

Name *May Ann Marshall*

Form of insanity	<i>Mania</i>
By whom brought	
Previous residence	
Age and Sex	<i>Female 17</i>
Married, single, or widowed	<i>Single</i>
If any family	<i>—</i>
Occupation	<i>servant</i>
Habits of life	
Native place	<i>Zuloy, Victoria</i>
Religion	<i>Wesleyan</i>
Duration of present attack	<i>Commenced on 18th Inst</i>
If disordered before, and how long	<i>Not disordered before</i>
Supposed cause	<i>Not known</i>
If hereditary	
Specific signs of insanity	<i>Talks incoherently & was rather violent & had a police</i>
Whether subject to epilepsy	<i>no</i>
If suicidal	<i>no</i>
If dangerous	<i>Made two attempts on her neck</i>
If destructive	
State of bodily health	<i>Good.</i>
Name and address of nearest relative or friend	<i>Sister, Caroline Ann Long residing at Zuloy West</i>
Bodily conformation—	
Head	
Chest	
Abdomen	
Extremities	
Marks of violence (if any)	<i>None.</i>
	<i>Very mischievous, noisy and destructive.</i>

Admitted

April 26th

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Oct - 28th Convalescent.

On trial Nov: 15th 78.

Returned Dec: 17th 78.

3rd Feb: 79 On trial.

Returned.

On trial again.

Discharged

Aug: 6th 80.

Name Catherine Brown

Form of insanity Melancholia
 By whom brought Fat
 Previous residence Kent Street Richmond
 Age and Sex Female 30
 Married, single, or widowed Married
 If any family Yes
 Occupation House wife
 Habits of life
 Native place
 Religion Not stated
 Duration of present attack One week
 If disordered before, and how long None disordered before
 Supposed cause "Lunical mania"
 If hereditary
 Specific signs of insanity She has a delusion that she killed her infant
 Whether subject to epilepsy No
 If suicidal Yes
 If dangerous No
 If destructive
 State of bodily health
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend Mary Booth

Bodily conformation—

Head
 Chest
 Abdomen
 Extremities

Marks of violence (if any) None

This patient was quiet & taciturn on admission & is not very much inclined to answer questions. She has had a good deal of trouble owing to her husband being ill a long time & she had a child about 3 weeks ago, & shortly afterwards her ^{present} mental condition was manifested. She has been put on Pepp tea & Saps.

Admitted

April 26th

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May 2nd - Has been remaining in bed for a few days
is improving

On trial

June 1st 78.

Disch^d Sept 23rd

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50 Name Samuel Alexander Mill

Form of insanity ...
By whom brought ...
Previous residence ...
Age and Sex ...
Married, single, or widowed ...
If any family ...
Occupation ...
Habits of life ...
Native place ...
Religion ...
Duration of present attack ...
If disordered before, and how long ...
Supposed cause ...
If hereditary ...
Specific signs of insanity ...
Whether subject to epilepsy ...
If suicidal ...
If dangerous ...
If destructive ...
State of bodily health ...
Name and address of nearest relative or friend ...

Father
Collins St. Footscray
Boy aged 7

Footscray (?)

Christian Church

Been so from birth
Not known

Yes

No

Yes

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Patient is fresh looking & in good bodily condition

John Mill (Father)
Collins St off Austin St
Footscray

Bodily conformation—

Head ...
Chest ...
Abdomen ...
Extremities ...

Marks of violence (if any) ...

No marks of violence.

The statement says there is evident & unnatural impulse to commit mischief and violence over which the child's reason has no control. He beats his little sister whom he is fond of when asked why he did so can give no reason. He is very bad tempered and violent & throws stones & other missiles at his parents & friend. Sometimes he lays down flat on

Admitted

April 27th

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Admitted in the street. He appears to have slight epileptiform convulsions.

April 30th - Sent to Male Division.

May 15 Remains much the same as on date of his admission. Has shown no signs of epileptic fits or of being dangerous to others.

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Transferred to the Yarra Bend Asylum

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Name *Mary Flanagan,*

Form of insanity
 By whom brought
 Previous residence
 Age and Sex
 Married, single, or widowed
 If any family
 Occupation
 Habits of life
 Native place
 Religion
 Duration of present attack
 If disordered before, and how long
 Supposed cause
 If hereditary
 Specific signs of insanity
 Whether subject to epilepsy
 If suicidal
 If dangerous
 If destructive
 State of bodily health
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend

*Mania, Puerperal,
 From lying in Hospital,
 Kotham,
 22,
 Single,
 Servant,
 Romanist, Church
 7 days,
 First attack.
 Weak.
 John Flanagan (Father)
 17,*

Bodily conformation—
 Head
 Chest
 Abdomen
 Extremities

Marks of violence (if any)

*Excited and refuses food,
 sleeps badly, and is noisy
 at night, and
 Ordered nourishment,
 Chloral at night.
 May 13th - No improvement in
 mental state.*

Admitted

April 29th

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Removed on trial Feb 28th 79.



