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 the 24th July 1828 and the 2nd February 1829 during which time the said ship has been
 employed in a voyage to Van Diemen's Land with Female Convicts.**

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.
Enteritis		<p>Mary Weathering ton ætat 24 September 3 off Woolwich Therm^f 68</p> <p style="text-align: right;">6th disch^d Well</p>	<p>This woman is of a full habit subject to bowel obstruction during the Autumnal months, for these last four days has had no evacuation by stool, complains of acute pain of the abdomen increased by pressure nausea with occasional vomiting of bilious matter Pyrexia head much engaged quick hard pulse. Much anxiety of countenance. <i>Rx Ext. Colocynth. C gr xv, Pulv Scammon gr Calomel gr v fi pil vj Cap^t duas 2nd q.q.h. V.Sectio ad 3^oxviiij</i> warm applications to the abdomen / Vesp./ bowels opened but partially, acute symptoms less^d expressed much relief from loss of Blood nausea with pain on pressure continues. <i>Rx Sulph Magnes 3j Haustus Salin Efferves 3^t q.q.hora</i></p> <p>4th Generally relieved bowels freely open^d during the night febrile heat nausea gone <i>Rx Sal Sulph Magnes 3iv Rep^t M Salin 3^t q.q.h.</i></p> <p>5th free from pain bowels free tongue clean no febrile heat has an inclination for food. No medicine Sago Soup</p> <p>6th Bowels free appetite [increase?] Meat</p>
<p>PB100501</p> <p>Hæmoptysis Plethora</p>	2	<p>Sarah Wood Ætat 32 Convict Sept 6th Off Woolwich Th^m 63</p>	<p>During the first watch marked with a discharge of Blood from the lungs a rupture of a vessel having taken place, felt a strong sense of suffocation with determination to the head full hard pulse, Blood discharged of florid colour, pulse full and hard hot dry skin bowels in a costive state for some days, this woman is of an extremely irritable sanguineous habit <i>V.Sectio ad 3^oxx Rx Sol Magnesium Vitriolat 3iv Rx Acid Vitral Dilut g^t xxx 2nd q.q.h. pediluvium</i> cooling drinks</p> <p>8th had slight Paroxysms during the night has short cough expectorations tinged with blood, Breathing more free head less engaged <i>Rep^t H. Mag Sulph^t Rep^t. Acid Sulphur Dil.</i> Drink Barley Water acidulated . Much quietness a strict low diet []</p> <p>9th no return of discharge of Blood slight febrile action expectoration slightly coloured complains of short dry cough with oppression and pain of Chest- bowels free appl^t Emp Viscat stern. Medicine with acidulated drink continued low diet</p>

		13 th Disch ^d Well	19 th complaints confined to slight cough no appearance of Blood in expectoration – free from febrile heat – pulse regular chest slightly affected – appetite returned – acidulated drinks continued – Soup 11 th doing well but slight cough continues as yesterday 12 th Walking about the Hospital no cough or expectoration –states in health. No medicine.
Synocha	3	Elsa Chelow Ætat 23 convict 12 th off Woolwich Ther ^m 65 15 th disch ^d Well	This woman is of a full habit attack ^d with nausea [Ven..ing] pain on pressure over the Region of the stomach febrile heat quick hard pulse loaded Tongue Much oppression These symptoms preceded by costive state of Bowels for some days –which appears to bring on all from change of diet of gaol allowance to that of ship’s increase proportion producing an Inflammatory disposition. <i>VSectio ad 3̄xviiij Rx Infus f. c [Linn?]. c Magnes Vitriolat 3̄iv (3) Bol Cal Scammon</i> 13 th nearly [] Relief experienced from the loss of Blood Bowels freely open ^d has slight febrile heat with thirst pulse soft slightly accelerated free from pain on pressure <i>Rept. Sal Sulphr Magnesia</i> 14 th free from pain or febrile action has a inclination for food bowels free – no medicine low diet continued 15 th Well allow ^d to go on deck & join her mess.
Hepatitis Acutas PB100502	4	Jane McMaster Ætas 21 convict at Sea Sept ^r 24 th Therm ^r 66 Disch ^d Well 30 th	Full habit subject to obstruction of Bowels with Biliary obstruction under Medical Treatment for similar Illness while in gaol – complains this morning of acute pain of the right side increas ^d by pressure extending to the chest, Breathing laborious, made to lie on her side abdomen much distended, has had no evacuation by stool for three days has occasional vomiting hard full pulse loaded tongue febrile heat Head engaged – <i>VSect ad 3̄xviiij – Rx Ext Colocynth comp gr xv. Hydrarg Submuriat gr v ft pilul S.Sumend. Infus Sennæ c Sulph. Magnes. 3̄iv</i> fomentations to the abdomen – Vesp ^r Much relieved of pain of side loss of Blood has had no evacuation by stool, nausea with vomiting contain ^d – <i>Rept pil cathart Habiat Enema purgans 3^{tis} q.q.hora</i> Warm Bath 25 th Bowels freely opened, but slight pain of side distension and pain of abdomen gone nausea continuing her mouth affected tongue <i>load Rx Sol Mag Vitr 3̄xv</i> a Saline draught every third hour in [art?] of effervescing, strict low diet 26 th Bowels free Tongue cleaner slight pain of side head less engaged slight nausea pulse little quick – <i>Rept. Haust. Efferves. 4^{tis} q,q,h,</i> 27 th in a state of convalescence free from pain of side tongue clean. Secretions natural feels an inclination for food Soup for Dinner 29 th Bowels slow <i>Sulphat magnesia 3̄fs</i> 30 - Well

Atrophy Gonorrhoea	5	<p>Jos^h Neill Convict's child ætat 10 months at Sea 20th September Therm^r 68</p> <p>Died at 4 P.M.</p>	<p>This child for some time had lax bowels enlargement of the Mesenteric gland, mother a bad nurse, it is much emaciated. <i>Rx Mist. Cretæ c Confect [Opii?] 3rd q.q. hora</i> Warm Bath flannel Roller to the Body arrow Root 21st Symptoms as yesterday Cont. Med. 23rd purging with Debility increas^d. <i>Medin. Cont.</i> 24th Debility rapidly increasing Stools more constant, Medicine continued 25th Infant lying Syngultis cold extremities Vesp. Died at 4 P.M.</p>
Pneumonia	6	<p>Mary Boswell 21 Convict Sept 30th at Sea</p> <p>25th Disch^d from Hosp</p>	<p>This girl is of Sanguineous habit subject to Pneumonia says she has been repeatedly bled and Blist^d for Symptoms similar to what she now complains of has acute pain of Chest Pyrexia Determination to the chest/head inability to lie on her side flush^d face pulse 100 hard hot dry skin Bowels irregular – <i>Vsectio ad 3^{xx} appl Emp Vesicat Rx Sol Sulphat. Magnesia 3^{iv} Sal Ant Tart 3^{ij} Vesp.</i> 22 Generally reliev^d of acute symptoms loss of blood gave immediate relief has cough slight pain of chest or head skin moist expectorates freely <i>Rx Mist. Nitras 3^{ij} 3tis q.q.h.</i> acidulated Barley water for drink 23 chest reliev^d – bowels slow has inclination for food <i>Rept. Sol Mag Vitriolat</i> Soup 24th strength with appetite return^d - Disch^d</p>
Cholera Morbus	7	<p>Elizth Smith 20 years Con^t 15th Oct^r Lat 32.11 Long^t 17.37 Therm^r -68</p> <p>6th Dec^r Well</p>	<p>Complains of pain over region of the stomach with vomiting of Biliious matter much distension of the abdomen frequent small pulse cold perspirations great anxiety with spasmodic constrictions of the muscles of extremities – originating from inordinate secretion of Bile & costive state of Bowels <i>Rx Bal Cal gr viij</i> Warm fomentations to region of the Stomach <i>Rx T. Opii g^{tt} 40 Tinct Cinnam gr fs [H.] Vesp^f.</i> Less vomiting purging of Biliious matter appears generally relieved – warm applications to the stomach cont^d – Rx opium gr j drink gruel & ginger 29th complains simply of debility no vomiting or purging Tongue clean no febrile symptoms wishes for food Soup or Sugar</p>
Dysentery PB100503	8	<p>Rhonda Higgins 34 æt. Free woman 2nd Oct^r Lat 27.30 Long^t 18.57 Therm^r 67</p>	<p>This woman is of a thin relax^d habit has had many children – has for three days lax stools pain of abdomen flatulence tenesmus much debility with thirst febrile heat quick^d pulse tongue loaded discharge fetid with indurated fæces – flannel Roller app^l to the abdomen Warm bath sago Drink <i>Rx Calomel gr ij opium Cal gr fs ft pil bis die sum^d</i> 3rd had many stools during the night discharge mix^d with Blood much debilitation Rept. Pil Rice water for Drink Sago – 4th purging continues stools not so fetid or often pulse contained Sago Rice Water pres^d Soup 5 stools less frequent Slept much better during the night skin not so</p>

