g<sup>ts</sup> xx R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xxx Mft Injectio h..s.

13<sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. Purged 3 times in the night, no pain or tenesmus. *Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g<sup>t</sup> xv*.

6 P.M. The Castor Oil had a good effect and acted

14<sup>th</sup>. Purged several times during the night. The discharges are at times bilious and slightly feculent, and at other times clear mucus, or mucus mixed with blood. Comp<sup>s</sup> again of slight pain in abdomen or going to stool but no tenesmus since the use of the Injection at bedtime. The stomach has been rather irritable since yesterday morn<sup>g</sup>. States that her mouth is a little sore but there is no

15<sup>th</sup>. 6 A.M. The Bath yesterday had a soothing effect & relieved the pain in the abdomen. The purging however continues and the discharges are much the same as last report. No return of vomiting. Pulse and heat of surface

16<sup>th</sup> Considerable irritability of Stomach which prevents anything being retained. Purging continues troublesome and no improvement whatever in the condition of the stools. Complains of increased pain in the abdomen and

Ung<sup>t</sup> Hyd Fort zvj infricatur abdom<sup>n</sup> et femoribus 3<sup>tia</sup>

Cont' Nutrientia et habeat Vin Galic č Aq pro potu

6 P.M. Habeat Haust Anodyn h.s. et rept Injectio ut

18<sup>th</sup> Appears somewhat better and has rallied a little from the effect of the Stimulant & Nourishment. Took some Port Wine yesterday which agreed better than the Brandy & Water. No vomiting since last report. Cont<sup>r</sup> ut antea 19<sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. Continues to keep up her spirits &

takes the nourishment well. Purging less troublesome.

Omit<sup>r</sup> Situs Mercurialis

Cont<sup>r</sup> Nutrientia et Stimuli

6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Opii h.s. et Injectio ut antea

20<sup>th</sup>. No material change, but appears in a very precarious state from exhaustion. Purged twice only during the night, the discharges were quite free from blood and slightly feculent. Heat of surface keeps up but

Presented herself this morning complaining of frequent purging and extreme debility. States that she has been ill for ten days without making it known. Complains at present of pain in the lower part of the abdomen, particularly before going to stool, accompanied with tenesmus & straining. The discharges are feculent & billious unaccompanied with any appearance of blood. Pulse regular but very weak. Tongue white in the centre & red round the edges. Slight thirst. No appetite. Capitat OI Ricini Zi & R Opii g <sup>2</sup> xx.  Habeat Nutrientia, Sago, Arrowroot etc et Decoct Hordle pro potu 6 P.M. The castor Oil has had a good effect & produced two or three copious feculent discharges mixed with mucus. Pain in the abdomen lass severe. Tenesmus continues troublesome.  Rx Mucilag Gum Acac Zfs. R Opii g <sup>2</sup> xxx Misce pro Injectio Capita Pil Opii g <sup>2</sup> i h.s. et Habeat Mist Cretæ Co. zi pos singulas saedes liquidas 2 <sup>nd</sup> October. A severe Gale of Wind, which commenced last evening, has much distressed and harassed the sick by the constant & violent motion of the ship and the Sea breaking in upon the decks very heavily at times rendering it difficult to afford them the assistance they require.  This patient appears very much exhausted, the purging continues much the same as yesterday. Conf Medicamenta et Nutrientia ut heri 6 P.M. Similar to mornings report. Rep <sup>2</sup> . Pil Opii h.s. 3 <sup>nd</sup> . Very ill & extremely exhausted by the combined effects of the disease and the continuance of the Gale. About midnight the sea broke in & filled many of the bed places with water, adding greatly to the distress that prevails.  This patient was removed from the Free Settlers Berth to the Hospital early this morn <sup>8</sup> altho <sup>8</sup> it was much crowded by the patients, suffering from a similar complaint. Conf Medicamenta et ut antea 6 P.M. The Gale still continues with great violence. No material change in the condition of the patient.			the Pulse is scarcely perceptible at the wrist. No return of vomiting. Takes her nourishment etc well.  Cont <sup>r</sup> Nutrientia Preserved meats etc et Stimuli ut antea.  6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.  21 <sup>st</sup> Continues very low but not worse than yesterday.  Pergat.  2 P.M. Has taken stimulants and nourishment several times during the forenoon and was again about to do so when she expired in the nurses arms, apparently from exhaustion.
fright occasioned by the violence of the Gale.  7.30 Expired. This patient was a very weak and delicate person and was advised not to undertake so long a voyage previous to leaving Dublin.	11	age 35. Free Settler at Sea 1st October 1847  Dischd dead	purging and extreme debility. States that she has been ill for ten days without making it known. Complains at present of pain in the lower part of the abdomen, particularly before going to stool, accompanied with tenesmus & straining. The discharges are feculent & bilious unaccompanied with any appearance of blood. Pulse regular but very weak. Tongue white in the centre & red round the edges. Slight thirst. No appetite. Capiat Ol Ricini Zi & R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xx.  Habeat Nutrientia, Sago, Arrowroot etc et Decoct Hordie pro potu 6 P.M. The castor Oil has had a good effect & produced two or three copious feculent discharges mixed with mucus. Pain in the abdomen lass severe. Tenesmus continues troublesome.  Rx Mucilag Gum Acac Zfs. R Opii g' xxx Misce pro Injectio Capiat Pil Opii g' i h.s. et Habeat Mist Cretæ Co. zi pos singulas sedes liquidas 2 <sup>nd</sup> October. A severe Gale of Wind, which commenced last evening, has much distressed and harassed the sick by the constant & violent motion of the ship and the Sea breaking in upon the decks very heavily at times rendering it difficult to afford them the assistance they require.  This patient appears very much exhausted, the purging continues much the same as yesterday.  Conf Medicamenta et Nutrientia ut heri 6 P.M. Similar to mornings report. Rep'. Pil Opii h.s. 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Very ill & extremely exhausted by the combined effects of the disease and the continuance of the Gale. About midnight the sea broke in & filled many of the bed places with water, adding greatly to the distress that prevails.  This patient was removed from the Free Settlers Berth to the Hospital early this morn <sup>8</sup> altho' it was much crowded by the patients, suffering from a similar complaint.  Conf Medicamenta et cut antea 6 P.M. The Gale still continues with great violence. No material change in the condition of the patient.  Rep' Pil Opii g' ifs h.s.  4 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Appears to be sinking from exhaustion and fright occasioned by the violence of the Gale. 7.30 Expired. This patient was a very weak and delicate pe

