

Oct-10<sup>th</sup> Improving somewhat.

Oct-14<sup>th</sup> ordered to laundry.

Oct-31<sup>st</sup> - Improved very much physically, not much mentally, works in laundry.

Nov: 9<sup>th</sup> Slight mental improvement, has had some friends to visit her.

Removed on trial

Name *Bridget Thynne*

Form of insanity ... ..	<i>Delusional</i>
By whom brought ... ..	<i>Police,</i>
Previous residence ... ..	<i>Sandhurst Hospital,</i>
Age and Sex ... ..	
Married, single, or widowed ... ..	<i>Single,</i>
If any family ... ..	
Occupation ... ..	<i>Servant,</i>
Habits of life ... ..	<i>"Not known", appeared to be suffering from drink when admitted to the Hospital,</i>
Native place ... ..	
Religion ... ..	<i>Romanist,</i>
Duration of present attack ... ..	<i>about fourteen days,</i>
If disordered before, and how long ... ..	<i>Believed to be the first,</i>
Supposed cause ... ..	<i>Not known,</i>
If hereditary ... ..	
Specific signs of insanity ... ..	<i>Delusional,</i>
Whether subject to epilepsy ... ..	<i>No,</i>
If suicidal ... ..	<i>Yes,</i>
If dangerous ... ..	<i>No,</i>
If destructive ... ..	<i>No,</i>
State of bodily health ... ..	
Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... ..	<i>Catherine Grandson, Sister, Goulbarn 2<sup>d</sup> Shepperton, Farmer,</i>
Bodily conformation—	
Head ... ..	
Chest ... ..	
Abdomen ... ..	
Extremities ... ..	
Marks of violence (if any) ... ..	<i>Has been in service at a country hotel, when admitted to Sandhurst appeared to be under the influence of liquor. She says that she does not drink, and never was drunk. Fancies that her sister is lying dead in the Sandhurst hospital. She is quiet and harmless.</i>

Oct 10<sup>th</sup> Walks in the ward.

Nov: 6<sup>th</sup> 78. removed on trial.

Oct 31<sup>st</sup> Empress ...

2<sup>nd</sup> removed ...

1<sup>st</sup> removed ...

3<sup>rd</sup> Nov: 7<sup>th</sup> 78. removed on trial.

4<sup>th</sup> Nov: 8<sup>th</sup> 78. removed on trial.

5<sup>th</sup> Nov: 9<sup>th</sup> 78. removed on trial.

6<sup>th</sup> Nov: 10<sup>th</sup> 78. removed on trial.

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Name *Ellen Lewis. (Ellen Lewis.)*

Form of insanity ... .. *Mania,*  
 By whom brought ... .. *Police.*  
 Previous residence ... .. *Weston St. Brunswick.*  
 Age and Sex ... .. *36. F.*  
 Married, single, or widowed ... .. *Married.*  
 If any family ... ..  
 Occupation ... .. *Servant.*  
 Habits of life ... .. *Moral & Temperate.*  
 Native place ... .. *Liverpool.*  
 Religion ... .. *Ch. of England.*  
 Duration of present attack ... .. *Four weeks.*  
 If disordered before, and how long ... ..  
 Supposed cause ... .. *Not known.*  
 If hereditary ... ..  
 Specific signs of insanity ... .. *Throwing herself about. Sits. is dangerous.*  
 Whether subject to epilepsy ... .. *No.*  
 If suicidal ... .. *No.*  
 If dangerous ... .. *No.*  
 If destructive ... .. *Yes.*  
 State of bodily health ... .. *Good.*  
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... .. *Benjamin Lewis, Weston St. Brunswick  
Woodferry. husband.*

Bodily conformation—  
 Head ... ..  
 Chest ... ..  
 Abdomen ... ..  
 Extremities ... ..  
 Dr. Vanreuen, Avoca Forest  
 Naticum Logan has written  
 about this patient (9.9.90)

Marks of violence (if any) ... .. *Very maniacal*  
*Body bruised on arms legs and  
hips on admission,  
wants several of her front teeth*  
*Oct-9<sup>th</sup> Well purged, quieter this  
morning. is not taking her food well.*  
*Oct-10<sup>th</sup> Still maniacal ordered  
large doses Pot. Brom.*

14<sup>th</sup> - Has a gathering on one of her fingers. Lanced and poulticed.