		12 Disch ^d well	dry no blood discharg ^d mouth affected from the medicine – <i>Hab^t. Pil gr ij e op. hora somni</i> 6 th Mouth much affected, Ptyalism produced two evacuations during the night – no pain or Tenesmus <i>Calomel omit^r</i> – <i>Haustus opiate h.s.</i> – 7 th much Ptyalism stools natural strength improves – takes Soup, Sago with wine – the good effects of giving the calomel with opium[to] her so as to produce a Ptyalism as soon as possible is seen – she continues to recover her strength when her mouth was well from the effects of the medicine, sent to her mess
Constipatio	9	Jane McMaster Sept 29 Convict Oct ^r 6 th Lat 21.9gN Long ^d 20 Ther. 76 Disch ^d from Hosp 8 th	This woman who was disch ^d from the Sick list, Treated for hepatitis with constipation complains this morning of costive state of Bowels for some days has vomiting acute pain along the course of the colon much increased by pressure occasionally unable to bear the Paroxysm of pain. There is much swelling of the stomach & abdomen load ^d Tongue Thirst febrile heat quick hard pulse. On enquiry it appears this person had been repeatedly under medical Treatment in the Hospital at Glasgow for similar attacks – Bled to 18 oz <i>Bal Cal. Sumend. 4th s q.q.h. Enema purgans [vi.]</i> hot fomentations. 22 nd Bowels freely opened during night – acute symptoms less ^d Haust. Sulph ^t Magnesium 23 rd Slight febrile excitement bowels free – <i>H Sal Efferves 4th q.q.h</i> 24 th doing well bowels free no pain of side or febrile heat desire for food – Soup Tea 27 th Well
Ulcus	10	Eliz th Daly Æt 21 convict 21-9 Lat L 20-40 N Oct ^r 6 th Ther ^r 70 Disc ^d well 22 nd	This girl has an unhealthy ulcer with highly inflam ^d eyes two inches in length situated on the [smooth?] and interior part of the left leg there is the marks of cicatrisation of an old ulcer she is of a full habit Appl. <i>circative Sinap. - Solutio Saturni – A purgans</i> , confin ^d her to an horizontal position the leg support ^d with a long roller – cold sedative applications increas ^d proportion of lemon juice and sugar water Preserv ^d Soups Rice & flour diet 7 th ulcer looks more healthy surrounding integuments less inf ^d action dressings with Sedative applications Rx. <i>Pil Calomel gr ij</i> 8 th Slight in[f]lamation of ulcer 9 th doing well – <i>Appl. Emp adhesive Rept. Haustus purgans</i> 10 th the adhesive straps have flatten ^d the edges of ulcer much Repeat with cold app ^r 11 th Ulcer much contract ^d – looks healthy little discharge 12 th doing well 13 th nearly heal ^d 18 th – 20 cicatriz ^d - the effects of the Horizontal position and adhesive dressings with bandaging rather pleasing
Synocha PB100504	11	Mary Ann Keiff Ætat 19 C – 10 Oct ^r Lat 15.24 Lon ^d 21 Off Isle St Jago Ther 78	Is of a full sanguineous habit Bowels in costive state for some days complains of pain of head loss strength and appetite much oppression of chest much determination to head Eyes vessels of Turgid pulse 100 full loaded Tongue surface dry & hot these symptoms appear to originate from costive and increased temperature The Thermom. at

			<p>80 <i>V Sect ad 3xx Rx Hydrgr Submur gr Jalap gr xx ft Bolus st sumend- Haustus Salin febr 3iv 4^{is} q..q.h.</i></p> <p>11th Immediate and viable effects produced from the action evacuations - mainly a convalescent head but slightly engaged bowels fully opened but little heat of skin or quickening of pulse <i>febrifuga</i> mixture with Purging draught - low diet quietness - 12th [strength?] with appetite returning free from febrile action no medicine Soup lemonade dr 12th Well disch^d.</p>
Ulcus	12	<p>Jane Devereux Æt. 44 Con^t. 16th Oct^r Off Isle of St Jago Th. 79</p>	<p>This woman is of a thin irritate constitution from an unhealthy ulcer one inch in size on the middle anterior part of the right leg there is much active inflammation of the surrounding integuments. She states it is an old cicatrised ulcer broke out afresh having confined her to a recumbent position appl. the cold Saturnine application with simple dressing. Supported by long Bandages.</p> <p><i>Rx Sol Sulph Magnes 3iv</i> increas^d proportion lemon juice with sugar diet pres^d soup 2</p> <p>16th ulcer has still an unhealthy appearance. there is less increas^d action of surrounding parts feels less pain or irritability app^l and dressings continued Soup lemon Juice with Sugar</p> <p>17th ulcer looks more healthy but little inflam^d</p> <p>18th contracting healthy in appearance cont. Pres</p> <p>19th contracting fast - app^l Empl adhesive 20th conr^t fast - case <i>curatio</i> 21 mainly cicatrised 24th Well</p>
Atrophy Dysentaria	13	<p>Elizth Ransley 18 months child of M Ransley free woman 10th Oct^r Isle St Jago Th 80</p>	<p>This child has not had good health since embark^d mother states that she has been frequently ill from a swelling of the belly with occasional purging requiring the attendance of her Village Dispensary the abdomen is swell^d with evident enlargement and induration to the feel of the mesenteric glands much debility atrophy loss of appetite has repeat^d foetid lax stools tenesmus pain with Tormina - the first effort to determine to the surface - Warm Bath, Morning & Evening absorbent mixture with opium <i>Rx Pulv.Mur Hydr gr vi opium Calat gr ifs ft pilulas six cup^t j N. [mane ...]</i> Jarow root astringent enemas - flannel roller to the abdomen</p> <p>14th Stools frequent during night Evacuations fetid principally mucus with blood debility increasing astringent mixture <i>c pil Colo</i> Warm Bath - arrow root Sago etc</p> <p>15th stools [] much fetor mucus with blood considerable febrile heat thirst much pain felt on pressure of abdomen has lost all inclination for food will not take arrow root</p> <p>17th stools more frequent no sleep Tongue load^d with a Black crustation unable to take nourishment discharge Blood with mucus great debility</p> <p>18th debility increas^d - Syngultis vessel of Eye dilated cold sweat on extremities. Mucus discharge increased Vesp^r/ died at 4 o'clock P.M.</p>
			<p>Well 12th</p>
			<p>24th Well</p>
			<p>Died at 4 PM Oct^r 18th</p>