Dysentery	12	Cath <sup>e</sup> Shine	Has been affected with a bowel complaint four or five
Dyschicry	12	age 30 Convict	days but only presented herself this morning,
		at Sea	complaining of frequent purging & pain in the lower part
		4 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	of the abdomen with tenesmus – slight febrile heat of
			skin & frequency of Pulse. Tongue white. Thirst
		Disch <sup>d</sup> dead	Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxv. s.
		12 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	6 P.M. The Castor Oil has acted freely during the day –
			still comp <sup>s</sup> of pain & tenesmus.
			Capiat Pil Opii g <sup>r</sup> ifs h.s. 5 <sup>th</sup> Oct <sup>r</sup> 6 A.M. The anodyne last night gave some relief,
			but the purging continues much the same as yesterday.
			The discharges are chiefly mucus with a small quantity
			of feculent matter but no blood.
			Rx. Hyd Chlorid zfs Opii Purif g <sup>r</sup> , vj
			Misce et divid in Pil viij capiat 2 <sup>da</sup> quaque hora
			Diet to consist of Arrowroot Sago etc
			Habeat Decoct Hordei pro potu. 6 P.M. Capiat Haust Anodyn h.s.
			6 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Has vomited several times in the night and
			been purged repeatedly since 2 o'clock this morn <sup>g</sup> . At
			present feels better and considerably relieved from the
			pain in the abdomen.
			Omit' Pulv Ipec
			Cont <sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd: Chlorid: ut antea 6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.
			7 <sup>th</sup> . 6 A.M. The purging continues much the same, the
			discharges are free from any feculent matter and consist
			of mucus streaked with blood – Tenesmus continues
			troublesome but the pain in the abdomen is less severe.
			No return of irritability of the Stomach.
			Cont <sup>r</sup> Pil ut antea 6 P.M. Rx. Mucilag Gum Acac Zfs
			R Opii g' xxxx. Liq Plumb Acer g' xx
			Misce pro Injectio
			Rep <sup>t</sup> . Haust Anodyn h.s.
			8 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Symptoms and general conditions nearly
			similar to last report. No effect as yet from the Pills.  Pergat
			6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> . Injectio et Haust h.s.
			9 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Continues very ill, the purging is not at all
			checked by the medicine. Pain of the abdomen
			considerably relieved & tenesmus diminished by the
			Injections etc. the discharges are chiefly mucus occasionally streaked with blood. Comp <sup>s</sup> of great debility
			- no appetite. Stomach tranquil. Mouth not affected by
			the Pills.
			Ung <sup>t</sup> Hyd Fort ziv č R Opii zi
			Illinatur in abdominis ter die
			Cont <sup>r</sup> Nutrientia 6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Injectio et Haust h.s.
			10 <sup>th</sup> No improvement, comp <sup>s</sup> of extreme debility &
			exhaustion from the frequent purging. No effect from the
PB010380			Pills or Frictions. Stomach continues tranquil. <i>Pergat</i> .
			11 <sup>th</sup> October. 6 A.M. The discharges are a little improved
			in character, being more feculent & less cloudy – in other
			respects the symptoms continue without any material changes. No effect from the Pills or Frictions. <i>Pergat</i> .
			6 P.M. Nearly similar to yesterdays report - Rep <sup>t</sup> . Injectio
			et Haust h.s.
			12 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Appears extremely low and exhausted, the

