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| **Wednesday** A damp morning. Wind West.  Passed part of the morning in drawing & writing  to William with Robert’s account of seats. Attended a  meeting of shipowners & masters for the purpose of  establishing a asylum for aged & infirm master  mariners, an excellent institution & long wasted  the meeting most respectfully & numerous attended  & then business well conducted & a most liberal  feeling persuading every person as the donation  & subscriptions best testified. Read a letter from  Geo Dunn to know if I intended loading the  Hope. Answered in the negative unless fieghted  or upheld. Dined at home. Mrs Scott very unwell,  but downstairs. Saw arr γαλλοπ | | | |  |
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| **Thursday** Weather rather damp & foggy.  Wind from W to N by S. Passed the first of  the morning in drawing. Dined at home.  Saw arr γαλλοπ. At the whist club | | | |  |
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| **Friday** A fine mild morning. Wind  W by N. Paid Brown for oakeun & for Hope’s  buffet & the year £21. Dined at I Fenwicks,  Preston Villa, a party of 18 | | | |  |
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| **Saturday** A beautiful mild morning.  Wind NNW. Employed the first of the morning  in drawing. Went to the news jbetenaid room.  Dined at home. In the evening at the club at  J Tinley’s. Mr Walowstegs ship that Fenwick fixed by Mr Allen  in Quebec & East coast at the shipowners rates. | | | |  |
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| **Sunday** A damp morning, having been a great  deal of rain during the night. Wind NNW.  Mrs Scott very ill. Wind variable during the day  between NNW & N by E. At church in the morning.  The newspapers countenancing the speeding in  Parliaments of the news as to declaring  their intention to grant Catholic emancipation  which caused a great sensation here, but particularly  to the incomcas to it in both houses of parliament.  Dined at J Tinley’s. the two Carrs there. | | | |  |

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