<p>Synocha</p> <p>PB100505</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>Ann Smith Æt. 21 convict Oct^r 24th Lat 5-2 Long 21- 5.0 Th 86</p> <p>29th Well</p>	<p>Complains of pain with much determination to the head – face flushed eyes – [Frized?] breathing opp^d full hard quick pulse hot dry skin loaded Tongue costive state of bowels for many days a <i>V Sect ad 3xx Bol Col c Jalap Sal Mag. Vitr 3iv</i> (cooling drink) Oct^r 25th febrile action generally less Instant relief experienced from the loss of Blood bowels freely opened & head relieved pulse more soft less [requir^d?] surface dispos^d to become moist <i>Rx Haustus Sol Antim Tart. Nitraspotass 3ij 4tis q.q.hora</i> cooling drink low diet 26th slight febrile action bowels open slight thirst head slightly engaged [.] 27th a convalescent no medicine Soup Rice etc 28th able to</p>
<p>Hepatitis chronic</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>Mr W. Brown Æt. 46 D.A.C. Gen^l Octr 23rd Lat 7-44 Th. 78</p> <p>2nd Nov^r Well</p>	<p>This officers constitution has suffered much from service in Portugal Subject to Hepatic attacks had had much Mercury bowels occasionally obstinately costive he now labours under considerable debility has dyspeptic Symptoms loss of appetite flatulence sense of fullness of the stomach – obtuse pain of the Region of the [bowels?] legs swell Topor with low spirits – <i>Rx M.. pil Hydrarg gr v N.M. Infus fol Sennæ c Sulph Magn oz ?</i> fom[at]ion to the girt flannel Roller pres^d Soup – Barley water acidulated with <i>Nitrate of potass</i> 24th much reliev^d blue pill contin^d – with an addition of <i>pil Scillæ 3iij</i> friction to extremities nourishing soup small proportions of wine 25th evacuations by stool more natural secretion of urine increased – swelling of legs reduced – slight dull pain of side continues spirits improved app^{te} good flannel Roller for the abdomen Medicine Cont. Frictions & takes Soup Wine and animal food. 26th Mouth slightly affect^d as yesterday 27th doing well mouth – sore <i>omit pil Hydrarg cont^r pil Scillæ</i> 29th appears in general improv^d – no pain of side able to walk spirits better appetite good mouth not so much affected urine increas^d Soup – 30th doing well Nov^r – health generally improved – able to take more exercise on deck bowels free no medicine nourishing Diet in a state of Convalescence</p>
<p>Ophthalmia</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>Sarah Pierce Æt. 40 free woman 24th Oct^r L.13 L21 Thermometer 82</p>	<p>This woman of Delicate constitution rather irritable a habit has been subject to active inflammation of her Eyes – there is much swelling of the Torsis Vessels the conjunctiva larger protuberant left very great effusion of being unable to look at the rings of light from extreme shows great irritability febrile heat quick hard pulse thirst with rigors head engag^d open^d the Temporal artery took 12 oz of Blood <i>Rx Bal Jalap Cal Scam</i> – low diet sedature applicator to the Eyes Much quietness low diet – indolentia 24th Swelling of Eyes has increased pain with Inflammation of globe and membranes slept little from pain unable to bear the light discharge purulent feels in that the globe of the Eye too large – Eyelid much swell^d –</p>

PB100506		Nov ^r 12 th Well	<p>febrile heat as yesterday – <i>Appl Emp Visicat nuch. Rept. Haustus cathart – Statim appl^{lur} con^d Pediluva</i></p> <p>25th Inflammation still active slept little bowels free much irritability complains of shooting pain the globe of the Eyes Discharge increas^d swelling as yesterday inject^d between the Eyelids – warm fomentations 27th there is extreme active inflammation on examination this does not appear to yield to the Depleting [system??] <i>Rx Pil. gr ii Submuriat Hydrarg n. m.</i> – 20th slight alteration in Symptoms the bitter pain not so acute not so much fever or Irritability – fomentations Pills contin^d – a bit of lint introduced between the lid to absorb the discharge</p> <p>30th Integuments of the Eyes not so much swell^d – on examination vessels extremely turgid – Iris much inflam^d costive as yesterday</p> <p>31st a visible improvement- discharge less –slept better less pain Eyes look better – as yesterday fomenting With pills contin^d – Nov^r 1st slept well less discharge mouth affect^d – vessels of Eyes not so loaded can bear the light with less inconvenience on[e] pill at bedtime that fomentations continued.</p> <p>2nd doing well Swelling and inflammation of Eyes and membranes going down fast mouth much affected, considerable Ptyalism pills omit^d Fomentations continued</p> <p>3rd doing well bowels slow</p> <p><i>Rx Sal Sulph Magnes ꝑiv</i> 4th doing well but little inflammation can bear the light Mouth sore no medicine Warm fomentations continued 5th doing well increas^d action and feelings of the vessels disappearing fast – Mouth continues sore Bowels open fomentations con^d [] but little Inflm</p> <p>8th Eyes free from diseas^d action 12th Well.</p>
Prolapsus Uteri Debility	17	Sarah Hill Con ^l . Æt. 48 Lat 3.24 In Long 28.S Thermom ^{or} 70 Oct ^r 27 th	<p>This woman is a thin delicate habit she is much debilitated which describes increasing daily complains of pain of back & loins dislikes to motion – she has Partial Prolapsus Uteri unable to eat her provisions – Sleep much impair^d – a flannel Roller to the abdomen <i>Rx. Dicutio Cinchona ꝑij Acid Dilut gr xx 3tis q.q.h</i> – half pint Port Wine Soups with Pres^d Meat – Horizontal Posture</p> <p>28th Much improved Bark & Wine continued</p> <p>29th doing well slight pain of loins, eats well</p> <p>30th strength and appetite improved as before</p> <p>31st walking[about hospital and Deck Wine bark & diet continued pressure of Bandage contin^d with [Wine?] etc on the sixth of November quite recovered.</p>
Atrophy Debility	18	Rhonda Higgins Aged 36 free woman In Lat = 3.24 Long 28 Oct ^r 27 th Ther 78	<p>Owing to the change of Provisions from what she has been accustomed to Particularly that of Milk and vegetables part of her food feels the privation of much there appears evident atrophy debility the will to exert herself loss of sleep debilitating [stints?] unable to eat her Provisions has pain of chest. With florid tongue = always of a delicate habit, this case originating from ships Provisions Procur^d her some fresh meat with vegetables from the Captⁿ Table. Hospital Soup with Wine The Decoction of Bark with quassiaë</p>

