

No.	NAME	Age	Admitted	Died	Under the care of	Examination, at what time after death
156	Richard Wynne	26	April 19 <sup>th</sup> 1888	April 30 <sup>th</sup> 1888	Dr. Dickinson	13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> hours.

MORBID APPEARANCES.

Height 5<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub> in  
Weight 9st 3lb. Emaciated slightly. Abdomen distended  
On making an incision into the ~~abd~~ Peritoneum a large  
quantity of gas. Smelling strongly of sulphuretted  
Hydrogen escapes. The gas ~~could~~ would not ignite when  
a lighted match was brought near.

There is a considerable quantity of peritonitis which is  
most intense along the course of the large intestine  
The great omentum is much thickened and firmly adherent to  
the sigmoid flexure and to the coils of small intestine -  
Disseparating the omentum from the sigmoid flexure the  
under surface is seen to form the floor of several ulcers  
which have formed in the sigmoid flexure and perforated  
through the gut wall - Other ulcers of the sigmoid  
flexure are open having perforated straight into the  
peritoneum as also have ulcers situated near the  
splenic flexure and near the caecum in the ascending  
colon.

On cutting open the intestines. Numerous small ulcers  
were found in the rectum in the mucous membrane.  
In the sigmoid flexure the ulceration is very extensive  
leaving here and there a small islet of mucous membrane.  
For the most part the floor of the ulceration is formed by  
the exposed transverse muscular fibres. but in two  
or three places the ulceration has extended right through  
the intestinal wall perforating into the abdominal  
cavity or the wall is formed by great omentum which  
has become adherent to the intestine.

Throughout the whole of the rest of the large intestine  
are numerous ulcers some small & circular only affecting  
the mucous membrane, but others larger and there  
are large perforations in the neighborhood of the  
splenic flexure and of the caecum. The lower <sup>ulcers</sup>  $\frac{2}{3}$  of descending colon contains hard lumpy  
The vermiform appendix is not ulcerated or perforated.

Air in Peritoneal cavity.  
Perforation of large intestine in several places with escape of feces into Peritoneal cavity Peritonitis

Extensive ulceration of mucous membrane of large intestine leading to perforation of gut wall in sigmoid flexure. Splenic flexure & ascending colon

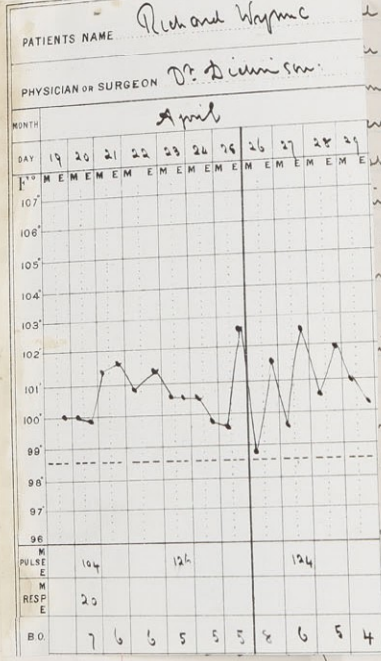
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No. in Reg <sup>d</sup> 188 <sup>d</sup>	NATURE OF DISEASE.
617	Ulceration throughout the whole length of the Large Intestine Perforation. Peritonitis

CASE.

History. I am a ~~twelve~~ <sup>man</sup> before his admission he had enjoyed  
Richard Wynne was in bed a month.  
Dr. Dickinson  
in illness till the beginning of 1888 when he  
was discharged. His bowels were open 2 or 3 times  
and from the time to some extent but not  
at least - some 25 days before he came to the  
in had diarrhoea. At first his bowels acted  
- some days later they were open 2 or 3 times a  
was dark in colour, and he said, Catarrh  
in admission diarrhoea again became very  
which acted 5 or 6 times a day. His motions were  
dark blood. He gave up work - but did  
till 2 days before he came to St George's -  
was a thin man and on admission he  
had diarrhoea and weakness. His appetite was  
was scarcely excited. The sounds of his heart  
There was no dulness over his lungs and  
breathing was good. His abdomen was slightly distended  
and tender. There were some red raised spots on his abdomen  
They disappeared on pressure. They were considerably larger  
than typhoid spots usually are - but there were some on his stomach  
like those of typhoid. His motions were dark and fluid.  
He was treated Quinine & local quinine and digitalis extract.  
The liquor sulphuris acetosus was added. About 22<sup>nd</sup> diarrhoea  
continued till April 21<sup>st</sup> was given in an enema. His bowels continued  
to act 5 times daily. On the 24<sup>th</sup> he had his last stool like 31<sup>st</sup> quantity  
amounted not to 31<sup>st</sup> of quinine. On this day his bowels were open 5 times  
and on the 29<sup>th</sup> 5 times. His tongue was dry and coated  
but he took good food.