			Pulse are scarcely perceptible at the wrist, temperature of the surface below the natural.  The purging continues very frequent but the discharges at times are more natural & quite fee from blood. Mouth not affected by the mercury. Omit Pil Hyd Chlorid.  Cont Ung Hyd č R Opii ut antea Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli Sacculi Arena Calida pedibus admov.  6 P.M. Rallied a little after taking the stimulant this forenoon, but fell off again soon after and expired tranquilly about 2 P.M.
Dysenteria	13	Mary Smith age 28, Convict at Sea 5 <sup>th</sup> October 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> cured 17 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Presented herself this morning, stating that she had been affected with a bowel complaint for a week past.  At present comp <sup>s</sup> of frequent purging, pain in the abdomen previous to going to stool & considerable tenesmus. The evacuations are chiefly mucus, with very slight appearance of feculent matter & free from blood slight febrile heat of skin & thirst. Pulse weak and quick, no appetite.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>ls</sup> xx. s.  Diet to consist of Sago, Arrowroot etc.  Decoct Hordie pro potu  6 P.M. Habeat Pil Anodyn h.s.  6 <sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. Was much distressed during the night by purging & tenesmus, has vomited several times this morn <sup>g</sup> . Stools are nearly similar to yesterdays report.  Rx. Hyd Chlorid zi R Opii purify g <sup>r</sup> iv  Pulv Ipec g <sup>r</sup> x Conf Aromat q.s.  Misce et divid in Pil no vj.  Capiat i 3 <sup>tis</sup> quaque hora  6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.  7 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Took a dose of Castor Oil yesterday afternoon which produced several copious evacuations, more feculent & nat <sup>1</sup> in appearance but this morn <sup>g</sup> the discharges are again less feculent and consist chiefly of Mucus mixed with streaks of blood. Pain of the abdomen & tenesmus considerably relieved – No return of vomiting. Cont <sup>r</sup> Pil 2 <sup>dn</sup> quaque hora  6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.  8 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Purged twice only during the night. The discharges are free from blood and consist almost entirely of mucus – Pain & tenesmus less troublesome. Altogether appears somewhat better. Comp <sup>s</sup> of mouth being a little sore, but there is no appearance of ptyalism. Heat of skin & Pulse nearly natural slight thirst continues. Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxv et Cont <sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd Chlorid ut antea  6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.  9 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Symptoms and general condition nearly similar to last report – Mouth not sore.  Cont <sup>f</sup> Medicamenta ter die  6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.  10 <sup>th</sup> Complains of mouth being sore but there is no appearance of any ptyalism – The discharges are less frequent and more feculent and altogether appears better.  Omit Pil Hyd

DD010291			11 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Has not been purged during the night – pain of the abdomen gone off & tenesmus considerably diminished. <i>Pergat</i> 12 <sup>th</sup> Bowels have been moved three times since yesterday morn <sup>g</sup> free from pain & the discharges evidently becoming more natural in appearance. Comp <sup>s</sup> only of debility. <i>Capiat Inf Gent Co Zij bis die Habeat Nutrientia</i> – Preserved Soup 13 <sup>th</sup> Nearly similar to yesterdays report. <i>Rep<sup>t</sup>. Ol Ricini Z i . Cont<sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic ut heri</i> 6 P.M. Continues to improve <i>Haust Anodyn h.s.</i> 14 <sup>th</sup> & 15 <sup>th</sup> Convalescent & gaining strength. Appetite improving. <i>Cont<sup>r</sup> ut antea</i> 16 <sup>th</sup> Progressing favourably. <i>Pergat</i> 17 <sup>th</sup> No complaint. Bowels regular Disch <sup>d</sup> cured.
PB010381  Dysenteria	14	Mary Marshall age 23 Convict at Sea 6 <sup>th</sup> October 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> dead 19 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Has been ill for two days but did not present herself until this morning. Complains at present of frequent purging accompanied with pain in the abdomen and tenesmusPulse weak and quicker than natural – slight heat of skin & thirst.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>1s</sup> xx 6 P.M. The Castor Oil has acted freely during the forenoon. Habeat Pil Opii g' ifs h.s. Capiat Mist Cretæ Co Zi post singulas sedes liquidas.  7 <sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. Has been purged repeatedly during the night. The discharges are thick mucus, almost like pus mixed with blood, without any feculent matter. The pain of the abdomen and tenesmus is considerably relieved- less heat of skin, & Pulse more nat¹ in frequency, but weak. Complains of thirst. Tongue white in the centre and red round the edges. No appetite. Omit' Mist Cretæ Co.  Rx. Hyd Chlorid = Opii purif g' iv Pulv Ipec g' x Conf Aromat q.s. Misce et divid in Pil no vj. Capiat i 2 <sup>da</sup> quaque hora. Habeat Decoct Hordie pro potu Diet to consist of Arrowroot, Sago etc 6 P.M. Nearly similar to mornings report.  Capiat Pil Opii g' ifs h.s.  8 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Purged three times in the night, pain diminished, the evacuations have a more favourable appearance being less bloody and not so offensive to the smell, altogether feels a little better.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>1s</sup> xxv. Conf' Pil Hyd Chlorid ut antea 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s.  9 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Not so well today, the discharges from the bowels are more frequent & bloody – in other respects nearly similar to last report. No effect as yet from the Pills. Conf' Medicamenta ut antea. 6 A.M. [P.M.?] No material change since morning.  Rep' ut antea et capiat Haust Anodyn h.s. 10 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. The discharges are less bloody this morning and consist chiefly of mucus. Comp <sup>5</sup> of soreness of the abdomen – griping pains and tenesmus diminished. Feels extremely weak and low. No effect from the Pills.

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Cont<sup>r</sup> Pil ut antea.