			<p>29th evident alteration for better sleeps - app^l [improv^d?] nourishing diet bark & wine contin^d 21st Strength improv^d no Debility drinks cont^d her wine Well 6th now to her quarter recovered.</p>
<p>PB100507 Abscess acute</p>	19	<p>Catherine Collins Conv^t æt 19 m Lat 3.24 Lon^t 28 Oct^r 28th Therm 78</p>	<p>This girl is of an extremely irritable habit of body Prior to her being embark^d While at Newgate gaol had been confined and Treat^d in hospital for Syphilis complains of acute pain over the glutic muscles increased by the slightest pressure there appears slight enlargement says she has experienced some pain for some days but did not Report herself in Hospital – there is much constitutional excitement Pyrexia loss of Appetite loaded Tongue rigors - = quick hard Pulse hot dry skin = <i>Vsectio ad ̄xv Rx Hydrag Sub Mur gr = Sol Mag Sulphat ̄iv</i> compress with Saturnine Lotion appl^d confin^d - to bed low diet 29th Relieved from loss of Blood much febrile heat Rigors continue Bowels lax Sedatur applicatum remov^d <i>Haustus Salin febr ̄iv 4 q.q.hora</i> 31st Severe pain during the night Tumor evidently enlarg^d – dispos^d to suppurate – Sedative app^l omit. Warm Poultrice with Hot fomentations [evening?] 4th Nov^r <i>Salin febre fun contin^d</i> = free use of lemon juice and Sugar = Now Tumor more dispos^d to termination by suppuration less febrile heat or pain Poultrice with fomentations continued complains of much debility .- Hospital Soup small Proportions of Wine <i>Haustus opiate gr xv h. Somni.</i> 2nd Abscess [now?] too soft and fluctuating to touch- Anodyne app^d = Dressings [] with <i>Bandage Rx pil Cal c opii gr ij N.M.</i> Pres^d meat Large Wine] 7th doing well discharge cons. [] as yesterday dressings [] 5th discharge more confin^d = adhesion of sides of the abscess = dressings continu^d make pressure – strength and appetite improv^d – complains of pain of the larger bones of the extremities with other obvious symptoms of a secondary nature consider it prudent to affect the system with Mercury Calomel pill Repeat with op^l 6th doing well dressings & app^l continu^d Wine Soup etc 8th Mouth slightly affect^d abscess healing rapidly conv. 9th 10th Mouth sore slight Ptyalism Calomel omitted Bowels slow. <i>Sulphat magnes ̄fs</i> dressings cont^d Wine 12th Mouth sore abscess healed = <i>Rx Decoct. Cart Per. ̄j 4^{is} q.q.h.</i> Wine Soup 14th doing well strength appetite improv^d – this girl continu^d to take alterative doses of mercury till 10th Nov = still has Wine and Hosp diet</p>
<p>Cholera morbus</p>	20	<p>Catherine Parsons C.C. Æt. 24 October 31st At lat 1.30 Lon 28.8 Therm 80</p>	<p>This woman Prisoners cook owing to exposure of sever oppressive heat of temperature and cooking & accompanied with costive state of Bowels for some days = attack^d this morning with acute and spasmodic pain over the epigastric Region nausea vomiting & purging of Bilious matter stomach and bowels distended = quick hard small pulse much anxiety spasm of extremities = Bled to 18 oz Warm bath <i>Rx Calomel gr vi Opii gr i ft pil</i></p>

		Nov. 4 th Well	= hot fomentations to the Region of the stomach Vesp. Immediate relief exp. From loss of Blood and Bark – acute and distressing symptoms relieved feels little pain over the region of stomach stools less frequent slight nausea inclined to sleep <i>Rept. Pil Calomel</i> Nov ^r 1 st free from nausea or vomiting & convalescent Gruel Wine Soup Medicine. Omitted 3 rd well
PB100508 Pneumonia	21	Mary Weatherington Æt. 23 Nov 2 nd Lat Long Therm = 81 9 th Nov Well	Call ^d up in first watch to see this woman subject to attacks of Pneumonia found her labouring under great difficulty of Breathing evident determination to the head and Lungs febrile heat pulse 110 hard lying on her back vessels of Eyes Turgid These symptoms preceded by costive state of Bowels Rigors loss of appetite - <i>Vsect ad ʒxx statim Sol Sulpat Magnes. ʒiv</i> acidulated drink 6 th the loss of Blood gave inst. Relief no pain of Chest, head engaged bowels free pulse still quick with febrile heat of surface – low diet – <i>Rx Mist Salin febr ʒij Ant tart gr x 4^{ths} q. q. hora</i> 7 th a convalescent – Soup Wine
Abscess	22	Mary McCormick 8? y child of Jane McCormack con ^t Nov 12 th Therm 79 26 th Nov Well	Ther 77 This child is of a thin delicate habit – her mother says that she has obs ^d a swelling on the short ribs of left side gradually increasing accompanied with slight pain for some days the child feeling pain with febrile symptoms Rigors thirst loss of appetite reports her, on examination there is evident enlargement of the integuments of the left side soft to the touch appears about four inches in diameter deep sided – to effect a quick suppuration to the surface was the first object – fomentations with emollient Poultices = Saline Purgans medicine quietness lemonade 13 th abscess more [pointed?] – less febrile heat- as yesterday 14 th Still more [pointed?] skin more soft Poultice cont ^d 15 th open abscess discharge considerable dressings with Bandages 16 th considerably debilitated Wine with nourishing diet Soup Rice etc – discharge considerable dressings with pressure and bandage Liq. with Lemon Juice 17 th doing well dressings regime continued – 18 discharge less cons. orderly state of health – much improv ^d – nourishing diet – Wine dressing with Band[age] 19 th Sides of abscess adher ^d – opening nearly closed health improving fast – as before 20 th Wound nearly heal ^d out of bed on deck 23 W ^d healed strength returned 26 th quite recovered
Synocha	23	Mary Ann Donovan Convict æt. 24 Nov 4 th in Lat L Therm 77	This woman is of a full plethoric habit impaired constitution – complains of lassitude anxiety heat followed by Rigors pain of the head countenance flushed a redness of the Eyes and Skin latter hot and dry to the touch – pulse full hard and frequent – much thirst Respiration opp ^d these symptoms are accompanied by costive state of Bowels – <i>Vsect ad xx – Pediluvium</i>

			<p><i>Rx Ext. C.C. gr xii Sub Muriat Hydrarg gr vj ft pil st. Sumend.</i> Extremities washed with Vinegar and Water cal^d – acidulated drink</p> <p>15th expressed much relief from Bleeding & warm bath to feet – bowels have been open^d twice still much increas^d febrile heat and action head engaged – excessive thirst skin hot and dry Eyes Turgid <i>VSect ad 3xv Sol Mag . Sulphat 3iv Capt 3iv Mist Sol feb 3t q.q. hora</i></p> <p>16th less febrile heat symptoms better skin moist bowels lax less ehat or thirst – fever mixture cool drink etc</p> <p>17th a convalescent Soup 18th doing well Soup Wine</p> <p>20th – 22nd Well</p>
PB100509 Rheumatismus acutus	24	M. McCormack al. Davis Convict Aged 36 Nov 22 At L 34 Longitude 6.19 Therm 66	<p>This woman is of a bad disposition extremely deprovided(sic) habit of Body full indolent to extreme – the history she gives of her case is [without?] any [custom?] has been subject attacks of acute Rheumatism – attack^d last night with [lassitude?] Rigors heat thirst excessive – hot skin unable to [breathe] there is this morning much febrile action quick hard pulse cold shivering with Pyrexia acute pain experienced on moving th larger glands of the extremities – Tongue loaded white = hot dry skin loss of appetite with lassitude – Bowels regular – <i>VSect ad 3xx</i></p> <p><i>Rx Ext Col. C. gr. Xi Sub Mur Mag gr vj ft pil S.Sum.</i> low diet cooling acidulated Drinks</p> <p>23rd Exp^d relief from the loss of Blood less febrile heat – the wrist of the left arm much swell^d – painful to the touch ankle joints stiff unable to [] motion save with much pain – joints foment^d with Lot. Vinegar and flannels = <i>Haust. Purgans = Vesp. Rx Pulv. Dov. [] gr x</i></p> <p>24th Swelling of joints incr^d = less febrile heat Skin moist Bowels free, flannel Roller appl. To the joints – <i>Rx Tinct. Camphor gⁱ v</i></p> <p>25th Swelling of the joints less – not to much pain when mov^d but slight febrile action –bowels slow, <i>Sol. Sulph. Mag. 3iv Liniment cont.</i></p> <p>doing well swelling nearly gone, out of bed – Cont. Liniment C</p> <p>28th Well</p>
Catarrhus	25	Elizt ^h Morgan Convict Æt. 23 Lat 3 Long 1.23 Therm 67	<p>In consequence to exposure to wet complains this morning of shivering followed to [heat?] head much engaged nausea loss of Appetite dry hot skin Tongue white Eyes turgid increas^d secretion from the mucus membrane of the nose slight oppression of the chest mild cough – <i>VSect ad 3xv = Sulphat Mag. 3j Haustus Sol feb. 4^{is} q.q.hora carb</i> drink low diet</p> <p>24th Much relieved head less engag^d Pulse more regular and soft moisture on skin breathing easy has slight cough – <i>Rept. Haust. Sol feb</i></p> <p>25th doing [well] convalescent slight febrile action bowels slow <i>Sol mag Sulph 3iv</i> 26th doing well as yesterday</p> <p>27th appetite returned – slight debility no medicine small proportion of Wine Soup</p> <p>28th Well</p>