18<sup>th</sup> - Fall while running in side yard and broke the fibula right leg. Put up in dextrine bandage.

21<sup>st</sup> - Removed bandage. Doing well, reappplied.

24<sup>th</sup> - Put on plaster of Paris bandage.

3<sup>rd</sup> Nov: Today she removed the bandage, reappplied a plaster of Paris bandage.

5<sup>th</sup> Nov: Has become so rowdy that it was found necessary to remove her to I. ward.

Nov: 10<sup>th</sup> recovered starch bandage. She is still very restless and inclined to remove the bandage if possible.

Removed on trial

Jan 9 13<sup>th</sup> 79.

Returned Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 79.

on trial May 31<sup>st</sup> 79.

Returned, June 25<sup>th</sup> 79.

After nursing and exercise, truly healthy fair employed in sewing and wash work

9.9.90, still occasionally excited but is getting somewhat demented.

Hand Ber<sup>th</sup> March Jan 91

Name *Mary Broadfoot*

Form of insanity ... .. *Melancholia.*  
 By whom brought ... .. *Police*  
 Previous residence ... .. *Lancefield.*  
 Age and Sex ... .. *27. F.*  
 Married, single, or widowed ... .. *M.*  
 If any family ... ..  
 Occupation ... .. *Servant.*  
 Habits of life ... .. *Temperate.*  
 Native place ... .. *Inverness. Scotland.*  
 Religion ... .. *Presbyterian.*  
 Duration of present attack ... .. *one month.*  
 If disordered before, and how long ... .. *First attack.*  
 Supposed cause ... .. *Deserted by husband.*  
 If hereditary ... ..  
 Specific signs of insanity ... .. *Refuses food, will not speak.*  
 Whether subject to epilepsy ... .. *No*  
 If suicidal ... .. *No*  
 If dangerous ... .. *No*  
 If destructive ... .. *No*  
 State of bodily health ... .. *Not good, anemic.*  
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... .. *Mary McLean. Lancefield Mother.*

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

*Her Sister, Catherine Edwards was a patient of this asylum - 28<sup>th</sup> October 1875.*

*Oct 10<sup>th</sup> Appears to be very melancholic, will not eat or speak. eyes blood shot, head hot, ordered aloes & Taut Ant. in small doses*

Oct 14<sup>th</sup> - ordered Calceol & Iron, not improving as yet.

Oct 18<sup>th</sup> - Refuses food, has to be fed, and with difficulty can be got to take any nourishment.

20<sup>th</sup> - Fed with Stomach pump twice daily.

Oct 22<sup>nd</sup>

Obliged to discontinue use of pump as her stomach rejects immediately any food injected that way. Tried nasal tube, will retain a very small quantity injected by nose. To have nutritive enemata regularly.

Oct 31<sup>st</sup> - Is not improving. The quantity of food retained on stomach is very small indeed, and that she is got to take with the utmost difficulty. Injected milk and Castor oil subcutaneously.

Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> - The subcutaneous injection of nutriment appears to cause some slight inflammation, she now will swallow fluids such as milk & beef tea. Does not lose flesh much.

Nov 12<sup>th</sup> - Takes a little milk menstruating.

Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> - Removed to hospital, very much emaciated, takes a little milk and beef tea no solid food. Very offensive smell in her room.

Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> - Continued to get weaker, & gradually sank & died this day.

All the organs anemic, brain very pale & soft cortical structure slightly atrophied in places.

Very large medulla oblongata.

Colon contracted to less than 1/2 its natural size near caput cecum coli.

Other organs healthy.

Name *Mary Ann Locke*

Form of insanity ... .. *Mania.*  
 By whom brought ... .. *Police.*  
 Previous residence ... .. *Chinaman's Flat, Maryborough.*  
 Age and Sex ... .. *36. F.*  
 Married, single, or widowed ... .. *M.*  
 If any family ... ..  
 Occupation ... .. *None.*  
 Habits of life ... .. *Steady.*  
 Native place ... .. *England.*  
 Religion ... .. *Ch. of England.*  
 Duration of present attack ... .. *about 10 days.*  
 If disordered before, and how long ... .. *Formerly in this asylum.*  
 Supposed cause ... .. *Not known.*  
 If hereditary ... .. *do.*  
 Specific signs of insanity ... ..  
 Whether subject to epilepsy ... .. *Not known*  
 If suicidal ... .. *do*  
 If dangerous ... .. *no.*  
 If destructive ... .. *no.*  
 State of bodily health ... .. *Good.*  
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... ..