*Ung<sup>t</sup> Hyd Fort ziv č R Opii zij illinatur in abdomin. ter* 

11<sup>th</sup> October. 6 A.M. The discharges are occasionally more feculent & bilious, with less mucus and a sometimes quite free from blood. Mouth not sore.

Con<sup>tr</sup>. Med et Ung<sup>t</sup> Hyd Fort.

6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.

12<sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Purged three times in the night, the discharges are more feculent and free from blood this morning. States that her mouth is a little sore, but no ptyalism. Capiat Ol Ricini Zi R Opii  $g^{ts}$  xx <sup>Omitr</sup> Pil Hvd *Chlorid.* Cont<sup>r</sup> Ung<sup>t</sup> Hyd Fort ter die.

6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.

13<sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. The Castor Oil moved the bowels three times yesterday forenoon, the discharges are more copious, feculent and natural, and some of them quite free from mucus or blood. Mouth sore & considerable fetor of breath. Omit Ung Hyd Fort. Habeat Nutrientia 6 P.M. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.

14<sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Complains of a return of pain in the abdomen and tenesmus on going to stool. discharges now consist chiefly of mucus streaked with blood and occasionally a little feculent matter. Feels very weak and is impressed with a belief that she will die. Refuses to take any more medicine and cannot by any means be induced to do so.

The Pulse keeps up & the temperature of the surface of the skin is nearly natural, skin dry, slight thirst.

Descendat in Balneum Calidum

Habeat Nutrientia

The mouth is still sore but no ptyalism. Habeat Garg Astringent.

15<sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Experienced considerable benefit from the hot bath yesterday which appeared to sooth the pains of the abdomen and afterwards produced several hours sleep. The Pulse are nearly natural in frequency but weak, skin more moist, less thirst. Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g<sup>ts</sup> xx s. Rep<sup>t</sup> Balneum Calidum

6 P.M. The oil has produced two alvine evacuations, considerably improved in appearance, being more feculent and natural, less pain in the abdomen & tenesmus diminished. Capiat Pil Opii g<sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.

16<sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. Had a good night and continues to improve. Bowels open twice only in the night - Pulse & skin nearly nat<sup>1</sup> – Comp<sup>s</sup> of debility.

Habeat Nutrientia. Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.

17<sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. appears very low this morning and the heat of surface considerably below nat temperature, Pulse very weak & scarcely perceptible at the wrist. Bowels move twice only in the night. Sacculi arena calida appl<sup>r</sup> et habeat stimuli pro re nata

18<sup>th</sup> No improvement since last report, appears to be gradually sinking. Cont<sup>r</sup> Stimuli etc

Habeat Nutrientia

19<sup>th</sup> Has gradually continued to sink since last report, and expired at 8:30 A.M.

15	Madge Gallagher age 30, Convict at Sea 6 <sup>th</sup> October 1847 Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital, on arrival at Hobart Town 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct <sup>r</sup> 1847	Attacked yesterday with griping pain in the abdomen & purging, and has been much disturbed during the night by frequent calls to stool — The evacuations are fluid and bilious. No febrile heat of skin. Pulse nearly natural in frequency but weak — no complaint of thirst — Tongue tolerably clean. Capiat Mist Cretæ Comp Zifs post singulas sedes liquidas.  6 P.M. Capiat Pil Opii g' ifs h.s. Diet to consist of Sago Arrowroot etc Decoct Hordie pro potu  7th Feels better this morning. Purging less troublesome. Pain diminished.  Pergat  8th Has been purged several times during the night with increased pain & tenesmus. In other respects continues much the same as last report.  Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii gth xxv  Cont' Mist Cretæ ut antea  6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s.  9th. 6 A.M. The purging has been very troublesome during the night accompanied with considerable pain & tenesmus. The discharges are chiefly mucus and slightly tinged with blood.  Omit' Mist Cretæ Comp.  Rx. Hyd Chlorid zi Opii purify g' iv  Pulv. Ipec g' xv Conf Aromat q.s  Misce et divid in Pil no vj. Capiat i 3tha quaque hora  6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s.  10th 6 A.M. The purging continues frequent, pain and tenesmus diminished the discharges are entirely mucus with slight appearance of blood. Pergat.  11th Nearly similar to yesterdays report.  Cont' Medicamenta ut antea  12th The purging still continues frequent, the discharges are nearly similar to last report, Pulse and heat of surface nearly natural, pain diminished. No effect from the Pills Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii gth xxv. s. et Cont' pil ut antea  6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s.  13th Complains of mouth being rather sore, considerable fetor of breath but no ptyalism. The purging is less frequent and the stools are somewhat improved in appearance, being more feculent and less bloody. No complaint of pain in the abdomen, but slight tenesmus continues after each stool.  Omit' Pil Hyd Chlorid
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		continues after each stool.  Omit <sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd Chlorid  Rx Mucilag Gum Acac Zfs  R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxx. Liq Plumb Acet g <sup>ts</sup> xx  Misce pro Injectio h.s. utenda  14 <sup>th</sup> . Nearly similar to yesterdays report.
		Pergat 6 P.M. Descendat in Balneum Calidum et Rep <sup>t</sup> Inject h.s. 15 <sup>th</sup> The Bath last night had a very soothing effect, slept well during the night, purging diminished, evacuations this morning are quite feculent and nearly natural in appearance with little or no mucus and free from blood. Skin & Pulse nearly natural. Comp <sup>s</sup> of debility. Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli
		age 30, Convict at Sea 6 <sup>th</sup> October 1847 Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital, on arrival at Hobart Town