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Name Mrs Joy.

Form of insanity Dementia, Senile

By whom brought Police.

Previous residence Swanwater, 2^d St Arnaud.

Age and Sex F. 70.

Married, single, or widowed M.

If any family

Occupation Farmerswife,

Habits of life Temperate.

Native place Co. Anagh, Ireland.

Religion Romanist.

Duration of present attack Two years.

If disordered before, and how long First attack.

Supposed cause Old age!

If hereditary

Specific signs of insanity

Whether subject to epilepsy No.

If suicidal yes.

If dangerous yes.

If destructive yes.

State of bodily health

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Hugh Joy, Swanwater, Husband.

Bodily conformation—

Head

Chest

Abdomen

Extremities

Marks of violence (if any) wanders away from home and destroys her clothing.

April 30th

Taken out on trial, Oct-21st 78.

Wid while on trial, Feb: 25th 79.

Name *Mary Eliza Weber*

Form of insanity
 By whom brought
 Previous residence
 Age and Sex
 Married, single, or widowed
 If any family
 Occupation
 Habits of life
 Native place
 Religion
 Duration of present attack
 If disordered before, and how long
 Supposed cause
 If hereditary
 Specific signs of insanity
 Whether subject to epilepsy
 If suicidal
 If dangerous
 If destructive
 State of bodily health
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Bodily conformation—
 Head
 Chest
 Abdomen
 Extremities

Marks of violence (if any)

Dementia
Friends
46 Marion St. Fitzroy.
33. F.
M.
Housewife,
Intemperate,
Scotland.
Presbyterian.
4 weeks.
~~*Intemperance,*~~
Paralytic,
Lower extremities paralyzed
May 8th Quite Demented, Confused
labrd, ordered Dr. Morehead
June 4th In same state
allowed to sit up. Strychnin
and iron.

May 4th

June 26th Improving physically, has no memory
crisis when spoken to.

Sept 11th Is now able to walk a little,
Memory improving, is able to converse.

18. Nov: 10th permitted out trial,
very much improved

Aug: 12th 80. Discharged.

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Name

Martha Hood.

Form of insanity
 By whom brought Police.
 Previous residence Prahran
 Age and Sex F.
 Married, single, or widowed Living as a married woman.
 If any family Yes.
 Occupation
 Habits of life Temperate.
 Native place Victoria
 Religion Wesleyan.
 Duration of present attack Three months.
 If disordered before, and how long First attack.
 Supposed cause Unknown.
 If hereditary
 Specific signs of insanity
 Whether subject to epilepsy No.
 If suicidal Yes.
 If dangerous Yes.
 If destructive Yes.
 State of bodily health Good.
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Bodily conformation—

Head
 Chest
 Abdomen
 Extremities

Marks of violence (if any)

Has a child 20 months old which she has been suckling till today.

On trial

July 30th 78.

has a child so small as to think
she has been sneaking till today.

Name

Ellen Griffiths

Form of insanity ...
 By whom brought ...
 Previous residence ...
 Age and Sex ...
 Married, single, or widowed ...
 If any family ...
 Occupation ...
 Habits of life ...
 Native place ...
 Religion ...
 Duration of present attack ...
 If disordered before, and how long ...
 Supposed cause ...
 If hereditary ...
 Specific signs of insanity ...
 Whether subject to epilepsy ...
 If suicidal ...
 If dangerous ...
 If destructive ...
 State of bodily health ...
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend ...

Epileptic Mania
 Police.
 Melbourne Hospital,
 F.
 Single
 Domestic Servant,
 Temperate,
 Tasmania,

Ch. of England,
 4 days.
 Not known.
 Epilepsy
 unknown.

Yes.
 Yes.
 Yes
 No.

Bodily conformation—

Head ...
 Chest ...
 Abdomen ...
 Extremities ...

Marks of violence (if any) ...

Subject to fits of Epilepsy, very severe, and is at times quite unconscious of what she is doing or saying.
 Full blooded, and red face.
 Menstruates regularly.

May 28th Suffers from chronic enlargement of the tonsils.

May 8th

July 6th Large doses of Bromide of Potassium seem to be the only medicine from which she derives any benefit.

The fits are much less frequent, and not so severe, but she gets so warming.

On trial 15th Aug: 78.

Returned Oct - 23rd.

Removed on trial Oct - 28th 78.

2nd Jan 79. Returned from trial.

9th June 80. Removed on trial. State 9th

16th Dec: 80. Today she returned alone and said she was afraid she was going to become ill again.

19th Dec: 80. Since her return has not been ill, was restless the first day. Removed by her brother.

Name

Bridget McAuley. (McGawley)

Form of insanity Imbecile.

By whom brought Friends,

Previous residence Balmoral St., South Yarra.

Age and Sex 17. F.

Married, single, or widowed Single.

If any family

Occupation None.

Habits of life

Native place

Religion Romanist,

Duration of present attack Since infancy.