Bodily conformation—  
 Head ... ..  
 Chest ... ..  
 Abdomen ... ..  
 Extremities ... ..

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

*In very good health. Sent to work in the laundry.  
 Oct-21<sup>st</sup> While working in laundry she states that she got bitten by a snake, there is a small puncture near the bend of the elbow, which looks slightly inflamed, probably caused by the sting of a bee or tarantula.*

Oct 24<sup>th</sup> Arm slightly inflamed, poultice, she just as often puts the poultice in her pocket as on her arm.

Nov: 9<sup>th</sup> Has a few boils on her body. otherwise in good health. No mental improvement

26<sup>th</sup> May 1884 Has been very quiet, mind rather feeble, allowed to leave on trial with her sister-in-law

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Name *Mary Crothers*

Form of insanity ... .. *Melancholia.*  
 By whom brought ... .. *Police,*  
 Previous residence ... .. *Waugoom & Warrnambool.*  
 Age and Sex ... .. *36. F.*  
 Married, single, or widowed ... .. *M.*  
 If any family ... .. *Yes.*  
 Occupation ... .. *Farmer's wife,*  
 Habits of life ... .. *Temperate,*  
 Native place ... .. *Co. Antrim, Ireland,*

Religion ... .. *Presbyterian,*  
 Duration of present attack ... .. *2 months,*  
 If disordered before, and how long ... .. *First attack,*  
 Supposed cause ... .. *Unknown,*  
 If hereditary ... .. *do*  
 Specific signs of insanity ... ..  
 Whether subject to epilepsy ... .. *no*  
 If suicidal ... .. *Not threatened,*  
 If dangerous ... .. *no,*  
 If destructive ... .. *no.*  
 State of bodily health ... .. *Emaciated,*  
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... ..

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

*This woman has been under treatment at Warrnambool for uterine disease. Very melancholic, requires to be fed. Oct 21st will not work, no improvement*

Nov: 7<sup>th</sup> Has improved somewhat physically. Has not yet commenced to feed herself. answers questions

Dec: 4<sup>th</sup> Becoming more stupid, requires again to be fed. Not easy to control.

Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> No improvement latterly, rather the reverse. becomes obstinately costive.

Removed to trial.

Returned May 14<sup>th</sup> 79.

July 22<sup>nd</sup> 80 Has improved greatly in bodily health since her admission and slightly mentally. Has menstruated.

Transf'd to Sumbury.

Nov: 10<sup>th</sup> 1880.

Name *Victoria Paulet*

Form of insanity ... .. *Delusional,*  
 By whom brought ... .. *Police,*  
 Previous residence ... .. *Red Gully, Coeswick,*  
 Age and Sex ... .. *58. F.*  
 Married, single, or widowed ... .. *Widow*  
 If any family ... .. *yes.*  
 Occupation ... ..  
 Habits of life ... .. *good,*  
 Native place ... .. *England,*  
 Religion ... .. *Protestant,*  
 Duration of present attack ... .. *For years.*  
 If disordered before, and how long ... ..  
 Supposed cause ... .. *unknown.*  
 If hereditary ... ..  
 Specific signs of insanity ... ..  
 Whether subject to epilepsy ... .. *No*  
 If suicidal ... .. *No*  
 If dangerous ... .. *No*  
 If destructive ... .. *No*  
 State of bodily health ... .. *Fair.*  
 Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... .. *John Paulet, Son, Red Gully, Coeswick,  
 Mines.*

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..  
*Her son Henry Paulet  
 was admitted into this asylum  
 14.9.78.*

*Oct 31<sup>st</sup> - This woman appears to  
 be quiet and harmless, works  
 in the ward, appears to have been  
 in much the same state for years.*

Nov: 9<sup>th</sup> In the same state

Discharged

Feb: 3<sup>rd</sup> ... Discharged ...  
Feb: 10<sup>th</sup> ...  
Feb: 15<sup>th</sup> ...