<p>Fractura Disloct. Carpus</p> <p>PB100510</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>Susⁿ Thompson Convict Age 44 Novr 27th In Lat 34.9 Long 15.3 Therm 68</p> <p>Dec^r 20th Well</p>	<p>This woman is of a bad temper extremely irritable and sensitive to pain owing to a [lee? Rolling of the ship fell from one of the upper bed places – in endeavouring to save herself the weight of her body came on the left forearm and wrist – on examination found a fracture of the radius four inches from the carpus with dislocation of the joint- having reduced the dislocation of the carpus and placed the fractured ends of the bones in opposition supported 18 tail^d Bandage splints x8 = <i>appl Col. Saturin Lotion with Vinegar H purgans</i> 28th but little pain slight thirst and action as before 29th doing well little pain 30th doing well no swell^e or pain 1st doing well arm straight 3rd compress Bandage open^d dress^d No swelling bones in good opposition – Warm vinegar constantly appl^d 6th doing well can move the wrist joint a little 8th doing well flannel Roller appl^d [callous?] form^d arm perfectly straight – the carpus joint to be Rub^d with <i>Sang' b Liniment</i> 9th doing well Liniment continu^d no pain – [Swelling?] or tension – Volatile Liniment app^l to the wrist 10th doing well – this case was disch^d on the 20th a considerable stiffness of the carpal joint remaining – which in time recover^d its tone by frictions Volatile Liniments and use of the [pump?]</p>
<p>Pneumonia</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>Mary Davis Convict æt. 40 Nov 29th In lat 34S Long 12 E Therm 67</p> <p>Dec^r 6th D^g Well</p>	<p>This woman is of full sanguineous habit complains of acute pains of chest pain with the determination to her head eye turgid cough with oppress^d breathing pulse 90 hard skin dry & hot owing to exposure to wet possible damp linen subject during Winters in England the Pectoral [illness] requiring Hospital Treatment – <i>V'Sect ad 3xx Rx Sol. Sulp Mag 3iv Pulv Ant gr v h.somni, appl Empl Vesicat Statim – pediluvium at bedtime</i> 30th Reli^d from loss of Blood Requ^d during the night to loose more blood – Breathing more relieved- less febrile action able? to be on her side?] head still engag^d – Salin febr M xv [with? every third hour Drink acidulated Barley water <i>Bol Antimon h. Somni</i> 1st Dec^r no pain of chest head slight febrile action skin moist 2nd doing well cont. appetite for food no medicine 4th conv. 6th Well</p>
<p>Menorrhagia Rubra</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>Mary Pullon 36 Nov 29th Lat 34.9 Long 9.16 Therm 64</p>	<p>This woman is of a delicate habit, she labours under general relaxation and debility of constitution complains of dull pain of Back and Loins respiration short unable to take exercise feeble pulse, immoderate flow of Menses – owing to want of more nourishing diet – <i>Rx Decoct. C. [Perei (pereirae?)] 3vij Acid Vitrl Dilut 3j M Capi^t 3ij 3^{is} q.q.hora</i> Flannel Roller for loins acidulated drink- <i>M. Opiate h.s.</i> nourishing hospital diet of presv^d meat – Wine etc confined to a Horizontal Posture Dec^r 1st – much improved – slept During night. Discharge less = pain of loins not so much felt – Medium Wine Diet cont. 2nd doing Well uterine discharge less = strength much improved – bark & Wine continued diet 3rd out of bed health & strength improv^d but little uterine discharge</p>

			<p>– Bark & Wine. 4th doing well Medium Wine & as before 5th no appearance of discharge strength improving Bark discontinued = Wine Diet & exercise on Deck – her Diet with Wine continued till 10th Dec^r</p>
Catarrhus c frigor	29	<p>Mary C. Burke Æt. 32 convict Nov 29 Lat 34.5 long 12 Th 67</p>	<p>Is of a full habit owing to wet of feet was attack^d yesterday evening with cold shivering followed by flushes of hest – complains this morning of dull heavy pains of loins & chest breathing affected stuffiness of the nose with inflamed Eyes hot dry skin white Tongue – <i>Vsectio ad ℥xv Sol Magnes Vitrol ℥iv Rx Bal Antimon xgr h.s. – pediluvium Sumend –</i> Dec^r 1st Much rel^d. from the lancet head not so much engag^d less heat of skin pulse firmer & soft 2nd Much better slight determination to the head but little febrile action Much discharge of secretion of the nose – pulse but little accelerated – [] on surface – bowels slow – <i>Sol Mag V.</i> 3rd a convalescent appetite for food – no medicine Soup Wine 4th doing well 8th Discharg^d</p>
PB100511			<p>8th Well</p>
Catarrhus	30	<p>Eliza Moran Æt. 24 Nov 29th Ther 67</p>	<p>This girls a is somewhat similar to the preceding one head and chest engag^d febrile heat of skin much secretion from the nose & Eyes quick^d hard Pulse cough loss of appetite lassitude found herself gradually getting ill for two days – <i>Vsect ad ℥xv – appl. Emp. V. Sternum – Mist. Sol. Febr 4 q.q.h. Bol ant gr iv n. Pediluvium</i> cooling an diluted drink Dec^r 1st generally relieved slight pain of head or chest can Breath more freely – skin moist – <i>H. Purgans febre fuga Mixture</i> cooling drink conf^d to bed 2nd Persp^d freely during the night but slight febrile action no pain of chest or head tongue clean febre fuga continued 3rd convalescent no medicine Soup Rice & Wine 5th Disch^d</p>
			<p>Dec^r 5th</p>
Febris	31	<p>Elizth Dealy Æt. 19 Decr 1st Lat 35.9 Long 30 Th. 68</p>	<p>Full habit has very quick hard pulse hot dry skin oppression determination to the head Bowels in a costive state for some days great thirst these febrile symptoms preceded by Rigors Nausea – <i>Vsect ad [] Haust. Cathart = Mist Sol feb. 3 q.q.h.</i> 2nd generally [well] Rub. Salin. Draughts cont^d 3. Doing well appetite retu^d 4th con[valescent]</p>
			<p>5th December Well</p>
Dyenteria	32	<p>Sarah Pierce Æt. 36 Dec^r 22nd In Lat 37.0 Long 26.4 Thermr 67</p>	<p>This woman has been subject to intermittent fever requiring medical Treatment for a chronic hepatitis, was attacked yesterday with bilious vomiting [spasmodic?] feel of stomach and bowels = which as reliev^d by the hot fomentation Calomel pill combin^d with Opium = she is of a thin delicate habit – has report^d stools tenesmus pain slight Pyrexia skin dry Tongue foul – preceded by Costiveness flatulence of the bowels – has griping pains stools fetid with sebaceous masses – <i>Rx Sub Mur Hydrarg ge vi Opii gr ij ℥ ft Pilulae tres cap^r un N. Mane</i> = flannel Roller applied to the abdomen = diet Sago Rain Water</p>