16th Appears to be going on favourably.  Capital Ol Ricini Zi & R Opii g' xx.  6 P.M. Rep' Injectio h.s.  17th No material change since last report. The oproduced several alvine evacuations yesterda discharges continue to improve. Habeat Nutrientia Stimuli  6 P.M. Omit' Injectio  Habeat Haust Anodyn h.s.  18th Complains that her mouth is sore – no return purging, free from pain.  Habeat Garg Astringent.  Capital Inf Gent Co Zij ter die  Cont' Nutrientia et Stimuli  19th Had a return of griping pains in the nigl occasioned by taking improper food yesterday, in oth respects nearly similar to last report.  Capital Ol Ricini Zi statim.  20th October. The Castor Oil acted freely durity esterday and relieved the pains of the abdomentother respects continues to improve and gain strength.  Cont' Inf Gent Co. ter die  Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli  6 P.M. Rept Haust Anodyn h.s.  21st Improving. Pergat  22nd. The Bowels are still relaxed occasionally, but the stimuli relaxed occasionally, but the stimuli relaxed occasionally.
6 P.M. Rep' Injectio h.s.  17 <sup>th</sup> No material change since last report. The opposite of the produced several alvine evacuations yesterdated discharges continue to improve. Habeat Nutrientia Stimuli  6 P.M. Omit' Injectio  Habeat Haust Anodyn h.s.  18 <sup>th</sup> Complains that her mouth is sore – no return purging, free from pain.  Habeat Garg Astringent.  Capiat Inf Gent Co Zij ter die  Cont' Nutrientia et Stimuli  19 <sup>th</sup> Had a return of griping pains in the nigl occasioned by taking improper food yesterday, in oth respects nearly similar to last report.  Capiat Ol Ricini Zi statim.  20 <sup>th</sup> October. The Castor Oil acted freely during yesterday and relieved the pains of the abdomentother respects continues to improve and gain strength.  Cont' Inf Gent Co. ter die  Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli  6 P.M. Rept Haust Anodyn h.s.  21 <sup>st</sup> . Improving. Pergat
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Misce capiat zi pro re nata
Rep <sup>t</sup> Mist Tonic bis die 6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Haust Anodyn h.s.
23 <sup>rd</sup> . The R Catechu has had a good effect in checking
the purging. Pergat
24 <sup>th</sup> Going on favourably. Complains only of debilit
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25 <sup>th</sup> Similar to yesterdays report
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Town, by order of the Principal medical Officer of t
Colony.
Dysenteria 16 Ann Mullen This patient has been subject to constipation of t
age 20, Convict Bowels during the greater part of the passage from
at Sea Dublin and frequently requiring medicine.
12 <sup>th</sup> October 1847 At present complains of purging accompanied wi
considerable pain in the lower part of the abdome
Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital particularly before going to stool, the discharges a
(Convalescent) scanty and attended with much straining and bearing
At Hobart Town down of the Rectum. The Pulse rather quick, slight he
26 <sup>th</sup> October 1847 of skin & thirst.  Capiat Ol Ricini zi č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxv
6 P.M. The Castor Oil produced three or four fr
evacuations, pain of the bowels somewhat relieved.
Capiat Pil Opii g <sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.
13 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Has been purged five times during the nigh
complains of considerable pain in the bowels