Feb: 16<sup>th</sup> ...

Sub: Feb 16<sup>th</sup> 1878

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Name

Mary Baker

1841

Form of insanity ... .. Dementia.

By whom brought ... .. Police

Previous residence ... .. Wild Duck Creek, Keaticote,

Age and Sex ... .. 70. F.

Married, single, or widowed ... .. M.

If any family ... ..

Occupation ... .. Household Duties,

Habits of life ... .. Regular,

Native place ... .. Plymouth, England,

Religion ... .. Protestant,

Duration of present attack ... .. six months,

If disordered before, and how long ... .. First attack,

Supposed cause ... .. Unknown.

If hereditary ... ..

Specific signs of insanity ... .. Does not know where she is.

Whether subject to epilepsy ... .. Yes,

If suicidal ... .. ~~has threatened,~~

If dangerous ... .. No.

If destructive ... .. No.

State of bodily health ... .. Feeble.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... .. John Baker, husband, as above  
Miner.

Bodily conformation—

Head ... ..

Chest ... ..

Abdomen ... ..

Extremities ... ..

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

Bruises on wrists.

Sent to hospital, Suffers from prolapse of the uterus. very restless.

31<sup>st</sup> Oct - Will not remain lying down. Ever wandering about.

Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> Feeble & restless. Takes her food with reluctance.

July 22<sup>nd</sup> - to improvement.

Feb: 3<sup>rd</sup> 82. On my return from Breckwoutte found her feeble, paralyzed and confined to bed, with a bed sore on right hip.

Feb: 12<sup>th</sup> Has been for some days for a short time in a reclining chair, becoming more feeble.

Feb: 16<sup>th</sup> Sinking slowly.

Died, Feb: 16<sup>th</sup> 1882.

Name

Mary Ann Brogan.

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 ... ..

Delusional

Police.

2<sup>nd</sup> Stiglitz.

25. F.

M.

Selectors wife.

Temperate.

Cheshire.

Romanist.

3 weeks.

3<sup>rd</sup> attack.

Delusions.

Not known.

No.

No.

No.

Fair

David Brogan, husband, Stiglitz

Bodily conformation—

Head ... ..

Chest ... ..

Abdomen ... ..

Extremities ... ..

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

Sent from the Frelong hospital, where she states she has been for the past fortnight.

Fancies that her father is Governor of either the East or West Indies, is not sure which, she was going to him when she was brought here all her trunks are packed up and on board ship waiting for her

Admitted

October 31<sup>st</sup>

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Nov: 9<sup>th</sup> Takesher good well. no mental improvement

Dec: 4<sup>th</sup> No improvement

Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> - Very much improved mentally and physically.

Removed on furl 4<sup>th</sup> July 1879.

Returned 29<sup>th</sup> May 1882.

15.5.89 & now dying of Phthisis.

Died 21.5.89.

P. M. All organs quite healthy with exception of the lungs  
The left lung tuberculous throughout  
The right lung a° for 2/4 of its extent.  
No cavities.

The brain showed no departure from a healthy condition.

Name

Mary Drummond

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.  
 Brought from Industrial Schools  
 16. F  
 S.  
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 Inmate of Industrial Schools.  
 Redbank, Victoria  
 Romanist.  
 No.  
 No.  
 Yes.  
 No.  
 Mother

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

An inmate for some years of the Industrial Schools. is said to be dirty in her habits. Not epileptic

No 12<sup>th</sup> - makes herself useful in the wards, and seems to be clean in her habits.

Dec: 2<sup>nd</sup> - Was excited and noisy last night.  
 This morning her head is hot and she is feverish, ordered paracetamol.  
 Dec: 4<sup>th</sup> - has been quiet since.  
 Dec Feb 8<sup>th</sup> In fair bodily health, quiet and demented  
 29. 9. 00 Quiet clean sticky. Does want to ward, will not  
 look at any one straight in face - 6/12/00 Demented. Works well.  
 1. 10. 01 Quiet. Demented. good worker.