			<p>3rd Evacuations constant abdomen and region of the liver painful on pressure painful Stools with tenesmus – <i>Rept Pil. Cal</i> = Soup Sago warm rain water</p> <p>4th Much debilitated stools fetid pain with tenesmus mouth not affected = <i>Rept Pil. c. M opiate h.somni</i> Soup – Sago small proportion of wine</p> <p>5th there is an evident amendment this morn^g mouth sore skin has a warm moisture – stools less frequent = <i>Rept ut heri</i> Wine increas^d</p> <p>7th stools fewer little fetor slight Tenesmus = considerable Ptyalism = Pill omitted Wine increas^d Soup, opiate at bed time</p> <p>8th doing well much Ptyalism but few stools during night = look natural. No pain on pressure of region of liver or abdomen = Wine freely nourishing diet</p> <p>9th Strength improving – stools natural Wine diet as before</p> <p>10 doing well less debi^l as before</p> <p>10th doing well strength improv^d</p> <p>12 Mouth slightly sore Wine diet []</p>
PB100512 Parturition	33	Lydia Blury? æt. 32 Steerage Passenger Dec ^r 3 rd in Lat 37.0 S Long 26.9 E Therm 67	<p>This woman rather of a delicate habit = having [pain?] in natural time of conception was delivered this afternoon after a labour of two hours of a son Parturition easy & natural – Mother and Infant doing extremely [well] =</p> <p><i>M. Opiate h.somni</i> gruel Wine Soup</p> <p>4th mother and Infant doing well Rx Oi Ricini ʒfs</p> <p>5th doing well bowels open gruel Soup Wine</p> <p>6th Infant – doing well requires castor oil</p> <p>7th both doing well – nourishing diet Wine etc = The subsequent Treatment of this case an occasional Purgative</p> <p>Well with nourishing diet able to leave Hosp^l on 14th</p>
Dysentery	34	Lydia Casemere C. Æt. 26 Dec ^r 6 th 37.56 Lat Long 35.34 S Therm 68	<p>This woman is of full habit – complains of relax stools griping pains of the abdomen tenesmus flatulence loss of appetite strength, hot dry skin quick^d full pulse head engag^d – Rigors with Ptyalism – has had bowels costive before these symtoms complains of pain on pressure of the Abdomen <i>V Sect ad ʒxv – Pediluvium – Rx Calomel gr iij 4^{iss} q,q,h, - cool Drink confin^d to Hospital</i></p> <p>7th Slept but little Pulse more soft & skin not so hot, febrile symptoms with pain of belly less Purging with much Pain and Tenesmus <i>cont. Pil = calomel 4^{iss} q,q,hora</i> – cooling drink Rain water</p> <p>8th stools not so frequent less Pyrexia & mouth affected <i>Cont. Pil. c M-opiate h.s.</i></p> <p>9th Mouth affected less pain two stools during night mouth sore pills om. {omitted}</p> <p>9th stools natural slight Ptyalism Wine Soup gargle Barley water with []</p> <p>10th slight Ptyalism stools regular no pain moist skin appetite good sleeps well Wine nourishing Soup etc</p> <p>12th out of bed doing well Wine Soup. The quick absorption of calomel in this case appears to have ch^d the symptoms of Diseas^d bowel with the bleeding at first. She continu^d in Hospital a convalescent</p> <p>16th Mouth well strength recovered</p>
		18 disch ^d Well	
		14 th Dec ^r Well	
		16 Dec ^r Dis ^d Well	

Syphilis	35	Cath ⁿ Collins æt. 18 Dec ^r . 15 th – lat 39 L 67 Therm 65	This girl complains of acute Pain with visible swelling over the glute muscles similar to what she was treated for in the fore Part of this Journal – latterly she has been extremely irritable looks she complains of loss of Appetite & strength has nocturnal pains of head and larger bones – on examination evident thickening of the Periosteum of Tibia & Ulna bones. It appears evident the mercury was not pushed sufficiently far in this case to eradicate the venereal Poison her symptoms appear secondary – compresses water with Vinegar applid to the swelling <i>Rx Mag Pil Hydrarg gr v h. somni.</i> – confin ^d to Hosp ^l diet nourishing – confin ^d to bed 16 th swelling considerably reduced - app ^l . continued <i>Repet pil Hydrarg Soup</i> – 17 th Swelling nearly dispers ^d – as before 18 th Sleeps better mouth not affected Rept Wine Soup Preservd Meat – 19 th sleeps well less pain or irritation mouth slightly affected <i>ut Heri</i> 28 th Mouth sore pills omit ^d – Wine Soup etc 30 th doing well pill every 2 nd night 3 rd doing well no night pain swelling of periosteum gone Rept pil Diet Wine etc Dec ^r 5 th Scarcely any enlargement of the Periosteum shows less irritability sleeps well free from nocturnal pains mouth slightly affected bowels slow <i>Rx Mas Pil purgans N2</i> – Wine Soup 7 th Mouth but slightly affect ^d – <i>Repet pil Hydrarg gr iij hora somni</i> Wine nourishing diet 8 th doing well <i>Rept pil Hydrarg</i> Wine etc 9 th less debility free from pain mouth sore pills omit ^d – The subsequent treatment of this case has been alterative use of Bark pill so as to produce slight Ptyalism – System supported with Wine <i>Decoct Cinchon</i> nourishing diet until the end of the month when completely free from all secondary symptoms health and strength recovered discharged off Sick list Dec ^r 30 th Well
PB100513			
Synocha	36	Mary Lewis C Æt. 30 15 th Dec ^r In Lat 39.65 Long 67 Therm 65	This woman is of a full sedentary habit rather irregular in menstrual evacuations complains of fullness of chest head much engaged Eyes turgid hot dry skin redness of the skin – tongue white breathing hurried much anxiety loss of strength thirst great pulse quick full bowels costive these symptoms preceded by rigors nausea loss of appetite – originating from plethoric habit and sudden exposure to cold or damp linens <i>V Sect ad 3xviiij/ Habt. Bol Jalap. Cal. gr [?] Sol Magnes Vitalis 3iij</i> – Vesp. <i>Haust Diaph.</i> 16 th Expres ^d immediate relief from the loss of blood bowels have been freely open ^d – febrile action much reliev ^d head less engag ^d Vessels of [eyes] not so turgid pulse quick not so full tongue loaded skin still hot and dry with flush ^d redness – much anxiety with a sense of oppression – <i>Rx Aqua Ammon antat 3ii Vin Ant. Tart g^{tt} xxv ft Haustus habt at 3^{tis} q,q,hora</i> acidulated drink face and arms spong ^d with Vinegar and water – 17 th Less Pyrexia slept considerable Pulse more regular head but little engag ^d not so great heat of skin tongue cleaner bowels slower – <i>Rx Sol Sulphat Magnesie</i>

			<p><i>3iv Cont. Haustus Diaphr h.somni</i> 18th generally reliev^d slight moisture on surface bowels lax febrile activity generally lessen^d – Cont. 19th Skin cool and moist secretions natural has inclination for nourishment convalescent no medicine cooling acidulated drink Soup & Wine 20th doing well appetite increas^d 21 as yesterday 24th able to go on deck Discharg^d off Sick list 26</p>
<p>Catarrhus & frigor</p> <p>PB100514</p>	37	<p>Rebeca Barrett Æt. 23 Dec^r 17th Lat 39.20 Long 77 Therm 64</p> <p>20 Dec^r Well</p>	<p>This woman is of a very sanguineous irritable habit subject to Rhinitis – complains of a Sense of weight of head oppression of Chest – fullness and slopping of the nose Eyes watery and inflamed hot dry skin full accelerated pulse lassitude white tongue costive Bowels occasional rigors – <i>Vsect ad ℥xxvj / Hab' Bal Jalap Calomel = Haustus Diaphorus h.somni</i> Pediluvium acidulated drink low diet 18th Immediate relief express^d from the lancet her febrile symptoms less^d – fever not so great head less engag^d complains of but slight oppression of chest. Skin moist much[leucchor?] from the nose – <i>Rx Haust Sal feb ℥ij Potass Nitr gr ? 4^{ms} q.q.hora</i> 19th doing well slight increased action <i>Cont Haust Sal -</i> 20th convalescent appetite for food no medicine Sago Wine</p>
Pleuritis	38	<p>Mary Boswell C Æt. 19 Dec^r 18th Off Isle of St Pauls Therm 66</p> <p>23 Dec^r Well</p>	<p>This girl of a sanguineous habit subject irregular menses – has been repeatedly treated for Pneumonia attacks in Hospital – has acute pain of the left side rising from there to the Sternum and Scapula Breathing painful and anxious increas^d by respiration unable to lie on the affected side has cough hot dry skin hard quickened pulse tongue white painful dry cough – <i>Vsectio ad ℥xvii – Sulphat Magnesiæ ℥j stat Sal febr ℥ij Potass Nitrat ℥j ℥ij 3^{ms} q.q. hora</i> – drink acidulated barley water 19th acute symptoms less^d – generally reliev^d but little pain of side cough painful and trouble[some] Pulse more soft – has pain of Chest – no expectorant bowels open – no moisture on Surface appl. Emp. Visicatore Ster. – Cont [Mist?] Nitros – cool Drink acidulated with lemon juice – 20th generally reliev^d skin moist – no pain of side or chest expectoration [g.] <i>Salin Mistur Cam</i> – 21st convalescent appetite for food – Soup small quantity of Wine 23 Well</p>