			tenesmus. Stomach irritable and has vomited twice in the
			night. The evacuations consist of mucus mixed with
			blood without any appearance of feculent matter.
			Pulse continues quick, skin hot & dry, thirst. Tongue
			white in the centre & red around the edges.
			Habeat Haust Efferves pro re nata
			Rx. Hyd Chlorid Zfs Opii purify g <sup>r</sup> vj
			Conf Aromat q.s. Misce et divid in Pil no vj. Capiat i 3 <sup>tia</sup>
			quaque hora. Decoct Hordie pro potu.
			Diet Sago, Rice etc.
			6 P.M. Capiat Pil Opii g <sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.
			14 <sup>th</sup> October 6 A.M. The purging continues,
			accompanied with considerable pain and tenesmus. The
			discharges are similar to yesterdays report. Stomach very
			irritable and rejects the medicine. Pulse very weak &
			quicker than nat <sup>1</sup> , skin hot and dry, considerable thirst.
			Descendat in Balneum Calidum.
			Cont <sup>r</sup> Pil Hyd Chlorid
			Ung <sup>t</sup> Hyd Fort ziv č R Opii zij illinatur in abdom: et
			Femoribus 3 <sup>tia</sup> quaque
			6 P.M. Capiat Pil Opii g <sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.
			15 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Feels better this morning. The Hot Bath
			yesterday relieved the pain in the abdomen considerably
			& tranquillized the Stomach. – Purging less frequent.
			Pulse nearly natl. In frequency but weak. Skin moist, less
			thirst. No vomiting.
			Cont <sup>r Ungt</sup> Hyd Fort č R Opii ut antea
			Rept Haust Efferv pro re nata
			6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Opii gr ifs h.s.
			16 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. The Hot Bath was rep <sup>t</sup> last night. Comp <sup>s</sup> to
			day of Mouth being sore. Purging diminished &
			discharges more natural & feculent without blood. No
			return of vomiting. Omit' Situs Mercurialis
			Habeat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xx.
			6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.
			17 <sup>th</sup> Nearly similar to yesterdays report. <i>Pergat</i>
			18 <sup>th</sup> Considerably improved, mouth very sore, slight
			ptyalism, Bowels moved once only in the night,
			evacuations nearly natural, no pain or tenesmus. Comp <sup>s</sup>
			of debility.
			Capiat Inf Gent Co Zij bis die
			Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli
			6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.
			19 <sup>th</sup> Similar to yesterdays report.
			20 <sup>th</sup> No return of the Purging, evacuations quite nat <sup>1</sup> . Free
			from pain. Comp <sup>s</sup> only of mouth being very sore.
			Cont <sup>r</sup> Mist Tonic et Garg Astring.
			Habeat Nutrientia et Vin Rub etc
			21 <sup>st</sup> & 22 <sup>nd</sup> . Going on well. <i>Pergat</i> .
			23 <sup>rd</sup> & 24 <sup>th</sup> . Progressing favourably and gaining strength,
			mouth better. Bowels regular. Appetite improving.
			26 <sup>th</sup> . Disch <sup>d</sup> convalescent to Hospital at Hobart Town, by
			order of the Principal medical Officer of the Colony.
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Dysenteria	17	Mary Bowles	Complained yesterday evening of frequent purging &
2 journalia		age 21, Convict	griping pains, for which she took an opium Pill at bed
		at Sea	time.
		12 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	This morning states that she feels a little better, has been
			purged three times in the night. The discharges are
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		Disch <sup>d</sup> cured 21 <sup>st</sup> October 1847	chiefly mucus, without any blood. Complains much of griping pains & tenesmus. Pulse & skin nearly natural. <i>Capiat Ol Ricini Z i č R Opii g</i> <sup>ts</sup> <i>xxv</i> .  P.M. The castor Oil has acted several times – the
			discharges are nearly similar to mornings report.  Capiat Mist Cretæ Co Zifs post singulas sedes liquidas.  6 P.M. Pil Opii g <sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.  13 <sup>th</sup> Symptoms and general condition nearly similar to yesterdays report.
			Pergat  14 <sup>th</sup> Slight irritability of Stomach. Bowels opened three times in the night. Complains much of tenesmus.  Cont <sup>r</sup> Mist ut antea  Rx. Mucilag Gum Acac Z fs  R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxx. Liq Plumb Acet g <sup>ts</sup> xx.  Misce pro Injectio – bis die utend.
			6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.  15 <sup>th</sup> 6 A.M. Felt considerable relief from the Injections, tenesmus nearly gone off – in other respects nearly similar to last report. Pergat.  16 <sup>th</sup> Much better, purging less frequent and discharges more natural.
			Capiat Ol Ricini Zi č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xx.  Cont <sup>r</sup> med ut antea.  17 <sup>th</sup> Continues to improve. Bowels moved twice by the Castor Oil yesterday, evacuations quite natural, no return of pain in the abdomen or tenesmus. Comp <sup>s</sup> of debility and loss of appetite.  Omit <sup>r</sup> Mist Cretæ Co.
			Capiat Inf Gent Comp Zij bis die Habeat Nutrientia 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s. 18 <sup>th</sup> Similar to yesterdays report.  Pergat 19 <sup>th</sup> Improving and gaining strength daily. Bowels
			regular. <i>Pergat</i> . 6 P.M. <i>Rep<sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s</i> . 20 <sup>th</sup> Convalescent 21 <sup>st</sup> No complaints. Bowels regular, appetite good. Discharged cured.
Diarrhoea	18	Eliz <sup>th</sup> Johnston age 23, Convict at Sea 17 <sup>th</sup> October 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital at Hobart Town, (Convalescent) 26 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Has been affected with a bowels complaint for three days, but did not present herself until this morning. Complains at present of severe pain in the lower Abdomen previous to going to stool, and tenesmus with frequent purging. The stools are thin & watery. Pulse weak. Skin & temperature of surface nearly natl. Slight thirst. No appetite.  Capiat Ol Ricini Z i č R Opii g <sup>ts</sup> xxv.  2 P.M. The oil has acted several times during the forenoon.
			Torenoon.  Capiat Mist Cretæ Comp Zifs post singulas sedes liquidas  6 P.M. Pil Opii g <sup>r</sup> ifs h.s.  18 <sup>th</sup> No material change since yesterdays report.  Pergat.  6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s.  19 <sup>th</sup> Purging diminished & pain relieved – comp <sup>s</sup> chiefly of debility & irritability of Stomach accompanied with a

