

Admission number: 525 (private) **Date of admission: 18th July 1891**

Name:	WRT	Age:	45
Address:	Amlwch		
Occupation:	Merchant	Marital Status:	Single
		Religion:	Independent
Disease:	Mania		
Supposed cause:	Not known		

Medical Certificate(s):

I. (1) Hallucinations (2) Excited appearance. II. Facts communicated by OT, his brother: (1) Throwing grapes and new potatoes to the pigs. (2) Destroying the furniture. (3) Wandering about the roads for two nights. (4) Refusing to take rest or nourishment. (July 17th 1891. JA, Amlwch).

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Case Notes:

1891 July 22 - Patient is a tall and well built man. Face much tanned by exposure. Long brown moustache. Dark brown hair and irides. Well nourished and organs healthy. At first, to an ordinary observer, there is in this case nothing much wrong to be discovered. He is very courteous and polite and many of his statements might well be true. But they are delusions to those persons acquainted with the real facts.

He is annoyed with his people for putting him here because he fears his German opponents in Buenos Ayres will make capital of it, to the destruction of his business. Now he has no business there and his statement that he draws a certain percentage (from) English Firms for introductions there is equally untrue. He is not incoherent but talks rapidly and when talking of one thing passes rapidly to another without concluding his remarks on the first. He is full of impossible plans etc. Talks of taking one of our Patients away.

Aug 1 - Fairly cheerful and sleeps a few hours nightly. Talks much of his business and how it will be ruined. Also visits his bedroom at frequent intervals and appears to pray. Cannot be induced to leave the house and paces his room all day. Writes to some of his old employers and gives them orders.

Aug 17 - During the last fortnight had been very low spirited and taciturn and took but little food. Today requested the attendt. to get his clothes and let him out and refused to go to bed. Later on for various reasons a strong jacket was put on him and he was placed in the Padded Room. He resisted strongly in a passive obstinate manner.

Aug 19 - During last two days has been lying on his back in Padded Room, eyes shut and frown on face. Refusing to eat or speak and it is quite impossible to gauge what is going on in his mind. Head hot, circulation excited, temp. normal. Removed his jacket and put him in a strong dress. Fed him with S Pump giving him at the same time an aperient.

Aug 24 – Has taken his food himself today. Will not converse, standing with his eyes shut, but does not resist to the same extent.

Sept 30 - During the last few days has been gradually passing into a condition similar to what was seen about 5 weeks ago. Moody and refusing food. Standing with eyes shut in the same position for a long time. Have had to feed him with Pump during last 3 days and yesterday, owing to his becoming violent and dangerous, put him in the Padded Room. Breaks out at times into invective and takes sudden dislikes to certain of his attendants. Restless and sleepless.

1892 Jan 3 - Variable, at one time quiet, fairly rational, at another excited and has to be secluded. At this time a fresh crop of delusions show themselves and his business ideas receive a fresh impetus.

May 1 - Has just recovered from a very severe attack lasting over a fortnight. Showed much violence. Stripping himself etc. Does not now refuse food as he used to when in them.

Sept 10 - Has just recovered from a severe attack of excitement. Is rougher, more prone to violence and uses fouler language than he used to.

1893 Apr 5 - The attacks recur regularly on an average every 6 weeks and he then is secluded for 7-12 days. Health remains good.

1898 Jan - Extremely troublesome and excited at times and has to be continuously secluded. Obscene in his language and filthy in habits when excited. Washes his room with urine etc.

May 2 - Is very excited at present in No. 3. Ideas very rambling. Talks about business firms, Welsh hymns, Roman ancestors and marriage affairs practically with the same breath

1899 Mar - Locks himself up in his bedroom for days. Excellent health.

1900 Aug - Spends a good deal of his time in his bedroom hiding himself and makes various excuses for not coming out. The probable one being that a distant relative of his is here, the son of a Public House at Cemaes, and he does not seem to care for his company, being so big in his ideas.

1901 Mar - Has been in his bedroom for some time. Very excited and deluded, depraved and dirty in his habits.

1904 June - A case of circular insanity in which depression, excitement and periods of lucidity alternate. At present very depressed.

1910 Nov - Chronic recurring mania with depression at times.

1913 June - He is suffering from Chronic Mania. He is very talkative and his conversation is most rambling and disconnected. He is continually wandering aimlessly about and his general habits are untidy and inclined to be dirty. He is in poor bodily health and at present is in bed. He has a large irreducible Scrotal Hernia.

1914 Jan 25 - He is still very talkative, untidy and inclined to be abusive if interfered with.

The patient, WT, died in **2nd December 1914** from arteriosclerosis.