<p>Ophthalmia</p> <p>PB100515</p>	<p>39</p>	<p>Lydia Casemere C 26 yrs Dec^r 18th Lat off St Paul's Therm 63</p> <p>3 Jan^y Well</p>	<p>This woman is full and Irritable habit owing to her getting wet feet most painful and active Inflammation of membranes of the Eyes Vessels extremely Turgid Eyelids swell^d and Inflam^d with hot acrid discharge unable to bear the Rays of light head engag^d Rigors with Pyrexia hard quickened Pulse <i>Vsect ad ℥xv Pediluvium appl Emp. Vesicat Nuchæ – Haust Cathart</i> – low diet cooling Drink warm fermentations every third hour</p> <p>19th Vessels extremely load Eyelids swell^d as yesterday pain great much constitutional irritability says she experienced but little relief from the Evacuations <i>Rx Pil Calomel gr ij bis die</i> – Compress with the cold Saturnine applications to the Eyes = 20th discharge of Pus from the Eyelids [Leucchor?] great much pain but little reliev^d Vessels Turgid as yesterday – Bowels free Calomel Pills continued with the cooling application – a bit of lint diped in a solution of opium introduced. between the Eyelids so as to absorb the discharge and allow it to escape</p> <p>21st less swelling of Eyelids pain still great much irritation Rept <i>Pil Sub Mur. Hydrarg</i> – [Lateri? S..]</p> <p>22nd discharge more confined painful symptoms less severe Vessels not so loaded – as yesterday pills etc</p> <p>23rd General improvement – mouth slightly affected</p> <p>24th Swelling of the Eyelids less^d discharge inconsiderable able to bear the light bowels slow. <i>H purgans Rept Pil Cal</i> –</p> <p>25 doing well mouth much affect^d. Ptyalism</p> <p>26th little Inflam. In [terms?] of Eyes – Mouth sore gargle Complains of little pain from rings of light</p> <p>27th no inflammation feels much debilitated alternate – her Soup some Wine – in this case like one in the prior part of the Voyage I found from the very great Inflammations of the Iris and membranes little assistance from the depleting system – nothing appeared to have arrested the diseased actions as effectively as the Calomel to the extent of producing Ptyalism</p> <p>3rd of January her mouth being well and strength recovered</p>
<p>Cholera Morbus</p>	<p>40</p>	<p>Susan Thompson 12 Daughter of Susan Lemor convict Nov 4th Lat 39.24 Longitude 9.90 E Therm 61</p> <p>5th Diasch^d Well</p>	<p>This girl is of full habit of Body subject to bilious vomiting and costive state of Bowels since having been embarked – requir^d a repeat action of [p] medicines her bowels have been costive for some month? – This morning with acute pain distension of stomach and Bowels frequent vomiting and purging of Bilious matter much anxiety cold sweats contraction of the Muscles of lower extremities small unequal pulse great prostration of strength – complains of the pain when the hand is press^d over the stomach or Bowels – <i>Vsect ad ℥xv Bal cal gr v c Opii gr i</i> warm bath – <i>M Salin effervess</i> – 2nd qq.q.hora Vesp. Bleeding removed almost instantly the acute [spasmodic?] symptoms no vomiting dispos^d to sleep warm moisture on the skin bowels now at ease <i>Rept Bal cal – haustus effervescence</i> drink gruel</p> <p>25th general diminution of symptoms no pain pulse soft natural has inclination for food Soup Sago Wine –</p> <p>26th out of bed convalescent</p>

Catarrhus	41	<p>Sarah Kell C ag^d 48 Dec^r 27th Lat 39.27 Ther 61</p> <p>1st Jan^y Well</p>	<p>This woman is rather a delicate constitution disposed to Pectoral affections – complains of cough pain of chest head engag^d – febrile heat of skin dry hot to the touch quick^d pulse loss of appetite sense of fullness and stuffing of the nose eyes watery and inflamed – Bowels costive had shivering last night followed by heat of skin says she attributes it to damp linen & in this case the Pulse does not call for the use of the lancet appl. <i>Empl. Visicator Sternum – haustus Sol Sulph. Magnesiæ Rx Potass Nitratis ℥j Mist. Diaphor ℥viii Capt. ℥ij – 2.q.q.h.</i></p> <p>28th head less painful chest relieved bowels opened less febrile heat skin moist discharge from mucus membranes of the nose</p> <p>29th Slight cough no pain of chest or febrile heat of the skin discharge from nose – has inclination for food no medicine – Soup – sago or gruel</p> <p>30th convales.</p>
<p>Ophthalmia Membrane</p> <p>PB100516</p>	42	<p>George Ransley Free passenger 17th Jan^y Lat 41.30 Therm 60</p> <p>10 disch^d Well</p>	<p>Complains of acute pain with active Inflammation of the membranes of the Eyes the Palpebra swell discharging a purulent matter – Intolerance of light quick hard pulse Rigors with febrile heat – <i>Vsect ad ℥xv Haustus cathart – Rx pil Cal gr ij bis die</i> low diet confined to dark bed place</p> <p>2nd experienced but little relief Globe of Eyes turgid Iris much inflamed – discharge from Palpebræ great – much irritability <i>Rept pil</i></p> <p>3rd discharge and swelling of Eyelids little reduced <i>Rept. Pil Calomel bis die</i> – a piece of lint to absorb the discharge Introduced between the Eyelids</p> <p>4th much affect^d - general amendment Vessels of Eyes more unloaded inflammation generally reduced <i>Rept. Pil</i></p> <p>5th slight Ptyalism swelling of Palpebræ reduc^d can bear light no irritation but little of globe of the Eye bowels slow <i>Mag, Sulph ℥fs</i></p> <p>6th doing well no medicine 7th doing well – this case has terminated most favourably by the speed by xxx affecting the mouth – discharg^d 110th</p>
Erysipelas	43	<p>Jane McMaster Æt. 23 Jan^y 2nd Lat 41 Therm 61</p>	<p>This woman has been treated in hospital for bilious attack is of full habit of body of a sedentary indolent disposition – has an Erysipelas swelling over the [] muscle of the right thigh – there is much diffused redness tension pain with in ability to motion – Pain rigors followed by Pyrexia Thirst full quick hard pulse skin hot dry loss of appetite head much engaged Stupor drowsiness etc – exciting course sudden exposure to cold with costive state of Bowels – <i>Rx Bol Jalap Calomel – Sol Mag. Sulph ℥iv</i> [warm strips] cold acidulated</p> <p>3rd Bowels freely purg^d swelling and redness of the thigh reduced – constitutional symptoms lowered head less engaged febrile heat thirst <i>Rx Haust Salin c Nitras Potass gr x 3 q.q.hora</i> fomentations continued –</p>