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PB010385			sinking sensation at the pit of the Stomach. Cont' med ut antea 20th Purging stopped – Complains of great debility and that peculiar sinking at the pit of the Stomach so much referred to in cases of Scurvy. Pulse weak & slow. Countenance pale, no appetite. Omit' Mist Cretæ Co. Rx. Pulv Nit zij Spt Aether Nit zi Aq Zij Mft Haust ter die sumend.  6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s. Diet to consist of Arrowroot, Sago etc. 21st. Purged five times in the night and vomited once this morning after taking her medicine. Comps of sinking at the pit of the stomach & great debility. Rx. Ipec pro Confect Opii zi Liq Ammon. Zifs R Opii zifs Aq z vj capiat Coch Mag post singulas sedes liquidas. Cont' Haust et supra ter die 22nd. No material change since yesterdays report. Purging less frequent. Cont' Medicamenta ut heri 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s. 23rd. Pain and sinking at the pit of the Stomach diminished. Bowels have been moved three times during the night, free from pain, tenesmus gone off. Cont' Medicamenta ut antea. 6 P.M. Rep' Pil Anodyn h.s. 24th October. Appears more cheerful to day but feels extremely weak. No vomiting for two days, pain & sinking at the pit of the Stomach considerably relieved. Bowels have been moved three times since yesterday morning, the discharges are thin & watery and appear to depend on a weakened and relaxed state of the bowels. Rx. Mist Cretæ Ziv Conf Aromat zi R Catechu Zifs R Opii zi Aq Ziv Misce. Capiat coch tria magna ter die Habeat Nutrientia 25th Appears much better to day. Purging diminished Cont' medicamenta ut heri 26th Convalescent. Discharged to Hospital at Hobart Town, by order of the Principal medical Officer of the Colony.
Dysenteria	19	Cath <sup>e</sup> A. Farrell age 21, Free Settler at Sea 20 <sup>th</sup> October 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital at Hobart Town 26 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Has been ill with a Bowel complaint for four days but did not apply for relief until this morning. Complains at present of frequent purging and griping pains in the abdomen with tenesmus. —loss of appetite and great debility with irritability of stomach. Pulse extremely weak & rather quick — slight heat of skin, and thirst. Rx. Ipec pro Conf Opii zi Liq Ammon zi R Opii zifs Aq Zvj capiat coch ij mag post singulas sedes liquidas.  Diet. Farinaceous Food etc  21 <sup>st</sup> . Purging checked — and pain in the bowels considerably relieved. Irritability of stomach continues, appears extremely low and exhausted.  Pulse weak & slow, heat of surface below the natural temperature.  Cont' Medicamenta  Habeat Nutrientia et Stimuli.  Artificial heat to be applied to the extremities etc.

			6 P.M. Rallied considerably by the means employed this morning. Cont <sup>r</sup> Med et Nutrientia etc Capiat Haust Anodyn h.s.  22 <sup>nd</sup> . Purged 4 or 5 times in the night & has vomited once this morning. Much distressed by the sinking sensation at the pit of the Stomach. Omit <sup>r</sup> Mist Ipec pro Conf Opii etc Rx. Pulv Nit zij. Spt Aether Nit zi Misce ter die sumendus. 6 P.M. Bowels have been purged twice during the day in other respects continues much the same as mornings report. Capiat Haust Anodyn h.s. 23 <sup>rd</sup> Continues very weak and low, pain & sinking at the pit of the Stomach considerably diminished. Purging less troublesome. No vomiting since last report. Pergat. 6 P.M. Rep <sup>t</sup> Pil Anodyn h.s. 24 <sup>th</sup> Nearly similar to yesterdays report. Cont <sup>r</sup> Med ut antea 25 <sup>th</sup> No material changes in the symptoms & general condition of the patient. Cont <sup>r</sup> ut antea. 26 <sup>th</sup> Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital at Hobart Town by order of the Principal medical Officer of the Colony.
PB010386	20	Jane McCoy age 50, Free Settler at Sea 20 <sup>th</sup> October 1847  Disch <sup>d</sup> to Hospital at Hobart Town 26 <sup>th</sup> October 1847	Has been affected with a bowels comp <sup>t</sup> for many days without applying for relief. At present complains of frequent purging & griping with tenesmus. The stools are very fluid & watery, but free from blood. Comp <sup>s</sup> also of irritability of stomach and great debility with that peculiar sinking sensation at the pit of the Stomach. Pulse weak & slow, temperature of the surface & skin nearly natural. Tongue white, slight thirst.  Rx. Ipec pro Conf Opii zi Liq Ammon zifs R Opii zij Aq Zvj. Capiat coch ij post singulas sedes liquidas Habeat Nutrientia. Sago, Rice etc 6 P.M. Rep¹ Pil Anodyn h.s.  21 <sup>st</sup> . Purging checked, Bowels opened once yesterday and once this morning, comp <sup>s</sup> of slight pain in the abdomen. Sinking at the pit of the Stomach much the same as yesterday. Vomited twice this morning after taking some dink. Cont¹ Med ut heri  Rx. Pulv Nit zij Spt Aeth Nit zi Mft Haust ter in die sumendus  6 P.M. Rep¹ Pil Anodyn h.s.  22 <sup>nd</sup> October. Purged four times in the night and vomited once this morning. The sinking at the pit of the Stomach continues, but is less severe, in other respects much the same as yesterdays report. Pergat  6 P.M. Rep¹ Pil Anodyn h.s.  23 <sup>rd</sup> Purging less troublesome, irritability of the Stomach diminished and sinking at the pit of the Stomach considerably relieved. Complains greatly of debility & want of appetite. Cont¹ Medicamenta et Nutrientia  6 P.M. Rep¹ Pil Anodyn h.s.  24 <sup>th</sup> Nearly similar to yesterdays report. Pergat  25 <sup>th</sup> No material changes.  26 <sup>th</sup> Discharged to Hospital at Hobart Town, by order of the Principal Medical Officer of the Colony.