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MORBID APPEARANCES.

Air in Peritoneal cavity.  
Perforation of large intestine in several places with escape of feces into Peritoneal cavity.  
Peritonitis

Extensive ulceration of mucous membrane of large intestine leading to perforation of gut wall in sigmoid flexure. Spleenic flexure + ascending colon.

Museum specimen No 4663

Notes continued Nos 136 + 138

Height 5 $\frac{7}{8}$  in  
Weight 9st 3lb. Emaciated slightly. Abdomen distended  
On making an incision into the ~~abdomen~~ Per quantity of gas. Smelling strongly of Hydrogen sulphide. The gas ~~could~~ would a lighted match was brought near there is a considerable quantity of peritonitis most intense along the course of the large intestine. The great omentum is much thickened and the sigmoid flexure and to the coils of small intestine separating the omentum from the sigmoid under surface is seen to form the floor which have formed in the sigmoid flexure through the gut wall. Other ulcers of flexure are open having perforated strong peritoneum as also have ulcers situated in splenic flexure and near the caecum colon.  
On cutting open the intestines. Numerous were found in the rectum in the sigmoid flexure the ulceration is very extensive leaving here and there a small islet of mucous membrane. For the most part the floor of the ulceration is formed by the exposed transverse muscular fibres but in two or three places the ulceration has extended right through the intestinal wall perforating into the abdominal cavity or the <sup>floor</sup> wall is formed by great omentum which has become adherent to the intestine.  
Throughout the whole of the rest of the large intestine are numerous ulcers some small & circular only affecting the mucous membrane but others larger and there are large perforations in the neighborhood of the splenic flexure and of the caecum. The lower  $\frac{2}{3}$  of ascending colon contains hard <sup>ulcers</sup> ganglioniciform appendix is not ulcerated or perforated.

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No. in Reg <sup>d</sup> 1888	NATURE OF DISEASE.
617	Ulceration throughout the whole length of the Large Intestine Perforation. Peritonitis

CASE.

History. Ten or twelve years before his admission he had emigration of the lungs and was in bed a month.  
He had no other illness till the beginning of 1888 when he began to suffer from diarrhoea. His bowels were open 2 or 3 times daily. He recovered from the flux to some extent but not entirely. But at Easter - some 25 days before he came to the Hospital he again had diarrhoea. At first his bowels acted 4 or 5 times daily. Some days later they were open 2 or 3 times a day. His motions were dark in colour, and he said contained blood.  
A week before his admission diarrhoea again became very troublesome and his bowels acted 5 or 6 times a day. His motions were still dark and contained blood. He gave up work - but did not stay in bed till 2 days before he came to St George's.  
Admission. He was a well nourished man and on admission he complained of diarrhoea and weakness. His appetite was bad. His tongue was thickly coated. The sounds of his heart were rather feeble. There was no dulness over his lungs and breathing was good. His abdomen was slightly distended and tender. There were some red raised spots on his abdomen. They disappeared on pressure. They were considerably larger than typhoid spots usually are - but there were some on his stomach like those of typhoid. His motions were dark and fluid.  
He was treated a course of local quinine and dilute acetic acid. The liquor amylicus acetosus was added. About 22<sup>nd</sup> diarrhoea continued 3c quinine was given in an enema. His bowels continued to act 5 times daily. On the 24<sup>th</sup> he had his last motion. On the 25<sup>th</sup> he died. On the 26<sup>th</sup> his bowels were open 5 times and on the 27<sup>th</sup> 5 times. His tongue was dry and coated but he took food well.  
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