		Jany 7 th Disch ^d Well	4 th abatement of swelling no pain slight febrile heat – Bowels slow <i>H.purgans</i> 5 th no fever heat – has inclination for food – slight [dis- ...mmation] of skin- swelling gone 7 th Disch ^d
Catarrhus	44	Mary McKenzier C Æt. 45 Jan ^y 8 th Therm 61 12 Dec ^r Well	This woman is of a sanguineous habit disposed to Pneumonia attacks – owing to some exposure to wet – complains of pain of Chest- dry frequent painful cough quick pulse hot dry skin loss of appetite much febrile action bowels costive – <i>appl Empl. Vesicat. – Vsect ad 3̄xii H- Sudoirfic 3.q.q.h</i> Cooling acidulated drink 9 th generally relieved no pain of chest breathing easy – Expectoraly – skin moist bowels free Rept. H. Sudorfic – 10 th appetite relieved no febrile heat – little soft cough – some debility Soup little Wine – 12 – free from cough Disch ^d
Catarrhus	45	Eliz th Rix C Æt. 18 Jan ^y 8 th in Lat Long E Therm 61 13 th Disch ^d Well	This irritable subject to enteritis & cough has considerable febrile heat white tongue loss of strength and appetite hot dry surface – head engaged complains of a dull pain of head sense of fullness of the nose – Eyes watery cough with pain of Chest – <i>Rx Sol. Mag. Vitriolat c fol Sennæ 3̄iv – appl. Emp. Vesicat –st. Rx Bol antim gr v h somni Pediluvium</i> 9 th generally relieved skin moist discharge from the nose – Expectorates no pain slight febrile heat. Cont. H Sal 10 convalescent 12 th Well disch ^d
PB100517 Synocha	46	Rebecca Hall C Aged 30 Dec ^r 12 th Thermometer 60 Dec ^r 16 th Well	This woman one of c cooks full habit owing to the sudden changing of great heat and much expose of person to wet - complains of lassitude anxiety febrile heat head much engaged loaded Tongue hard quick full pulse preceded by rigors Bowels for some days in a costive state – Vsect ad 3̄xv – Bol Jalap. Scam N. – Haustus Sal 3tis q.q.h .cooling acidulated Drink [start?] antiphlogistic Regime quietness 13 th experienced immediate relief from the lancet bowels have been freely opened – Pyrexial symptoms generally lessened – pulse not so hard - less oppression or anxiety less pain of head – <i>Cont. H. S</i> 14 th skin moist slight pain of head tongue cleaner – feels general relief – <i>Rept H. Sol</i> 15 th a convalescent – Soup Wine in this case I found bathing the head and extremities with Vinegar and Water [extracting/ extra long?] [] and agreeable to the Patients feelings – Drink []
Atrophy	46	Eliz th Disney Æt 40 Dec ^r 14 th Lat S Lon E Therm 61	This woman in stating her case says for some days she has found her strength to fail, observing her in muster that she appears much emaciated – she has no evident disease or this infers a wasting of the body loss of

Contusions from fall from a horse	49	Mr Thomas Brown Æt. 44 .A.,. Commiss. Off Hobart Town Jan ^y 22 nd Therm 62	This gentleman was riding on shore yesterday when he fell from his horse– and received some severe contusions of the back part of the head back and loins says he was [stunnd?] for some moments after the accident had nausea with vomiting – he complains of much heaviness with pain and a sense of fullness of the head his loins are painful to the touch – has hot dry skin accelerated hard full pulse – loss of appetite Eyes turgid – <i>VSectio ad 3xx</i> – <i>Rx Cathart .Haust. Rx Mist. Salin feb 3ij 3tis q.q.hora</i> low diet 23 rd relieve by the loss of blood – but little febrile heat head less engaged – bowels free – <i>Rept. M sol feb.</i> 24 th doing well no pain of head out of bed 26 th Well
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A Nosological Synopsis of the Sick Book kept during the Period of this Journal, in conformity with the 30th Article of the Surgeons' Instructions.

Diseases Nosologically arranged	Numbers						Nos. of such Cases as are detailed in the Journal
	Put on Sick List	Discharged to Duty	Sent to the Hospital	Died on board	Invalided	Remaining	
Synocha	6	6					3.11.14 .23.31. 45.
Hepatitis		2					4.15
Rheumatismus	1	1					24
Pneumonia	3	3					6.21.27
Enteritis	1	1					1
Ophthalmia	5	5					16.39.4 1.42.47
Pleuritis	1	1					38
Erysepilis	1	1					43
Hæmoptysis	1	1					2
Menorrhagia	1	1					23
Dysenteria	5	4		1	Infant of 10 months old		8,13,22 34,36
Catarrhus	6	6					25.29. 37.41. 44.45
Cholera Morbus	3	3					7.20.40
Atrophia	3	2			Infant	of 12 months	5.10.46

Syphilis	1	1					35
Obstipatio	1	1					9
Prolapsus Uterus	1	1					17
Vulnus	1	1					48
Ulcus	2	2					13.12
Fractura	1	1					
Abscessi	3	3					19.22 .30
Contusio	1	1					49
Parturition	1	1					33

GENERAL REMARKS

During the months of August and September while fitting out at Woolwich and receiving on Board the female convicts free women and children the prevalent winds were N.W. The Thermometer averaged 68 and 70 at noon. The Principal cases confined to hospital one of Enteritis and one of Hæmoptysis – a few from constipation of the bowels with slight fever owing to the change produced from full diet – as we cleared the channel advanced on the Voyage entered the Tropics – observed the Ther^f to rise rapidly to 82 to 84 – weather fine with occasionally shows of rain – The ship being excessively crowded having embarked 100 female convicts – 87 free women passengers and children independent of ship’s officers and crew. I believe this greatest to the Tonnage of the Ship ever brought from England to the Colony of New South Wales – or Van Diemen’s Land, added much to the increased temperature - caused some cases of inflammatory fever to break out – shortly after we passed the Tropics - it yielded generally in a few days to the immediate free and active use of the lancet Repeated Purgatives Saline Diaphoretics – cold and acidulated drinks with low regimen and free ventilation.

Two infant children died on Passage – one labouring under diseased Mesenteric glands – the other atrophy on coming on board – had some cases of cholera which done well from the lancet warm baths large doses of calomel combined with opium as we advanced to the Southern latitudes experienced a few cases of pneumonia & catarrh - Ophthalmia of a purulent kind accompanied with excessive inflammation pain and irritability – found the evacuating plan of bleeding & very secondary – Those of quick recovery were from the effects of calomel so as to produce Ptyalism – when secretions less^d with the inflammation among so many women & children- had a number of cases of Debility some constitutional others from the inability to eat their provisions by attention in preparing nourishing Soups a proportion of Wine a renovation of strength soon followed – I experienced much good from the daily general personal examination of the women and children particularly the latter. It enabled me to detect and arrest disease in the early stages – allowing them as much time on deck compatible with the service as possible- regularity of meals – having the hospital and prison and all parts of the ship kept extremely clean and well ventilated – I may attribute my being able to land them in general good health.

Will Clifford Surgeon & Superintendent

LIFFORD, William R.N., *4 August 1810

William Clifford was appointed surgeon on the *Bellerophon* at Portsmouth in 1807(152)

He was included in the Navy List of Medical Officers of 1814.

He was employed as Surgeon Superintendent on the convict ships *Harmony* (to VDL),

Forth (1) in 1830

Norfolk in 1832 and the *Sir Charles Forbes* in 1837

William Clifford was on the List of Surgeons of the Royal Navy who were fit for service in 1841