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Name *Anna Kelly alias Mary Ann Carrick*

Form of insanity ... ..	<i>Delusional,</i>
By whom brought ... ..	<i>Police,</i>
Previous residence ... ..	<i>Chapel St - St. Kilda</i>
Age and Sex ... ..	<i>30. F.</i>
Married, single, or widowed ... ..	<i>Single</i>
If any family ... ..	
Occupation ... ..	<i>Servant,</i>
Habits of life ... ..	<i>Unknown</i>
Native place ... ..	<i>Co. Galway. Ireland.</i>
Religion ... ..	<i>Romanist,</i>
Duration of present attack ... ..	<i>Unknown</i>
If disordered before, and how long ... ..	<i>Do</i>
Supposed cause ... ..	<i>Do</i>
If hereditary ... ..	<i>Do</i>
Specific signs of insanity ... ..	<i>Delusions,</i>
Whether subject to epilepsy ... ..	<i>No</i>
If suicidal ... ..	<i>No</i>
If dangerous ... ..	<i>No</i>
If destructive ... ..	<i>No</i>
State of bodily health ... ..	<i>Fair.</i>
Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... ..	<i>M<sup>r</sup> O'Keefe, Brighton Road.</i>

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

*She fancies that she hears her  
mother talking to her.  
States that she had been drinking.  
Nov: 22<sup>nd</sup> - Sleeps, eats and works  
well.  
26<sup>th</sup> - Improving mentally*

Admitted

November 19<sup>th</sup>

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Dec: 4<sup>th</sup> She says that she recognizes the absurdity of her ideas regarding the appearance of her mother.

Convalescent.

Dec: 28<sup>th</sup> Discharged.

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Name

Margaret Dear.

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 ... ..

*Melancholia.*  
*Police.*  
*Sheringhap, n<sup>o</sup> Seelong.*  
*62 F.*  
*M.*  
*Yes.*  
*Farmer's wife,*  
*Temperate,*  
*Co. Tipperary, Ireland,*  
*Romanist.*  
*6 months,*  
*First-attack.*  
*Not known,*  
*Do*  
*imagined she is going to be burned,*  
*not known,*  
*Yes,*  
*Yes,*  
*Yes,*  
*Patrick Dear, husband, Farmer Sheringhap,*

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... ..

*Very melancholic, & restless at night requires to be fed.*  
*has weak eyes. entropium.*

*No. 26<sup>th</sup> Suffers from an attack of scabies.*

Admitted

November 20<sup>th</sup>

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Dec: 4<sup>th</sup> - Very much improved mentally and physically.

Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Convalescent  
Removed on trial Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 79.

Returned August 25<sup>th</sup> 79.

20<sup>th</sup> Aug. On trial again - So.  
B-14-874 Discharged

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Name *Mary Konec*

Form of insanity ... ..	<i>Melancholia.</i>
By whom brought ... ..	<i>Police.</i>
Previous residence ... ..	<i>Castlemaine Hospital.</i>
Age and Sex ... ..	<i>28. F.</i>
Married, single, or widowed ... ..	<i>Single.</i>
If any family ... ..	
Occupation ... ..	<i>Dressmaker.</i>
Habits of life ... ..	<i>Steady &amp; temperate.</i>
Native place ... ..	<i>Drummond, St. Malmsbury.</i>
Religion ... ..	<i>Ch. of Eng.</i>
Duration of present attack ... ..	<i>Six months.</i>
If disordered before, and how long ... ..	<i>First attack.</i>
Supposed cause ... ..	
If hereditary ... ..	
Specific signs of insanity ... ..	
Whether subject to epilepsy ... ..	<i>No.</i>
If suicidal ... ..	<i>No.</i>
If dangerous ... ..	<i>No.</i>
If destructive ... ..	<i>No.</i>
State of bodily health ... ..	<i>Fragile and emaciated.</i>
Name and address of nearest relative or friend ... ..	<i>Father, Saml. Konec, Drummond, Malmsbury.</i>

Bodily conformation—

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

Marks of violence (if any) ... .. It is stated that this girl about two years ago suffered from severe pain in her back which incapacitated her from moving about till six months ago when she became violent and insane. She is now very much emaciated, freckled body and shows symptoms of phthisis.

Dec: 4<sup>th</sup> Micturating. Sleeps well, taking cod liver oil which she appears to like.

Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>. Slightly improved physically, has still to be fed, has not spoken since admission

Aug: 14<sup>th</sup> (Cough very troublesome), Night sweats, and emaciation have returned.

Died, December 4<sup>th</sup> 79.

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