## A Nosological Synopsis of the Sick Book kept during the Period of this Journal, in conformity with the $30^{\rm th}$ Article of the Surgeons' Instructions.

	Numbers						
Diseases Nosologically arranged	Total	Discharged to Duty	Sent to the Hospital	Died on board	Invalided	Remaining	Nos. of such Cases as are detailed in the Journal
Pyrexiae							
Ord. I. Febres.							
Internulleates Quotutiana Tertiana							
Continua Synochus							
Typhus							
Ord. II. Phlegmasiae.							
Phlogosis							
Pneumonia							
Rheumatismus							
Cynanche							
Bronchitis							
Pleuritis	2	2					2.6
Ord. III. Exanthemata.							
Variola							
Rubeola							
Erysipelas	1	1					9
Vaccina							
Ord. IV. Haemorrhagiae							
Haemoptysis							
Phthisis incipiens	1	1					
Menorrhagia	1	1					
Ord. V. Profluvia.	2	2					
Catarrhus	2	2 8	4	-			1.5.7
Dysenteria	18	8	4	6			1.5.7 8.10.11 1.13.14 19 & 20
Neuroses.							
Ord. I. Comata.							
Apoplexia							
Ord. II. Adynamiae.							
Dyspepsia	1	1					
Ord. III. Spasmi.							
Asthma							
Diarrhoea	8	7	1				3.4.18
Cohea							
Ord. Iv. Vesaniae.							
Amentia							
Mania							
Cachexiae.							
Ord. I. Marcores.							
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Ord. II. Intumescentiae.						
Anasarca						
Ascites						
Hydrothorax						
Hydrocephalas	1			1		
Ord. III. Impetigines.						
Syphilis						
Scrophula						
Icterus						
Scorbutus	4	4				
Locales.						
Ord. I. Dysaethesiae.						
Amaurosis						
Ord. II. Dysorexiae.						
Ord. III. Dyscinesiae.						
Ord. IV. Apocenoses.						
Gonorrhoea						
Ord. V. Epischeses						
Ischuria						
Obstipatio						
Dysuria						
Ord. VI. Tumores.						
Aneurisma						
Ord. VII. Ectopiae.						
Hernia						
Prolapsus						
Luxatio						
Ord. VIII. Dialyses.						
Vulnus						
Ulcus						
GENERAL TOTAL	44	32	5	7		

NOTE.—Medical Officers are desired particularly to Notice that the Numbers in each Disease and the general Total must not only correspond with the Sick Book, but also with the particulars contained in the several Nosological Returns for the period.

## **GENERAL REMARKS**

134 Irish female Convicts and 33 of their children were embarked on board the "Waverley" in Kingstown Harbour on the 14<sup>th</sup> July 1847, and on the following day 40 Free Settlers were sent on board (by the authority of Dublin Castle) for a passage to Van Diemen's Land. – The Ship proceeded to Sea on the 18<sup>th</sup> of the same month, and had a favourable passage of 98 days, reaching her destination (Hobart Town) on the 25<sup>th</sup> November following.

The Prisoners generally, and all other persons, on embarkation, appeared in tolerable health, with the exception of several of the Convicts being infirm and feeble from age, and some of the young children delicate and emaciated, apparently from want of proper nourishment.

A few days after leaving Ireland – Bowel Comp<sup>ts</sup> of an ordinary character, occurred, yielding readily to treatment, with the exception of a case of Dysentery which proved very obstinate and continued on the List 5 or 6 weeks. This patient had been frequently the subject of a similar complaint whilst in Gaol, her health had evidently suffered much from diseases and intemperance. - She however ultimately recovered and landed in safety.

After being at Sea nearly two months the weather became less favourable and during the latter part of the voyage, the people suffered a great deal from the effects of repeated Gales of Wind.

The Bowel Comp<sup>ts</sup> now became more frequent, and assumed then character of Dysentery, attended with symptoms of malignancy that in many instances proved fatal.

The total number of cases put on the Sick List was 44, the greater part of which were cases of Dysentery & Diarrhoea. There were however a great many other Bowel Comp<sup>ts</sup> of a slight character, that soon got well by means employed, and therefore did not require to be placed on the List.

The whole of the cases that proved fatal are fully detailed in this journal, as well as those sent to Hospital on arrival in the Colony, the latter cases, with the exception of two, being convalescent.

In addition to the diseases above eluded to, three or four cases of Scorbutus occurred towards the end of the voyage, they were however very slight, the symptoms indicating more the approach of that disease than the disease itself,. They were all landed with the other Prisoners and speedily got well after being a short time on shore.

The case of Hydrocephalus occurred to a child about 6 months old. The symptoms at first were very obscure and scarcely attracted that attention of the child's Mother. The disease was accompanied towards the end with convulsions in one of which the child died.

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