If disordered before, and how long

Supposed cause Not known.

If hereditary Father inmate of Ararat Asylum.

Specific signs of insanity Inability to converse.

Whether subject to epilepsy No

If suicidal Yes

If dangerous Yes

If destructive Yes.

State of bodily health Good.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Eliza McAuley, mother, as above.

Bodily conformation—

Head

Chest

Abdomen

Extremities

Marks of violence (if any) Is clean in her habits, can do a little work. Her hair has been cut close before admission

May 13th

No improvement

Sep. 10 91 destructor - demented - occasionally employed

28 11 93 locust-miner does a little house work

Transferred to Bullant

Name

Janet ~~the~~ Macfie,

Form of insanity ...	Melancholia
By whom brought ...	Friends,
Previous residence ...	William St. Melbourne,
Age and Sex ...	21. F.
Married, single, or widowed ...	Single,
If any family ...	
Occupation ...	Domestic Duties,
Habits of life ...	
Native place ...	Victoria,
Religion ...	Romanist,
Duration of present attack ...	3 weeks,
If disordered before, and how long ...	Yes,
Supposed cause ...	Severe neuralgia,
If hereditary ...	
Specific signs of insanity ...	
Whether subject to epilepsy ...	No,
If suicidal ...	has threatened suicide,
If dangerous ...	
If destructive ...	
State of bodily health ...	
Name and address of nearest relative or friend ...	
Bodily conformation—	
Head ...	
Chest ...	
Abdomen ...	
Extremities ...	
Marks of violence (if any) ...	Has well marked vesicles of variola on her face May 16 th - Very rapid & weak pulse. 948. Albumen in urine in large quantities. May 22 nd - Slight improvement

May 15th

July 2nd Not so well mentally,
obliged to proceed with stomach pump.

7th. removed by friends from the asylum
although written to by me to say they could not.

Returned Dec: 17th 78.
Dorothy and anemic, takes her food well.

5th March 79.

Removed on trial.

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Name

Elizabeth Ryland.

Form of insanity Dementia.

By whom brought Police.

Previous residence Saanecoris.

Age and Sex 66. F.

Married, single, or widowed Widow.

If any family

Occupation Nil.

Habits of life Temperate & quiet.

Native place Bristol, England.

Religion Baptist.

Duration of present attack Two years.

If disordered before, and how long First attack.

Supposed cause

If hereditary

Specific signs of insanity Dabbling incoherent talk

Whether subject to epilepsy No.

If suicidal No.

If dangerous No.

If destructive No.

State of bodily health Feeble.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Edw^d Stone, Farmer, Kangaroo Flat.

Bodily conformation—

Head

Chest

Abdomen

Extremities

Marks of violence (if any)

A feeble, demented old woman, has to be clothed and fed.

Admitted

May 17th

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Admitted

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Died April 16th 81.

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Name

Eliza Watt.

Form of insanity ...	Mania.
By whom brought ...	Police.
Previous residence ...	Unknown.
Age and Sex ...	33. F.
Married, single, or widowed ...	Married.
If any family ...	
Occupation ...	Prostitute.
Habits of life ...	Vagrant.
Native place ...	Sydney. N.S.W.
Religion ...	Ch. of Eng.
Duration of present attack ...	Unknown.
If disordered before, and how long ...	do
Supposed cause ...	do
If hereditary ...	do
Specific signs of insanity ...	
Whether subject to epilepsy ...	Unknown.
If suicidal ...	do
If dangerous ...	do
If destructive ...	do
State of bodily health ...	Unsatisfactory.
Name and address of nearest relative or friend ...	Unknown.

Bodily conformation—

Head ...	
Chest ...	
Abdomen ...	
Extremities ...	

Marks of violence (if any) ...

Seems half starved, and badly clothed, arrested for vagrancy in Govt House Domain.

May 28th Has had an attack of mania ~~at~~ excitement in which she became very violent.

Admitted

May 18th

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June 14th Is getting better fat. Refuses now to work and is at times very violent and abusive.

Transf'd to Lunbury

Nov: 10th - 80.

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Name

Eliza Sibley

Form of insanity
 By whom brought
 Previous residence
 Age and Sex
 Married, single, or widowed
 If any family
 Occupation
 Habits of life
 Native place
 Religion
 Duration of present attack
 If disordered before, and how long
 Supposed cause
 If hereditary
 Specific signs of insanity
 Whether subject to epilepsy
 If suicidal
 If dangerous
 If destructive
 State of bodily health
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Dementia.
 Police.
 Freemasons Hotel, Swanston St.
 40. F.
 Single.
 Domestic Servant.
 Not known.
 Dorsetshire, England.
 Ch. of Eng.
 Not known
 do.
 do.
 do.
 Not known.
 do.
 no.
 no.
 Fair.

Bodily conformation—

Head
 Chest
 Abdomen
 Extremities

Marks of violence (if any)

Nothing is known of this woman,
 it is thought that she came
 recently from Tasmania.

Delusious